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# Caregivers won't join state payrolls

By Karen Tokkinnon  
Times-News writer

BOISE — A proposal to avert the threat of courts forcing Idaho to add another 900 or so employees to the state payroll passed the House Health and Welfare Committee Friday.

Proponents said the state could be forced to include independent personal care service workers within its ranks of employees, and give them full benefits, including workers compensation, health care coverage and vacation time. Recent rulings from the state

## House committee approves proposal



Industrial Commission and the Internal Revenue Service have required the state to provide worker's compensation and to withhold Social Security payments from

the workers' checks. An injured worker successfully sued the state four months ago.

These people want to be independent until they're injured and then they want someone to take care of them the rest of their lives," said Rep. Max Black, R-Boise. "It's not right."

The bill, which already passed the Senate, was in trouble in the House because of the lateness of the session, said its author, Scott Burpee, who runs a nursing home in northern Idaho.

It was added to Friday's committee agenda after lawmakers became aware of the potential cost of \$8 million the state could face if it doesn't act on the issue.

Under the bill's provisions, those who receive state money to care for the disabled in their homes must form a limited liability corporation or join a provider and contract their services to the state. Burpee estimates the state will have to pay \$1.8 million in additional cost of fees.

The bill passed despite the objections of advocates for the disabled, who fear that it will restrict personal care services. Please see CAREGIVERS, Page A2

## DUAL PERSONALITY



Taking the trash out appears to be double duty for a construction worker at the College of Southern Idaho. Several days of gutting the old library on the second floor of the Taylor administration building has prepared the way for new offices as part of the remodeling project.

## Burley Ore-Ida plant will change hands

By Mark Heinz  
Times-News writer

BURLEY — The Ore-Ida plant in Burley probably will change hands soon, but the local implications of the sale aren't clear yet, a company spokesman said.

H.J. Heinz Co., Ore-Ida's parent company, announced Friday its intention to sell some of its assets, including a Boise plant, to McCain Foods Ltd. of New Brunswick, Canada.

A letter of agreement was drawn up between the two companies saying that some of Heinz' frozen-food businesses would be sold for \$500 million, a company spokesman said. Please see PLANT, Page A2



The H.J. Heinz Co. plans to sell the Ore-Ida plant in Burley and other assets to McCain Foods Ltd. of New Brunswick, Canada. Company officials aren't yet sure if that means any Burley jobs will be lost.

# Surgeons repair Clinton's torn knee tendon

## Injury sustained during visit with golf star

The Associated Press

BETHESDA, Md. — Surgeons repaired a painful torn knee tendon in President Clinton's right leg Friday after a freak middle-of-the-night accident at the Florida home of golfer Greg Norman.

The president will hobble on crutches for eight weeks or so and undergo months of physical therapy.

"We were very happy with our repair," the chief surgeon said.

"I feel great, they did a terrific job," Clinton said after two hours and four minutes of surgery. "I just had an unlucky break."

He said he would go ahead with plans for a trip to Finland next week for a summit with Russian President Boris Yeltsin although his doctors did not seem enthusiastic about his decision.

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"He has an excellent chance to regain full motion in his knee," said Dr. David Adkison, though adding that the tear was more complex than normal for such an injury. He said it would be perhaps six months before the president would regain full use of his leg — and even then it may not be the same.

"He wants to know when he can swing a golf club," Adkison said. "We'll see."

Clinton is expected to remain in the hospital until Sunday. The president interrupted a postoperative news conference that was broadcast live on television, calling by telephone to give his own report on the surgery.

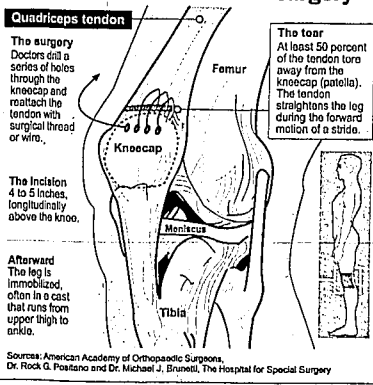
Stressing that he had been injury free most of his life, he

said, "Don't worry about it, I'll just spend a little time here and get home, go back to work." Doctors said Clinton would be on a spinal pain block for the first 24 hours and then non-narcotic painkillers like extra-strength Tylenol.

The tear in Clinton's tendon was unusual, physicians said. "It tore in a way where there actually still was some of the tendon attached to the bone, which is uncommon," Adkison said. The leg may never be the same, perhaps losing some flexibility, he suggested.

After the surgery, the president was brought to a recovery room where his wife, Hillary, and daughter, Chelsea, were watching a Cary Grant movie. "His first words were, 'Where's the basketball?'" presidential spokesman Mike McCurry said, referring to the NCAA tournament.

## President Clinton's knee surgery



# WEATHER

## IDAHO WEATHER

Saturday, March 15  
AccuWeather® forecast for daytime conditions and high temperatures

City	Temp
Coeur D'Alene	40°
Lewiston	44°
Boise	52°
Twin Falls	45°
Pocatello	40°

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## FORECAST

Source: National Weather Service

### Magic Valley

Rain likely today and tonight. Warmer with highs around 50. Highs in the lower 50s to 15 mph. Winds in the mid 30s. Sunday mostly cloudy with scattered rain showers. Highs 50 to 55. The ultraviolet index forecast is 2, a minimal exposure level.

### Extended regional forecast

Monday partly cloudy with a slight chance of rain. Lows in the 30s. Highs in the lower 50s to the lower 60s.  
Tuesday and Wednesday mostly cloudy with warmer. Lows in the lower 30s to the lower 40s. Highs 60 to 70.

### Camas Prairie, Wood River Valley

Winter storm watch this afternoon and tonight. Rain and snow today. Heavy snow possible during the afternoon and evening. Highs 30 to 45. Tonight rain and snow changing to snow after midnight. Possible total snowfall 4 to 8 inches above 6000 feet. Lows 20 to 35. Sunday rain and snow showers likely. Highs 40 to 50.

### Treasure Valley

Rain likely today. Warmer with highs in the mid 50s. Southeast wind 5 to 15 mph. Tonight rain likely. Lows 35 to 45. Sunday mostly cloudy with scattered rain showers. Highs in the upper 50s.

### Sawtooth Mountains

Winter storm watch this afternoon and tonight. Rain and snow today. Heavy snow possible during the afternoon above 6000 feet. Highs 30 to 45. Tonight rain and snow changing to snow after midnight. Possible total snowfall 4 to 8 inches above 6000 feet. Lows 20 to 35. Sunday rain and snow showers likely. Highs 40 to 50.

### Eastern Idaho

Cloudy and warmer today with scattered rain showers. Highs in the mid to upper 40s. Southwest winds 10 to 20 mph and gusty. Tonight cloudy with scattered rain showers. Lows in the lower to mid 30s. Sunday mostly cloudy with a chance of rain. Decreasing cloudiness by late afternoon. Highs in the upper 40s to lower 50s.

### Northern Idaho

Cloudy today with a chance of afternoon rain. Highs in the 40s. East wind 5 to 10 mph. Tonight rain likely. Lows in the mid and upper 30s. Sunday rain likely. Highs around 50.

### Northern Nevada

Mostly cloudy today with a slight chance of showers. Snow level above 7500 feet. Southwest wind 15-25 mph. Highs near 55. Tonight mostly cloudy with a slight chance of showers. Snow level above 7000 feet. Lows near 35. Sunday mostly cloudy and breezy with a slight chance of showers.

### Northern Utah

Partly cloudy and warmer today. Highs lower 60s. Tonight and Sunday partly cloudy. Lows 40-45. Highs lower to mid 60s. The ultraviolet index forecast is 3, a low exposure level.

### IDAHO WEATHER SUMMARY

Mostly cloudy skies covered Idaho Friday, except in the north where skies varied from sunny to partly sunny. Snow showers were reported at Soda Springs and Pocatello.

## ACROSS THE NATION

### More rain falls in East; snow covers Great Lakes region

The Associated Press

Rain drenched the East Coast Friday and snow showers stretched from western Illinois to northern Michigan.

Much of the nation west of the Mississippi River was dry.

The heaviest rain was along the shores of the Carolinas and across southeastern Florida. Freezing rain glazed trees and power lines across Pennsylvania before temperatures warmed.

Along the Ohio River, overnight rain of an inch or so shouldn't make the flooding much worse, but could prolong it, said Chris Jones, a National Weather Service meteorologist in Paducah, Ky.

A dry weekend was forecast, and the weather service said the river would begin slowly falling. But it

also said gauge readings along the Ohio ranged from five to 20 feet above flood stage this morning and that "major flood conditions" would persist through next week.

Snow around the Great Lakes added to the region's record snowfall this year. Alpena, Mich., picked up 11.5 inches since midnight Thursday, pushing the season total to 168.2 inches. The old record was 166.3 inches in 1970-71.

Green Bay, Wis., picked up 14.5 inches of snow in a 24-hour period. Rochester, Minn., has had 78 inches of snow this season, breaking the old record in 1950-51 by half an inch.

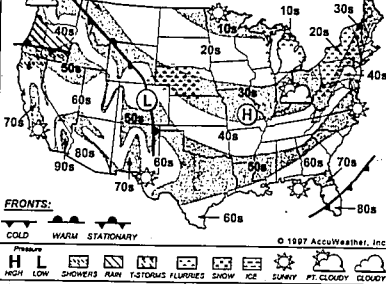
Up to 10 inches of snow was expected across Vermont, New Hampshire and northern Maine by Friday night.

Across much of the Plains states, cold and blustery conditions prevailed. A few light rain showers were moving in across southwestern Oregon.

## NATIONAL Weather

The AccuWeather® forecast for noon, Saturday, March 15.

Blends separate high temperature zones for the day.



## TEMPERATURES

City	Max	Min	Pcp
Albuquerque	65	39	----
Atlanta	72	59	----
Boston	33	20	----
Chicago	31	17	----
Cities	49	44	----
Denver	28	9	----
Des Moines	25	23	0.02
Detroit	37	28	1.82
Honolulu	83	74	----
Houston	67	61	0.01
Indianapolis	40	38	1.01
Kansas City	47	34	----
Las Vegas	77	51	----
Los Angeles	65	52	1.31
Memphis	57	34	0.90
Miami Beach	84	68	0.32
Milwaukee	29	29	1.18
Minneapolis	20	18	1.17
New Orleans	78	62	0.01
New York	52	30	0.88
Oklahoma City	43	28	----
Omaha	28	17	----
Phoenix	87	59	----
Pittsburgh	57	34	0.90
Portland, Me.	31	11	0.42
Portland, Ore.	52	34	----
Reno	67	25	0.17
Salt Lake City	50	27	----
San Antonio	69	46	0.33
Sarasota	50	33	0.04
Spokane	37	18	----
Washington	57	39	0.44

## HIGHS & LOWS

Idaho High, 51 degrees at Hagerman. Low, 4 degrees below zero at Stanley. Nation: High, 93 at India, Calif. Low, 19 below zero at Williston, N.D.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

Tune to the National Weather Service radio band at VHF-FM 162.4 or 162.55 MHz or call 334-9860. The Internet address for Idaho Transportation Department road reports is: <http://www.state.id.us/dtd/dmhp.htm>

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### Idaho

City	Max	Min	Pcp
Boise	44	25	----
Burley	41	25	----
Fairfield	33	9	----
Groening	46	24	----
Hagerman	51	25	----
Idaho Falls	34	21	----
Jerome	34	24	----
Lewiston	41	28	----
Malden	42	23	----
Molito	45	27	----
McCall	31	2	----
Pocatello	36	25	----
Salmon	32	19	----
Starley	28	4	----
Sun Valley	33	7	----

### Twin Falls

City	Max	Min	Pcp
Yesterday	43	24	----
Last year	57	40	----
Normal	52	28	0.04

### Precipitation

Month to date:	Normal mo. to date:
.16	.52
3.63	9.63
5.37	5.37

### Comfort factors

Humidity at noon:	56 pct.
Barometer at noon:	30.3 to 5
Pollen count:	Not available.
Courtesy Asthma and Allergy of Idaho.	

## SKYWATCH

Sunset today 6:44 p.m.  
Sunrise tomorrow 6:49 a.m.  
Lunar phase: First quarter, Mar. 15; full, March 23; last quarter, March 31; new, April 7.  
Visible planets: Morning: Mars, Jupiter.  
Evening: Mars, Comet Hale-Bopp; visible: NE, 2:30 a.m.-6 a.m.; NW, 7:30-10 p.m.

# Less forceful air bags will still save lives, federal officials contend

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal regulators said Friday their decision to allow less forceful air bags in new cars will save the lives of scores of children and smaller adults.

But they acknowledged that some other adults may die in crashes they might have survived if the current standard were kept on the books.

"We've made a policy decision that it's more important to us to decrease the risk to children," said Ricardo Martinez, head of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

His agency released a new regulation that will allow automakers

to install air bags in new cars that deploy with 20 percent to 35 percent less force than the current air bags. At bags now deploy at up to 200 mph.

The auto industry said some of the first cars with the lower-velocity air bags may be on the market by late summer.

The safety agency's move is in response to a public outcry about the deaths of at least 38 children and 24 adults from deploying air bags in lower-speed accidents they should have survived.

"Many of the current air bags are using a one-size-fits-all technology, and clearly that represents some risks for children and some small adults," said Martinez. Less-powerful air bags are the fastest and simplest solution to minimize their risk, he said.

"We will have model year 1998 vehicles that have depowered air bags, and they may hit the market some of them — in late summer," said Barry Felrice, director of regulatory affairs for the American Automobile Manufacturers Association.

The safety agency estimates air bags have saved more than 1,700 lives since 1986. But concerns have grown lately about the risks they pose, especially to small, unbelted passengers or drivers.

Those injured by air bags were mostly unbelted or improperly belted.

When all cars are equipped with air bags sometime in the next century, the agency estimates, 107 children and 33 infants in rear-facing infant seats would be killed if the devices maintained their current deployment force and use of child seat belts did not increase.

The agency estimates the less forceful air bags will spare 47 children — or about 44 percent of those who otherwise might have been killed accidentally by the safety devices.

Rear-facing infant seats are too

close to the dashboard for an infant to be protected from the force of either bag, officials say. Those seats must be placed in the back.

Between 50 and 430 adults a year who otherwise would have been saved by the more forceful air bags in higher-speed accidents might instead lose their lives with "depowered" air bags, the agency estimates.

Martinez cautioned that the higher numbers were a worst-case estimate for when all cars are equipped with air bags sometime in the next century. Roughly one-third of vehicles have them now.

Automakers disputed the agency's estimates, saying that as few as zero but no more than 50 adult lives a year would be lost due to less-powerful air bags.

At the same time, they contend hundreds of lives would be saved — including that of children, short adults and unbelted adults thrust against the dashboard by braking as the air bag deploys in a crash.

Martinez said the agency will keep pushing to increase seat belt use. Air bags pose little threat to adults wearing seat belts.

Seat belt use in the nation is now 68 percent.

## Plant

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ny press release said.

"It's going to take weeks — or even months — for the sale to go through," Grant Jones said Friday from Ore-Ida's Boise office.

H.J. Heinz is closing or selling at least 25 plants and cutting about 2,500 jobs, or about 6 percent of the company's work force of 43,000.

But it's too soon to say whether any of the 800 or so people working at the Burley plant will lose their jobs, Jones said.

McCain has announced that once the sale is final, the compa-

ny will offer jobs to any Ore-Ida employees in production plants or marketing offices "as deemed necessary to support the business," an Ore-Ida press release said.

"The future of the Burley plant will be announced by the new owners as soon as possible," the press release said.

McCain is a major producer of french fries and an international frozen-foods distributor.

Jones said that is a good sign that McCain will have plenty of demand for the frozen potatoes produced at the Burley plant.

"It should be a win-win situation for Ore-Ida and McCain," he said.

Officials at the Burley plant declined to comment Friday.

Heinz chairman and chief executive Anthony J.F. O'Reilly told shareholders last fall that the company will shed all but its core businesses of frozen french fries, diet food, baby food, pet food and prepared foods for restaurants, the Associated Press reported.

It is hoped the cutbacks and reorganization can boost company profits by 10 to 12 percent over the next several years, O'Reilly said.

## McVeigh lawyer seeks dismissal or delay in trial

The Washington Post

DENVER — Lawyers for accused Oklahoma City bomber Timothy James McVeigh, angered by what they called "devastatingly prejudicial and inflammatory pretrial publicity," Friday asked a federal judge to dismiss the case, delay the trial for a year or move it out of Colorado.

Attorney Stephen Jones filed

the motion with U.S. District Judge Richard P. Matsch in late afternoon, a little more than two weeks before McVeigh is scheduled to be tried on murder and conspiracy charges stemming from the 1995 bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building that killed 168 people.

Jones said a fair trial would be impossible because of articles published in the Dallas Morning News and Playboy magazine cit-

## Caregivers

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in rural Idaho. Advocates also aren't being included in the debate from the beginning.

An added 900 workers is a concern, but it has some problems, said Debbie Johnson, executive

director of Idaho Parents Unlimited.

"I'm not real clear that by passing this bill you're going to address that effectively," she said.

It would also allow non-certified nursing assistants to perform non-medical tasks such as washing clothes and preparing food.

Times-News staff writer Karen Tolkin can be reached in Boise at 331-3397.

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# Lawmaker probes Clinton impeachment

WASHINGTON (AP) — A Georgia congressman has asked the House Judiciary Committee to consider opening an impeachment inquiry of President Clinton and Vice President Al Gore.

Rep. Bob Barr, a second-term Republican and former U.S. attorney in Atlanta, made his request in a three-page letter this week to Rep. Henry Hyde, the committee's chairman.

"There is no question in my mind that the alarming pattern of abuse of the political process by this White House is unprecedented," Barr said in a statement released Friday.

The cumulative effect of a series of systematic abuses compel the Congress whose members have sworn to uphold the Constitution to examine its constitutional role in matters of impeachment," he said.

Sam Strumman, a spokesman for Hyde, said the chairman had received the letter and would answer Barr "in due course."

The White House had no immediate comment.

Barr has been one of Clinton's most persistent critics in Congress, beginning two years ago when he was the top GOP inquisitor during hearings into the 1993 siege of the Branch Davidians compound in Waco, Texas.

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He is one of the National Rifle Association's strongest supporters in Congress and was the author of legislation denying federal recognition to same-sex marriages.

Rep. John Conyers, D-Mich., the senior Democrat on the Judiciary Committee, said there is bipartisan agreement that Barr's request "is on the political margins and won't

be taken seriously."

House and Senate Republicans have been pressing Attorney General Janet Reno to appoint an independent counsel to investigate Democratic fund-raising activities, including major donors being invited to White House coffees with Clinton or overnight stays in the Lincoln Bedroom, as well as Gore's admission that he made calls from White House phones to solicit contributions.

But Barr, in his letter to Hyde, said an independent counsel may not have a legal mandate broad enough to deal with the "web of Clinton campaign-related scandals" that suggests "a comprehensive scheme to undermine the norm of lawful and ethical government process."

The House and Senate have launched investigations of last year's campaign fund-raising, and the Justice Department is investigating as well. Independent counsel Kenneth Starr also is investigating Clinton's role in the Whitewater real estate transactions in Arkansas.

# Traditional allies part company on campaign reform

WASHINGTON (AP) — Unions are supposed to be in the Democratic camp. The American Civil Liberties Union, too.

But not when it comes to campaign finance reform.

The National Education Association, the National Rural Letter Carriers' Association and the ACLU lined up Friday with the Christian Coalition, National Right to Life and the National Rifle Association to back the battle being waged against campaign finance changes by Sen. Mitch McConnell, R-Ky.

"We have long opposed government

restraints on when, with whom and how to engage in political speech," said Laura Murphy, director of the ACLU Washington office.

"Although this debate is shrouded in incomprehensible terminology, what we are talking about here is speech at its most fundamental levels."

Senate Minority Leader Tom Daschle, D-S.D., said after the news conference, "I'm disappointed that so many bona fide organizations would be a part of the obstructionist approach of Senator McConnell."

"I think it's only a matter of time before we'll be successful," he said. "The American people just won't stand for the intransigence that Senator McConnell and some of his supporters represent."

But McConnell maintained that neither a proposed constitutional amendment nor the bipartisan McCain-Feingold campaign finance bill backed by President Clinton would pass. The groups represented at the news conference were "grassroots," he said.

"This is political muscle. This is the American way."

## Postal Service issues new triangle stamp

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Postal Service is reshaping stamp history.

For the first time in its 150-year history, the U.S. Postal Service is straying from the square/rectangular stamp format to introduce a line of 32-cent triangular stamps, officials announced. They went on sale Friday.

The stamps — named Pacific 97 after a major international stamp show scheduled for May in San Francisco — feature a mid-19th Century clipper ship against a blue background in one version and a U.S. mail stagecoach against red in another.

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NATION

# Mexico decertification sponsors in Senate signal compromise on plan

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two Senators trying to overturn President Clinton's certification of Mexico's anti-drug efforts backed off their proposal Friday and said they were looking for an approach acceptable to the White House.

Sens. Paul Coverdell, R-Ga., and Diane Feinstein, D-Calif., said they wanted to avoid a presidential veto or extended debate that would block any action intended to spur Mexico to stronger action against drugs.

But they rejected another bipartisan plan that would let the president's decision on Mexico stand while calling for a stronger cooperative effort.

Feinstein called the legislation proposed

by Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison, R-Texas, "a cop-out" that would have no real impact. Hutchison, with support in both parties, predicted Thursday something close to her proposal would pass the Senate next week.

Coverdell said momentum is building for the plan passed by the House Thursday that gives Mexico 90 days to take concrete steps. But he said other alternatives more acceptable to Clinton and more likely to bring cooperation with Mexico also are being explored with administration officials.

Clinton certified Mexico as a full partner in the anti-drug war two weeks ago and has been trying to persuade Senators

not to reverse the decision. Congress has until March 30 to act.

Coverdell, Feinstein and Hutchison met with key administration officials Thursday and scheduled another meeting for Monday night. Thursday's meeting included Treasury Secretary Robert Rubin, who is concerned about the economic impact of decertification on Mexico, and the U.S. ambassador to Mexico, James Jones.

Clinton rejected the plan passed by the House Thursday giving Mexico 90 days to reform before an automatic decertification. The proposal, which would retain Clinton's right to waive any sanctions against Mexico, also brought

an angry response from Mexican officials.

The decertification law requires the president annually to pass or fail several countries work in the fight against drug trafficking that supplies American users. His passing grade for Mexico brought loud protests and decertification legislation from Capitol Hill.

But the House passed its decertification measure without a veto-proof majority and support for outright decertification was crumbling in the Senate.

Coverdell said Congress would pass some kind of legislation on the issue by the end of next week, because it has several days off before the March 30 deadline for overturning the president's decision.

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"The point we have made with the administration is that the status quo is totally objectionable and not acceptable," Coverdell said in a conference call with Feinstein and several reporters.

Coverdell said senators have listened to administration concerns and don't want to make anti-drug efforts in Mexico more difficult. But he said if that becomes an argument for doing nothing, he and Feinstein will not go along.

Feinstein said she is shocked by the quantity of drugs flowing into the United States, saying drug busts are now in tons rather than kilos.

# U.S. fears possible regional impact of Albania unrest

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. officials expressed concern Friday that the anarchy in Albania could send a surge of refugees across international borders, further destabilizing the already shaky Balkan region.

But Defense Secretary William Cohen said the only military action being planned involved evacuating U.S. citizens.

"Our sole motivation right now and goal and objective is to get the Americans out of there safely," Cohen told reporters at a Pentagon briefing. "Beyond that, there is no planning for U.S. intervention."

With the Marines expecting to resume evacuation flights Saturday after two shooting incidents Friday, Cohen said his main concern beyond the safety of Americans was making sure the violence does not spread.

"This seems to be an isolated case as far as Albania is concerned, but obviously it could have spillover effects," Cohen said. "If you have a mass flow of refugees trying to move into other countries, that could cause some instability so all of the countries in that region."

Rep. Eliot Engel, D-N.Y., just back from a trip to Albania where he represented the United States in a multinational negotiating team, said the next 24 to 48 hours "will be crucial to the future of Albania."

If the rebel forces and angry citizens choose negotiation and peaceful change through elections scheduled for June, the rebuilding process can begin.

The other path, Engel said, "is chaos and anarchy, at which point foreign countries will pull out and you will see starvation and food shortages." Even if the worst occurs,

Engel said he sees no support on Capitol Hill for any kind of expanded U.S. military presence in Albania beyond what is needed to protect Americans.



U.S. citizens, guarded by U.S. Marines, await evacuation Friday from Tirana, Albania, where the situation has deteriorated to near-anarchy in recent days.

The United States has 500 troops stationed in Macedonia, which borders Albania, as part of an observer mission designed to provide early warning against the spread of violence in the Balkans. Also, nearly 8,000 U.S. troops are participating in a NATO peacekeeping mission in nearby Bosnia.

Afloat off the Albanian coast were some 2,000 Marines and as many sailors as part of a Marine Expeditionary Unit conducting the evacuation of U.S. citizens and embassy personnel.

Marine Corps helicopters suspended evacuation operations

over Tirana, the Albanian capital, after coming under anti-aircraft fire that caused no injuries or damage. The first incident involved fire from a 14.5mm cannon or being manned by an unidentified crowd of Albanians. The crowd dispersed fire

with its 20mm cannon. In a second incident, a Cobra pilot spotted a man carrying what appeared to be a shoulder-mounted surface-to-air missile. The missile was never launched, contrary to initial Pentagon reports, and the threat faded after the Cobra fired its guns.



A U.S. citizen and her daughter prepare to board a U.S. Navy helicopter Friday for evacuation to the USS Nashville in the Adriatic Sea.

## Foreigners flee Albanian chaos

TIRANA, Albania (AP) — Under the gunfire of armed civilians, U.S., German and Italian military helicopters evacuated hundreds of foreigners from the Albanian capital Friday.

A prominent European mediator called for an international force to restore order in the chaotic nation.

Former Austrian Chancellor Franz Vranitzky, who had been trying to mediate the crisis from a ship in the Adriatic, said both the rebels and the government

wanted international forces to intervene.

He met separately with Premier Bashkim Fino and insurgent leaders.

"There is no question of these people resisting a foreign intervention," Vranitzky, who heads a team from the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe. "They want them to help restore order."

Britain firmly ruled out military intervention in statements issued in London.

## AIDS drugs for kids receive OK

WASHINGTON (AP) — AIDS-infected children get the first drugs from the powerful class of protease inhibitors Friday when the government approved two pediatric formulas.

Agouron Pharmaceuticals' Viracept is the first protease inhibitor to get simultaneous approval for sales to both children and adults. Taken in a cocktail with two other medicines, it can cut by about 98 percent the amount of AIDS virus in adult patients' blood.

The Food and Drug Administration approved Viracept, known chemically as nelfinavir, for use in children although the company cannot yet say how effective it is for them.

That research is under way, but the FDA approves pediatric drugs if they are safe and early testing indicates they will work similarly in children and adults.

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# Tape catches Ike scorning FDR

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower was caught on an Oval Office tape recorder complaining about a Republican attempt to limit his foreign policy options and referring to a predecessor as "almost an egomaniac."

The first secret Eisenhower recording made public — a conversation between the president and Sen. Walter F. George, D-Ga., on Jan. 7, 1955 — was released Friday by the Eisenhower Library through the national Archives.

In an apparent reference to Franklin D. Roosevelt, Eisenhower says that "one president I could name made very great errors." He went on to describe George as "almost an egomaniac in his beliefs in his own wisdom."

Like many Republicans, Eisenhower was critical of the Yalta Accords, negotiated by Roosevelt in the closing months of World War II.

By far the largest number of White House tapes come from the administration of Richard Nixon, recordings that eventually led to his downfall from the Watergate scandal.

But there also are tapes from the administrations of Roosevelt, Truman, Kennedy, Johnson and Reagan.

William Doyle, author of a book on presidential tapes, said Roosevelt and Truman made a few recordings, principally of sessions with reporters.

Doyle said the Roosevelt and Truman recordings were on an experimental RCA machine located directly below the Oval Office. Roosevelt used it for only 11 weeks in the fall of 1940, when he apparently was concerned his remarks might be misinterpreted by reporters.

Truman was told of the machine when he became president after Roosevelt's death. He used it for a news conference in May 23, 1945, and then ordered it dismantled. The Eisenhower tape was made from a dictabelt. In 1991, Ann Whitman, who was Eisenhower's secretary, acknowledged that some conversations were recorded and said, "We didn't want other people to know about it."

The Archives said that additional conversations would be made public as soon as they can be transferred from belts to tapes. There are about 10 conversations in all, said Susan Cooper of the Archives.

George, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee,

and Eisenhower discussed how to moderate if not block a proposed constitutional amendment by Sen. John V. Bricker, R-Ohio, that would have required judicial review of all treaties and executive agreements to assure that they did not violate the Constitution. It also would have required that executive agreements be submitted for congressional approval.

Despite support from nearly all Republicans in Congress and many conservative Democrats, the proposal was never added to the Constitution.

Conservative Republican concern over the impact of the wartime Yalta accords, which gave the Soviet Union a free hand in Eastern Europe and the United Nations Charter, led to

the move to amend the Constitution.

During their 25-minute conversation, large parts of which are impossible to decipher, Eisenhower tells George that letters from supporters of the amendment argue that if adopted "we'll have no more Yaltas."

"When you come right down to it," said Eisenhower "there is nothing in the Constitution that could have prevented Yalta."

George agreed, saying "it comes right back down to good common sense."

The president opened the conversation by expressing his appreciation for "how willing you are to work with me." Then he came to the point "What I wanted to talk you about a little bit was this confounded Bricker Amendment."

The Georgia senator said he believed that something "should be done but I don't believe Senator Bricker has the answer in anything he has proposed."

*'almost an egomaniac in his beliefs in his own wisdom'*

— President Eisenhower, on Franklin D. Roosevelt



President Clinton greets professional golfer Greg Norman Thursday night in Hobe Sound, Fla. He spent the night at Norman's home and was scheduled to play in a charity tournament.

## Clinton hits it off with golfer Norman

Many relationships are formed on the golf course and that's where President Clinton and Greg Norman struck up the friendship that brought Clinton to Norman's Florida home — and landed him in the hospital with a knee injury.

The two men first met in November when the president went to Australia on a post-election vacation and Norman returned to his homeland to play in the Australian Open.

Clinton, an avid golfer, said several times before the trip that he would love to play with Norman during his vacation. Norman picked up on the hint.

"We had a great time," Norman said last week. "I really have a lot of admiration for the man as a man."

Norman said his friendship with Clinton was more of a guy thing than a shared sense of politics.

"I didn't know the president prior to that time of playing golf with him," Norman said. "I had drawn a conclusion, which was an incorrect conclusion, until I met him. But we had a great time. We enjoyed it, so much so that we communicate almost on a weekly basis."

Clinton was leaving Norman's home at Hobe Sound on the east coast of Florida when he stumbled on the stairs early Friday and tore a tendon in his knee, requiring surgery.

"I was glad that I was there, along with a Secret Service agent, to break his fall. It happened so quickly," Norman said in a statement.

Norman said he saw Clinton off later in the morning. "He was in great spirits and we talked about rescheduling our golf

game," the golfer said.

The president was in Hobe Sound to play in a charity membership tournament sponsored by Norman at his home course, The Medalist. Clinton was spending the night at Norman's 80-acre ocean-side estate.

"I think he's a real man's man," Norman said of Clinton. "I think he wears his heart on his sleeve. He likes to sit down and just have a good chat, like any one of us would like to sit down and have a good old chat."

Norman and Clinton probably hit it off because they shared a few other things beside golf. Norman, 42, is a baby boomer like Clinton, and both are charismatic men who can charm a crowd.

"He grabs your attention when he walks in the room," Norman said. "And there's only a few people who have ever done that to me, like Nelson Mandela, George Bush was one. Seve Ballesteros is like that."

Norman is the world's No. 1-ranked golfer but is known more for opportunities squandered in major tournaments than his two British Open victories. He captured the hearts of golfers everywhere last year when the way he handled his disappointment after blowing a six-stroke lead in the final round of the Masters.

Clinton referred to that blown lead repeatedly during his reelection campaign, constantly cautioning aides who pointed to his big lead in the polls with the words: "Greg Norman."

Norman, who considers Clinton's golf game "pretty good for the lack of time he gets to play," said he hasn't been invited to spend a night in the Lincoln Bedroom.

"I'm a Republican," Norman said.

## Higher fees greet visitors to reopened Yosemite

YOSEMITE NATIONAL PARK, Calif. (AP) — Yosemite National Park reopened Friday, 2 1/2 months after New Year's floods swamped lodges, campgrounds, and trails and forced the longest shutdown in the park's 107-year history.

Though there is still much work left to be done, the Yosemite Valley at the heart of the park was back in business, and its majestic waterfalls and granite cliffs were back on display.

"It's awe-inspiring," said Nancy Ashline of Boone, N.C., who was among the first visitors after the reopening. "Words

can't describe how beautiful this is."

She was greeted by a big increase in the entrance fee to one of the nation's most popular tourist spots. Admission is now \$20, up from \$5. The National Park Service raised fees in January but delayed implementing the increase at Yosemite until the valley reopened.

Some services had already been restored, including the popular Badger Pass area for cross-country skiing. Others will remain closed for the rest of the year, including rafting trips on the Merced River and horse-riding on trails yet to be repaired.

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**Yeltsin: NATO dispute will top summit agenda**

**MOSCOW** — President Boris Yeltsin said Friday the dispute over NATO's expansion would be the top issue at next week's summit with President Clinton, and the talks would be his "most difficult" ever with an American leader.

Clinton and Yeltsin have met regularly in recent years and have a warm relationship, but the Russian leader said he would lay out his objections to a plan bringing former Soviet bloc nations in Eastern Europe into NATO.

"What the Americans are proposing — moving conventional weapons to the territory of Eastern Europe — would amount to a 'coldon sanitarium' around Russia," Yeltsin said. "We won't go along with that."

"We are not going to make concessions that would weaken our country's defense capacity," Yeltsin told Russian journalists.

**China close to solving Korean defector case**

**BEIJING** — Chinese Premier Li Peng indicated Friday that negotiators were close to determining what to do with a high-ranking North Korean official who defected to the South Korean consulate.

Huang Jang Yop and an aide have been held up in the consulate since Feb. 12, with armed Chinese police guarding their safety around the clock. The streets and armed personnel carriers are parked nearby.

The defense minister put troops on alert to prevent possible violence, according to television reports.

The United Nations' General Assembly warned Israel on Thursday against building the 6,500-apartment project. But Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu said he was "more determined than ever" to go ahead with the project.

**Lebed slams Yeltsin to new party's congress**

**MOSCOW** — Declaring his ambition to rule Russia, former general Alexander Lebed said Friday the country's current leadership was "corrupt and failing."

"We're creating a party of confidence, order and truth today, and we must turn it into a party of truthful and honest power tomorrow," Lebed told the founding congress of his Russian People's Republican Party. "Our main task is to come to power in a legitimate way."

Lebed, who finished third in last year's presidential election, is the most popular politician in Russia today, according to recent public opinion polls. The next presidential elections are not planned until 2000.

**Israelis mourn girls slain during field trip**

**BEIT SHEMESH, Israel** — Schoolgirls in this small town prayed, clung to each other and wept Friday, seeking solace after seven classmates were shot to death on a field trip to the Jordan River.

About 1,000 girls at the Fiers School read from the Book of Psalms during a memorial service for their eighth-grade friends, who were gunned down by a Jordanian soldier.

After the assembly, the students split into small groups for psychological counseling. "The most important thing is to be together," said teacher Zohara Menzigi.

The shooting occurred Thursday morning when Ahmed Mousa Daqanech, a soldier manning a guard post on the Jordan River island of Naharayim, suddenly grabbed another soldier's assault rifle and opened fire on the group of about 40 students.

**Israel nears clash with Palestinians**

**JERUSALEM (AP)** — Israel moved a step closer to violent confrontation with the Palestinians Friday, saying it will begin building a new Jewish neighborhood in east Jerusalem next week.

Israel's 18 Cabinet ministers voted unanimously to go ahead with the project, despite a warning from the chief of military intelligence that Palestinian protests would erupt the moment construction begins.

The defense minister put troops on alert to prevent possible violence, according to television reports.

The United Nations' General Assembly warned Israel on Thursday against building the 6,500-apartment project. But Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu said he was "more determined than ever" to go ahead with the project.

"No government can allow itself to change its policy because of threats of violence," Netanyahu adviser David Bar-Ilan told The Associated Press. "Once a government yields to pressure, it will never be able to do anything unpopular again."

Bar-Ilan said Netanyahu asked each of the 18 ministers Friday to state their views on the project. "One speech after the other reaffirmed the necessity of doing it, this coming week," he said.

The Cabinet approval came only a day after a Jordanian soldier shot and killed seven Israeli schoolgirls on the border between the two countries. But gunman's relatives said he was mentally unstable and not politically motivated, but Israeli leaders blamed the incident in part on the growing tensions in the region.

**U.N. extends sanctions against Libya despite calls for lifting them**

**UNITED NATIONS (AP)** — The U.N. Security Council renewed sanctions against Libya for another 90 days Friday, despite Arab and African calls to lift the measures designed to force the Libyans to surrender suspects in the bombings of U.S. and French jetliners.

France joined the 14 other council members in agreeing to the extension, despite Libyan moves to cooperate with French investigators in the bombing of the French airliner.

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**Airline won't cross Atlantic with new 777s**

**LONDON** — British Airways has stopped using three new long-range Boeing 777 aircraft on flights across the Atlantic because of an engine problem, the airline said Friday.

Engineers had found metal fragments indicating excessive wear in a bearing. The airline expects repairs to be made this month.

Seattle-based Boeing deferred questions to General Electric, the engine-maker. Rick Kennedy, a GE spokesman in Cincinnati, said the problem was in a bearing in an accessory gearbox that connects to an auxiliary electrical system.

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## Beware those who bemoan the church

If you paid attention to some critics of U.S. Christianity, you might begin to believe the church was on its last legs.

In fact, I was surprised to read in the latest Promise Keepers brochure that some people in that fine organization believe the church is in trouble.



**FAITH TODAY**  
Clark Morphey

Just one line spoken by Dale Schlafer, national director for a giant rally to be held in Washington, D.C., this summer, told me a lot about the mentality of some Promise Keepers officials. See what you think.

"The church is in far worse condition than most of us dare to believe," Schlafer says.

One has to wonder how Schlafer knows the condition of Christian churches across the country — and the vast social service efforts made by denominations and Catholic dioceses — when he's shut up in his office planning the Washington, D.C., extravaganza.

I could show Schlafer a tiny church in the inner city of Minneapolis that does more for the poor than all Promise Keepers officials put together. St. Stephen's Catholic Church feeds hungry people every day and then puts them up in the church basement. It offers parenting classes for mothers and inexpensive day care, and it can arrange for free dental and health care. When people get in trouble, there's free legal advice available, too.

I know of other churches that strain their budgets in order to reach out to their neighborhoods with meaningful service. I know of an Iowa church that buys new coats for kids and gives them away. And in St. Paul, Minn., a bunch of churches working together as SPEAC (the St. Paul Ecumenical Alliance of Congregations) has asked the state government for \$60 million to clean up land in the city that has been polluted.

Can you imagine how many jobs that will create? Here at Habitat for Humanity, the faith-based organization that builds and rehabilitates houses? And that barely scratches the surface. Just think of the vast network of hospitals, counseling centers and chemical dependency units created by churches.

The problem with such para-church organizations as Promise Keepers is that they only have to do one thing. Promise Keepers, in contrast, only has to set up rallies for men. They have 20 big rallies a year, a bunch of smaller seminar events, and that's it. They can focus their attention like a beacon, and that's good.

But churches, big and small, have to take a shotgun approach to ministry. They have to send out all kinds of beacons looking for ones that work. And they are constantly evaluating, analyzing and reworking the programs they offer. Most congregations would love to be able to throw open their doors for huge celebrations and have thousands of people attend, as Promise Keepers does.

Another thing that troubles me about para-church organizations, particularly the successful ones as Promise Keepers, is the arrogance that begins to pile up as their successes mount. Promise Keepers is only five or six years old, and already it is telling us the church is in trouble. Presumably, the group has what it takes to fix what troubles the church.

I shudder at the thought of Promise Keepers moving into the church with solutions for what ails us. Suddenly Promise Keepers can save the world, and all we have to do is ask the group.

One of the fears among critics of Promise Keepers is that once the rallies and seminars begin to fade, they will be forced to become an organization that tries to influence politics in this country. We tell people that so far, there is not a hint of politicking in the organization.

But with this arrogance, asking us who knows when it might begin? Promise Keepers has been making a major contribution in our fractured world. Let's hope it continues those efforts.

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Stephen, played by Cory McClymonds, prays over street person Ivy, played by Ivy Harris. Ivy's friends, played by John Holt and Lonnie Hoshaw, scowl in the background.

## 'Miracle' steps onto Twin Falls stage

By H.R. Weisel  
Times-News correspondent

**KIMBERLY** — A gripping suspense holds audiences captive, as members of the Lighthouse Youth Theatre in Kimberly enact the drama "Miracle In The First Degree."

The play, written by Brian Nickens, youth pastor at Lighthouse Christian Fellowship, is based on the book of Revelation. The setting portrays the last days of the existence of the world as we know it.

The main character in the drama is Stephen, played by Cory McClymonds. Stephen is a young Christian gentleman, very zealous about his faith in God.

"He finds himself faced with expressing his beliefs in a hostile legal system, as he is the main suspect in what turns out to be a famous murder trial," Nickens explained. "He becomes a prisoner, wrongfully accused of murder. Some call him a murderer, some call him a saint. Relax. Big brother, commonly called a government, will decide."

As Stephen goes to trial, he faces Judge Nelson, played by Jessica Nelson, and realizes the judge is trying to remain neutral, but is faced with the dilemma of pleasing a one-world power structure that is not sympathetic toward Christian beliefs. The tense atmosphere in the courtroom increases as Kris Anderson, the prosecuting attorney played by Kris Nickens, shows he will stop at nothing to see that Stephen is convicted of murder.

The evidence presented and the testimony of witnesses leave little hope of

**For more information**  
"Miracle in the First Degree" will be presented at 8 p.m. Friday and at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 22 at Lighthouse Christian Fellowship, housed in the former KJLX radio station at 2831 N. 3500 E., Kimberly. Admission is free. The public is invited. For more information, call 423-4646 or 324-7039. Or fax 423-4932. Lighthouse Christian Fellowship's youth group meets at 7 p.m. Wednesdays and 9 and 11 a.m. Sundays.

an acquittal, a problem faced by defending attorney Matthew Trent, played by Matt Eaton, as he faces insurmountable odds.

Another main character is Nick the news vendor, played by Nick McCallin. Ivy Freeman takes the part of Ivy Harris, a homeless street person. Her friend John is played by John Holt. John's girlfriend, Mary, is played by Lonnie Hoshaw.

There are more than 25 actors and actresses in the drama.

About 75 young people, ranging in age from 13 to 17, come from Buhl, Jerome, Twin Falls and Kimberly to attend the Lighthouse youth group. So there are lots of people involved in the play.

Though Nickens penned the drama, Susan Hatch, assisted by Kim Skeen, wrote the script. Hilber Nelson is the set designer. Nickens and members of his youth group produced and recorded a soundtrack as background for the play.

Pastor Nickens wouldn't reveal the ending of the dramatic production.

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## Professor: Document may contain Jesus' words

Other scholars express skepticism over document

The Associated Press

**KANSAS CITY, Mo.** — Fragments of an ancient manuscript contain writings from early Christian communities — conceivably including lost statements of Jesus, a professor said Wednesday.

It's nearly impossible to establish whether the text contains the actual words of Christ, said Paul Mirecki, an associate professor of religious studies at the University of Kansas in Lawrence, Kan. "It can't be proven or disproven," Mirecki said in a telephone interview. "What we do know is that all this came from early Christian communities."

Mirecki said the writings in the 12 to 15 pages of badly damaged papyrus fragments are similar to those in the Book of John, which also contain much dialogue between Jesus and his disciples.

But the text contains sayings previously unknown, and it reflects the world view of its Gnostic authors, a Christian minority group that placed a strong emphasis on the spiritual rather than the material world.

Mirecki said one passage includes this advice from Jesus to his disciples: "I have overcome, so do not let the world overcome you." He said the Book of John also contains many passages about overcoming the world.

The manuscript was found in Egypt and stored in Berlin's Egyptian Museum, where Mirecki says he uncovered it in 1991. The text is written in Coptic, an ancient Egyptian language that uses Greek letters.

He is translating the text with another profes-



Paul Mirecki  
Translating ancient manuscript

or and they plan to publish a book this summer.

Hershel Shanks, editor of Biblical Archaeology Review in Washington, D.C., said claims of discovered lost gospels are common.

"There are a number of these late Apocryphal gospels, and some of them do come from Egypt, so it wouldn't be shocking to learn of the discovery of another one," he said

Wednesday. Some scholars contacted by The Associated Press said they were skeptical because Mirecki has not shared the text with others in the field.

"If (Mirecki's claims) were true, New Testament circles would be buzzing for months. Everyone would know about it," said Eric Meyers, a Duke University professor who specializes in archaeology of early Palestine.

Mirecki said the manuscript was copied by a scribe in the fourth or fifth century; its contents were about two to three centuries old at that time.

The professor said that when he encountered the manuscript in 1991, he first thought it was merely a book of sermons that quoted the gospels. But two years later, he changed his mind.



A papyrus page of a manuscript found in Egypt is shown at Berlin's Egyptian Museum. Paul Mirecki, an associate professor of religious studies at the University of Kansas, says he has found lost statements attributed to Jesus.

## Indian-born convert succeeds Mother Teresa

The Associated Press

**CALCUTTA, India** — An ailing Mother Teresa handed over her global mission Thursday to an Indian-born nun who converted to Roman Catholicism after being inspired by the works of the Nobel laureate.

Sister Nirmala, born of a priestly Hindu caste, was selected by a conclave of 120 nuns who deliberated for eight weeks before reaching a consensus.

"Now I am happy," said Mother Teresa, 86, who guided the mission for half a century. "Fray, so that she can continue God's work."

Sister Nirmala, now known as Mother Nirmala, immediately became head of the Missionaries of Charity, which has more than 4,000 nuns and runs 517 orphanages, homes for the poor, AIDS hospices and other charity centers around the world.

"I am in dreamland right now," the 63-year-old nun said. "It's a big responsibility."

Mother Teresa and her successor appeared on the second-floor balcony of Mother House, the mission's headquarters in downtown Calcutta. Behind them a cloth banner proclaimed: "We love our dearest Mother, Nirmala."



Mother Teresa, left, along with the newly elected Superior General Sister Nirmala are seen at the Missionaries of Charity in Calcutta on Thursday.

Thursday's election is unlikely to change the character of the order. However, Mother Nirmala will have to work hard to get the access to world

leaders that helped Mother Teresa, winner of the 1979 Nobel Peace Prize for her work with the poor, raise millions of dollars.

She was not among the leading candidates for the position, one of the most visible in the Roman Catholic church outside the Vatican, and few people outside the group even could identify her.

But she was one of the first nuns to head a foreign mission, running posts in Panama, Europe and Washington, D.C., according to Father Edward Le Joly, a Jesuit priest who is close to the order.

Pope John Paul II had advised the nuns that they should be led by a woman of deep spirituality, which may have steered the conclave away from candidates with more administrative experience, Le Joly said.

Born Nirmala Joshi into a family of Brahmins, the traditional Hindu priestly caste, Mother Nirmala is the daughter of an Indian army officer, who reportedly emigrated from neighboring Nepal.

Mother Teresa had said she no longer wanted to lead the order because she was too ill. She underwent an angioplasty to remove blockages from arteries last year after a mild heart attack. A persistent lung infection and kidney problems have impeded her ailing recovery.

While still frail, she is likely to remain an influential voice.





RELIGION

# Family ties still remain strong among LDS Church's hierarchy

*'I question very much whether He (God) approves of it. It is nepotism in the strongest kind since the days of President Brigham Young.'*

— former church authority  
J. Golden Kimball,  
writing in 1903 about  
church President Joseph  
F. Smith naming another  
Smith as an apostle.

Hinkley's grandfather also settled a remote pioneer way station of Cove Fort, in central Utah under the direction of former Mormon Church President Brigham Young.

While the intricate kinship and marriage connections may smack of nepotism to some, Quinn sees the family ties as a logical extension of Mormon theology and as a stability and continuity at the top.

Since its founding in 1830, the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints has made establishing links with relatives, past and present, a top priority. Mormons believe it is their responsibility to

save their dead ancestors, as well as themselves.

To accomplish the task, the church has established the world's largest repository of genealogical records and built 50 temples around the world, where they perform baptisms, marriages and other ordinances that they believe are necessary for themselves and their ancestors to return to God.

But Quinn, a former Mormon, said that despite the theological underpinnings, kinship is not the primary criterion when a church president, revered by members as a prophet, makes the final call.

"In terms of how leadership defines itself, personal worthiness and God's will are the overriding factors," he said.

Church spokesman Don LeFevre agreed, although he ruled out family connections altogether.

"Whether or not one is related to a general authority is not a factor," LeFevre said.

Still, some Mormon leaders over the years have hesitated appointing a member of their own family to a position of authority. But that didn't always stop the practice that sometimes generated grumblings.

"I question very much whether He (God) approves of it," wrote former church authority J. Golden Kimball about church President Joseph F. Smith naming another Smith as an apostle in 1903. "It is nepotism in the strongest kind since the days of President Brigham Young."

Yet Kimball also expressed disappointment that his own relatives were not named apostles.



A group of nine nuns stop to pray opposite a station of the cross on the Via Dolorosa, outside a souvenir shop in Jerusalem last year. Many Christians living in the Jerusalem area feel the hundreds of thousands of their brethren who come as tourists cast year year attention to their plight.

## 'Living Stones' of Christianity disappearing from Holy Land

**BET SAHOUR, West Bank (AP)** — For 2,000 years, her people have lived and worshipped in the land where Jesus was born. But Norma Budreh, one of the last of Christianity's "living stones," has come to a sad conclusion: The Holy Land no longer has a place for them.

"In the long run, you will not find any Christian in this country. All of us will leave," she says. "The Christ used to do miracles to help people. But we cannot do these miracles. We are suffering."

For Budreh, troubles seem endless. She talks of her brother, tortured in a Jerusalem prison in 1979 for driving a Volkswagen that looked like one used by terrorists. Of her husband, Elias, his lumber business shut down by Israeli officials in the '80s because he joined a tax revolt against the government. Of her sons, unable to find work because recent border closings keep the family confined to a devastated area.

She pleads with a visitor for help in getting her sons to the United States. Already, her parents and five brothers have emigrated to Honduras.

Palestinian Christians are fleeing the Holy Land in such numbers that they may be an insignif-

icant presence by the end of the millennium. Already, they have been reduced to a small minority in growing cities like Jerusalem and Bethlehem, where they were the majority earlier this century.

In 1948, Christians were 10 percent of the population of the Holy Land, according to Bethlehem University sociologist Bernard Sabella. He puts the number today at only 2 percent for the region stretching from the Gaza Strip to the West Bank to the Lebanon border. Massive emigration has kept the total number of Christians in the region at 150,000 to 180,000, about the same as it was in 1948, drowning them in a sea of exploding Palestinian Muslim and Jewish population growth.

Before the 1967 war, Sabella says, Christians were leaving at a yearly rate of 7.8 percent — already a high number. By 1988, he says, the rate had nearly tripled to 18.7 percent. The rate of emigration continues to rise.

Like the early Christians, who were persecuted by both Roman and Jewish sects, the "living stones" are trapped between the hammer and anvil of two powerful forces.

The hammer is Israel, whose Palestinian policies do not distin-

guish between Muslim and Christian in limiting access to jobs, schools, places of worship and the right to travel. The anvil is Islam, and fears about how the Muslim majority will treat the Christian minority when Palestine gains self-rule.

So the Christians continue to leave. Already, more Bethlehem Christians live in North America than in Bethlehem. Those who remain feel abandoned by their Christian brethren in the West. World Jewry is devoted to Israel. Arab countries take up the cause of Palestinian Muslims.

Officially, the massive Christian emigration does not exist.

Find me one Christian who has left, challenges Uri Mor, director of the Religious Affairs Ministry office that deals with Christians.

There are about 10,000 Christians left among the 600,000 residents of Jerusalem. At Israel's founding in 1948, when the city held about 100,000 Jews and 40,000 Muslims, there were three times as many Christians in Jerusalem as there are today, according to the Rev. Thomas F. Strassky, director of the Tanitar Ecumenical Institute. The Greek Orthodox alone has dropped from 21,000 members in 1948 to about 3,000 in the holy city.

**SALT LAKE CITY (AP)** — A gathering of the Mormon Church's hierarchy in the early 1930s could have been mistaken for a family reunion, with 72 percent of them related through blood or marriage.

The family ties were the result of a religion stressing kinship and practicing polygamy in the late 19th century, when the vast majority of Mormons lived in the West.

But despite the faith's abolition of polygamy more than 100 years ago and Mormonism's global expansion today, its top administration still resembles an extended family.

A study of family connections among the 12 members of the Mormon Church's hierarchy shows a blood or marriage relation among 72.3 percent, while all members of the church's governing First Presidency and Council of Twelve Apostles have a familial link going back five generations.

"Family has been frequently stated as having a significant role when someone has been chosen to a position in the hierarchy," says historian D. Michael Quinn, whose study appears in his most recent book, "The Mormon Hierarchy: Extensions of Power."

In listing the family connections of current Mormon leaders, Quinn shows Mormon Church President Gordon B. Hinckley as a first cousin to an apostle and to a member of the church's Quorum of Seventy, a council once removed to another Severely member and to the wife of another

## Orthodox Jewish women addressing delicate issues of religion and feminism

**NEW YORK (AP)** — When Julia Frankston-Morris celebrates her bat mitzvah this November, she won't mark the rite of passage at a synagogue.

Instead, the 11-year-old will commemorate her journey into adulthood before members of a women's prayer group in Harrisburg, Pa. That's because she plans to read aloud from the Torah, something forbidden for women by most Orthodox Jewish congregations.

Marian Frankston recently brought her daughter to the first International Conference on Feminism and Orthodoxy "to see the sincerity and intensity" of Orthodox Jewish women who are seeking changes within their religious movement.

About 800 women — and some men — gathered at the Manhattan conference to address a very delicate issue: how women can carve out a more meaningful role in Judaism while adhering to traditional Jewish religious law, called "halacha."

"Feminism to me is a given. Orthodoxy to me is much the same way," said 19-year-old Tamar Berman, one of a growing number of young women studying Talmud, a compendium of Jewish thought. "I just feel very confused."

Orthodoxy is the strictest of the major streams of Judaism. While the Reform, Conservative and Reconstructionist movements have women rabbis, Orthodoxy forbids them. About 10 percent of the 5.5 million Jews in the United States are Orthodox.

A hot topic among Orthodox feminists is the women's tefillah, prayer groups for women that are sprouting throughout the country. The tefillah gives women an opportunity to read and study the Torah, the first five books of the Bible, in ways not allowed in traditional Orthodox congregations.

"In most Orthodox synagogues, the women's section could disappear and no one would notice," said Bat Sheva Marcus, who chairs the International Women's Tefillah Network.

In January, a Queens rabbinical association issued a controversial resolution banning the prayer groups. Many rabbis simply do not like the idea of women reading Torah, Marcus said.

And Rute Yair Nussbaum, a 30-year-old graduate student at New York University, said she feels left out each autumn during the holiday of Simchat Torah — rejoicing in the Torah — which involves dancing in synagogue with the sacred scroll.

In most congregations, only men are allowed to dance.

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## 'Conversations' has people talking

**The Orlando Sentinel**  
**MAITLAND, Fla.** — Neale Donald Walsch talks to God. But here's what has gotten people's attention: God, Walsch says, is talking back.

The Oregon writer's first book, "Conversations with God," has become a word-of-mouth best seller, climbing as high as No. 3 on the New York Times nonfiction list (it has now been on the list for 3 months). The Book of the Month Club tout it; actors Ellen Burstyn and Ed Asner alternate as the voice of God in the audio version; and 13 foreign editions are planned, including one for China.

A headline in Small Press magazine sums up the book's popularity: "God Talks, Mortals Buy." Observers of the publishing world have compared Walsch's book with James Redfield's "Celestine Prophecy," another spiritual-search title that became a publishing juggernaut in 1994-1996.

"The success has been a dizzying about-face for Walsch, 53. The former newspaper editor and radio talk host makes it clear he has no angle. Appearing at a recent lecture in Maitland, he

described a trail of four failed marriages, money woes and health problems. At one particularly low point in 1988 and '89, things were so bad he was living in a tent at a southern Oregon campsite.

He was at another low, he says, early one morning in 1992. He had just been fired from his job; his relationship was in a shambles. He woke up, restless and angry, picked up a legal pad and started scrawling questions: "Why can't I be happy?" "What have I done to deserve a life of such constant struggle?"

He was ready to quit when his hand remained poised above the paper, he says, as if suspended there. A new thought formed.

"Do you really want an answer to all these questions," said a voice in his head, "or are you just venting?"

Describing the moment, Walsch says he blinked and wrote a reply: "Both. I'm venting, sure, but if these questions have answers, I'd sure as hell like to hear them!"

The inner reply came: "You are just as hell ... about a lot of things. But wouldn't it be nice to be sure as Heaven?"

That was the beginning of his

conversations with God, Walsch says, although it took him a few months to think of them as such. Almost each day for three years the inner dialogue continued, and he kept writing.

The voice of God portrayed in Walsch's book — whom Walsch calls She as much as He — answers questions on a wide variety of subjects, including:

- Prayer: "The correct prayer is ... never a prayer of supplication but a prayer of gratitude."
- Death: "The greatest gift you can give the dying is to let them die in peace — not thinking that they must 'hang on,' or continue to suffer, or worry about you at this most crucial passage in their life."
- Resurrection: "It is difficult to believe there is still a question about it. There have been so many reports from thoroughly reliable sources of past life experiences."
- Hell: "Hell is the opposite of joy. But hell does not exist as this place that you have fantasized, where you burn in some everlasting fire, or exist in some state of everlasting torment."
- Humor: "Do you imagine that God does not enjoy a good laugh? ... I tell you, God invented humor."

## Brothers say hunting garb against beliefs

**The Associated Press**  
**KENTON, Ohio** — Two Amish brothers say they would rather wear prison garb than pay fines of \$50 each for refusing to wear orange clothing while hunting.

"We will not pay that fine," said Samuel Brontrager, 38, of Mount Victory. "We'd rather go to jail."

His brother, Joes, 29, added, "It looks like they don't want to understand our beliefs."

The Ohio Supreme Court has refused to hear the case.

The Brontragers belong to an Amish sect whose members have no cars, electricity, indoor plumbing or motorized farm equipment.

They said wearing bright colors is a sign of worldliness and their religion requires them to remain separate from the world.

A Hardin County Municipal judge in 1994 fined each \$50. The 3rd Ohio District Court of Appeals

ruled in October against the Brontragers, who appealed in December to the state Supreme Court.

The Brontragers could be sentenced to 90 days in jail for failing to pay the fine.

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Should commodity trading be tamed?

Industry ponders changing system

BOCA RATON, Fla. — In Chicago, a bell rings and pandemonium ensues. Across the Atlantic, London is the picture of civility.

Under the "open outcry" system pioneered in 1848, commodity traders at the Chicago Board of Trade yell, wave their hands, gesture with their fingers, wear loud clothes to get noticed, and fight for a choice spot in the trading pit. It's anarchic.

Now, with the rise of quiet, well-managed electronic trading in London and elsewhere in the world, the industry is talking about an end to doing business the Chicago way.

The issue was discussed and debated at the industry's annual gathering here, with some saying the old way is the best

way, and others ready to embrace the future.

"We can't have people scared of doing something that is a little bit different than the way they do things now," said John Damgard, president of the Futures Industry Association, sponsor of the meeting that ends Saturday.

The big argument for ending the frenetic open outcry system is the increasing use of electronic linkages that allow commodities to trade at any hour around the globe.

"Open outcry will eventually go the way of the dinosaur, but it's a very political issue, a very big economic issue for the people who hold seats on the exchanges and have a stake in it," said Mark Pitts, who trades for New Jersey-based Oaks Capital Management.

Supporters of open outcry say it is more flexible and faster than current electronic technology. But critics say that fraud can occur more readily under open outcry and that electronic trading is



Traders work in the Eurodollar pit at the Chicago Mercantile Exchange last fall. Under the current 'open outcry' system, traders at the Chicago Board of Trade yell, wave their hands, wear loud clothes to get noticed, and fight for a choice spot in the trading pits. The industry is considering a change.

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A whole new 'Money'

Notice anything different about the 'Money' section? We hope so, and we hope you like it. This week marks the debut of a completely redesigned report on stocks and mutual funds. It's designed to be more current and informative.

- Some new features include:
- A daily report on the Nasdaq National Market, as well as the New York Stock Exchange and American Stock Exchange reports that we've had in the past.
- A daily report on mutual funds.
- A handy "How To" box, to help newcomers to the market find and track their stocks.
- Expanded space for financial news and helpful tips on investing.

Also, we're now able to customize our market report to match reader interests. If you're interested in a stock or mutual fund that's not in our list, just call us and we'll try to include it. For those requests — or any other suggestions about improving the 'Money' report, please call Ramona Jones at 733-0931, Ext. 262.

Inflation fears ebb abruptly, helping stocks recover; Dow rises 56.57

The Associated Press

NEW YORK — The inflation pendulum swung back from the dark side Friday, helping stocks recapture a chunk of Thursday's heavy losses.

The Dow Jones industrial average, which tumbled 160 points on Thursday in its fifth-biggest point drop ever, rose 56.57 to 6,935.46, trimming the week's decline to 65.43.

Most broader measures also rebounded

some of the previous session's damage, but the Nasdaq composite index turned negative over the last hour as investors pulled more profits from the technology sector.

In stark contrast to Thursday's robust economic readings — which convinced many the Federal Reserve would soon raise interest rates to keep inflation tame — the Labor Department reported Friday morning that wholesale prices paid to farms and factories fell by 0.4

percent last month.

The unexpected decline in producer prices restored confidence that the economy's continued vigor needn't translate into accelerating inflation.

As bonds rebounded Friday morning, the yield on the 30-year Treasury bond, — a key determinant of corporate and consumer borrowing costs — fell as low as 6.91 percent before settling at about 6.94 percent. On Thursday, the yield jumped as high as 6.98 percent, threaten-

ing to touch 7 percent for the first time in nearly six months. The prospect of rapid inflation makes a fixed-income investment such as bonds less attractive, forcing down prices to improve their yield.

Advancing issues outnumbered decliners by a 4-to-3 margin on the New York Stock Exchange, where volume totaled 385.95 million shares at 4 p.m., down slightly from Thursday's price. The Standard & Poor's 500-stock list rose 3.61 to 793.17, the NYSE's compos-

ite index rose 1.83 to 417.70, and the American Stock Exchange composite index rose 2.45 to 600.47.

But the Nasdaq composite index dipped to 0.31 to 1,292.97, surrendering a better-than-8-point advance. The drop came despite a 478-point jump to 41 by software maker Oracle, which posted solid earnings after Thursday's close. Offsetting Oracle's gain were late pullbacks by Intel, down 3.26 to 137.78, and Dell Computer, down 2.18 to 70.18.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Table with columns: Name, Div, Last, Chg, % Chg. Lists various stocks like A.B.C., A.D.C., A.E.C., etc.

MARKET SUMMARY

Summary table with columns: NYSE, AMEX, NASDAQ. Includes Most Active, Gainers, Losers, and Diaries.

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HOW TO READ THE MARKET REVIEW

Here are the 525 most active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange, the 400 most active on the American Stock Exchange and the 100 most active on the American Stock Exchange. Mutual funds are listed in boldface in boldface if they changed 5 percent or more in price.

AMERICAN STOCK EXCHANGE

Large table with columns: Name, Div, Last, Chg, % Chg. Lists various American Stock Exchange stocks like A.B.C., A.D.C., A.E.C., etc.

Apple cuts to the core, laying off 7,200 and paring Macintosh line

SAN JOSE, Calif. (AP) — Apple Computer Inc. announced plans Friday to lay off 7,200 employees, or about 20 percent of its workforce, in a restructuring...

last five quarters, totaling \$936 million. Apple said the restructuring would cut into its bottom line this quarter by \$155 million...

While Apple still has big shares of the desktop publishing, Internet and education markets, Apple's share of the overall PC market fell from 7.9 percent to 5.2 percent over the past year...

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Resistance comes from people like Gerald Zusel, a commercial grain broker with E.D. & M International Inc., who prefers trading the pits of the Chicago Board of Trade...

screen might show that one person is offering to buy a million bushels of soybeans at \$8 a bushel. But in the pit, a trader might find that three people want to make such a deal...

Daniel Rappaport, the exchange's chief executive, said it is unlikely electronic trading will overtake open outcry in the next five to 10 years.

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Table listing closing futures prices for various commodities including Corn, Soybean, Wheat, and Oil. Columns include contract type, price, and change.

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Table listing soybean meal prices for various grades and quantities. Columns include grade, price, and change.

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Table listing wheat prices for different types and grades. Columns include type, price, and change.

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Table listing metal prices for various commodities like Aluminum, Copper, and Nickel. Columns include metal type, price, and change.

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Table listing livestock prices for cattle, hogs, and sheep. Columns include animal type, price, and change.

POTATOES/ONIONS

Table listing potato and onion prices for various grades and quantities. Columns include grade, price, and change.

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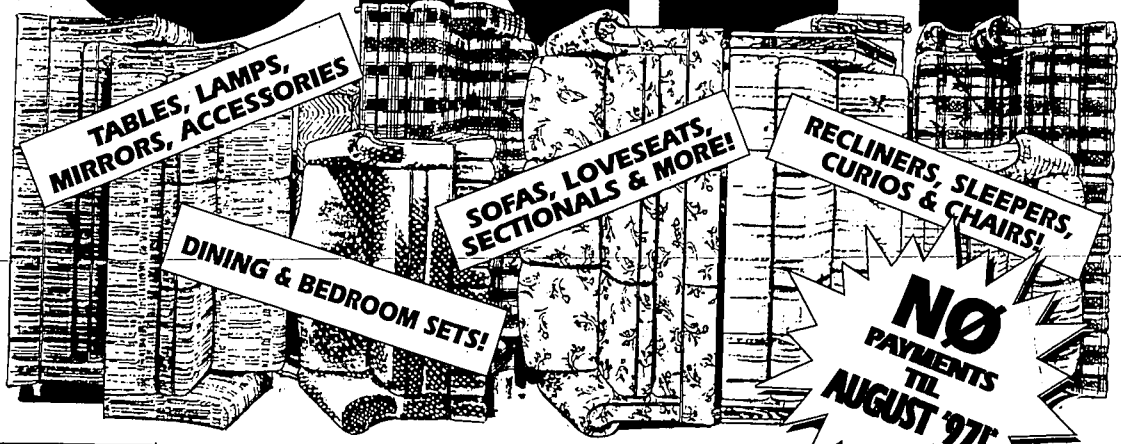
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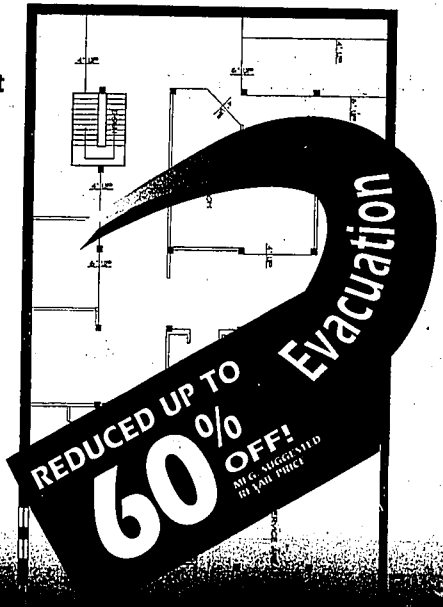
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### AROUND THE VALLEY

#### Mountain lion season closed in some areas

JEROME - The hunting season for mountain lions in Units 43, 44 and 49 has been closed because hunters have killed a third female in the area.

However, hunters can continue to chase lions with dogs inside the three units until March 31. Dog handlers must have valid hound-hunter's permits in their possession during the pursuit season.

According to the Idaho Department of Fish and Game, mountain lions cannot be killed during the pursuit season - even if the dogs are threatened, injured or killed. However, game warden can be understanding when the law is broken.

During the pursuit season in January 1996, a group of hound hunters chased a young mountain lion into a tree in Unit 49. The tree broke under the cat's weight and it fell into a pack of five dogs waiting below. The cat and dogs began fighting, and one of the houndsmen killed the lion with a .22-caliber pistol.

The houndsmen reported the incident, and Fish and Game responded with written warnings. No fines or citations were issued.

#### Snake River Valley Stock Dog Trial set March 22, 23

HAMMETT - The Snake River Valley Stock Dog Trial will be held March 22 and 23 at the Mile Shoe Ranch in Hammett, giving ranchers and dog handlers the opportunity to show their dogs and win prizes.

Contests will be divided into open, novice and special rancher classes. Class winners will receive sterling silver buckles for first place, and a leather dog collar with sterling silver prize plate for second. Cash prizes of \$1,000, \$500, \$250 and \$150 will be paid for open class, with novice class prizes of \$300, \$150 and \$100. Rancher class medals will be paid on a luck-of-the-draw basis.

The trial begins at 9 a.m. both days, with handler's meetings set for 8:45 p.m. Dogs will be worked on fresh cattle. Entries are limited and will close today. For more information, call Paul or Jessie Miller at 845-2505.

Spectators are invited; admission is free.

#### Book teaches how to get youths hooked on phonics

TWIN FALLS - Two first-grade teachers at LB Perrine Elementary School have published a book on how to teach spelling to kindergarten through second-grade students using a concept called "phonics."

Joan Parrish and Kenna Arrington published the book, "Spectacular Spelling," through their own publishing company, Finger Works Publications.

They started the book after attending a workshop on phonics two years ago and using its concepts in their classrooms. The workshop made phonics, an intensive drill of basic phonetic rules of the English language, the foundation of learning to read.

They say new teachers aren't offered intensive phonics training in college. Parrish and Arrington enhance the drills with colorful posters and hand-drawn graphics, art, board games and projects. They also train teachers at various school districts to teach intensive phonics.

They are planning two more books that will include more suggestions for classroom activities and how to teach phonics to third-graders. The books and materials are available at Harvey's Office Supply and Everybody's Business in Twin Falls and Burley and from Finger Works Publications at 734-3082.

#### Batt names Reinke head of juvenile justice council

TWIN FALLS - Gov. Phil Batt has appointed Twin Falls County Commissioner Brent Reinke head of the Region V Juvenile Justice Regional Council.


The council advises the governor and the Department of Juvenile Corrections.

Batt commended Reinke on his commitment and hard work in juvenile justice. Reinke is a member of the Juvenile Justice Task Force and co-chairman of Rural Child Abuse Program, and has worked with the Snake River Youth Center, Snake River Detention and the recent Safe Home Program.

Compiled from staff reports

**WANTED**  
in the Magic Valley

Name: Jasmine Mylena Barrett  
Age: about 20  
Description: 5 feet 2 inches, 110 pounds, brown hair, brown eyes, tattoo on left hand, dot with the name "Dot" tattoo on left ankle.  
Wanted on: Charges of felony grand theft.  
Last known location: Twin Falls, The Twin Falls County Sheriff's Department asks anyone with information on Barrett to call 736-4100.



## Neaces to be buried in Washington

### Memorial service planned for next week in Jerome

By Pat Marcantonio  
Times-News writer

JEROME - The three members of Neace family who died in an airplane crash last Friday will be buried in Washington state.

A memorial service will be held next week in Jerome, where the family lived and worked.

The bodies of Ken Neace, his wife, Judy and teen-age daughter Brandy were removed late Thursday after plane hit a mountain. The wreckage was located Wednesday.

The bodies were taken to Boise and then to Washington state, where relatives live, said the Rev. Bob Stebe of Jerome's First Presbyterian Church, which the Neaces attended.

The Neace's oldest son, Blake, is a student at

#### Memorial service

A memorial service for Ken, Judy and Brandy Neace of Jerome will be held at 4 p.m. Tuesday at the Jerome High School auditorium, said Ed Robertson from the Howe-Robertson Funeral Chapel.  
The Rev. Robert Stebe of the Jerome First Presbyterian Church will officiate.

Washington State University in Pullman, Wash., where the single-engine Piper Comanche was headed when it went down.

Their other son, Bryan, is a sophomore at Gonzaga University in Spokane, Wash.  
Working under a threatening ridge of snow, about one dozen county deputies, forest workers and volunteers removed the bodies at about 5 p.m. Thursday, Boise County Sheriff Bryan said.

At about 9 a.m., the crew landed by helicopter on a ridge above the wreck and walked about one-half mile to the crash site in snow 15 to 20 feet deep, he said. They dug through six feet of snow to reach the bodies, which were placed on sleds.

No recognizable structure of the aircraft remained because of its impact against the mountain, the sheriff adds.

"It was blown apart," he said.

However, the wreckage was not spread over a large area. When the workers were ready to leave, a snowstorm hit so they used snowmobiles to get the bodies out of the area, Brown said. Away from the site, a helicopter dropped a net to remove the family's personal belongings, including suitcases, clothing and ski equipment.

The experience was frightening because of the avalanche danger, he says.

"We had a no-fly zone because of the ridge," Brown said.

Among the crew were Boise and Valley County personnel, Forest Service workers and volunteers, said Brown, who along with Valley County Sheriff Tommy Rahe will prepare a report on the incident.

The National Safety Transportation Board also will investigate the cause of the crash and probably return to view the wreckage.

Times-News staff writer Pat Marcantonio can be reached at 733-0931, Ext. 242.

## Concerns over shelter unleashed at meeting

By Julie Casay Lynn  
Times-News correspondent

KETCHUM - Valley residents filled Ketchum's Old Town Hall Thursday to hear a report from the all-volunteer Wood River Animal Shelter board, embroiled in a dispute over management practices.

Area residents Rian Craig, Jerome and Marilyn Martin have accused the board of mismanagement. At the board's Jan. 28 annual meeting, they requested copies of shelter budgets, meeting minutes, financial records and the shelter bylaws.

Thursday, Rovnok accused the board of dragging its feet during the controversy. Board member Chris Haas disagreed, and said the board provided all the documents requested within three weeks. With emotions running high, board president Diane Amaral said the purpose of the meeting was to explain several points of concern, such as shelter adoption policy, capital improvements and the hiring of an executive director.

The board has worked hard to prepare a mission statement, has instituted monthly financial statements and a spy and neuter policy.

"We are trying to do the best job we know how to do," Amaral said.

The biggest bone of contention involves a recently hired executive director and shelter employees. Amaral said the board had been advised by attorney Terry Hogue not to publicly discuss personnel matters.

But the board first heard employees' concerns at the January annual meeting, board member Chris Haas said.

Amaral said the two board members have conducted private meetings with each of the employees to discuss grievances.

"I thought we were solving the problems, but apparently not," said Haas. Critics have questioned the board's decision to hire an executive director to coordinate fund-raising and oversee the shelter and the Animal Shelter Barkin Basement Thrift Store in Hailey.

Audience members complained that the position had only been advertised in the legal section of the Idaho Mountain Express, a local weekly newspaper, while money was spent to fly in potential candidates.

Haas countered that they had advertised in the help wanted sections of the Idaho Mountain Express, the Idaho Statesman and The Times-News. Candidates had been flown in, but such an interview process is not uncommon. The new executive director, Beth Brown, was hired Jan. 13.

"The board just didn't decide one day that we were going to hire and an executive director. We've discussed this for two years," Haas said.

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## Valley School Board allows citizens to have their say on properties

By H.R. Wolfel  
Times-News correspondent

EDEN - The Valley School Board will hear from voters before deciding the fate of Greenwood Park and two closed school buildings in the Eden/Hazelton area.

The board gave a group of local citizens 14 months to gather enough signatures for a proposal to be put on the May 1998 ballot to establish a Valley Parks and Recreation District. If approved, the district would administer recreation programs and maintain

the properties, said John Shobe, spokesman for the citizens group. He said 250 signatures would be required to put the issue on the ballot.

The School Board had put the three properties up for sale, but the fate of the eight acres that had been used as a park became an issue when neighbors and old-time residents said an agreement had been made - to be as long ago as 1928 - that the property always would remain a park.

Shobe is searching historical records of clubs and newspapers in an attempt to find something that

### IN CHARACTER



Recol Denny, left, dressed as Elizabeth Barrett Browning, discusses literature with Kimberly High School teacher Jon Albertson, dressed as a 'scop' - or bard - from the Old English epic poem "Beowulf," after reading works at the Old Towne Gallery Thursday night. About 10 people dressed as their favorite pre-1920 authors and read to an audience of about 20.

## Cat burglar on prowl in Shoshone

By Laura Huber  
Times-News correspondent

SHOSHONE - Many Shoshone residents are afraid of what one resident is calling Shoshone's cat burglars.

And after more than 20 burglaries, some residents say the city's police department isn't doing enough to solve the crimes - a claim police dispute. Ray Mitchell's elderly mother was asleep in her bed when burglars broke into her house. She has lived in Shoshone for more than 55 years and never had a problem until now.

She had placed her purse at the foot of her bed and covered it with her bedspread, and burglars found her purse.

Another resident, Ted Gore said burglars broke into his home twice. The first time burglars broke into Gore's home while he was sleeping, and stole a bill-

#### Reward fund

Some Shoshone residents have started a reward fund at First Security Bank, which stands at about \$240. Anyone wishing to contribute to the fund, may do so at any First Security Bank.

fold on his right hand next to his bed. When burglars broke into Shirley Faught's home, she and her husband were asleep.

"All they took was \$24," she said. "We were fortunate it was toward the end of the month."

A lot of older single women are frightened to stay by themselves, Faught said. That's why Mitchell and several other Shoshone residents went before the City Council and voiced their concerns about how the Shoshone Police

Department is doing their job. Mitchell believes the police didn't even dust for prints or look for other evidence.

"That isn't true, Police Chief Robert Quiroga said.

"We have recovered some evidence," he said. "I have to be evasive about what evidence we have collected because we don't want them to know what we have."

Mitchell also complains that the city isn't seeking additional help.

Quiroga said he asked for help in December 1996 from the Idaho Bureau of Investigations, and again last week, and has been promised help.

Angry citizens aren't waiting. They want to form a citizens' patrol; city leaders said they couldn't allow this, due to liability concerns. Residents

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## Speaker: Study of genetics has many benefits

By Melinda Gilbert  
Times-News correspondent

TWIN FALLS - Cloned sheep and transgenic quail might make the news, but University of Utah Medical School professor Lynn Jorde says the study of genetics already affects us in many other, not-so-publicized ways.

"Genetics is becoming more and more a part of our lives," Jorde said to a rapt audience Thursday night at the annual Snake River Symposium at the College

of Southern Idaho.

A professor and associate chairman of the medical school's Department of Human Genetics, Jorde spoke mainly on the medical importance of genetic studies. In particular, he focused on the Human Genome Project, a federally funded research effort dedicated to identifying and mapping all human genes.

"Finding these genes, figuring out what they do, can help us better understand disease ... and possibly treat and

prevent it in the future," Jorde said.

Of course, some gene therapy is already in use. Jorde cited the use of recombinant DNA, a process by which a human gene is inserted into the DNA of a live bacterium or virus, to produce a human growth hormone. A treatment for cystic fibrosis using recombinant DNA now is being tested. He also mentioned the possibility of actually replacing defective genes in humans.

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## when there will be an election.

The school district has been funding maintenance and grounds keeping at the three locations.

If voters in Eden and Hazelton decide they want a park and recreation district, it could be funded initially by a federal grant; then the cost for district operation would have to come from property taxes.

Shobe said he didn't know how much the district would cost, nor is there assurance a federal grant would be approved.

"We need to do something with these properties to be cost-effective - sell or put them up for salvage," Superintendent Arlyn Bodily said.

"The School Board has been very fair and is working with seven or eight people who came to us wanting to form a recreation district. Everything is on hold until May 1998

when there will be an election."

Shobe said he didn't know how much the district would cost, nor is there assurance a federal grant would be approved.

"We have to work on that," he said.



MAGIC VALLEY

Delayed \$2-a-week tax break for married couples clears Senate

BOISE (AP) — A maximum \$2-a-week tax break for married couples that advocates say will help keep Idaho families together cleared the state Senate Friday.

The action came despite warnings the tax break's overall cost will further undermine state education aid.

"It goes in the pockets of primarily young married couples just starting out," Republican Evan Frasure of Pocatello said. "If you look at the social costs of breaking up families, and it is absolutely devastating, you look at the advantage of maintaining families. It's impressive."

"Anything I can do to encourage families, I'm going to do it," Frasure declared. The Senate voted 26-8 to elim-



inate the so-called marriage penalty in the state income tax over four years beginning with the 1999 tax year. More than 150,000 married couples would get the break.

The bill now goes back to the House for ratification of a year delay in implementing the phase-in for the tax break.

But the bill's prospects with Gov. Phil Batt were uncertain because of its price tag — \$4.5 million in the 1999-2000 state

budget and \$12 million a year overall when policy makers are worried that Idaho's slowing economic expansion might actually stall.

"I have a strong concern in that direction," he said.

Lawmakers spent most of the past 10 weeks cutting millions of dollars from the state's already bare bones 1998 spending blueprint for fear that tax collections would not be enough to finance it. The exercise also may have created enough leeway to get the state past the 1998 election before a general tax increase has to be considered.

The governor had called for eliminating the penalty in his State of the State address. But he proposed reducing the standard deduction for single tax-

'Anything I can do to encourage families, I'm going to do it.'

— Sen. Evan Frasure, R-Pocatello

payers and raising the deduction married couples get until the two were equal so there would be no effect on total tax collections.

The entire scheme was more symbolic than meaningful to individual taxpayers, since impact on any return would be less than \$50 a year either way.

But raising taxes, even mar-

ried, on single taxpayers was unacceptable to lawmakers. Instead, Rep. Dan Mader, R-Lewiston, proposed to phase out the discrepancy of \$1,300 by simply raising the married standard deduction to the single taxpayer level over several years.

In an effort to compromise, the start of the phase-in was put off until the 1999 tax year. The state's top leaders and financial chairman said that only puts off taking millions more dollars out of a state revenue stream that already is inadequate to meet demands for schools, prisons and other programs.

"We're looking at a very good bill that should be enacted, but we can't afford it," tax-writing chairman Jerry Thorne of

Nampa said. Senate President Pro Tem Jerry Twigg of Blackfoot said that with the state always budgeting to the last possible dime of estimated revenue, cutting out even a few million dollars means aid to education comes up short of targets.

"I would just as soon pay the tax and put the money in education," Twigg said.

But he and Thorne were joined only by Republicans Atwell Parry of Melba, Judi Danielson of Council, Robbi King of Jimmie Ferry, and Laird Noh of Kimberly, and by Democrats Marguerite McLaughlin of Orofino and Betsy Dunklin of Boise. Republican Darrell Deide of Caldwell did not vote.

FOR THE RECORD

The Times-News

Minidoka County

RUPERT — Recent activity in 5th District Court in Minidoka County included:

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of the Magistrate Judge Larry R. Duff. ... Plaintiff: ... Defendant: ...

check clerk, Magistrate Judge Larry R. Duff. ... Plaintiff: ... Defendant: ...

Exhibition in works on wreckage of ship carrying Mormon passengers

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Archaeologists are preparing an exhibit of artifacts recovered from the wreckage of the Julia Ann, a ship that broke apart on a coral reef in 1855 while carrying a group of Mormon immigrants.

Paul Hundley, curator of the USA Gallery at the Australian National Maritime Museum, has been researching the crash for two years and told reporters here on Wednesday that he believes the team has found the site where the ship ran aground.

The Julia Ann was carrying the immigrants and other passengers from Australia to San Francisco before it smashed into the reef about 400 miles from Tahiti during a violent storm on the evening of Oct. 2, 1855.

The archeologists have found an anchor, rigging, ballast and some of the 350 tons of coal the ship was transporting. The items will be displayed at the Australian Museum next year and may tour Utah and the West Coast.

Hundley said that over time, powerful waves and frequent storms scattered the wreckage across several hundred meters.

The crewman on watch at the time of the wreck was nearsighted and had forgotten his glasses, Hundley said. During the time he left his watch to retrieve his glasses, the ship col-

lided with the coral reef.

In the hours surrounding the wreck, two women and three children, all of whom were among the Mormon immigrants, were killed when waves washed over the ship and swept them away. Hundley said there is no indication their bodies were ever found.

The other 36 passengers, including 23 Mormons, were transported off the boat by a rope harness attached to the reef. They lived on the nearby island of Sully for two months, before the crew could repair the ship's row boat to make the three-day, 250-mile journey to Born Bora for help.

The crew returned with a rescue boat that took the remaining passengers to Tahiti where they stayed for a year. Some conducted missionary work among the natives.

Eventually, they made their way to San Francisco and, with the exception of one family, moved on to Utah — their original destination. Hundley estimates 18 of the original 38 passengers eventually moved to Utah.

He said most of the passengers were paper makers, millers and farmers.

"They were very common people, and they were carrying out the call to come back to Salt Lake

City," said Hundley, who is not a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

Hundley — who has searched through wreckage of more than a dozen ships, mostly in the United States — first became interested in the Julia Ann wreck two years ago when a rare book dealer came across a copy of "Narrative of the Wreck of the Barque Julia Ann." The book consists of letters and journal entries by Captain Benjamin Franklin Pond during the stay on the island.

Hundley hopes to return to the site to investigate reports that a large part of the ship had been found by an earlier expedition in shallow water around the reef.

"There's a possibility that there's 45-feet of the ship that has timber, cargo, coal and possibly personal possessions in the area we haven't surveyed," he said.

Initially, Hundley was fascinated by the historical and commercial importance of the Julia Ann, but soon his interest turned to the Mormon migration.

"It's important because the Julia Ann played a significant role in the Australian-American relationship," he said. "It was a very exciting period of time of the California gold rush followed by the Australian gold rush. It was boom times on both sides of the Pacific."

DEATH NOTICES

Edris G. Erickson

ALMO — Edris Glenn Erickson, 87, of Las Vegas, Nev., and formerly of Almo, died Tuesday, March 11, 1997, at the Lake Mead Hospital in Las Vegas.

The funeral will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the Almo LDS Ward Chapel. Burial will be at the Sunny Cedar Rest Cemetery in Almo. Friends may call from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at the Payne Mortuary, 221 W. Main St. in Burley and from noon to 12:45 p.m. before the funeral on Wednesday at the church. A complete obituary will appear at a later date.

Rosenkrantz Sr., 84, of Mackay, died Thursday, March 13, 1997, at his home.

A vigil service will be held at 7:30 p.m. Sunday at the Marvel Memorial Chapel in Arco. The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Monday at the Mackay High School civic auditorium.

Rex Lee Martin TWIN FALLS — Rex Lee

Martin, 18, of Twin Falls, died Friday, March 14, 1997, at his home.

The funeral will be held at 1 p.m. Tuesday at the Twin Falls LDS 6th Ward Church, 667 Harrison, with Bishop G.J. Stanger officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of White Mortuary in Twin Falls. A complete obituary will appear at a later date.

Edith Peters

BURLEY — Edith Peters, 92, of Burley, died Friday, March 14, 1997, at Mays County Living Center in Rupert.

Arrangements are pending and will be announced by Payne Mortuary in Burley.

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John T. Rosenkrantz Sr.

MACKAY — John Theodore

Gertrude Burnett Flanagan, of Twin Falls, memorial service, 2

p.m. today, Dowling Chapel, Hamilton, Mont. (White Mortuary & Crematory in Twin Falls).

Mackay, died Friday, March 14, 1997, at Mays County Living Center in Rupert.

Arrangements are pending and will be announced by Payne Mortuary in Burley.

SERVICES

Sterling Edwin Clark, of Twin Falls, memorial service, 11 a.m. today, Reynolds Funeral Chapel, Twin Falls.

Rudolph Peterson, of Buhl, 2 p.m. today, First Presbyterian Church, Buhl. (Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl).

HOSPITALS

MAGIC VALLEY REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

Some names are omitted at patients' request.

Released Martha Nicolas and Janet Ortiz, both of Burley; Lillian Didler of Heyburn; Julie Jensen of Boise; and William Sullivan of Oakley.

Admitted Walter Parrin of Buhl.

Births A baby was born to Monte and Dolly Quast of Burley; and Jose and Rosa Palomares of Heyburn.

MINIDOKA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Some names are omitted at patients' request.

Released Andrea Falconburg of Twin Falls; Lemuel Rice of Buhl; Wayne Joslin of Filer; and Teresa Chapman of Hagerman.

Admitted Gertrude Hatcher and Mildred Rippy, both of Burley; and Jean Facer and Lewis Jones, both of Rupert.

Released Lewis Jones, Jean Facer and Carolee Prince and baby girl, all of Rupert.

CASSIA REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

Admitted Cleao McBride, Dolly Quast and Ralph Russmussen, all of Burley; and Rosa Palomares of Heyburn.

OBITUARIES

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

TWIN FALLS

Francis Roy Corey

Francis Roy Corey, 74, of Twin Falls, died Thursday, March 13, 1997, at his home.

Francis was born Jan. 6, 1923, in Kansas, to Lynn and Lena Griffith Corey. He married Virginia Anderson on Jan. 22, 1973, in Elko, Nev. He was an Army veteran and served in World War I. After the war, he returned to Idaho where he farmed in the Jerome area for many years. He was employed by and retired from the Twin Falls Canal Company in 1996, after 25 years of service.

His greatest loves were camping and fishing. He was a very gentle person with always a good word for everyone. He will be missed by all. Survivors include his wife, Virginia; children, Larry Corey, Don

Leslie S. Holm

Leslie S. Holm, 73, of Livermore, Calif., died Thursday, March 13, 1997, at Livermore.

He was born April 5, 1923. He was in the U.S. Marines and served in World War II. He was a cattle rancher in Livermore and the Salmon River Cattlemen's Association.

He is survived by his wife of 52 years, Lois Holm of Livermore; two sons, Robert Holm of Livermore and Thomas Holm of Ohio; and five grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at 4 p.m. Tuesday, March 18, 1997, at Callaghan Mortuary, 3833 East Ave. in Livermore. Memorial contributions may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

Panguitch has oddest town name in Utah, according to author who's never been there

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Lobbying for La Verkin or campaigning for Koosharem won't do any good. The decision is in, the envelope opened.

Panguitch owns Utah's oddest name.

So says Neil Swanson, though he acknowledges he never has visited the Garfield County hamlet.

And why should you take the word of a 78-year-old retired miner from Nevada, Mo., someone who wouldn't know a Lyndyrd from a Levan or a Bicknell from a Blanding?

Good question. Even Swanson says so.

"If someone else had done the picking, probably most of the names would be different from mine," he concedes.

But someone else did not spend two years of his spare time picking through U.S. atlases, making lists of peculiar city names and researching their histories.

Swanson did, and the result is Odd & Peculiar, in more ways than one. It's the title of his new book, which traces origins of the nation's strangest city names, one for each state (two in the four states where he could not make up his mind).

He searched for communities with unusual names that had good stories to go with them. He found plenty of unique places, from Ninety Six, S.C., and What Cheer, Iowa, to Uz, Ky., and Zap, N.D.

In fact, the book gets its name from two of those places — Odd,

W.Va., and Peculiar, Mo. As Swanson says, that's better than naming a book for Nameless, Tenn.

Swanson made an exception to his informal criteria when it came to Utah. He tried not to choose cities with American Indian names, figuring they wouldn't be odd to the people who named them.

But he chose Panguitch, anyway. The name is derived from the Paiute words for "water" and "fish," which Swanson decided was unusual in naming a town in any language.

"The fishing must be awful good in that lake," he said.

OK, he's the expert. Panguitch is a distinctive name. And not many towns are named for fish. Who can quibble?

Panguitchites can. "It doesn't seem peculiar at all to me," said Karen Swanger as she mused the Panguitch post office.

"I've lived here 20 years, and it doesn't strike me as strange. I'd say Kanabaville seems stranger."

Clearly, peculiarity is difficult to quantify. For instance, a place named La Verkin, named for a Spanish pronunciation of the nearby Virgin River, may seem goofy to one person, but not to a Verkin.

"Familiarity makes a difference," said La Verkin Postmaster Steve Wilcox. "It's his home. It's not strange. Toquerville seems a lot stranger. And Paragonah is stranger than that."

And sure, naming a city for a fish is unusual, but how about naming

one for a potato? That's what they did in Koosharem, which comes from an Indian word for "edible tuber."

Utah has plenty of other odd origin stories, too, like the town that was named by a 2-year-old child. When townspeople in the Kane County community couldn't agree on a suitable moniker in 1912, they decided to settle the question at a town social.

Residents dropped their suggestions into a hat. A child reached in and drew the winner, and Alton was named after Alton Fjord in Norway, which was created.

Or how about Bicknell and Blanding, towns that foretold the trends in scaling mining rights to big donors? Once known as Thurber and Grayson, the towns changed their names in 1914 after Rhode Islander Thomas Bicknell donated 500-volume libraries to each. Blanding was the maiden name of Bicknell's wife.

Then there's Levan, which old-timers insist got its name because the Jub County town is in the center, or novel, of Utah. Levan is never spelled like the name of Bicknell's wife.

Is the story true? "We don't really know for sure," said Mayor Connie Dubinsky. "But that's what we tell people."

There are more, too. Ephraim, Tooele and Annabella could challenge Panguitch for most peculiar, Swanson concedes the point. In fact, he embraces it. "People have suggested so many other names, I'm already working on a sequel."

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90th BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION. Juanita Gillmore. The children & grandchildren of Juanita Gillmore will be hosting an OPEN HOUSE Sunday, Mar. 16th from 3-5 p.m. at the Kimberly Methodist Church.

MAGIC VALLEY/IDAHO

# Mathathon nets more than \$20,000 for Wendell school

By Steve Koehler  
Times-News correspondent

WENDELL — A standing-room-only crowd Friday celebrated the success of Wendell Elementary's mathathon — success of several kinds.

For six weeks an 11-member committee labored over design and execution of the school's mammoth fund-raiser to elevate students' math skills and buy equipment for the school. The mathathon came about after last year's curriculum study that included test results and parent surveys.

"Math was our lowest area," Principal Karen Osman said. "Math is our area of curriculum emphasis this year. It's part of our mission statement. We've implemented lots of activities that reinforce math — math stars honoring individual students and 10 minutes of math instead of reading at the end of the day."

The school also now uses math tutors to help individual students

and offers after-school assistance in math and other subjects. Iowa Tech is now being definitely up from last year, Osman said.

For the mathathon, similar to previous years' spellathons, students found sponsors who paid them money for every math problem they correctly solved on a teacher-designed test. The mathathon committee collected donations for student and class prizes from businesses in Wendell, Gooding, Jerome and Twin Falls, leaving the money for the school. The students collected for the school.

Mathathon committee chairman Julie Thaeet read off the amounts collected by the top students in each class, beginning with the lowest. The children's whoops, shouts and applause rose with the increasing amounts and finally hit a thunderous roar at the grand total — \$20,026.74.

Gifts from the students collected the most of all the preschool to fifth-grade classes — \$2,002. First-grader Andrew De Bartolo

and fourth-grader Stacy Matos collected \$525 and \$666 respectively, the most for the primary and intermediate students. Each received a trophy and bicycle.

Hundreds of other prizes were awarded to students and classes including educational toys and books; medals; pencil pouches; water bottles and pizza parties. Each class received a check for one fourth of the money it collected. Teachers will use the money to buy classroom items before school is out.

"The other three fourths of the money will be used to supplement the existing budget for computers, playground equipment and a sound system," Osman said. "There's a suggestion box for students to say what they want since they earned the money."

The banner on the school's stage curtain — mimicking the toad theme chosen by the mathathon committee members — said it all about the mathathon: "A Toadal Success."



Wendell Elementary students celebrate Friday the impressive collections from their recent mathathon.

## Retired supermarket president, CEO commits more money to Albertson College

CALDWELL (AP) — Warren McCain, retired Albertson's Inc. president and chief executive officer, and his wife, Bernice, have committed \$1.5 million in matching funds to Albertson College of Idaho.

If another \$1.5 million is raised, the money will go toward remodeling Albertson College's Kirkpatrick Gymnasium into a new student union building at the private liberal arts school.

College officials said Friday that the matching funds have to be raised by Dec. 15, and \$300,000 of the total must come from Albertson alumni.

The remodeled gymnasium is planned as a replacement for the school's 40-year-old student

union building.

"The strength of this college has always been its academic structure, and the first half of the 1990s were focused on building new academic facilities that would carry our liberal arts tradition into the future," Albertson College President Robert Henderson said.

"But the benefit of this college is that it's a small, residential campus, so it's just as important that our students have an equally fine facility in which to congregate before and after classes on the weekends."

The new student union will add about 8,000 square feet to Kirkpatrick's 20,000 square feet, and will include a bookstore, common meeting and eating

areas, coffee shop and theater.

Kirkpatrick was completed in 1941 and housed the physical education and biology departments until 1968, when the sciences moved to the Boone Science Hall. Kirkpatrick, primarily closed in 1991 with the completion of the new activities center, but a study has found it structurally sound for the new addition.

Albertson College also announced on Friday that work will begin June 1 on \$4.5 million in improvements to its five campus residence halls.

Changes will include adding heating and cooling controls in every room, improved common areas, recreation areas, laundry facilities and kitchens, as well as new carpeting, paint and some new furnishings and fixtures.

## MVRMC Foundation awards health grants

TWIN FALLS — Magic Valley Regional Medical Center Foundation has awarded \$10,233 in grants toward health-related programs, education or purchases.

The money was awarded at its February meeting to the following:

- \$795 for a new photocopier for the hospital medical library.
- \$1,000 to sponsor a national speaker on pain care.
- \$675 for pediatric nurses to attend a national conference.
- \$200 to buy 50 books for a teleconference about prolonged illness and grief.
- \$225 for an oncology nurse to attend a national conference.
- \$170 for an oncology nursing certificate examination.
- \$58 for bereaved-parent program.

Last year, the foundation awarded \$350,326 in grants.

Jackpot Advisory Board meeting set

JACKPOT — The Jackpot Advisory Board will hold its regular meeting Monday.

The meeting will be at 5:30 p.m. in the Jackpot Fire Station training room. The public is invited to all advisory board meetings.

## Gooding High plans musical performance

GOODING — The Gooding High School Madrigals, variety choir and concert and jazz bands will perform from 6 to 8 p.m. Monday in the Gooding High School multipurpose room.

The public is invited to the performance, and a meal of Irish stew, salad and cake will be served; a family of five can enjoy the music and meal for \$20.

## Blaine County men face drug charges

HAILEY — Two Blaine County residents face drug charges after being arrested in the parking lot of a fast-food restaurant near Airport Way in Hailey.

Wednesday night, Hailey police arrested Jeremy Saffred, 20, and Dillon Wright, 19, both of Hailey, in the parking lot of the Snow Bunny Drive-In. Saffred was charged with one count of possession of methamphetamine, a felony. Wright was charged with delivering a controlled substance, marijuana, also a felony, Blaine County Prosecutor Doug Weid said.

According to Blaine County jail officials, both remained in the county jail Friday night. After initial appearances, bond was set at \$5,000 for Saffred and \$50,000 for Wright.

## Storm-warning signs to be set up on I-84

SHOSHONE — Variable message signs are being installed on Interstate 84 in south-central Idaho this weekend as part of a storm-warning system, the Idaho Transportation Department announced.

New signs were installed Thursday near the I-84/I-86 interchange east of Shoshone. They are expected to be installed Friday near Idaho Falls. A new sign also is being installed Sunday on Interstate 15 in Utah.

During the installation in Idaho,

traffic will be restricted to one lane near the work area, and flaggers will help direct traffic. Motorists should expect minor delays.

When completed, the storm-warning system will be able to provide direct traffic information to motorists between the Utah border and the I-84/I-86 interchange in south-central Idaho.

Rising and whitout snow, snow frequently reduce visibility in that area.

Because of visibility difficulties, the stretch of interstate has a reputation as one of the worst stretches of interstate in America. The system will consist of electronic signs and weather stations with the ability to sense hazardous conditions, such as blowing or drifting snow or rain, and relay speed advisory or road-closure warnings to motorists.

The ITD received a federal grant to help cover two thirds of the storm-warning system's nearly \$500,000 cost.

## Boise couple injured in Interstate rollover

GOODING — A Boise couple was injured Friday morning when their car rolled on Interstate 84, and the two were flown to Boise for treatment of their injuries.

Idaho State Police reports say Ruben Manubay, 53, was driving east on the interstate, just inside the Gooding County line, when he veered his car and lost control.

A tailgate had fallen off a vehicle and into the lane of traffic ahead of Manubay, and a line of vehicles had slowed because someone was trying to move it out of the road, the report said.

Manubay made an abrupt turn to the left to avoid colliding with the traffic, overcorrected, went off the road into the center median and rolled over, the report said.

Manubay suffered possible internal injuries, and is listed in serious condition at St. Alphonsus Regional Medical Center in Boise.

His wife, Luningman Manubay, 50, suffered a broken arm, broken leg and head injuries, the report said; she was in surgery at St. Alphonsus, and her condition was unavailable.

## Jet lands safely after emergency alert

TWIN FALLS — Twin Falls firefighters watched a private jet roll to a safe landing Friday after the pilots called an emergency.

Twin Falls Fire Department reports say the Newburgh, N.Y.-based Challenger jet was en route to the Hailey airport when pilots determined its flaps were not working.

The plane had three crew members, two passengers, plus 8,000 pounds of fuel, the report said.

Flaps increase wing area and lift, and can allow a plane to fly slowly enough to land safely.

Without the flaps, the report said, the airplane needed a longer runway, because the plane would have to land faster, raising the possibility of a fire in the brakes. The pilots chose to land at Twin Falls with their other option, Salt Lake City.

Twin Falls' seven firefighters, operating the airport's new Crash Fire Rescue truck, with a backup pumper truck, responded, but the aircraft landed without incident, the report said.

## U.S. Highway 20 reopens to traffic

FAIRFIELD — Drainage pipes are in and U.S. Highway 20 has reopened for traffic — and just in

time. Meltwater from Soldier Creek already is flowing through the pipes, said Camas County Sheriff

State highway crews installed six drainage culverts under U.S. 20 to help get runoff in Soldier Creek through Fairview on Tuesday. Day rain and meltwater in the creek backed up through town.

The 36-inch culvert pipes were installed for summer construction. The culverts are covered by 20 to 25 inches of road fill supporting the paved road surface, Lee said. The culverts extend 800 feet, from the edge of the highway right of way to the other edge, he said.

Draining water was flowing through one of the pipes before the project was complete, Lee said.

"We're getting them in there just about the right time," he said.

The section of road where the culverts were installed will be paved with an asphalt patch, Lee said. A repaving project is scheduled on the road for summer between Corral and Fairfield, he said, so more permanent paving will wait until then.

## Deputies arrest boy in assault of officer

JACKPOT — Elko County Sheriff's deputies arrested a 15-year-old boy who assaulted a deputy and tried to take the officer's pistol, police said.

The 15-year-old was suspended from Jackpot Community School for the day for threatening teachers and students, a police report said. About noon, a counselor at the school called the county's D.E. officer, an Elko County deputy, to give the boy a ride home, the report said.

The boy threatened the deputy, tried to punch the deputy and tried to run away, the report said. The deputy ended up picking up the boy and carrying him to the patrol car, the report said.

While being carried, the boy tried to grab the deputy's pistol and threatened to shoot the officer, the report said.

The report on the incident was submitted to the juvenile probation department, and a crime report for assault has been filed against the child, the report said.

## Teen-age burglary suspect re-arrested

TWIN FALLS — A teen-ager involved in a farmhouse burglary in which one of the burglars was shot had been re-arrested on suspicion of violating his parole.

Josh Cooke Mills, 18, was arrested Thursday afternoon by county probation officer Paul Hines. Mills was strip-searched at the county jail, and found to be in possession of LSD and a pipe, the report said.

Mills was booked into jail and is being held on \$20,000 bail for a drug possession charge, and without bond for the probation violation charge.

Mills pleaded guilty to being one of three teen-agers who say broke into a rural Twin Falls farmhouse Nov. 1. The owner of the house returned and surprised the trio.

In an exchange of gunfire, one of the boys, Charlie Loper, was shot in the head by the homeowner and later died. The shooting was ruled justifiable homicide.

Mills pleaded guilty to burglary in the farmhouse, to being in the prison and a \$10,000 fine. Prosecutors asked for one to three years' prison and a withheld sentence because Mills had a minimal previous record.

He was sentenced Jan. 13 to three years' supervised probation, and to pay restitution for the crime.

— Compiled from staff reports

## Genetics

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"By putting good genes into cells, we may be able to prevent disease before it develops," Jorde said.

But in the panel discussion following Jorde's lecture, talk soon turned from beneficial aspects to possible misuse of genetic technology.

"It's not what scientists are able to do, panel member Dr. David McClosky said, "the real problem is what people will do with this information ... there are some serious ethical questions."

The panel — Jorde and five community representatives — discussed the drawbacks of genetic technology.

"We can't be Pollyanna," Twin Falls 5th District Judge Roger Burdick said. "Genetic knowledge" will lead to some abuses. The question is, can we minimize it?"

"Although cloning was discussed, it was not the main point of concern."

"We are not going to the (human) cloning stage immediately," Burdick said. "One of the things that happens socially is

that we get a barrage of information, then go through a period of intense panic ..."

Jorde agreed that human cloning was a remote possibility. Noting that it took 277 attempts to produce the one cloned sheep, Jorde said, "Obviously at this point it would be highly unethical to perform this procedure on humans."

More importance was placed on possible exploitation of genetic testing and gene therapy.

"The main concern I have is the idea of businesses selling tests to the public to detect predisposition to cancer," Twin Falls oncologist Dr. Kerry Pulver said. "They will sell these tests before we have treatments, before we know what we can really do with the results."

McClosky agreed that such testing would be of little use.

"We already know the No. 1 cause of death and disease in this country, and we won't even tackle that," McClosky said. "We have much bigger problems than this that we can't deal with."

A majority of the discussion,

however, revolved around the ethics of genetic manipulation.

"We need to ask, are we doing something to enhance, to protect a life?" said Father Thomas Louck, priest at the Gooding Catholic Church. "The Catholic Church does not come out and say no to gene research. It does say no to cloning. The church's stand looks at what is the use."

Burdick noted that such questions would primarily be decided outside the judicial system.

"A lot of people believe this debate will take place in the courts," he said. "Actually, this debate will take place in your churches, your homes, your social groups ... long before it reaches the courts."

Jorde said that such considerations were being taken into account. Five percent of the funding for the Human Genome Project is dedicated to studying the ethical repercussions of genetic research.

"This new knowledge comes with responsibility," he said. "We must understand that it can be used against us as well."

Shoshone's three officers are trying to patrol the best they can, Quigra said. But it's difficult to patrol the entire city at the same time.

But Mitchell still is concerned about response time.

"We have gotten no satisfaction from the City Council or the Police Department," he said. "We didn't feel like they listened to us at all."

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## Burglar

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Instead can form only neighborhood watches.

One problem for police is many residents are not reporting attempted break-ins, Quigra said. Other citizens bring in lists of suspects' names, which police have to check out.

"How do we know that the citizens aren't angry at their neighbors that day and put their name on a list?" Quigra said.

"A Quigra said police have some suspects, and the investigation

could go more quickly if citizens let them do their job.

"There are things going on to solve these burglaries that aren't real visible and that we can't talk about or it would jeopardize our case," he said. "This isn't like on television and crimes can't be solved in an hour."

Police and citizens agree on one point: readily available police scanners are making it harder to solve the cases.

"The criminals seem to know in advance where the police are," said Waldo Faught of Shoshone.

emergency exit, and the concrete floors were unheated making it colder for the dogs in the kennels.

Board member Annie Milward said the renovated kennels are more sanitary, easier to clean, easier to move, are self-contained, and the kennel sizes can be adjusted providing more comfort to the animal. Milward said she felt the board was "doing pretty good with the funds."

The board is in the process of putting together a master plan to include a impound room, a euthanasia room, an isolation room and staff offices.

Times-News correspondent Julie Casey Lynn can be reached in Ketchum at 726-7894.

## Shelter

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Many of the director's duties — including fund-raising, public relations, updating the database, developing a mission statement and master plan for future growth — were things the shelter's manager didn't have time to do.

"In our last (fund-raising) mailing, we had 1,000 (envelopes) returned with bad addresses," Hias said.

"Isn't that your job to take care of these responsibilities?" audience member Steve Holmgren asked the board.

Hias said the board is made up of volunteers, and with the growth in the valley a full-time executive director is needed.

"It was a decision for the board to make," Hias said.

In other issues related to shelter operations, audience members questioned how the board set aside money for capital improvement.

Former board member Gile Williams said he was told the money earmarked for shelter operation has been diverted to build new kennels.

In April 1996, the board decided to put \$10,000 aside in a capital improvements fund. \$50,000 was spent to renovate the kennels, added fencing and new computers. As of Tuesday, the managed account had a balance of \$134,161.

The board believed the kennels needed renovation before new ones were added. The board also saw the need for a second

MAGIC VALLEY

Hagerman police chief won't do anything about vehicle until next year

By Gina Mulder Times-News correspondent

HAGERMAN - Given the possibility of restoring his police car in lieu of buying a new one, Hagerman Police Chief Steve Lawson opted to do nothing until next year's budget negotiations begin.

"I feel that I made a proposal for a new car and it was turned down. The idea was to get two cars. I believe I need two cars. I say it has been turned down - let's forget about it. I don't believe we have the money so let's bring it up when we do the (1998) budgets," Lawson told the City Council Thursday.

Discussions on Lawson's request for a 1997 Ford Crown Victoria was tabled three months ago when council and community members questioned the city's ability to finance the purchase. As an alternative, city leaders considered reconditioning Lawson's 1990 Chevy Caprice for between \$3,000 and \$5,000.

Lawson said he felt the car, which has 122,000 miles, would hold together until the next budget session begins in July, when city leaders could consider allocating money for a new car.

"It's starting to nickel and dime us, but for that many miles, it's doing good," Lawson said.

In other City Council business:

Council members reviewed a letter from Gooding attorney Craig Hobbey proposing a settlement to a water dispute between Hagerman city and Dee Miller.

Miller claims contracts, one dating back to 1912, guarantee free delivery of city water to her property on West Hagerman Avenue. The city disagrees and wants Miller to pay for the service.

Hobbey's letter outlines two compromise options. One would require the city to waive Miller's payment six months of each year. The second would give Miller city water free for the next six years, after which Miller would be responsible for the water payments for the remainder of her life.

Council members tabled the issue. An application to U.S. Department of Agriculture Forest Service Rural Community Assistance was approved for the mayor's signature. The \$7,500 grant would help buy street signs for the town.

Council members approved a water and sewer permit application for 360 E. Hagerman Ave.

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Gooding County

GOODING - Recent activity in 5th District Court in Gooding County included:

Drunk-driving charge: Patricia E. Enel, 22, P.O. Box 243, Wendell, also driving without proper license, defendant arrested, bond \$500, court April 1.

Alcohol: Adam R. Fowler, 18, 1500 E. 2400 S., Gooding, charged with minor, under 21, July 14, 1996. Bond \$250, court April 1.

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Theft of lawn ornament deepens mother's pain

By Laura Huber Times-News correspondent

GOODING - When Jeannette Garcia discovered just more than a week ago that thieves had stolen an angel lawn ornament from her daughter's grave some time the day before, she felt the pain of losing her daughter all over again.

Devastated, Garcia finished her shift at Wyant's Cafe before going to the Elmwood Cemetery in Gooding to verify the theft, she said.

The lawn ornament was Garcia's way to give her daughter, Melissa Rose Barnes, a

memorial marker; she didn't have money for a headstone.

"It was hard to justify buying a headstone when I couldn't even pay for her funeral," Garcia said.

Garcia, a waitress and the mother of seven, said she faced overwhelming medical bills and funeral expenses and felt the headstone would have to wait.

However, Barnes' close friends and regular customers at Wyant's have been contributing pennies to a penny jar Barnes started before she died of complications of muscular dystrophy in 1995.

Other money donated was given to the funeral home at the

time of her death.

The \$37 lawn ornament was purchased from The Idaho Youth Ranch; Garcia got it for \$20 because Barnes had volunteered in the thrift shop.

Garcia said the missing angel ornament was 18 inches high, had a wingspan of about 10 to 11 inches and was painted gold.

She hopes the thief will be found and prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law, she said.

Anyone with information on the theft of the angel should call the Gooding Police Department at 924-8435. Police said Thursday they still are investigating the theft.

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IDAHO IN BRIEF

Former clerk files tort claim over firing

**RIGBY** — A dispute over whether a Jefferson County employee should have left work without permission for a doctor's appointment has led to a tort claim against the county.  
An attorney for Margaret Poole alleges Jefferson County Court Clerk Connie Keller violated the federal Family Medical Leave Act when she fired Poole last September.  
A tort claim is a claim for damages that must be filed against a public agency before moving ahead with a lawsuit. Poole's claim against Jefferson County seeks lost pay and retirement funds totaling almost \$236,000, plus additional benefits.  
Keller fired Poole, who worked as a payroll clerk for the county for 15 years, after she left work without permission to take her mother to a doctor's appointment, the claim states. Her mother, Opal Wheeler, needed regular medical attention following a 1995 stroke.

Court upholds denial of benefits to widow

**BOISE** — The state Industrial Commission was right to deny death benefits to the widow of a Payette County reserve deputy shot to death by other officers trying to arrest him, the Idaho Supreme Court said.  
The high court unanimously agreed with the commission on Friday that Robert F. Kessler's 1992 death did not "arise out of or in the course of" his job with the Payette County Sheriff's Office.  
Besides seeking death benefits, Kessler's widow filed a claim against the county, the state Department of Law Enforcement, officials and five officers. Third District Judge Gerald Weston dismissed that case, and the Idaho Court of Appeals upheld his decision.

Driver bound over on manslaughter charge

**LEWISTON** — Jesse J. Quintana faces arraignment April 1 on a felony vehicular manslaughter charge for the Feb. 17 accident that killed 13-year-old Brandon Howard.  
Nex Perce County Magistrate Carl Kerrick also bound the 19-year-old Lewiston man over to 2nd District Court this week on felony charges of grand theft by possession and eluding a police officer.  
Quintana allegedly was driving a stolen car from Moscow to Lewiston on U.S. Highway 95 when he caught the attention of Idaho State Police Cpl. Marc Santo. A high-speed chase ensued and Quintana lost control of the car, which ran through a wooden fence and rolled several times. Howard, a passenger in the car, suffered massive head injuries and died at the scene. Six others in the car, including three juveniles, were injured.

Man pleads guilty to stealing dynamite

**GRANGEVILLE** — A man charged with aiding and abetting aggravated arson in connection with a fatal dynamite blast has changed his plea to guilty.  
Robert W. Matthews, 18, on Thursday told 2nd District Judge George Reinhardt that he and Gary L. Gordon stole dynamite from the gold mine near Lucile where they had been working because they had not been paid.  
But Matthews said he never expected the tragedy which resulted from the theft. "I didn't want anything to happen with this, your honor," Matthews said. "I didn't want anybody to die over this."  
Stacey Calhoun, 28, of Grangeville, died Feb. 8 after dynamite exploded in the bed of his pickup truck. Gordon, 25, has been charged with first-degree murder.

Ex-dispatcher pleads guilty in shooting

**MOSCOW** — A former police dispatcher will be sentenced May 8 after pleading guilty to attempted murder for shooting a woman with whom her husband allegedly had an affair.  
Barbara L. Flomer, 37, could face up to 35 years in prison and \$55,000 in fines. But Latah County Prosecutor William Thompson has agreed to recommend a maximum of 20 years in prison.  
"I don't want to have the children suffer any longer," Mrs. Flomer said in entering her plea before 2nd District Judge John Stegner. "Not only my children, but the victim's children."  
Mrs. Flomer admitted repeatedly shooting Delaine Hawley with a .357-caliber revolver last Aug. 17.

Accused kidnapper's attorneys file appeal

**BLACKFOOT** — Attorneys for accused kidnapper Cheryl Hesse have filed a motion appealing Bingham County Magistrate James Marsch's decision to remove himself from the case.  
Marsch reluctantly removed himself last week after Bingham County Deputy Prosecutor Carter Mackley sought to have him disqualified for bias. A hearing on the appeal is set for March 24 before 7th District Judge James Herndon.

Compiled from wire reports

Lottery income tax faces final vote

**BOISE (AP)** — Winners of major lottery prizes after this year are just a vote away from having to pay state income tax on their windfall.

The Senate Local Government and Taxation Committee sent a House-passed bill to the full Senate on Friday for final legislative action. The vote came over writings from Lottery Director Dennis Jackson that the scheme actually could cost the state money.

"It's an unpopular thing to do," conceded Rep. Mark Stubbs, R-Twin Falls, the bill's promoter. The legislation is aimed at generating about \$1 million a year to augment cash now being spent on anti-drug programs for teenagers. But after lottery winnings through the end of this year and all winnings under \$600 were exempted from state income tax, the bill actually is expected to generate only an estimated \$300,000.

Jackson told committee members in a letter that player objections to what they see as an attack on the



game actually could reduce the \$21 million in Idaho Lottery profits now going to state and school building projects more than the income tax raises.

"We believe this is not idle rhetoric and will manifest itself in lost sales and dividends," Jackson wrote. For every 1 percent loss in sales, he said profits drop by \$200,000, so a 2-percent sales drop would more than wipe out any cash benefit from the tax.

The bill's prospects with Gov. Phil Batt were uncertain even though he was opposed to the Lottery when it was initiated in 1988 and 1989.

A year ago, lawmakers voted to siphon \$1 million off the top of the Lottery profits to begin a parks trust

fund. The move sparked a firestorm of criticism and Batt vetoed the bill, saying it violated the will of the voters

who authorized the Lottery with the understanding that profits would go to state and school building projects.

Phone deregulation clears Senate

**BOISE (AP)** — The state framework implementing federally mandated deregulation of the telecommunications industry cleared the state Senate Friday.

With the assurance of state utility regulators that Idaho consumers are better off with the state-written deregulation scheme than one the federal government would propose, the Senate approved the bill on a 26-8 vote.

It will be returned to the House for ratification of a relatively minor amendment clarifying just when the current local exchange companies will become deregulated.

Among the bill's major provisions:

- The Idaho Public Utilities Commission will retain jurisdiction over rates for local telephone service until it determines that effective competition is present. Then rates will be deregulated.
- Revenue from other sources, such as the Yellow Pages, may not be used to subsidize the cost of providing local services.
- Rural telephone companies are essentially exempt for up to five years to give them time to prepare as much as possible for the prospect of outside competition.
- Outside companies have two ways to get into a local market. They can build their own facilities or buy access from the existing carrier at 15 to 25 percent below the carrier's normal charges as set by state regulators.

Inspection fees for eateries headed to governor

**BOISE (AP)** — A three-year campaign for adequate financing of health inspections of food retailers has ended with House passage of a \$65 fee on the retailers to underwrite the program.

"We don't like fees any better than anybody else," David Hand of the Idaho Hospitality and Travel Association said. "But we think the time has come to share the expense of the program. We derive a benefit from it."

Gov. Phil Batt, who will sign the bill, first proposed the fee two years ago after legislative budget writers refused to use general tax

money to subsidize the entire inspection program for more than 9,000 food retailers statewide.

It failed last year, prompting the governor to admonish lawmakers to either cough up the cash to properly finance the inspection program or repeal the mandate that inspections be conducted.

Small operators opposed the flat fee that forced them to pay the same amount as large retailers and restaurants where a safety threat might be more serious. But the large retailers objected to an alternative sliding scale of fees as too complex.

After a shaky start this year, however, the measure eventually cleared the Senate in February and then won House approval on a 40-25 vote Thursday.

The fee would generate about \$450,000 to augment the \$150,000 the state provides for its general tax revenues and another \$500,000 local governments kick in from property tax receipts.

The number of restaurants and other food outlets has jumped 50 percent in the past decade to make Idaho's industry one of the nation's fastest growing. At the same time,

the state has a per-capita rate of food-borne illnesses 3 1/2 times higher than the national average, officials said.

House committee tables resolution that would wipe out convention calls

**BOISE (AP)** — After constitutional experts presented conflicting views, the House State Affairs Committee decided Friday it wants no part of a Senate-passed resolution repealing more than 90 calls for constitutional conventions.

Rep. Jeff Altus, R-Hayden, won approval for his motion to table the resolution, usually a killing motion.

The Senate voted 30-4 for the resolution last month. Had it passed, the eight resolutions approved by the Legislature since 1901 calling for a state constitutional convention would have been repealed.

The American Legislative Exchange Council sent two witnesses from Washington D.C. to argue against the resolution. They spent most of their time disputing that any constitutional convention would turn into a "runaway convention" that might pass things that are bad for small

states like Idaho.

"There is no doubt that a convention can be limited," said David Holbrook. "The only people who are going to change the Constitution are seated right here in this room."

Don Fotheringham of the John Birch Society said a constitutional convention today "would be manipulated by the mass media. Now is not the time."

Most of the committee's discussion centered on whether the resolution would undercut U.S. Sen. Larry Craig's efforts to get the Balanced Budget Amendment through Congress.

The Legislature sent a message to Congress in 1979 urging a balanced budget and has sent the same message every year since.

Fotheringham said he was concerned about what uninformed people might do in a constitutional convention.

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trust them implicitly. I do not trust people who are uninformed."

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**TRACTORS**  
IHC 856 diesel tractor, comfort Futura cab, blower, 3pl, hitch, dual remotes, 16.5 x 38 rubber, 540 & 1000 PTO, power steering, Massey Ferguson 215 diesel tractor, power steering, multipower, 13.6 x 38 rubber, 3pl, hitch, 540 PTO dual hydraulic remotes - Farmall 160 gas tractor, two row, 540 PTO, bollay mount main frame.

**TRUCKS**  
1972 IHC 1600 Landstar truck, 345 V8 gas engine, 5x2 speed transmission, 9.00 x 20 rubber - Williams 18' meat combination bed, stock rack, fender, grain, auto, matic bed and gate, BPP scissor hoist - 15' wood Chevrolet pickup, steel wheel base, 283 V8 engine, 4 speed transmission - 15' bod' w/ shock rack and grain tail gate.

**GROUND WORKING EQUIPMENT**  
Brillion roller harrow, 10' crowned front and rear, hyd. lift, single rubber, grain drill hitch mounted on rear - IHC model 314 plow 3 bottom 2 way, 16" top beam, 3pl, hitch, gauge wheels, custom harrow hitch - Case tandem disc - 9' single rubber, hydraulic lift - Melroe lone line harrow, 4 sections, 24" w/ fold up wings, 3pl, hitch - 5' wood harrow - 5' w/ crownbar - Hois hay crowbar, 3pl, hitch, 7' wide - Dan Houser, 3pl, blade, 6' wide - Curvagee opener, custom made, 12' wide, solids, 540 PTO - Hartweg cart - Chilton ditcher - Acme compactor, 5' shank, single 2 1/4 bar, 3pl, hitch - John Deere excavator 4' frame, double bar, sold from 14" high low rear shank, spring coil shanks - Massey Ferguson T bar cultivator, 8 row for beet, all the tanks, gauge wheels, 3pl, hitch.

**HAYING EQUIPMENT**  
IHC 230 swather, 4 cylinder gas engine, variable speed, stick steering, 14' drag harrow, conditioner, weather bar, hood under shed - Massey Ferguson 124 hay baler, string line, manual tension, 540 PTO, baler has under shed - Case 100 side rake, 5 bar - IHC fast hitch mower, 7' cutting bar.

**BEEF EQUIPMENT**  
6 IHC 185 beet planters - 6 row Milson beet planter on 2 1/4' solid bar, 3pl, hitch - IHC 144 defolator, 6 row, 3pl, hitch - IHC scalper, 12' wide, 3pl, hitch - 2 wheel tractor made from Model A box and frame.

**GRAIN DRILLS**  
Massey Ferguson model 77 grain drill, 6 hole, 11 spacing, 10' double disc w/ grass seeder - Case grain drill 10' hole, 11" spacing, manual power lift.

**POTATO EQUIPMENT**  
Lockwood Mark VI potato harvester, star table, front and rear hook chains, 540 PTO, hyd. bank controls - Curt 14' potato bed, board plul.

**ANTIQUE POTATO & OTHER EQUIP.**  
1655 IHC potato planter, 2 row, metal wheels - Lockwood 2 row potato planter, pull type - John Deere grasshopper plow - 4 wheel wagon made w/ Model A wheels - 2 wheel tractor made from Model A box and frame.

**SIPHON TUBES**  
(300) 1 1/4" x 60" - (300) 1 1/2" x 72" - (150) 3/4" x 72"

**MOTORBIKE & 3 WHEELERS**  
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**PORTABLE WELDER & MISC. ITEMS**  
Lincoln 16 hp welder/generator, 220 and 110 power, 50' of welding leads - Boat & trailer, 14' Johnson 9 1/2 hp motor - (2) 500 gal. fuel tanks w/ upright stands - Hay elevator - Sund pickup - Cultivator tools & misc. shop items - Lincoln 225 shop welder w/ leads - Fomey welder, 180 amp - Cutting torch - 8' dozer blade for pickup - Misc. lumber - Ford 302 engine and transmission - 20 telephone poles, 25' long - 7 1/2 hp Berkeley pump, 220 single phase - (5) 50" x 4" main line, hook and latch - (8) 20" x 4" main line, hook and latch - Snowmobile trailer, single axle, fits 2 machines - Pressure washer, 1500 PSI.

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# Customs agents discover massive stockpile of illegal arms

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. Customs Service agents seized from a California warehouse two truck loads of illegal arms that had entered the country through the port of Long Beach, Calif. and were headed to Mexico, investigators confirmed Friday.

The weapons included thousands of unassembled grenade launchers and M-2 carbines, which are older but fully automatic light rifles used by generations of U.S. infantrymen. A spokesman for the Customs Service confirmed that the shipment is believed to be one of the largest caches

ever found in the United States.

John Mallamo, assistant special agent for customs in San Diego, would not comment on what ship or through which shipper the arms were transported. The agency is pursuing both foreign and domestic leads.

"We have a number of leads out nationwide as well as at some of our attaché offices overseas," he said. He declined to say which offices were participating in the investigation.

The shipment, first reported by The San Diego Union-Tribune, was packed in two containers 20 feet long, 8 feet wide

and 8 feet high and was found last week-end after a warehouse worker thought the cargo looked suspicious. The worker called customs inspectors.

The shipment, which had not been inspected, moved through the Long Beach harbor and down a freeway to the Otay Mesa border crossing. For an unknown reason, it was not able to enter Mexico immediately and was taken to a warehouse.

Shipping documents listed the contents as strap hangers and hand tools.

Mallamo said ships are subject to random searches and shippers must submit

documents listing ship contents.

"Unfortunately we cannot inspect each and every container," said Mallamo. "We have to accept that what is on those documents is a representation of what is in that cargo."

The weapons were unassembled, with some pieces absent, making it clear that some of the shipment was missing.

Customs agents believe six truck loads of arms were expected, indicating that four might already have slipped through.

The discovery follows a similar seizure in San Francisco last year, when smugglers used a China Ocean Shipping Co.

ship to bring in 2,000 AK-47s. However, Mallamo said any link to this shipping company was "strictly speculative."

Coincidentally, more than 800 people filed the Long Beach City Council chamber Wednesday to oppose leasing a closed Navy base to COSCO. Many who attended expressed fear of drug and gun smuggling.

This past Sunday, The Associated Press reported that the historic Navy base, shuttered by military cutbacks, was about to be leased to the China-owned shipping company under an agreement assisted by the White House.

## Monument may be rich in fossils

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — The 1.7 million-acre Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument in southern Utah could contain extensive prehistoric plants and animal fossils, according to a new study.

The Utah Geological Survey conducted the studies to evaluate the potential for paleontological and archaeological sites at the

monument and to help the Bureau of Land Management develop its three-year management plan.

"Information on the location, extent, size and quality of these sites will be valuable to the monument planners and the interested public to help determine how these resources will be

incorporated into a management plan," said M. Lee Allison, director of the Utah Geological Survey.

The BLM will be responsible for deciding how much — if any — of the area will be allotted for recreational uses and coal or oil development. Environmentalists want to keep the area virtually untouched.

## Embattled Arizona governor to run again

PHOENIX (AP) — Gov. Fife Symington, who faces trial on financial fraud charges, says he'll fight to keep his job and run for a third term in 1998.

"You want to find out where Fife Symington is coming from? It's forward gear," the Republican governor said Thursday at a news conference.

"I'm in the fight. I intend to win." The announcement evoked joyful comments among supporters,

who view Symington as a gutsy and savvy politician who isn't afraid to stand up to the federal government.

Even Symington's critics ceded Thursday that his popularity could win him a third four-year term. Despite polls showing the majority of Arizona residents think Symington should step

down, attempts to hold a recall vote have failed. And so far, no one else is officially in the race. "He may get another term."

said state Rep. Art Hamilton, a Democrat. "The only question will be where he'll serve it."

Symington ran into financial trouble in the late '80s when several of his real estate development projects went bust.

He was indicted last year on 23 counts of lying about the value of his crumbling real estate empire to obtain credit, as well as using his office to get out of a \$10 million loan. His trial is expected to begin in May.

## IDAHO LEGISLATIVE LOG

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For Thursday, March 13:

**SB1126 (Revenue and Taxation)** — Provides extension of up to one year for filing state income tax returns and up to 60 days to pay local property taxes for individuals and businesses in areas affected by flooding.

**HB6 (Simpson)** — Appropriates \$100,000 to Legislative Council to retain a consultant to study deregulation of the electric industry.

**HB15 (Simpson)** — Appropriates money available to the Idaho Department of Labor from Section 908 of the Social Security Act.

**HB28 (Simpson)** — Allows publication of a tentative county budget in two or more classifications.

**HB49 (Simpson)** — Increases from \$50,000 to \$100,000 fuel tax revenue which goes to the Local Bridge Inspection Account.

**HB48 (Simpson)** — Allows engineers and surveyors to use electronic claimants in place of handwritten signatures on certain engineering documents.

**HB59 (Simpson)** — Provides for extra registration program for trailers and semitrailers in a combination of vehicles.

**HB82 (Judiciary, Rules and Administration)** — Clarifies that intoxication is not a defense to any criminal action.

**HB83 (Judiciary, Rules and Administration)** — Allows state to appeal any order or final judgment made by a court which affects a juvenile under purview of Juvenile Corrections Act.

**HB71 (Simpson)** — Allows salaries for deputy clerks of the district court to be paid from the district court fund.

**HB84 (Revenue and Taxation)** — Applies administration and enforcement provisions of Idaho Income Tax Act to administration of the Kilowatt Hour Tax.

**HB129 (Revenue and Taxation)** — Provides that holding period for property qualified for capital gain deductions shall be computed in accordance with Internal Revenue Code.

**HB110 (Revenue and Taxation)** — Clarifies provisions of the Idaho Income Tax Act relating to farmers cooperatives.

**HB11 (Revenue and Taxation)** — Clarifies deductions of certain retirement benefits by married taxpayers and taxpayers who receive retirement benefits under the Federal Railroad Retirement Act and Federal Social Security Act.

**HB116 (Revenue and Taxation)** — Allows multinational corporations filing certain income tax returns to pay- sive foreign investment companies as dividends subject to exclusions.

**HB113 (State Affairs)** — Adds to

existing law to reorganize the exemptions from disclosure for certain public records.

**HB117 (Revenue and Taxation)** — Imposes penalty on employers who are required to register and withhold income taxes from employees and fail to do so.

**HB120 (Revenue and Taxation)** — Makes technical corrections to state sales tax law on definitions, resale certificates, home yard sales.

**HB121 (Appropriations)** — Reduces by 2.5 percent fiscal year 1997 appropriations to state agencies.

**HB183 (Appropriations)** — Adds \$4.8 million to Department of Correction in current budget.

**SB1261 (Finance)** — Allocates \$9.2 million to Commission on Aging for fiscal 1998 operations.

**SB1262 (Finance)** — Appropriates \$500,500 to Endowment Fund Investment Board for fiscal 1998 operations.

**SB1263 (Finance)** — Appropriates \$8.1 million for State Liquor Depository for fiscal 1998 operations.

**SB1264 (Finance)** — Appropriates \$1.4 million to governor's office for fiscal 1998 operations.

**SB1265 (Finance)** — Appropriates \$6.09 million to Idaho School for the Deaf and Blind for fiscal 1998 operations.

**SB1114 (Local Government and Taxation)** — Provides exemption from public works contractor licensing requirement when working on public works project during an officially declared emergency.

**SB1239 (State Affairs)** — Provides that no city, county or highway district shall be responsible for removal of snow from roads over which they have no jurisdiction.

**SB1191 (Resources and Environment)** — Requires owners of new shallow injection wells to submit completed notice of construction form to the Department of Water Resources.

**SB1121 (Transportation)** — Provides a program for recertifying eligibility for license plates and cards to ensure that all those who possess plates or cards are eligible.

**SB1241 (State Affairs)** — Allows transfer of Soil Conservation Commission to Department of Agriculture from Department of Lands.

**SB1003 (Health and Welfare)** — Authorizes Department of Health and Welfare to charge a fee for licensing food establishments.

**SB1195 (Health and Welfare)** — Provides qualifications for licensure as a licensed pastoral counselor.

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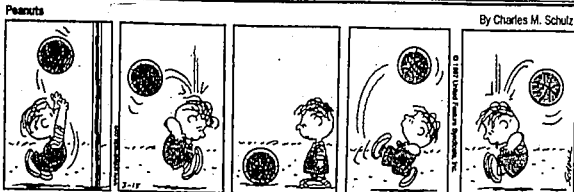
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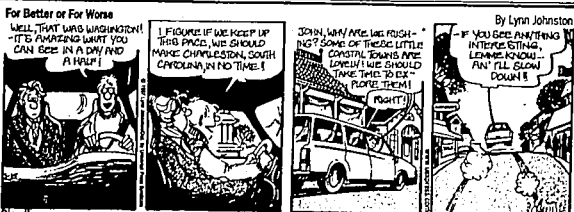
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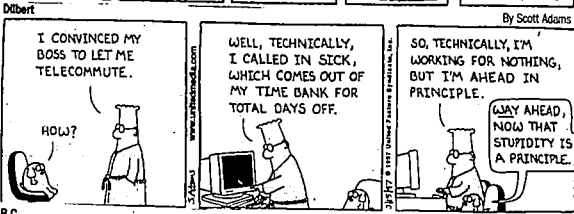
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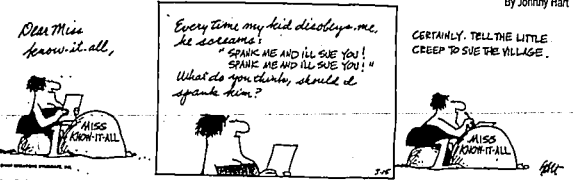


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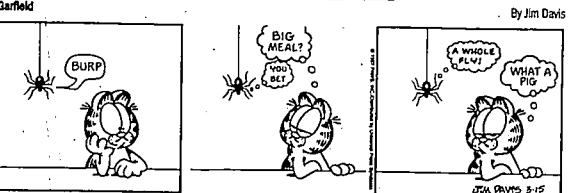


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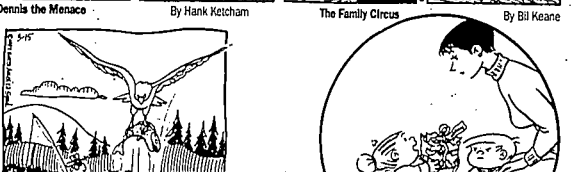


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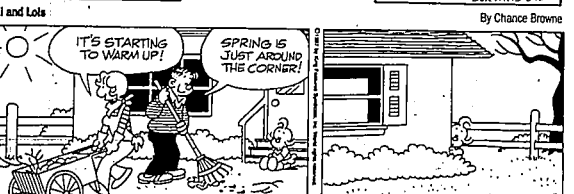


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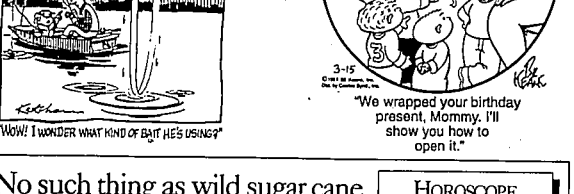


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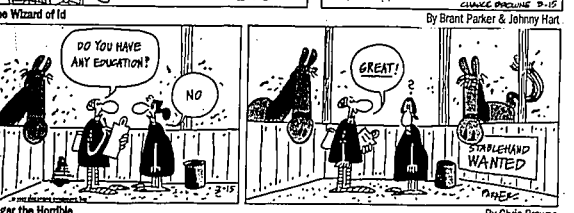


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WHAT'S WHAT? L.M. Boyd

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## Area students recognized for talent

### First Security Arts Awards honor new artists

The 18th annual awards ceremony and exhibition of the First Security Art Awards was held Feb. 2 at Idaho State University Student Union Film Theater and Transition Gallery. A capacity theater audience watched as junior and senior high school art students from 18 eastern Idaho high schools received awards ranging from honorable mentions to blue ribbons for their artistic efforts.

Mr. Nicholas Tsakrios, Senior Vice president of First Security Bank, Ms. Sharon Friend of School District #25 and Dr. Miles Friend, competition coordinator, presented awards for the 401 works on display to the following area students: Theron Thomas, of Buhl High School, blue ribbon; Zach Davis, of Buhl High School, second place; Jennifer Rose, of Buhl High School, third place and a merit award; Reannon Kelsey, of West Minico Junior High, third place and the Special Nature Award; Bright Murphy, of Buhl Junior High, fourth place; Teah Smith, of West Minico Junior High, fifth place and Kenia Bacon, of Buhl High School, received a merit award.

Those students receiving honorable mention were Kenia Bacon, Zach Davis, Amy Jensen, Jennifer Rose and Theron Thomas, all of Buhl High School; Francine Chapa, Chad Doty, Adam Rosa, Bryan Rose, Jason Roberts and Tyrell Yeater, all of West Minico Junior High.



Above: "Frog and Dragonflies," an oil painting by Reannon Kelsey of West Minico Jr. High, won third place in the painting category as well as the Special Nature Award in the Junior and senior divisions of the First Security Art Awards.

Below: "Hand," by Jennifer Rose of Buhl High School won a Merit Award in the drawing category in the senior high division of the First Security Art Awards.



## COMMUNITY EVENTS

### Teleconference planned

**GOODING** - The Idaho State Department of Education Special Education Division is sponsoring a video teleconference from 2 to 4 p.m. and again from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday in the multi-purpose conference room at the Idaho School for the Deaf and Blind.

The topic is "Disciplinary Action for Hard-to-Reach Kids." The author of "Cooperative Discipline" will present the cooperative discipline approach, which is widely regarded as one of the most influential approaches to discipline developed over the last two decades. Practical tips on effective management of difficult children will be included.

Administrators, teachers and paraprofessionals are encouraged to attend. Admission is free. Pre-registration is not required, but large groups are asked to call 934-4577 in advance so that adequate materials will be available. Participants should park in the east parking lot near the gymnasium and use the school entrance.

### Irish stew is cooking

**HAGERMAN** - An Irish stew dinner will be served from noon to 5 p.m. Sunday at the Odd Fellows Hall.

Salad, dessert and Irish "soda bread" are featured along with the stew. The dinner is sponsored by the Union Brethren Lodge No. 45.

Cost is \$4.25 for adults and \$2.25 for children under 12. The public is invited.

## We want your news

If it's news to you, we want to hear about it. We are April Crnich and Joey Bryant. It is our job to fill this page with news about:

- Community meetings.
- Celebrations.
- Social events.
- Individual achievements.
- Your kids and their activities.

We also want to publicize your photos of special events in the life of the community that are important to our readers.

Please send your news and photos to: Community Editor April Crnich

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You can also reach us by fax at 877-4543 or 734-5538. You can also e-mail us at [twnews@timesnews.net](mailto:twnews@timesnews.net).

Deadlines for the Saturday page is 5 p.m. Wednesday. Deadlines for the Tuesday page is noon Monday. Deadlines for the Thursday page is noon Friday. Deadlines for the Saturday page is 5 p.m. Tuesday.

### Babcock celebrates

**BURLEY** - Thelma Babcock will be celebrating her 90th birthday Monday.

An open house in her honor is planned from 2 to 4 p.m. today at the home of her niece, Gaye Young, 2229 Normal Ave. The event is being hosted by her nieces and nephews, who encourage friends and neighbors to help celebrate. They request no gifts.

### Spaghetti dinner set

**TWIN FALLS** - The Les Chanteuses singing group will hold a spaghetti dinner from noon to 2:30 p.m. Sunday at the First Baptist Church.

Tickets are \$5 for adults, \$3 for children under 12 or \$15 for a family and are available from any group member or at the door.

Proceeds will help the young singers go to Europe in June, where they will tour and sing in many cathedrals. For more information, call 733-4678.

### Honor your secretary

**TWIN FALLS** - The Twin Falls Optimist Club is selling roses for National Secretaries Day.

Orders are being taken now. Cost is \$25 a dozen. Delivery is guaranteed by April 22. To place an order, call 733-1449 or 733-2278.

All proceeds benefit Magic Valley children. Roses are provided by Magic Valley Floral.

### U of I extends invitation

**MOSCOW** - High school juniors and seniors are invited to visit the University of Idaho on March 28 during the U.I.'s Office of New Student Services third annual Vandal Friday.

Vandal Friday provides an opportunity for students to view the campus and get a firsthand experience of campus life. Seniors who have been tentatively admitted to the UI can pre-register for classes, while juniors will explore academic majors and careers.

All guests will be offered tours of the campus, residence halls, and fraternities and sororities. They also may visit various academic support offices and student activity groups. Students are invited to attend activities hosted by UI students in the Greek and residence hall systems and spend the night on campus. Parents also are encouraged to attend Vandal Friday, and a special forum for them is scheduled.

The registration fee is \$15, and an additional \$5 will be charged to students who wish to spend Thursday night on campus. To register, call the New Student Services office at 1-800-422-6013.

### Applications available

**BOISE** - Applications for Idaho Business Week 1997 are available now from high school principals or counselors.

The event is a six-day summer program for high school students and teachers. Applications will be accepted until April 15.

For more information, call 1-800-345-2161 or (208) 345-2166.

### Travel opportunity arises

**REXBURG** - Ricks College is offering an opportunity for people to see historical LDS and American landmarks with its 15-day Birth of a National and Restoration of the Kingdom tour.

Bruce Satterfield of the Ricks religion faculty will direct the tour, which is planned for May 7-21. Participants will begin the tour in Boston and finish in Washington, D.C. They will visit historic sites in Massachusetts, Virginia, Pennsylvania and Washington, D.C., as well as LDS Church sites in Vermont and New York.

Tuition includes travel and other aspects of the tour except most meals. The tours are fully guided and will maintain Ricks College standards at all times.

For more information, call the BYU-Ricks Center in Idaho Falls at (208) 523-4682.

## FOCUS ON PEOPLE

### Capitol shows essays

Jefferson Elementary School recently wrote essays about Idaho, and some are on display at the state Capitol. Essays followed the theme "Write on Idaho," with winners selected from each classroom. From those winners, Libby Mollitor, representing students from kindergarten through third grade, and Kylie Madson, representing the fourth through sixth grades, were chosen to have their writings posted in the Capitol.

Classroom winners were Cobie Taylor, Felisha Cromer, Brett Walgamott, T.J. Page, Jeff Horgan, Wyatt Shewmaker, Sean Driessel, Mary Whitmire, Andrea Taylor, Melissa Thompson, Brad Kolsen, Carl Reltstra, Meghan Robison, Libby Mollitor, Kylie Madson and Clay Lickley.

### Troop 139 earns awards

Members of Boy Scout Troop 139 in Jerome have received many awards for achievements made this year. Jeremy Beckers, Jack Hompland, Chase Peterson and Jason Bishoff earned Citizenship in the World merit badges. Zack Bulkeley received a Tenderfoot Scout award, Cody Cahall earned a personal management merit badge, Josh McDowell received safety and communication merit badges and Chris McKay earned a Second Class Scout award. Jason Hompland also received a Life Scout award, and Peterson was given a first-aid recognition.

The scouts will go on a camping trip March 14-16 at the Niagara-Wildlife Park. Boys wanting to join the troop are invited to call leader Carroll Cone at 324-6902.

### Men take pinocchio honors

Men at the Jerome Senior Center took the honors in the pinocchio game Feb. 21. Bob Radd, Cecil Martin and John Boll were winners, and Boll also won the door prize. The ladies won Feb. 25, with Maxine McAuley, Betty Ohlenschlan and Helen Lancaster having the high scores. On Feb. 26, Jeanette Gutches, Robert Harding and Helen Lancaster were the champions.

### Williams elected to board

The American Institute of Architects Idaho Chapter held its election of officers and board members for 1997 in January. Jeff Williams, AIA, of Ketchum is a new member of the board.

## CLUB PROFILE



Members of the Gooding Lions Club are, from left front row: Pat Bishop, Louisa Becker, Helen Paoli, Betty Wartluft and Kent Dunn. Back row: Valdo Gray, Valma Gray, Gene Gibbons, Fred Locke, Larry Tinker and Rell Lucke.

## Gooding Lions Club

**Purpose:** Community service! The Gooding Lions Club was organized Jan. 6, 1941 and continues to serve the community.

**Meets:** 6 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays at the Lincoln Inn, 413 Main St. in Gooding.

**Dues:** \$10 per quarter

**Major projects:** The Lions Club offers world-wide service to the blind. Locally they furnish eyeglasses for the needy, participate in numerous park improve-

ment projects, sponsor Scout Varsity Team and Boy Scout Troop #33.

**For more information contact:** Fred Locke at 934-4567.

### Profile your club

The Times-News would like to profile your organization. Send your information along with your name, a photo and your phone number to April Crnich, Community Editor, P.O. Box 848 Twin Falls, ID 83302.

## SOMEBODY NEEDS YOU

• Hospice Visions welcomes anyone in surrounding communities to join our motivated and compassionate volunteer group. A 30-hour volunteer training class will be held in April and encourage you to join now for palliative care education. The decision of what you do to volunteer is yours as well as the availability of hours and time.

• The College of Southern Idaho Refugee Center assists families and individuals in transition. Currently, the center is in need of the following items: clothes for children of all sizes, and larger women, bikes and twin beds. If you can donate, call Gail Hancock at 736-2166.

• The Magic Valley Regional Medical Center has openings for adults to volunteer as few as three hours per week. If interested, call Mondays or Wednesdays at 737-2006.

• The Department of Health and Welfare Division of Family and Foster Services is in critical need of foster families to care for children who cannot live at home because of abuse, neglect or mental health issues. These children need caring and nurturing families who can help them through the crisis of never being able to live at home. Training is provided. The next class will be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. today at the Department of Health and Welfare Community Room, 601 Pole Line Road in Twin Falls. Another class will be offered April 19.

• In addition, the following is provided to foster families:

- \$200/month for children between the ages of 0 and 5 years.
- \$225/month for children between the ages of 6 and 12 years.
- \$350/month for children between the ages of 13 and 18 years.

Additional limited resources are available based on the needs of the child. Foster parents are honored by children protection staff in the Spring at an appreciation dinner and foster families enjoy a Christmas party with Santa annually.

Call Franice McMahon at 734-4000 if you are interested, would like more information, or would like to register for the training class.

• Caring individuals in Twin Falls and Jerome are needed to spend 15 to 20 hours per month befriending chronically mentally ill persons. Activities would include providing transportation, assisting with grocery shopping and other errands, and providing support and friendship. Kindness, stability and patience a must. Training and help from Mental Health staff is part of program. Car and liability insurance required. The pay is \$4.75 per hour with mileage and expenses reimbursed. For more information, call Chris Johnson at 736-2177.

• The Twin Falls Chamber of Commerce is looking for volunteers to work at the Buz Landgon Visitor Center. This is an excellent opportunity

to share your knowledge of the Magic Valley and to learn more about our beautiful state. For more information, call Judy at the Twin Falls Chamber of Commerce at 733-3974.

• Volunteers are needed in the Magic Valley to become a part of the program, Guardian and Litem (a United Way Agency) advocate for abused or neglected children. For more information, call Michelle Shild at (208) 324-6890 or 1-800-251-6890.

• The College of Southern Idaho Adult Basic Education program is in need of volunteer tutors for adult students in reading, English, math and English as a second language. For more information, call Ruth Scott at 733-9554, ext. 2536 or 1-800-680-0274, ext. 2536.

• The Foster Grandparent Program needs a few good men! There are children out there that need a good role model - a caring grandfather type - who will help them learn to read, write and do arithmetic. Sign up now! We offer you benefits you can't turn down. You must be low income and over 60 to qualify. Call Marcie or Teresa at 736-2122.

• If you are caring and compassionate, and would like to make a difference - call Susan Harris at Magic Valley Staffing Service - Hospice Division. You will be rewarded for your acts of kindness to clients and family members who are experiencing a life limiting illness.

Dues of a volunteer can encompass a variety of jobs such as support for the patient and/or caregiver, clerical assistance, assist in preparation of newsletter, copying, mass mailings, and assisting with fundraising activities. We service the Magic Valley and volunteers are needed in all locations.

Hospice and OSHA training are offered each month for new volunteers. For more information, call 734-0600 or outside Twin Falls at 1-800-303-0602.

• The Senior Companion Program needs six new service providers. How would you like to earn a little money that does not affect your Social Security and other benefits? That is just one benefit we can offer you. If you are 60, lower income, and would like to make a difference in another senior's life, we have a job for you! If you can help, call Marcie or Teresa at 736-2122.

### List your need

This public service column is designed to match needs in the communities of the eight counties in the Magic Valley, with volunteer help. If you need a volunteer, call Judy Tipton at the College of Southern Idaho, 736-2122, to have your need in this column. It is requested that persons submitting items for this column, should call Tipton before 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday for Saturday publication. Call Tipton weekly to retain request.



Jazz on the road:  
Utah traveled to  
Indiana Friday.  
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# SPORTS

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Scores and stats... B10

Sports Editor: Brad Bozlin - 733-0931, Ext. 229

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## MORNING LINE

### SPORTSQUOTE

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He's human you know.  
You don't expect that  
from Black Jesus. But  
sometimes it happens.

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—New Jersey's Xavier McDaniel  
after Michael Jordan's airball with  
6 seconds left in the Bulls' loss  
to the Nets Friday

### TODAY'S SCHEDULE

#### College baseball

Treasure Valley Invitational  
CSI vs. Spokane Falls, 4 p.m.

#### College track

CSI at UNLV Invitational, Las Vegas

#### High school baseball

Skyview at Twin Falls (2), noon  
Filer at Wendell (2), 11 a.m.  
Wood River at Capital, noon  
Bonnevile at Minico (2), 1 p.m.  
Wood Rivers vs. Kuna at Capital HS, 3 p.m.

#### High school softball

Filer at Wendell (2), 11 a.m.

#### High school tennis

Idaho Falls at Twin Falls, 2 p.m.

### SCOREBOARD

#### College baseball

Treasure Valley Invitational  
CSI 11 ..... Chemeketa 3

#### High school baseball

Buhl 12 ..... American Falls 2  
Buhl 14 ..... American Falls 3

#### Pro basketball

New Jersey 99 ..... Chicago 98  
Philadelphia 109 ..... Minnesota 95  
Orlando 86 ..... Charlotte 81  
Miami 88 ..... Vancouver 82  
Seattle 97 ..... Atlanta 91  
Utah 105 ..... Indiana 96  
Washington 105 ..... Milwaukee 96  
San Antonio 103 ..... Boston 92  
Cleveland at Portland, (n)  
L.A. Clippers at L.A. Lakers, (n)

### IN BRIEF

#### Golden Eagles earn shot at tourney title

ONTARIO, Ore. — The College of Southern Idaho baseball team pounded Chemeketa, Wash., Friday, 11-3, in the second day of the Treasure Valley Invitational tournament.

The win guarantees the Eagles (8-7-1) a spot in Sunday's championship game regardless of the outcome of today's game with Spokane Falls.

David Finney hit a three-run homer during a four-run Eagle second. Leadoff hitter James Close singled in the inning, part of a 3-for-5 hitting performance.

CSI pitcher Ryan Rice put together his best outing of the season, surrendering just two hits and one earned run through five innings.

The one bad note for CSI came in the third when designated hitter Ben Florence — also the Eagles' first-string catcher — injured his knee during a play at second base. Doctors said he may have torn his anterior cruciate ligament (ACL), which would be a season-ending injury.

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# Utah sinks Navy in title drive

Van Horn leads stronger Utes squad;  
North Carolina Charlotte game Sunday

The Associated Press

TUCSON, Ariz. — Second in the nation didn't translate to a top seed for Utah. That didn't bother the WAC champions on Friday.

Neither did Navy. The Utes won their 12th straight game as All-American forward Keith Van Horn scored 16 points in a 75-61 romp past outmanned Navy in the first round of the West Regional.

"We're the No. 2 team in the country, and we know teams will be coming after us," said Van Horn, the first three-time Western Athletic Conference player of the year, who surpassed Danny Ainge to become the WAC's career scoring leader with 2,475 points.

"It's a nice honor and I am very honored, but my focus

right now is on the tournament," added Van Horn, who also dominated the boards with 11 rebounds.

His teammates contributed sharp passing and stingy defense, and Michael Doleac led the Utes with 19 points.

Utah (27-3) meets North Carolina Charlotte on Sunday. The 49ers beat Georgetown 79-67.

Navy had won its last nine games, but carried the baggage of representing the Patriot League, which never has won an NCAA tournament game. That, and Utah's superior height and quickness, were too much to handle as Patriot teams fell 0-6 in the NCAAAs.

"It was a credit to them," Navy coach Don DeVoe said. Please see UTAH, Page B10



Utah's Michael Doleac, left, and Navy's Hassan Booker battle for the ball in the second half of Friday's first-round NCAA West Regional game in Tucson, Ariz.

Georgia, S. Carolina kicked from tourney

The Associated Press

Tennessee-Chattanooga was perfect at the start and good enough at the end, and Coppin State was terrific throughout as the No. 14 and No. 15 seeds pulled off major upsets Friday at the NCAA tournament.

Tennessee-Chattanooga, seeded No. 14 in the Southeast Regional, scored the game's first 15 points and converted on its first eight possessions to put Georgia in trouble. Then the Mocs (23-10) held on for a 73-70 victory over the third-seeded Bulldogs.

Then Coppin State, No. 15 in the East, stunned second-seeded South Carolina 78-65. It was the first tournament victory ever for Coppin, a 30-point Please see NCAA Page B10



## Surprise! Jerome boys tough on the track again

By Brad Bowlin  
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — If you showed up late to Friday's season-opening track meet at Bruin Stadium, all you need to see of the boys' competition appeared in the final event.

There, running the anchor leg of the 4x400-meter relay, was Jerome's Timothy Dunne leading the pack, with Ben Kohring of Twin Falls some distance behind, but gaining, and Pocatello well back.

Dunne, the powerful junior whose father has coached the Tigers to 12 of their 15 state track titles, broke the tape in four events — the 200- and 400-meter runs and a pair of relays — to pace Jerome.

But Twin Falls, picking up points in the field events and with strong relays of its own, kept the gap respectable, falling 87-64 in the team competition.

"I was real happy with everybody," Bruin coach Larry Lewis said, after hosting his first meet in almost two years. "We are just not in shape yet."

Twin Falls was without a track last season while waiting for the new surface to be installed. This season, the Bruins can turn their attention from finding a place to train, to trying to catch their cross-river rivals, who will join them in the Class A-1 ranks by 1998.

Judging by Friday's meet, they still have a way to go, even though Jerome sprinter Fahd Ismail is now doing his thing for Boise State.

"I think Shawn Roberts is just as good," Dunne said. "I know he will fill that spot."

Roberts ran away with the 100-meter dash, and contributed to those speedy Tiger relay teams.

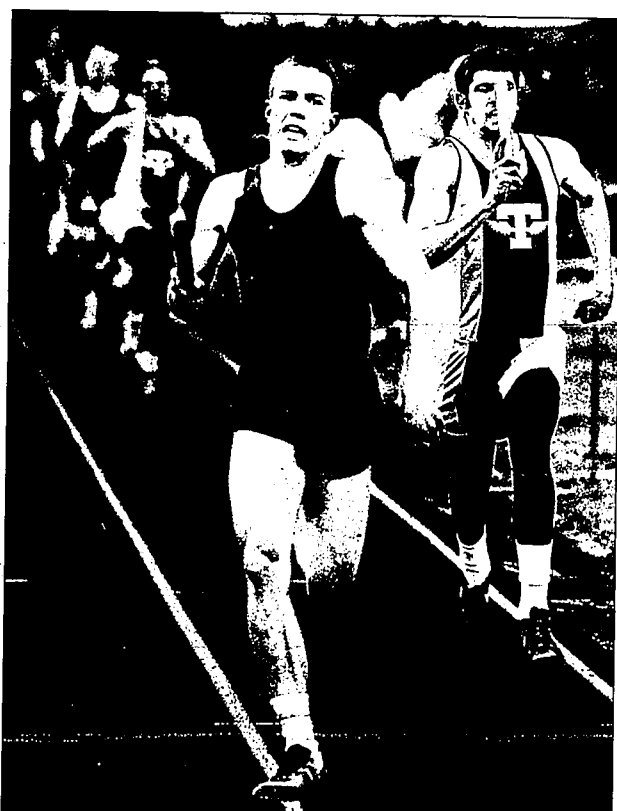
The Bruins' first-place finishes came in the field events, where senior Rob Thurston won the long and triple jumps, and a pair of brothers who moved in from Hailey racked up points.

Jared Tracy won the high jump and finished second in the shot put, while Jake Tracy took the discus competition.

On the girls' side, Twin Falls finished just 16 points behind traditional Region III power Pocatello, also falling Please see TRACK, Page B10

*'I was real happy with everybody.'*

—Larry Lewis, Twin Falls coach, on the team's 2nd-place finish



Jerome's Timothy Dunne leads the way in the boys' 4x100 meter relay, followed closely by Twin Falls' Ben Kohring during Friday's meet in Twin Falls.

## Buhl pelts Beavers in pair; games called by run rule

By Damen Clow  
Times-News writer

BUHL — According to pre-season observations by its coaches, this year's Buhl baseball squad doesn't have quite the offensive power of last year's third-place state finisher. But with games like Friday's against American Falls, the Indians don't need it.

Bret Ross blasted a two-run homer to straightaway center and the Beaver pitchers took target practice on their hosts as the Indians took two run-rule shortened games from American Falls, 12-2, 14-3.

Beaver pitchers gave 16 free passes to the Indians offense, seven of those coming by hit batsmen. Both teams finished the day with 10 hits, but Buhl committed three errors to the Beavers' nine.

Buhl's Jeremy Walker struck out two of the first four batters to start the day, and the Indians scored 11 runs with two outs in the bottom of the first inning off of three extra-base hits, three hit batsmen, two walks and three errors.

Josh Busmann cleared the bases with double and catcher Chadd Wagner drove him in on the first of consecutive fielding errors by the Beavers' short-



Jeremy Walker of Buhl kicks up some dirt at American Falls' Shane Burt while stealing second base. Walker advanced to third after the ball skipped past Burt and rolled into the outfield.

Baiting for the second time in the inning, Ross doubled and Walker tripled to continue the rally. In all, Buhl

sent 15 batters to the plate in the first. The teams played even throughout the remaining four innings, with the Indians getting just two more hits and the majority of American Falls' five hits coming with two outs in the fifth inning.

Jeff Jones pitched three solid innings in the afternoon cap, using a number of breaking balls to strike out three, and allowing two hits and no runs.

Ross' homer gave the Indians a 6-0 lead and started a nine-run second inning. Six of the runs came with two outs.

Walker finished the day scoring a team-high five runs, but managed only a 2-for-3 performance on the plate after taking a team-high three pitches in the back. First baseman Dusty Owen added two hits from the No. 5 spot in the order.

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SPORTS

'Air' Jordan costs Bulls in loss to Nets

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — Xavier McDaniel hit four free throws in the final 16 seconds and Michael Jordan shot an airball when the Bulls had a chance to tie as the New Jersey Nets stunned Chicago 99-98 Friday night.

The win was the Nets' first over a Jordan-led Bulls' team since 1991, a string of 16 games. New Jersey beat Chicago in 1994 when Jordan was playing baseball.

Reggie Miller scored 23 for Indiana, but failed to make a field goal in the second half as a tight defense limited him to only four shots in the final two quarters.

The Magic missed 15 of 19 shots in the last period, but were able to protect what was once a 10-point lead by holding Charlotte to two points in the final three minutes.

SPORTS IN BRIEF

Csi assistant records 1st hole-in-1. TWIN FALLS — Kevin Jones of Twin Falls carded his first career hole-in-one Friday at Canyon Springs. Jones, the assistant basketball coach for the College of Southern Idaho, used an 8-iron to ace the 164-yard, par 3 15th hole. Tony Mammen and Jim Dawson witnessed the shot.

Kimberly golf course set to open today. KIMBERLY — The Pleasant Valley Golf Course, a new nine-hole course located south of town, is scheduled to open today. The course is located at 3500 East.

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NCAA

Continued from B9 underdog against the regular-season SEC champion. Coppin State (22-8) took the lead at 55-49 on Danny Singletary's 18-footer with 6:12 to play, and steadily built it down the stretch as the Gamecocks (24-8) staved in disbelief. Singletary finished with 22 points, all but four in the second half, and Antoine Brockington had 20.

just the No. 14 seed to defeat No. 3 from the NCAA men's basketball tournament, Tennessee-Chattanooga coach Mack McCarty said he never thought about what would happen during the Moccasin Southeast Region first-round game against Georgia.

Tennessee-Chattanooga 73, Georgia 70

Willie Young scored 24 points for Tennessee-Chattanooga, and nailed a 3-pointer that extended the early lead to 52-49. The lead got as large as 20 points, and it was 46-31 at the half.

Georgia (24-8) came back, getting within 70-69 with 3:09 left. But Marquis Collier blocked G.C. Smith's 3-point attempt to tie, and the Mocs hung on. It was the first NCAA victory for the Southern Conference since 1992, and only the second in 15 seasons.

Utah

Continued from B9 "When you're playing a team that's so much smaller than you are and you can continue to run your offense and stay focused, to me that's the mark of a team that's going to do quite well in this tournament."

After Georgia closed to 70-69 on a three-point shot by Ray Harrison through a minute 6 seconds left, Marquette scored 46-31 on a 20-point advantage dissipated to one point with just over a minute to play.

SCORES AND STATS

Large table containing scores and statistics for various sports including basketball, track, and baseball. Includes columns for team names, scores, and individual player stats.

# Stanford, Wake Forest, Charlotte roll



Coppin State's Antione Brockington, left, drives past South Carolina's Larry Davis in second-half action of Friday's NCAA East Regional game in Pittsburgh.

**TUCSON, Ariz. (AP)** — Brevin Knight's playmaking and Kris Weems' precision shooting led Stanford to 80-57 victory over Oklahoma in the opening round of the NCAA West Regional on Friday night.

Knight's penetrating drives and ballhandling skills kept the Sooners off-balance, defensively. Weems found his way free through a maze of picks, often taking passes from Knight and hitting long shots.

Then Knight, who had 14 of his 18 points in the second half, would find lanes to the basket himself.

That backcourt dominance, plus the work of Tim Young underneath, allowed Stanford (21-7) to break out of a 33-33 half-time tie.

A 10-0 spurt in which Young

**West Regional**

had five points gave Stanford the lead for good.

Weems wound up with 20 points, while Young had 16.

The sixth-seeded Cardinal next will play third-seeded Wake Forest, which beat St. Mary's, Calif., 68-46.

**Wake Forest 68, St. Mary's, Calif. 46**

TUCSON, Ariz. — It takes more than a Big Continent to beat Tim Duncan and Wake Forest.

Duncan, the Demon Deacons' All-American center, had 22 points and 22 rebounds, winning his personal battle against 7-foot-3, 345-pound Brad Millard, as Wake defeated St. Mary's 68-46 in a first-round West

Regional game Friday night.

The Gaels held Wake scoreless for the final 4V minutes of the first half and tied it 34-34 early in the second half before Duncan's talent and the outside shooting of Tony Rutschard overwhelmed them.

Duncan scored 10 straight points at the end of a 29-10 run by the Demon Deacons (24-6), the West's No. 3 seed, that put the game out of reach. Rutschard had all 15 of his points in the second half, hitting four 3-pointers.

Millard, nicknamed "Big Continent," had 16 points and six rebounds for the 14th-seeded Gaels (23-8), who came in hoping to keep a string of tournament upsets going.

**N.C. Charlotte 79, Georgetown 67**

TUCSON, Ariz. — Sean Colson had

17 of his 24 points in the second half and handled Georgetown's press with ease Friday as North Carolina Charlotte beat the Hoyas 79-67 in the first round of the NCAA tournament's West Regional.

The Hoyas (28-7), who reached the Final Four in 1977 but hadn't made it past the first round in three appearances since, sent Georgetown packing in a first-round game for the first time in 15 NCAA trips since 1981.

Versie Shaw nearly doubled his previous career high (10) for the Hoyas, scoring 19 points.

Victor Page scored 20 points for the Hoyas (20-10), but hit only seven of 23 shots, exhibiting Georgetown's season-long weakness. The Hoyas shot 28 percent in the first half and had to play catch-up all the way even though they were hot in the second, making 52 percent.

## Aching Wheat thrashes UMass; Texas advances

**PITTSBURGH (AP)** — His shoulder was in so much pain, it hurt DeJuan Wheat to dribble at times, much less to shoot. Losing would have hurt even worse.

Wheat, scoreless for 19 minutes, started Louisville's comeback with three 3-pointers and freshman Nate Johnson finished off Massachusetts with his foul shooting as the Cardinals won 65-57 Friday night in the NCAA East Regional.

Johnson scored 21 points, including 9 of 10 free throws in the second half, and Wheat — one of the nation's top point guards — shook off a painful bout of shoulder tendinitis to score 13 of his 16 points in the second half.

The sixth-seeded Cardinals (24-8) will play No. 3 seed New Mexico in a second-round game Sunday.

The loss ended Massachusetts' hopes of a return trip to the Final Four in coach Bruiser Flint's first season. Former coach John Calipari and star Marcus Camby left for the NBA following the Minutemen's tournament run last March, and this season started 6-9 start as Flint had to rebuild on the fly.

The Minutemen finished 19-14.

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The 14th-seeded Monarchs blew three chances to tie in the last two minutes, the last on E.J. Sherrill's off-balance 8-footer with three seconds left.

Thomas, a 73 percent free-throw shooter, missed two from the line with the Lobos leading 57-55. But he made his next two free throws to clinch it for New Mexico.

Thomas kept the ball away from Hodge, who was held to seven points, 11 below his average.

Old Dominion shot poorly but won the game for much of the second half. Two free throws by Thomas put the Lobos up 50-45 with 3:43 left.

**New Mexico 59, Old Dominion 55**

**PITTSBURGH** — Kenny Thomas scored 15 points and New Mexico beat Old Dominion 59-55 Friday night in the first round of the NCAA East Regional.

Freshman Lamont Long added 14 points and eight rebounds for the third-seeded Lobos.

**Texas 71, Wisconsin 58**

**PITTSBURGH** — Struggling down the stretch of the season, Reggie Freeman picked an unlikely opponent to come out of his slump — a Wisconsin team that has held others to 37 percent shooting this year.

Freeman scored 31 points as 10th-seeded Texas beat a sloppy Badgers team 71-58 Friday in the first round of the NCAA tournament's East Regional. He made 11 of 19 shots and seven of eight free throws.

Freeman made five of eight shots in the first half and scored 18 points in the second half after shooting just 27.6 percent in six previous games. Texas lost four of those games, including an 83-60 blowout against Colorado, another NCAA East Regional team.

Texas was the first team with 16 wins to get an at-large bid in tournament history. Coach Tom Penders insisted that a tough schedule including Rhode Island, Florida, Arizona and Utah earned the Longhorns their spot.

## Duke narrowly avoids upset; Friars, Illini stay alive with wins

**CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP)** — Duke's Blue Devils found the perfect cure for their doldrums: a 40-minute dose of the Murray State Racers.

Looking tentative in back-to-back games entering the NCAA tournament, the Blue Devils were outshined in the first half by Murray State before getting a second-half run and holding on for a 71-68 victory Friday night.

Jeff Capel scored 12 of his 25 points in the opening four minutes of the second half to help send Duke (24-8) into Sunday's second round of the Southeast Regional. The second-seeded Blue Devils will meet No. 10 seed Providence, an 81-59 winner over Marquette.

The Racers got back-to-back 3-pointers from Vincent Rainey and Chad Townsend in the last 9.8 seconds to help them cut an eight-point deficit to 70-68. After Duke's Steve Wojciechowski made one free throw with 2.3 seconds remaining, Rainey fired up a desperation 75-footer that bounced off the backboard as time expired.

**Providence 81, Marquette 59**

**CHARLOTTE, N.C.** — Thanks to Austin Croshere, Providence's 10-year NCAA win is finally over.

Croshere scored a career-high 39

**Southeast Regional**

points, hitting a 70-footer shot just before the end of the first half, and the 10th-seeded Friars advanced to the second round of the Southeast Regional with an 81-59 victory over No. 7 Marquette on Friday night.

Croshere broke the record for most points by a Providence player in a tournament game, a 35-point performance by Billy DeWitt during the Friars' run to the Final Four in 1987 — also the last year they won an NCAA game.

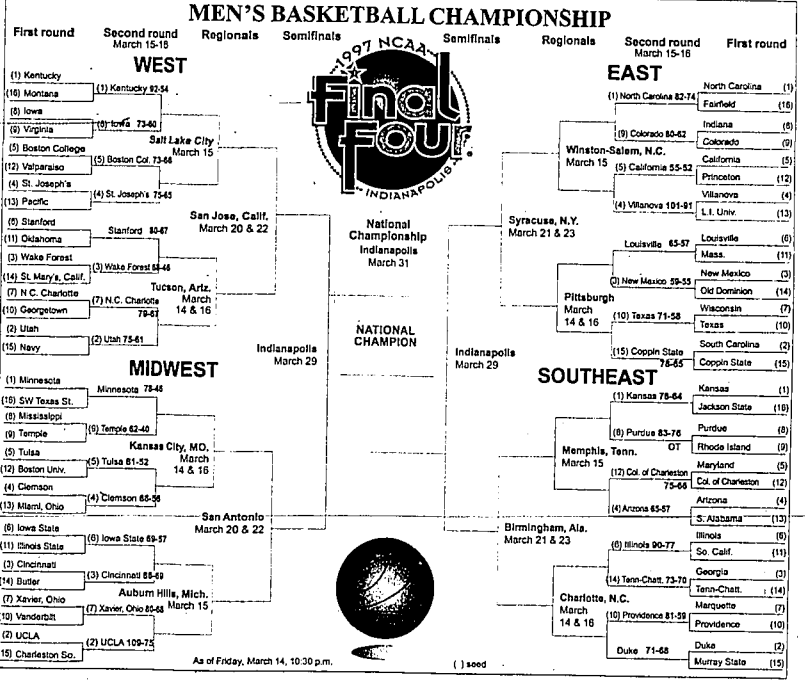
**Illinois 90, S. Cal 77**

**CHARLOTTE, N.C.** — A new coach for Illinois led to a new experience for the Fighting Illini in the first round of the tournament.

Illinois, an opening-round loser in each of its last two NCAA appearances in the first round, defeated Southern Cal 90-77 in the Southeast Regional on Friday as Kwame Garris hit 16 of 17 foul shots and scored 27 points.

The sixth-seeded Fighting Illini shot a season-high 59.6 percent, including 68 percent in the first half, on the way to securing a berth in Saturday's second round against 14th-seeded Tennessee-Chattanooga, a 73-70 winner over Georgia.

First-year coach Lon Kruger, who replaced the retired Henson, has guided the Fighting Illini (22-9) to their most victories since the 1988-89 team won 31-5.



## Gophers tunnel through Bobcats; Tulsa wins

**KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP)** — Charles Thomas led five players in double figures and top-seeded Minnesota scored 23 of the game's first 28 points in a 78-46 rout of No. 16 seed Southwest Texas in the Midwest Regional Friday.

The Gophers' advantage in quickness, experience and height took an immediate toll on the outmanned Bobcats, who fell behind 13-0 and went without a field goal for the first 5:05.

Temple, Clemson and Tulsa also advanced to Sunday's second round, with the only mid-upte coming with the ninth-seeded Owls trouncing No. 8 Mississippi.

Minnesota (28-3), Big Ten champion for the first time since 1982 and No. 1 seeds for the first time ever, led 46-17 at halftime and spent much of the second half with reserves on the court.

The Gophers' front court of 6-foot-8 Courtney James, 6-9 Sam Jacobson and 7-0 Trevor Winter smothered the Bobcats' 6-3 Dante Mathis, 6-6 Elijah Hogley and 6-11 Jeff Foster. Then off the deep Minnesota bench came 6-9 John Thomas and 6-7 Quincy Lewis, and Southwest Texas (16-13) was without hope.

The Gophers' most impressive stretch was probably a 9-0 run midway in the second half. Quincy Lewis hit a 3-pointer, then a quick two-point basket; Charles Thomas banked home a 10-footer; and the 275-pound Winter made a steal at midcourt and drove all the way for a layup that made it 66-28 with 10:34 to play.

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Jackson, who also had 10 rebounds, reached his season-average 16 points in the first half.

Temple's trademark matchup zone stymied the Rebels, who turned the ball over 18 times. Ole Miss was only 16-for-44 from the field, and 3-for-10 from the foul line.

Sean Assay led the Rebels with 14 points, while Jason Smith added 12. It was the Rebel's lowest scoring total this season, and the fewest points allowed by Temple.

**Tulsa 81, Boston University 52**

**KANSAS CITY, Mo.** — Shea Seals became Tulsa's all-time scoring leader and the fifth-seeded Golden Hurricane cruised past cold-shooting Boston University 81-52 Friday in an NCAA Midwest mismatch.

The 12th-seeded Terriers (25-5), who'd won 20 of their last 21 games,

shot 32.8 percent and were outscored 52-29, making a fourth straight first-round exit in the NCAA tournament.

Tulsa (24-9) mounted a 40-19 half-time lead and quickly built its advantage to 50-23 when Seals, a senior forward, scored to tie the school mark of 2,272 Steve Harris more than a decade ago.

Seals, held to just four points in the first half, broke the record on Tulsa's next possession with a 3-pointer for a 53-25 lead.

With the game safely in hand, the 6-foot-3 Seals, the only player in Tulsa history with more than 2,000 points, 700 rebounds, 350 assists and 200 steals, spent much of the second half on the bench.

In the second round Sunday, Tulsa will meet fourth-seeded Clemson, a 59-47 winner Friday over Miami of Ohio.

Buckner scored 22 points as fourth-seeded Clemson put the brakes to a season-ending skid and earned a 68-50 victory over 13th-seeded Miami in the NCAA tournament's Midwest Regional on Friday.

Clemson (22-9) had lost five of its last seven games coming into the contest against Miami (21-9) — which was riding an eight-game win streak. The Tigers held Miami to its lowest point total of the year. Miami also scored only 56 in a one-point victory over Western Michigan in February.

Merl Code had 12 and Terrell McIntyre added 10 for Clemson.

Damon Friserson led Miami with 21 points, including four 3-pointers. Miami made only two 2-point field goals in the first half and shot only 35 percent from the field in the game.

Clemson opened its widest lead of the game with five seconds remaining in the first half on a free throw by Andrius Jurkunas. Miami made it 35-25 at the half when Friserson hit a 3-pointer a the buzzer.

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## Little known saga slowly comes to light

### Once branded deserters, San Patricios joined with Mexico to fight against U.S.

The Associated Press

**SAN FRANCISCO** — Irish immigrant soldiers who deserted and fought for the enemy during the war with Mexico are honored south of the border, revered in Ireland and all but forgotten in the United States.

It's time for this country to acknowledge the San Patricios existed, says Patrick Coggins, who is leading a crusade to dust off the history books.

The San Patricios (The St. Patrick's brigade) was the name of the unit the men formed in the Mexican Army. They fought well,

maybe too well. Once back in American hands, 50 of them ended up at the end of a rope. Many others were branded on the right cheek with a two-inch letter D — for deserter.

Coggins and some friends will don San Patricio uniforms and march in San Francisco's St. Patrick's Day parade March 16. Last year the unit took first place.

"There's a lot of stuff coming out, most of it in the last 10 years or so," said Coggins, a retired lawbook publisher's representative who lives in Mill Valley, just north of here.

Coggins thinks there's a lot to learn from a story that's more

than a century old. He mentions "The San Patricios," a 1995 documentary film by producer Mark Day.

In the 49-minute film, the Irish soldiers are shown fighting under a green flag with images of St. Patrick, a shamrock and an Irish harp.

Some people objected to the heroic portrayal of the Irish soldiers when the film was shown last year in San Antonio, said Day, who first heard of the San Patricios while working with Cesar Chavez and the United Farm Workers in Delano 25 years ago.

"It strikes a chord and reopens the debate about the war with



Irish San Patricio soldiers carry a green flag with images of St. Patrick, a shamrock and an Irish harp as they march in the 1995 St. Patrick's Day parade in San Francisco. The San Patricios was the name of the unit of Irish immigrant soldiers who deserted and fought for the enemy during the War with Mexico. They are revered south of the border, honored in Ireland and all but forgotten in the United States.

Mexico," he said. "People don't even know we had a war."

The conflict, which lasted from 1846 to 1848, may be dismissed as irrelevant "history" north of the border, but not south of it.

Every year the San Patricios are remembered with a ceremony in Mexico City. There is also one in County Galway, Ireland, birthplace of the brigade's commanding officer.

Coggins sees a natural link between the Irish and Mexicans. He's even formed an organization called the Irish Mexican Association.

"The central event of modern Irish history was the Great Famine that coincided with the war between the United States and Mexico," he said. "That's when tens of thousands of Irishmen came to America and found their first jobs in the Army."

Coggins thinks the Irish experience in the United States has been cast aside as the descendants of the immigrants of the famine moved up the social ladder.

The Irish developed a "huge mental and spiritual block" in order to be accepted in the United States, he thinks.

"I cringe when people call me

'Anglo,'" Coggins said. "All whites aren't Anglo," meaning of English heritage.

In the war with Mexico, Irish soldiers who stayed loyal to the United States welcomed the execution of the deserters.

Raphael Semmes, a Roman Catholic and a Navy officer during the war, was quoted in a 1995 magazine article, recalling that Irish soldiers rejoiced more than the "native-born Americans even, as they felt keenly the stigma which this conduct of their countrymen had cast upon them."

Day's film is not the only recent work on the San Patricios. Santa Cruz playwright Chris Mathews has written "A Flag to Fly," which portrays the executions of the soldiers on a hill overlooking the final battle site near Mexico City.

There's also a book, "Shamrock and Sword," by Robert Miller of Berkeley, that takes a more scholarly approach.

Miller points out that the 200-man San Patricio Battalion was the only unit made up mainly of deserters from the U.S. Army to fight against U.S. forces in any war. And not all the soldiers were Irish. He estimated that Germans made up 13 percent of the unit.

According to Miller, the war

had a desertion rate of 8.3 percent, higher, by several points than any other American war.

Among other reasons for fleeing, Miller said soldiers suffered truly brutal punishment for the slightest infraction. These included being flogged or spread-eagled in the blazing sun for days at a time.

In addition to escaping such harsh conditions, religion played a factor in the decision by the Irish soldiers to change uniforms, Coggins said.

"When they came to America, these men faced anti-Catholic prejudice in the East that included 'No Irish Need Apply' signs," he said.

While the religion of the soldiers was a drawback in the United States, he said, it became a plus in Mexico, where only Catholics could own land.

"It went from being a liability to an asset," he said.

Perhaps the real reason had nothing to do with the U.S. Army or Mexico at all.

The contingent in the St. Patrick's Day parade will march under the same flag the Irishmen did. Not the flag of Mexico, but one representing a nation the San Patricios did not live to see. It was the green banner of Ireland.



Patrick Coggins, of Mill Valley, Calif., wearing a San Patricios uniform jacket, kneels in the Mission Dolores Cemetery earlier this month in San Francisco. Coggins will be leading a group of his friends in San Francisco's St. Patrick's Day march and the Cinco de Mayo march to bring recognition to the saga of the soldiers dubbed San Patricios.

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Bidders must be registered as vendors with Division of Purchasing, Department of Administration, prior to submitting a proposal. Vendor registration packets are available on-line at <http://www.state.id.us/edmp/rfp/ma.htm>, or 5569 Kendall Street, Boise, ID 83720-0075, 208-327-7465.

MARY ANNE SAUNDERS  
Special Deputy Director for Welfare Reform

PUBLISH: March 14, 15, and 16, 1997

A dog training session shall open upon the closure of these units to harvest. The dog training season in these units shall close March 31, 1997. Copies of order 87-10 are available at the Idaho Department of Fish and Game headquarters, 500 South Walnut, PO Box 25, Boise, Idaho 83707.

DATED this 5th day of March 1997.  
/s/Stephen P. Moaley  
Secretary

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LEGAL NOTICE  
NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO MAKE REGULATED CONSUMER LOANS TO ALL PERSONS LICENSED TO MAKE REGULATED CONSUMER LOANS.

You are hereby notified that Insta-Cash, Inc. located at 1031 East Main St., Burley, ID 83318 has applied to the Director of the Department of Finance, State of Idaho, for a license to make regulated consumer loans under the provisions of the Idaho Credit Code in its office located at 1031 East Main St., Burley, ID 83318.

If you have any objections to the issuance of this license, you must file your objections with the Director of the Department of Finance, Statehouse, Boise, Idaho 83720-2700, within thirty (30) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. If a hearing is held on this application, those filing objections shall reimburse, pro rata, the Director for his reasonable and necessary expenses incurred as a result of the hearing.

PUBLISH: March 15, 22, and 29, 1997

LEGAL NOTICE  
The South-Central Private Industry Council will be meeting on March 18, 1997 at 2:30 p.m. in the conference room of Twin Falls Job Service at 771 North College Road in Twin Falls. Also the RFP Committee will meet at 1:00 p.m., prior to the Council meeting, in the same conference room.

If you have any questions please contact: Candy McElroath  
South-Central Private Industry Council  
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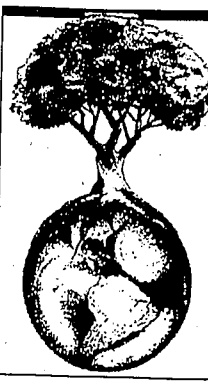
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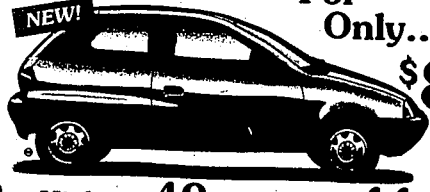
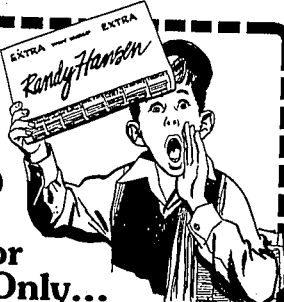
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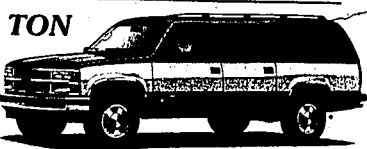


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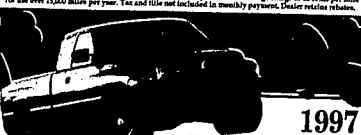
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