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## GOOD MORNING

### Career Fair today!

The Southern Idaho Career Fair, sponsored by The Times-News and the College of Southern Idaho, will be held today in the CSI gymnasium in Twin Falls.

- When: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- Booths will be staffed all day.
- Who: It's for students who are making education choices or seeking their first careers, and workers of all ages who are exploring new job options to advance, change directions or boost their earnings. The event will feature more than 70 booths, including 24 departments within CSI. Consider bringing copies of your resume.
- Cost: Admission is free. Food and drink will be for sale throughout the day.
- Win a prize: To enter the drawings for door prizes donated by vendors, fill out an event evaluation sheet. Pick one up at the welcome tables near either the gym's southwest or northwest entrances, and drop it off there in the designated boxes.

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# A-MAIZE-ING

## Students use technology to create corn maze

By Karin Kowalski  
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — Surrounded by rows of dense green feed corn it's easy to get disoriented, but students from the College of Southern Idaho had an invisible guide as they plotted a corn maze Monday afternoon.

Using global positioning system technology, they found specific points in the rows and guided Horticulture Club Vice President Gary Jensen as he mowed down the stalks to create a path.

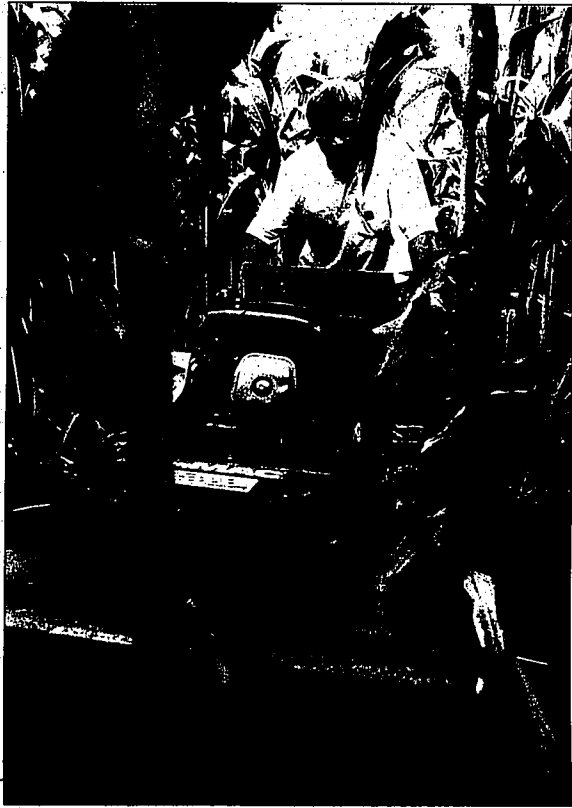
The students from Jim Wilson's precision agriculture class used hand-held yellow and black Trimble GPS units to communicate with as many as 10 satellites to pinpoint the pre-programmed locations. Other students carried red and white poles and colored tape to help mark spots in the maze.

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### If you go ...

The College of Southern Idaho Horticulture Club's corn maze will be open Friday, Saturday and Monday nights starting this week through Halloween. It's across from the Eldon Evans Expo Center on North College Road. Warm drinks and hot dogs will be on sale at the maze.

Admission is \$2 for adults and \$1 for children or CSI students with activity cards. Monday is family night when families of any size can get in for \$5. Groups can reserve the maze for other days. Call 732-6431 for more information.



Gary Jensen, vice president of the College of Southern Idaho Horticulture Club, uses a rough-terrain mower to carve this year's maze at the school's 5-acre corn patch Monday. The total distance of the maze will be approximately 1 mile.

# Paul man will plead guilty

By Lorraine Cavenar  
Times-News correspondent

POCATELLO — The man who shot a Minidoka County sheriff's deputy attempting to arrest him is expected to plead guilty to federal charges of bank robbery and use of a weapon in the commission of a crime on Wednesday.

John Kurkowski, 24, of Paul, shot Deputy Randy White three times at a hotel after White and other officers conducting a bank robbery investigation tracked him to Jack-pot.

Kurkowski's court-appointed

## NewsTracker

- **Last we knew:** John Kurkowski, in a Nevada prison for shooting a Minidoka County sheriff's deputy, was indicted in U.S. District Court in Pocatello in April on charges of bank robbery and use of a weapon in the commission of a crime.
- **The latest:** In a negotiated agreement detailed in recently filed court documents, Kurkowski is expected to plead guilty to the charges.
- **What's next:** A hearing regarding the plea bargain is scheduled for 2:30 Wednesday in Pocatello.



John Kurkowski, 2003, shooting.

The guilty plea will come in connection with charges stemming from a Sept. 19 shooting.

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# Mount St. Helens feels one or two earthquakes a minute

The Associated Press

SEATTLE — Small earthquakes rattled Mount St. Helens at the rate of one or two a minute Monday, and seismologists were scrambling to determine the significance of some of the most intense seismic activity in nearly 20 years.

Carbon dioxide and sulfur gas samples collected above the volcano — which erupted to devastating effect in 1980 — will help scientists figure out what is going on beneath the 925-foot-high dome of hardened lava within the mountain's gaping crater. Specifically, they want to know whether the quakes are the result of water seeping into the mountain or magma moving under its crater.

In other case, scientists will continue to watch it from the Cascade Volcano Observatory operated by the U.S. Geological Survey in Vancouver, Wash., about 50 miles away.

"But if it's magma, we'll be a lot more nervous," said chief scientist Jeff Wynn.



Tourist Bill Wilson of Kingsport, Tenn., watches a rockfall on the west interior wall of Mount St. Helens through his binoculars from the U.S. Forest Service's Johnston Ridge Visitors Center Monday in Toutle, Wash. Small earthquakes rattled Mount St. Helens on Monday.

A helicopter carried scientists and instruments over the crater Monday to assess the gases and ground deformation that would indicate pressure building below the dome.

Measurements of ground movement "will tell us whether there's any new magma coming into the system," said seismologist Seth Moran, though that data will not be available right away.

Swarms of small earthquakes began Thursday and increased in frequency and magnitude

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# District verifies Krumm's dismissal

By Karin Kowalski  
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — Former Twin Falls High School head football coach Gary Krumm is no longer employed at the district, Superintendent Willey Dobbs told The Times-News Monday.

The district responded to a public records request submitted Thursday. Dobbs said he could not comment on the circumstances of Krumm's termination because it was a personnel matter.

School Board Chad Hafer, however, offered a candid response to the reasoning behind Krumm's dismissal. He said board members had too many concerns about someone with a domestic violence incident on his record continuing to teach.

"I don't know if I want to take the chance," Hafer said.

The board dismissed Krumm after an executive session at its Wednesday meeting.

Krumm was arrested in connection with a domestic violence incident July 4. Confidential personnel matters have been on the School Board's executive session agenda for several meetings since then.

Hafer said he didn't receive a single phone call urging the district to keep Krumm since the incident occurred.

The board accepted Krumm's resignation from his coaching position at its July 19 meeting but he retained his teaching job on paid suspension. On July 29, Krumm reached an agreement with prosecutors and pleaded guilty to two misdemeanor counts of domestic battery and one count of driving under the influence. The original charges were one count of felony domestic battery and misdemeanor counts of driving under the influence of alcohol and interfering with a 911 call.

Krumm's teaching certification might be in jeopardy on a state level, Hafer said.

"If we take action, we feel there's enough to question certification," Hafer said.

Twin Falls' new head football coach, has also taken over teaching duties for Krumm's body development classes. Assistant Principal and Athletic Director Andy Barron said Smith would probably continue to do so. Hafer had no specific comment about Krumm's fate.

"I think it's been publicized enough," Barron said.

Krumm started coaching at Twin Falls in June 2003 on an interim basis. The Bruins went 8-2 in their first year under Krumm. The School Board then gave him a permanent position at its April 12 meeting this year.

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# Rebel leader Al-Zarqawi emerges as al-Qaida ally

The Washington Post

AMMAN, Jordan — In a video image posted on the Internet last week, a quivering, blindfolded American kneels on the floor of an empty room as five hooded men stand behind him, dressed in black. After reading a speech from a sheaf of white papers, the leader of the group pulls a long knife from his shirt and slices off the captive's head in a well-practiced manner.

The killer is wearing a mask, but he is identified in a statement accompanying the video as Abu Musab Al-Zarqawi. He is the most wanted man in Iraq and at the vanguard of a new generation of Islamic radicals that has confronted the United States and its allies since the invasion of Iraq 18 months ago.

Although Al-Zarqawi has assembled temporary alliances with Osama bin Laden's al-Qaida network over the years, evidence shows that he has always sought to forge his own path with a largely distinct, occasionally overlapping, agenda.

Al-Zarqawi and his group, Monotheism and Jihad, have become best known for helping

fuel the insurgency in Iraq. But according to European and Arab intelligence officials and counterterrorism specialists, he has never abandoned his primary goals: to topple the monarchy in his native Jordan and attack Jewish targets in Israel and around the world.

U.S. takes aim at Sadr city. See page A7

Skinner says that the U.S. government has transformed Al-Zarqawi into a larger-than-life figure by exaggerating his capabilities and using him to personally lead the Iraqi resistance, which has many factions and appears to rely mainly on Iraqi fighters, not on foreigners. But Al-Zarqawi also has helped to enhance his own legend by embracing tactics that have generated enormous publicity.

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BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST

Today: Mostly sunny skies and warm temperatures. Highs near 80. Tonight: Light winds and lots of stars. Lows in the middle 40s. Tomorrow: A bit cooler with periods of sunshine. Highs in the lower to middle 70s.

IDAHO'S FORECAST

SUN VALLEY, SURROUNDING MTS.: Periods of sunshine and mid temperatures are expected today. Clouds will increase on Wednesday and temperatures will turn a tad cooler. There is a chance for a shower or thunderstorm.

BOISE: Sunshine and warm temperatures will create a very nice Saturday day today. There will be an increase in clouds on Wednesday and Thursday. Temperatures will be a tad cooler as a result.

NORTHERN UTAH: Great travel conditions are expected throughout Wednesday. Gusty winds may develop on Thursday and Friday.



Yesterday's State Estimates: 81 at Salmon, 80 at Starbuck, 79 at Starbuck, 78 at Starbuck, 77 at Starbuck, 76 at Starbuck, 75 at Starbuck, 74 at Starbuck, 73 at Starbuck, 72 at Starbuck, 71 at Starbuck, 70 at Starbuck, 69 at Starbuck, 68 at Starbuck, 67 at Starbuck, 66 at Starbuck, 65 at Starbuck, 64 at Starbuck, 63 at Starbuck, 62 at Starbuck, 61 at Starbuck, 60 at Starbuck, 59 at Starbuck, 58 at Starbuck, 57 at Starbuck, 56 at Starbuck, 55 at Starbuck, 54 at Starbuck, 53 at Starbuck, 52 at Starbuck, 51 at Starbuck, 50 at Starbuck, 49 at Starbuck, 48 at Starbuck, 47 at Starbuck, 46 at Starbuck, 45 at Starbuck, 44 at Starbuck, 43 at Starbuck, 42 at Starbuck, 41 at Starbuck, 40 at Starbuck, 39 at Starbuck, 38 at Starbuck, 37 at Starbuck, 36 at Starbuck, 35 at Starbuck, 34 at Starbuck, 33 at Starbuck, 32 at Starbuck, 31 at Starbuck, 30 at Starbuck, 29 at Starbuck, 28 at Starbuck, 27 at Starbuck, 26 at Starbuck, 25 at Starbuck, 24 at Starbuck, 23 at Starbuck, 22 at Starbuck, 21 at Starbuck, 20 at Starbuck, 19 at Starbuck, 18 at Starbuck, 17 at Starbuck, 16 at Starbuck, 15 at Starbuck, 14 at Starbuck, 13 at Starbuck, 12 at Starbuck, 11 at Starbuck, 10 at Starbuck, 9 at Starbuck, 8 at Starbuck, 7 at Starbuck, 6 at Starbuck, 5 at Starbuck, 4 at Starbuck, 3 at Starbuck, 2 at Starbuck, 1 at Starbuck, 0 at Starbuck.

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Table showing moon phases for Sep 28, Oct 6, Oct 14, Oct 20.

REGIONAL FORECAST

Table with 4 columns: City, Today, Tomorrow, Thursday. Lists various Idaho cities and their forecasts.

Yesterday's Weather

Table with 4 columns: City, HI, LO, Wind. Lists various Idaho cities and their weather from the previous day.

WORLD FORECAST

Table with 4 columns: City, Today, Tomorrow, Thursday. Lists various international cities and their forecasts.

TODAY'S NATIONAL MAP



CANADIAN FORECAST

Table with 4 columns: City, Today, Tomorrow, Thursday. Lists various Canadian cities and their forecasts.

Leno says he'll retire in 2009

NEW YORK — Jay Leno, the host of NBC's highly successful "Tonight Show" since 1992, will retire in 2009 and Conan O'Brien will succeed him in the 11:35 p.m. slot.

Maize

Volunteers from the club finished the rough outline Monday for the second CSI corn maze, which will open Friday.

They are totally dependent and reliant on the satellite technology. Some students attached antennas to the tops of their baseball caps for better satellite reception.

"Farming is a tough go," Jensen said. "I hope to have school groups visit the maze in the daytime. Leading up to Halloween, the club will add a few scary elements."

Proceeds from the maze go to the Horticulture Club and ward planting trees on CSI's campus, Jensen said.

CORRECTION

Woman's charge gets reduced. An item in Monday's court records listings contained incorrect information. Alice Payne

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Airline chief announces plan for space service

LONDON (AP) — Airline mogul and adventurer Richard Branson announced plans Monday to boldly go where no private transport company has gone before — into space.

Helens

Continued from A1. The quakes are at depths less than one mile below the lava dome.

Iraq

Continued from A1. In May, he personally inaugurated a wave of hostage-takings and beheadings in Iraq by decapitating Nicholas Berg, 25, a businessman from Pennsylvania, and posting the videotaped episode on the Internet.

Shooting

Continued from A1. 2003 robbery of Koy Bank in Kory, Nev., was linked with \$13.775, court documents indicate.

On Burt Raton's design for SpaceShipOne, a stubby rocket-plane capable of carrying a pilot and two passengers.

spreading apart from each other. "It means something is inflating in between them."

ed Nations, Powell cited Al-Zarqawi's presence in Baghdad as evidence that Iraq's president, Saddam Hussein, had struck an alliance with al-Qaida, a claim that became a major part of the Bush administration's argument for going to war.

teller and yelled, "I want your money, all of it." The teller gave Kurkowski the money which included five \$20 bills, \$100 in cash.

White was able to return to his job several months after he was shot. He said that between the charges of attempted murder and bank robbery, Kurkowski could be eligible for parole in 15 years.

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# DA won't prosecute charges against former diocese head

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. — A district attorney said Monday that he would not prosecute Roman Catholic Bishop Thomas Dupre on child rape charges because the statute of limitations has expired in the case.

In an indictment unsealed Monday, Dupre was charged with molesting two boys in the 1970s, becoming the first Roman Catholic prelate to face criminal charges in the sex abuse scandal that has rocked the American church.

But Hampshire District Attorney William Bennett told reporters later in the day that he would not prosecute the case because of the statute of limitations, which was six years at the time of the alleged crimes.

Dupre, 70, cited health reasons when he resigned in February after nine years as head of the Springfield Diocese. But his departure came one day after The Boston Globe newspaper of Springfield confronted him with allegations he abused two boys while he was a parish priest.

The indictment was handed up by a grand jury Friday.

## Federal appeals court reinstates voting lawsuit

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — Just five weeks before Election Day, a federal appeals court Monday reversed a lawsuit demanding that all Florida voters who use touchscreen machines receive a paper receipt, in case a recount becomes necessary.

The 11th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals told a federal judge in Fort Lauderdale to reopen the case, which could affect 15 Florida counties whose electronic voting terminals do not issue paper records.

## Jeanne leaves destruction as it moves north

MELBOURNE, Fla. — Hurricane Jeanne tore a fresh path of destruction as it marched up storm-ravaged Florida. The fourth hurricane in six weeks shut down much of the state and prompted recovery plans on a scale never before seen in the nation.

At least six people died in the storm as it plied across Florida's midsection in a virtual rerun for many residents still trying to regroup from hurricanes that have crisscrossed the Southeast since mid-August.

"This is the price we pay for living in paradise," said Phyllis Cole, laughing at her predicament as she waited along with about a dozen others Monday on a promise that a Home Depot store in Stuart would re-open. Everyone wanted the same thing, a generator. None were in stock, but the manager thought some were on the way.

Jeanne came ashore around midnight Saturday with 120 mph wind, striking the same area hit three weeks ago by Hurricane Frances and rocketing debris scattered by earlier storms. Roofs were torn off, stop lights dangled precariously and bridges were flooded from the mainland to barrier islands. About 2.6 million homes and businesses were without power.

"We have some people in Florida who have been hit two or three times now by these hurricanes." They have to be miserable right now," Federal Emergency Management Agency director Mike Brown told "The Early Show" on CBS.

## Pet of the Week

"Odie" is a neutered male Dalmation mix 14 week old pup that has personality plus, is leash trained, and is a gentle pup. Mark your calendar for the St. Francis Blessing of the Animals Event, on October 3, 2004 TWIN FALLS ANIMAL SHELTER 139 6th Avenue West 736-2299



Bishop Thomas Dupre of the Springfield Diocese of Springfield, Mass., addresses the media in this Nov. 6, 2003, file photo in Springfield.

It was not immediately unclear if the case could be decided before the Nov. 2 presidential election.

## Army will court-martial soldier in abuse scandal

RALEIGH, N.C. — Pfc. Lyndie England, the soldier seen in some of the most notorious photos with naked Iraqi prisoners at Abu Ghraib prison, will be court-martialed in January on charges of abusing detainees, the Army said Monday.

The 21-year-old reservist will be tried on 13 counts of abuse and six counts of indecent assault, said Lt. Gen. John Vines, commander of the 18th Airborne Corps at Fort Bragg.

England did not enter a plea when she was arraigned Friday. She faces a prison sentence of up to 38 years, a dishonorable discharge and forfeiture of all pay and allowances if convicted.

## Christmas, Hanukkah, celebrated with stamps

WASHINGTON — Holiday postage stamps celebrating Christmas, Hanukkah and Kwanzaa will be issued next

month, the U.S. Postal Service announced Monday.

Christmas stamps will include a Madonna and Child and a stamp with Christmas ornaments, while the Hanukkah stamp will feature a dreidel and the Kwanzaa stamp will feature seven characters in colorful robes.

## Audit finds FBI still has backlog of intercepts

WASHINGTON — The FBI has a backlog of hundreds of thousands of hours of untranslated audio recordings from terrorism and espionage investigations, despite large increases in money and personnel for translations since the 2001 terror attacks, a Justice Department audit released Monday said.

In addition, the audit by Glenn A. Fine, the agency's inspector general, found that more than one-third of al-Qaida intercepts authorized by a secret federal court were not reviewed within 12 hours of collection as required by FBI Director Robert Mueller. MacArthur Foundation awards 23 fellows \$500,000 'genius grants.' —compiled from wire reports

**Master's work** The College of Southern Idaho Theater Department takes on "Spoon River Anthology," an American classic. Friday in WeekEnd

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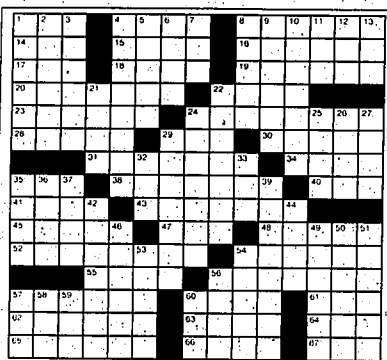
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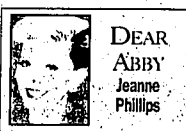
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# Locking kids in can open door to danger

DEAR ABBY: I read with concern the letter from "Sleeping Beauty's Mother-in-Law," whose son locks his 5-year-old daughter in her bedroom when he leaves for work so his wife can continue sleeping.

"When I was a child, it was my job to lock my younger brother in his bedroom after he had eaten breakfast and before I left for school. I did it because my mother also wanted to continue to sleep."



DEAR ABBY: Please accept my deepest sympathy for your little brother's death. It was not your fault. The responsibility was your mother's. You were only a child yourself, and obeying her orders.

If it's forgiveness you are looking for, I forgive you.

Unbeknownst to me or my mother, my brother had found a cigarette lighter. He had it in his room one morning when I locked him in. To make a long story short, he started a fire in his room that resulted in his death. I have lived with the guilt of this tragedy for nearly 20 years, despite years of therapy.

"The grandmother who wrote that letter has good reason to be concerned for the well-being of her grandchild. Please remind your readers that children are not a convenience. They require the supervision of responsible people who will care for them unselfishly."

—FLORIDA FAMILY THERAPIST

DEAR ABBY: If a woman proposes to a man, who should buy the ring?

DEB IN KNOXVILLE  
 DEAR DEB: Call me old-fashioned, but if the man is a gentleman he should buy the ring.

And if he refuses, the woman should enter into that marriage with her eyes wide open and no illusions about what her future will be.

# William the Conqueror landed in England today

"This day in history: On Sept. 28, 1066, William, Duke of Normandy, landed in England with the intention of taking over England. By Christmas, he had a new nickname, "William the Conqueror."



Check out the Australian \$10 note. It shows a dignified looking chap named Andrew Barton Patterson. Few people outside Australia know the name, but he wrote such classics as "The Man From Snowy River." However, that's not his main claim to fame — under the name, "Banjo" Patterson, he was the jolly swagman who wrote that lily-aching and jambuck song, "Waltzing Matilda."

Unlike many wild animals, tigers breed easily in captivity. Enough are born in zoos to keep from having to catch tigers in the wild.

Sherlock Holmes began his fictional life as Sherringford Hope, but author A. Conan Doyle borrowed "Holmes" from author Oliver Wendell Holmes and Sherlock from a cricket player named Mordcait Sherlock.

"Hazard" comes from an Arabic word that means "dice." In

# Gemini: Banish laziness

IF SEPTEMBER 28 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY... You have been enjoying more freedom in your life this year, and flourishing from the exposure to new people and situations that invigorate the senses. The full moon today may mark this birthday as the beginning of a new phase for relationships and your approach when you deal with the public.

ARIES (Mar 21-Apr. 19): The full moon in your sign today may heighten awareness of the importance of mates, partners, and significant relationships in your life. A subtle shift of power in recent weeks may come to your attention.

Taurus (Apr. 20-May 20): Work-related matters could come to a head, and some breathing space opens up. Being too congenial can actually be detrimental. Sidestep gossip, which could distract you from necessary tasks.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Conversations with close companions can eat up all your time, but you will find a willing and sympathetic ear if you have sincere worries. Banish laziness, and be firm about making concrete plans.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): The end of this lunar cycle marks some successful completion of some recent business efforts. Now that all the facts are in, you can ponder ideas for the future, confident that you know where your best interests lie.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): This full moon highlights recent information that has come your way. You know who you can trust and what facts are crucial for your success. It is a good time to plot strategies for handling your assets, and get advice.

VRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Financial matters that have been on the back burner may finally come to a boil. You have the good judgment and confidence to handle intricate family situations, and can finalize plans that affect your net worth.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): The past few weeks have given you much to digest, as today's full moon brings relationship matters to a conclusion. Changes and alterations in your life can be put into perspective over the next several days.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Work-related situations could come full circle and peak today. Small details could take up much of your time, but keep an ear open for helpful information where money is at stake.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Act on faith today and worry about the ramifications tomorrow. Beware you may miss a golden opportunity. Take attention to str business-related matters into motion, and give your full attention to strategic alliances.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Your attention could be centered on public image and a desire to receive recognition. The juggling act you perform to keep home and business matters coordinated may need

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Jeralaine Saunders

tweaking in light of changes.  
 AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): The opinions and beliefs of others could be on your mind. Your reflections can lead to frank discussions with others, promoting better understanding.  
 PISCES (Feb. 19-Mar. 20): As the full moon brings matters to a head, you could become cognizant of how recent shifts have altered your financial situation. It could be that you need to re-think payment schedules or plans for the future. Listen to wise advice from others.

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# COMMUNITY

Community Editor: Pat Marcantonio - 735-3288

## Group shares craft of quilting

By Jami Whitel  
Times-News writer

**GOODING** — When a quilting class at the College of Southern Idaho ended last year, a local group of quilters wanted more time for their projects so they started their own group.

"We just wanted to get together and keep it going," said Phyllis Kochert, the secretary and treasurer of the Wood River Quilters. The group was organized mainly to compliment the class at CSI.

According to Kochert, they visit and share what they're working on with each other. "We show and tell a lot," she said.

Sharing the quilting heritage is inspiring to Kochert.

"Everyone is doing something different; just about any kind of quilting, from the per-

son who pieces it all by hand to the one that does lots of machine quilting. Here, I think we're all inspired by each other," she said.

"You learn from one another," Ann Jansen, president of the club, added.

While still in its beginning stages, the group has gotten involved with the community. JoAnn Marley, a member, donated a quilt to last year's Gooding Founders Day on behalf of the club, and it was later auctioned to raise money for the Gooding Historical Museum.

### Do you enjoy quilting?

The Wood River Quilters will have a business meeting followed by open quilting from 6:30-9 p.m. every Wednesday at the Gooding County Extension Office 414 Building at the Gooding County Fairgrounds, 203 Lucy Lane.

For more information, call Ann Jansen at 934-4241 or Phyllis Kochert at 934-8046.

When the club gets a little more organized, it wants to make more quilts for upcoming events, Kochert said. For example, they plan to make a quilt for Gooding County Founders Day 2005. Jansen and Kochert recently picked

out a pattern with 12 squares so that everyone can make their own block.

The group is also planning to donate a quilt to the Parade of Trees at Christmas time, which earns money for Gooding County Memorial Hospital.

Kochert, Jansen and Shiron Shupe recently judged 41

quilts at the Gooding County Fair and said they learned a lot about the history of quilting. They will have 4-fters come to their meetings to present what they did and what they learned in their sessions.

"The quilting tradition is pretty alive," Kochert said.

"Some of us have quilts or pieces of quilts from our grandmothers and relatives that weren't finished. The heritage is really interesting to everyone."

Wood River Quilters member JoAnn Marley poses with her handmade quilt that she donated to Gooding Founders Day in May 2004. The group gathers to share the craft.

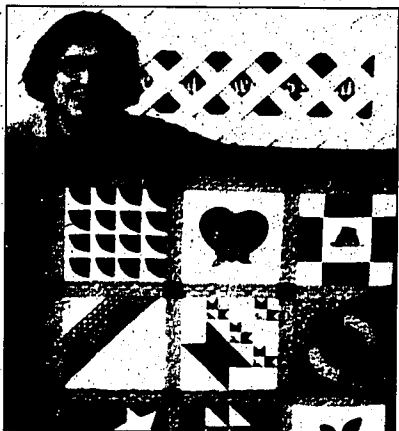


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## T.F. County Fair awards kitchen ribbons

**FILER** — The Twin Falls County Fair announced open class winners.

### KITCHEN AND PANTRY

**Canned Fruit**  
Best of Class  
1st - Donna Scott, Wendell  
1st - Holly Weber  
1st - Holly Weber

**Canned Vegetables**  
Best of Class  
1st - Mary Lou Ottman, Hazelton  
2nd - Julie Moore  
2nd - Julie Moore

**Canned Soups**  
Best of Class  
1st - Carolyn Webster  
2nd - Carolyn Webster  
2nd - Carolyn Webster

**Canned Meats and Specialties**  
Best of Class  
1st - Julie Moore  
2nd - Julie Moore  
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2nd - Elizabeth Bates, Donna Scott  
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### Magic Valley Regional Medical Center

**Addison Maree Flynn**, daughter of Tara Maree Wright and Christopher Cody Flynn of Twin Falls, was born Wednesday, Sept. 8, 2004.

**Dylan Robert Delsher**, son of Aurelia Helena Leano and Bryan Nick Deisher of Twin Falls, was born Wednesday, Sept. 8, 2004.

**Yaveth Jovanna Zepeda**, daughter of Yanet Witron of Jerome, was born Wednesday, Sept. 8, 2004.

**Tyler Kyah Rutherford**, son of Nichole C. Foster of Twin Falls, was born Wednesday, Sept. 8, 2004.

**Gianna Ryan Henderson**, son of Angela Kay Watkins of Buhl, was born Wednesday, Sept. 8, 2004.

**Trenton Anthony Wilson**, son of Nicole Diane and Ryan Douglas Flynn of Twin Falls, was born Saturday, Sept. 11, 2004.

**James Lee Miller**, son of Elizabeth Anne and Ritchie Lee Miller of Filer, was born Saturday, Sept. 11, 2004.

**Isaiah Jacob Silvas**, son of Anita and Richard Silvas of Twin Falls, was born Sunday, Sept. 19, 2004.

## STORK REPORT

### To announce a birth Send a copy of the birth certificate to:

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was born Friday, Sept. 24, 2004.

**Royce Rivas**, son of Stacy Lynn and Jose Luis Rivas of Twin Falls, was born Friday, Sept. 24, 2004.

### Cassia Regional Medical Center

**Rafe Dexter Roberts**, son of Eric Luis Roberts of Burley, was born Tuesday, Aug. 31, 2004.

**BraXTon John Brown**, son of B.J. and Debbie Brown of Burley, was born Thursday, Sept. 16, 2004.

### St. Luke's Wood River Medical Center

**Priscilla Meza**, daughter of Maria and Jose Meza of Gooding, was born Sunday, Sept. 12, 2004.

**Alexis Ruiz-Martinez**, son of Claudia Martinez and Elias Ruiz-Ramos of Picabo, was born Sunday, Sept. 12, 2004.

**Creegan Duncan**, son of Lisa Gross and Desry Duncan of Shoshone, was born Monday, Sept. 13, 2004.

**Terrence William Ring Jr.**, son of Susan and Terrence Ring of Ketchum, was born Wednesday, Sept. 15, 2004.

**Drew Renee Willett**, daughter of Noelle Hedge and Dan Willett of Hailey, was born Thursday, Sept. 16, 2004.

**Hannah Corrin Higns**, daughter of Holly and Jeffery Higns of Hailey, was born Friday, Sept. 17, 2004.

**Charles Douglas Price**, son of Diana and Nicholas Price of Hailey, was born Friday, Sept. 17, 2004.

**Zachary Joseph Benson**, son of Sarah and Christopher Benson of Hailey, was born Sunday, Sept. 19, 2004.

**Twin Falls**, was born Wednesday, Sept. 22, 2004.

**Aiden Patrick Murphy**, son of Shawna Michelle and Mark Patrick Murphy of Twin Falls, was born Wednesday, Sept. 22, 2004.

**Nicholas John Slusher**, son of Stephanie Jo and John David Slusher of Gooding, was born Wednesday, Sept. 22, 2004.

**Angelica Maria Gouvea**, daughter of Randall Louisa Edwards and Salvador Sandoval Gouvea of Jerome, was born Wednesday, Sept. 22, 2004.

**Ana Lizeeth Salazar**, daughter of Pricilla Marthia and Raul Garcia Salazar of Jerome, was born Thursday, Sept. 23, 2004.

**Ashlynn Louise Winnert**, daughter of Hollie Marie and Sidney Clark Winnert of Jerome, was born Thursday, Sept. 23, 2004.

**Zoe Louise Morrison**, daughter of Ginny Louise and Lanning Jay Morrison of Twin Falls, was born Thursday, Sept. 23, 2004.

**Kasen Lee Fife**, son of Wendy Lee and Jeremy Lynn Fife of Murtaugh, was born Tuesday, Sept. 23, 2004.

**Paige Layne Denaughel**, daughter of Melissa Dawn and Ryan Lamar Denaughel of Jerome, was born Friday, Sept. 24, 2004.

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### M.V. Duplicate Bridge Club announces winners

**TWIN FALLS** — The Magic Valley Duplicate Bridge Club has announced its weekly winners.

Sept. 16: First, Gladys Haruff and Sue Skinner; second, Betty Grant and Ruth Rahe; third, Bobette Plankey and Don Rahe; and tied for fourth/fifth, Jessie Lingnav and Sam Smutny with Mike Mitchell and Reuben Tschakofsky.

Sept. 18 club championship: First, Riley Burton and Bobette Plankey; second, Joy Astorgua and Leslie Lingnav; third, Herb and Ada Burgess; and tied for fourth/fifth, Joann Jackson and

Veeta Roberts with Peggy Hackley and Evelyn Meyer.

Sept. 20: First, Joann Jackson and Mike Mitchell and second, Vi Cochran and Beverly Reed.

Sept. 21: First, Norma Prigg and Carmen Kavan; second, Mary Lee Pfeiffer and Faye Kochneff; third, Joyce Johnston and Madine Watkins; and fourth, Joann Jackson and Mary Ann.

Sept. 22, Charity game for north/south: First, Riley Burton and Peggy Hackley; second, Alla Hoobery and Bobette Plankey; and third, Renee Bulcher and Gladys Haruff. East/West: First, Harold Bulcher and Wilma Driscoll; second, Lonnie Burns and Jessie Lingnav; third, Herb

Burgess and Barbara Burk, and light B, Elaine Bowen and Ruth Skeem.

The club meets at 7 p.m. every Monday and Thursday and at 1 p.m. every Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday at 246 Falls Ave. in Twin Falls. Refreshments are served.

**Chef Kastner from Hailey heads cooking class**

**TWIN FALLS** — Chef Chris Kastner will teach "CK's Reef Food from Hailey" from 7-9 p.m. Oct. 5 at Rudy's, 147 Main Ave. W.

The menu will include hand-

made pasta, lava lakes lamb ravioli, honey braised lamb necks, lamb consume, seasoned vegetable side-dishes and CK's fresh lime pie. The cost is \$25.

Kastner owns CK's restaurant in Hailey.

For more information, call 733-5477.

**Kimberly senior center holds craft show**

**KIMBERLY** — The Kimberly Agnes Senior Citizens, 380 Main Ave. N., will hold its annual craft show and bazaar from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Oct. 9.

The event will have craft ta-

bles, door prizes, drawings, food and entertainment.

Crafters can rent a large table for \$20 or a small table for \$10. Tables can be set up from 1:30 until 3 p.m. Oct. 8.

Tables can be reserved by calling 423-4338 in the morning.

**Richfield hosts craft, home business fair**

**RICHFIELD** — Richfield is hosting its first craft and home business fair from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday at the American Legion Hall on Highway 26.

For more information, call 487-2237 or 934-5113.

**Down Syndrome Buddy Walk takes place**

**TWIN FALLS** — The second annual Buddy Walk will be held Saturday for the Magic Valley Down Syndrome Family Connections to promote acceptance and inclusion of people with Down Syndrome.

Participants will meet at 11 a.m. at Thompson Park.

October is National Down Syndrome Awareness Month. The walk is open to everyone. After the 1-mile walk there will be entertainment, raffles, hot dogs, games and cotton candy. Buddy Walk T-shirts will be for sale. For more information, call 324-3251.

## COMMUNITY EVENTS



## EDITORIAL

### Water proposal merits attention from all Idaho

Even though the Expanded Natural Resources Interim Committee has released its water plan to state budget legislators last week, much work remains for the plan to become a success.

Legislators and other state leaders must still convince all Idahoans that the water crisis is a statewide tax support. As more water flows through the aquifer, so will more tax revenue flow into state programs.

But first, a tip of the hat to interim committee members, the Idaho Department of Water Resources, and the Idaho Attorney General's Office, which have all made a good start with their recently unveiled plan.

Committee co-chairmen Sen. Laird Noh, R-Kimberly, and Rep. Dell Raybould, R-Rexburg, guided lengthy sessions throughout the summer to shape the initial agreement. The talks brought surface-water users, groundwater pumps, and spring users together to balance interests, while still following Idaho's senior water rights doctrine.

The resulting plan does what many participants predicted. The state proposes to buy out willing participants' water rights in certain affected areas. That will reduce overall use of the Snake River Plain aquifer - Idaho's subsurface water system that runs from Palisades to King Hill.

With less use, more water should be accessible from the

aquifer. And that will help surface irrigators and the aquaculture industry get more water they're entitled to from senior water rights.

The price for this long-term purchase project tallies up to \$100 million over 30 years. Much of it should come from state bonding and other portions from federal programs.

That's a bargain compared to the alternative of lawsuits, shutdowns, well curtailments and job losses that would have cost an estimated \$900 million a year.

Now legislators need to bring all Idahoans on board with this proposal, not an easy task in a large and diverse state. The farther north you go, the less important voters place on water and irrigation issues. Some will ask why they should care at all.

The answer is that this water crisis is more than a regional pickle. By preserving water resources for southern Idaho, state taxpayers will be bolstering a regional economy. And that fuels income for the entire state, with corporate and income tax revenue going into schools, state agencies and road systems.

Perhaps southern Idaho residents and those along the aquifer will pay more through user fees or local tax increases. That would be a fair way to spread the cost. But assistance from the state general fund is also appropriate for this water plan.

The devil is the details, to be sure. But so far, the proposal makes a good start.

### Our view: State legislators must convince voters a new water resource proposal benefits the entire Idaho economy.

### What do you think? We welcome viewpoints from our readers on this and other issues.

## Kerry hands Bush big-buzz issues

John Kerry is running the dumbest presidential campaign in modern history. Don't misunderstand.

Dumb is not the same as Wrong. Kerry may be right on some of the issues. But that's not the point. Elections are about votes, and Kerry's campaign seems calculated to actually repel them. I have a look.

Taxes. The first rule of politics is: Low taxes, good; high taxes, bad. President Bush understands this. He is running as a tax cutter, plain and simple. Elect him and you pay less.

Kerry, on the other hand, wants to raise taxes. Just on the rich, he says, but nobody believes that - and why should they? For years he and other Democrats have denounced Bush's cuts as unfair. Middle class voters look at Kerry and see a guy who's going to raise their taxes.

Religion. Another rule of politics is: Carry your own denomination. Bush will be the darling of Evangelical Protestants. Evangelical churches across the country are his de facto clubhouses, pastors his precinct captains.

Once upon a time, Catholic Democratic candidates Al Smith and John Kennedy could run on similar sectarian solidarity. But Kerry's stance on abortion has turned the Catholic hierarchy against him. He is so unpopular with the leadership that Edward Cardinal Egan very publicly failed to invite him to attend the annual Al Smith dinner next month. Getting the snub is the political equivalent of excommunication.

Family Values. Bush has made himself the champion of traditional marriage. Kerry is running as a Massachusetts metrosexual. "Ozzie and Harriet"



et beats "Will and Grace" in every swing state in the country.

National icons. Sometime in the next two weeks, the Senate will take up a constitutional amendment to outlaw burning the American flag. Bush favors this amendment. Kerry opposes it.

The Democrats also have managed to put themselves on the "no" side of a House bill that seeks to keep the words "under God" in the Pledge of Allegiance. These bills are political theater, not legislation, but that isn't the point. Parties surrender control of the nation's patriotic symbols at their peril - especially south of the Mason-Dixon line and west of the Mississippi.

Iraq. Bush says it was right to

take down Saddam Hussein. Kerry says it wasn't worth it. Bush says that Iraq is part of the war on terror. Kerry says it isn't. Bush says that America is winning. Kerry says America is losing. Bush says elections will be held in Iraq. Kerry says they won't.

These propositions are all debatable, but it is a debate Kerry can't win - at least not by Election Day. Nobody will know on Nov. 2 if Iraq can stage an election next year. Nobody will be able to say for sure whether America is safer with Saddam out of power. There will be no final answer to the question: Is the U.S. engaged in Vietnam II or World War III?

What voters will know is that President Bush is optimistic on

the war. Kerry pessimistic. Pessimism is not considered a winning trait in American politics, certainly not in wartime. By going negative on the war, Kerry's position can be vindicated only if some major disaster occurs.

Five weeks out, Kerry has dealt Bush every trump card - God, family, low taxes, optimism and victory. It is impossible to imagine Bill Clinton - or any competent politician - doing such a thing. It is only slightly more possible to imagine Kerry winning with the hand he has dealt himself.

Zev Chafets is a columnist for the New York Daily News. He can be reached at zchafets@nho.com.

## LETTERS

### CBS revealed its bias long before memo story

The ongoing arrogance CBS has shown with regard to those four memos allegedly proving Bush was given preferential treatment in the National Guard comes as no surprise to anyone whose read CBS-veteran Bernard Goldberg's best-seller, "Bias: A CBS Insider Exposes How the Media Distorts the News." One of the many glaringly obvious things that come across in Goldberg's book is the complete contempt CBS News in general, and Dan Rather and "60 Minutes" in particular, have for anything they consider being Republican, conservative and/or pro-big business in nature.

Goldberg, who worked for CBS News for 25 years and was immediately ostracized after he had the temerity to write a commentary in the Feb. 13, 1996, Wall Street Journal in which he publicly acknowledged that a lot of the mainstream media does go out of its way to show liberals and Democrats in an unwaveringly flattering light... while showing their counterparts in a very harsh one. The book is loaded with examples of very partisan-inspired vendettas (masquerading as news "exposés") being manifested at CBS. This memo's scandal being just the latest credibility quagmire.

Beside all the much-discussed inconsistencies with regard to the memo's fonts, spacing, etc., many of those inconsistencies in the Sept. 8 '99 "Minutes" piece weren't exactly credible. Col. Walter "Buck" Staudt, who supposedly exacted pressure on Lt. Col. Jerry Killian to give Bush preferential treatment, retired 18 months before the memo was written. Former Texas Lt. Gov. (and John Kerry fund-raiser) Ben Barnes contradicted numerous

earlier statements by saying he did help get Bush into the guard in 1988; Barnes' daughter has called him a "liar." Killian's secretary told CBS Killian didn't even type! The handwriting expert (Marcel Madley) who testified for CBS told the Washington Post he never examined the memos, only Killian's alleged signature, which he said was "not one of the four memos anyway!" Two other handwriting experts couldn't authenticate the heavily photocopied documents, and one told the Post: "I didn't feel they wanted to investigate it very deeply." ("The Camera Blinks," Sept. 17, 2004, Wall Street Journal).

Can't wait to read Goldberg's latest book, "Arrogance: Saving America from the Media Elite." JOHN PLUNTZE Ketchum

### Idaho was at her finest for Capt. Rowe's family

Behind every cloud, there is a silver lining. On the afternoon of Sept. 3, 2004, my dear friends and I experienced the most unbearable moment of our lives. Two Marines in full-dress uniforms and a chaplain showed up at our doorsteps to inform us of Capt. Alan Blake Rowe's death in Iraq, within 24 hours, we learned of my brother's desire to be placed at rest "on the top of a mountain in Idaho," and the Mountain View Cemetery in our neighboring town of Fairfield was chosen as the perfect location. As there are only three family members in the Magic Valley area, we turned to our friends and neighbors to help us with the arrangements for the services as well as arrangements for incoming relatives and Marines from every part of the world around the world. And did they ever come through for us! We cannot begin to express

our heartfelt gratitude toward the many individuals and organizations that provided food, encouragement, lodging, food cards, flowers and more for our family in both Gooding and Fairfield. We received food, coordination assistance, compassion and support from the churches, the American Legion and law enforcement agencies. Fire teachers from Buhl sent food for the reception!

Our friends and family from outside of Idaho have repeatedly told us how warmly they were received by Idahoans. They appreciated the welcoming and supportive messages wherever they went - from the yellow ribbons, signs, posters throughout Fairfield and Gooding and even the school rock in front of the Gooding Accelerated Learning Center which was painted in Alan's honor. Maj. Kyle Ellison and many of the other Marines have expressed their appreciation for those who bought them breakfast, lunch, a beverage or two and much more!

More friends and family have returned to California, Washington, Oregon, Ohio, Louisiana, Texas, Mississippi, Oklahoma, Iraq, Japan and many other locations with their stories of Idaho, her beauty and her people. Our letter of thanks to the many individuals will appear on the Community page in Thursday's Times-News. DIANA ROWE PAULS Gooding

### Fairground arena will attract major events

If you build it, they will come. Recall that famous line about a guy who built a baseball field in his cornfield in the movie "Field of Dreams." People thought he was crazy, but it was his money to burn, right? And come they did!

We're being asked to fork over \$2.8 million for an event center at the fairgrounds. This facility can hold 5,000 people for a concert or 3,000 folks for a rodeo, min or shine, 365 days a year. Will they come?

I don't like taxes. I already pay thousands per year. I always vote not when I've got the choice. More police? Not More firefighters? Not More schools? Not More - no, no and no! Part of the problem with a bigger government is it grows a bigger belly. It "eats" more, not just next year but year in and year out - forever!

The event center is different. Once it's built and paid for, there's no giant sucking sound for the next forever. Not only will it again bring creating a positive revenue stream the very first year, but that stream gets bigger every year after that. Add to that, it's a multiplier in the local economy.

I recall stories of Doc Taylor in the mid-'60s. Built a college in Twin Falls, skeptics asked? Whatever for? He made a promise: If you build it, they will come. Did they ever? I think the event center is an idea whose time has come. I think \$30 a square foot is frugal. I think this is something 100 percent of us ought to support.

What's it going to cost? Four pennies a day for the next five years. Then nothing ever again. And for those 4 cents, you get the chance to attend hundreds of events that never would be there otherwise. Events you'd otherwise have to travel to Boise or Salt Lake City or Sun Valley to see and hear will be right here in little old Twin Falls! Minutes away instead of hours away. If there's a down side, I can't find it.

Vote a little faith. Vote yes. If you build it, they will come. PHIL AUTH Berger

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## LETTER

### Give hunters something worth paying for.

Forget missing our hunting and fishing costs. It seems we only hear from Hultaker when he needs more money.

How about telling us your game plan for better hunting and game management? He needs more staff! What a joke! The current staff has not done a good job. There are some examples:

pheasants are all but gone in the Magic Valley. Only 56 used to be a good buck hunt but is now just an open hunt? Why, because it was open for two-point only in the general hunt and then the draw hunt for mature bucks. If you shoot all the

two points and then the mature bucks, you end up with nothing.

The elk in the big desert hunt are all but gone. I could keep going, but my point is, more staff and personnel, pickups, boats and computers, which we sportsmen will pay for, will do us not one bit of good unless we see some common sense management.

"The Fish and Game is just another bloated, political, government machine. I do have an idea though: How about none of us buy any licenses and tags for one year and see if they will start doing their job and listening to us sportsmen?" DAN NUTSCH Kimberly

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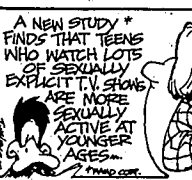
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### By Bruce Tinsley



# Insurgents step up their offensive

BAGHDAD, Iraq - Two car bombs killed seven Iraqi national guardsmen and a rocket barrage hit a police academy Monday as insurgents kept up their offensive to subdue Iraq's beleaguered security forces. U.S. jets pounded suspected militant positions in a Baghdad slum.

Two U.S. soldiers with the 1st Infantry Division were killed in separate incidents Monday near Balad, north of the capital. The first died in a car crash and the second was killed when a patrol came under fire as it returned from the crash, the military said. More than 1,040 U.S. military members have died since the start of U.S. operations in Iraq in March 2003.

Lt. Col. Jim Hutton, a U.S. Army spokesman, said insurgents also fired three mortar rounds at a nearby Army base, but the shells fell short and exploded in a civilian neighborhood. It was not clear if any of the casualties in Sadr City were from the insurgents' shells.

The military has launched a sweeping crackdown against Shiite fighters loyal to renegade cleric Muqtada al-Sadr in the sprawling slum - named after the cleric's late father - in an effort to dismantle his militia before elections slated for January.

**U.S. soldiers face charges in death of Iraqi civilian**  
BAGHDAD, Iraq - Two U.S. soldiers have been charged with



Khalid Hameed, right, brother of Jabbar Hameed, consoles his uncle, Hajj Aburadi, as a coffin carrying Jabbar's body is taken for burial after he died in a U.S. airstrike in Sadr City, Baghdad, on Monday.

murder in the death of an Iraqi civilian, the 1st Cavalry Division announced Monday.

A military statement identified the soldiers as Staff Sgt. Johnny Horne Jr. and Staff Sgt. Cardenas Alban, both from Company C, 1st Battalion, 41st Infantry Regiment from Fort Riley, Kan.

The military declined to provide details about the case, saying an investigation is ongoing.

**HIV/AIDS infection surges in north Uganda**

KAMPALA, Uganda - The rate of HIV/AIDS infection in northern Uganda is nearly double that in the rest of the country because of devastation caused by 18 years of civil war, an inter-

national aid group said Monday.

Uganda's national rate of infection is estimated at 6.2 percent and declining, but the rate in northern Uganda is 11.9 percent and rising, the group said.

**Palestinian gunmen abduct a CNN producer**

GAZA CITY, Gaza Strip - Palestinian gunmen abducted a CNN producer on Monday, pulling him from a company van in Gaza City.

Riad Ali, a producer based at the network's Jerusalem bureau, was seized when two cars carrying gunmen pulled up to the CNN van on Gaza street, witnesses said.

CNN correspondent Ben

Wedeman, who was also in the van with Ali, said the men asked specifically for Ali.

**Israeli strike in Gaza kills one militant**

JERUSALEM - An Israeli helicopter struck a Palestinian vehicle in the southern Gaza Strip on Monday, killing one militant and wounding three people, Palestinian hospital officials said.

The strike came on a day when Israelis killed six other Palestinians in various attacks. In one of the attacks, an Israeli soldier shot and killed a Palestinian taxi driver on a remote West Bank road Monday, police said.

Also, in the West Bank, Israeli troops hunting militants raided a hospital in the city of Jenin, searching rooms for several hours until they left without making arrests.

**Putin sets his electoral reforms in motion**

MOSCOW - President Vladimir Putin put sweeping political reforms in motion Monday, sending to Russia's parliament a bill on eliminating the popular election of regional governors and district parliament races.

Putin has explained the proposal is a necessary response to the Beslan school hostage seizure and other terror attacks, saying a strong federal government is needed to fend off threats.

His opponents describe the reform as a deadly blow to Russia's fledgling democracy. -compiled from wire reports

# Afghan attack injures three

KABUL, Afghanistan (AP) - Three U.S. soldiers were wounded, one of them critically, when Afghan insurgents attacked their vehicle with rockets and guns, the American military said Monday.

The military also announced the capture of more than five Taliban leaders, and confirmed the death of a rebel commander who had been released from the

U.S. prison in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.

The American soldiers were hurt when militants attacked the vehicle Saturday morning near Qalat, the capital of the troubled southeastern province of Zabul, a military statement said.

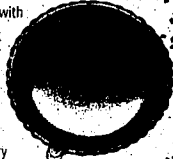
It said the three wounded soldiers were evacuated to a military hospital in Landstuhl, Germany for treatment.

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**Art show opens  
today at CSI**

**TWIN FALLS** — An art show opening today in the Jean B. King gallery of the Herrett Center for Arts and Science will feature Garth Classen and John Tate. A public reception starts at 7 p.m. "Contested and Contemporary Landscapes" will be on display through Nov. 13.

Classen is a professor of art at Albion College of Idaho. He did post-graduate work in fine arts at the University of Natal in South Africa and received his Ph.D. in art history at Indiana University. Classen's "Heavy Dancers and Searchers" series of paintings features chunky, blundering titans, some of whom appear engaged in meaningful activities while others simply fill out a surreal landscape.

Tate has been a professor of art at Boise State University since 1975. His oil paintings in the Herrett show feature open spaces and colors found in Idaho's rural landscape. In his artist's statement, Tate says he tries to emphasize a positive, affirmative view of life and an appreciation for beauties of the natural world.

The Herrett Center is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Tuesdays and Fridays, 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Wednesdays and Thursdays and 1 to 9 p.m. on Saturdays. For more information, call 732-6655.

**County gives \$3,500  
to veterans for van**

**TWIN FALLS** — County commissioners Monday approved spending \$3,500 to help veterans purchase a new van. "I feel very appreciative," said Disabled American Veterans Commander Eva Elliott. "It's good that they are responding to our needs."

"Veterans had been \$3,500 shy of the \$10,000 needed to purchase a van," which takes veterans for medical care at the Veterans Administration in Boise five days a week. The van picks up veterans in Twin Falls, Filer, Buhl, Jerome, Wendell, Gooding and Mountain Home. Veterans will ask those other counties to pitch in as well.

"We could put it in the fund for next year," Elliott said. Local veterans groups are struggling with a shortage of members, volunteers and monetary donations. The group is especially in need of volunteers to drive the van to Boise.

Those interested in joining one of the veterans groups, or volunteering or making a donation, can call Elliott at 734-9759; Cheryl Ringenberg, Twin Falls County veterans services officer at 733-7610; Ed E. 21, Veterans of Foreign Wars Commander Bob Jackson at 733-6042; or Marine Corps League Sergeant at Arms George Kinslow at 733-7846.

**Jerome School Board  
Interviews candidates**

**JEROME** — The Jerome School Board will have a special meeting tonight to interview two candidates for an open seat on the board.

Bob Whitechurch and Linda Hadam are both applying for the position vacated by Steve Marshall, who resigned for health reasons in August. The seat is for Zone 1, which includes the northwest part of the district, starting at Lincoln and Main streets.

**Vandals hit more than  
20 homes in Paul**

**PAUL** — The Minidoka County Sheriff's Department said it has two suspects in custody in connection with a vandalism spree that took place Saturday night in Paul.

Reports were still coming in Monday, but police said more than 22 homes had been damaged. It appears as though the vandals broke through the blunt object like a baseball bat or a piece of lumber.

The suspects were caught at Minico High School during the night, but no formal reports have been filed and police reports have not yet been completed, the department said.

— compiled from staff reports

**T.F. business districts unite**

By Julie Pence  
Times-News writer

**TWIN FALLS** — Downtown and Historic Old Towne are now one.

It was a union many years in the making. City Councilwoman Elaine Steele said, but one in which she found satisfaction.

A former director of the downtown business improvement district from 1995 until 1998, Steele said she had worked on changing the wording in Idaho law to bring together the two districts.

A business improvement district is a downtown management strategy and financing tool that allows commercial districts to develop

fund and administer programs and services that benefit the district.

Until Monday, the two business improvement districts in Twin Falls had an almost impossible assessment structure, said Karla Williams, who is the current director of the downtown district.

With little discussion, the City Council unanimously approved the plan at a hearing held after its regular Monday meeting.

There had been 41 different ways in which businesses were being assessed. Williams was going to each business and measuring the square footage of each, taking into account the type of business it is and how much of the property is devoted to certain

**News Tracker**

■ **Last we knew:** Representatives for the two downtown business districts were planning to consolidate the two as well as simplify the assessment structure.

■ **The latest:** The City Council unanimously approved the plan on Monday.

■ **What's next:** The unified district will elect a new board.

purposes. "It depends if you're inside or outside, upstairs or downstairs," said Richard Crowley, another former downtown director. "It

**Council raises water rates**

The Times-News

**TWIN FALLS** — The City Council also approved Monday an increase of water rates beginning Oct. 1. It's the first in four years.

Residents who use less than 50,000 gallons per month will see their rates increase from 91 cents per thousand gallons to 97 cents.

Residents using between 51,000 and 100,000 gallons will

goes on now. It's too complicated."

From now on, all businesses will pay dues to the unified district that are based on the

see their rates on the second 50,000 gallons they use go from 69 cents per thousand gallons to 97 cents.

Councilman Chris Talkington noted the irony in encouraging city residents to use less water than turning around and raising rates.

"But in this time of water shortages, I think it is defensible," Talkington said. "Unfortunately, we will pay more for less in the future."

property value multiplied by a mill rate of .00275 — or \$2.75 per \$1,000 of property value — and

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**Tanker spill causes evacuation**



Members of the Buhl Fire Department survey the wreckage of a United Oil truck carrying diesel and gasoline after it crashed on 1400 East near Buhl on Monday. Emergency workers contained the crash site before fuel began spilling.

**Emergency workers were able to contain the spill**

By Sandra Wisecaver  
Times-News correspondent

**BUHL** — An overturned fuel truck spilled gasoline and diesel on a rural road Monday south of Buhl, leading to the evacuation of four homes.

The Buhl Fire Department responded to the accident just north of the intersection of 4000 North and 1400 East at 9:13 a.m. Emergency vehicles eventually had to be moved away from the accident when the two fuels began mixing.

Roads were closed off to traffic 1 mile in each direction from the intersection for several hours.

"We had to move slowly — bring in the resources we needed," Buhl Fire Chief Mark Grimes said. "You have to mitigate hazardous materials as safely as possible. We watch our priorities — life, property and

environment."

The accident occurred when the United Oil truck traveling south on 1400 East began to drift off the steep embankment on the west side of the road about a mile south of Buhl, said Mark Burgess, a deputy with the Twin Falls County sheriff's department.

The driver, Andrew Fritz, 28, of Buhl, overcorrected in attempting to bring the truck back onto the road. The rear end of the tanker slid downhill, pulled by the shift of the fuel, hitting a power pole.

The abrupt shift of the fuel lifted the front of the truck off the ground as it came back on the road.

The 1990 tractor and tanker were flipped onto the driver's side and slid a short distance down the roadway before coming to a stop.

The truck, which had a capacity for 2,400 gallons of diesel and 1,000 gallons of gasoline, was not fully loaded at the time of the accident, investigators said.

Fritz was transported by ambulance to Magic Valley Regional Medical Center where he was treated and released.

Two spills in the tanker — a 6-inch crack and another that was 2 inches long — were spilling about 3 to 4 gallons of diesel per minute.

Buhl firefighters were able to slow the flow to less than a gallon per minute and a berm was built around the area, Grimes said.

At 12:45 p.m. gas began mixing with the diesel leaking from the truck.

"The gas becomes a much more explosive issue than the diesel," Grimes said.

A breach in the dividing wall

between the two compartments inside the tank probably allowed the gas to flow into the diesel compartment, Grimes said.

Emergency vehicles then took positions 1,000 feet away from the overturned truck. Workers were aided by cloudy skies that kept temperatures down and brisk winds that carried vapors away from the scene.

A Pocatello-based hazardous materials team equipped with specialized air-powered tools that allow workers to tap or drill into the skin of the tanker arrived at about 1:30 p.m. The fuel eventually was pumped into a second tanker truck in a process that took about an hour.

"As much of the fuel was transferred as possible before the truck was pulled upright and

placed on its side. The fuel was transferred as possible before the truck was pulled upright and

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**Crews work  
to clean up  
derailment**

By Lorraine Cavener  
Times-News correspondent

**MINIDOKA** — A crew of about 30 workers from temp agencies labored all day Sunday and Monday slogging boxes of frozen vegetables.

The crew, hired by Pocatello-based Jack B. Parson Companies, will be working the rest of this week cleaning spilled produce from a train that derailed near Minidoka at about 6:30 a.m. Sunday, said Lee Marcham, a supervisor with the company.

The derailment, which happened near the crossing at 500 East, involved 39 cars with about 20 to 25 of those derailling into mangled wreckage. The wreckage stretched out for about half a mile.

Eastern Idaho Railroad cleared, rebuilt and then re-opened the tracks at about 4 a.m. Monday.

Parson Companies started cleaning shortly after the derailment, Marcham said.

Much of the frozen peas and corn will go to waste, he said. "I don't think it's going to last long," Marcham said.

But Parson Companies is palletizing and loading into refrigerator trucks the produce that's still frozen.

"We want to get as much salvage as we can out of this," he said.

Vegetables that are still frozen will later be loaded back into train cars, Marcham said.

Marcham said he has not been told what caused the derailment.

**Counties start  
accepting  
absentee votes**

The Times-News

**TWIN FALLS** — Absentee voting is now taking place for the Nov. 2 general election at county clerk's offices throughout Magic Valley.

In Twin Falls County, absentee voters can cast their ballots from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday until Nov. 1 on the second floor of the county courthouse at 425 Shoshone St. N.

Voters can also submit by mail, fax or e-mail a request to have an absentee ballot mailed to them. Applications for absentee voter ballots must be postmarked and signed by the registered voter requesting the ballot.

Applications can be picked up at the county clerk's office or downloaded from the Twin Falls County Web site at [www.twinfallscounty.org](http://www.twinfallscounty.org). Election laws do not provide for a ballot to be picked up by a family member or friend.

Absentee ballots must be requested before 5 p.m. on Oct. 27. However, absentee voting will continue at the courthouse until 5 p.m. Nov. 1.

New voters will be able to register on election day. However, in order to have your name on the official poll books you must register by Oct. 8. Voters are not required to provide their driver's license number on the

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**Burley park will get facelift for city's centennial**

By Chip Thompson  
Times-News writer

**BURLEY** — Plans are in the works to renovate Burley's Centennial Park in time for next year's centennial celebrations.

Dennis Dexter, a member of the city's Gem Community Team, told Cassia County commissioners Monday that the new park will feature a small structure with a running waterfall, a bronze statue of a farmer and a small grain field to represent the role of agriculture in the city's history.

The renovation of the park will be paid for entirely by private donations, Dexter said. One family that wishes to remain anonymous has offered to finance a second fountain in the center of the park.

The project is the result of more than a year's effort on the part of the Gem Team to have Burley certified as an Idaho Gem Community.

Burley Community Development Specialist Brian Tibbets said in order to become certified the team needed to plan a project for the city.



In this painting, Beverly Stone depicts the planned development of Burley's Centennial Park viewed from Overland Avenue facing east. The plan includes two fountains, a statue and even a small grain field.

"To get certified you don't have to actually do a project, you just have to think of one," Tibbets said. "But we thought why do a plan and put it in a can?"

Tibbets said he expects certification within 60 days and for the park project to be completed prior to centennial events next

summer. The Burley City Council approved the renovation earlier this year.

While certification once meant eligibility for certain grants, the benefits now involve pride in the city and its improvements.

"The biggest advantage for

Burley is that it's created a team of talented citizens with a vision for the city," Tibbets said.

Certification could boost efforts to market the city and its resources to businesses looking to relocate or expand.

"We're being recognized by the Commerce and Labor as a community that's proactive and growing correctly," he added.

Dexter asked commissioners for permission to develop a 28-foot strip of land belonging to the county on the south side of the park. While no structures are proposed for the strip, the city wants to extend pathways and maintain the whole park.

Commissioners agreed in concept to allow the city to make the strip part of the park as long as the agreement was not permanent. The county would be allowed to reclaim the land in expansion of county structures becomes necessary.

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# OBITUARIES

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## Helen C. Wengert Buhler

Helen C. Wengert Buhler's strong heart beat its last when she left this earth to go to her heavenly father on Saturday, Sept. 25, 2004.

Helen was born Sept. 6, 1919, in Detroit, Mich., to Elizabeth Bakendale and Harry Buxendall. She was the youngest of two daughters who moved away to New York when she met Norman Wengert, and they wedded in 1940. After Norman's service in the military, they took their 6-year-old daughter, Barbara, to Alaska, to homestead. Helen worked as a head woman in the nursery of a children's orphanage, where she cared for small children and treated them as if they were her own. While living in Alaska, they had three more children, Norman, Tom and Susan.

After many years, they returned to the east coast and moved to Oklahoma where their youngest son, Gary, was born.

Helen and Norman moved to Idaho in 1961 and a few years later Norman passed away due to a heart attack. She



continued with work and raising her kids and caring for foster kids. She always kept herself busy and hard at work. She remarried to Howard Buhler in 1974, and he later passed on in 1982.

She lived her life to the fullest and never knew a stranger. She was a wonderful wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and friend. She will be greatly missed by those who were touched by her kindness and words of wisdom.

Helen is survived by her sister, Louise Houston; two daughters, Susan Evalst and Barbara Nelson; three sons, Mike Wengert, Tom (Arlene) Wengert and Gary (Mary) Wengert; stepdaughter, Maggie Henderson; 11 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Her parents and two husbands preceded her in death. Helen's family would like to say a special thank you to the Cottage Staff at BridgeView for all the care and support you showed, to her family, to us. We greatly appreciate everything you did for the family and giving our mother/grandmother comfort.

A funeral will be conducted at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 29, 2004, at the 9th Ward L.D.S. Chapel, 3155 Elizabeth Blvd., Twin Falls, with Bishop Glenn Arrington conducting. Interment will follow in Sunset Memorial Park. Friends may call from 9:15 to 10:15 a.m. on Wednesday at the church.

Services are under the direction of White Mortuary, "Chapel by the Park."

## Mabel Helen Luthi

Mabel Helen Luthi, 95, died Friday, Sept. 17, 2004, in Petaluma, Calif.

A funeral will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 2nd at Alden-Waggoner Funeral Chapel. Private burial will take place at Terrace Lawn Cemetery, Boise.

Mabel was born March 24, 1909, in Ash County, N.C., to Jess and Ada (Speaks) Miller. She married Orville Luthi in September 1937 in Twin Falls.

Mabel enjoyed fishing and hunting with her husband. She also liked to sew and work in her garden.

Survivors include a sister, Nellie R. Comstock of California; sister-in-law, Lela Miller of Boise; many nieces and nephews, friends and neighbors.

The family would like to thank special neighbors Pam and Kevin Beckwith, Dennis and Kriston Ahern and Jackie and Bodie Bodenhamer.

She was preceded in death by her husband, six brothers, one sister and her parents.

Memorials may be made to the Hospice of Petaluma, 416 Payson St., Petaluma, CA 94952, or your favorite charity.

## Angie Short - Hailey

Angie Short, age 27, died on Friday, Sept. 24, 2004, of a tragic motor vehicle accident.

She was born October 17, 1977, in Twin Falls, Idaho, the child of Robert and Lois Short. Angie moved to Boise in 1987 where she attended grade school and junior high school. She moved to Elko, Nev., in 1981 where she graduated from Elko High School. Angie moved to Ketchum in 1995. She rode with a rodeo club and always loved horses deeply. She came from a loving family that supported her all through her life.

Angie married Ray Martin on May 10, 2003, at a beautiful bed and breakfast she loved in Pine, Idaho. She lived in a house full of fun and love in Hailey, surrounded by her dogs and sharing her warm home with her husband and best friend, Ray.

Angie loved helping people. She was the top sales person at Rocky Mountain Hardware for nine years. She had a personal relationship with her co-workers and clients and she truly enjoyed being a part of the Rocky Mountain family.



Angie loved hanging out with her husband and riding her Harley motorcycle. She enjoyed scrapbooking, shopping, antiques, furniture and she was a member of a local book club. Angie was an expert horsewoman, loved her dogs, was a master gardener and loved making her home beautiful on the outside as well as the inside. She drove herself to be accomplished in everything she did. Angie loved life, enjoyed people, loved her job, her

family and her friends. Survivors include her husband, Ray Martin; her parents, Robert and Lois Short of Boise; her sister, Sarah (Steve) Damann and their son, Samuel of Mountain Home; her brother, Tyrel Short of Boise; her paternal grandparents, Wayne and Charlotte Short of Twin Falls; her maternal grandparents, Gerald (Dorothy) Taylor and Frank Green of Twin Falls; her Aunt Jorjine and Uncle Gary Lauder of Wendell; her Uncle Ron and Aunt Debbie Taylor of Chandler, Ariz.; her Aunt Mary Short and Aunt Teresa Short both of Twin Falls; and Frank Green.

Preceding her in death was her Uncle Selon Short. A memorial service will be at 10 a.m. Friday, Oct. 1, 2004, at the Community Campus Auditorium with the Rev. Wendy Crockett officiating. Interment will follow at 5 p.m. at the Dry Creek Cemetery in Eagle, Idaho.

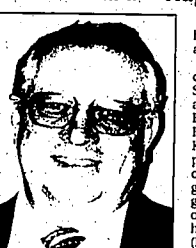
Arrangements are under the care of Wood River Chapel of Hailey, Idaho.

## Darrell M. Howard - Rupert

Darrell M. Howard, 79, of Rupert, passed away Sunday, Sept. 26, 2004, at Parke Vail Care Center in Burley, Idaho.

Darrell was born March 7, 1925, in Chester, Idaho, the son of Joseph S. and Veneda M. Howard. He attended grade school in Chester and high school in Sugar City. He served in the USMC during World War II for eight years. Shortly after his discharge he married Dorothy Watson Robinson on May 28, 1950, in Elko, Nev. On Feb. 13, 1962, the marriage was solemnized in the Salt Lake City LDS Temple. He worked at various professions during his lifetime, all of which he was successful at.

He was a fireman for the City of Twin Falls for many years. He was also the City Electrical Inspector and later the City Building Inspector in Burley, Twin Falls. In 1980 he accepted employment as the Elko County Building Inspector and worked in this position for 10 years, retiring in 1990 and moving back



to his farm south of Twin Falls. In 1992, after the death of his wife, he moved to a part where he resided close to his youngest son.

He was a life-long member of the church of The Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and served in various callings. He enjoyed outings with family, hunting and fishing, especially when it was in the Island Park and Ashton areas.

He was preceded in death by his wife, parents, three sisters and two brothers.

Survivors include his three daughters, Greta Sharp of Filer, Shilene Crandall of Twin Falls and Deanne Forbes of Idaho Falls; two sons, Eddie W. Howard of Twin Falls and D. Kent (Cheryl) Howard of Rupert; 19 grandchildren with one on the way; 35 great-grandchildren; and 24 great-great-grandchildren with one on the way. Also surviving him are two sisters, Mona (Harold) Bratt of Drummond and Nadine Powell of St. Anthony; and many nieces and nephews.

A funeral will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 29, 2004, at White Mortuary, "Chapel by the Park," with Bishop Glade Chandler conducting. Burial will follow at Sunset Memorial Park. Friends may call from 11:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. before the service on Wednesday at the mortuary.

They owned Nat-Soo-Pah Hot Springs from 1939 to 1946 and they also raised sheep. Hazel and Albert farmed in the Buhl area for many years. Surviving Hazel are her nephews, Don, Treace of Filer, Idaho, James Choat of Eagle, Idaho, and John Choat of Caldwell, Idaho; and her niece, Marilyn Himes of Boise, Idaho. Her parents; sisters, Velma

Treadwell and Gladys Cheati; and her loving husband, Albert, preceded her in death. At Hazel's request, no services are planned. She will be laid to rest next to Albert in the Sunset Memorial Park Cemetery in Twin Falls, Idaho. All arrangements are under the direction of the Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home of Twin Falls, Idaho.

# SERVICES

Joe A. Cervi of Twin Falls, graveside service at 11 a.m. today at Sunset Memorial Park (Reynolds Funeral Chapel).

Tobi Duane Connell, infant son of Casey and Marci Lowder Connell of Wendell, graveside service at 11 a.m. today at the Wendell Cemetery (Demary's Wendell Chapel).

Mary Pauline "Polly" Modeno of Fresno, Calif., and formerly of Twin Falls, funeral at 4 p.m. today at the First United Methodist Church, 360 Shoshone St., E., Twin Falls (White Mortuary).

Yoshie Payne of Shoshone, memorial service at 11 a.m. today at Christ Episcopal Church in Shoshone (Demary's Funeral Chapel).

Rita Kay Winn O'Toole of

Jerome, graveside memorial service at 1 p.m. today at the Jerome Cemetery (Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel).

Joseph Samuel Savage of

Kimberly, graveside service at 11 a.m. Thursday at Sunset Memorial Park.

Friends may call from 2-6 p.m. Wednesday at White Mortuary (Twin Falls).

# DEATH NOTICES

## Clarence 'David' Gore

TWIN FALLS — Clarence "David" Gore, 77, of Twin Falls, died Sunday, Sept. 26, 2004, at the Magic Valley Regional Medical Center in Twin Falls. Arrangements will be made by Farmer Funeral Chapel of Buhl.

## Velma Clark

TWIN FALLS — Velma Clark, 90, of Twin Falls, Idaho, died Sunday, Sept. 26, 2004, at

## Bridgeview Retirement Estates in Twin Falls

A memorial service for Velma will be held at 10:30 a.m. Friday, Oct. 1, 2004, at the Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road, Twin Falls, Idaho, with Pastor Lawrence Vedder officiating. Interment will be held following the service at Sunset Memorial Park Cemetery. All services and arrangements are under the direction of the Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home of Twin Falls, Idaho.

# Battle to ban hemp food ends

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Three years after the Bush administration tried to ban food products made with hemp, the government surrendered that front in the war on drugs, attorneys for the hemp industry said Monday.

The Justice Department failed to challenge an appeals court ruling that overturned the

ban — a victory for more than 200 companies that make such things as energy bars, waffles, milk-free cheese and veggie burgers with the plant that contains only trace amounts of THC, the key ingredient in marijuana.

Monday night was the deadline for the government to seek U.S. Supreme Court review of

the appellate court's February decision that the United States cannot ban domestic sale of hemp foods.

Patrick Goggin, a San Francisco lawyer representing the Hemp Industries Association, said the government had informed the group's legal team that it would let Monday's deadline expire.

# Northern Arapahos seek casino gambling

DENVER (AP) — Wyoming should not be forced to accept casino-style gambling on the Wind River Indian Reservation, even though the state allows nearly unlimited gambling at charity or social events, a state attorney argued Monday.

In a hearing before a three-judge panel of the 10th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in Denver, an attorney for the Northern Arapahos countered that state and federal laws allow tribes to offer the same types of gambling that states permit for charities.

The case stems from the tribe's attempts beginning in 2000 to negotiate a compact with the state for gambling on the Wind River reservation. The federal Indian Gaming Regulatory Act allows tribes to engage in the same types of gambling allowed by other groups in a state.

After the negotiations failed, a federal judge in February 2002 ordered a new round of talks aimed at allowing only pari-mutuel betting or betting on horse and dog races, and calculating which is similar to pari-mutuel games but deals with other types of sports events.

The judge ruled that the state had negotiated in bad faith by refusing to discuss the possibility of allowing caletta and pari-mutuel betting.

Both sides appealed. The tribe said the judge improperly limited what kinds of gaming could be allowed, and the state said it had negotiated in good faith.

In the meantime, a court-ordered mediator sided with the tribe on allowing numerous types of casino-style gambling, and that plan is pending before the Interior Department.

At Monday's hearing, Wyoming Deputy Attorney General Craig Kirkwood said any gambling allowed on the reservation should be limited to pari-mutuel games, such as caletta and pari-mutuel, as the judge suggested in 2002.

Kirkwood argued that other games cannot be allowed because Wyoming law does not permit pari-mutuel gaming on other casino-style games, such as blackjack or slot machines.

Judge Stephanie Seymour questioned why the state could set limits on the types of games allowed on the reservation when state law allows any type of social or charitable gambling.

Kirkwood said the essential difference is that the tribe would be earning a profit.

The attorney Andrew Baldwin said the underlying purpose of the gambling doesn't matter.

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# Hemingway story surfaces, but it can't be published

HOME (AP) — A bullfight, an act of bravado, a brush with death. A newly discovered story by the young Ernest Hemingway has all the elements to delight fans and scholars—but it can't be published.

The late writer's estate hasn't approved publication of the 1924 piece, a story over the top parody about a bullfight in the Spanish city of Pamplona, the manuscript's owner, Donald Stewart, told The Associated Press on Monday.

People who have seen the story say it's no masterpiece. But it could give important clues about Hemingway's first attempts at trying on different literary styles — especially because most of his early work disappeared when his suitcase was stolen in the early 1920s.

The short story also foreshadows Hemingway's fascination with blood, spectacle and bullfights. Two years later, he published the classic "The Sun Also Rises" about aimless expatriates hanging out in Paris and the bull-running city of Pamplona.

The tone of the tale, written when Hemingway was in his mid-20s, is light and satirical. Its main character is a comic personification of "what later became the Hemingway myth," Stewart said by telephone from



Ernest Hemingway wears the look of the successful novelist in Paris, in 1927, just after his book, "The Sun Also Rises," hit the bestseller list.

his home in Rome. "A heroic man with a lot of hair on his chest,"

Hemingway scholar J. Gerald Kennedy, who has a copy, guffawed out loud as he paraphrased the story over the phone. The main character kills the bull with his bare hands. But the hapless hero loses part of his entrails — his duodenum ends up in the sand.

"It's pretty typical of the kind of after-hours parody Hemingway was writing in Paris in the mid-20s," said Kennedy, a professor at Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge, La., and vice president of the Ernest Hemingway Foundation. "It's not great literature. It's still a year away from writing 'The Sun Also Rises.'"

Stewart, a 72-year-old writer, had the documents for years without realizing it. He recently discovered the manuscript and letter from Hemingway in an envelope left by his father, Donald Ogden Stewart, who died in 1980.

Stewart's father, a satirist and screenwriter who won an Academy Award for his adaptation of "The Philadelphia Story," was the heroic bullfighter in the short story, entitled "My Life in the Bull Ring With Donald Ogden Stewart."

The elder Stewart was also the basis for Bill Gorton in "The Sun Also Rises," the fistling buddy of the main character.

He and Hemingway spent time hanging out in the 1920s with other expatriate writers in Pamplona, a city whose status, with travelers comes largely thanks to Hemingway. Outside the city's bull ring is a bust of the writer, who committed suicide in Kerchum in 1961.

# Governor OKs new reactor fuel development at INEEL

IDAHO FALLS (AP) — Gov. Dirk Kempthorne has approved a nuclear research project at the Idaho National Engineering and Environmental Laboratory that will focus on creating a new commercial reactor fuel that produces more power with less waste.

State approval was needed because the project requires a waiver from restrictions in the court-enforced 1995 nuclear waste cleanup agreement that restricts shipments of radioactive material into Idaho.

Officials said only a small amount of nuclear material — four fuel rods and two control rods from a commercial nuclear power plant in Virginia — will be shipped to the eastern Idaho installation, and under the governor's authorization it must be shipped back out of the state by the end of 2006.

In his letter to the Energy Department, Kempthorne said the goal of creating a nuclear fuel

that is more efficient and leaves less radioactive waste has public support.

The authorization for the new project came as the state of New Mexico finally lifted its moratorium on shipments of plutonium-contaminated waste from INEEL to the underground federal dump near Carlsbad.

The moratorium was imposed in mid-July after inspectors at the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant discovered drums of contaminated sludge had been shipped before they had been properly sampled.

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Mr. 3000 (13) 7:30 - 9:45

## Board hires academic officer

BOISE (AP) — A veteran community college teacher and administrator has been hired as the new academic officer for the Idaho State Board of Education.

Marilyn Davis will take on her new duties on Oct. 1.

She succeeds Randy Thompson, who served as the board's defender of a controversial plan to certify public school teachers based solely on a computerized test before resigning this spring.

For the past six years, Davis has been the chief academic officer and dean of instruction at Portland Community College. She is a graduate of Idaho State University and taught at Idaho public schools before moving into the ranks of higher education.

## New task force looks for cash to finance roads

BOISE (AP) — With the backlog of needed road improvements swelling into the billions of dollars, another task force convened on Monday in search for the elusive consensus on how to pay the bill.

"The solutions will be state and local," said Thomas Winder, the former Utah transportation director who is a consultant to the new Forum on Transportation Investment. "There will be private-public partnerships that will come out of this."

But neither Winder nor Idaho Transportation Board Chairman Charles Winder were specific about what approach the 40-member panel of business, industry and government

policy leaders might recommend for expanding the revenue base beyond the 25-cent-a-gallon fuel tax and registration and licensing fees.

"As fuel efficiency becomes higher, we lose money," Winder said. "But as we look to the future, we've got to figure out how to deal with that."

Among the options Winder mentioned was taxing vehicles based on weight as an indicator of the wear they impose on roadways. Another option was installing global positioning systems on all vehicles so they could be taxed by actual miles driven — although "that may be too Big Brotherish for a conservative state."

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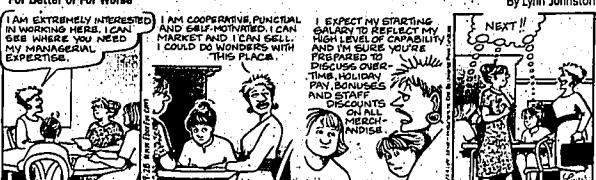
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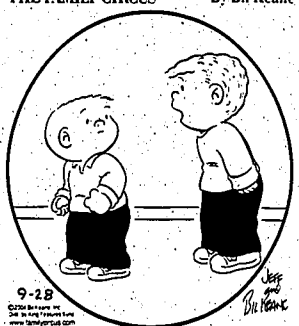
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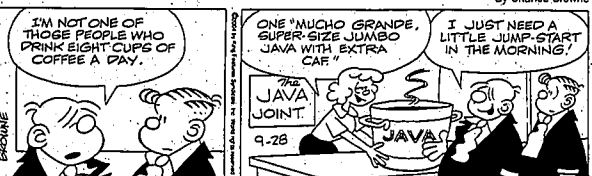
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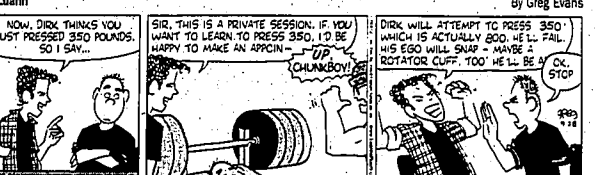
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Section C

## New iMac long on style, short on extras



By Matthew Fordahl  
AP Technology Writer

For six years, iMacs have set the standard for the PC industry with eye-popping design, clever utilization of space and leaps forward in usability. Lately, though, Apple Computer Inc. seems to be making more waves with iPod music players than its venerable consumer PCs.

But fear not, Apple fans and design aficionados.

### A product review

The iMac line whose debut machine looked like a giant egg, and that later morphed into something resembling a table lamp, now has a third generation. It looks sort of like an oversized iPod.

The iMac G5 is Apple's most streamlined and polished design yet, squeezing all the innards into a white plastic flat-panel display. It distances Apple even further from the bulk of Windows-based PC world, where variations of gray, beige and black are all too common.

Still, style alone does not a great computer make. Though Apple uses its most capable processor ever, it skimps on memory and other extras. Out of the box, a new iMac is an incomplete masterpiece.

You can finish the job, but it's going to cost you. The default configurations range between \$1,299 for an iMac with a 1.6 gigahertz processor and \$1,899 for a 1.8 GHz system. To finish the job, you'll have to shell out \$75 to double the memory to 512 megabytes; \$80 for Apple's Wi-Fi card; \$50 for Bluetooth; and \$70 each for a wireless keyboard and single-button mouse.

Only after it's fully accessorized — and unsightly cords have been replaced by wireless connections — does the iMac G5 fulfill its promise of an uncluttered, zippy 21st century computer object d'art.

This is an undated handout photo of the Apple iMac G5. For six years, iMacs have set the standard for the PC industry with eye-popping designs, clever utilization of space and leaps forward in usability. The iMac line that started out in 1998 looking like a giant egg and later transformed into something resembling a table lamp now has a third generation. And it looks like sort of like an oversized iPod.

And it's something to behold.

The entire unit, available with screen sizes of 17 or 20 inches, consists of a 2-inch thick display that's about 4 inches longer than the screen itself. An attached aluminum stand supports its weight and allows easy up-or-down maneuvering.

Surprisingly good speakers stream rich sound from the display's foot. Compact discs and DVDs lead into a slot in the side. The display itself is bright and crystal-clear.

The power cord, the only cable that can't be replaced with wireless, snags unobtrusively into the rear and is neatly obscured as it threads through a hole in the base.

Setup is as simple as it gets. Just plug it in and turn it on. After a few questions, the Mac OS X desktop appears, ready to launch included software ranging from Apple's own suite of music, video and photo programs to a trial version of Microsoft Corp.'s Office for Macs. There's also the standard Safari Internet browser, Apple's excellent e-mail program and QuickX for personal finance, among other software.

Once the iMac is set up, however, some users might notice a few gaps in the grand vision.

The included keyboard and mouse, for instance, must be plugged into a universal serial bus port on the back of the machine. Because there is no built-in Wi-Fi capability, an Ethernet cable or telephone cord is required for Internet access.

Still more wires — all strung from the back of the unit — connect the computer to printers, music players (even an iPod) and any other cabled peripheral. So much

for a clutter-free computer.

The solution, of course, is to have Apple add support for Bluetooth, a technology that connects devices wirelessly at short range. The peripherals also have to be Bluetooth-compatible, of course. Apple does offer a \$99 kit, available only at the time of order, that includes built-in Bluetooth support as well as its wireless keyboard and mouse.

A wireless connection to the Internet is yet another purchase, though Apple's AirPort card doesn't have to be added at the factory. Installation is as easy as loosening three screws at the bottom of the iMac, lifting off the cover and popping in the card.

The most egregious omission by Apple was the decision to ship the iMac with a paltry 256 megabytes of memory.

The loaner I got arrived with an extra 256 megabytes — something I discovered while exploring the "About this Mac" menu. Because that's not what's included in the base price, I pulled out a screwdriver and removed the extra RAM.

The remaining 256 megabytes handled simple tasks like surfing the Web and reading e-mail, but didn't suffice for listening to music while editing a movie and running a word processor. While I tried that, a song playing in the iTunes jukebox software stuttered while I was rendering video in iMovie.

Still, the maximum memory is just 2 gigabytes (it costs \$1,125 if you buy it from Apple). That's odd because one of the selling points of the IBM-built G5 processor is its ability to handle much more than the 4 gigabyte maximum of most of today's PCs.

## Major League Baseball will add highlights reel to site

Here's the latest multimedia pitch from Major League Baseball's MLB.com: For the price of a few songs, you can create your own video highlights reel on your PC.

Moreover, a video download service, charges 99 cents for highlights of games. New clips are added nightly, according to the MLB's Web site.

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homer clip," the site suggests, "Start your own Bonds playlist."

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Terms of the acquisition weren't disclosed. In a message to its users, Furl founder Mike Giles said, "We don't really think of this as selling out. We have always believed Furl makes the most sense as part of a larger search offering." He added that "several large public search companies" had ex-

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THE ACES ON BRIDGE

Bobby Wolff

"A peasant and a philosopher may be equally SATISFIED, but not equally HAPPY."

- Samuel Johnson

Bridge and strong emotions are poor bedfellows. We are all familiar with the experience of losing our cool after something bad has happened at the table. Equally, when things appear to be going well, it is easy to take our eye off the ball.

On today's deal South was not so euphoric at reaching the excellent club slam that he took his eye off the ball. Consequently, he did not miss the best play for his contract. After ruffing the diamond lead and drawing trumps, declarer did not put all his eggs into one basket. Instead, he prepared to test the majors sequentially by leading a heart and ducking in dummy when West played the jack.

East decided to overtake with the king to return the spade Jack. Declarer took this in dummy with the queen and cashed the heart ace. When East proved to guard the hearts, South returned to hand with a spade to the king. Rather than commit himself to relying on the spade division, declarer simply played off all his trumps, pitching all the hearts from dummy to keep the spades. Meanwhile, he watched to see if the heart queen would appear among the discards.

If East did not throw that card away, South's plan was to run the spades and hope for the best. East was indeed forced to unguard the spades to keep his heart winner, and so South cashed out the spades to take the rest of the tricks and make his contract.

NORTH 09-28-A
A Q 7 3
A 9 8 7 3 2
K 9 8 7

EAST
K J 10 9 2
K Q 6
K J 9 8 4
A 4

SOUTH 09-28-B
A K 6 4
K 10 5 4
A K Q J 3 2

Vulnerable: East-West
Dealer: South

The bidding:

South West North East
1 2 2 4
2 2 4 4
3 All pass

Opening lead: Diamond king

BID WITH THE ACES

South holds:
A J 10 9 2
K 6 4
K Q 6

South West North East
1 Pass 2 Pass
3 Pass 3 Pass
? ?

ANSWER: Bid five diamonds.

Your partner's three-heart call is the fourth suit, suggesting some length if not strength in that suit. That in turn implies your partner will be short in spades, so the two hands should fit well together, and diamonds figures to play better than no-trump.

If you would like to contact Bobby Wolff, e-mail him at b.wolff@linnetinc.com. Copyright 2004, United Feature Syndicate, Inc.

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Twin Falls hosts Jerome in a girls soccer battle.

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Section D

### MORNING LINE

#### SPORTSQUOTE

No. Look at him.  
You can land a  
helicopter on top of  
that big head.

- Terry Bradshaw, when  
"Fox NFL Sunday" host  
James Brown asked  
whether he wished he  
had Howie Long's  
good looks

#### TRIVIA

##### QUESTION:

In what three nations did  
Muhammad Ali fight to regain  
or retain his heavyweight titles?

.....answer below

#### TODAY'S SCHEDULE

##### Boys Soccer

Twin Falls at Jerome, 4:30 p.m.  
Burley at Century, 4:30 p.m.  
Minico at Declo, 5:15 p.m.

##### Girls Soccer

Minico at Declo, 3:30 p.m.  
Jerome at Twin Falls, 4:30 p.m.  
Century at Burley, 4:30 p.m.

##### Girls Volleyball

Kimberly/Snake River at  
American Falls 4 p.m.  
Jerome/Filer at Wood River,  
5 p.m.  
Buhl at Declo, 5:15 p.m.  
Burley at Minico, 6 p.m.  
Camas County at Carey, 6 p.m.  
Shoshone at Gooding, 6 p.m.  
Dierich at Richfield, 6 p.m.  
Hansen at Oakley, 6 p.m.  
Hageman at Raft River, 6 p.m.  
Lighthouse Christian/Glenns  
Ferry at Castleford, 6 p.m.  
Magic Valley Christian at  
Murtaugh, 6 p.m.  
Hageman at Raft River, 6 p.m.

#### IN BRIEF

##### Buhl Boosters hold raffle Friday

BUHL - The Buhl Booster  
Club will hold a raffle on Friday,  
Oct. 1 prior to the Buhl-Filer high  
school football game in Buhl.  
At least 10 prize packages val-  
ued at \$100 or more will be  
given away.

Raffle tickets may be pur-  
chased individually for \$5, or five  
tickets may be bought for  
\$20. Tickets can be purchased  
from any Buhl High School fall  
sports athlete, or by calling Pat  
Hamilton Jr. at (208) 543-4351 or  
(208) 543-6398.  
Winners need not be present  
Friday to win.

##### M.V. Ladies Inter-City will hold final meeting

RUPERT - The Magic Valley  
Ladies Inter-City Golf Associa-  
tion will host its final meeting  
and Fun Day on Tuesday, Oct. 5,  
at Rupert Country Club. Golf  
will begin with a shotgun start at  
9:30 a.m., with a lunch meeting  
to follow. Participants can sign  
up at their home course, or by  
contacting Bob Lantz at Rupert  
Country Club at (208) 436-9168.

##### Bruins volleyball plans fund-raiser

TWIN FALLS - The Twin Falls  
Bruins volleyball program will  
hold the First Annual Bruin  
Bash Coed Volleyball Tourna-  
ment on Oct. 16 at 9 a.m. The  
entry fee is \$50.  
To reserve a spot, contact Nikl  
Walker at (208) 733-2166.

##### Candleridge reports two holes-in-one

TWIN FALLS - Two holes in  
one were made recently at Twin  
Falls' Candleridge Golf Course.  
On Sept. 20, Lowell Ward hit a  
hole-in-one on Hole No. 2 from  
115 yards out using a 9-iron. The  
witness was Dallas Ward.  
On Sept. 21, Jim Riddle aced  
Hole No. 6 from 115 yards away  
using a 9-iron. The witness was  
Doug Florida.

Compiled from staff reports

#### TRIVIA ANSWER:

United States, the Philip-  
pines, Zaire (now known as the  
Democratic Republic of  
Congo).

## Trojans don't horse around

### Wendell gallops over Declo 5-1

By Nathaniel Garbrandt  
Times-News writer

WENDELL - The Wendell  
Trojans seem to have adopted  
the habit of reserving their best  
play exclusively for the second  
half. Against a team with the  
passing ability of Declo, it's a  
very risky thing to do.

Although the Trojans went on  
to win 5-1 at home Monday  
night, the game just as easily  
could have gone the other way.  
The Hornets took the open-  
ing kickoff down to Wendell's  
goal box and spent the opening  
15 minutes applying con-  
sistent pressure. The Trojans  
were fortunate to stay off. In  
addition to tighter passing and  
ball handling, Declo was able to  
utilize a decided size advantage  
to out-muscle the Wendell de-  
fense and create opportunities  
that resulted in a 16-11 shot  
advantage at the end of the  
evening.

However, opportunities are  
only opportunities if they aren't  
capitalized upon. The Trojans  
freshman goalkeeper Junior  
Cortez made sure that they  
weren't, as he readily took on  
the physical Declo forwards to  
make six saves in the first half,  
often sacrificing his body to do  
so.

"They were rough," Cortez  
said. "But once they shot, I just  
had to put out my arms."  
If the Hornets couldn't take  
advantage of their chances,  
Wendell could. The Trojans  
converted a penalty kick in the  
15th minute and a free kick in  
the 31st to lead 2-0 with little of-  
fense to speak of.

In the 38th minute, Wendell's  
Giovanni Leon took the ball  
solo through thick traffic on the  
right side to boost the lead to 3.  
But Declo returned the favor a  
minute later with a Shane  
Kelsey goal to keep the deficit at  
2 goals to his team.

The game seemed well within  
reach for the visitors despite  
being down only a pair of  
scores. But Wendell lifted up the  
hood at the break and came out  
for the second half firing on all  
cylinders.

"They definitely outplayed us  
in the first half, but we put it to-  
gether in the second," said



Wendell's Damian Diaz, left, battles for control of the ball with Declo's Brad Stoker during the first half of their soccer game in Wendell, Monday.

Wendell coach Robert Orloski.  
Indeed, the teams appeared  
to have switched uniforms. This  
time, it was Wendell spreading  
the field out, passing well, win-  
ning the loose balls and main-  
taining possession. In the  
63rd minute, Jose Salazar made

good on the initiative, knocking  
in a very long shot to go up 4-1.

Five minutes later, Laercio  
Franko put the game on ice,  
snapping the ball around the  
right post from the very top of  
the field.

"I don't know what hap-

pened," said Declo coach Tim  
Henrickson. "We just came out  
flat in the second half."

Wendell (5-1-1) looks to  
avenge its only loss against Bliss  
on Wednesday at home. Declo  
(2-5-3) hosts Minico tonight at  
5:15.

## Time expires on the Redskins' rally

By Joseph White  
Associated Press writer

LANDOVER, Md. - Bill Par-  
cells celebrated the touchdown  
with a big smile and his first  
hurdle in the air. The Dallas  
Cowboys coach had turned the  
trick that put his old nemesis on  
the ropes.

Richie Anderson's halfback  
option pass floated into the  
hands of Terry Glenn in the  
back of the end zone only in the  
fourth quarter. And the Cow-  
boys sacked Mark Brunell five  
times in Monday night's 21-18  
victory over Joe Gibbs and the  
Washington Redskins.

In the first meeting in 14  
years between two of the NFL's

top coaches, Parcells showed he  
still has Gibbs' number. Parcells  
has won 12 of 18 meetings and  
seven in a row, the last six com-  
ing when Parcells' New York  
Giants and Gibbs' Redskins  
were NFC East rivals from 1983-  
90.

The victory also made Par-  
cells the 10th coach in NFL  
history to win 150 regular season  
games.

The trick play from Anderson  
to Glenn gave the Cowboys (2-  
1) a 21-10 lead with 13 minutes  
remaining, enough cushion to  
survive a comeback by the Red-  
skins (1-2).

Brunell, playing one week  
after straining his hamstring in  
a loss to the New York Giants, hit

Rod Gardner for a touchdown  
pass and Taylor Jacobs for a 2-  
point conversion with 4:30 to  
play.

The Cowboys were able to  
use all but 21 seconds of the  
clock on their final drive be-  
cause Washington was out of  
timeouts, but the Redskins al-  
most got a chance at a tying  
field goal.

The Redskins managed two  
plays in their final drive. The last  
was a 46-yard pass to Gardner  
at the Dallas 21, but Gardner  
could not get out of bounds as  
time expired.

Vinny Testaverde was 14-of-  
29 for 214 yards for the  
Cowboys, while Anderson com-  
pleted the first pass of his NFL

career. Brunell was 25-of-43 for  
325 yards - 167 to Gardner -  
and two touchdowns.

Parcells and Gibbs each used  
a replay challenge in the first 7.5  
minutes of the game, and Gibbs  
tried to use another one on a  
play that was declared non-re-  
viewable. Both first-half scoring  
drives benefited from question-  
able calls.

The Redskins played without  
linebacker LaVar Arrington and  
defensive end Phillip Daniels,  
who were both hurt in last  
week's loss to the Giants. The  
Cowboys lost cornerback Pere  
Hunter to a sprained knee in  
the first quarter. He was re-  
placed by rookie Jacques  
Reeves.

## Hamm argues to keep gold medal

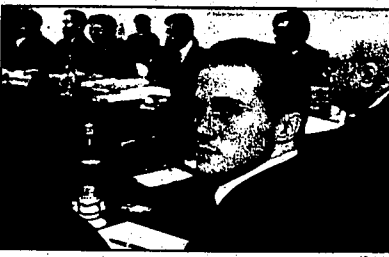
By Sam Coge  
Associated Press writer

LAUSANNE, Switzerland -  
Paul Hamm fought to keep his  
Olympic gymnastics gold  
medal Monday during an 11.5-  
hour hearing before the sports  
world's highest court, and the  
panel adjourned without mak-  
ing a decision.

Three CAS arbitrators con-  
vened to hear the appeal from  
a South Korean who lost the  
gold medal in the all-around at  
the Athens Olympics after a  
scoring error by the judges.

CAS general secretary  
Matthieu Reeb said the arbitra-  
tors - from Germany, Kenya  
and Britain - hoped to make a  
decision within the next two  
weeks.

Yang Tae-young wants the  
court to order international  
gymnastics officials to change  
the rankings and give him the  
gold and Hamm the silver.  
Hamm and the U.S. Olympic  
Committee spent the hearing  
fighting Yang's appeal.  
"I thought everything went  
very smoothly," Hamm said in  
a teleconference after the hear-



Gold medal winner at the Athens 2004 Olympics, U.S. athlete Paul Hamm, center, looks back prior to the opening of a hearing of the Court of Arbitration for Sport, CAS, in Lausanne, Switzerland, Monday.  
ing. "It was a very fair hearing and everyone got the chance to say what they thought."  
Yang, who finished with a bronze, was mistakenly docked 0.10 points on the start value of his next-to-last routine, the parallel bars.  
He finished third, 0.049 points behind Hamm, who became the first American man  
to win gymnastics' biggest prize.  
With the extra 0.100, Yang would have finished 0.051 points ahead of Hamm. That, however, assumes everything in the final rotation would have played out the same way.  
"The issue is whether this (mistake) affected the result," Reeb said.

## Knee injury puts Hornets' Mashburn out for season

By Brett Martel  
Associated Press writer

NEW ORLEANS - Former All-  
Star forward Jamal Mashburn  
will miss the entire 2004-05  
NBA season because of a knee  
injury that could end his career.  
Mashburn and the New Or-  
leans Hornets announced the  
news Monday, a week before  
the start of training camp.

The injury kept Mashburn, a  
10-year veteran, out of all but 19  
games last season after he un-  
derwent surgery to remove  
loose particles from his right  
knee. Mashburn said strenuous  
activity causes the knee to swell  
as badly as it did last March  
when his season ended. He av-  
eraged 20.8 points.

During a news conference,  
Mashburn acknowledged the  
injury could end his career,  
which began in 1993 as a first-  
round draft choice of the Dallas  
Mavericks. He also had a stint  
with the Miami Heat before  
joining the Hornets in 2000 and  
making the All-Star team dur-  
ing the 2002-03 season.

## Jimmie Crutchfield finally gets remembered

By Jim Litke  
AP Sports Columnist

ALSIER III - With the sun  
shining warm overhead,  
someone finally saw to it  
that a stone marked the spot  
where Jimmie Crutchfield was  
buried.

It wasn't a big baseball story,  
not with a week left in the  
season and eight teams still fighting  
for two playoff spots. It wasn't all  
that elaborate a ceremony,  
either.

Three dozen people gathered  
at noon Sunday at a simple slab  
of granite topped by two hand-  
some bronze plaques - one  
each for the Negro League great  
and his wife, Julia - was lowered  
onto a gravesite in a row of hand-  
laid Yorks from the entrance to Burr  
Oak Cemetery. But it was about  
time.

Everybody I called about  
Jimmie said he'd never known  
an anesthesiologist from Peoria  
who led the drive for the memo-  
rials to Crutchfield and two  
other Negro Leaguers. "You  
could tell they were smiling on  
the other end of the phone."

Crutchfield had that effect on  
people. Standing just 6-foot-7,  
he could hit, run, throw and eat  
up ground in the outfield in the  
same mesmerizing way Ichiro  
Suzuki does - only he did it  
seven decades earlier, and he  
did it over getting the opportunity  
to showcase his talents in the  
major leagues. None of it wiped  
the smile off Crutchfield's face.

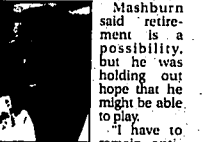
In 1991, he stood alongside  
former commissioner Fay Vin-  
cent - during a ceremony  
arranged by the Chicago White  
Sox to honor the handful of  
Negro Leaguers still living in the  
city. When Vincent asked  
Crutchfield which accomplish-  
ment was his proudest, he  
were plenty to review. Crutch-  
field hit 328 in just his second  
year, appeared in at least four  
All-Star Games, stole hundreds  
of bases and played on the 1932  
Pittsburgh Crawfords, a team  
that featured Satchel Paige, Josh  
Gibson, Judy Johnson and Oscar  
Charleston and might have been  
the best ever assembled -  
black or white.

None of those made it into  
Crutchfield's reply.

"The thing I'm most proud  
of," he said, "is that I never hated  
nobody."

This is a strange time for  
African-Americans in baseball.  
The bitter legacy of exclusion  
has all but faded, yet the num-  
ber of players and fans are  
drifting back toward historic  
lows.

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Mashburn  
said retire-  
ment was a  
possibility,  
but he was  
holding out  
hope that he  
might be able  
to play.  
"I have to  
remain opti-  
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The Hornets' insurance  
will cover about 80 percent  
of Mashburn's salary of about \$18  
million over the last two years of  
his contract if he is not healthy  
enough to play. Trading Mash-  
burn remains a possibility  
because the insurance will fol-  
low him to another team.  
Team trainers said several  
MRI exams performed over the  
summer indicated Mashburn  
had worn out cartilage in his  
right knee, causing bones to  
grind together and leaving a  
bruise and an irritation.



SPORTS

# Angels keep heat on A's

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — Chone Figgins had an RBI triple and then scored the go-ahead run on an infield grounder in the eighth inning, leading the Anaheim Angels to a 5-3 win over Texas in the opener of the key AL West series.

Bartolo Colon (17-12) allowed just four hits in eight-plus innings, becoming the first pitcher to beat Texas six times in a season.

The Angels began the day just a game behind AL West-leading Oakland. The Rangers started two games behind the Athletics.

After Figgins tripled in the eighth to tie the game at 3-all, he ran home on Darin Erstad's grounder. First baseman Mark Teixeira fielded cleanly and threw home, but Figgins slid around the sweeping tag of Kent Huckabay and was able to touch the back corner of home plate with his fingertips.

**Red Sox 7, Devil Rays 3**  
ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Boston clinched its second straight trip to the playoffs, rallying past Tampa Bay behind Manny Ramirez's AL-leading 43rd home run.

Johnny Damon hit his career-high 19th homer for the Red Sox, who are assured of no worse than the AL wild-card berth. Boston closed within three games of the AL East-leading New York Yankees with six remaining.

The Red Sox held hitters for four innings, went ahead on Damon's three-run homer and Ramirez's 458-foot, two-run drive after Tampa Bay starter Scott Kazmir was ejected for hitting Ramirez and Kevin Millar with pitches in the fourth inning. The Devil Rays led 2-0 at the time.

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**Indians 6, Royals 1**  
KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Casey Blake drove in three runs and Jake Westbrook pitched seven strong innings to lead Cleveland over Kansas City.

Westbrook (14-9) gave up five hits, lowering his ERA to 3.28, third in the American League behind Minnesota's Johan Santana (2.62) and Boston's Curt Schilling (3.26).

David DeJesus hit a solo home run leading off the sixth, and Jaime Cerda (1-3) relieved rookie Zack Greinke with a 1-0 lead in the eighth.

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**Tigers 5, White Sox 2**  
DETROIT — Dmitri Young hit a tiebreaking, two-run homer in the sixth inning, and Detroit made the most of three hits to stop a five-game losing streak.

Gary Knotts (6-6) allowed two runs and five hits in 6 2-3 innings. Esteban Yan, Detroit's fourth pitcher, got two outs for

**National League Cubs 12, Reds 5**  
CHICAGO — Todd Walker homered and drove in four runs, and Carlos Zambrano won his fourth straight decision as Chicago extended its lead in the NL wild-card race with a win over Cincinnati.

**Expos announcement might come Thursday**  
By Ronald Blum  
Associated Press writer

NEW YORK — Exactly 33 years after the Washington Senators played their final game, the nation's capital might learn on Thursday that major league baseball is about to return next season.

Several baseball officials said

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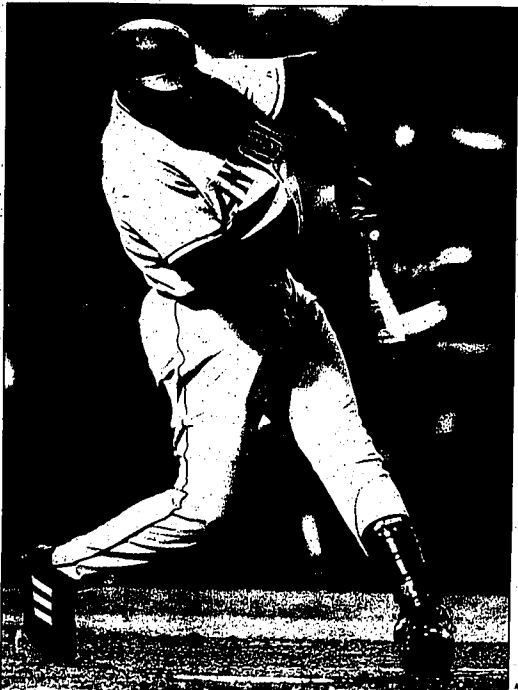
Men like Crutchfield, and John Donaldson and Jim "Candy" Taylor, the two other Negro Leaguers commemorated Sunday, once served as a lifeline to the game in black communities large and small. The trade off for being included, finally, is that their league disappeared. Now, like baseball itself, they now are becoming distant memories in those same places.

"When I was coming up, every diamond in every park around here was packed," recalled 74-year-old Johnny Washington, another former Negro Leaguer who played in Chicago.

"Everybody wanted to be a ballplayer then. But ever since Michael Jordan came along, it's been about being big basketball around here. Me personally, I think kids need role models and they could bring the game back if some of the ballplayers go back where they started and helped light a fire under the kids.

"The problem is," Washington said, "I just don't see it happening."

Ballpark fare — hot dogs, popcorn and peanuts — was being served under a small tent not far from Crutchfield's gravesite. The plaque honoring Negro Leaguer



Anaheim Angels' Vladimir Guerrero connects for a solo home run off of Texas Rangers' Kenny Rogers in the second inning, Monday, in Arlington, Texas.

his sixth save, completing a six-hitter.

Jason Grilli (2-2) lost despite pitching a three-hitter for his first complete game in 13 major league starts.

**Astros 10, Cardinals 3**  
HOUSTON — Roy Oswalt became the NL's first 19-game winner, and Houston stayed close in the wild-card race.

The Astros remained 1.5 games behind the Chicago Cubs.

Pinch-hitter Jason Lane homered, and Craig Biggio hit a two-run double.

**Pirates 6, Phillies 1**  
PHILADELPHIA — Ty Wigginton hit a two-run homer and Oliver Perez pitched 6 2-3 strong innings, helping Pittsburgh stop a seven-game road losing streak and eliminating the Phillies from postseason contention.

Mike Redman and Jack Wilson each drove in two runs for the Pirates.

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Monday that the most likely day for an announcement that Washington, D.C., has been selected for the future home of the team is Thursday, although there was a slight chance the timetable could be moved up.

After a meeting of the sport's executive council last Thursday, a high-ranking baseball official

who spoke on the condition of anonymity said major league baseball would attempt to finalize negotiations with Washington within a week. It would be the first franchise relocation in the major leagues since the expansion Washington Senators became the Texas Rangers after the 1971 season.

John Donaldson was propped up alongside the lectern where, moments earlier, Krock, Washington and Dennis Biddle, another former Negro Leaguer, had delivered tributes to Crutchfield, Donaldson and Jim "Candy" Taylor.

But the line etched at the very

bottom of Donaldson's plaque delivered the most eloquent tribute of all. It read simply: "A man born before his time."

Jim Litke is a national sports columnist for The Associated Press. Write to him at jlitke@ap.org

# Wendell, Declo girls play to draw

WENDELL — Gaby Martinez scored the second of her two goals for Wendell late in the match to help the host Trojans gain a 2-2 tie with Declo on Monday.

Martinez's equalizer came in the 70th minute on an assist from Rosalie Rodriguez. In the first half, Martinez scored in the 30th minute off a Jennifer Martinez assist to give Wendell (2-3-3 overall) a 1-0 edge.

Declo tied the match at 1 in the 60th minute and grabbed a 2-1 lead five minutes later before Martinez's final goal.

"It was a very exciting game, back and forth, end to end," Wendell coach Jan Goss said. "Close match. I'm very pleased with our team. Everyone put in their best effort of the season. It was a total team effort."

Tami Goedhart made 24 saves between the sticks for Wendell.

The match marked the second time the teams tied 2-2 all this season.

Declo hosts Minico today at 5:15 p.m. Wendell welcomes the Wood River junior varsity squad at 5 p.m. Wednesday.

**Local sports**

**Dietrich 3, Wendell 0**  
DIETRICH — Caitlin Dill recorded 10 kills and five blocks to lead the Dietrich Blue Devils to a 25-14, 25-22, 25-21 win over Wendell.

Dietrich controlled Game 1 before using its hustle in Games 2 and 3 to make the difference.

"It was a fun game to watch," Dietrich coach Teresa Smith said. "They were good scrappers. They were able to get to a lot of balls."

Dietrich (10-3 overall) travels to Richfield tonight for a match at 6. Wendell travels to Filer for a 6:30 p.m. match on Saturday.

**Valley 3, Glenns Ferry 1**  
HAZELTON — Host Valley defeated Glenns Ferry in four games at home Monday night, 25-12, 25-9, 20-25, 25-18.

Lindsay Wood and Kandi Rust had seven kills apiece for the Vikings. Wood finished off the match with 10 consecutive service points in the final game.

"We had a really good night passing the ball," Valley coach Julian Escobedo said.

Valley (9-6) visits Shoshone Thursday. The Pilots go to Castleford tonight along with Lighthouse Christian. Play begins at 6.

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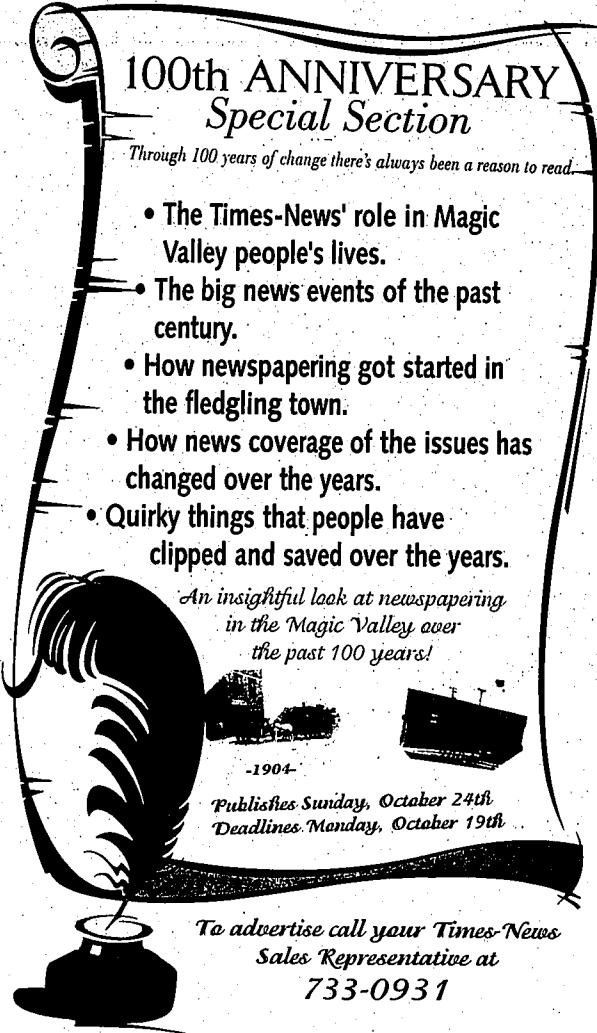
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Hall is among WAC players of the week

DENVER - Boise State linebacker Corey Hall, wide receiver T.J. Acree and Tulsa kick returner Ashton Davis were named the Western Athletic Conference defensive, offensive and special teams players of the week respectively.

Hall, a sophomore from Glens Ferry, had 11 tackles (5 solo) including 2.5 for a loss of 14 yards in BSU's win against BYU on Friday night. Two of his tackles for loss were sacks for a total of 13 yards.

Acree caught seven passes for 133 yards and two touchdowns in Boise State's 28-27 win over BYU.

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NASHVILLE, Tenn. - Tennessee quarterback Steve McNair stayed in the hospital Monday night with a bruised sternum and will be listed as questionable on the NFL injury report.

X-rays and a CAT scan showed no serious injuries, and McNair will be released from the hospital Tuesday.

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Baseball
Mariners at Athletics, FSNW, 8 p.m.

Basketball
WNBA playoffs, first round, Game 3, Detroit at New York, ESPN2, 8 p.m.

Soccer
Real Madrid vs. AS Roma, ESPN2, 12:30 p.m.

Baseball scores: Detroit 1, Athletics 0; Mariners 1, Yankees 0; Yankees 1, Yankees 0; Yankees 1, Yankees 0.

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## BRIEFLY IN MONEY

### Travel Council will meet in Sun Valley

**SUN VALLEY** — The Idaho Travel Council will review the state's tourism marketing plan and join chamber of commerce representatives for a roundtable discussion at the Sun Valley Inn today and Wednesday, and the meetings are open to the public.

The Idaho Travel Council is an eight-member, private sector advisory board appointed by the governor. Magic Valley members are John Webster of Best Western Burley Inn and Brent Gillette of Sun Valley Resorts. The council provides oversight and guidance for the tourism promotion and development activities of Idaho Commerce & Labor.

Today's meeting will begin with a roundtable discussion between council members and a chamber of commerce representatives beginning at 9:15 a.m.

Chamber and council members will hear updates on the merger of the state departments of Commerce and Labor; economic development and tourism activities; the travel council's grant program; and the legislative agenda for the Idaho Association of Chambers of Commerce.

This afternoon, council members will review Idaho's tourism marketing plan for the upcoming winter season.

The council will conclude its fall meeting with staff reports from 8:30 to 11:15 a.m. Wednesday.

### Halley Chamber will hold ribbon-cutting

**HAILEY** — The Halley Chamber of Commerce plans a ribbon cutting for The Inn at Ellsworth Estate at 10 a.m. Thursday.

The new business is at 702 Third Ave. S. in Hailey, and the chamber is inviting the public to Thursday's ceremony.

Bill Owens, owner of the inn, and the manager is Steve Abide, the Halley chamber said.

### Washington Federal announces dividend

**SEATTLE** — Seattle-based Washington Federal Inc. — parent of the Washington Federal Savings — on Monday announced a quarterly cash dividend of 21 cents per share.

The dividend will be payable Oct. 22 to common stockholders of record on Oct. 8. This is Washington Federal's 87th consecutive quarterly cash dividend.

### Washington Federal Savings provides residential real estate loans, checking, money market accounts and certificates of deposit through 120 offices in eight states.

It reported \$7.3 billion in assets and \$4.6 billion in deposits as of June 30.

### Oversupply prompts curtailed beet crop

**NAMPA** — Idaho producers have dramatically reduced their sugarbeet crop this year to deal with a national oversupply of sugar.

The U.S. Agriculture Dept. reports that sugar in the crop across southern Idaho at 2.2 million tons, down 14 percent from last year.

"We mandated our growers to be down 5 percent in acres this year because we can't sell all the sugarbeets we produce companywide because of the allotment quota set by the government," said Clark Millard of grower-owned Amalgamated Sugar Co.

Growers actually gave back acreage at nearly 8 percent, and yields are off more than two tons an acre from last year.

The government imposes marketing allotments on sugarbeets when there is an oversupply in an effort to keep both supplies and prices stable.

Idaho production hit a record 6 million tons last year.

— compiled from staff and wire reports

# Obesity drug shows promise

## Merck partners with tiny Nastech on nasal spray

### The Associated Press

**TRENTON, N.J.** — Could squirting a little medicine up the nose before mealtime be the Holy Grail for people trying to shed pounds?

Pharmaceutical giant Merck & Co. appears to be betting on it, with a multimillion-dollar partnership with a company that last year began small-scale testing of a nasal spray drug designed to make the stomach feel full faster.

Nastech Pharmaceutical Co. Inc. of Bethel, Wash., said Monday that its compound, known as PYY for short, could help address not only the nation's obesity epidemic but related health problems such as diabetes, high blood pressure, heart disease, arthritis and cancer.

The other possible applications are part of the company's overall program, "but they're the dessert, not the entrée," Dr. Steven C. Quay, Nastech's chair-

man, president and chief executive, told analysts during a conference call.

In an interview with The Associated Press, Quay said that if further testing of the drug goes well, he thinks it could reduce patients' daily caloric intake by 30 percent.

It would translate into an approximate 50-pound weight loss over a year, based on the 2,800 calories a day the average American eats, he said.

Under the deal between the two companies, Nastech will receive a \$5 million upfront cash payment. It will be eligible to receive up to \$131 million if it achieves milestones Merck set for continued testing and regulatory approval of the

compound; and could receive up to \$210 million more for reaching milestones related to eventual sales of the drug. It also would receive an undisclosed level of royalties on sales of the medicine.

PYY, whose full name is Peptide YY 3-36 Nasal Spray, is based on a hormone made by the intestines that travels through the bloodstream to the brain, telling it that the body is full about 30 to 45 minutes after a person starts eating.

Nastech's version, sprayed into the nose, would allow the drug to quickly move through the nasal lining and into the bloodstream, telling the brain the body is full within 20 to 35 minutes of taking a dose.

# A FAIR CHANCE



Ramon Galindo, cantor, helps his son, Miguel, a disabled adult, right, look at opportunities at the first Southern Idaho Career Fair in 2003. The second such fair — for students, workers and job seekers of all ages — runs from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. today at the College of Southern Idaho.

## Career fair at CSI offers education, job information

### The Times-News

**TWIN FALLS** — The Southern Idaho Career Fair is set for 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. today in the College of Southern Idaho gymnasium.

The career fair is for people who are making education choices or seeking their first careers, and workers who are exploring new job options.

Admission is free. Food and drinks will be for sale throughout the day. Vendors have donated door prizes, which will be given away in drawings.

Experts will be on hand to critique resumes and give interviewing tips, and a couple of seminars will address resume building and preparing for interviews.

To prepare for the fair, students and job seekers should think over the questions they'll

want to ask about potential employers or educational programs. And consider bringing copies of resumes.

The event, sponsored by CSI and *The Times-News* for students and workers of all ages, is the second of its kind.

The event will feature more than 70 booths this year, including 24 departments within CSI.

More than 40 employers will

be represented, including a new ice cream shop, truck driving schools, a number of area retailers, manufacturers, health care providers, a car dealership, military branches and city, county and state governments, among others.

Some employers will interview potential employees on the spot, while others will take applications and resumes for call-back interviews.

## Fannie Mae will take action to correct accounting problems

### The Associated Press

**WASHINGTON** — Under pressure from federal regulators, Fannie Mae's board has agreed to take sweeping action to correct what were cited as serious accounting problems, including boosting the mortgage giant's capital, recalculating key transactions back to 2001 and tightening internal controls.

The government-chartered mortgage financier and its regulator said Monday they had reached an agreement after negotiations last week and over the weekend. Last Monday, the Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight told the Fannie Mae board that its eight-month-old investigation had found pervasive earnings manipulation to meet Wall Street expectations and serious accounting misdeeds, and it ordered "immediate remedial action."

"This agreement is an important step toward resolving these concerns and helping to assure safe and sound operations" at Fannie Mae, OFHEO Director Armando Falcon said in a statement Monday.

The housing oversight regulators last week raised the possibility of revoking top management of Fannie Mae, the biggest financier of home mortgages in the country and the second-largest U.S. financial institution after Citigroup Inc.

The revelations pushed down Fannie Mae's stock more than 13 percent, to a 52-week low, in a three-day slide last week.

Neither the regulators nor the company said whether Fannie Mae would have to restate its earnings, as happened last year at Freddie Mac, its smaller government-sponsored rival, which had similar troubles.

Under the agreement with OFHEO, Fannie Mae will increase, within the next 270 days, its cushion of reserve capital against risk to 30 percent above its basic capital of some \$30 billion. The reserve level currently is at 18 percent, according to the company. The company also will recalculate all its transactions for derivatives, financial instruments it uses to hedge against interest-rate and other risk, for all quarters going back to 2001.

To reach the 30 percent reserve capital level, Fannie Mae could issue new stock, a move that could further weaken its share price; sell assets from its portfolio of investments, which in addition to billions in mortgages includes such items as aircraft leases; or scale back its purchases of home mortgages from lenders for resale as bonds on Wall Street, which could reduce the supply of home loans for prospective buyers.

Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac pump money into the home mortgage market by buying billions of dollars of home loans each year from banks and other lenders, then bundling them into securities that are resold to investors. Their stock and debt — Fannie Mae's is at nearly \$1 trillion — are widely held by investors in the United States and around the globe.

## Starbucks seeks premium coffee from Latin America

### The Associated Press

**MEXICO CITY** — Starbucks Coffee Co. is hoping to triple the number of its shops around the world, is joining a U.S. development agency and environmental conservationists to help ensure the supply of high-quality coffee from Latin America.

Starbucks, which opened its first store in Mexico in 2002, has expressed concern about the supply of top-notch coffee as it moves forward with long-range plans to open 25,000 stores worldwide.

Starbucks' existing chain includes a stand-alone coffee shop in Ketchikan.

The coffee giant was to sign a memorandum of understanding with U.S. Agency for International Development or USAID, and Washington-based Conservation International on Monday in Mexico City, an effort to help small producers join the market for premium coffee.

The agreement reflects the growing power of the premium coffee market and efforts to exploit it for the benefit of small farmers. Starting in the late 1980s, nonprofits promised small producers higher prices for organic, shade-grown coffee.

The drive to seek premium prices was driven by a coffee crisis that pushed inflation-adjusted prices to a 100-year low in 2002.

Over-cultivation and stagnant demand set the conditions for the crisis, according to USAID, which is helping small and medium-sized producers better process, grade and market their coffee.

Monday's agreement also comes as Starbucks tries to get the world hooked on its java. Mexico is the world's fifth-largest coffee producer, but premium coffee shops have only recently started to appear in the past decade led by local chains.

The new Starbucks have been widely popular in Mexico City's chic neighborhoods.

USAID, which receives overall foreign policy guidance from U.S. Secretary of State Colin Powell, has invested more than \$57 million in coffee projects, including \$35 million in Latin America.

In Nicaragua, the agency has funded an effort to improve small coffee producers' access to credit as they attempt to enter the quality coffee market.

In January, Starbucks announced a \$2.5 million direct loan to help capitalize Conservation International's Verde Ventures fund, which helps provide affordable credit for small-scale coffee producers.

Starbucks, which operated 8,357 stores at the end of the August reported earnings of \$98.1 million for the three months ending June 27, on \$1.32 billion in revenues.

Under an existing alliance with Conservation International, Starbucks has expanded to purchase 225 million pounds of coffee under guidelines designed to safeguard a sustainable coffee supply and meet environmental conservation goals, according to USAID.

## COURT — FILINGS —

### The Times-News

**BOISE** — Recent activity in U.S. Bankruptcy Court included these Magic Valley filings:

### Chapter 7, nonbusiness, under \$50,000

— Pedro Martinez, 68 N. Clark Idaho Highway 77, Declo, individual, nonbusiness, Chapter 7, 1-15 creditors, assets under \$50,000, liabilities under \$50,000, Case no. 04-41190.

— Andrea R. Stansell, 2140 Elizabeth, No. 27D, Twin Falls, individual, nonbusiness, Chapter 7, 16-49 creditors, assets under \$50,000, liabilities under \$50,000, Case no. 04-41195.

— Mario Chavez and Rosalinda Chavez, 223 C St., Rupert, individual, nonbusiness, Chapter 7, 16-49 creditors, assets under \$50,000, liabilities under \$50,000, Case no. 04-42006.

— Jana Marie Larson, 921 Eastland Drive, Twin Falls, individual, nonbusiness, Chapter 7, 1-15 creditors, assets under \$50,000, liabilities under \$50,000, Case no. 04-42008.

— Marisela Ramirez, 2420 Elizabeth Blvd., Twin Falls, individual, nonbusiness, Chapter 7, 1-15 creditors, assets under \$50,000, liabilities under \$50,000, Case no. 04-42021.

### Chapter 7, nonbusiness, \$50,000 to \$100,000

— Stacy Squires, 542 Wyoming St., Coalinga, individual, nonbusiness, Chapter 7, 16-49 creditors, assets under \$50,000, liabilities \$50,000 to \$100,000, Case no. 04-42004.

— Harold Wayne Young and Trudy Young, 1623 Conant Ave., Burley, individual, nonbusiness, Chapter 7, 16-49 creditors, assets \$50,000 to \$100,000, liabilities \$50,000 to \$100,000, Case no. 04-42005.

— Todd Roy Sprenger and Tammy Lynn Sprenger, also known as Tammy Lynn Sant, 846 E. Idaho Highway 81, Declo, individual, nonbusiness, Chapter 7, 1-15 creditors, assets \$50,000 to \$100,000, liabilities \$50,000 to \$100,000, Case no. 04-42019.

— Anthony Philip Watson, also known as Tony Watson, 2941 Sheridan Drive, Hailey, individual, nonbusiness, Chapter 7, 1-15 creditors, assets \$100,000 to \$500,000, liabilities \$50,000 to \$100,000, Case no. 04-42019.

### Chapter 7, nonbusiness, \$100,000 to \$500,000

— Gary George Ellis Jr. and Brenda Shawn Ellis, 732 S. Quail Drive, Hammett, individual, nonbusiness, Chapter 7, 1-15 creditors, assets \$100,000 to \$500,000, liabilities \$100,000 to \$500,000, Case no. 04-43774.

— Jeffrey D. Holladay and Diane A. Holladay, 1503 E. 4200 N., Buhl, individual, nonbusiness, Chapter 7, 1-15 creditors, assets \$100,000 to \$500,000, liabilities \$100,000 to \$500,000, Case no. 04-42007.

### Chapter 13, nonbusiness, \$50,000 to \$100,000

— Amber Rae Maxwell, formerly known as Amber Rae Higgins, 162 Heyburn Ave. W., Twin Falls, individual, nonbusiness, Chapter 13, 1-15 creditors, assets \$50,000 to \$100,000, liabilities \$50,000 to \$100,000, Case no. 04-42001.

### Chapter 13, nonbusiness, \$100,000 to \$500,000

— Tressa Marie Odegard, formerly known as La Tressa DeLong, and Jerry Lee Odegard, 901 Eastridge Drive, Hailey, individual, nonbusiness, Chapter 13, 1-15 creditors, assets \$100,000 to \$500,000, liabilities \$100,000 to \$500,000, Case no. 04-41198.

— John Lyle Neitzke and Constance Kathleen Neitzke, also known as Connie K. Neitzke, 1172 Parkway Drive, Twin Falls, individual, nonbusiness, Chapter 13, 1-15 creditors, assets \$100,000 to \$500,000, liabilities \$100,000 to \$500,000, Case no. 04-42199.

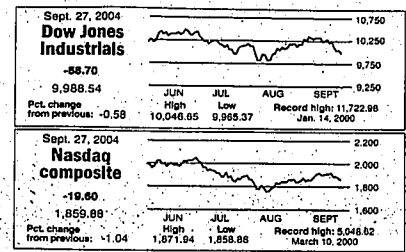
Canadian government clears Coeur takeover

COEUR D'ALENE (AP)—The takeover bid for Wheaton River Minerals Ltd. by Coeur d'Alene Mines Corp. has cleared a hurdle in the Canadian government. Regulators in that country have issued a certificate of compliance, meaning the deal meets with that nation's competition law. Coeur's tender offer for shares of Wheaton River Minerals Ltd. is open until Thursday evening. The board of British Columbia-based Wheaton River has urged rejection of the bid and advised shareholders to essentially ignore solicitation for their shares from Coeur.

But Coeur Chairman Dennis Wheeler emphasized that the certificate from the Canadian commissioner of competition found the acquisition would likely provide a net benefit to Canada. "This represents another step toward the completion of a Coeur-Wheaton River combination," Wheeler said in a statement. In fighting the takeover, the Wheaton River board has cited Coeur's history of losses and negative cash flow and the fact that its debt financing plan would inhibit future growth and undermine cash flow. During the first six months of this year, Coeur d'Alene Mines reported a loss of \$7.9 million, or three cents per share of common stock, on revenues of \$56.1 million. But Coeur has insisted since initiating the takeover last spring that the deal would increase silver production by 45 percent and create a top 10 global gold producer with relatively low production costs. At the same time, Coeur announced it has received final

local approval for operation of its Kensington gold mine about 45 miles north of Juneau, Alaska, and expects completion of the federal environmental analysis in November. Coeur expects to begin mining 100,000 ounces of gold a year at the site in 2006. The mine is expected to employ 225 workers during its 10-year life. Coeur d'Alene Mines also has interests in Idaho, Nevada, Argentina, Chile and Bolivia.

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Dow drops below 10,000; oil hovers near \$50 per barrel

NEW YORK (AP)—Oil prices reached a new high and sent stocks lower Monday, pushing the Dow Jones industrials back below 10,000. But with trading on Wall Street light and losses only moderate, investors seemed to be coming to terms with near-\$50 per barrel crude. As a barrel of light crude for November delivery settled at \$49.64, up 76 cents on the New York Mercantile Exchange, stock investors grew more fearful that rising energy prices would slice into corporate profits. Monday's price for crude broke the previous record settlement price of \$48.88, set Friday, and prices receded \$4.75 earlier in the session, marking the highest intraday trading level ever recorded. However, analysts believed that Wall Street, which sold off substantially last week in response to oil's climb, had found a bottom and that some investors were becoming optimistic that a year-end rally might be possible. "Clearly we've had oil putting a lot of pressure on this market over the past week or so, but given where oil is right now, we

would've expected the market to react even more negatively than where it is," said Brian Belski, market strategist at Piper Jaffray. "With productivity and earnings still pretty strong and inflation tame aside from oil and gas, we think the market still is set up for a positive move in the fourth quarter." The Dow Jones industrial average fell 58.70, or 0.6 percent, to 9,988.54. It was the Dow's lowest close since Aug. 17, when it last closed below 10,000. Broader stock indicators were moderately lower. The Standard & Poor's 500 index fell 0.65, or 0.6 percent, at 1,103.52, and the Nasdaq composite index dropped 0.60, or 1 percent, to 1,859.88. Oil producers and refiners still struggled to recover from Hurricane Ivan's damage in the Gulf of Mexico, and global demand continues to tighten, analysts said, making the markets susceptible to even minimal losses in overall production. And investors are worried that if prices rise at the gas pump, consumer spending might be pared back just as retailers prepare for the holiday shopping season.

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Do some research before picking a financial planner

Questions My husband and I have tried to find a good certified financial planner in our area. We don't know what to look for. We met briefly with one planner who taught a class on finance, but she seemed to be really pushing one particular brand of annuity investment and we wondered if it was ethical for her to be using such a class to generate business. I checked our local Yellow Pages and phoned a financial planner who proceeded to tell me that the Yellow Pages wasn't a good way to find a financial planner. We in our late 30s, own our own home, have no credit card debt, always have something in savings and put the maximum in our 401(k)s each year. We feel that we are in good shape compared with many of the people we know. But to be honest, we're not sure that enough to position us for a secure retirement. Do you have any advice that will help us find a reputable financial planner in our area?

Answer: You're right to question the first planner's ethics, and not just because she was using her class to drum up clients. The fact that she was pushing annuities without first spending a lot of time gathering detailed information about your financial situation tells us that she's more interested in her potential commission than in your financial well-being. The second planner had a point, but you have to wonder why he bothered to place ad in the first place. The conventional wisdom is that you should ask friends for referrals, but chances are they don't use a planner -- or they may have one who is fleeing them or who is incompetent, and they don't know it.

The real problem for people in your situation is that many of the best, brightest and most objective financial planners restrict their practice to "high net worth" individuals -- in other words,



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rich. Many require their clients to have a minimum amount of investable assets, often \$250,000 or more outside of workplace retirement plans.

Still, there are fee-only financial planners out there that specialize in middle-income clients. Some are part of the Garrett Planning Network (www.garrettplanningnetwork.com), a relatively new organization that was formed to address the gap in need for affordable financial planning.

You can contact organizations that represent financial planners, such as the Financial Planning Association and the National Association of Personal Financial Advisors, for referrals to their members who offer hourly or flat-rate planning.

In addition, contact the Certified Financial Planner Board of Standards for its free resource kit for consumers, which includes "What You Should Know About Financial Planning," "10 Questions to Ask When Choosing a Financial Planner" and "Your Rights as a Financial Planning Client."

You can get the kit at www.cfpnet.org or by calling (888) 237-6275.

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