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**Police arrest second man in homicide**

By Cass Friedman  
Times-News writer

Police arrested a second man Friday in the homicide of Dale Miller, whose corpse was found Wednesday evening in a barrel in a Twin Falls apartment garage.

At 3:15 p.m. Friday, authorities arrested Cameron Watts, 29, in Paul. By late afternoon, he was charged with first-degree murder and first-degree kidnapping of the same crimes as the first suspect. Watts, who is from Gooding, was arrested on a warrant at Third Street West and Idaho Highway 25.

If charges are filed against him in Twin Falls County, they could be filed as early as Monday.

Dr. Glen Groben, an Ada County forensic pathologist, positively identified the body as belonging to Miller in an autopsy Friday. A cause of death and further information had not been handed to the Twin Falls County prosecutor.

A first suspect in the homicide, John Henry McElhinney, 31, had already been arrested on an alleged probation violation when police found Miller's body in the garage attached to Apt. 1, 322 Morningside Drive. McElhinney was charged with first-degree murder and first-degree kidnapping on Thursday.

**Victim**



Miller

**Arrested**



McElhinney

Watts

Madrid

The home's tenant and McElhinney's girlfriend, Rachel Madrid, had known McElhinney for less than a month.

Madrid's family said she had been friends with Miller for "at least that same period of time. On Sept. 5, she called police for a domestic problem.

McElhinney "kicked in the wall above her head and said 'you can't keep me out of here for long,'" said Randi Madrid, Rachel Madrid's sister.

McElhinney had been declared a missing person on Aug. 5. There was also a warrant for his arrest.

According to Madrid's family, Watts was a friend of McElhinney. Watts arrived at the home 20 minutes after Miller's body was discovered in the garage and before police arrived, Randi Madrid said.

"He said he needed to get stuff out

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**FRIDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL**

Jerome 56, Gooding 0

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Kimberly 34, Valley 0

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MONEY

**Gates: U.S. may cut troops to 100,000 by end of 2008**

By Robert Barnes  
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — Defense Secretary Robert Gates raised the possibility Friday of cutting U.S. troop levels in Iraq to 100,000 by the end of next year, well beyond the cuts President Bush has approved.

Stressing that he was expressing a hope, not an administration plan, Gates said it was possible that conditions in Iraq would improve enough to merit much deeper troop cuts than are currently scheduled for 2008.

Asked at a news conference whether he was referring to lowering today's level of about

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**T.F. man charged in Wednesday's hit-and-run**

By Melissa Devin  
Times-News correspondent

A Twin Falls man involved in a hit-and-run collision that injured a Twin Falls woman and her infant daughter Wednesday night made his first appearance in court Friday afternoon.

Jeffrey D. Maloney, who is on probation for a 2002 felony forgery charge, was arrested on an agent's warrant Thursday morning after turning himself in to his probation officer. An agent's warrant is issued by a probation officer and authorizes detention of a probationer for 72 hours.

Maloney was charged with a misdemeanor for leaving the scene of an accident, alcohol consumption, and driving while drinking during Friday's court appearance at Twin Falls County Court-house. Judge Thomas Ker-shaw appointed a public defender to Maloney's case. Bond will be set by the 5th District Judge who reviews the agent's warrant.



Jeffrey D. Maloney

"Every time I would talk to him, the first thing out of his mouth was 'Mom, is that baby OK?'"

— Kim Rodgers, Maloney's mother

On Wednesday night, a black 1999 Jeep Cherokee ran a stop sign and struck a vehicle driven by 24-year-old Jennifer Smith of Twin Falls at the intersection of Orchard Drive and Washington Street South.

The force of the collision pushed Smith's vehicle into Maloney's 1997 Pontiac Bonneville that was stopped facing east on Orchard Drive. Both Maloney and the driver of the Cherokee fled the scene.

Kim Rodgers, Maloney's mother, said her son made a mistake by leaving the scene of the accident, but did the right thing by turning himself in.

Smith said she hates that her case is the same light as the driver that hit Smith's vehicle, who police are still looking for.

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**Xavier shifts locations**

**School to be in Nazarene church for first two weeks**

By Nate Poppo  
Times-News writer

After a contentious summer, classes at Twin Falls' first charter school will begin as planned on Monday — just not at the right school.

Xavier Charter School teachers and students may see two more weeks of delays for the official opening at the North College Road campus. Despite a last-minute rush to finish remodeling Xavier's facility, the work won't be done in time and students will spend their first few days of school in impromptu classrooms set up at the First Church of the Nazarene on 1231 Washington St. N.

Friday morning, the unfinished school building sat open and awaiting work while teachers and staff gathered to tour the church facilities, including a gym for school gatherings and a series of classrooms.

"We're just this close (to using the school building)," school co-founder and fifth-grade teacher Becky Baird said.

Most of the work that remains, she said, involves hanging doors and finishing up fire safety work in the ceiling. But until that's finished and the building receives a final inspection from the city, teachers said school should carry on here.

At 8 a.m. Monday in the Nazarene facilities.

"It's a wonderful facility," school aide Lisa Thompson said. "When officials realized the



Bob Baird works on a door Friday at Xavier Charter School in Twin Falls. Construction on the school is planned to be complete within two weeks.

school might not open on time, Baird, a member of the church, approached Pastor Jerry Kester for help. Kester said he'd opened the church's facilities to the school for the two weeks officials think it might take to get the school building together, and

Friday's tour also served to divide up the available rooms for each teacher.

"The change in facilities didn't seem to faze any of the teachers, who all seemed eager to begin

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# Homicide

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 of the garage," according to Rami Madrid, who said her other sister, Rebecca Rodriguez, described the scene to her family.

At 1 a.m. Thursday, Wats called Rebecca Rodriguez, who was with Rami Madrid and other family members.

"He was in what was going on," Rami Madrid said, "A

detective took the phone, talked to him."  
 Earlier this summer McElhinney, a convicted felon who had begun to put his life back on track, was again running into problems with the law.

On July 13, he was arrested and charged with contempt of court.

"It didn't do something

the court ordered," said Blaine County Sheriff Detective Steve Harkins. "He was released the same day on a \$900 bond."

Shortly thereafter, he disappeared from Blaine County.

On Aug. 5, he was declared a missing person. Neighbors saw less than a month ago he moved in with Rachel

Madrid at her Morningside apartment.

Madrid was also arrested Wednesday evening on alleged violation of her felony probation and booked at the Twin Falls County jail.

But after police arrested McElhinney and found the body, they transferred Madrid to the Mini-Cassa

Detention Center.

"Law enforcement had requested we move her to another jail to not have her and the other individual in same jail," said Dan Anderson, who manages 5th District Probation and Parole.

Booked her outside the county was a discretionary call of her probation officer,

who helped serve her arrest warrant Wednesday.

Of the three people arrested following the discovery of Miller's body inside Madrid's home, Madrid is the only one who has not been charged in the homicide.

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# Gates

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 169,000 U.S. troops to about 100,000 by the end of next year, Gates replied. "That would be the math." He quickly added, however, that because there is no script in war, his hoped-for cuts could vanish.

It was the first time a member of Bush's war cabinet had publicly suggested such deep reductions, perhaps offering a conciliatory hand to anti-war Democrats and some wary Republicans in Congress who have been pushing for troop reductions, a change in the U.S. mission and an end to the war.

"Democratic leaders seized on a White House report sent Friday to Congress as evidence that Bush's war policy is failing. The assessment showed that the Iraq government was making satisfactory progress toward meeting the 18 political and military goals — only one more satisfactory grade than in a July report.

"As hard as they may have tried to spin it, today's assessment by the White House on the political situation in Iraq once again shows that the president's flawed escalation policy is not working," Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid, D-Nev., said in a statement. "It certainly does not justify keeping 130,000 soldiers mired in an open-ended civil war that the president has chosen to do."

Next week, the Senate is expected to resume debate on anti-war legislation.

Gates said his news conference to launch an attack on efforts by Democrats to force Bush to change course in Iraq by imposing new restrictions on how the Pentagon uses or manages the armed forces.

Gates was particularly pointed in his criticism of a proposal by Sen. James Webb, D-N.C., to require that troops be given as much time at their home station as on deployments to the war front.

Today, active-duty Army units are on 15-month deployments with a promise of no more than 12 months rest, and Marines who spend seven or more months at war sometimes get six months or less at home.

Gates said that while he believed such proposals are well-intentioned, they have serious flaws. He said, for example, that Webb's amendment, if enacted, would force him to consider again extending tours in Iraq.

"We would have to accept gaps in capability as units that rotate home aren't replaced right away for periods perhaps of weeks," Gates said. It also might put troops' lives in greater danger by reducing opportunities for incoming units to get acquainted with their responsibilities by working for a few weeks with outgo-

## Mixed reviews on progress in Iraq

The new White House report on Iraq showed signs of little improvement. Only one benchmark effort to allow Saddam Hussein's Baath Party to rejoin the political process, was changed.

- White ● Satisfactory/met ○ Some progress/partially met
- House ○ Unsatisfactory/uneven ● Too early to assess GAO
- Forming a Constitutional Review Committee and completing the constitutional review.
- Enacting law on procedures to form semi-autonomous regions.
- Establishing supporting political, media, economic and services committees in support of the Baghdad security plan.
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- Establishing all of the planned joint security stations in neighborhoods across Baghdad.
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- Allocating and spending \$10 billion for reconstruction projects.
- Enacting law on de-Baathification.
- Enacting law to ensure the equitable distribution of energy resources.
- Providing Iraqi commanders with all authorities to execute security plan and to make tactical and operational decisions.
- Ensuring that the Iraqi security forces are providing even-handed enforcement of the law.
- Increasing the number of Iraqi security forces units capable of operating independently.
- Ensuring that Iraq's political authorities are not undermining or making false accusations against members of the Iraqi security forces.
- Reducing the level of sectarian violence in Iraq and eliminating militia control of local security.
- Enacting law establishing an Independent High Electoral Commission, provincial elections law, provincial council authorities, and a date for provincial elections.
- Enacting law addressing amnesty.
- Enacting law establishing a strong militia disarmament program.

SOURCES: White House; GAO

ing units, he said.

"The other message that I worry that some of the amendments send is that it sends a signal to potential adversaries that we're stretched so thinly and that we are so strained that we cannot adequately respond to crises elsewhere in the world," Gates said.

"And that's not a correct view, if others should take it, but it is a worry."

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# Xavier

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 classes no matter where they were located. Math and Spanish teacher Mike Kerr said the curriculum is what will make the school, not the facilities.

"This is going to be an awesome school," Kerr said.

The school has had a rough start: After the Idaho State Department of Education found two counts of non-compliance in August in regards to the school's handling of special-needs children, the school announced days later that construction problems would push the opening date back to Monday. But teachers are eager to begin the year, and the rocky beginning has shown what school staff can handle, principal and co-founder Cindy Fulcher said.

"We are adaptable. We are finding that out, that's for sure."

# Hit and run

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 "When the accident happened, their cars slammed into him," Rodgers said.

Media reports claiming Maloney was still on the loose upset Rodgers even more, she said.

In a press release sent out Thursday afternoon, the Twin Falls Police Department said it was still looking for Maloney and 21-year-old Alberto Carmona Jr. of Buhl, another person of interest in the collision. At the time the press release was issued, however, Maloney was already in custody.

"We were in the process of interviewing him and the press release had just been completed," Lt. Craig Stotts said. "I wasn't able to put out an updated release."

After the accident, Smith was taken by helicopter to Saint Alphonsus Regional Medical Center in Boise, where she is being treated for

minor brain hemorrhaging, bruises and lung fluid. She was released from the Intensive Care Unit and will most likely be released from the hospital in a few days, said her sister Christina Chapman.

Smith's daughter, 6-month-old Juniper Smith, is being treated for a few fractured ribs and minor brain hemorrhaging, but family members expected her to be released Friday evening or sometime Saturday, Chapman said. Both Smith and her daughter are expected to make a full recovery. The news will come as a relief to Maloney, who has been asking about the family's condition.

"Every time I would talk to him, the first thing out of his mouth was 'Mom, is that baby OK?'" Rodgers said.

Police have issued an arrest warrant for Carmona Jr. Anyone with information on his whereabouts should call 735-4357.

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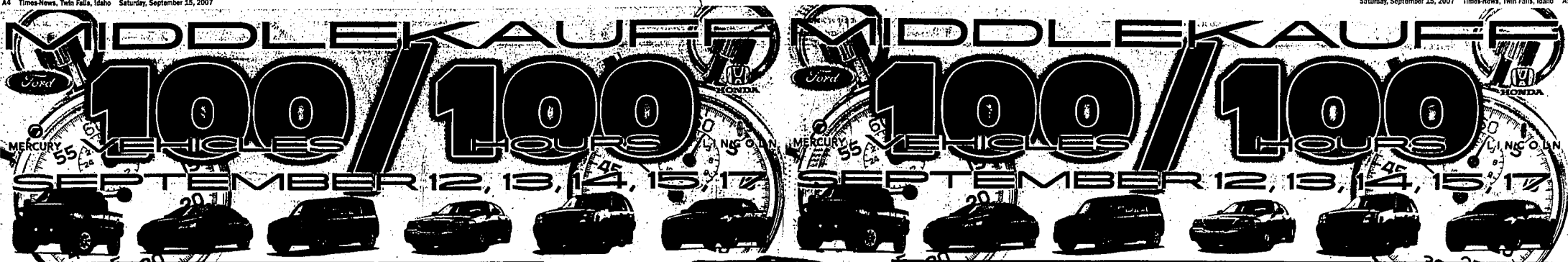
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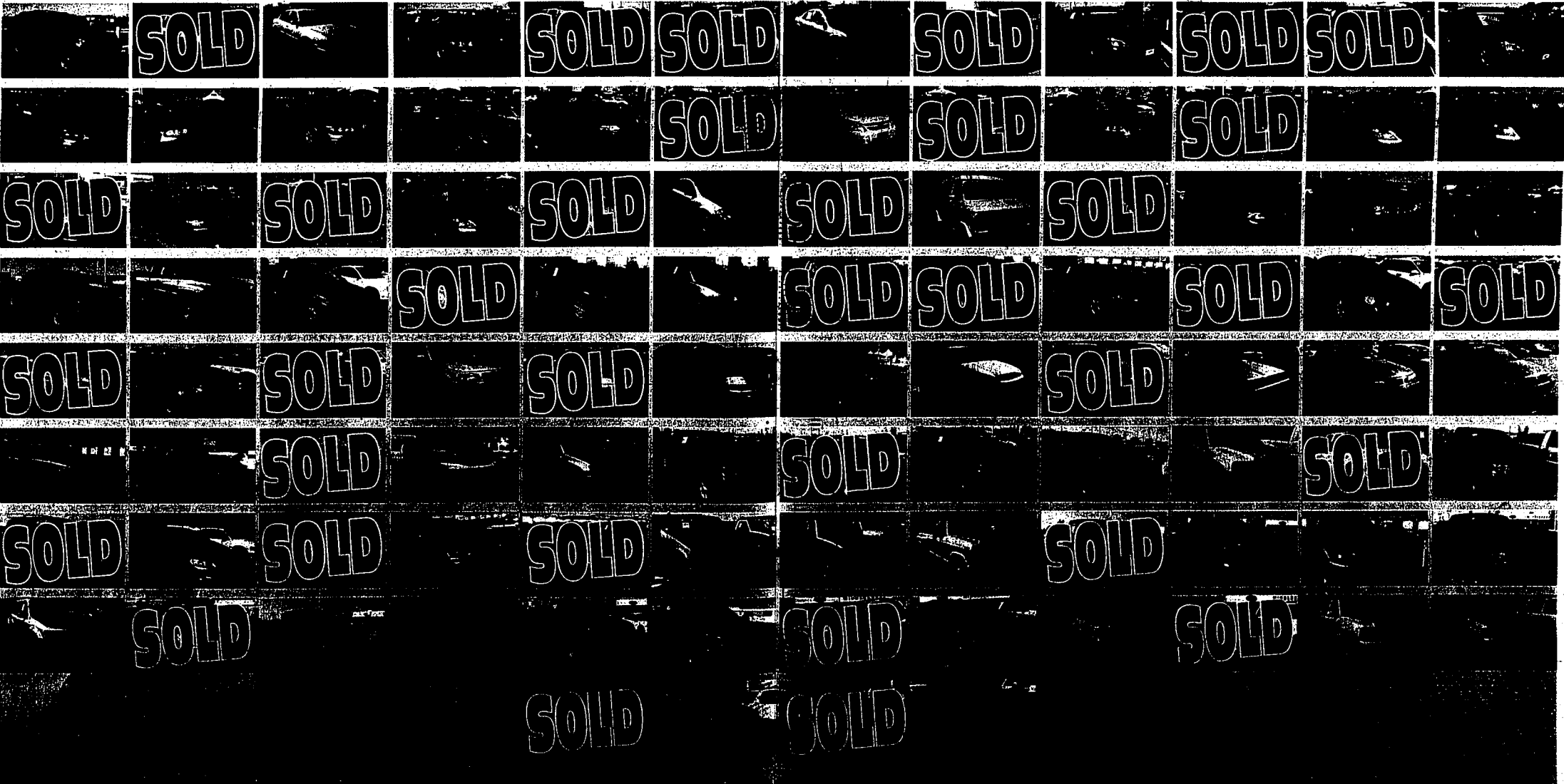
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We would also like to thank Joe Skaug for allowing our junior team the opportunity to raise some money at his car show.

We are fortunate to have businesses such as these in the Magic Valley.  
ANDREA PIERCE  
Magic Valley Eagles  
Twin Falls

## Thanks on behalf of Magic Valley Arts Council

On behalf of the Magic Valley Arts Council, I would like to thank the following for their support of 2007 Kids' Art in the Park, a big success this year with kids from all over the valley.

Major support was provided by the Seagraves Foundation, Keveren Foundation, Twin Falls City Parks and Recreation, Friends of Charitable Trust, Maurice Bowers Foundation, Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co., Optimist Club of Twin Falls, Red/Max American Dream Realty, Scholastic Schools, Dermatology, Times-News and Lamb Weston.

Additional contributors were Blue Lakes Rotary Club, Community Service Volunteers, Covenant Insurance, Junior Club of Magic Valley, Melissa Crane, Cableone, First Federal Savings Bank, Gallatin Valley Seed, Scrapper's and Stamp's Delight, Magic Valley Mall, and the Heating, Air Conditioning and Fireplaces.

And special thanks to this year's committee, Libby Magee, Larissa Alexander, Karen Fothergill, Annaliese Scholtes, Teddy Snow, Ray Strubberg, Lori Riehl, Ruth Turner and all the volunteers.

CAROLYN WHITE  
Program Director  
Magic Valley Arts Council  
Twin Falls

## Many came from afar to support golf event

This letter is to give a special thank you to the chamber of commerce, many businesses in Twin Falls and Jerome who supported and donated to our recent golfing event.

Eighty people arrived in Twin Falls to play golf and socialize for three days. They came from as far away as New York, Minnesota, Arizona, Colorado, Washington, Oregon, South Dakota and many places in Canada to participate in the Hummer Summer Annual Golf Outing. They also winter in Mesa, Ariz.

We received so many accolades for the splendid scenery and amenities that were offered by the Magic Valley. Many were in awe of our marvelous canyon and surroundings. It was special for us to be reminded of what we have to offer here.

Thanks again for all the willingness to help us out.  
LARRY AND HELEN LICKLEY  
Jerome

## Generous business support appreciated

On behalf of the Magic Valley Arts Council, I would like to thank the following for their support of 2007 Kids' Art in the Park.

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STACY MADSEN  
Executive Director  
Magic Valley Arts Council  
Twin Falls

Committee members include Pedro Vega, Javier Vega, Gerardo Vega, Daniel Ramirez, Hector Contreras, Mac Aquero, Raul Rodriguez, Father Reginald Nwazuor and M. Helen Almazan.

## Mortuary gave generous support to volunteers

I'm writing as a representative of a group of volunteers for the "Meals on Wheels" program sponsored by the Twin Falls Senior Citizens Center. Many of us, but not all, are retired residents of the area who want to stay involved and give back to the community of which we are a part.

We would like to acknowledge the unsolicited support that White Mortuary has given the volunteers over the past year. Each month, White Mortuary provides a stipend to each of the volunteer drivers to help defray the cost of gasoline expenses that occur when doing their daily routes.

Although White Mortuary receives little public acknowledgment, it is great to see the selfless, behind-the-scenes support of a local business for this important service program for home-bound seniors and its volunteers.

RICK SNIDER  
Twin Falls  
(Editor's note: Rick Snider wrote this letter on behalf of the volunteer drivers for the Meals on Wheels program.)

## Fireman, others helped save party

To the fireman that saved the birthday cake:

On Saturday, Sept. 1, I was involved in a tragic accident on Pole Line Road near Costco. Being out of state made the accident much more complicated, and I want to thank all that responded to help me:

The firemen, Officer Stephensen, the medics and the hospital emergency room team were fantastic. We were surprised to have a party for my mother-in-law who turned 93 that day. We weren't able to have the party until Sunday, but the best part was the fireman rescued the birthday cake from the car trunk and took it to Bridgview for us. It was a little worse for wear but still enjoyable and the party did go on.

You should all be proud of these men and women and the jobs they do on a daily basis.

ELLEN NUTTING  
Everett, Wash.

## Fiesta successful because of donations

The organizers and planning committee would like to thank those who helped make the Kermes Mexican Fiesta successful with donations of time, service and money:

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## Thank you, Leo Tuccori

On behalf of the Gooding School District I would like to give a special thank you to Leo Tuccori for his generous donation toward the purchase of a Kawasaki four-wheeler.

The Gooding School District is selling raffle tickets for a chance to win this four-wheeler from now until Dec. 14. Tickets are available at every football, volleyball and basketball game to raise money for the Gooding Athletics Transportation and Operations Fund.

Again, thank you to Leo Tuccori and to everyone who has made this fundraiser possible. Gooding School District.

TRACIE ANDERSON  
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# O.J. Simpson says he was trying to retrieve stolen property in confrontation

By Kathleen Hennessy  
Associated Press writer



LAS VEGAS — O.J. Simpson, who famously vowed to find his ex-wife's real killer, took matters into his own hands to solve the caper of his purportedly stolen memorabilia.

But police say Simpson may have crossed the line and they're looking into whether he committed armed robbery when he and some acquaintances went to a casino hotel room and snatched the collectibles.

White police were mum on details Friday. Simpson and other men who claimed to be in the hotel room aired conflicting accounts about what happened in a city that's supposed to keep its secrets.

"We didn't break into the room. There was no armed robbery," Simpson told The Associated Press in a telephone interview.

Las Vegas Metro Police Capt. James Dillon said the confrontation was reported as an armed robbery involving a gun. But he said no weapons had been recovered and stressed that the investigation was in its infancy.

The incident at the Palace Station casino once again buried Simpson into the headlines more than a decade after he was acquitted of killing ex-wife Nicole Brown Simpson and her friend Ron Goldman, only to be found civilly liable for their deaths and ordered to pay a \$33.5 million judgment.

Simpson insisted there were no guns involved and that he went to the room only to get stolen mementos that included his Hall of Fame certificate and a picture of the running back with Edgar Hoover.

"It's stolen stuff that's mine. Nobody was roughed up," Simpson said.

Simpson said auction house owner Tom Rieclo called him several weeks ago to say some collectors "have a lot of your stuff and they don't want anyone to know they're selling it."

Simpson, who was in Las Vegas for a friend's wedding, said he arranged to meet Rieclo at the hotel. Rieclo had set up a meeting with collectors under the guise that he had a private collector interested in buying Simpson's items.

A message left for Rieclo was not immediately returned.

memorabilia, some of which he has been ordered to turn over as part of the Goldman's lawsuit.

"I'm OK. I'm shaken up," Beardsley told the AP by phone. He said that Simpson's account of the incident was "fairly accurate except that there were guns."

Simpson said: "I didn't see anybody with any guns." Bruce Fromong, a collector who testified at Simpson's civil trial, said he was in the room when Simpson barged in with other men.

"Him and some of his guys came busting through the door," Fromong told the celebrity gossip site TMZ.com. "They came in with guns, hollering and screaming."

Fromong, who reportedly tried to sell the suit Simpson wore when he was acquitted of murder, described him as a former close friend and said he couldn't explain the behavior.

"O.J.'s in enough trouble. For him to come and do this kind of thing, I don't know what's wrong with O.J. This is stupidity," Simpson was released after he and several associates were questioned, and he remained in Las Vegas.

"We don't believe he's going anywhere," Montoya said.

The Las Vegas district attorney's office will decide whether to pursue charges in the casino case. Both Beardsley and Simpson indicated that the underlying issue was recovery of photos from Simpson's childhood.

The Helmsman Trophy winner, ex-NFL star and actor lives near Miami and has been a tabloid staple since his ex-wife, Nicole Brown Simpson, and her friend Ron Goldman were killed in 1994.

Simpson was acquitted of murder charges, but a jury later held him liable for the killings in a wrongful death lawsuit.

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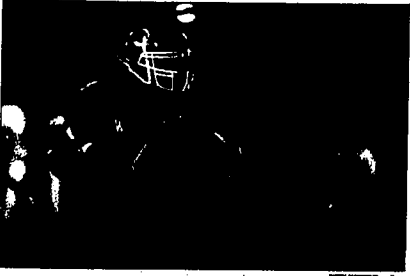
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## QB Hughes, Filer defense overpower Wendell



Filer quarterback Nathan Hughes runs the ball up field during the Wildcats' game against Wendell High School Friday night in Filer.

By David Bashore  
Times-News writer

FILER — Filer's Nathan Hughes beat American Falls last week with his arm, nailing up 405 yards in the air. Against Wendell it was the junior quarterback's legs and the Wildcat defense's turn to shine.

Hughes toted the ball 26 times for 169 yards and two touchdowns, and the defense turned the Trojans away twice on critical fourth-down plays to cement a 20-12 victory Friday night.

On fourth-and-goal from the 5-yard line in the second quarter, Filer (4-0) defensive back Tyson Johnson swatted away Jason Chandler's pass at the goal line. The line also stopped Chandler on a quarterback sneak late in the third period, leaving the Wendell (0-4) quarterback

inches short of the first down.

Johnson also helped cement the victory in the game's latter stages, with a leaping interception when Wendell was on the move as well as a circus tip-drill catch to set up Hughes' second touchdown with under two minutes left in the game.

"It's been coaching over the years," Johnson said of his penchant for being in the right place at the right time. "I've been brought up with great fundamentals, and taught to know where to be all the time."

Hughes hammered away at the Trojan defense, mostly through the ground rather than through the air, where he was 15-for-25 with 173 yards and an interception. Almost

each and every time the junior carried the ball, the run was punctuated with a punishing hit — delivered from Hughes to the would-be tackler.

Said Wildcat coach Jason Schweikert: "(Hughes) runs with great pad level, and he gets after the defense. He doesn't wait for the defense to come to him."

While the quarterback piled up 341 all-purpose yards, the Wendell defense did a solid job stuffing the remainder of the rushing attack, except in the red zone. Filer back Tyler Kraft carried the ball five times for six yards, but two overtime carries resulted in touchdowns.

Wendell's defense played well for the fourth straight game, and the offense came to play Friday as well.

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## Bulldogs roll in homecoming

By Bradley Guire  
Times-News writer

KIMBERLY — It was a crisp, cool night for football and homecoming festivities, and the Kimberly Bulldogs didn't disappoint as they rolled to a 34-0 victory over the Valley Vikings. A stout defense and an offensive attack that spread like blackberry jam on warm toast attributed to the shutout for Kimberly's third straight win.

"I'm pleased with our defense," Bulldogs coach Kirby Bright said. "It's something I've been harping on all year. It wins games."

Through the 46 minutes, the Bulldogs held Valley to 49 plays and less than 125 yards of offense. The Vikings broke into the red zone only a few times, and just when they were closest to getting rid of the goose egg on the scoreboard (second-and-goal on the Kimberly 10-yard line), defensive back Braeden Niel denied quarterback Brigen Reed during the third quarter by intercepting the sophomore inside the 5.

"Our philosophy is 'bend, not break,'" said Niel, who also carried for a touchdown. "Coach (Bright) hollered to watch the inside, and I just read the quarterback and made the catch."

Kimberly would score following the turnover, a predicament that accounted for 13 of its points. Niel's interception was one of five Valley turnovers in the second half, and Isaac Makings also made a pick late in the game.

The Bulldog offense spread the ball out both on the ground and through the sky as quarterback Evan Jerke completed 7-of-14 for 187 yards and no picks. He connected with Cody Wadsworth, for a 60-yard score and Makings on a 37-yard touchdown. On the ground, Eric Marvin carried for 123 of Kimberly's 167 yards. Kimberly amassed more than 350 offensive yards. One of his 15 carries went for a 31-yard score. Lael Schoessler carried for the opening score.

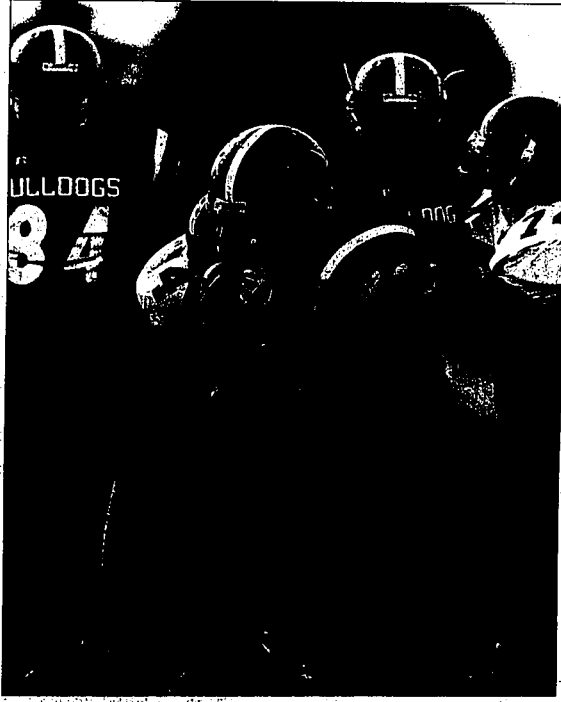
"They have a good defensive scheme, and that's a good offense that you have to keep in check," Valley coach Brian Ayers said.

Still, there was talk of things to work out.

"We had some big plays, but we didn't sustain drives," Jerke said, alluding to the fact that three touchdown drives were completed on plays 30 yards or more. "The first half is not our kind of football."

Also, penalties on offense plagued Kimberly through the game, and many were needless as the Bulldogs cost themselves 40 of their more than 80 penalty yards on offsides or false-start calls. Two scores were called back on penalties.

The 3-0 Bulldogs host Wood River next Friday, while 2-2 Valley hosts Wendell for a Canyon



Kimberly's Eric Marvin attempts to make a run through the Valley defense during their game Friday evening in Kimberly.

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— Kimberly coach Kirby Bright

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## Broncos hope to rebound in homecoming

By Dustin Lagary  
Times-News correspondent

BOISE — Today the Boise State Broncos will celebrate the earliest homecoming in school history, and they are doing it on the heels of their first loss since the 2005 MPC Bowl.

The Broncos are one of those teams that can't afford to allow previous weeks to affect the game to be played, but it must be difficult to forget the 24-10 loss at Washington last week.

Regardless, it is a new week with a new opponent and a set of fresh challenges for the Broncos' doorstep: The Wyoming Cowboys (2-0) are knocking after beating down Virginia and Utah State at home.

"We're glad to be back home and playing on our turf," BSU head coach Chris Peterson said of tonight's 6 p.m. kickoff (KSTV). "We love playing here. Our fans are awesome and we feed off their energy. We want to play better here and right now that's to our advantage."



Wyoming at Boise State  
TV: KTV 6 p.m.; Radio: 670 AM;  
Line: Boise State by 12

The Broncos lead the all-time series 3-0, including a 17-10 win last season in the second-best home record in the country the last five seasons (24-1). This team is almost unbeatable on the Blue.

But BSU will have a hard time with these Cowboys whose offense simply coming in town to mess with the Broncos' defense. The Broncos have had a string of college level offensive line taking down powerhouse O-lines on national TV.

The Broncos should look to establish their running game with tailback Ian Johnson and the massive

offensive line, all of which failed to meet expectations last week. The Cowboys though, gave up a mere 65 yards per game on the ground to their first two opponents. They have the best rush defense in the Mountain West Conference, established by senior linebacker Luke Chase, who has never missed a game in college and junior linebacker Ward Dohs, who recorded 14 tackles last week against Utah State.

"Wyoming is very tough defensively and are a very good team overall," Peterson said. "We're not going to take them lightly. They held us in check last year at their place and we expect them to be just as tough when they come here."

BSU junior fullback Devin Moore is averaging 105 yards per game this season. Moore (5-foot-10, 162 pounds) has 37 carries for 210 yards this season.

The Broncos have pulled better numbers, with more yards gained and fewer

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## CSI goes 3-1 on Day 2

Golden Eagles wrap up tourney play today

Times-News

Two more matches, then it really starts to matter.

The No. 11 College of Southern Idaho volleyball team enters its last day of nonconference tournament play with a 25-8 record after going 3-1 during the second day of the Scottsdale Classic in Scottsdale, Ariz.

The Golden Eagles defeated No. 20 Arizona Western College 14-30, 30-26, 16-14 to wrap up the day after topping Lee College (Texas) 30-16, 30-23, and Pima (Ariz.) Community College 30-15, 30-16.

The Golden Eagles dropped their match against Lee College 30-26, 30-26.

Aside from their pummeling of Pima, the Golden Eagles weren't terribly sharp offensively on the day. CSI rallied behind eight kills and five block assists each from Nathy Neres and Gabriela Bolawczyk to top Pima. The Golden Eagles pulled one solo block and 14 block assists against Pima, which is one of their best blocking performances of the year.

However, CSI's 22-percent attacking efficiency against Lee was its highest among the three other matches.

"We struggled in our serve-receive still," Golden Eagles head coach Heidi Cartiser said. "We had to run an outside game, so that's kind of been our bottleneck, is our passing."

Freshman middle blocker Alyssa Wierck finished with a team-high 21 kills on the day, while Santia Sanders added 18 of her own. Freshman setter Jelena Savic

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### Eagle Eyes

2007 Scottsdale Classic  
At Scottsdale (Ariz.)  
Community College  
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BASEBALL

American League. Cleveland 86 61 545, Boston 81 61 517, Tampa Bay 75 65 490, Baltimore 73 65 432, Detroit 72 65 429.

National League. New York 83 60 538, St. Louis 82 60 518, Houston 78 60 488, Pittsburgh 76 60 480, Philadelphia 76 60 479.

GAME PLAN

LOCAL COLLEGE BASEBALL. CSU vs. Utah Baseball Academy, 11:30 p.m. CSU vs. Utah Volleyball, 6 p.m. CSU at Eastern Arizona, 10 a.m.

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PGA TOUR

PGA TOUR Championship. Tiger Woods 15, Vijay Singh 12, Phil Mickelson 11, Matt Kuchar 10, Bubba Watson 9.

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Oden injury conjures up memories of Sam Bowie for Blazers

PORTLAND, Ore. — The season-ending injury to Greg Oden dragged up a bad memory for Portland Trail Blazers fans — that fateful draft day in 1984 when the team used the second overall pick to choose Sam Bowie instead of Michael Jordan.

Portland, averaging 10.5 points, but was plagued by injuries and had leg surgery as many as five times. He retired in 1995.

WARRIORS NEAR DEAL WITH NELSON. OAKLAND, Calif. — The Golden State Warriors are close to reaching a deal to rework coach Don Nelson's contract and bring him back for another season with the team.

BRUINS BOOSTERS TO MEET MONDAY. TWIN FALLS — The Twin Falls High School Bruin Boosters will be holding a meeting at 7 p.m., Monday, Sept. 17 in the Twin Falls High School faculty room.





TWIN FALLS FORECAST

Today: Warmer than normal with high sunshine and light winds. Highs in the lower 80s.
Tonight: Partly cloudy skies and mild temperatures. Lows near 50.
Tomorrow: Breezy with increasing afternoon and evening clouds. Highs lower 80s, lows lower 50s.

BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST

Today: Warm temperatures and partly cloudy skies. Highs in the upper 70s.
Tonight: Partly cloudy skies and comfortable overnight temperatures. Lows in the middle 40s.
Tomorrow: Becoming mostly cloudy with a small chance of an afternoon thunderstorm. Highs upper 70s, lows mid 40s.

IDAHO'S FORECAST

SUN VALLEY SURROUNDING MTS. This weekend will be warm with a daily chance of hot and sun showers and thunderstorms. Monday looks mostly dry with showers and cooler weather developing by Tuesday and Wednesday.

BOISE Warm and breezy today with hazy sunshine. Sunday will again be warm and an isolated thunderstorm is possible. A better chance of showers and thunderstorms will develop on Tuesday.

NORTHERN IDAHO Very warm for today with sunny to mostly sunny skies. Conditions will remain warm and mostly dry for tomorrow and Monday.



Weather: Sky: Partly cloudy; High: 84; Low: 50; Wind: 20 to 25 mph; Precip: 0.00; Humidity: 65%; Visibility: 10; Air Quality: Good.

TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Table with 5 columns: Today, Tonight, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday. Includes weather icons and temperature forecasts (High/Low).

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Table with 4 columns: Temperature, Precipitation, Humidity, Barometric Pressure. Includes sunrise and sunset times.

Yesterday's Weather

Table with 2 columns: City, High/Low/Felt. Lists various cities and their weather conditions.

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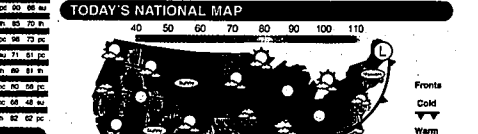


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REGG MIDDLEKAUFF'S QUOTE OF THE DAY: 'It's better to be a lion for a day than a sheep all your life.'

GOLF ROUNDUP

Woods takes three-shot lead

ATLANTA — A stunning six-hole stretch that Tiger Woods played in 7 under par gave him control of the Tour Championship on Friday. He followed that with nine holes of mediocrity, which gave everyone else a chance.
Tearing apart a defenseless course at East Lake, Woods made five straight birdies and capped off his amazing run with a 70-foot eagle putt on the par-5 ninth hole to make the turn in 28. But he went five holes before his next birdie, and he had to settle for a 7-under 63 that gave him a three-shot-lead over Woody Austin.

Woods was at 13-under 127, 1/2 stroke ahead of a tournament since he was 15-under through 36-holes at Firestone in 2006, which he went on to win by 11 strokes.
At least at East Lake, he has a chance to complete his record-breaking 65 and will play in the final group with Woods, thank God he wasn't too far behind.
This isn't hard to beat if you're playing as well and not in front of you, like I said, he's hard to catch.

Not hard to beat? Remember, it was Austin who suggested he outplayed Woods in the second round of the PGA Championship, and Woods tied a major championship record with 63 and Austin shot 70.
Austin went on to finish second at Southern Hills, and he'll get a chance to play with the world's No. 1 player on Saturday in presumably sunny conditions. Woods and 19 other players had to return Friday morning to complete the first round, and he wound up playing 25 holes and finishing in time to beat the rumble of thunder.

Woods' string of birdies, which included a bunker shot he holed from 60 feet on No. 5, filled East Lake with plenty of electricity. But it might have taken all the drama out of the FedEx Cup finale.
Woods is atop the playoff standings, a victory would give him the cup and the \$10 million prize; Steve Stricker, who needs to win to capture the cup, shot 67 and was nine shots behind. Phil Mickelson, who can only claim the FedEx Cup, he wins the Tour Championship and Woods finishes worse than second, was seven shots behind after a 66.
Only a half-dozen players were within five shots of Woods, not a good sign considering Woods hasn't lost a 36-hole lead in three years.
The Clark follows a record-tying 63 at East Lake with a 69 and in the group at 8-under 131 that included defending champion Adam Scott (66) and Mark Calcavecchia (66). K.J. Choi, still mathematically alive for the FedEx Cup, had a 65 and moved to 8-under 132, along with Sergio Garcia (64).
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What and he think about the 28 on the front?
'I was trying to figure out which holes he parmed, actually,' Calcavecchia said. 'First three? He got off to a bad start. He could be in a slump. I noticed he made a bogey, I think he's losing it now.'
Woods did open with three pars, but his approach into 10 feet for birdie on No. 4 changed everything. From the front left bunker on No. 5, 60 feet from a

hole he couldn't see, Woods blasted out and the ball bounced three times before dropping into the cup for birdie. The next three birdies were a product of good shots to soft greens, the ball making a "SPLAT" each time it landed.
And then the hole got in the way again.
He reached the 699-yard ninth hole in two, still 70 feet from the cup, and hammered the eagle putt. When it banged into the back of the cup, all Woods could do was cover his eyes as if to apologize.
'Pure luck,' Woods said. 'If you could have been right behind the golf ball and see how that thing was bouncing all over the place, it was actually quite funny.'

Stricker played a solid front nine and felt outclassed.
'I played pretty good,' he said. 'I was 2 under and I'm 5 down. You just start thinking, 'Jeepers, what just happened?' He's got a hole in two, still 70 feet from the cup, and he's still out there. You're just waiting for that run of holes, and then he takes off.'

Davies makes great escape to keep Europeans in Solheim Cup

HALMSTAD, Sweden — Tromping-through-the-bushes, Laura Davies looked as lost as she'd ever been on a golf course.
Then, she made two shots that will go down in Solheim Cup lore to win the hole, save her match and turn a rough opening day for the Europeans into something much better.

The United States led 4½-3½ after a windy wet and frigid Friday in Sweden — a good sign for a team that hasn't been ahead after the first day of this event since 1998.
But it was the Europeans who walked off the course with all the momentum. Davies was a big part of that.
Playing in the final fourball match of the day, she was the last player to hit on the tricky par-3 16th hole. She didn't learn a new lesson, you know what I mean. You're just waiting for that run of holes, and then he takes off.'

Spittle leads delayed Greater Hickory
CONOVER, N.C. — Rod Spittle was 3 under through five holes when heavy rain forced Champions Tour officials to suspend first-round play in the Greater Hickory Classic. Only 54 of the 78 players were on the course when play was stopped.
The Associated Press

Zambrano helps Cubs down struggling Cards

ST. LOUIS — Carlos Zambrano allowed four hits over eight innings to lead the Chicago Cubs to a 5-3 victory over St. Louis on Friday night, the Cardinals' eighth straight loss.
Chicago, which survived a wild ninth inning that ended with the bases loaded, won for the fifth time in seven games and opened a 1½-game lead over second-place Milwaukee in the NL Central.
St. Louis is six behind the Cubs.
Zambrano (16-12) won his second straight start after losing five in a row and tied his career best for wins.

Mark DeLoach's RBI single in the fourth put the Cubs ahead against Adam Wainwright (13-11), but Albert Pujols added a 20-game, 75-at-bat homerless drought in the sixth.
Cliff Floyd homered leading off the seventh for the Cubs.



Chicago Cubs pitcher Carlos Zambrano pitches during the fifth inning against the St. Louis Cardinals, Friday in St. Louis.

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American League
YANKEES 6, RED SOX 7
BOSTON — Alex Rodriguez capped a six-run eighth inning with a tiebreaking single off Jonathan Papelbon, and the New York Yankees overcame a five-run deficit to beat Boston.
Jason Giambi and Robinson Cano started the comeback with home runs off Hideki Okajima, Derek Jeter hit an RBI single against Papelbon and Bobby Abreu tied it with a two-run homer.
By winning a 4-hour, 43-minute marathon — two minutes shy of the record for a nine-inning game set by the Yankees and Red Sox on Aug. 18



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## Stress and relief after false alarm

### Burley residents respond to school threat

By Sven Berg  
For the Times-News

Word that a gunman has entered a school is not just nerve rattling, it's terrifying.

Thursday morning, when reports went out that a student had entered Burley High School possibly carrying a gun, the reaction of parents was understandable.

When it turned out to be a false

alarm, relief in the air was palpable.

Even as police set up a perimeter around the school, family members of the students were arriving on the scene — some summoned by text messages from students inside, some having heard chatter on police scanners, all of them terrified.

"I just heard 'gun' and 'school,' and I hung up the phone and came right over," said Theresa Sperry, whose sister was inside the school

during the false alarm.

Some parents arrived at the school simply to see with their own eyes that their children were safe. Some decided enough was enough and took their children home for the day.

Lisa Craner, an aide at the school, was helping administer a test when the school-wide lockdown was announced.

"Where I was, we didn't even know anything was happening," she said. "They told us to lock the doors and keep the kids in the classroom."

Those under the most stress were

law enforcement officers who responded to Thursday's false alarm.

Cassia County Undersheriff Cary Bristol said, as concerned as parents are, their presence at the scene of any incident only makes the problem more difficult to manage.

"You can't blame them, but people could get hurt," he said. "We don't want people down there. That's part of the problem."

Police and incident response experts say school shootings and

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JEROME CO.

## Attorney files court complaints in OT fight

By Jared S. Hopkins  
Times-News writer

JEROME — The attorney representing Jerome County Commissioners on Monday filed complaints in 5th District Court seeking recovery of more than \$75,000 from three former county commissioners.

Fritz Haemmerle, a private attorney in Hailey, has been hired by the current commissioners to try to recover money that Veronica Llerman, John D. Elnorrieta and Alvin Chojnacky paid themselves over four years as elected officials.

Llerman paid herself \$51,057 in overtime, Elnorrieta, \$16,200 and Chojnacky, \$425. The amounts have increased slightly to account for benefits and interest.

Once the defendants have been served, they have 20 days to respond in court. The case is expected to be a long legal dispute.

Current commissioner Charlie Howell said he expects it to reach the Idaho Supreme Court.

The state's attorney general found in 2006 that although the three officers were paid for work-related reasons, the pay system was devised illegally because elected officials cannot be paid beyond base salaries and the year's budget was already set.

The former officials explained that the decision was made within budget, legal counsel was present and a different interpretation can be made of state law.

## Who will replace Craig?

### List expands; Bedke among four MV residents interested

Times-News

The lengthy list of potential replacements to fill the possibly vacant seat of U.S. Sen. Larry Craig includes four Magic Valley residents and a host of current and former state legislators.

Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter issued a list Friday of those who have expressed interest in being appointed to the Senate seat if Craig resigns by Sept. 30, which he has indicated he is likely to do.

State Rep. Scott Bedke, R-Oakley, who serves as the assistant majority leader in the Idaho House of Representatives; Tom Stevenson of Gooding; a former Gooding City Council member; Steven Ranstrom of Burley; and Jay Wilde of Glenns Ferry have all expressed interest in being selected for the job.

The list included 24 names, but the number of people Otter may be considering could be larger.

A statement from Otter spokesman Jon Hanlon on Friday said the list didn't include a few individuals from outside Idaho "who indicated they would be willing to move here if appointed."

The list does not include those people who indicated privately to the governor that they would accept an appointment but expressed a desire for their names not to be disclosed.

Otter's statement said it didn't include others who have not thrown their name in the ring but whose names have been submitted by others.

### The list includes:

- State Rep. Scott Bedke, R-Oakley
- Bob Cox, Boise
- Steve Coyle, Star
- Lawrence Gardner, Meridian
- Ben Jessen, Nampa
- State Sen. Mike Jorgensen, R-Coeur d'Alene
- Thomas Kim, Island Park
- David Leroy, Boise
- State Rep. Russ Mathews, R-Idaho Falls
- State Sen. John McGee, R-Caldwell
- Christopher Patterson, Coeur d'Alene
- Sharon Price, Molokai
- State Rep. Jim Riech, Burley
- L.L. Governor Jim Riech
- State Rep. Kay Roberts, R-Donnelly
- State Sen. Gary Schroeder, R-Moscow
- Larry T. Smith, Nampa
- Shelia Starnes, Boise
- Tom Stevenson, Gooding
- Robert Thomas, Caldwell
- Jim Walsh, Idaho Falls
- Attorney General Lawrence Wasieleski
- State Rep. John W. White, Idaho Falls
- State Rep. Glenn Perry, Idaho Falls
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## OFF-ROAD TRICYCLE



Pop Martinez and his wife, Rhonda, carve their way along North College Road Friday on Triks's. The three-wheeled cambering vehicle is chainless and pedal-less. Pop says they cruise pretty fast and they take them on and off road in the city and in the canyon.

## Supporting the Special Olympics

### Convoy expected to include 160 Idaho truckers

By John E. Swartz  
Times-News correspondent

FILER — Today marks the second year that Magic Valley truckers can band together with other drivers across the country to show support for the Special Olympics by participating in a truck convoy.

Money raised from this and similar convoys taking place in Boise and Pocatello fund regional and state Special Olympics sports programs that show-

case the talents of more than 2,000 Idaho athletes.

Several levels of convoy truck sponsorships are available: The \$5,000 Guardian level donation allows for up to 50 truck entries. A \$2,500 Gold level donation is open to businesses with 25 entries, and the Silver level is a \$1,000 donation for up to 10 entries.

Single truck entries require a \$100 donation. Entry fees include goods,

bags and lunch for each driver and a guest.

"Most of our truckers actually seem to register the day of the convoy," said Christine Jaraki, Special Olympics Idaho special event planner.

"Statewide, we're hoping to get at least 150 trucks involved with the convoy this year."

Late registration will be held from 8 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. at Southern Idaho Freightliner, next to the Flying J Truck Club.

The convoy is scheduled to leave Jerome on Highway 95 at 10 a.m. Participants will move south on Blue Lakes Boulevard and west on Addison Avenue.

Convoy activities will wind down at the Twin Falls County Fairgrounds with entertainment, awards presentations and a hamburger-hot dog lunch served by the Twin Falls Optimist Club.

## T.F. lifts burn ban

The Twin Falls County commissioners officially lifted a county-wide burn ban Friday.

The ban was passed in July in response to the rash of wildfires in Idaho.

On Aug. 9, the commissioners partially lifted the ban to allow farmers to ditch burn on weekdays from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Commission Chairman Tom Mikessell said the commissioners are encouraging people to burn earlier in the morning and hope people will notify firefighting districts when there are fires.

## Lanes restricted on I-84 between Jerome and Bliss

SHOSHONE — Pavement work on two sections of Interstate 84 between Jerome and Bliss begins Monday, the Idaho Transportation Department announced.

The cost is a procedure to stabilize rock chips placed by a seal coat project last year, and prevent further chip loss during the winter months.

The sections of I-84 between mileposts 137 to 150 and mileposts 157 to 167 will be reduced to one lane in each direction between the hours of 7 a.m. and 5 p.m. The work is expected to be complete by Sept. 21.

For current driving conditions on Idaho highways, call 5-1-1 or visit 511.idaho.gov.







# Nevada's vastness stymies search for Fossett

By Karl Vick  
The Washington Post

MINDEN, Nev. — The emptiness that adventure pilot Steve Fossett disappeared into at 10:30 a.m. on Labor Day appears almost endless from the air, a rugged mosaic of mountain ridges that deepen from brown to purple before dissolving into the horizon itself. There are mountains, and more mountains, and between them canyons that hide whatever may have fallen in.

"The perspective from outside is Nevada is flat, hot, with cacti and sagebrush," said Trooper Chuck Allen, a member of the highway patrol in what, in fact, is the most mountainous state in the Union. And one so empty that official highway maps warn motorists to stock up on water and fuel before venturing into the interior.

"It's been an area where people have been written off for a terribly long time," said University of Nevada geography professor Paul Starrs, recalling that the federal government detonated some 900 atomic explosions in a 10,000-square-mile area it declared "virtually uninhabited."

But no one appears to be writing off Fossett — not his family and friends, nor the state of Nevada, not a worldwide network of Internet kib-



John Morgan flees his plane Wednesday near Minden, Nev. Morgan is one of many people searching the area for missing aviator Steve Fossett. After finding a half-dozen old airplane wrecks over 10 days, crews searching for Fossett focused on new tips about planes actually flying in the area the day his disappeared.

itzers. In the 11 days since the aviator flew a stunt plane into the high blue sky above the ranch of billionaire Barron Hilton, the state has spent an estimated \$600,000 looking for him, officials said.

The sum does not include the squadron of 15 small planes the Civil Air Patrol grounded Thursday due to high winds, but that otherwise flies in grid patterns over a 17,000-square-mile search

area — nor another dozen private aircraft searching from the mile-long airstrip at Hilton's Flying M Ranch, nor planes and helicopters provided by neighboring states and the U.S. Forest Service.

The Internet has made the search both intensely local and truly global. Search organizers urge the public to scan satellite images of the terrain available on Google Earth. If they see something that might be the plane, they

flag it to searchers, who compare the images Google purchased last week with images from two years earlier.

"Technically, it's completely simple," said volunteer Tim Ball, printing out a map in a trailer beside the fatigue-green tent that serves as search headquarters. Inside, a volunteer in a green shirt sat by a phone that has rung with calls from Poland, Russia and Japan. Beside him two volunteers in orange shorts were

hunched over laptops.

"You have the benefit of tens of thousands of eyes," said Ball. "It just needs some screening. But it's totally worth it."

A Nevada Air National Guard C-130 Hercules ascends daily to conduct the search, along with helicopters including two AH-60 Black Hawks, two OH-58 Kiowas and a Chinook. The choppers chase tips from people who think they may have spotted Fossett's plane on satellite images that Google spent an estimated \$100,000 updating last week to assist the search.

"It's almost like an Amber alert," said Allen, the state trooper. "In the sense that you're trying to get as many eyes as possible out there looking for one individual."

Some tipsters are detecting very small things. Several have flagged x-shaped survey markers that from overhead may resemble a plane, but in fact measure two feet across.

"But if you go down in these areas down there, the airplane doesn't look like an airplane any more. It just looks like a bunch of bent metal," said Shane Goremann, as he steered a Cessna 172 over a mountain ridge stippled on the left by stubby evergreens and on the right by sagebrush.

Crosswinds buffeted the single-engine plane and a swirling thermal updraft

helped lift it over the Pine Nut range.

That the target is not a missing child but an adventurer renowned for his survival skills tends to shore up optimism. Before Fossett, 63, became the first person to fly solo nonstop around the globe in either a plane or a balloon, he swam the English Channel, ran marathons and climbed the highest peaks on six continents.

When he lifted off alone in a single-engine, aerobically Bellanca Super Decathlon on Sept. 3, officials described it as a "joy ride," a three-hour tour into airspace he knew well from years of gliding at the Flying M. His wife, Peggy, said he carried neither extra water nor his wristwatch equipped with a homing signal.

"I think the whole thing is extremely mysterious, mostly because of Steve's nature," said Peter McMillan, an owner of the open-cockpit biplane Fossett co-piloted across the Atlantic two years ago. "He's definitely a risk-taker, but the risks are very, very calculated."

But even the most careful pilot can fall prey to the state's forbidding topography. Nevada has 300 mountain ranges, running north to south, "armed like an army of caterpillars marching toward Mexico," in the words of a 19th-century geologist.

## Airplanes collide in third fatal crash in 4 days at Nevada air race competition

By Scott Sonner  
Associated Press writer

RENO, Nev. — Two airplanes collided Friday at the Reno National Championship Air Races, killing one pilot and injuring another in the third fatal crash at the event in four days.

Five-time defending champion Gary Hubler, 51, of Caldwell, Idaho, was killed in the crash shortly after 9:30 a.m. at Stead Airport just north of Reno, race officials said.

It was the 10th fatality in the 42-year history of the air races and caused the suspension of the competition for the day, but race officials said it would resume Saturday as scheduled.

The pilot of the other plane in Friday's crash was identified as Jason Somes of Simi Valley, Calif. He was taken to a hospital with injuries not considered life threatening. A friend said he had an eye injury.

Hubler's plane apparently clipped the back of Somes' plane before crashing. Somes was able to land his damaged aircraft, race officials said.

"They just clipped wings briefly," said witness Carter Fox. One immediately went down to the ground. Two judges on the

ground also suffered minor injuries from flying debris. One refused medical attention, and the other was treated at the scene.

Students on a field trip from seven elementary schools were among those at the races when the crash occurred. School officials said counselors were being made available to talk to children.

Competing in the Formula One class, Hubler was flying a Cessna III M single-seat plane named "Mariah," which is designed for pylon racing.

Hubler started competing in the Reno races in 1984. During Thursday's first heat, he reached a top speed of 259 mph, according to the air races' Web site.

Two pilots were killed in separate accidents on Tuesday and Thursday—the first time since 1993 there has been more than one fatal crash at the races in the same year.

"This is highly unusual," said Michael Houghton, president of the air races. "The races are like a car race in the sky, following an oval path over the airport runway and around pylon markers at various distances and sometimes within a few hundred feet of the ground."

## At polygamist leader's trial, teen bride describes 'immense pressure' of wedding

By Jennifer Dobner  
Associated Press writer

ST. GEORGE, Utah — A former follower of a polygamist sect leader sobbed on the witness stand Friday as she described the terror and despair she felt on the eve of her wedding at age 14, and said she became intensely depressed after having sex.

"I kept thinking I felt like I was getting ready for death," she testified on the second day of the trial of Warren Jeffs, leader of the Fundamentalist Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

Jeffs is charged with two felony counts of rape as an accomplice. Prosecutors contend he used his religious authority to coerce the ceremonial marriage and pressure the teen bride to have sex with her 18-year-old cousin against her objections.

In her testimony Friday,

the woman, now 21, said she was shocked when she learned she had been selected for the marriage by Ron Jeffs, Warren's eldest son, the church prophet at the time who is now dead. The woman said she pleaded with Ron Jeffs to delay the marriage until she turned 16 or to be given to another man.

Her efforts to avoid the union failed, said the woman, who is not being identified by The Associated Press because she is alleging sexual assault. She testified that Warren Jeffs told her, "Your heart is in the wrong place; this is what the prophet wants you to do."

The marriage took place on April 23, 2001, in a motel in Caliente, Nev., owned by FLDS members. Describing her emotions during the wedding ceremony, the woman said, "Trapped. Extremely overwhelmed. Immense pressure."



Warren Jeffs, right, confers with defense attorney Walter F. Bogen during a break in his trial Friday in St. George, Utah.

She said she hung her head and cried in despair when pressed by Jeffs to say "I do" and had to be coaxed to kiss her new husband.

Jeffs then commanded the new couple to "go forth and

multiply and replenish the Earth with good priesthood children," she testified.

In the FLDS community, marriage and motherhood are considered the highest achievements for women.

## Ski restaurant in Kellogg to signal opening with whistle

KELLOGG, Idaho (AP) — In a somewhat muted blast from the past, the old Bunker Hill mine and smelter whistle is returning to service at a ski restaurant.

The whistle used for decades to signal shift changes at the mine has been mounted to the roof of the Silver Mountain gondola base and will be sounded at

5 p.m. Saturday for the opening of Noah's Canteen, a new restaurant, then daily at noon and 4 p.m.

"It's amazing how nostalgic people are about the whistle," said Patrick Johnson, Silver Mountain construction manager.

"It really was the heartbeat of the valley," Johnson said. "You knew what ran the valley — it was the mines."

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# Giuliani buys newspaper ad defending Petraeus

By Libby Quaid  
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — Republican presidential candidate Rudy Giuliani criticized Democratic front-runner Hillary Rodham Clinton in a full-page ad in Friday's New York Times, accusing her of assailing Iraq war commander Gen. David Petraeus' character.

In response, a liberal anti-war group is running a \$50,000 ad campaign against Giuliani in Iowa, which begins the presidential nominating process. The television ad from MoveOn.org Political Action, which will start airing next week, accuses Giuliani of a "betrayal of trust" for abandoning the Iraq Study Group.

"Rudy Giuliani has become an uncritical cheerleader for George Bush's war in Iraq," said Eli Pariser, the group's director. "Yet when he had the chance to actually do something about the war, he went AWOL."

Giuliani joined the Iraq

Study Group but only lasted two months, failing to show up for any official meetings. Newsday had reported that Giuliani was a no-show for two of the group's meetings and instead attended paid public appearances.

Giuliani campaign spokeswoman Katie Levinson said Friday of the upcoming MoveOn ad: "Being attacked by the Democratic character assassination machine MoveOn.org is something Rudy Giuliani will wear as a badge of honor."

The ad war began Monday, when the Times ran a full-page ad from MoveOn charging Petraeus with "cooking the books" on the Iraq war and playing on his fame by asking, "General Petraeus or General Betsy? Us? Petraeus Was Tossing on Capitol Hill, delivering a progress report on Iraq."

Giuliani responded Friday with his own ad in the Times; he attempted to link Clinton to the attack on Petraeus. He also launched an Internet ad against Clinton on his cam-

paign Web site and told voters in Tulsa, Okla., that Clinton should apologize to Petraeus for her "venomous attack."

"You do not honor the troops by attacking their general at a time of war," Giuliani said, repeating criticisms he has made since Clinton joined Democrats and some Republicans in questioning Petraeus' more positive assessment of the war.

At the same time, MoveOn is reading a new TV ad accusing President Bush of a "betrayal of trust," the same language the group is using against Giuliani.

The MoveOn TV ad argues that, despite plans to withdraw about 30,000 troops added to the U.S. military presence in Iraq earlier this year, Bush remains mired in the war.

"Now he's making a big deal about, you guessed it, pulling out 30,000 troops," the ad states. "So next year, there will still be 130,000 troops stuck in Iraq. George Bush. A betrayal of trust."



Republican presidential candidate Rudy Giuliani answers questions from the press outside Steak 'n Shake restaurant during a stop in Tulsa, Okla., Friday.

## Mindy McCready gets 1 year in prison on probation violation; singer was charged in domestic dispute

FRANKLIN, Tenn. (AP) — Mindy McCready was sentenced Friday to a year in jail on a 2004 drug charge after she violated her probation in Florida.

The 31-year-old country singer has been in jail since July when she was returned to Nashville after being accused of scratching her mother in a scuffle and resisting sheriff's deputies in her hometown of Fort Myers. McCready received a suspended three-year sentence in 2004 for fraudulently obtaining prescription painkillers. She was resen-



McCready

tenced Friday because of the probation violation.

The singer sobbed as she pleaded for leniency from Circuit Judge Jeff Birkin.

"Your honor, I can honestly tell you this: This has been the longest two months of my life ... not being able to hold my son ... has been excruciatingly painful."

"I could only say I'm sorry," she said. "Please give me a chance to make things as right as they can possibly be."

Birkin sentenced her to a year in the county jail with credit for 75 days of time served. After her release she will face another two years of probation.

Residing District Attorney General Derek Smith said McCready admitted probation by being charged in a new offense, not reporting those

charges immediately to her probation officer and by the nature of the new assault charges.

McCready had a hit in 1996 with "Guys Do It All the Time."

She has struggled with legal and personal problems that included a beating by her then-boyfriend and suicide attempt. She gave birth to her son in 2006.

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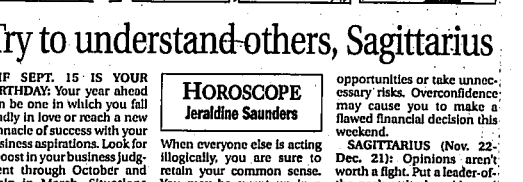
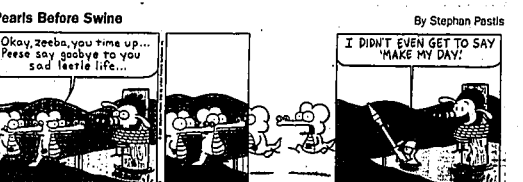
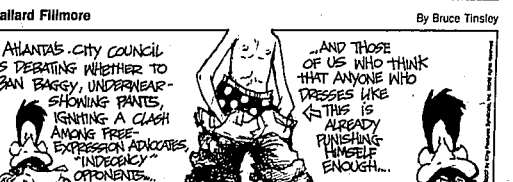
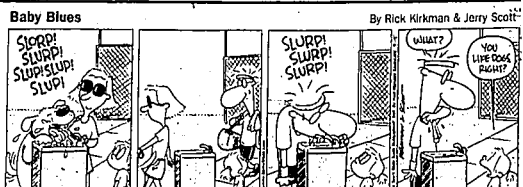
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**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Throw in the towel. Logic and opinions don't always see eye to eye, so give in graciously rather than start an argument. A significant other will prefer a surprise or something out of the ordinary.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Don't mix the apples with the oranges. You or someone else may be making unfair comparisons. It is impossible to force someone to share your viewpoint—so don't even try.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): You could be restless. You may want to move on to new opportunities or take unnecessary risks. Overconfidence may cause you to make a flawed financial decision this weekend.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Opinions aren't worth a fight. Put a leader-of-the-pack attitude aside and concentrate on understanding the other person's viewpoint, even if it seems irrational.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Practice what you preach. People tend to think badly of those who show inconsistencies. Keep that credit card locked in the desk drawer and pursue inexpensive amusements.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Your natural generosity and tendency to cooperate may blind you to a situation in which you are being brown-baited or treated unfairly. People only take advantage of you if you let them.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20): What you hear may not be what you get. Someone else may change his or her mind at a later date. You aren't likely to be pleased with major purchases made today, so put the credit card away.

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By Mort Walker



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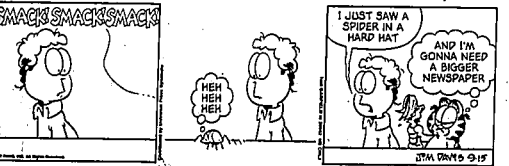
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# Online video game threat catches parents unaware



DEAR ABBY  
Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: Our 13-year-old son, Kirk, is most worried when he is online. He is given a curfew when visiting neighborhood friends, and he is overall watched like a hawk. However, we have let him play the video game Xbox Live (where kids all over the country play the same games). We recently found out that an adult (posing as a child) had promised Kirk a free pass and asked him to call to tell him where to send it.

Our son, not knowing any better, did indeed call this man. Fortunately, he did not give him any information. But he didn't think to block the phone number, so now this predator has Kirk's cell phone number. (We are turning off the phone.) Abby, please warn parents that video games that allow children to play online should be supervised, too! We have had a long conversation with our son as well as contacted the authorities in the state where this man lives. We are,

—TRULY GRATEFUL  
OUR SON IS SAFE IN THE SOUTHWEST

DEAR TRULY GRATEFUL: I'm sure many parents are unaware that their children are vulnerable when they play online games. Of course, the best way to safe-

guard a minor who plays these games is to have not just one "long conversation" on the subject, but rather an ongoing dialogue about predatory adults who pretend to be someone they aren't.

DEAR ABBY: I have been married for 18 months and have tried to ignore something that has been bothering me in my marriage for a while. I have asked my husband about it a couple of times, but the last time I asked I told him it would be the last time I bring it up. I think my husband is gay.

To be honest, my initial reaction when I met him was that he was. When I introduced him to family or friends, the first thing they ask me is, "Is he gay?" My husband also tells me that he gets hit on by a lot of men. Just one day, he said a guy walked up to him and said, "Hey, hottie!" and he told him that he didn't swing like that.

I don't know what to think or believe anymore. I don't

know if this has to do with unresolved issues of my own making, or when I was younger, or if I'm overreacting to the attention he gets from gay guys.

—PERPLEXED IN MICHIGAN  
DEAR PERPLEXED: It's possible that you do have some unresolved issues regarding your mother. However, I can't help but wonder where it is that your husband is meeting all of the gay men that he brings are hitting on him. Could it be in gay bars? If that's the case, then he's gay.

DEAR ABBY: Please provide a public service to prevent people from looking foolish, specifically those who — bless their hearts — have made some drastic change in their lives or their attitudes, and say they have done a "360."

I'm no math professor, but a circle is 360 degrees, which would put them right back where they started. I think the correct thing to say would be, "I've done a 180." What do you think?

—RUNNIN' IN CIRCLES  
OVER RHODORIC IN FLORIDA

DEAR RUNNIN' IN CIRCLES: I think you are absolutely right, which is why I'm printing your letter.

## TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Saturday, Sept. 15, the 258th day of 2007. There are 107 days left in the year.

### Today's highlight:

On Sept. 15, 1789, the U.S. Department of Foreign Affairs was renamed the Department of State.

### On this date:

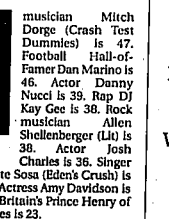
In 1776, British forces occupied New York City during the American Revolution.  
In 1807, former Vice President Aaron Burr was acquitted when a misdemeanor charge two weeks after he found innocent of treason.  
In 1821, independence from Spain was proclaimed for Costa Rica, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua and El Salvador.  
In 1857, William Howard Taft — who would serve as president of the United States and as U.S. chief justice — was born in Cincinnati, Ohio.  
In 1935, the Nuremberg Laws deprived German Jews of their citizenship.

In 1940, during the Battle of Britain in World War II, the tide turned as the Luftwaffe sustained heavy losses inflicted by the Royal Air Force.  
In 1942, during World War II, the USS Wasp was torpedoed by a Japanese submarine in the U.S. Navy en route sinking the badly damaged aircraft carrier.  
In 1959, Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev arrived in the U.S. to begin a 13-day visit.  
In 1963, four black girls were acquitted when a bomb went off during Sunday services at the 16th Street Baptist Church in Birmingham, Ala. (Three Ku Klux Klan members were eventually convicted for their roles in the blast.)  
In 1982, Iran's former foreign minister, Sadegh Ghotbzadeh, was executed after he was convicted of plotting against the government.  
Ten years ago: Two of the nation's most popular diet drugs — dexfenfluramine and fenfluramine — were pulled off the market because of new evidence they could seriously damage patients' hearts. Former Massachusetts Gov. William Weld gave up his battle to be U.S. ambassador to Mexico. The IRA-allied Sinn Fein party entered Northern Ireland's peace talks for the first time.  
Five years ago: Opposition parties swept Macedonia's ruling coalition from power in the nation's first elections since the 2001 armed uprising.

One year ago: Ford Motor Co. took drastic steps to remodel itself into a smaller, more competitive company, slashing thousands of jobs and shuttering two additional plants. U.S. Rep. Bob Ney, R-Ohio, agreed to plead guilty to two criminal charges in the congressional corruption probe, and was disgraced lobbyist Jack Abramoff.  
Officials announced the death of Italian journalist Oriana Fallaci in Florence at age 76.

## TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS

Actor-director Jackie Cooper is 85.  
Actor Forrest Compton is 82.  
Comedian Norm Crosby is 80.  
Actor Henry Darrow is 74.  
Baseball Hall-of-Famer Gaylord Perry is 69.  
Football Hall-of-Famer Merlin Olsen is 67.  
Opera singer Jessye Norman is 62.  
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Rock musician Mitch Dorge (Crash Test Dummies) is 47.  
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Actor James Charles is 35.  
Singer Ivette Sosa (Eleni Crush) is 31.  
Actress Ann Davidson is 28.  
Britain's Prince Henry of Wales is 23.



## THOUGHT

"In every real man a child is hidden that wants to play."  
— Friedrich Nietzsche, German philosopher (1844-1900)

## YouTube goes academic

CLAREMONT, Calif. (AP) — Here's a dream-come-true for Web addicts: college credit for watching YouTube.  
College this fall began offering what may be the first course about the video-sharing site. About 35 students meet in a classroom but work mostly online, where they view YouTube content and post their comments.  
Class lessons also are posted and students are encouraged to post videos. One class member, for instance, posted a 1:36-minute video of himself juggling.  
Alexandra Juhasz, a media studies professor at the liberal arts college, said she was "underwhelmed" by the content on YouTube but set up the course, "Learning from YouTube," to explore the role of the popular site.  
Class members control most of the class content and YouTube watchers from around the world are encouraged to comment, Juhasz said.  
She says the course will raise serious issues about YouTube, such as the role of "corporate-sponsored democratic media expression."  
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## Madonna marks Jewish New Year

JERUSALEM (AP) — Clapping and singing, Madonna joined in a Kabbalah conference Friday in Tel Aviv to celebrate the Jewish New Year.  
Madonna, who sings Jewish songs with the crowd of hundreds at the David Intercontinental Hotel where the conference on Jewish mysticism was being held.  
Madonna was raised a Roman Catholic but has become a follower of Jewish mysticism in recent years.  
She has taken the Hebrew name Esther and has been seen wearing a red thread on her wrist to ward off the evil eye.  
Madonna made her first trip to Israel in 2004.

# Government departments fail accounting standards

By Martha Mendoza  
Associated Press writer

Ten years after Congress ordered federal agencies to have outside auditors review their books, neither the Defense Department nor the newer Department of Homeland Security has met even basic accounting requirements, leaving them vulnerable to waste, fraud and abuse.

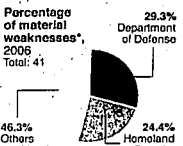
An Associated Press review shows that the two departments' financial records are so disorganized and inconsistent that they have repeatedly earned "disclaimer" opinions, meaning that they simply cannot be fully audited.

"It means we really can't put any faith in the numbers they use," said Ross Rubenstein, who teaches public administration at Syracuse University's Maxwell School.

The Federal Financial Management Improvement Act of 1996 requires, among other things, that the financial systems of major federal agencies "comply substantially" with generally accepted accounting standards. Each year, those agencies are required to

## Ailing accounts

The departments of Defense and Homeland Security have more than half of all significant deficiencies in federal accounting statements, according to independent auditors.



\*A serious problem in a financial report that could lead to errors or fraud.

SOURCE: Federal Financial Management Reports AP

release results of outside audits.

The AP review of financial statements from the federal government's 15 executive departments shows that most pass their audits, although many agencies — includ-

ing NASA, the Coast Guard and FEMA — have been frequently cited for serious accounting errors.

The entire Homeland Security Department, with a \$35 billion budget this fiscal year, passed its first audit in 2003 with strong stipulations, but has failed every one since.

And the Defense Department, with a \$460 billion budget this fiscal year, has never even come close to passing. Because that department makes up at least 20 percent of all federal spending, the entire federal government also has failed its audits since the congressional mandate took effect.

Falling an audit in any other venue could have dire consequences — a public company's stock could plummet, state and local governments could see bond and credit ratings sink. But for the federal government, effects are less direct because the U.S. Treasury is a guaranteed funding source. Still, Tina Jonas, undersecretary and chief financial officer of the Department of Defense, and David Norquist, chief financial officer at the Homeland Security

Department, agree that a "disclaimer on an audit leaves their agencies vulnerable-to-waste and fraud. Both said they have other checks in place aimed at controlling how money is spent but also acknowledged that resolving the audit problems would save their agencies money.

"The consequence to the public is the federal budget is conceivably larger than it needs to be. And there's no way of knowing, if it can't even be audited," said Ronald W. Johnson, a senior vice president at RTI International, a nonprofit research institute in Research Triangle Park, N.C. "Even if there are no financial consequences, there are political consequences."

For example, federal officials regularly face considerable fire from Congress at budget time for failing to balance their books.

"The inability of Defense and Homeland Security to pass financial audits is costing taxpayers dearly. There is no accountability for billions in wasteful spending," said Rep. Henry Waxman, D-Calif., chairman of the House Oversight and Government Reform Committee.

"Private contractors are getting rich, military equipment can't be tracked, and fraud is growing. The departments seem incapable of providing even the most basic level of accountability by balancing their financial books."

Robert Dacey, chief accountant for the Government Accountability Office, characterized the financial affairs of the two departments as "a pretty consistent mess."

Jonas concedes the Department of Defense has a larger problem than most other federal agencies because of its mission, size and historical resistance to keeping its books.

"I think about this as if we have an old house, and we've got really bad plumbing and really bad wiring, and we have to pass an inspection on stuff, so we have to modernize," she said.

At last count, accounting at the Defense Department is performed in 4,000 different business systems, Jonas said. And in its most recent audit, the department acknowledged that it had more than \$270 million worth of unsupported accounting entries.

# Tennessee men accused of setting fatal fire after learning of child porn charges

By Duncan Mansfield  
Associated Press writer

HELENWOOD, Tenn. — Everybody in this little mountain community knew that Timothy Carl Chandler had been arrested on child pornography charges. It was in the newspaper and all over the TV news. Two of Chandler's neighbors decided to do something about it, police say. They're accused of trying to scare him off by setting fire to his tiny house tucked

away in a hardscrabble Appalachian hollow.

Chandler, 53, escaped from the flames. But his wife was killed in what authorities are calling an example of vigilante justice.

"I really wish it wasn't me who got out," Chandler told Knoxville television station WHIR. "I wish it was her. She

didn't deserve that." Robert "Bobby" Bell, a 37-year-old construction worker, and Gary Lamar Sellers, a 39-year-old coal-mining equipment mechanic, are jailed on \$1 million bond, charged with first-degree murder and arson.

After losing all his possessions in the Sept. 2 fire, Chandler was living in a Knoxville homeless shelter. His attorney, public defender Larry Bryant, said Chandler expects to enter a plea next month to charges

he downloaded more than 100 pornographic pictures of young girls.

His mother-in-law found some of the pictures on a disk he had given her to copy computer programs in May. She tipped off police, and Chandler was arrested Aug. 20. Released on \$100,000 bond, he came home a few days before the fire.

Sellers and Bell told police they did not intend for anyone to die. They just wanted to get Timothy Chandler out of the neighborhood

because he was "a pervert," Chief Deputy Bill Lane said.

Sellers admitted driving the pickup truck used that night, but he claimed Bell set the fire, according to an affidavit. After lighting the blaze, the pair drove to a close location where both men watched the residence burn.

Bell "feels like it was a very unfortunate incident, just like everybody else," said his court-appointed lawyer, Lief Jeffers. "This was not anything that was intended by

any of the parties." Sellers' attorney Jimmy Logan did not return a call for comment.

The fire is one of many examples of suspected vigilantism against sex offenders, ranging from harassment and arson to more violent crimes.

A Nova Scotia man used Maine's sex offender registry last year to find and fatally shoot two registered sex offenders. Two convicted child rapists were killed in Washington state.



Chandler

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## A lesson learned after Sunday school

**I**t wasn't a big lie. Just a little one. A lie about — of all things — Sunday school.

"And what did you learn about today in Sunday school?" Mom asked.

I had to think quickly. My mother would not be pleased to know that George and I had skipped Sunday school to check out the new swings at the elementary school next door. In fact, she would be downright angry — so angry that she might have a heart attack or something. So actually, I figured I was doing Mom a favor by protecting her from the painful truth.

"We learned about David and Goliath," I fibbed.

"And what did you learn about David and Goliath?" Mom asked. I knew I couldn't afford to pause or stammer, so I forged ahead anxiously.



VALUESPEAK  
Joseph Walker

"We learned that Goliath was big," I said. "Really big. Bigger than Dad. Bigger than Will Chamberlain. Bigger than just about anyone who ever lived. Bigger than ..."

"We get the idea," Mom said, as everyone around the Sunday dinner table looked up from the roast beef and mashed potatoes and gravy to giggle. "What else did you learn?"

I started to squirm a little, trying desperately not to let my discomfort show.

"Well, we learned that David was ... um ... you know ... smaller. Not like an ant or a bug or a rabbit or anything like that. Not that small. Just ... you know ... like a little kid. Small like that. Smaller than Goliath."

"Uh-huh," my mother nodded. "So Goliath was big and David was small. Go on."

"This was getting serious. I had about exhausted my supply of David and Goliath trivia.

"Well ... uh ... see, David had this slingshot ... and ... you know ... he got a rock and hit Goliath ... and ... well ... Goliath died ... and ... well, that's what happened."

I was feeling pretty good about my lie until Mom asked one more question: "Why?"

"What?"

"Why?" she repeated. "Why did he kill Goliath? That's an important part of the story."

"Why?"

"Yes — why?"

"Yeah, tell us, Joey," my big sister Kathy taunted. "Why did David kill Goliath?"

I was so distraught I missed the pun. I even forgot to slug Kathy for calling me "Joey."

"Well ... um ... it was because ... uh ... you know ... David had ... I mean, Goliath had ... sort of ... um ... stolen the king's ... you know ... sling shot ..."

"Nice try," Mom said as laughter circled around the dinner table. "You're thinking of Jack and the Beanstalk. Different game."

I was getting desperate. "Um, I don't think Sister Hayes told us why he had to kill him."

"That's the first thing you've said that I believe," Mom said. "Sister Hayes didn't tell you that because she wasn't there. Any guess who was the substitute teacher in your class? I'll give you a hint: It's the same person who knows that today's lesson was on Queen Esther."

A sick feeling began to swell in the pit of my stomach. Looking at all the smiles bursting around the kitchen table, I knew the answer.

"I don't know what bothers me most," Mom said sadly before sending me to my room without Sunday dinner. "That you didn't go to Sunday school, or that you lied to me about getting desperate."

"I would like to be able to tell you that this experience was so painful and traumatic that I never told another lie — big or little. Unfortunately, that would be ... you know ... lying. But I think that was the last time I ever lied about going to Sunday school."

That's saying something, isn't it?

Joseph Walker is a freelance writer who lives in American Fork, Utah.



Rabbi Barnett Brickner, left, wasted no time getting involved in the community, taking part in the Lee Pesky Scavenger Hunt to help those with learning disabilities only days after his arrival. He was sorry to miss Wagon Days, which was cancelled by the Castle Rock Fire, but is excited about involving the community in the High Holy Days observances.

# High-country rabbi

By Steve Crump  
Times-News writer

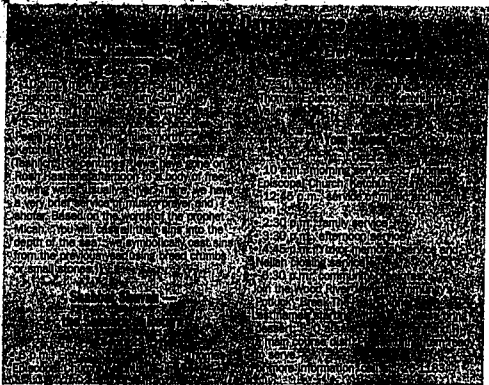
Keeping track of his or her flock is a challenge for any member of the clergy. It's a bit more so for Rabbi Barnett Brickner of Ketchikan.

"We have members of our community living in Seattle, Los Angeles, San Diego — basically all over the country," said Brickner, 49, who became rabbi to the Wood River Jewish Community earlier this summer. "Thank goodness for e-mail."

Brickner, 49, is a stranger to the West, but not to ski towns: He was once a ski instructor in his home state of New York. A third-generation rabbi, Brickner spent the past three years at a synagogue in Columbus, Ohio.

"This is a beautiful area, and my wife and I love it here," said Brickner, who succeeded interim rabbi Sheila Goloboy. "It's a challenge, too, being one of just two rabbis in Idaho."

The Wood River Valley Jewish community's history



is almost as long as Halleys and Ketchikums. But it's now a seasonal population — many congregants have second homes in the valley — so Brickner is never quite sure whether 25 or 50 folks will turn up for his

weekly Shabbat services at St. Thomas Episcopal Church.

"Usually over Labor Day Weekend, we have big crowds at services," he said. "But this year the fires kept everybody away."

The community is probably years away from building a synagogue of its own, so part of a rabbi's day-to-day work in the Wood River Valley is ecumenical.

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## Ex-ski instructor now presides over Wood River Jewish Community

## New Jewish prayer book to reflect diversity

New York Times  
News Service

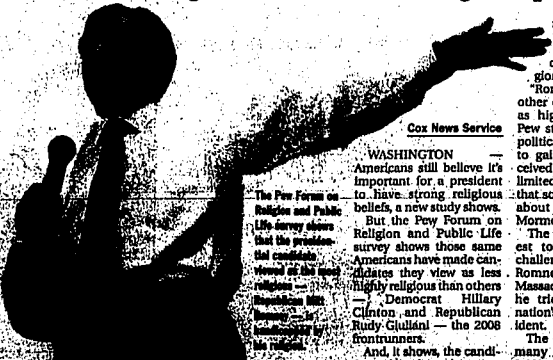
Religious denominations have learned that rewriting their prayer books can result in rebellions from their worshippers, both those wedded to tradition and those hoping for dramatic change.

Now the nation's largest Jewish movement, Reform Judaism, is preparing to adopt a new prayer book that was intended to offer something for everyone, from traditionalists to progressives and everyone else — even those who do not believe in God.

The changes reveal a movement that is growing in different directions simultaneously, absorbing non-Jewish spouses and Jews with little formal religious education while trying also to appeal to Jews seeking a

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## Voters show signs of wariness of religious presidential candidates



religious — Republican Mitt Romney — is handicapped by his religion.

"Romney, more than any other candidate, is viewed as highly religious," the Pew study noted. "Yet the political benefit he stands to gain from being perceived as very religious is limited by the reservations that some Americans have about voting for a Mormon."

The findings are the latest to acknowledge the challenge faced by Romney, a former Massachusetts governor, as he tries to become the nation's first Mormon president.

The results are among many in the survey of 3,002 people questioned

The Pew Forum on Religion and Public Life survey shows that the president-elect would be viewed as highly religious than others.

Cox News Service

WASHINGTON — Americans still believe it's important for a president to have strong religious beliefs, a new study shows.

But the Pew Forum on Religion and Public Life survey shows those same Americans have made candidates they view as less highly religious than others.

Democrat Hillary Clinton and Republican Rudy Giuliani — the 2008 frontrunners.

And, it shows, the candidates viewed as the most

Aug. 1-18.

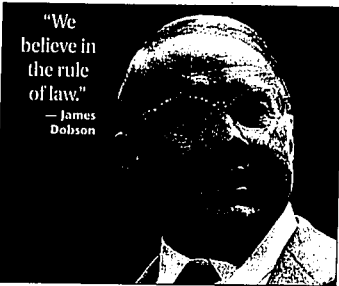
"So far, religion is not proving to be a clear-cut positive in the 2008 presidential campaign," the survey concluded.

The numbers support the words. On the Democratic side, 28 percent of respondents willing to rate candidates' religiosity rated former North Carolina Sen. John Edwards as very religious and 24 percent said Illinois Sen. Barack Obama is very religious.

Only 16 percent said Clinton is very religious, though another 53 rated her as somewhat religious. Thirty-one percent view Clinton as not too religious or not religious at all, the highest of any of the leading contenders in either party.



# Despite controversy, Focus on the Family's nonprofit status upheld



DENVER (AP) — Focus on the Family chairman James Dobson has been cleared of accusations that he endangered his organization's nonprofit status by endorsing Republican candidates in 2004, an Internal Revenue Service audit found.

The IRS said Dobson, who served President Bush's re-election bid, was acting as an individual and not on behalf of the conservative Christian ministry.

The influential child psychologist announced the findings Monday on his national radio show.

At least two liberal watchdog groups — Citizens for Responsibility and Ethics in Washington and Colorado Springs-based Citizens Project — filed complaints with the IRS in 2005 against Dobson.

The complaints alleged that Dobson improperly used Focus on the Family resources to support candidates and urged investigations into the group's tax-exempt status.

In a letter to Focus on the Family officials, the IRS states: "Our examination revealed that Dr. Dobson's repeated remarks did not occur in public settings. Focus on the Family did not occur at functions of Focus on the Family, and did not involve Dr. Dobson suggesting that he was speaking as a representative of Focus on

the Family."

Dobson took unprecedented steps into the political arena in 2004. He formed a new political affiliate called Focus on the Family Action, endorsed social conservative GOP candidates for Congress and supported Bush, the first time he had endorsed a presidential candidate.

Under IRS rules, 501(c)(3) nonprofits such as Focus on the Family can speak out about issues and do a limited amount of lobbying. But they can't get involved in races involving candidates.

In offering candidate endorsements, Dobson emphasizes he is speaking as an individual. IRS rules do

not prohibit representatives of nonprofit groups from wading into partisan politics as long as they don't do it under the banner of their organizations.

Critics, however, contend that Dobson and Focus on the Family are inextricably bound.

The Citizens for Responsibility and Ethics in Washington complaint, which ran more than 90 pages, charged that Dobson capitalized on his identification with Focus on the Family and "used Focus on the Family resources for his political activities, giving the understandable perception that he was acting as chairman and founder of Focus on the Family."

A GROW spokeswoman said Monday the group has requested a copy of the IRS letter from Focus on the Family and would not respond until it has reviewed it. The IRS does not release audit findings, but audited organizations are free to do so.

The Citizens Project complaint centered on a Focus on the Family magazine article the group argued crossed the line by using persuasive language to imply support for Bush.

"Certainly, we believe Focus on the Family and Dobson have the right of free speech as individuals to espouse their political views, and I'm very pleased to hear the IRS found they were not violating any of the rules," said Barb Van Hoy, executive director of Citizens Project. "We'll keep watching them because they seem willing to push to the very edge."

On his radio broadcast Monday, Dobson characterized the challenge to Focus on the Family's tax-exempt status as an attack meant to muzzle the group and conservative pastors nationwide from speaking out about moral issues.

"We believe in the rule of law," Dobson said. "We believe in following to the letter IRS regulations and every other aspect of the law."

# Illegal immigrants influence message of Pentacostals

New York Times News Service

HAZLETON, Pa. — As HAZLETON has become a national center for opposition to illegal immigrants, the Rev. Edwin Mieses has seen his spiritual mandate expand in an unexpectedly political direction.

Members of Mieses' congregation have experienced suspicion merely for being Hispanic, and he has begun attending raucous public meetings and sharing bulletins from his pulpit. In addition to staples like youth ministry and Bible study, his church has begun holding citizenship and English classes for adults.

Given his drubbers, Mieses said, he would have stuck to the moral issues that are traditional for Pentecostal churches, preaching the virtues of sobriety and abstinence, warning against

drugs, gangs and Satan. Events have made the tradition untenable, he said. While Mieses' church in neighboring West Hazleton is named *Bohens Nueva* for the "good news" of the Gospel, much of the news for him and thousands of other Hispanics here has been decidedly bad.

In the summer of 2006, Hazleton enacted an ordinance punishing landlords who rented to illegal immigrants and employers who hired them. The mayor, Louis J. Barletta, blamed illegal immigrants for a variety of crimes, and the CNN anchor *Lois Dobbs* regularly extolled the crackdown to his national audience. A federal judge struck down the ordinance in July, ruling that it had illegally exceeded federal laws, but the mood here remains tense and fractious.

# Co-pastors of Florida megachurch divorcing amid financial questions

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Randy and Paula White, co-pastors of a fast-growing megachurch that has come under financial scrutiny in recent months, have told their congregation they plan to divorce.

The Whites, who've been married nearly 18 years and lead the 23,000-member Without Walls International Church, described the split as amicable and blamed two lawsuits in different directions.

Of the two, Paula White's profile is much larger. While Randy White, 48, said he would remain at the church as senior pastor, Paula White, 41, said she would concentrate on her ministry. Her work includes a TV show broadcast on Black Entertainment Television and

other national networks, conferences, and book and video sales.

The Tampa Tribune has published a series of reports about the Whites' financial dealings. Those included the couple's failure to repay a \$170,000 loan from an elderly widow, money borrowed in 1995 as a down payment on a house. The couple sold the house in 2006, but still had not repaid the loan to Ruth Lewis by May.

McClintock said recently that "everything's been settled financially between Pastor Randy and me."

The Whites founded Without Walls in 1991 as the South Tampa Christian Center. Since then, the church has become one of the nation's largest.

# Italian Catholic leaders renew effort to outlaw abortion

ROME (AP) — Roman Catholic leaders in Italy are renewing their fight against legalized abortion following a recent botched procedure involving twins.

Doctors performing the operation in Milan last month were supposed to have terminated one of the babies, but instead a genetic condition. Instead, they accidentally aborted

the healthy baby, after the fetuses apparently changed position during the procedure.

Cardinal Camillo Ruini, former head of the influential Italian bishops' conference and the vicar of Rome, said Tuesday that the 1978 law must be reviewed in light of medical advances. Italy permits abortion in state hospitals up to the end

of the third month of pregnancy.

Ruini said the "cultural condition" did not exist now for overturning the law altogether, but he said it could at least be improved, the ANSA news agency reported. He did not say how.

The Italian religious affairs weekly *Famiglia Cristiana* has devoted an entire issue to the topic, saying the law is

based on outdated science, such as the minimum gestation at which a fetus is viable.

Italy's health minister, Livia Turco, said there was no need to revise the law and argued its existence was responsible for lowering Italy's abortion rate. Since 1982, the abortion rate has dropped 45 percent and continues to decline, she said.

## Book

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return to tradition.

"Traditional touches coexist with a text that sometimes departs from tradition by omitting or modifying some prayers, and using language that is gender-neutral. References to God as 'He' have been removed, and whenever Jewish patriarchs are named, like Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, so are the matriarchs, like Sarah, Rebecca, Rachel and Leah. The prayer book took more than 20 years to develop and was tested in about 300 congregations. Its release has been delayed for a year because the initial printed product was shoddy, said people involved with the project. But the book is expected to be released in

about a month — too late, however, for the High Holy Days, which begin Sept. 13.

"It reflects a recognition of diversity within our community," said Rabbi Elyse D. Frishman, the editor of the prayer book. "We have interfaith families. We have so many visitors at B'nai Mitzvah ceremonies that I could have a service on Shabbat morning, when a majority of people there aren't Jewish," she said, referring to Bar and Bat Mitzvah ceremonies on Saturday mornings.

Unlike the Reform movement's last prayer book, "Gates of Prayer," which was published in 1975, the new prayer book has a Hebrew title, "Mishkan Tfilah" (which means a sanctuary or dwelling place for prayer).

## Rabbi

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"We have a great relationship with St. Thomas, and with the other religious communities in the valley," Bricker said.

His goals include improving pastoral care and promoting spirituality within the Wood River Jewish Community. For the upcoming High Holy Days, the community is bringing in

cantorial soloist Todd Herzog from Phoenix, who will participate in all of the services.

"We are blessed with some fine people in this community," Bricker said. "My job is to be of service in any way I can."

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(AP) Wall Street finished a strong week and little changed Friday after investors looked past weaker-than-expected economic readings and focused on the ramifications of the Federal Reserve's decision on interest rates next week.

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## Retaining a work force

Businesses encouraged to think outside the box in order to reduce employee turnover

By Joshua Palmer  
Times-News writer

It's something that has proved beneficial for the company, which recently completed 46,000 square foot expansion of its existing facility—the expansion will require 140 additional employees.

"We have hired 154 since January first, and we haven't experienced substantial turnover in six months," Yoder said. "We have been getting a lot of referrals for prospective employees from our current employees."

He said Jayco has promoted a policy of employee empowerment, which allows workers to make production decisions that many companies leave up to management.

"If they can find a way to reduce waste or increase quality, then we encourage them to do it," he said.

During the Workforce Development Summit, labor officials stressed the importance of creating a flexible workplace that accommodates the needs of future workers.

According to a recent survey of 192 local businesses, the average employee turnover is a little more than 10 percent.

Todd Schwartz, instructional dean with the College of Southern Idaho, told business leaders during the summit that both younger and older workers are increasingly seeking more flexible work hours.

He said companies would likely increase employee satisfaction by accommodating a workers request for more flexibility.

Other labor officials said business, such as a local travel agency, are trying more creative approaches such as travel benefits for employee performance.

However, they said employee retention becomes more difficult relative to the skill level required for the position.

Yoder said Jayco mostly seeks non-skilled laborers, who do not have college degrees or technical training.

But businesses seeking professionals say they are struggling to find ways to retain employees, who can earn higher wages in other state or even other cities.

Patricia Kempfhorne, founder and director of Twiga Foundation Inc., which promotes workplace

flexibility, said many business feel that they cannot afford to provide additional benefits or more flexibility.

"A lot of business owners say their business is small so it can't afford it, but what we are noticing is that younger workers are not as focused on money or even promotion like older workers might be," she said.

"Some of the most successful businesses are actually small businesses that do things such as allowing an employee to work outside of the office or on their own time."

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The Southern Idaho Economic Development Organization wrapped up its Workforce Development Summit on Thursday, which underscored the declining labor force in south-central Idaho.

However, some employers say they have managed to avoid an labor shortage by increasing retention through creative means.

Dave Yoder, general manager of Jayco Inc., the largest privately held manufacturer of recreation vehicles in North America, said he is not experiencing a shortage of labor because of the company's focus on employee empowerment.

"There has to be some sort of bridge that connects the rhetoric and the reality of where we are in terms of clean energy and energy independence."

—Utah Gov. Jon Huntsman



From left, Govs. Joe Manchin of West Virginia, Dave Freudenthal of Wyoming, Jon Huntsman of Utah, and Bill Ritter of Colorado attend a news conference at Freudenthal's residence in Cheyenne, Wyo., to discuss incentives for clean energy research and development.

## Governors meeting in Wyoming discuss incentives for cleaner coal

By Mead Gruver  
Associated Press writer

Colorado Gov. Bill Ritter, Utah Gov. Jon Huntsman and West Virginia Gov. Joe Manchin joined Freudenthal in a daylong meeting to talk about possible federal incentives, including tax breaks, to spur cleaner burning coal.

The four said in a midafternoon press conference that they were also discussing incentives for wind and solar power. Ritter, touted a couple such projects in his state.

But coal was the main topic of the day. "We know energy efficiency and energy conservation are a big part of our clean energy future, renewable energy is certainly a part of it," Ritter said. "But most of the experts and even the people who understand the most about climate change, would agree as well that coal will be a part of it."

Manchin said there has been a "movement away from coal," but it won't last. "It's going to be here. It's needed. It has to be part of the equation," he said. Federal incentives would encourage technologies like coal gasification, which involves turning coal into gas before burning it. The process is cleaner than burning coal directly. Incentives also could be used to get utilities to trap carbon dioxide from power plants and pump the gas underground, possibly as a way to recharge old, depleted oil fields.

There has to be some sort of bridge that connects the rhetoric and the reality of where we are in terms of clean energy and energy independence," Huntsman said. "That's something we, as governors, can do."

Wyoming is the nation's top coal-producing state, generating more than 35 percent of the nation's coal in 2005, according to the Energy Information Administration. West Virginia ranked second, at more than 13 percent. Colorado was seventh, while Utah ranked 14th. The governors said they did not finalize any recommendations during Thursday's meeting. They said specifics would come later, possibly after more meetings.

"That kind of listing in detail awaits another day," Freudenthal said. The meeting came a day after Freudenthal severed ties with a Golden, Colo., group that promotes domestic energy production, Americans for American Energy. Freudenthal said in a letter to the group that it had made "highly inappropriate assertions" about him supporting some of its goals, such as encouraging drilling on western Colorado's Four Plateau.

## Disaster relief

Central Idaho businesses seek loans after fire

The Associated Press

KETCHUM — Business owners who lost money because of a wildfire that kept away tourists during a major holiday for central Idaho's resort area are lining up to apply for disaster loans.

"With the fire, everyone left town," said Kingsley Murphy, owner of the Rickshaw restaurant in Ketchum. "What would normally be our busiest time turned out like slack."

Slack time for the region normally is in the fall, when tourists are scarce.

Fire managers declared the Castle Rock Fire contained on Sept. 6, but not before the 78-square-mile blaze had forced the evacuations of more than 2,000 homes and came within 50 yards of a \$12 million Sun Valley ski lodge atop Bald Mountain. For nearly two weeks, the fire made advances toward homes outside Ketchum and was the most prominent wildfire in the state.

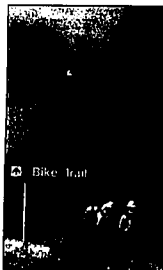
The fire also forced the cancellation of the Western-themed Wagon Days events that would have drawn thousands of tourists over the Labor Day Weekend.

Carol Waller, executive director of the Sun Valley-Ketchum Chamber and Visitors Bureau, estimated the loss at \$1 million to \$2 million.

That led to the availability of Economic Injury Disaster Loans, and on Thursday the U.S. Small Business Administration opened an office in Ketchum.

Besides Murphy, about a dozen other business owners went to the office on the morning it opened, the Idaho Mountain Express reported. Loans available through the office can be up to \$1.5 million at an interest rate of 4 percent with a maximum of 30 years.

"I'm absolutely relieved that this option has become available," said Dina Madsen, owner of Ketchum Bed & Bath. "It was an extremely stressful time during the fire. Wagon Days is



Firefighters watch as a helicopter gets ready to make a drop near the Sun Valley Resort ski area.

our last booster before the end of the year."

"The requirements are pretty simple," said Murphy. "I should be able to convert my other debt at 8 percent and reduce my costs by half."

Kevin Wynne, communication specialist for the Small Business Administration, said loan officers look at previous years' tax records and balance sheets to determine losses caused by the fire to make decisions about loan amounts.

"We don't want to end up hurting businesses further by having them become overextended," Wynne said. "We will provide what they need to run their businesses, and they can always come back and apply for another loan."

He said he expects seven to eight loan applications a day until the office closes Sept. 27. After that, loans for business owners in the area will be available by phone until June 11, 2008.

He predicted a loan approval rate of more than 50 percent, with the office trying to approve loans within three weeks. "People might not know they're in trouble until they see their bottom line receding," Wynne said. "It could take three or four months to feel the result from a canceled Wagon Days."

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A U.S. Army soldier prays Friday over the coffin of Sheikh Abdul Sattar Abu Risha, founder of Anbar Awakening, in Anbar province in the provincial capital of Ramadi, 70 miles west of Baghdad. The most prominent figure in a revolt of Sunni sheiks against al-Qaida in Iraq was killed Thursday in an explosion near his home in Anbar province.

# Mourners vow revenge at funeral of Sunni leader

By David Rising  
Associated Press writer

BAGHDAD — Some 1,500 mourners called for revenge Friday as they buried the leader of the Sunni revolt against al-Qaida, who was assassinated by a bomb after meeting with President Bush earlier this month. An al-Qaida front in Iraq claimed responsibility for the blast that killed Abdul-Sattar Abu Risha, 37, and three companions. A statement posted on the Internet by the Islamic State of Iraq called Abu Risha "one of the dogs of Bush" and described Thursday's killing "as a heroic operation that took over a month to prepare."

The statement could not be independently verified, but it appeared on Web sites commonly used by al-Qaida operatives. Al-Qaida earlier killed four of Abu Risha's brothers and six other relatives for working with the U.S. military. In Diyala province, meanwhile, a bomb exploded near a U.S. military vehicle on Friday, killing four

American soldiers, the U.S. command said. They were the first American deaths reported in Iraq since Monday.

Many al-Qaida fighters were believed to have shifted to Diyala after Abu Risha's tribal fighters helped drive them out of their sanctuaries in Anbar province. Scores of Iraqi police and U.S. military vehicles lined the route to protect the funeral procession as it followed the black SUV carrying the Iraqi-flag-draped coffin of Abu Risha to the family cemetery just west of Ramadi, Anbar's capital.

"We will take our revenge," the mourners chanted. "We will continue the march of Abu Risha."

The sheik was buried one year to the day after he organized Sunni Arab clans into an alliance to drive al-Qaida in Iraq from sanctuaries in Anbar province where the terror movement had flourished since the U.S.-led invasion in 2003.

Lt. Gen. Ray Odierno, the second-highest ranking U.S. officer in Iraq, and several

high-ranking government officials attended the funeral, including Iraq's interior and defense ministers and National Security Adviser Mouwafak al-Rubale.

"We condemn the killing of Abu Risha, but this will not deter us from helping the people of Anbar — we will support them more than before," al-Rubale declared. "It is a national disaster and a great loss for the Iraqi people — Abu Risha was the only person to confront al-Qaida in Anbar."

Iraqi officials said the roadside bomb was just outside Abu Risha's walled compound in view of a guard shack and an Iraqi police checkpoint. That raised suspicion that the killing may have been an inside job, the officials said, speaking on condition of anonymity because the information is sensitive.

Sheik Jubelir Rashid, a senior member of Abu Risha's movement, said police were questioning security guards and other staff but no arrests had been announced.

# Developers say Burj Dubai world's tallest free-standing structure

DUBAI, United Arab Emirates (AP) — Burj Dubai, the world's tallest building since July, has also become the tallest free-standing structure on Earth, reaching 1,822 feet, the developers said.

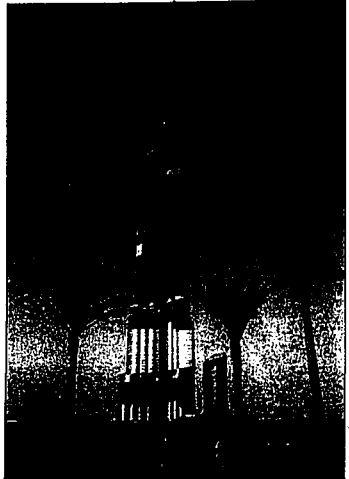
The Dubai Tower's final height is a closely guarded secret, but completion of the concrete, glass and steel structure is expected by the end of 2008. The building's relentless climb is one example of Dubai's stratospheric rise from a sleepy desert town on the Persian Gulf to one of the principal business centers in the Middle East.

The Burj Dubai surpassed Canada's Toronto-based CN Tower on Thursday, which at 1,815 feet, had been the world's tallest free-standing structure since 1976, the developers said in a press release.

In July, the Dubai Tower, as it is known in English, moved past Taiwan's 1,667-foot Taipei 101, the highest skyscraper in the world since 2004.

"The Burj Dubai is setting new world records in the construction of super-tall buildings," said Mohammed Ali al-Abbar, chairman of Burj's state-owned developer, Emaar Properties.

"This architectural and construction masterpiece is truly an inspirational human achievement that celebrates the can-do mind-set of Dubai," al-Abbar said to local media Thursday. By the end of 2008, the



Workers pass by the Burj Dubai tower in Dubai, United Arab Emirates, still under construction, Friday. The Burj Dubai surpassed Canada's Toronto-based CN Tower on Thursday, which at 1,822 feet, had been the world's tallest free-standing structure since 1976, the developers said.

developers say, the Burj will fulfill all four criteria for the tallest building, listed by the Chicago-based Council on Tall Buildings and Urban Habitat.

The criteria include: the height of the structural top, the highest occupied floor, the top of the roof, and the tip of the spire, pinnacle, antenna, mast or flag pole.

# Bhutto sets Oct. 18 return to Pakistan; government says she won't be deported

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP) — Opposition leader Benazir Bhutto is coming home next month to press for the restoration of democracy, regardless of the outcome of her talks on sharing power with Pakistan's U.S.-allied military president, her party said Friday.

The government, meanwhile, said Bhutto would not suffer the fate of political rival Nawaz Sharif, another former prime minister who was swiftly expelled when he pushed against each other but officials said she would have to face pending corruption charges.

Bhutto, who left Pakistan

eight years ago amid the corruption allegations, has been negotiating with President Gen. Pervez Musharraf on the possibility of combining their political forces to share power after elections.

Musharraf, also head of Pakistan's military, is seeking allies in his effort to win election by parliament to a new presidential term. He has seen his popularity slide this year after he tried to remove the Supreme Court's popular chief judge and Islamic militants stepped up attacks.

Both Bhutto and Musharraf are urging moderates to work together to defeat Taliban and al-Qaida

extremists based along the frontier with Afghanistan. But they have failed to produce an accord, amid signs Musharraf is reluctant to give up the sweeping powers he seized in a 1999 coup.

Bhutto, 56, said Pakistan needs to return to civilian rule as it prepares for parliamentary elections that must be held by January.

"This will strengthen our efforts for democracy," Bhutto, who lives in exile in Dubai and London, said later on Pakistan's Geo television. "Democracy should be restored completely and the army removed from the scene."

# Powerful quakes terrorize Indonesia, experts warn of 'big one'

By Anthony Deutsch  
Associated Press writer

PADANG, Indonesia — Days of colossal earthquakes and tsunami warnings have forced traumatized Indonesian villagers to seek safety in the last place imaginable: graveyards.

With only plastic sheeting to keep her family dry, Dasirna joined hundreds camping in the mud between headstones on the flat, high ground, far from the ocean's reach.

"I am very afraid of another tsunami," the 50-year-old said two days after an 8.4-magnitude temblor sent a towering wave into her remote fishing village. "We will stay here until we feel it is safe."

Seismologists warn, however, the worst may be yet to come.

Kerry Stich of the California Institute of Technology has spent decades studying the fault line that runs along Indonesia's western coast. He is among several experts predicting a repeat of the powerful earthquake that triggered the 2004 Asian tsunami, which killed more than 230,000 people in a dozen Indian Ocean nations.

"No one can say whether it will be in 30 seconds or 30 years," he said. "But what happens the other day, I think is quite possible: a sequence of smaller earthquakes leading up to the bigger one."

Wednesday's quake shook four Southern, Asian equities, damaged hundreds of houses and spawned a 10-



foot-high tsunami. At least 13 people were killed. A series of powerful earthquakes and dozens of strong aftershocks followed — including one measuring 7.8 and another 7.1. The wall of water inundated several fishing villages along Sumatra island's coast Wednesday swept away nearly a dozen houses, but overall damage was "minimal," Indonesian President Susilo Bambang Yudhoyono said after an air force aerial survey.

A nine-member U.N. assessment team reached the same conclusion after visiting the area, saying that a major international relief operation was not required. John Holmes, the U.N.'s emergency relief coordinator, said in a statement from New York. Many people said a public

awareness campaign launched after the 2004 tsunami paid off, including warnings issued over mosque speakers and training provided by local officials on how to escape a disaster.

"When the earth started shaking, some people yelled, 'It's time to go up the hill ... Let's get going,'" said Padi, 35, a father of two, describing how he and hundreds of neighbors watched from above as the 10-foot wave approached. Hundreds of houses were damaged, but no one died.

Elsewhere, scientists predicted some areas were going off. The latest quakes — together with the 8.0-magnitude temblor in 2004 and an 8.7 quake in early 2005 — deeply concern experts.

An Indonesian woman weeps outside her house that was destroyed by an earthquake in Lala on Sumatra Island Friday. A powerful earthquake rocked western Indonesia on Friday, triggering tsunami warnings.

The fault, which runs the length of the west coast of Sumatra about 125 miles offshore, is the meeting point of the Eurasian and Pacific tectonic plates, which have been pushing against each other for millions of years, causing huge stresses to build up.

"There is a strong indication this foreshadows the big one," said Danny Hillman, an earthquake specialist at the Indonesian Institute of Science. "We all agree there is an 8.5 or stronger earthquake waiting to happen."

"That's exactly what residents along Sumatra's western coast, which is expected to bear the brunt of the next disaster, are worried about. The island was first hit by the 2004 tsunami, accounting for nearly two-thirds of the deaths.

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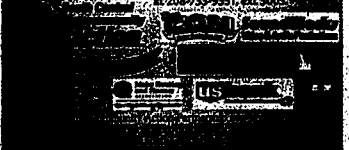
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Directions: 5.5 miles North to Bühl on Clear Lakes Road. Turn left on River Road. Follow the signs.

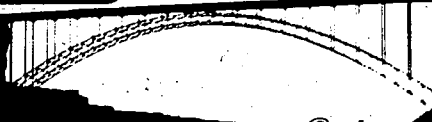
451 Silver Creek Road, Bühl \$233,000 Outstanding 3 bedroom, 3.5 bath, log home on Mud Creek, 1/2 acre lot. Spectacular views of waterfall, close to tennis court and playground. Geothermal water for low, low energy costs. MLS# 98291635

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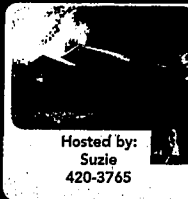


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**GREAT LOCATION!**  
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Fully landsc. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, home in desirable neighborhood. New light fixtures, new paint, built in surround sound and complete alarm system. \$145,000 MLS# 98320001

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**2118 Candlewood Ave,  
Twin Falls**  
**PRIDE OF OWNERSHIP**  
In immaculate 3bed, 2.5bath, 2 car garage home located in desirable Candlewood neighborhood. Bright open floor plan, living room w/beautiful gas fireplace, family room & kitchen w/wine cabinets. New carpet & wood floor thru-out, maintenance free steel siding, covered patio, beautiful mature landscaping. A must see! \$280,000 MLS# 98313198

Hosted by:  
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In need of some minor fixes and personal attention, room for another bedroom. New metal roof, newer kitchen cabinets. Nice large lot, several storage structures and a shop. Owner will include all furnishings Buyer wishes to retain for this purchase price. MLS# 98320000  
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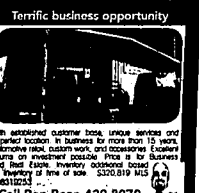
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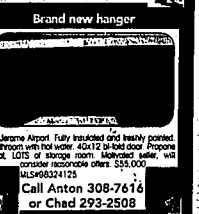
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Awesome potential w/ this fourplex. 3 units w/3 bedrooms, 2 baths. 4th is a 6 bed 2 bath. Perfect Judicial income. \$239,900 MLS# 98310242  
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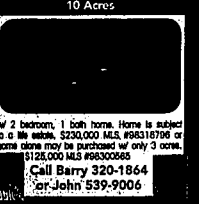


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In Jerome Area! Fully insulated and freshly painted. Bedroom with hot water. 42x12 2nd door. Property has 1/2 acre. Call for more info. Consider reasonable offers. \$55,000  
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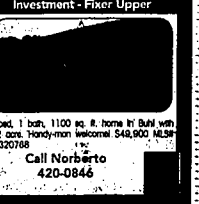
**STUNNING HOME!**  
Formal dining, large family room, home on the coast. Beautiful landscaping and lawn. Call for more info. \$204,810 MLS #98300665  
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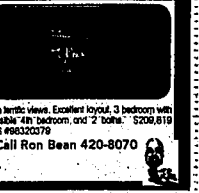
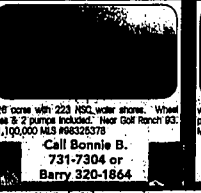
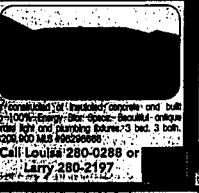
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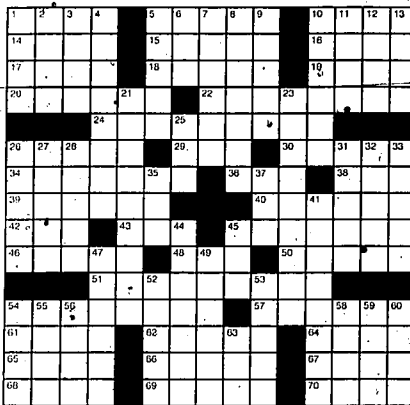






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