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AM station apologizes for Minico remarks

By Rich Greene
Staff writer

RUPERT — Leo Family Broadcasting apologized Friday to Minico High School parents for KFTA-AM's part in encouraging students to participate in last week's protest, which fueled racial tension throughout the community.

Also the League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC) Magic

Valley Council issued a press release Thursday stating the organization will be meeting with Miradoka County School District Superintendent Scott Rogers on May 22 to discuss the recent incidents.

The apology, issued by General Manager Kim Lee, ran across the Leo Family Broadcasting's stations Friday.

"Even though the remarks made on KFTA were the wrong choice, the radio station provides a voice for the

Latino population of this area," the apology reads.

The statement read over the air did not mention KFTA announcer Ben Reed, who led the call for the protests. But Lee told the *Times-News* Friday it was wrong for Reed to call listeners to action.

"Our situation was we should not involve students in any kind of protest, that's what I'm apologizing for," Lee said. "The radio station got

kids involved with that. I just didn't agree with it. That's not our job as a radio station to do that."

Lee said no personnel changes were expected as a result of the apology. He also defended Reed for his advocacy roles with Latinos in the area.

"He's helped thousands of them in personal aspects of their life," Lee

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The pool priority

South-central Idaho communities seek new ways to support pools.

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Oh baby, baby, baby

Olsen family welcomes, and adjusts to, the addition of triplets to their lives.

FAMILY LIFE



Sending out a signal

WiMax reaches rural south-central Idaho with high-speed Internet service.

BUSINESS



Tourney wrap ups

Find out how your local sports teams fared at state tournaments.

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Breaking new ground



Staff photo by HOLLY SMITH

Mika Chupa, site superintendent at the new Health Sciences and Human Services Building at the College of Southern Idaho, drives an extended boom lift at the future site of the 72,000 square-foot, \$21 million facility.

Construction of CSI health building to begin July 15

By Andrea Jackson
Staff writer

Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter conceded that there are a few problems in the state of Idaho, as the sun baked dry dirt off of North College Road Friday at the College of Southern Idaho.

But none of those problems, he said, needs more attention "than our health care system."

Golden shovels wielded by Otter and other area elected officials, broke through the ground at the site of what will be a 72,000 square-foot Health Sciences and Human Services building, funded by \$21 million from state coffers.

"Idaho lawmakers have always been supportive," said CSI President Jerry Beck.

The building was originally slated

to be 60,000 square-feet, but increased by more than 4,000 square-feet, and is still within budget, Glenn Arrington, president of Starr Corp., recently told the *Times-News*.

Rural Idaho is hurting for doctors and nurses, officials said Friday.

"I didn't want to oversupply this market," said Otter, adding the new building could help push the state into "a new dynamic of preventative medicine."

"It's easier to keep them healthy than get them healthy after they're sick," Otter said.

CSI officials say that the new building will allow for 190 nurses to graduate per year. Recently, the college doubled the registered nursing program by admitting two classes annually.

According to CSI, there's need for more dental hygiene, pharmacy technology and medical lab technology programs. The new complex should bring on three new health care programs at CSI, including health information technology to training medical records clerks.

Construction should be complete by Dec. 1, 2009, and will boast eight general classrooms, three lecture halls, program and computer labs, six study rooms, a commons area, 26 faculty offices, and 300 parking spots.

The building was designed with energy efficiency in mind, including a geothermal heat pump system, day-lighted interior spaces, 15 choice parking spots for hybrid vehicles, and some recycled building materials.

"I wanted a Corvette," said Beck about the building. But instead, the college is getting a Prius, he said.

Stepping out of a front loader after moving some dirt at the new CSI building site, Otter joked with the smiling crowd and referenced a personal experience.

Otter paid a \$50,000 fine to the EPA in 2001 for violating the Clean Water Act by filling in some wetlands on his Idaho ranch, the *Spokesman-Review* had reported.

"Last time I did that (moved dirt) it cost me \$50,000," said Otter, adding that no one from the Environmental Protection Agency was present at the CSI groundbreaking.

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Health district moves ahead with building project

By Nate Poppino
Staff writer

On Wednesday, representatives of the eight county commissions covered by the South Central Public Health District will vote on how much money to give the district for the next fiscal year.

But one important item won't be on that budget. The district has started preparations to replace its current county-owned office in Gooding County, thanks to legislation passed this spring removing health districts

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Idaho commerce director wants more foreign investment

The Associated press

SUN VALLEY — The Idaho Department of Commerce wants to increase economic activity in the state by attracting foreign companies, the new director of the department says.

"There's a tremendous

"The biggest thing is to say bureaucrats are not welcome. If you've been sitting comfortably in your seat for the past 20 years, you had better strap on your seat belt."

— Don Dietrich, director of the Idaho Department of Commerce, on his approach to operating the department

amount of interest from foreign firms." Don Dietrich said during a speech at the Sun Valley-Ketchum Chamber &

Visitors Bureau's annual economic outlook luncheon on Thursday.

Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter

named Dietrich head of the department last month, two months after Dietrich was asked to fill in temporarily for

Jim Ellick, who took a leave of absence in February then resigned shortly after. Dietrich had served as

administrator of the Department of Commerce's Economic Development Division and was previously the director of International business development for Aspen Technology in Boston.

"I'm confident that Idaho's

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BENEFITS AND FUNDRAISERS

D.L. Evans Bank Relay For Life fundraiser yard sale, 7:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. D.L. Evans South-Central Avenue Branch, Burley, proceeds to the American Cancer Society... Recycled Treasures Sale, includes furniture, microwave, TV window air conditioner...

BOOKSINGING

Book signing for "A Singlu Rose" by Laurie L. (Wilkins) Davis, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Barnes & Noble Booksellers, 1239 Pole Line Road, Twin Falls, 733-5554.

CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Friends of the Library annual Mother-Daughter Tea, theme: "Tea with Anne," featuring the "Anne of Green Gables" books, 10:30 a.m. to noon, Jerome Public Library, 100 First Ave. E., 324-8417 or 324-5414 to RSVP... Twin Falls chapter of the Idaho Writers League, with guest speaker Assistant College of Southern Idaho Professor Judy Hanson...

FAMILY

Eighth Annual Steats Farm Child Safety Day, free inspections of child-safety seats, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Twin Falls Motel's parking lot, 1350 Bee Lakes Blvd., N. Twin Falls, no cost, 253-912-6457 or android.mvccarvesp0@statefarm.com

HEALTH AND SUPPORT

Independent Living: A Look at the issues seminar, planning for changing health and independence in later life; includes speakers Director of College of Southern Idaho office on Aging Jim Fields, University of Idaho Extension educator Lyne Hansen...

HOBBIES AND CRAFTS

Race Horse Pinoche, for all ages with cash prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd highest scores, 7 p.m., Agness Senior Center, 310 Main St. N., Kimberly, \$1 per player, bring treats, coffee provided, 423-4338.

HOME AND GARDEN

Twin Falls Farmers Market, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., North College Road, across from Eldon Evans Expo Center, Twin Falls, 316-1291 or ifarmersmarket@yahoo.com... Free seminar on new and exotic plants, 10 a.m., Kimberly Nurseries, 2862 Addison Ave. E., Twin Falls, 732-2147... "Tour of Twin Falls Historic Residences" one-mile-plus walking tour...

MUSEUMS

Faultline Planetarium "Mystery of the Missing Seasons" at 2 p.m., "Hey Wordy!/Bring the Night/Live Sky Tour" at 4 p.m., "Blitz: World of Weathers" at 7 p.m., and "Plink Floyd: The Wall" at 8:15 p.m., Herrett Center for Arts and Science, North end of the College of Southern Idaho campus, Twin Falls, \$4 for adults, \$3 for senior citizens, \$2 for students and \$9 for families, 732-6655.

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MORNING BRIEFING

AROUND THE WORLD

VIRGINIA

Intel agencies want help recruiting new Americans as spies

McLean — The U.S. is its own least enemy when it comes to the desperately important task of recruiting immigrants as spies, analysts and translators in the war on terror, new Americans are being recruited by intelligence officials. The government's policies raise suspicions and fear in the immigrants' home countries and disturb potential recruits here who might otherwise wish to help.

FLYING FISH



Alaska Airlines copilot Mark Awon walks on a red carpet carrying the first of the season's Copper River king salmon at Seattle-Tacoma International Airport in Seattle on Friday.

extraordinary rendition, holding prisoners at Guantanamo Bay in Cuba, harsh interrogation practices that some say amount to torture.

their homes in a recent campaign of terror that observers say is meant to secure Mugab's lock on power.

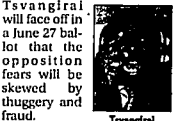
ZIMBABWE

Zimbabwe's presidential runoff set for June 27

HARARE — Seven weeks after the presidential election, Zimbabwe finally set a runoff date Friday, saying longtime President Robert Mugabe and rival Morgan Tsvangirai will face off in a June 27 ballot that the opposition fears will be skewed by thuggery and fraud.

Tsvangirai had insisted Thursday that the runoff be held next week, amid fears further delay would mean even more violence, but he said after the election commission's announcement that he planned to compete in the ballot.

Tsvangirai, speaking to reporters on the sidelines of an international liberal party conference in Belfast, Northern Ireland, said setting the June date was 'illegal, but we will contest.'



Tsvangirai. Opposition supporters have been beaten, killed and driven from their homes in a recent campaign of terror that observers say is meant to secure Mugab's lock on power.

The opposition leader has claimed he won the March 29 presidential election outright, although independent monitors disagreed. Official results released May 2 gave Tsvangirai the most votes, but not the majority needed to avoid a second round against Mugabe.

— The Associated Press

OKLAHOMA

Muskogee teen ready for mayoral challenge

MUSKOGEE — Nineteen-year-old John Tyle Hammons has a lot on his plate as he prepares to take over as mayor of this eastern Oklahoma city, but he's trying to keep his priorities straight.

Juggling calls from people around the county Thursday, he took an important one from his mother. She wanted to know what time he would be home for dinner.

The University of Oklahoma freshman is moving out of a dorm and back in with his parents as he gets ready to move in next week as mayor of this \$36-million-per-



Hammons.

city town called famous by the Merle Haggard song "Ole From Muskogee."

Hammons wants to hit the ground running as mayor, but there has been no shortage of distractions since he won Tuesday's runoff election with nearly 70 percent of the vote over Hershel McBride, 70, a former three-term mayor. He replaces Wren Stratton, who decided not to seek re-election.

Besides numerous interview requests, Hammons has received a proposal for a book deal, invitations to appear on national talk shows and three offers for a reality television program. — The Associated Press

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Saturday, May 17, the 138th day of 2008. There are 227 days left in the year. TODAY'S HIGHLIGHT: On May 17, 1954, the U.S. Supreme Court handed down its Brown v. Board of Education of Topeka decision, which found that racially segregated public schools were inherently unequal and therefore unconstitutional. ON THIS DATE: In 1792, the New York Stock Exchange had its origins as a group of brokers met under a tree on Wall Street. In 1875, the first Kentucky Derby was run; the winner was Aristides. In 1946, President Truman seized control of the nation's railroads, delaying — but not preventing — a threatened strike by engineers and trainmen. In 1973, the Senate began its televised hearings into the Watergate scandal. In 1980, rioting in Miami after an all-white jury in Tampa, Fla., acquitted four former Miami police officers of fatally beating a black insurance executive Arthur McDuffie. Ten years ago: Leaders of the Group of Eight nations ended their summit in Birmingham, England, with a plea to Pakistan not to respond in kind to India's five nuclear explosions. New York Yankees pitcher David Wells became the 13th player in modern major league baseball history to throw a perfect game. Five years ago: A top Vatican official, Cardinal Giovanni Battista Re, acknowledged what many observers had long suspected — that Pope John Paul II was suffering from Parkinson's disease. More than 260 people died in Sri Lanka's worst flooding in five decades. One year ago: President Bush and retiring British Prime Minister Tony Blair held a joint news conference at the White House, during which Blair allowed no regrets about Iraq war alliance. Wong Kar-wai's "Final Fantasy" announced he would resign at the end of June 2007, following controversy over his handling of a pay package for his girlfriend.

HOROSCOPE BY JERALDINE SAUNDERS

IF MAY 17 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: You may hope to sow some wild oats, but whatever wild goose chase you are on right now will pale when you face the truth. You are building firm friendships, however, and developing a business outlook that will add energy to your ambitions throughout the summer. The best time to launch your most cherished plans is December when Lady Luck is rooting for you, and when you are most likely to succeed in whatever you attempt. ARIES (March 21-April 19): Patch up minor misunderstandings. If a special someone berates you with unexpected behavior, you will receive a pretty apology by the end of the day. Items of good taste will outfit fans. TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Follow the rules of etiquette. You might have the urge to shake up someone's consciousness, but you would be wiser to heed the conventions. Concentrate on group outings or community events. GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Minor misunderstandings can cause a heated exchange. Smoke screens will blow away quickly. Then you can see clearly the issues that exist between you and others and can work out a compromise. CANCER (June 21-July 22): Honesty is the best policy. Remain sincere about keeping a promise. Light up someone's life by touching base at an opportune time or by making the first move towards permanent reconciliation. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Go slowly when there are bumps in the road. Step by step you are moving towards agreeable resolution. Listen carefully to the significant others in your life as they may have the solution to a pressing dilemma. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22):

Look for the best and highest. You might wish you were a trendsetter, but when spending your own money you will find that things that demonstrate fine taste and discrimination will please you best. LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): An effort to charm someone might backfire. Be prepared to offer a sincere apology or to make amends. You may run into a stone wall if you push relationships too far or refuse to consider a compromise. SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Never go to sleep with an argument. Juxtaposed between you and a loved one. You will have ample opportunities to show your true colors and prove that you possess a sincere desire for peace. — SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): You demonstrate wisdom where money is concerned. Partners may be concerned with fleeting fads or crave excitement. Generosity and tolerance will help them slot you into a more sensitive frame of mind. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Buy time. You may be forced to backpedal for a few hours until someone is willing to listen to what you want to say. If a relationship has been rocky this is a good time to sit down and mend the cracks. AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Tone it down. You are too much the drama queen in a certain situation. Rather than venturing out to the hot spots stay home and make peace with a special someone. You will be glad you did. PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Be a team player. You must shove your selfish needs and desires aside today so that others can benefit from your efforts. Make improvements in your surroundings or indulge in home-based activities.

TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

OUTDOORS

The Magic Valley's Ramblin' A's car club Hagerman Valley tour, stops include a depending on weather and time) Alpaca growing operation, Cosmic Jolt restaurant, Lavender Farm, Snake River Gilt, Bell Rapids area and Bolander Book Park, 10 a.m. departure, Costco parking lot, Twin Falls, (208) 733-7353.

SPORTS

Minkidoka Dam Spring Fling presented by Minkidoka Bowmen with lunch available from Smecky Josey's Barbecue, 7:30 to 10 a.m., registration, at the Minkidoka Dam, shooting fees: \$15 for adults, \$8 for youth, \$5 for ages 7-11 or \$30 per family (no cost for children under age 7), 2:19-9:30 p.m., 436-5709 or 219-0526.

CORRECTION

Player misidentified: Due to incorrect information provided to the Times-News, Twin Falls softball player, Brianna Blahop was incorrectly identified in Friday's paper.

Health

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from state law regarding long-term debt.

Marvin Hempleman, who represents Twin Falls County in the district's board, said the district has found a promising site and is currently studying what it would take to develop the land. Though plans have yet to be drawn up — meaning a price tag hasn't been set — Hempleman said the district hopes to begin construction this summer.

That timeline should stick, he said, thanks to some outside pressure.

"The bonding commissioners would like to have their building back," Hempleman said.

"The building will be financed through the Idaho Health Facilities Authority, an agency set up for just such projects. Prior to this year's bill, the agency wasn't comfortable issuing bonds to the district, officials said. Hence the legislation, prepared by Mike Kane, a Boise attorney who has represented the Southwest District Health Department.

The state Constitution requires local governments

to seek voter approval for debt that isn't ordinary and necessary." But the districts have no voters to be able to hold elections, Kane said, let alone raise taxes. Given their odd status in the state, it seemed easiest to cement them as an independent public body, a category allowed in the Constitution that includes groups unable to levy taxes or obligate the state's general fund. Similar agencies include housing authorities and the Idaho Health Facilities Authority, he said.

"There is certainly a precedent for creatures created by the Legislature that don't have voters and don't raise their own taxes," Kane said.

Lawmakers and other officials did have a few questions, according to Kane and House Health and Welfare Chairwoman Rep. Sharon Block, R-Twin Falls — since the districts seem to bounce between being local and state entities.

But the only real objection came from activist David Frazier, who Kane said never made it clear why he objected to the bill.

"We don't believe anybody

could make a principled argument that this somehow changes us," Kane said. "There was no movement on the part of the health districts to suddenly do something different from how things were done previously."

Frazier said Friday that he didn't have an opinion on the bill, having been focused on a similar yet broader pair of constitutional amendments. But concerns he shared about the Health Facilities Authority seemed to apply to the districts, with Frazier contending that they should be considered state agencies because they present budgets to the Legislature's Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee.

If they're going to insist otherwise, he said, then they need to select some rules to follow. And no matter what, he said, if they're using public money the public needs a voice in it.

"If they're a county agency, then they, by golly, got to follow the county rules," he said.

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"We need to go to places that are set up to be destroyed by developers," Dietrich said. "They need to have ordinances in place and a growth-management plan to control development."

The luncheon Thursday was attended by elected officials from throughout Blaine County, including state Rep. Wendy Inagret, D-Kelowna.

Dietrich emphasized his business approach to operating the department with its 56-person staff and \$33 million budget.

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Minico

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said. "He does a lot of good. He did wrong on this and he understands that, but he just has a strong love for the 'Hispanic people.'"

Attempts to reach Reed Friday night were not successful.

Lee Family Broadcasting owns a number of radio stations in the Magic Valley. It is not affiliated with Lee Enterprises Inc., which owns the Times-News.

Lee said the statement was made after numerous calls to him this week.

"We're just trying to put this to bed for everybody so they can move on," he said. "I felt like it was time."

Students were asked to come to school wearing the colors of Mexico's flag after teacher Clint Straatman took a Mexican flag away from a 16-year-old Latino student and placed it in a garbage can on May 5. The student had brought the flag to school to celebrate Cinco de Mayo and said Straatman had made derogatory comments before throwing away the flag.

Straatman denied making the comments and said he removed the flag because it was a distraction to the class.

The situation escalated later when Dan Laker, an English and Second Language teacher at Minico, responded to the Mexican flag incident by desecrating an American flag in the office of a school administrator.

The protest encouraged by the radio station led to a counter-protest the next day at Minico as a group of students came to school dressed in red, white and blue.

Protests continued throughout the week with one student eventually arrested for allegedly threatening violence on school grounds.

"To display another nation's flag in the home in respect for one's ancestors

should not be of concern to anyone, but when it comes to public display at parades, schools, public offices, etc., there should be only one ... 'Old Glory,'" the apology concludes.

The LULAC press release said the organization hopes their meeting with Rogers "will hopefully give the school district an insight on how the Latino community is viewing the incident involving a 16-year-old Latino student."

Alexander Castaneda, a Latino advocate and member of LULAC, said the group was approached by parents to set up a meeting with the school district.

Castaneda would not elaborate on what details will be discussed at the meeting.

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Foreign

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job growth will outpace the national level, but we're starting from a much lower point," he said Thursday, the Idaho Montclair Express reported.

He said the state's gross domestic product is expected to increase 2.4 percent this year, but that the influx of new businesses is expected to slow along with the nation's economy.

He said the department will try to counteract that by luring Idaho to foreign businesses as well as business leaders in the United States.

Dietrich was a strong advocate of encouraging the French nuclear services company Areva NC Inc. to build a uranium enrichment plant in eastern Idaho because of the 250 high-paying jobs involved.

Areva announced earlier this month that it would build the \$2 billion plant near Idaho Falls, after winning tax concessions from the Legislature.

Dietrich asked the welfare residents of the Sun Valley resort area to have their friends in the global business community contact him about exploring opportunities in Idaho.

He also said that part of the plan to improve the state's economy is to find ways to increase pay and benefit packages to attract employees.

Increased economic development, he said, should be done intelligently, noting the nearby small towns of Bellevue and Carey as examples of areas that are vulnerable to uncontrolled development.

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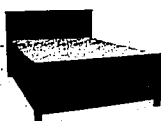
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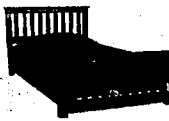
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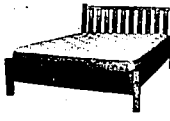
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EDITORIAL

A slight edge for Fox in T.F. School Board race

In a community where most School Board elections are uncontested, Twin Falls has an embarrassment of riches this year.

Retailer Richard Crowley and College of Southern Idaho English professor Jeff Fox are vying for the District 5 seat being vacated by Rob Atkins in Tuesday's election.

The community can't lose, whichever man is elected. Both are dedicated to public education, knowledgeable about the issues facing the Twin Falls School District and good listeners.

From our perspective, the 53-year-old Fox has a small edge on the basis of his professional experience, especially with dual-credit education with high school students at CSI.

The chairman of CSI's English, Languages and Philosophy Department, he has master's and bachelor's degrees in English from Sacramento State, and a doctorate in educational leadership from the University of Idaho.

Fox has produced jazz radio shows, plays instruments, and has served on various school committees.

Crowley, 46, owns Crowley's Soda Fountain and General Store, a family business, and has also managed other businesses over the years. After graduating from Twin Falls High School in 1979, he earned a bachelor's degree in business management from Brigham Young University, along with a graduate certificate in gerontology.

A father of five, he's served in church leadership roles, Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs, Boy Scouts of America, as well as on leadership committees for downtown Twin Falls.

It's the latter for which Crowley is probably best known in Twin Falls. He spent two years as executive director of the Historic Old Towne business district.

It took diplomatic and management skills to run the day-to-day operations of a fractious, and often financially challenged, organization, and Crowley did it well. That experience suits him well to handle the competing interests with which School Board members must contend.

Both men see the transition from a one-high school, two-junior high district to a two middle-school, two high school system as the biggest test of the next three years, and both believe making teacher salaries competitive with other Idaho and out-of-state school systems is a priority.

And they agree that the impending retirement of 16-year School Board member Vera Redman will change the dynamic among the trustees. Board Chairman Bryan Matsuko is the only remaining veteran on the board with 10 years' experience.

Taxpayers have spent heavily on the Twin Falls School District recently, approving a \$49.7 million bond issue to build a high school in 2006 and a \$33 million plant facilities levy two months ago. The School Board will be under the gun to demonstrate that those investments have produced better schools.

Both Fox and Crowley are up to the job.



How Idaho landed the Areva uranium enrichment plant



READER COMMENT
C.L. 'Butch' Otter

Idaho should be proud of the decision by Areva to locate its new uranium enrichment plant in eastern Idaho. It resulted from a textbook example of business, communities, education leaders and government coming together to pursue economic opportunities and a better quality of life.

From the Idaho National Laboratory to our colleges and universities, from Grow Idaho Falls to the Idaho Department of Commerce, from our congressional delegation and legislators to county commissions and city councils, and from private businesses to the general public, landing a \$2 billion project was truly a cooperative achievement.

About 1,000 workers will be hired during construction at the Bonneville County site after local, state and federal permits obtained from regulators. About 250 engineers and technicians will be earning an average salary of \$64,000 a year once Areva's state-of-

the-art plant opens. The process started in June 2007, when Areva asked U.S. Sen. Larry Craig to help identify potential sites in Idaho that might accommodate and welcome the enrichment plant. Sen. Craig set the wheels in motion and state government, economic development groups, legislators, city and county officials and local citizens' group went to work. Within 12 days, Areva had an initial proposal in hand.

Local economic development professionals in Bonneville, Bannock, Blaine and Power counties quickly realized the benefits or working as a team, and on June 30, 2007, they made a presentation to Areva with a single message:

"We want you in Idaho!" The message was carried forward to the 2008 session of the Idaho Legislature thanks to the leadership of such legislators as Sens. Bat Davis, Jeff Siddoway and Brent Hill and Reps. Dennis Lake, Scott Bedke and Janice McGeachin.

No other state in the running for this world-class facility had presented a coordinated, united regional approach to hosting Areva. Most actually saw cities and counties competing with one another. Company officials recognized and appreciated that Idahoans were working as a team.

Also to Areva's enormous credit, its personnel were consummate professionals and its processes were crystal-clear — working with everyone in a straightforward and open manner to explain the company's needs, expectations and decision points. My thanks go to the entire team led by Areva President Mike McMurphy.

Areva's thoroughness

enabled us to effectively display such benefits as our highly trained and qualified workforce, the longtime U.S. Department of Energy presence in eastern Idaho, and our state's willingness to invest in the future with the Center for Advanced Energy Studies.

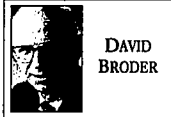
Along with that kind of infrastructure and expertise, market forces and most of all the watchful eyes of 1.4 million Idahoans all will ensure the Areva plant will be safe, clean and an enormous economic benefit to the state.

Areva's decision is a testament to the hard work and progressive mind-set of Idaho's people, and the growing diversity and dynamism of our economy. There is a long way to go before Areva's promises becomes reality, but we already have proved that nothing is beyond our capacity.

Butch Otter, a Republican, is governor of Idaho.

This is now Obama's election to lose

WASHINGTON — One way of measuring the current miserable state of the Republican Party is to note that in the past 10 weeks, 55 years of House seniority in the House of Representatives were wiped out in three special elections.



DAVID BRODER

Another gauge is that President Bush's 31 percent job approval score in this month's *Washington Post* poll is one of the lowest ever recorded for a chief executive.

However one measures it, this is surely the springtime of the GOP's discontent — a condition that led one Capitol Hill Republican to say, "I think God we've still got almost six months until Election Day."

There's no telling what may happen between now and Nov. 4, but we know that John McCain is bucking a powerful headwind as he seeks the White House, while Barack Obama (or maybe Hillary Clinton) can enjoy at least a favoring breeze.

The situation is reminiscent of 1980. Six months before that election, it was evident that the country had grown weary of Jimmy Carter and his administration. What remained to be determined was the degree of comfort voters felt with Ronald Reagan as his successor. Would Reagan seem as a B-movie actor and TV host, peddling eccentric and maybe dangerous notions, or as someone who had governed California successfully for eight years and could restore some sanity to a dysfunctional Washington? Once he delivered the necessary reassurances, the election was over.



Mississippi districts that had been Republican for 33 and 13 years, respectively; and former Speaker Dennis Hastert's seat in Illinois, which had gone Democratic only once in the last 50 years.

House Minority Leader John Boehner called the Mississippi race last week "a wake-up call" to all his embattled flock, but it seems more like a nightmare to many of them, portending large losses in November.

Rep. Tom Cole of Oklahoma, the unlucky campaign chairman for the House GOP, tried to put the best gloss on the situation, telling reporters that the avowedly conservative Democrats who won in Louisiana and Mississippi cannot be role models. Come November, with Obama likely to be atop the ticket and defining the Democratic message, "it will be harder for Democrats to run against their party," Cole said.

That remains to be seen. What's driving the vote now is not just opposition to Bush but a falling grade for Republicans. John Anzalone, a polling consultant for the

winners in Louisiana and Mississippi, told me that those races — which featured Republican efforts to link the local Democratic candidates to Obama, the Rev. Jeremiah Wright and House Speaker Nancy Pelosi — showed "in hard times like these, the kitchen-table issues supersede the wedge issues" the GOP employed.

In the Post poll, Democrats led Republicans, 53 percent to 32 percent, as the party more trusted to cope with the main problems facing the country — twice as big as the GOP deficit in the summer of 2006, approaching the election that stripped

Republicans of their congressional majorities. Cole said that McCain, with his reputation for independence, can pull in votes not available to any other Republican. He's right. The same Post poll showed him trailing Obama by only seven percentage points and running far ahead of his party.

But Lord, what a party. *Washington Post columnist David Broder can be reached at davidbroder@washpost.com.*

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THE LIGHTER SIDE OF POLITICS

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By Garry Trudeau

Mallard Fillmore



By Bruce Tinsley



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Parade shouldn't be a place to advertise sexuality

I wrote a letter to the Times-News after Thanksgiving commenting on the big parade I watched on TV and how there wasn't any sexually oriented floats and asked everyone to watch the Christmas and New Year's parades to see if they had any floats about sex. (If you take the sexual part out of the parade, Lesbian, Transsexual, Bisexual, you just have a bunch of regular people. So the GLTB float is about sex, not a bunch of really nice people.) My letter wasn't printed.

I watched all the parades, even the one from California where San Francisco is the gay capital of the world, and there were no sexually oriented floats. So why are the GLTB people trying so hard to get their float in Twin Falls? Do they think it's a parade? It's not about the people; they are not on a different float that didn't promote their sexual lifestyle and everyone would like them for who they are not what they are! Most of the floats are advertisements and the emotions are they trying to recruit new members to their lifestyle?

It's nobody's business how or with whom they have sex at home, and they have no right to brag about it on a float and try to cram their sexual lifestyle down everyone's throat. They are here; everyone knows it, so what are they trying to prove? If they are so proud of what they are, they should just tattoo it on their forehead so everyone will see it every time, not just Western Days time.

If they get their float this year, they'll be in all the parades from now on, and I'm afraid each year they'll get bigger and bolder until the world will think of Twin Falls the way it thinks of San Francisco, Calif.

CLINT ALLEN
Buhl

County needs a wide range of opinions when deciding

In this time of upcoming elections, we get to read many interesting letters extolling the virtues of the candidates and at times making it sound like one individual is the cause of all the county's problems. The last I know the commissioners had to vote on all decisions, so the majority is the deciding factor. It seems to me that we need a wide range of talent and opinions in order to get decisions that represent all the residents of Jerome County.

I think that amid the controversy in the past few months among the Jerome County commissioners, we have made some much-needed progress. So while we should advocate for those who are capable and may disagree with some of us at times.

FREDDIE TATE
Jerome

Carter is the best choice for Twin Falls sheriff

Twin Falls County deserves qualified leadership. The upcoming primary election poses a challenge to the voters of Twin Falls County. We are faced with an unprecedented number of candidates. The candidates are undoubtedly all well-meaning and have plans for the position, there is only one individual who is the best choice.

Tom Carter has been a professional law enforcement officer in the Magic Valley for more than 25 years. He served with distinction in our nation's military, and he is a dedicated father and husband. There are other candidates for this very important and prestigious office, but no one who can bring the level of experience and reputation that Tom Carter can.

of Tom's experience is as a uniformed patrol officer and supervisor; however, Tom also has experience in the corrections field and with the rural patrol division. There is no other candidate that can make this claim.

Tom has, at one time or another, held almost every position within the sheriff's office with the exception of matron. The local lodge of the Fraternal Order of Police has chosen to back Tom Carter for sheriff of Twin Falls County. I can think of no greater endorsement than that of the largest organization of sworn law enforcement officers in the United States.

Please join me in supporting Tom Carter for sheriff of Twin Falls County in the upcoming elections.

TOM FOWERS
Twin Falls

State of Idaho needs representatives like Gannon

I urge the patrons of District 23 to vote for Sen. Tom Gannon.

Tom has proven to be a dedicated, competent, representative for our district. While in public office as Bull City councilman, I had the opportunity to work alongside Tom Gannon and have direct knowledge of Tom's integrity and dedication to get the job done correctly. This includes the time he carried on to Boise where fellow senators have gained the same feelings by entrusting Sen. Gannon with chairmanship of the Senate Agricultural Affairs Committee, member of the Senate Education Committee, Local Government and Taxation Committee, Joint Energy and Environment Committee, and co-chairman of the Childhood Development Task Force. The state of Idaho needs leaders like Tom Gannon in state government; re-elect Sen. Gannon to represent District 23.

BOB VANDEWATER
Buhl

Dairies aren't conducive to way of life we want to lead

OK, here goes. I've sat here and read every pro and con letter to the editor for some time now, and it's time to speak up.

The dairy industry has gotten out of hand! It is not conducive to the way of life we would like to enjoy. Yes, dairy owners do a lot of good and yes, many jobs are created, but there has to be a line drawn somewhere.

These leaders like Tom Gannon in state government; re-elect Sen. Gannon to represent District 23.

I don't care what Mr. Cypriano says. When you go down 1-84 and just before you reach the exit by Flying J, the stretch makes you sick from a dairy two miles away, or when you walk into businesses in Jerome and have to chase flies away so you can open the door, that's just too much.

And no, Mr. Cypriano, most of the dairies that are here now have not been here longer than most of us. I remember this valley before the dairies took over when there were smaller owner-operated dairies and it was good and a lot of people benefited without the problems of the mega-dairies, and yes, I know what I'm saying because I worked in the dairy industry for 20 years, as did my father and grandfather.

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before me since 1903 when we settled here. All I say is when is too much of a good thing too much?

Also, a side note: Why can't we quit saying Latino, African-American and such and just be Americans. I'm proud of my ancestry, but I'm not going to shove it down others' throats. Just think, united we stand, divided we fall, so let's get united and make this valley and state and nation a better place to live!

CURTIS MCEWEN
Hazelton

Gaston deserves support for Gooding County sheriff

I have lived in Wendell for the majority of my life. I have been here for the last 10 years raising my family and running a small business.

There have been a lot of changes brought to our small town since Kinus Gaston has become our chief of police. He is bringing people together as a community. Recently, a chili cook-off was done with proceeds going to the support of the K-9 Unit. We were given a demonstration of Kenia's abilities which was quite enlightening.

Chief Gaston has been instrumental in training our officers to better their skills. He is able to train others in arrest techniques, crowd control, narcotics and field testing as well as a variety of other useful things. This has given us a better functioning police force.

The crime rate has declined. The officers are out patrolling more. They have reduced speeding, drug driving, gang activities and cut down on the open drug use, as evidenced by fewer teens and adults running around obviously stoned. It is so much nicer and safer to allow your children to walk around town as well as to be able to walk around town myself in the evening without worry.

I am proud to support Chief Gaston as he runs for Gooding County sheriff. It is time to bring some of these changes to Gooding County and have the local police departments all working together. We are all a part of Gooding County and are times when response time is slowed to a dangerous point due to each town not helping the surrounding areas.

Chief Gaston will bring fresh, new ideas with his election as Gooding County sheriff. It is time for us to step out in favor of change and make this happen.

NANCY BAILEY
Wendell

Candidate offers dedication to working with county

I, Jerry Martinez, am proudly running for the

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opportunity to be the next sheriff of Jerome County. I believe the most support for Jerome County will need to understand the dynamics of a growing county as well as having an ear for the needs and concerns of the public and the ability to carry out the actions and requirements needed to reassure the public of their safety and well-being.

My dedication to be a "working" sheriff, along with my experience and willingness to work with the residents of Jerome County, will allow us to communicate as a whole and make Jerome County a safer and more effective place to live.

Residents of Jerome County have been promised numerous things, and these promises have not been kept. I won't make promises about what I am going to change; however, I can assure you that we as a whole county will make the changes that are necessary.

JERRY MARTINEZ
Jerome

Billington has ability to anticipate consequences

I am a longtime resident of our county, and I am writing to express my support for the candidate, Tom Billington for Precinct 23 chairman.

Please join me in supporting a Precinct 23 candidate who has a very special gift and skill: the ability to analyze available statistics and details and then anticipate the consequences — and head off undesirable ones. This candidate is Tom Billington.

Tom Billington displays intelligence, a strong commitment to involving the Twin Falls community in county plans and a conviction that the precinct is best served by diversity in board and commission appointments and other county positions. A successful farmer in Twin Falls County for more than 50 years proves his significant business and administrative experience. He is independent-minded, fearless in standing up for his principles, a man of unimpeachable integrity, has great experience and understanding of the parliamentary system, courteous, compassionate, assiduous, hugely energetic and respected by political allies and opponents alike.

I urge you, first, to vote for Tom Billington on May 27, or earlier by absentee ballot. Second, I ask you to think of our community. Tom Billington was born and raised in Twin Falls. He attended college at the University of Idaho and has raised his family in Twin Falls.

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A real Idaho local for Idaho locals. Remember the purpose of a chairperson is leadership to the community members whom the candidate will represent. Finally, I urge that you remind friends and neighbors of the election May 27, and that you ask them to vote for Tom Billington.

Let's make May 27 the best election turnout ever!

SAMANTHA ANDERSON
Twin Falls

We need a return to founding principles, people

Where are the men who built this country, where are their offspring?

For 40 years, we have been ruled by effete, elitist, hand-wringing children. These people think it is fine for the nation to send its treasure to people whose only goal in life is to fly planes into our buildings, bomb our subways and slaughter our children.


The men who built this wonderful country have been demonized as polluters, imperialists and looters of the land. These are the men who built the spectacular highway system, the rail system, the

airline industry which allows us freedom to travel great distances. The current rulers have made the words "oil" a terrible curse, "coal" a blasphemous against God, and "nuclear" the worst "N" word of all. There is no substitute for oil, coal and gas. Our grandchildren will be hauled out their graves in gas-fired hearses. These whining little people now need to stand out of the way; it is time for the men to re-enter the scene.

We need men who will mine and burn Wyoming and Montana coal, build transmission lines and pipelines across the land. We need men who will build and finance the giant nuclear power plants this country desperately needs, the same facilities our European and Japanese allies have had for decades. And lastly, we need men who will drill for oil wherever it is found, off our coasts, under our deserts and, for God's sake, if we can drill for oil in Los Angeles without bothering those silly people, we should surely be able to drill in that Arctic wasteland known as ANWAR.

MIKE THOMAS
Jerome

Dr. Weese Joins St. Luke's Mountain States Urology



Dr. Donald Weese will be joining St. Luke's Mountain States Urology in Boise effective Wednesday, May 21st.

His new office location is:
**510 North 2nd Street
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Stocks pare losses
to finish mixed
after oil spikes

NEW YORK (AP) — Wall Street capped a week of big gains with modest moves Friday as investors grappled with surging energy prices that overshadowed news of a surprise increase in home construction.

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Pacific Ethanol grand opening

Otter: Plant represents a step forward in Idaho's economy

By Sven Berg
Staff writer

BURLEY — Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter, in Burley Friday to celebrate the grand opening of Pacific Ethanol's plant, said bringing the plant online represents a major step forward in Idaho's economy and the nation's pursuit of energy independence.

"The addition of this plant to Idaho's economy is huge," he said.

Otter said he wants to grow Idaho's \$50 billion economy to \$60 billion by the time he leaves office, though he acknowledged doing so might take getting rejected.

Burley Economic Coordinator Doug Manning joined Otter in hailing the economic effect of Pacific Ethanol's plant, though he focused on Mini-Cassia's local economy.

Since the February 2007 day Pacific broke ground on its Burley plant, he

said, there has been \$200 million in capital investment in Mini-Cassia. Manning said Pacific paved the way for construction of several nearby plants, including Dot Foods, Inc. and Packaging Specialties, Inc.

"All this happens because Pacific Ethanol chose to be here," he said.

Pacific CEO Neil Koehler said the Burley plant has already begun to impact the nation's energy choices by annually producing 60 million gallons of a fuel that costs about a dollar less per gallon than gasoline.

"We're producing enough ethanol in this plant to provide 10 percent of all the fuel in the state of Idaho," he said.

Koehler criticized recent reports that ethanol is driving an increase in food costs as being pushed by special interests.

Ethanol production, he said, supplies livestock operators around Mini-Cassia with a viable feed — wet

distiller's grains — which are left over from the process of extracting carbohydrates from corn.

"We are part of the solution," he said.

Otter compared those who say U.S. farms cannot keep up with demands for food and ethanol to critics who told Thomas Edison manufacturing light bulbs would cost 140,000 candle makers their jobs.

In the end, he said, the development of electrical power led to millions of new jobs in the U.S.

"Don't be fooled by the idea that this state of ours and this country of ours can't stand up to the challenge to produce more," he said. "Part of our problem in the U.S. is that we didn't have the foresight that these folks did."

Sven Berg may be reached at 208-677-8764 or sberg@southidahopress.com.



A visitor walks through the new Pacific Ethanol plant in Burley Friday. Pacific CEO Neil Koehler said the plant is already impacting energy choices by annually producing 60 million gallons of a fuel that costs about a dollar less per gallon than gasoline.

Standing out

Con Paulos goes 'green' in expansion

By Joshua Palmer
Staff writer

The modern-looking building that was recently constructed on Interstate 84 south of Jerome stands as a testament to south-central Idaho's determination to grow despite a nationwide economic slowdown.

It's the new Con Paulos automotive center located at 901 South Lincoln Street, which is not only modern in design but also in its focus to be environmentally friendly.

"This building is going to be here for the next 40 years or more, so we felt it was the right thing to do for the long-term," said Con Paulos, owner of Con Paulos Chevrolet Pontiac GMC.

He said the old location is currently for sale — with hope that a new employer will move into the area.

Paulos said he invested more than \$4.5 million into the 30,000 square-foot building, which includes — among other things — large windows that minimize the need for additional lighting, a heating and air-conditioning system that reduces energy consumption, and roof that reflects heat during the summer.

The lighting alone cost an additional \$58,000 in order to make it energy efficient. However, Paulos said he expects to recuperate the costs over the long-term through the energy savings.

"For, say the lighting fixtures, I think we will recover those costs within three to five



The new Con Paulos automotive center at 901 South Lincoln Street in Jerome on Thursday. More than \$4.5 million was invested in the 30,000 square-foot building.

years," he said.

As for the new location, it was a strategic move, Paulos said. The dealership estimates that it receives about four times as much traffic as its previous location farther north on Lincoln Street.

"There is a nationwide trend toward moving dealerships toward the interstates to gain vis-

ibility," he said. "It's all about location, location, location."

Still, dealerships across the United States have reported steep declines in auto sales due to a weakening economy.

For the month of April, both Ford and GM reported a decline in overall sales of between 12 and 16 percent compared to last year — with sport utility vehicles

being the hardest hit.

However, Paulos said vehicle sales are doing better in south-central Idaho than in most parts of the nation.

"We are one of the few regions that is creating new jobs and our agricultural sector is still strong," he said. "What we are seeing more of is a shift to more fuel-efficient vehicles."

Swiss survey: U.S. maintains edge in competitiveness

By Bradley S. Happer
Associated Press writer

GENEVA — The United States topped world competitiveness rankings for the 15th straight year, but its economy is showing the same signs of weakness — the "sunk boomer" Japan in the early 1990s, according to an annual survey released Thursday.

Asian tigers Singapore and Hong Kong ranked just behind the U.S., as they did last year. Switzerland jumped two places to fourth, while Luxembourg rounded out the top five most competitive national economies, said the Lausanne, Switzerland-based, IMD business school, publisher of the World Competitiveness Yearbook.

"The big question is whether the United States will be No. 1 after this year," project director Stephane Gerardi said, adding that the report was based on 2007 data that do not fully reflect all of the problems in U.S. financial markets. "Everyone is catching up

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The Vdara tower is pictured at CityCenter in Las Vegas. The tower is the first at the multi-billion dollar casino hotel and condo project to be finished. MGM Mirage officials said this is the first of six high-rise towers at its CityCenter development and a senior company official said it was pushing ahead despite nervousness across the casino industry because of the uneasy U.S. economy.

There are ways small businesses can try to avoid employee layoffs

NEW YORK — Even though a small company's business may be down and its revenue stream more tentative, it may be possible for an owner to avoid laying off employees.

The solutions can be obvious, as in reducing expenses. But they can also be found in creativity and cooperation — asking workers for help in avoiding job cuts.

SMALL TALK Joyce M. Rosenberg

At the manufacturing company where Jim Brady

was chief operating officer, things looked bleak. The Detroit area was depressed, sales were down and management was faced with the need to cut labor costs.

"We were in a situation

where we did not want to be," Brady recalled. The company needed to cut hours, but also keep itself staffed to serve customers. So management proposed to employees a 32-hour

week, with shorter work days for everyone. The workers didn't like the idea, but they also said, let us figure out a solution. And

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STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Con Agra	23.76	▲ .29	Dell Inc.	21.31	▲ .68	Idacorp	31.35	▲ .13
Lithia Mo.	8.34	▲ .40	Micron	8.84	—	Supervalu	35.31	▼ .31

COMMODITIES

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Live cattle	93.87	▼ .48	June Oil	126.29	▲ 2.17
May gold	899.0	▲ 20	May Silver	16.90	▲ 27

What to expect Monday in business WASHINGTON — Treasury bill auction.

MUTUAL FUNDS

Table of mutual fund performance data including columns for fund name, last price, change, and volume.

COMMODITIES REPORT

Table of commodity prices for various futures contracts such as wheat, corn, and soybeans.

CHEESE

Cheddar cheese prices for the Chicago Mercantile Exchange, including 2% and 3% milkfat grades.

LIVESTOCK

Live cattle and hog prices from the USDA, including market hogs and feeder cattle.

METALS/MONEY

Gold and silver prices, along with foreign exchange rates for major currencies.

BEANS

Market prices for various types of beans, including soybeans and lentils.

GRAINS

Market prices for grains such as wheat, corn, and sorghum.

MARKET SUMMARY

Summary table of market indices including NYSE, NASDAQ, and S&P 500, along with commodity and currency movements.

STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Table listing local stocks such as Altavest, Alltel, and Boise Cascade, with their current prices and changes.

HOW TO READ THE MARKET REPORT

Explanatory text detailing how to interpret market data, including symbols for different types of orders and market conditions.

Small

Article titled 'Small' discussing the challenges and opportunities for small businesses in the current economic climate.

Continuation of the 'Small' article, focusing on strategies for managing cash flow and maintaining customer loyalty.

Continuation of the 'Small' article, discussing the importance of networking and seeking professional advice.

Continuation of the 'Small' article, providing insights into market trends and the role of government support.

Compete

Article titled 'Compete' discussing the competitive landscape for various industries and the impact of global trade.

Continuation of the 'Compete' article, focusing on the role of technology in enhancing competitiveness.

Continuation of the 'Compete' article, discussing the challenges of international trade and the need for innovation.

Continuation of the 'Compete' article, providing a global perspective on market trends and economic growth.

Bush fails to win help from Saudi Arabia in bringing down gas prices

By Terence Hunt
Associated Press writer

RIYADH, Saudi Arabia — President Bush failed to win the help he sought from Saudi Arabia to relieve skyrocketing American gas prices Friday, a setback for the former Texas oilman who took office predicting he would jawnbone oil-producing nations to help the U.S.

Bush got a red-carpet welcome to this desert kingdom, home to the world's largest oil reserves, and promised to ask King Abdullah to increase production to reduce pressure on prices, which soared past \$127 for the first time Friday. But Saudi officials said they already were meeting the needs of their customers worldwide and there was no need to pump more.

Their answer recalled Bush's trip to Saudi Arabia in January when he urged an increase in production but was rebuffed.

Saudi oil minister Ali al-Naimi said the kingdom decided on May 10 to increase production by 300,000 barrels a day to help meet U.S. needs after Venezuela and Mexico cut back deliveries.

"Supply and demand are in



First lady Laura Bush has tea with Saudi King Abdullah after arriving with President Bush at Riyadh-King Khalid International Airport in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia, Friday.

balance today," al-Naimi told a news conference, bristling at criticism from the U.S. Congress. "How much does Saudi Arabia need to do to satisfy people who are questioning our oil practices and policies?"

Early this week, Senate Democrats introduced a resolution to block \$1.4 billion in arms sales to Saudi Arabia unless Riyadh agreed to increase its oil production by 1 million barrels per day.

Saudi Foreign Minister Saud al-Faisal said the discussion with Bush about oil was "friendly." He didn't punch any tables or shout at

anybody," the minister said. "I think he was satisfied."

That couldn't be said for at least one of the candidates hoping to succeed Bush in January. Said Democrat Hillary Rodham Clinton: "I think it's very important that we do something more dramatic than going to have tea with the Saudis."

National Security Adviser Stephen Hadley said con-

sumers would not see dramatic price reductions. Oil experts agreed.

Bernard Picchi, an energy analyst at Wall Street Access, an independent research firm, called the 300,000 barrel Saudi production increase "a token amount."

It would be different, he said, if Saudi Arabia boosted production by 1 million or 1.5 million barrels a day. The announced increase will have Saudi Arabia pumping 9.45 million barrels a day by June, Saudi officials said. That's about 2 million barrels below its capacity. Analysts also discounted the impact of the U.S. Energy Department's announcement that it would cancel shipments into the Strategic Petroleum Reserve for six months starting July 1.

Obama criticizes McCain for 'naive' foreign policy

By Mike Glover
Associated Press writer

WATERTOWN, S.D. — Barack Obama laid into John McCain on Friday for advancing a tough-foreign policy that he called "naive and irresponsible," serving notice that he's ready to launch a full-throated challenge to the Republican presidential contender on international relations in the general election campaign.

Lumping McCain together with President Bush, Obama declared: "If they want a debate about protecting the United States of America, that's a debate I'm ready to win because George Bush and John McCain have a lot to answer for." He blamed Bush for policies that enhance the strength of terrorist groups such as

Hamas and "the fact that al-Qaida leadership is stronger than ever because we took our eye off the ball in Afghanistan," among other failings.

McCain agreed, at least, that there were huge differences between himself and Obama on foreign policy, and said he'd be happy to let the American people decide who was right.

"It would be a wonderful thing if we lived in a world where we don't have enemies. But that's not the world we live in. And until Senator Obama understands that reality, the American people have every reason to doubt whether he has the strength, judgment and determination to keep us safe," McCain said in a speech to the National Rifle Association in Louisville, Ky.

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AROUND THE VALLEY

Health board upholds Shoshone Rehab ruling

The Idaho Board of Health and Welfare voted Thursday to uphold a decision to briefly place the Shoshone Rehabilitation and Living Center on a provisional license following a medication incident in November 2006.

State inspectors found that a recently installed computerized medication system was complicated and error-prone, leading to incorrect doses and record-keeping mistakes. The facility's full license was restored in March 2007.

The nursing home appealed the suspension of its license, but the decision has been upheld by a hearing officer and the board.

Jerome chamber plans clean-up Wednesday

The Jerome Chamber of Commerce and city of Jerome will have their annual Community Cleanup Day on Wednesday.

The city and PSI will have garbage bins at Public Works, 820 4th Ave. W., for residents who live within city limits. They will be available from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday to Friday and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday. The only items that may not be put in the dumpsters are appliances, chemicals, batteries and tires.

For more information: Public Works office, 324-9669.

U of I, conservation districts invite teens to resources camp

The University of Idaho Extension office and Idaho Association of Soil Conservation Districts invite teens ages 12 to 14 to the 49th annual Natural Resources Camp, June 23 to 28 north of Ketchum.

The camp is held at the 7,100-foot elevation Central Idaho 4-H Camp, and gives teens the chance to observe wildlife habitat, explore predator-prey relationships, examine water quality and conduct other natural resource experiments.

Cost is \$175 by Friday, and \$195 afterwards. Scholarships are available through local soil conservation district offices. For an application or more information, contact U of I Extension or soil conservation office or call Mary Fenwick: (208) 736-3605.

Forest Service offers firewood, mushroom permits starting Friday

Firewood and mushroom gathering permits for the Sawtooth National Forest will be available beginning Friday. Visitors will find heavy snow and the cutting areas and traps to attach to their loads. Permits may be paid by cash or check only.

For visitors wanting to gather mushrooms in the Ketchum Ranger District, additional permits for personal use will be available on Friday only at Forest Service offices. For more information: (208) 737-3200.

From staff reports

Child playing with fire sets closet ablaze

By Sean Breslin
Staff writer

Quick action by two teenage boys and a neighbor prevented a residential fire from spreading Friday afternoon in south Twin Falls.

The fire started at about 4:45 p.m. at 509 Haltee Ave., after a 7-year-old boy found a lighter in his bedroom closet and began playing with it, said Capt. Allen Shropshire with the Twin Falls Fire Department. The boy accidentally set a shirt on fire, which quickly spread through his bedroom closet.

"It didn't go as he expected,"

Shropshire said.

The fire then spread, consuming clothes and toys, Shropshire said. Two teens — ages 13 and 15 — were with the boy and immediately evacuated the house and alerted a neighbor who lived two doors down.

"The neighbor lady put out the fire and saved the day," Shropshire said. The woman used a bucket filled with water from the bathtub, he said.

The neighbor, who declined to be interviewed, suffered from minor smoke inhalation and was given oxygen at the scene. The children were unharmed. The fire was confined to the closet area and the house suf-



A woman receives medical attention Friday from a member of the Twin Falls Fire Department in front of a house at 509 Haltee Ave., where a fire began in the bedroom. The fire was stopped before spreading.

fered no serious damage, Shropshire said.

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ROCK-SOLID SPIRIT



Mariah Binkhead, a seventh-grader at Robert Stuart Junior High School, spray paints some school spirit on the newly placed spirit rock while fellow student Jessica Groesbeck smiles, at the school Friday in Twin Falls.

Students welcome spirit rock at Robert Stuart Jr. High

By Sean Breslin
Staff writer

For students at Robert Stuart Junior High School, it was time to bring on the rock — literally.

"The ninth-graders really wanted to do this before they left," said Principal Steve Smith as he watched a bulldozer unload a gigantic boulder — a spirit rock — onto the front lawn of the school.

Seventh-grader Mariah Binkhead agreed, acknowledging her fellow students' efforts.

"I'm glad that the student council tried to get a rock this year," she said. "The spirit rock will be decorated with spray paint in the school colors and used as a message center to promote school events, teams and tributes to students," said Paula Watkins, a guidance counselor at the school. The rock was donated by Northwest Sand & Gravel. In appreciation of the donation, the school's student council gave Northwest \$100 in return for their time and transportation costs.

The rock, a behemoth of weathered basalt, weighed in at somewhere between 11,000 and 12,000 pounds, said



Rusty Beckendorf, an employee of Gordon Paving Northwest Sand & Gravel, prepares to place the rock at the school Friday afternoon.

Tony Traveller with Northwest Sand & Gravel. A rock like this would usually cost about 15 cents per pound, meaning Robert Stuart's rock is worth between \$1,650 and \$1,800.

Before the rock arrived, student council officers took shovels to the school grounds, digging a four-foot-wide hole in which the rock would be placed. Watkins said the students enjoyed being able to tear up the grounds.

"Believe it or not, that's probably one of the most exciting class periods we've had," she said.

After some initial trouble moving the rock from the truck to the school

grounds (the massive stone broke a chain securing it to a bulldozer), the work crew managed to lower the rock into its new home amid cheers and applause from the school's nearly 700 students, who were brought outside to witness the event.

Ninth-grader Jose Valdez, 15, said he's looking forward to decorating the new addition to the school grounds.

"We can tag it up and represent our school colors," Valdez said. Logan Woodhouse looked forward to her school's first athletic victory over Vera C. O'Leary Junior High School and incorporating the new spirit rock into the victory celebrations.

"If you beat 'em at sports, you can show it on your rock," Woodhouse said. "Before the school divides are played out on the spirit rock, Watkins said the school wanted to pay tribute to Jeremy Rowe, an eighth-grade student who died last year of leukemia. The first thing to be painted on the spirit rock was "We love you, Jeremy."

"Everybody said he had a big heart and everybody loved him," Watkins said.

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Familiar face appointed magistrate in Power County

By Cassidy Friedman
Staff writer

Remember Paul Laggis?

He was that kid with long, curly auburn hair who played football and basketball at Wood River High School until he graduated in 1980. His dad recalls him as a star, though he's not certain.

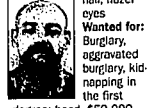
Now at age 45, his long locks have given way to a short, gray head of hair, which he blames on his daughter.

"That's what you've caused," he chides Laggis, who says he may no longer be recognizable to his Ketchum peers as the boy of his youth, has been appointed magistrate of Power County in the 6th District. He'll take the bench July 1, succeeding Magistrate Mark Beebe who's retiring June 30 after two decades.

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WANTED in the Magic Valley

Name: Chad Loren Wahl
Age: 39
Description: 5 feet 8 inches, 175 pounds, brown hair, hazel eyes



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The Twin Falls County Sheriff's Office asks anyone with information about Wahl's whereabouts to call 735-5914 or Crime Stoppers at 732-5387, where tipsters can remain anonymous and may be eligible for a cash reward.

Walk in park today aims to teach public about mental illness

John E. Swazy
Correspondent

Mental illness — it's a term and condition that can make people feel alienated and afraid. But that's where the National Alliance for Mental Illness can help.

NAMI is a nationwide, nonprofit advocacy organization dedicated to educating the public and improving the quality of life for those with mental illness. Today members of NAMI's Magic Valley affiliate group will host an awareness walk from 2 to 4 p.m. at Twin Falls City Park.

Lee Woodland, executive director for the Idaho chap-

ter of NAMI, said that state government has not done all it can to help.

"About one in five families are affected in some way by depression, schizophrenia, bipolar disorder or any number of other illnesses," she said. "We here to provide information and referral services to anyone who calls in. I must get at least 800 calls this phone every month." In 2006, the state allocated \$46 million for mental health spending and received a failing grade for providing inadequate information, access, services, and infrastructure.

Woodland says that under normal circumstances, pro-

viding these services is hard to accomplish. NAMI has an annual budget of around \$71,000 in state funds, \$6,000 from pharmaceutical companies and about \$300 in private donations. But the Legislature has made this increasingly more difficult.

"We've lost our state funding because they want us to provide mental health services, but it's not our purpose," she said. "We're support oriented, so now we're looking at grants and other forms of funding."

One of the most vital supports is helping people cope with the stresses of mental illness by connecting them

with groups offered by one of 13 NAMI affiliates in Idaho.

Carol Stephens, NAMI's Magic Valley affiliate contact was diagnosed with diabetes more than a year ago and began dealing with depression. NAMI helped her recognize the problems and gave her an outlet where she was able to discuss the issues with members of her group.

"The doctor told me this might happen but I didn't recognize it for a while," she said. "I was holed up in the house and didn't want to go out, but it's nice to go and discuss what you're dealing with with members of a group."

Stephens said, "This is the first time we've held a NAMI walk in Twin Falls. We'll have an information table set up and expect about 20 people to participate."

Information about the National Alliance of Mental Health services is available from the chapter office in Albion, 1-800-572-5940, on the Web at www.nami.org or from Carol Stephens at 208-358-1943.

John E. Swazy may be reached at 208-326-7212 or swazyje@aol.com.

Joe Gardiner Hackney (Gar)

BOISE — Joe Gardiner Hackney (Gar) a defense attorney in Boise and World Champion Triathlete, died Wednesday, May 7, with his wife, Carol, by his side. He was 59 years old and lived each day to his fullest despite a seven-year battle with prostate cancer.



Gar was a world champion age group triathlete in 1995 and 1999. He was National Champion in 1994, 1996, 1999 and 2000 and was USAT Masters Triathlete of the Year in 1998. Gar discovered his athletic talent after graduating from law school. He focused early energy on music before settling into his legal career, playing bass with various Idaho bands, including "The Disciples" and "Spud Rustet." Gar began swimming regularly in law school as a way to relieve stress and grew to love endurance exercise and competition. His first experience with triathlon was in 1983 Idaho Triathlon. He competed in his first full triathlon in 1984.

Dominga Arenivas Hernandez

RUPERT — Dominga Arenivas Hernandez, age 75, was a loving wife, mother, sister and friend. She passed away peacefully Thursday, May 15, 2008, awaiting the loving arms of her deceased husband of 80 days in Boise.



Dominga was born May 24, 1933, in Pecos, Texas, to Bernabe and Juliana Arenivas in Saragosa, Texas. She attended schools in Texas and later met her husband, Everardo Ramos, and their marriage was solemnized in the Idaho Falls Temple. She obtained work with Ore-Ida Foods, where she retired after 30 years and made many longtime friends.

Her love for cooking was evident to all who knew her and her family. She was famous to all for her beans and tortillas. She was asked by many to open a restaurant, but her example was shared to many and her family. Her family was her prized possession, and it was evident with the photos displayed in her home. Her many friends were held in the highest esteem. She will be greatly missed by her children that loved her so much, but her children know that Mom and Dad are together again smiling down upon them.

She is survived by her children, Victor (Maria Elena) Rivera of Durango, Mexico, Eloisa (Robert) Dills of Englewood, Tenn., Jose (Shannon) Hernandez of Springfield, Utah, Hilda (Charles) Wilson of Meridian, Esteban (Gloria) Hernandez of Burley, David (Julie) Hernandez of Meridian, Margarita (Daniel) Jensen of Heyburn, Yolanda (Luis) Tyrrell of Riverton, Charles (Loretta) Hernandez of Jerome; sister, Manuela Gonzales of Pecos, Texas; 45 grandchildren; and 22 great-grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her parents, Bernabe and Juliana Arenivas; husband, Everardo Ramos Hernandez; son, Everardo Hernandez Jr.; daughter-in-law, Holly Badger Hernandez; grandson, Benjamin Hernandez; a great-granddaughter, Willy Ann Jones; and her brothers, Perito Arenivas, Hilario Perez and Ismael Gonzales.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, May 19, at the Rupert LDS 7th Ward Building, 324 E. 18th St. A viewing will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 19, at the Hansen Mortuary, 710 Sixth St. in Rupert. Burial will follow at the Rupert Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to the LDS Church Perpetual Education Fund.

E. Jeanne Nutsch

E. Jeanne Nutsch died Tuesday, May 13, 2008, at her home in Jerome.



Jeanne was born to O.E. "Doc" Eisenhauer and Mildred Light Eisenhauer on April 13, 1935, in Wallace, Neb. Jeanne moved to Idaho with her family as a child and later attended the College of St. Gertrude in Cottonwood, earning her associate teaching degree in 1960. In 1963, Jeanne obtained her practical nursing license and later went to obtain her registered nursing degree from Idaho State University in Pocatello.

DEATH NOTICES

Tommy A. Carreras, 77 of Twin Falls, died Thursday, May 15, 2008, at the St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center in Twin Falls. An private family service will be held at a later date in California (Park's Magic Valley Funeral Home and Crematory of Twin Falls).

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Rita Murua - SHOSHONE — Rita Murua, 90, of Shoshone, died Friday, May 9, 2008. A rosary will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, May 31, at St. Peter's Catholic Church in Shoshone (Demary's Shoshone Chapel).

Glenn H. Wells - Glenn Harvey Wells, 83, of Twin Falls, died Thursday, May 15, 2008, at Wynwood Assisted Living in Twin Falls. Arrangements will be announced by White Mortuary in Twin Falls.

Marshall Kelly - BUHL — Marshall Kelly, 51 of Buhl, died Thursday, May 15, 2008, at Bridgeview Estates in Twin Falls. Arrangements will be announced by Park's Magic Valley Funeral Home.

Dennis E. Hansen - Dennis Eugene Hansen, 68, of Twin Falls, died Friday May 16, 2008, at his home. Arrangements will be announced by White Mortuary in Twin Falls.

John Aspirtare of Gooding, memorial graveside service at 10:30 a.m. today at the Elmwood Cemetery in Gooding (Demary Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel).

Assembly of God Church, 327 W. 27th St. in Burley (Rasmussen Funeral Home in Burley).

Nora Patricia Jones of Denton, Texas, and formerly of Twin Falls, celebration of life graveside service at 11 a.m. today at the Twin Falls Cemetery (Reynolds Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls).

Bill (William H.) Whitten Sr. of Twin Falls, memorial service at 2:30 p.m. today at Park's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls.

Scott Earl Brown of Boise and formerly of Burley, celebration of life graveside service at 11 a.m. today at the Alden-Waggoner Funeral Chapel, 5400 Fairview Ave. in Boise.

Alvin William Strand of Twin Falls, memorial service at 3 p.m. today at the First Baptist Church of Twin Falls (White Mortuary in Twin Falls).

Genevieve Gillett of Twin Falls, celebration of life at 3 p.m. today at the Twin Falls LDS 8th Ward Church, 667 Harrison St. (Reynolds Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls).

George B. Walker of Burley, memorial service at 2 p.m. today at the Christian Center

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California wine patriarch Robert Mondavi dies at 94

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP) — Robert Mondavi, the vintner who built his career and helped an iconic Northern California industry blossom by being the first to market California wines that could compete with the best in the world, died in the valley Friday. He was 94. Mondavi died peacefully at his home in Yountville, Robert Mondavi Winery spokesman Mia Malins said. "It is hard to imagine anyone having more of a lasting impact on California's \$20 billion-a-year wine industry than Robert Mondavi," Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger said in a statement. Mondavi said his governor was "a tireless entrepreneur who transformed how the world felt about California wine, and an unforgettable personality to anyone who knew him."

He introduced blind tastings in Napa Valley, putting his wines up against French vintages, a bold move. French vintages were held from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesday in the preschool room. Kindergarten screening will be held from noon to 2 p.m. Tuesday, May 27 and from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday, May 28 in the kindergarten rooms. For kindergarten registration parents need to bring the child's certified birth certificate and immunization records. Children must be 5 years old by Sept. 1. Screenings are done by appointment. For more information or to make an appointment: 536-6611.

Wendell offers child screenings

WENDELL — Wendell Elementary announced two upcoming screenings. Preschool Screening will be held from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesday in the preschool room. Kindergarten screening will be held from noon to 2 p.m. Tuesday, May 27 and from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday, May 28 in the

Magic Valley Christian honor roll

JEROME — Magic Valley Christian School's third quarter honor roll. 4.0 Zachary Keough, Jordan Jarvis, Kayla DeWorff. 3.5 Hyun-Jun Baik, Kiersten Hill, Gregory

Joseff, Trentan Lessly, Cole Reeder, Kayleigh Ratsena, Daniela Ringler, Luke Visser. 3.0 Aron Blisshoff, Cassie Blisshoff, Se-Youn Kwak, Natasha Norn, Zachary Rincard, Jake Robinson, Zachary VanEch.

Castelford High School honor roll

CASTLEFORD — Castelford High School's third quarter honor roll. 4.0 to 3.5 Seniors Miranda Bernier, Nathan Gryoboff, Michelle Hill, Zachary Hine, Rachel Rodgers. Juniors Amanda Elstner, Julie Kaminski, Elizabeth Lopez, Gabrielle Machado, Jenna Vagamon, Rikki Williams. Sophomores Courtney Alred, Shandra Bell, Kanylin Deviles, Nicolas Hopwood, Allison Rodgers, Chase Routt, Jessica Schindler, Tyler Waighall, Traci Wiesna, Callie Wiggins, Michael Wiseman, David Zarillo.

Freshmen Tyler Hansen, Dalstah Hoogland, Clayton Kille, Adam Machado, John Reinhold, Kale Weekes. 3.49 to 3.0 Seniors Tim Frey, Kody Irving, Joe Lobo, Gabriella Medina, Desiree Pasquale, Scott Perkins, Austin Puschel. Juniors Clayton Bishop, Michael Bowen, Calvin Kennison. Sophomores Storm Brito, Katie Eastman, Justin Martinez. Freshmen Brook Bishop, Ashlyn Cartledge, Devin Johnson, Dylan Kinyon, Rita Zimmerman.

VOLUNTEER HONORED



Rosetta Ananda Freyer was honored as a volunteer for National Volunteer Week. Freyer has been a senior companion at Rosetta for six months on a daily basis. She provides socialization for the residents, as well as companionship and friendship to everyone. From left are Margy Rasmussen, Rosetta assistant manager; Ananda Freyer and Margie Wright, Rosetta manager.

Laggis

Continued from page B1 Laggis has been a prosecutor in the 6th District since 1993. It's his greatest challenge to discover how to continue rehabilitating families, but not as a champion of the state, he said. In another sense, his greatest challenge will be filling the shoes of Beebe, who has for a long time taken an active role in American Falls, where the judge holds his chambers. "Beebe's a figurehead in the community," Laggis said. After taking three stabs at various magistrate's posi-

tions, Laggis might have guessed he would succeed this time around when, for the first time, a magistrate's commission that interviewed him drilled the candidate on tough questions. Previous commissions had mainly lobbed softball questions, he said. But this time, he took two harsh anonymous criticisms including an accusation that he presented a friend as a sign that his candidacy was being taken seriously. "If every decision you make makes everyone happy you're probably flying whichever way the wind blows," he said.

Advertisement for Century Stadium 5 & Burley Theatre in Burley, featuring various shows like Narnia, Iron Man, and Speed Racer.

5TH DISTRICT COURT NEWS

Twin Falls city

DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE SENTENCING

Tyjon Lee, 25, Twin Falls; one court driving under the influence; \$800 fine, 30 days jail, 18 suspended; 12 months probation...

alcohol to minor; withheld judgment granted; \$500 fine, \$300 suspended; \$75.00 costs; 90 days jail, 10 suspended; 12 months probation...

pended; \$90.50 costs; 90 days jail, 18 suspended; two days work detail; driving privileges suspended 180 days; 12 months probation...

fine with \$100 restitution; \$97.50 costs; \$500 public defender fee; shall not possess or consume any alcoholic beverages...

Plaintiff's seeking reimbursement for injuries sustained by Britany Long in a vehicle accident...

proven at trial; attorney's fees and costs. Plaintiff seeking reimbursement for injuries sustained in a vehicle accident...

DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE SENTENCING

Kevin L. Eiss, 23, Twin Falls; driving under the influence; \$800 fine, \$400 suspended; \$90.50 costs; 90 days jail, 18 suspended...

MISDEMEANOR DISMISSALS

Skylar L. Hills, 19, Kimberly; carry concealed weapon; found innocent.

Twin Falls County

DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE SENTENCING

Byron D. Zamalloa, 20, Twin Falls; driving under the influence, second offense; \$1,000 fine, \$500 suspended; \$90.50 costs; 90 days jail, 18 suspended...

MISDEMEANOR DISMISSALS

Glenn C. Ode, 41, Buhl; driving under the influence; \$800 fine, \$400 suspended; \$90.50 costs; 90 days jail, 18 suspended...

FELONY SENTENCING

Freddie Hernandez, 21, Hazelton; one court robbery; 15 years probation, five years determinate, 10 years indeterminate...

MISDEMEANOR DISMISSALS

Edward G. Gonzalez, 34, Twin Falls; attempted kidnapping; amended to petty; \$500 fine, \$500 suspended; \$75.00 costs; 90 days jail, 18 suspended...

MISDEMEANOR DISMISSALS

Leonard Reisinger Jr., 33, Jerome; failure to purchase insurance; \$100 fine, \$400 suspended; \$75.00 costs; 90 days jail, 18 suspended...

MISDEMEANOR DISMISSALS

Donald L. McClain, 44, Buhl; open container; \$100 fine, \$75.00 costs.

MISDEMEANOR DISMISSALS

Collette D. Rulmer, 30, Twin Falls; dispensing alcohol to a minor; \$100 fine, \$300 suspended; \$75.00 costs; 10 days jail, 10 suspended; 12 months probation...

MISDEMEANOR DISMISSALS

Kyle S. Stone, 30, Buhl; open container; \$100 fine, \$300 suspended; \$75.00 costs; 10 days jail, 10 suspended; 12 months probation...

MISDEMEANOR DISMISSALS

Kevin J. Pille, 19, Hansen; grand theft; amended to petty theft; withheld judgment granted; \$500 fine, \$300 suspended; \$75.00 costs; 90 days jail, 10 suspended...

MISDEMEANOR DISMISSALS

Steven F. Muegler, 32, Twin Falls; aggravated battery; amended to battery; \$500 fine, \$300 suspended; \$75.00 costs; 90 days jail, 18 suspended...

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John E. Rearend, 29, Emmett; frequenting a place where a controlled substance is used; \$300 fine, \$100 suspended; \$85.50 costs; 90 days jail, 18 suspended...

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Stephanie A. Poulgour, 20, Buhl; driving without privileges; \$500 fine, \$400 suspended; \$90.50 costs; 90 days jail, 18 suspended...

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Robert J. Artzbaum, 24, Buhl; driving without privileges; \$600 fine, \$300 suspended; \$90.50 costs; 90 days jail, 18 suspended...

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ATF drops Always Think Forfeiture' slogan

BOISE (AP) — The federal Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives is dumping the "Always Think Forfeiture" motto it's used for more than a decade to help combat crime.
That's after U.S. Rep. Bill Sali, R-Idaho, complained that multipurpose tools engraved with the slogan could be seen as encouragement to seize property, including guns, of law-abiding citizens.

The pocket tools were to be given to federal, state and local law-enforcement agents participating in its asset forfeiture training programs, as a reminder of one way to disrupt or dismantle criminal organizations.
None of the engraved tools, stored in the agency's headquarters in Washington, D.C., have so far been distributed. And now they won't be, at least until the engravings have been removed.

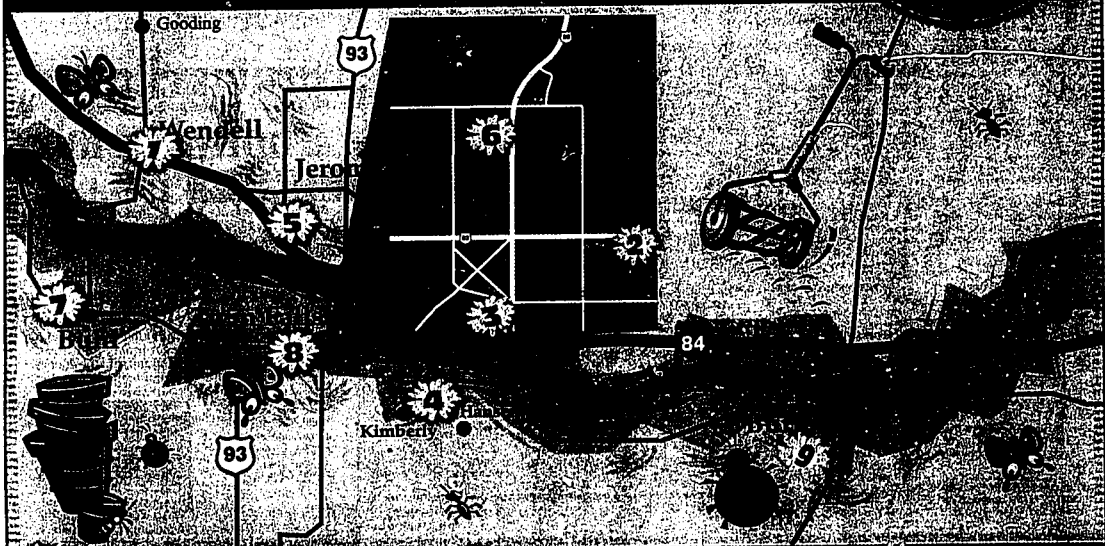
The agency will no longer use the slogan on materials given out during its training programs, said Robert Browning, chief of ATF public affairs in Washington, D.C., adding it was never intended to undermine lawful gun rights.
Sali had said the ATF "through its engraved motto, sends a message that these rights are secondary to the government's apparent goal to 'always' seek forfeit of private property."

The U.S. Department of Justice principal law-enforcement arm has recently been in the crosshairs of Idaho's gun-rights lawmakers. U.S. Sens. Larry Craig and Mike Crapo placed separate holds on President Bush's 2007 nomination of federal prosecutor Michael Sullivan to lead the agency, saying the ATF was being too tough with gun dealers, including Red's Trading Post in Twin Falls, which was stripped of its license.

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Minico comes up shy in 4A state semis

By Zach Kyle
Staff writer

NAMPA — The Minico Spartans ran out of magic in the Class 4A state baseball tournament, losing 4-2 to Skyview Friday night.

Minico entered the tournament with a state-best 25-2 record and slipped by Mountain Home 5-4 in the state opener with late-game heroics.

Now, Minico will face Great Basin West rival Wood River at 1 p.m. today at Nampa's Rodeo Park for third place.

Minico coach Ben Frank chalked the loss up to the Spartans' inability to bring around base runners and to

several critical defensive lapses. "It came down to situational hitting," Frank said.

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Twin Falls baseball reaches 5A consolation final; Buhl alive in 3A page C2

Senior pitcher Cody Winnmill didn't have his best start, but prevented Skyview from opening up the game with a big inning. He walked three in

the third, and Skyview scored a run on an error, but he ended the inning with a strikeout.

Again in the fourth, Minico opened the door to disaster by committing two errors and leading the bases with a walk. But again, Winnmill got out of the inning with a strikeout, allowing only one run. Winnmill finished with seven strikeouts and four walks.

"Cody gave us a chance, and that's all you can ask of a starter," Frank said. "He held them to four runs. As a team, we're averaging seven, eight runs, and we scored two. He did his job. "Offensively, we just didn't get it done."

Minico scored two runs in the third on an RBI single from Dane Broadhead and an RBI sacrifice fly from R.J. Salvi. That was all the runs the Spartans could muster, though their seven hits equaled Skyview's total.

"You can't fault the kids. They did everything we as coaches can ask them to do," Frank said. "And not to take anything away from Skyview, but I feel it was just one of those times when the better team didn't win. That's the way sports go sometimes."

Minico now must shake off the disappointing loss and face Wood

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Staff photo by ZACH KYLE
Minico's Cody Winnmill pitches against Skyview Friday night in Nampa.



Staff photo by ERIC LARSEN
College of Southern Idaho players celebrate after Anna Sorrell, not pictured, hit a home run in the bottom of the eighth inning to break a 1-1 tie during the 2008 NCAA Division I National Championships at the Randy L. Larson Softball Four-Plex in Plant City, Fla. on Friday. They defeated Tallahassee 2-1.

FROM OUT OF NOTHING

CSI softball earns Top 8 finish

By Eric Larsen
Staff writer

PLANT CITY, Fla. — It took a trip to the hospital to separate College of Southern Idaho softball teammates Rachel Evans and Katelynn Warren on the final day of the Golden Eagles' 2008 season. Even that separation didn't last long.

Nearly two hours after Santa Fe Community College's 12-1 victory knocked CSI out of the NCAAF, Division I National Championships in Plant City Fla., Evans and Warren, CSI's regular double-play duo, embraced in the foyer of Buddy

Freddy's Southern Buffet, of all places. Evans, sunburned, eyes reddened, her left arm in a sling, and Warren, still in her dirty Golden Eagles jersey, shared in the end of what has been a pioneering two-year span for a group of 12 graduating sophomores.

On the same day Evans broke three of the metacarpal bones in her left hand on a collision with Santa Fe (Fla.) base runner Mallory Borden, the Golden Eagles broke into the NCAA's elite, finishing tied for seventh place with a 2-2 record at the national tournament.

After springing up from an idea formed three years ago, the second-year Golden Eagles finished their season with a 47-22 record, while a sophomore group that started with nothing but each other earned 85 wins and gained much more than they lost in their two-year careers.

"I think that I'll remember that I've made some of my closest friends here," Warren said of what she'll recall of her CSI career. "Some of my best friends I know that I'll have forever. I've made these two years."

"I'll remember great plays, me and Rach turning double plays down the middle, and Rach becoming one of my

best friends." Friday was about more than the outcome of two games, though Anna Sorrell's eighth inning walk-off solo home run that topped Tallahassee (Fla.) Community College 2-1 in CSI's opener, provided one of the season's best highlights. More so, it was a bittersweet celebration of how far this program has come since it started its inaugural season with a 6-14 record in its first month of play.

"It's come a long way," Sorrell said. "It's going to keep going up and people are going to realize that we're a force to be reckoned with. It's CSI. We're one of the best, just like every

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Bruins clinch trophy but fall against Eagle

By David Bashore
Staff writer

IDAHO FALLS — The Twin Falls softball teams seem to love living on the edge. But doing so can be costly.

After the Bruins advanced in the championship bracket with a 3-1, eight-inning win over Timberline, Eagle came calling and shut the door in the final, 7-0, to send the Bruins to the consolation final. There they'll meet Timberline again for the right to face Eagle in the championship round.

Twin Falls pitching sensation Amber Petersen said earlier in the year that the Mustangs were probably the team to beat in Class 5A. And that was proven accurate on Friday. Although the score was one-sided, it was largely down to the matter of a pitching mistake here, a

throwing error there, all mixed it with regularly appearing undisciplined plate approaches. "We just weren't focused and ready to go right off the bat. We gave them three runs in the first inning and you can't give (Eagle pitcher Joni Cook) three runs. You have to make them earn everything." Twin Falls coach Ken Johnson said. "Other innings we did everything we needed to do, but you have to play flawless defense and have good approaches at the plate."

The Bruins (27-2) yielded three runs in the first inning on a hit batter, an error, a wild pitch and two base hits that could have been tracked down even if the catches would have fringed upon spectacular status.

At the plate, meanwhile, they simply couldn't get anything going against the Bruins, ensuring that Petersen is regarded as one of the finest pitchers the Gem State has to offer.

"I think it would have been a different game if we had all come to play," Petersen said. "I didn't pitch my best and there were plays that we should have made, and I think that lowered the morale a little."

That morale was boosted by the Bruins ensuring they would do no worse than third place after the once more flirited with the lottery that is extrajunior softball and held firm to beat Timberline in the earlier session.

Both teams scored once in the third inning, but the deciding moment came in the top of the eighth when Petersen laid down a picture-perfect sacrifice

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CLASS 5A STATE GOLF CHAMPIONSHIPS

Hamblin, Bruin boys hold narrow lead after Day 1

By Mike Christensen
Staff writer

The Twin Falls boys are in the lead.

Barely. The Bruins shot a Day 1 team score of 278 to hold a one-stroke lead over Eagle at the Class 5A state golf championship Friday at Twin Falls Municipal Golf Course. Coeur d'Alene (280) and Centennial (283) are also right on the Bruins' heels, setting up a thrilling final day of competition.

"It'll be close," said Twin Falls golfer Derek McDowell, who opened with a 69 on Friday. "There's some good schools out here."

The Bruins are swinging for their second-straight 5A golf title, and third state crown in four seasons. Jordan Hamblin's 66 earned him a tie for second with Centennial's Jacob Ready in the medalist race. Quinn Carbol of

Highland leads the field after carding a 64.

The lone Bruin senior, David Seppi, struggled to a 74, but Casey Faught came through with a 69 as he and McDowell finished tied for eighth.

Hamblin said he had "one mental mistake," resulting in a three put on No. 15. "Other than that, I had a solid round," he said.

McDowell overcame a bad start, rebounding with birdies on Nos. 9, 11 and 13 after being 3-over through eight holes. As for Seppi, a double bogey on No. 8 and bogeys on Nos. 10 and 11 made for a rocky day.

"After that, it was just hard to get back to even," said Seppi. "It just wasn't going my way today."

With the slimmest of leads, the Bruins now what they need to do to repeat.

"We need to play better tomorrow as a team," said Hamblin.

Boys action begins at 10:30 a.m. with the final group going off at 12:30 p.m.

T.F. girls in control

The Twin Falls girls hold a 15-stroke advantage after Day 1 of the Class 5A state championships.

With Hannah McNeley, Sara Federico and Allison Federico all finishing among the top five, the Bruins carded a team score of 315. Caldwell is second with a 330 and Highland third with a 338.

McNeley's 76 was bettered only by a 74 from Caldwell's Tish Gibbens. Sara Federico is fourth after firing a 77 and Allison Federico is tied for fifth following a 78. Arzka Jones shot an 84 for

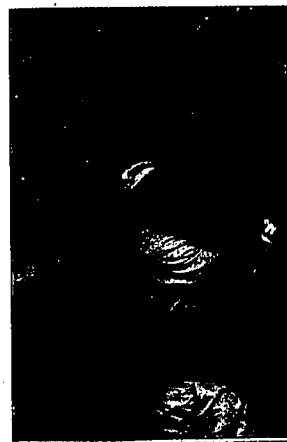
Twin Falls, while Jenna Sharp had a 94.

The Bruin girls can clinch their second straight state golf title today. Today's first groups tee off at 7:50 a.m. with the final group, including McNeley, taking the course at 10:20 a.m.

Class 5A state golf championship Thursday results

At Twin Falls Municipal Golf Course
Boys
Team scores: 1. Twin Falls 278, 2. Eagle 279, 3. Coeur d'Alene 280, 4. Centennial 283, 5. Caldwell 290, 6. Lindaville 297, 7. Mountain View, 8. Madison 298.
9. Quinn Canyon, Highland, SAC, (10) Jordan Hamblin, Twin Falls, and Jacob Ready, Centennial, 11. Centennial, 12. Johnson, Coeur d'Alene, and James Olson, Coeur d'Alene, 13. Centennial, 14. Centennial, 15. Centennial, 16. Centennial, 17. Centennial, 18. Centennial, 19. Centennial, 20. Centennial, 21. Centennial, 22. Centennial, 23. Centennial, 24. Centennial, 25. Centennial, 26. Centennial, 27. Centennial, 28. Centennial, 29. Centennial, 30. Centennial, 31. Centennial, 32. Centennial, 33. Centennial, 34. Centennial, 35. Centennial, 36. Centennial, 37. Centennial, 38. Centennial, 39. Centennial, 40. Centennial, 41. Centennial, 42. Centennial, 43. Centennial, 44. Centennial, 45. Centennial, 46. Centennial, 47. Centennial, 48. Centennial, 49. Centennial, 50. Centennial, 51. Centennial, 52. Centennial, 53. Centennial, 54. Centennial, 55. Centennial, 56. Centennial, 57. Centennial, 58. Centennial, 59. Centennial, 60. Centennial, 61. Centennial, 62. Centennial, 63. Centennial, 64. Centennial, 65. Centennial, 66. Centennial, 67. Centennial, 68. Centennial, 69. Centennial, 70. Centennial, 71. Centennial, 72. Centennial, 73. Centennial, 74. Centennial, 75. Centennial, 76. Centennial, 77. Centennial, 78. Centennial, 79. Centennial, 80. Centennial, 81. Centennial, 82. Centennial, 83. Centennial, 84. Centennial, 85. Centennial, 86. Centennial, 87. Centennial, 88. Centennial, 89. Centennial, 90. Centennial, 91. Centennial, 92. Centennial, 93. Centennial, 94. Centennial, 95. Centennial, 96. Centennial, 97. Centennial, 98. Centennial, 99. Centennial, 100. Centennial.

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Staff photo by MIKE CHRISTENSEN
Twin Falls' Jordan Hamblin keeps his eye on the ball after teeing off Friday morning during the Boys 5A State Golf Championship at the Twin Falls Municipal Golf Course.



Buhl reaches 3A title game, Kimberley still in mix



Kimberley senior Kassie Newberry smiles as she rounds the bases after her two-run home run against Payette Friday in Coeur d'Alene. The Bulldogs won three games stay alive at the tournament.

Staff report

With a 5-0 win over Marsh Valley and an 8-5 triumph over Homedale, the Buhl Indians reached today's Class 3A state softball championship game in Coeur d'Alene.

Their potential opponent? District IV rival Kimberley. "I look forward to it," said Buhl coach Shelly Hart of the possible title. The Bulldogs rebounded from a first-round loss to Marsh Valley on Thursday by winning three consecutive games Friday. Kimberley will face Homedale at 10 a.m. today with the winner facing Buhl for the title.

Kimberley opened the day with an 11-0 pasting of Payette in six innings. Kassie Newberry's two-run homer highlighted the Bulldogs' 11 hits, three of which were doubles.

After striking out five against Payette, freshman hurler Nellie Makings took over in a 2-0, eight-inning win over Teton. Makings finished 16 batters and gave up one hit.

"She was pretty dominant," said Kimberley coach Rich Bishop. Kimberley ended the scoreless tie with two runs in the eighth to stay alive. The Bulldogs had a heyday at the plate in their final game, blasting 15 hits, including four

triples in an 8-0 win over Timberlake. Christina Silva's RBI triple helped key the onslaught and put Kimberley one step closer to repeating as 3A champs. Makings struck out nine to limit Timberlake.

Buhl needs only a win at noon to claim the title, while Kimberley would have to win three games today to take home the crown.

"I'm extremely proud of the way the girls are playing," said Hart. "They're actually maturing before my eyes." Uliashop said his team will decide how far this thing goes. "For us, it's how we come and the hit the ball," he said. Details on Buhl's wins were unavailable at press time.

Class 3A state tournament
Kimberley 11, Payette 0, six innings
Teton 8, Marsh Valley 0, 10 a.m.
Payette 11, Buhl 0, 10 a.m.
Nellie Makings and Avery Schroeder. Blackwell and Christina Silva - 2B; Kimberley, Kassie Newberry, Whitney Carlson, Nellie Makings, Kacie Presnell, Kacie Presnell, Kacie Presnell.

Kimberley 2, Teton 0, eight innings
Teton 8, Marsh Valley 0, 10 a.m.
Teton 8, Marsh Valley 0, 10 a.m.
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Teton 8, Marsh Valley 0, 10 a.m.

Kimberley 8, Timberlake 3
Timberlake 0, 10 a.m.
Timberlake 0, 10 a.m.
Timberlake 0, 10 a.m.
Timberlake 0, 10 a.m.

Buhl 6, Marsh Valley 0
Marsh Valley 0, 10 a.m.
Marsh Valley 0, 10 a.m.
Marsh Valley 0, 10 a.m.
Marsh Valley 0, 10 a.m.

Buhl 8, Homedale 5
Homedale 5, 10 a.m.
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2008 Idaho State Softball Championships

Class 5A
At Idaho Falls
Friday, May 16
Game 5: Skyline 3, Mountain View 1
Game 6: Lewiston 10, Centennial 8
Game 7: Eagle 2, Coeur d'Alene 1
Game 8: Twin Falls 3, Timberline 1, eight innings
Game 9: Timberline 7, Skyline 1
Game 10: Lewiston 5, Coeur d'Alene 3
Game 11: Eagle 7, Twin Falls 0
Game 12: Timberline 8, Lewiston 5

Saturday, May 17
Game 13: Timberline vs. Twin Falls, 10 a.m.
Game 14: Championship, Eagle vs. Winner 13, noon
Game 15: Second championship, if necessary, 2 p.m.

Class 4A
At Twin Falls
Friday, May 16
Game 5: Burley 7, Wood River 4
Game 6: Emmett 5, Blackfoot 2
Game 7: Mountain Home 1, Lakeland 0
Game 8: Kuna 3, Pocatello 2
Game 9: Pocatello 7, Burley 3
Game 10: Lakeland 12, Emmett 10
Game 11: Kuna 1, Mountain Home 0
Game 12: Pocatello vs. Lakeland
Saturday, May 17
Game 13: Winner 12 vs. Mountain Home, 10 a.m.
Game 14: Championship, Kuna vs. Winner 13, noon
Game 15: Second championship, if necessary, 2 p.m.

Class 3A
At Coeur d'Alene
Friday, May 16
Game 5: Timberlake 6, Bear Lake 0
Game 6: Kimberley 11, Payette 0
Game 7: Homedale 11, Teton 0
Game 8: Buhl 5, Marsh Valley 0
Game 9: Timberlake 11, Marsh Valley 2
Game 10: Kimberley 2, Teton 0
Game 11: Buhl 8, Homedale 5
Game 12: Kimberley 3, Timberlake 3
Saturday, May 17
Game 13: Kimberley vs. Homedale, 10 a.m.
Game 14: Championship, Buhl vs. Winner 13, noon
Game 15: Second championship, if necessary, 2 p.m.

Class 2A
At Pocatello
Friday, May 16
Game 5: Orofino 10, Glenn Ferry 9
Game 6: Grandville 11, Mada 4
Game 7: West Jefferson 5, Soda Springs 3
Game 8: Melba 10, New Plymouth 2
Game 9: New Plymouth 13, Orofino 0
Game 10: Malad 11, Grandville 4
Game 11: Melba 18, West Jefferson 0
Game 12: New Plymouth 12, Soda Springs 7
Saturday, May 17
Game 13: West Jefferson vs. West Jefferson, 10 a.m.
Game 14: Championship, Melba vs. Winner 13, noon
Game 15: Second championship, if necessary, 2 p.m.

2008 Friday State Tennis Championships
Day 2 made of District IV athletes
Class 5A
Boys
Championship first round: A. New/C. Stephen, Eagle, def. H. Hartley/J. Larson, Twin Falls; B. C. Jackson/D. Jackson, Madras; C. Jackson/D. Jackson, Madras; D. Jackson/D. Jackson, Madras.
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CLASS 4A SOFTBALL ROUNDUP Bobcats and Wolverines eliminated

By Diane Phibbin
Staff report

District IV's representation at the Class 4A state softball tournament came to a close Friday afternoon in Twin Falls. Burley eliminated district foe Wood River 7-4 Friday morning, but Pocatello ended Burley's season with a 7-3 win over the Bobcats.

POCATELLO 7, BURLEY 3
Molly Mills recorded nine strikeouts and the Bobcats matched the Indians with six hits, but the Burley defense committed eight errors. Six of those Burley miscues came in the fourth inning when Pocatello scored six runs on only two hits. Four of those runs crossed the plate with two outs on the board.

"You can't play six innings and give up one," said Burley coach Tim Campbell. "You have to play seven. This is just such an awesome group and I am just so proud of them. Everyone counted us out and we battled to get here."

Tyannae Searle led the Bobcats with an RBI triple. "We did our best," said senior coach Dan Martin. "I was pleased with their effort as one of the leaders on offense with two doubles, going 2-for-3 at the plate. Searle went 3-for-4 with two doubles and three RBIs and Robins was 1-for-3 with two RBIs.

BURLEY 7, WOOD RIVER 4
Burley jumped out a 4-0 lead on the way to ending Wood River's season. "The girls put the bat on the ball and played through some errors," said Campbell of the Mills. "On the mound, Mills had five strikeouts and two wins was one of the leaders on offense with two doubles, going 2-for-3 at the plate. Searle went 3-for-4 with two doubles and three RBIs and Robins was 1-for-3 with two RBIs.

For Wood River, Samantha Engel struck out seven and issued five walks. She was also 1-for-3 at the plate with a double and an RBI.



Wood River's Dani Stone, right, is consoled as she shows her disappointment after losing to Burley Friday morning during the Class 4A state softball championships in Twin Falls.

Burley's Clintia Rios smiles after the Bobcats beat Wood River. Photos by MICHAEL THOMPSON

Wood River twins girls doubles team eliminated Twin Falls girls doubles team eliminated

Staff report

Many tennis players from District IV will compete in the championship bracket today, but the Pike boys have had their berth already set for this afternoon.

Morgan and Scott Pike of Wood River will challenge a team from Skyview for the Class 4A boys doubles state championship. Wood River's Anna Chryskopoulos can also compete for some hardware if she can advance past Hillcrest's Brooke Suller in the girls singles semifinals.

Also, two players from The Community School, Travis Stone and Courtney Hamilton, compete in the Class 3A boys and girls semis, respectively.

The Community School's Eshman girls, Erica and Emily, and teammates Jessie Curran and Marlin Shepardson will compete for doubles titles in girls and mixed, respectively. In 5A competition, Twin Falls girls doubles team of Emily LaPatra and Sarah Hawkins were eliminated with a pair of Friday losses.

Wood River's Dani Stone, right, is consoled as she shows her disappointment after losing to Burley Friday morning during the Class 4A state softball championships in Twin Falls.

Burley's Clintia Rios smiles after the Bobcats beat Wood River. Photos by MICHAEL THOMPSON

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Pilots drop close one to Orofino

By Mark Uptak
Correspondent

POCATELLO — Sometimes that final out, which seems so close, is actually miles away. Glenns Ferry dropped that out the hard way, dropping a gut wrenching 10-9 game Friday morning to Orofino at the 2A state softball tournament in Pocatello.

The loss eliminated the 15-12 Pilots and ended their season. Glenns Ferry was one out away from winning and staying alive in the tournament, but the Maniacs used three straight hits to score the tying and winning runs at the bottom of the seventh inning.

The key game came with the Maniacs Kacie Presnell at the plate with the tying run at third and two outs. She had already blasted four hits off Glenns Ferry's Jackson Perry during the game, which left head coach Kelli McFone having to decide whether to pitch around Presnell and set up a force play or let Perry go after her. McFone went with the latter and Presnell ripped the game-tying single. Shantae Skinner dropped the game winner over the outstretched hands of shortstop Ashley Gramkow to end it.

It was a difficult choice for McFone based in part by the rules and the venue. "I would have considered whether (Presnell) and they walked the rules to where now you have to pitch to everyone and I just didn't want to put that type of pressure on Perry by having her try to pitch but throwing everything off the plate. Plus the backdrop here is farther away from the plate than we are used to. Anything could happen, a passed ball or a wild pitch. I had confidence in my girls that we could get the out and go to extra innings."

Orofino (17-7) did everything humanly possible to give the Pilots the game, making an incredible 11 errors. You still were able to come from behind to win. Glenns Ferry appeared to have the game in hand when it scored five runs in the fifth inning but led 8-4. But Orofino kept chipping away and finally put itself in position to win. It thanks to that three-run seventh, fueled by five hits and a wild pitch.

But the Pilots can hold their heads high after reaching the state for the first time in eight seasons. "We've come a long way from the start of this season," said McFone. "We lost some talented seniors from last year when we finished third, but I'm proud of the way the girls played. They wanted to come to state and they did. And the experience, especially for some of our younger players makes a big difference."

Gramkow, who hopes to play for the College of Southern Idaho next year, had two hits and three RBIs on the day to go along with several eye popping plays in the field, including going deep in the hole at short and throwing out an Orofino batter at first.

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Olympic gold medalist Montgomery gets 46 months for check fraud

WHITE PLAINS, N.Y. (AP) — Olympic gold medalist Tim Montgomery was sentenced to 46 months in prison...

In its final season. Boston manager Terry Francona will guide the AL team and Colorado manager Clint Hurdle will lead the NL side.

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Latham poised for RMCS win

By Linda Brittan
Correspondent

TWIN FALLS — Currently fifth in the standings entering tonight's Falls Brand 100 at Magic Valley Speedway, Rocky Mountain Challenge Series driver Bobby Latham III has plenty of reasons to believe he can move up in the rankings.

"We have a lot of laps around this track and we seem to have this place figured out pretty well," Latham said.

Although a virtual newcomer to the RMCS, Latham holds the record for the most wins at Magic Valley Speedway in the division. On the other hand, in the first event of this season April 19 at MVS the outcome was less than favorable for the 22-year-old driver as he had to exit the track late in the event with a left-front tire down.

Wins are what people notice, but with an award system in the series that rewards efforts in qualifying and heat races, there's a number of ways to move up in the points game. "I'd like to get my first pole this year or maybe a couple. But I've never been a really good qualifier. I like racing better," Latham admits. "We set the car up for a good long run. And in Midgets, you always have another 10th hidden there somewhere no matter how fast John (Newhouse) and I go."

Latham feels his strong suit is the hurry-up-and-wait game.

"There is one word to describe me. I think it's patience. That's what you gotta have," he said. "There have been several times when I've come up on a car on the track and I can see he's having problems and I'll kind of hang back and maybe let another car go around me. Then they'll wreck and I'll be out front again. So I think patience is definitely my best quality



The Rocky Mountain Challenge Series will make its second appearance of the season tonight at Magic Valley Speedway.

MVS Point Standings

RMCS: 1. Dave Minger 316, 2. Tom Hill 290, 3. (tie) Craig Bell and John Newhouse 280, 5. Bobby Latham III 271. Intermountain Pro Trucks: 1. Kenny Vanderham 134, 2. Lou Anderson 125, 3. (tie) Jerry Rice and Beau Newhouse 122, 5. Johnny Pierre 120. Pepsi Premier: 1. Rob Vest 452, 2. Shelby Stroebel 418, 3. Mike Greco 417, 4. Stevie Fisher 397, 5. Rick Fowble 372. Budweiser Super Stocks: 1. Jonathan Gomez 347, 2. Norm Holke 335, 3. Kris McKean 329, 4. John Hoogendoorn 306, 5. Willie Dalton 250. NAPA Pony Stocks: 1. Josh Plitz 365, 2. Brent Abbott 326, 3. Randy Grubbs 298, 4. Wade Hensley 290, 5. Jason Abbott 285. Jr. Stingers, Lane Albright 125, 2. Steve Edens Jr. 110, 3. Anthony Meyer 103, 4. Ashley Smith 96.

Tonight at Magic Valley Speedway

Rocky Mountain Challenge Series drivers John Newhouse, Steve Jones, Dan Koyle, Travis Monett, Woodhall and Latham will be in action at their hometown track as they battle for points in the Falls Brand 100.

In addition, the Budweiser Super Stocks, NAPA Auto Parts Pony Stocks and Junior Stinger drivers will also be in the hunt to improve their position in the standings.

Intermountain Pro Trucks 2007 series champion Kenny Vanderham leads the pack after two races. But a good night by competitors Lou Anderson, Jerry Rice, Beau Newhouse or Johnny Pierre, who are directly behind him in the standings, could change that picture.

Gates open at 4 p.m., with green flag racing beginning at 7.

out on the race track."

The young driver also is very confident on his chances for a championship this season.

"I figure I'll win the rest of the races here in Twin and hopefully one or two at Rocky Mountain, and I plan on winning the one at State Line too," Latham said.

"Last year was a stellar year coming in second. But I'd like to win a championship this year. A lot of people have stepped up

their program though so it's going to be tough."

Pepsi Premier driver T.J. Woodhall will be making his RMCS debut tonight in the No.99 late-model car. With a bigger engine, a set of new tires and a repaired car from last weekend's damage, he's ready to race.

"I'm really looking forward to it," Woodhall said. "I know I can drive with these guys. I'm not necessarily looking to win but I feel we should run about mid-pack."

Busch brothers put feud behind them

CONCORD, N.C. (AP) — Kyle Busch wouldn't an inch, and big brother wouldn't give it to him.

The result? Two cars in the wall and a family feud that lasted the rest of the year.

That wreck in the final segment of last year's All-Star race nearly destroyed the relationship between Kurt and Kyle Busch. They hardly spoke to each other for almost seven months.

They put aside their differences at a Christmas gathering that started with an edge but ended with the brothers tearing to win the championship round of "Pledgema". "Grandma asked for a Christmas present that we both get along and go to Christmas dinner together," Kyle Busch said Friday. "So that was her present."

The Busch brothers are back at the scene of the accident this weekend, and at very different stages of their careers. As they head into Saturday night's \$1 million showdown, Kurt Busch has slipped off the radar while his little brother has rocketed to NASCAR stardom.

Kyle has eight wins this season spanning NASCAR's top three series and leads the Sprint Cup Series standings. Kurt has just one top-10 finish this season and is 22nd in the points.

But if the 2004 series champion is jealous of the kid he calls "The Shrub," Kurt isn't letting on.

"I'm very happy for his success," Kurt said. "Sometimes you get on a roll and you are on it, and I encourage him to keep riding this wave because Mark Martin always says, 'You've got to take the highs with the lows and draw a straight line.'"

The low for the brothers came in this race last year, as they jockeyed for position in the final 20-lap sprint. With no points and a monster payday on the line, both were running hard for the checkered flag.



Their version of what happened is similar: Kurt was passing Jeff Burton on the inside when Kyle darted below him to make it three-wide.

Once they cleared Burton, Kyle thinks Kurt should have moved back up the track to give him space to slide through the corner. Kurt readily admits he didn't.

"Instead of moving up to give him that lane, I'm like 'If you want that low lane into the straightaway, you can have the low lane on entry,'" Kurt said. "So I went in in the normal spot instead of giving him plenty of room. That was an aggressive move (by Kyle), so that was an aggressive reaction on my part."

And that's where things get sticky. Somebody is to blame for the wreck, and neither brother is willing to accept responsibility.

Andretti watching weather at Indy

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — John Andretti has been around the Indianapolis Motor Speedway long enough to know that the weather can foul you.

After scrambling the previous day, along with everyone else, to get track time in gloomy, cold and windy conditions, Friday's sunshine and warmer temperatures weren't going to con Andretti, who will try Saturday to qualify for his ninth Indianapolis 500 start dating to 1988.

"The weather obviously is nice today, compared with what we've been fighting," said Andretti, who came up with a last-minute Indy ride from owner-driver Marty Roth last weekend. "It's not going to be like that tomorrow."

"I think we're going to get a couple of little changes in (today), do some different things. But we also know that tomorrow is going to be a big, different day and we don't want to get so far down one way and trick ourselves into thinking that we've done something good when the track is just giving us more today than it will tomorrow. So this place is hard because you can run yourself in circles. We're going to try not to do that today."

Andretti, nephew of 1969 Indy winner Mario Andretti, is one of more than two dozen drivers hoping to grab one of the remaining 22 spots in the 33-car lineup for the May 25 race. He looked like a lock to get it done after turning a fast lap of 222.860, good for sixth in Friday's speed chart.

Eleven drivers qualified last Saturday, the first of four scheduled days of time trials, but Sunday's round was rained out.

Track officials are hoping to fill the lineup Saturday, with Sunday's "Bump Day" expected to see at least a few drivers attempting to knock the slowest qualified cars out of the field.

The forecast for Saturday:

called for temperatures in the mid-60s with cloudy skies and a 40 percent chance of scattered afternoon thunderstorms.

Idaho's Davey Hamilton, who will attempt to qualify today, logged 64 laps in his No. 22 Hewlett-Packard/KR

Vision Racing entry with a best speed of 220.240 miles per hour.

"It took all day to find the setup I actually liked," said Hamilton. "Unfortunately, I didn't have time to do a heavy, long run. But the car was stable and felt good. I'm happy."

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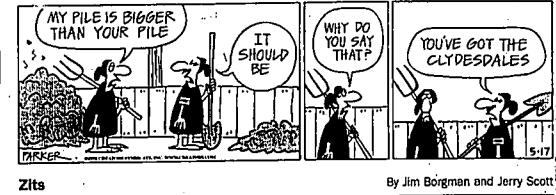
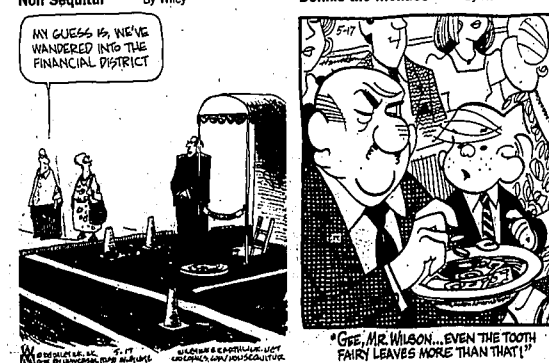
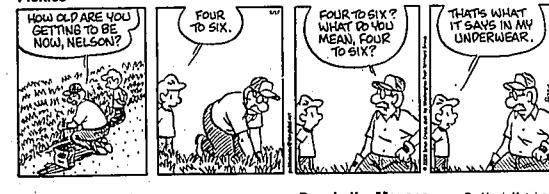
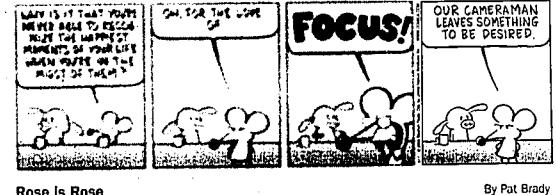
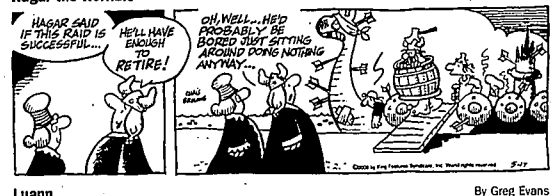
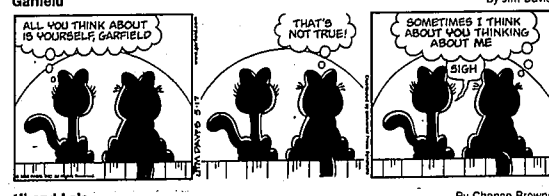
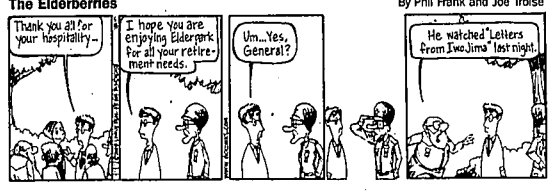
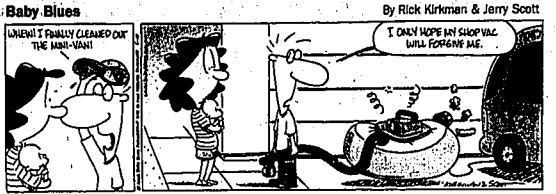
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Today: Almost toasty with plenty of sunshine... Highs near 90.

Tonight: Mostly clear skies. Lows upper 50s.

Tomorrow: More bright sunshine and heat. Highs low 90s.

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Today: Sunny and warming. Highs middle 80s.

Tonight: Mostly clear, dry and pleasant. Lows low to middle 50s.

Tomorrow: Sunny and unseasonably warm. Highs upper 80s.

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SUN VALLEY, SURROUNDING MTS. Rivers and streams may be surging... Unseasonably warm weather leads to an accelerated snow melt.

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NORTHERN UTAH Plentiful sunshine and warmer than normal temperatures will be with us all weekend.

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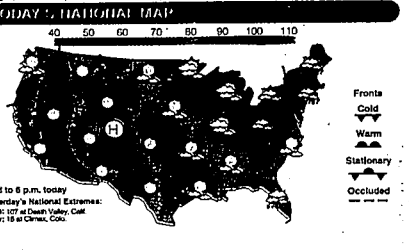
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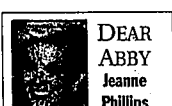
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Daughter-in-law is fit to be tied by manipulating parents

DEAR ABBY: I have overbearing in-laws who refuse to let their children, all of whom are in their 40s, live their own lives. We are constantly forced to spend time with them by means of manipulation.



DEAR ABBY Jeanne Phillips

My problem is his dog, "Lucky." Lucky is a one-dog dog who barely tolerates my presence. Anytime I hug or kiss Roger in front of Lucky, the dog starts barking and growling.

A-lister: Big Brown treated like a champ at Preakness

BALTIMORE (AP) — Like any true A-lister, he kept the masses waiting for hours. Big Brown made his grand entrance. Accompanied by a police escort with sirens flashing, the dazzling colt pulled into the Pimlico Race Course shortly after 9 p.m. Wednesday and headed for the prime spot of real estate on the grounds — the corner barn occupied each year by the winner of the Kentucky Derby.

Right now, it's good to be the king. "He's loved all the time," trainer Rick Dutrow Jr. said. And why not? The rest of the world has endured a week being treated like lowly subjects, their names recognizable to a few outside the inner circle. Only Guyego decided to follow Big Brown from the Derby — and he finished 17th two weeks ago. So anticipated was Big Brown's arrival that when a horse van showed up just before 8 p.m., the media horde scurried into position.

Big Brown's serious horse," said Ken Mack, who trains Raccar Rhapsody. The Big Brown bravado is what separates the leadup to Preakness from the Kentucky Derby. The celebrities on Millionaire's Row at Churchill Downs are as much the story before the race as the horses that run for the roses. What's Jessica Simpson wearing? Where will the Playmates party? Hey, isn't that O.J. Simpson? At Pimlico, the Derby champ is the main event, period. "The minute he arrived," said Chick Lang, Pimlico's former general manager, "he was a celebrity. Dutrow loves the spotlight and he's added plenty of his own hype with brass boasts that Big Brown is the horse to beat Saturday. No taking it "one race at a time" with Dutrow. He's already professed to dreaming about the Triple Crown and how awesome it would feel to sweep the Derby, Preakness and Belmont for the first time in 30 years.

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DEAR ABBY

DEAR ABBY: I have been dating "Roger," a wonderful man, for about a year. Our relationship has been stressful at times, but overall we're happy together and in love.

Bruins

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"But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles."
— Isaiah 40:31

'It's a blessing from God'

Filer's Peace Lutheran completes expansion, welcomes public to open house

By John E. Swayze
Correspondent

FILER — The congregation of Peace Lutheran Church knows what it means to wait patiently.

After more than a decade of planning and almost two years of construction, the Filer congregation is celebrating the completion of its facility's first expansion and remodeling project in more than 40 years.

During a dedication service Sunday, the Rev. Gary Benedix compared the addition to an individual believer's place within the church.

"We will continue to see ourselves as living stones held together by God's spirit and building a ministry on the cornerstone of Jesus Christ himself," he said.

Beginning as a neighborhood youth Sunday school in 1949, the church soon increased its attendance to include parents. The Sunday school found accommodations in the Filer American Legion Hall, The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and the Filer Seventh-day Adventist Church. The Lutheran Church Missouri Synod congregation now

numbers around 390 members.

The Peace Lutheran sanctuary on Stevens Street was initially completed and dedicated in May 1965. The new 5,775-square-foot expansion, built almost entirely through volunteer labor, consists of a parish hall, Sunday school rooms, kitchen, fireside meeting room and office space. The renovations cost about \$300,000, raised through donations.

"It's a blessing from God to us," Benedix said. "Not for us to hoard or claim as ours, but a place to keep Jesus' instruction going through teaching, baptism, caring and welcoming others in."

The public is invited to a Peace Lutheran Church open house, 2-6 p.m. Sunday. The afternoon's activities will include tours of the new building addition as well as refreshments and a half-hour program of children's music. Peace Lutheran is at 600 Stevens St. in Filer.

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Above, three doves are released as part of the Peace Lutheran Church expansion dedication service Sunday. From left: Austin Quale, Phil Martens (kneeling by cage), Caleb Price and Holt Bright.



Left, Pastor Gary Benedix leads Peace Lutheran Church congregation in a dedication prayer for the new expansion, assisted by acolytes Teoli Bright and Caleb Price.

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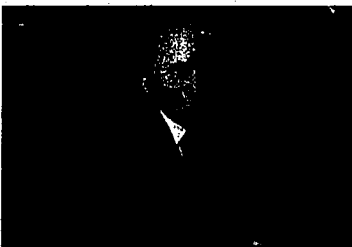
'Evangelical intelligentsia' explored

Sociologist hopes to reform attitudes

By Jay Lindsay
Associated Press writer

BOSTON — For decades, Boston University sociologist Peter Berger says, American intellectuals have looked down on evangelicals. Educated people have the notion that evangelicals are "barefoot people of Tobacco Road who, I don't know, sleep with their sisters or something," Berger says.

It's time that attitude changed, he says. "That was probably never correct, but it's totally false now and I think the image should be corrected," Berger



This undated handout photograph shows Boston University sociologist Peter Berger. Berger says American intellectuals have looked down on evangelicals.

said in a recent interview. Now, his university's Institute on Culture, Religion and World Affairs is leading a

two-year project that explores an "evangelical intelligentsia" which Berger says is growing and needs to be better understood, given the large numbers of evangelicals and their influence.

"It's not good if a prejudiced view of this community prevails in the elite circles of society," said Berger, a self-described liberal Lutheran. "It's bad for democracy and it's wrong."

The study is being directed by Berger and Timothy Shah, an evangelical political scientist at the Pew Forum on Religion & Public Life. Shah is documenting the history of the evangelical movement, including its historical hostility to higher learning. A

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Evangelical group seeks separation of religion from politics

By Rebecca Trounson
Los Angeles Times

A group of prominent U.S. evangelical Christians is urging other evangelicals to step back from partisan politics and avoid becoming "useful idiots" for any political party.

In an often strongly worded statement released this week, more than 70 pastors, scholars and business leaders said faith and politics have become too intertwined and that evangelicals err when they use their reli-

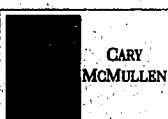
gious beliefs for political purposes.

About one-quarter of U.S. adults call themselves evangelical Christians, polls show, and for the past 30 years, the "religious right" has been a reliable base of support for the Republican Party. But Christians from both ends of the political spectrum have made the mistake of politicizing their faith, the group declares in the document, called "An Evangelical Manifesto."

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'Evangelical Manifesto' aims to re-define the word 'evangelical'

It's funny how a word can come to have a meaning that is the opposite of its original. "Gay," for instance, went from meaning "light-hearted" to "homosexual" to — in current youth parlance — something bad. "Gay apparel," as in the old Christmas carol, now might mean a shabby suit.



Or take "evangelical." As the writers of the recently

released "An Evangelical Manifesto" point out, the word originally meant "good news" or later, a distinctive way of belief that distinguished its followers from the Catholic faith.

These days, say the word and to most Americans it will mean bad news. It conjures an image of a white male

talking head railing against gay (meaning "homosexual") marriage. Or an angry white woman picketing outside an abortion clinic. Or "a Republican at prayer."

The manifesto deliberately and quite publicly sets out to change that. It was released at the National Press Club in Washington last week, with

several of the steering committee behind it present, including Os Guinness, the British-American writer who was the primary author. More than 80 prominent evangelicals signed it. (You can read it at evangelicalmanifesto.com.)

Their manifesto has three main purposes.

First, they want to remind the media and the public who they really are: "We Evangelicals are defined theologically, not politically, socially, or culturally." In defining themselves this way, they want to state what they are for ("the good news of

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Marriage ruling not universally lauded

By Susannah Roseblatt
Los Angeles Times

EL SEGUNDO, Calif. — Family is at the center of Cathi Unruh's life.

That is, family as defined by God in scripture: a husband, a wife and their children.

The El Segundo mom even homeschools her four children to root them more firmly in the family's evangelical Christian faith.

So for Unruh, the quick translation of Thursday's ruling by the California Supreme Court legalizing gay marriage is simple. It goes against God's plan.

—A union between a man and a woman is "God's standard of what is best, what's most healthy, physically, spiritually and emotionally," she said.

—She and her husband, Kris, who met while touring with a religious music group, believe that homosexuality is akin to such sins as adultery and stealing. Although the couple were debating the issue when the constitutional amendment banning gay marriage, they can't support bullying those who don't share their values.

"I don't sit and smack (people) upside the head with my belt," Unruh said Thursday in her home. It comes down to a personal relationship, just caring about them as an individual, "I would share what I believe."

The Unruhs are hardly alone in their thinking. They have debated the issue with their 22-year-old daughter Heather, a professional dancer in Portland, Ore., who's argued with her parents about the possibility of homosexuality as a genetic



A man wrapped in a California flag, left, attends a street celebration of Thursday's California Supreme Court ruling that gay couples in the nation's biggest state can marry — a momentous but perhaps short-lived victory for the gay rights movement. Same-sex couples could tie the knot in as little as a month. But the window could close soon after — religious and social conservatives are pressing to put a constitutional amendment on the ballot in November that would undo the Supreme Court ruling and ban gay marriage.

pr predisposition.

"Do I believe there's a homosexual gene? No more than I believe there's a procreative gene," Unruh said. "I believe homosexuality is a choice, just like extramarital sex is a choice."

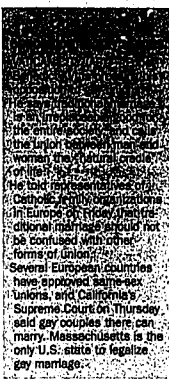
That hasn't stopped Unruh from welcoming her daughter's gay friends into their home. She raised her daughter and other children to think for themselves. "Our faith will take them nowhere if they don't own it," she said of her children.

While she taught her two daughters and two sons a Christian worldview, Unruh also assigned philosophical works by Plato and Nietzsche, and contrasted intelligent design with evolution, to expose them to different ideas they would encounter.

"Scripture is the standard... what God's said as opposed to what our culture, our society says is true," said Unruh, 47, who still teaches her youngest daughter, in addition to leading Spanish classes and helping families through the college admissions process at her church, Hope Chapel, in Hermosa Beach. "That's the one thing we always go back to for how we should be living."

When it comes to homeschooling — and most issues — the Unruhs believe that government should stay small. In this case, they say, the court overstepped its authority.

"It's discouraging that a body... of a few are making public policy as opposed to just ruling on law," said Kris Unruh, 49, who works as a



business analyst for Boeing. "They're overriding the will of the people," he said, referring to a 2000 California ballot measure in which 61 percent of voters supported defining legally recognized marriage as between a man and a woman.

For the couple, married for 27 years, their union represents a sacred partnership intended to produce children and created by God. Their shared love of music and biblical teachings brought them together. And they believe heterosexual marriage is supposed to give us a picture of the relationship (God) desires to have with us," Kris Unruh said.

"Once we start redefining marriage, too, it opens the door to 'Where else can this be taken?'" Cathi Unruh said.

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revival of scholarship, and the minds and ideas it has since produced.

Some aren't convinced evangelical scholars have made as much progress as they think.

Boston College sociologist Alan Wolfe, who wrote an article in *The Atlantic*, "The Opening of the Evangelical Mind" in 2000, said despite the success of some evangelical scholars, many have retained an insularity and defensiveness that limits their effectiveness.

There isn't enough mixing of the larger world of ideas," he said.

An estimated 75 million Americans are evangelicals, people who emphasize a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and commit to spreading the message of salvation, though his redemptive death.

Evangelicals say they often aren't well-understood beyond their Bible-banging, evolution-hating cant.

Many equate evangelicals with fundamentalists, an evangelical subset that interprets the Bible literally — as in the six calendar days of creation — and is home to ardent evolution opponents.

But Shah said most evangelical scientists believe in evolution guided by God.

A quote from a 1993 *Washington Post* article, describing followers of two leading evangelists as "poor, uneducated and easily led," remains infamous among evangelicals as an example of the bias they claim to face. After President Bush won the 2004 election, New York Times columnist Maureen Dowd wrote Bush had won the evangelical vote, in part by appealing to their "fear of scientific progress."

Mark Noll, an evangelical and well-known historian at the University of Notre Dame, said the stereotype is perpetuated because both religious and secular thinkers have created an either-or choice between science and God.

"It's just false," Noll said. "You go back to (Isaac Newton and Johannes

Kepler, the founders of early modern science were heirs of one sort or another."

Shah says a major split between evangelicals and modern culture came after the so-called Scopes monkey trial in 1925, in which a teacher was convicted of violating Tennessee's ban on teaching evolution — a decision later overturned. He said attorney Clarence Darrow told his opponent William Jennings Bryan, that: "You insult every man of science and learning in the world because he does not believe in your folk religion."

Two years later, Sinclair Lewis's "Elmer Gantry" poked at the anti-intellectualism of leading evangelicals and cast them as corrupt frauds. At the same time, the culture wars of the '50s and '60s after prodding from leaders such as Billy Graham, who urged a high intellectual boldness, Shah said.

Evangelicals began to emerge from "their self-imposed ghetto" in the 1950s and '60s after prodding from leaders such as Billy Graham, who urged a high intellectual boldness, Shah said.

They also became more prosperous and better educated, and produced more scholars as a result, Berger said.

Notre Dame is home to several of the best-known evangelical thinkers besides Noll, including philosopher Alvin Plantinga, whose "free will defense" takes on the logical problem of evil, and historian George Marsden, who won the prestigious Bancroft Prize for his book on colonial preacher Jonathan Edwards.

Other notables who identify themselves as evangelicals include Florida judge Michael McConnell, top constitutional law scholar, Francis Collins, director of the Human Genome Project, and Duke professor Peter Feaver, a former top director at the National Security Council.

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When that occurs, "Faith loses its independence, the church becomes the regime at prayer," Christians become "useful idiots" for one political party or another, and the Christian faith becomes an ideology in its purest form," the manifesto says.

Three years in the making, the manifesto was signed by many high-profile, mostly centrist, evangelicals, including Leith Anderson, president of the National Association of Evangelicals; Jim Walls, founder of *Sojourners* magazine; and Frank Wright, president of National

Religious Broadcasters. Many of the prominent conservative evangelicals did not sign. A spokesman for James Dobson, the founder of *Focus on the Family*, said Dobson had concerns about the document and decided not to add his name.

One of the statement's drafters said one purpose was to reclaim the word "evangelical" from its political association.

This is not primarily a political movement," said the Rev. John Huffman Jr., senior pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in

Newport Beach, Calif., and head chairman of the evangelical magazine *Christianity Today*. "Evangelicalism is a theological understanding that we are called to be followers of Jesus Christ, and that's not captive to a culture, society or nation."

Huffman and other organizers said the document's release was not timed to the U.S. presidential contest. But he said he hoped one result would be to persuade some of the more outspoken evangelical voices to tone down their political rhetoric.

"The evangelical umbrella is very large and I won't try to

detract from anyone who loves Jesus and has a biblical rationale for their views on any issue," Huffman said. "But we hope some who've been more strident in their statements will be a little more cautious in the future."

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Jesus"), not what they are against (a laundry list of social and cultural ills). They take pains to distance themselves from fundamentalism. Instead, they argue they must reform their own religious behavior. For example, they write that they have flirted with hypocrisy, talking about the Bible's principles, but flouting them "with lives and lifestyles that are shamed and rebuked by our own infidel preferences and by modern fashions and convenience."

They also deliberately widen the scope of social disorders about which evangelicals are properly concerned, to include the poor, the downtrodden and environmental injustice.

Finally, they state that there is a lot of confusion surrounding evangelicals' role in public life, and they call for a different approach, instead of privatizing faith (the Amish) or politicizing faith (Pat Robertson), they say evangelicals should stand for principles, not parties. Their example is Christian statesman William Wilberforce of England, who worked in Parliament for years to abolish slavery.

What is needed, they say, is "a civil public square," in which people of all persuasions, religious or not, can participate on the basis of their convictions.

The document is a rebuke to the partisan politics of the religious right, and reaction from that sector has been muted. Some Christians on the right and the left have praised the spirit of the document while

finding plenty to quibble with.

I think the manifesto is right on target. It is the approach taken for years by the Catholic Church in engaging social issues, refusing to ally itself with any political party but publicly advocating for what it believes.

The document is lengthy and probably overly intellectual, but the steering committee consists of intellectual types. Guinness, for example, has a doctorate from Oxford. But in general, these are people whose opinions and personal integrity are respectable and principled.

The signers also include some in the "progressive" or "liberal" wing of evangelicals, including Jim Walls, editor of *Sojourners* magazine, and some who are members of the conservative wing, including Jim Tonkovich, director of the Institute on Religion and

Democracy. That says something about the broad appeal of the manifesto.

However, I wonder about the timing of this document. To be fair, Guinness has said these things before, but he didn't get many takers in the heyday of the religious right. Why now?

As Christine Wicker, author of the just-released "The Fall of the Evangelical Nation," is told me this week, "It would have been better if they had spoken out earlier. They should have gotten together 20 years ago."

But perhaps this is a case of the better late than never. If the manifesto does nothing more than remove the connection between "evangelical" and "Republican" from the public mind, it will be worth it.

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Aftershock rattles China earthquake zone

By Ng Han Guan
Associated Press writer

YINGXIU, China — A powerful aftershock knocked out roads and communications in some of the most quake-ravaged parts of central China on Friday, as emergency crews rescued more than 30 people who had survived up to 100 improbable hours trapped in the ruins.

With the official death toll at more than 22,000, an air force unit reached Yinchanggou, a scenic spot in the mountains north of the Sichuan provincial capital of Chengdu, finding landslides had swept away rustic small hotels.

"There are several hundred hotels, including farmer homesteads, probably 800 in all. They are all rubble now," said Weiwei, an official with an air force unit from the Chengdu Military Region, told Sichuan Television. Most of the dead are tourists, he said, but did not identify whether they were foreign or Chinese.

Tens of thousands of people are considered buried or missing throughout the disaster zone. There were about

12 million people living within a 60-mile radius of the epicenter of Wenchuan, according to a study on the potential impact of the quake by Xu Mingbao, a senior researcher at the University of Michigan's China Data Center.

Acutely aware its response to China's worst disaster in 30 years could affect Beijing's image heading into the Olympic Games, President Hu Jintao ramped up the government's public relations efforts, making his first trip to the stricken region.

And in response to swelling anger, government officials accustomed to tightly controlled media took the unusual step of fielding questions from people online about why thousands of schools that collapsed were not built to be quake-safe.

Damage from the magnitude-5.5 aftershock — one of dozens of strong tremors since the devastating quake Monday — was a temporary setback to the mammoth relief operation. Repair crews were rapidly restoring mobile phone services and unblocking roads within four

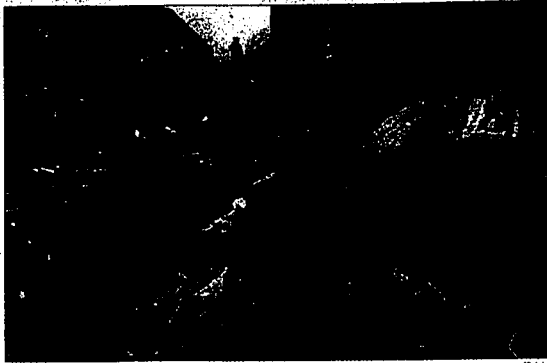
hours, state media reported.

Trucks navigated around boulders and splintered pavement that clogged roads into the forest-clad mountains of Beichuan county. The official Xinhua News Agency reported that 33 survivors were pulled from the rubble of Beichuan's remote main city, surrounded by small coal and gold mines and tea plantations about 100 miles north of Chengdu.

Still farther afield, soldiers slogged up a slippery mud path into the village of Yingtai, as some of their comrades stayed back and used rubble from landslides to patch the road so supply and rescue vehicles could get closer.

Most buildings in the village collapsed in the quake and the rest appear damaged beyond repair. Hundreds of residents huddled in tents. Small groups of soldiers, some lugging body bags, rushed from place to place checking reports of people trapped. They pulled out bodies and — at least twice — survivors. Others dug a burial pit and laid in at least 80 bodies.

Helicopters whirled over-



A victim's hand is seen at right covered with a blanket Friday while rescuers search for survivors of Monday's powerful earthquake in Beichuan county in southwestern Sichuan province, China.

head, bringing supplies and dropping leaflets with survival instructions that included not drinking dirty water and staying away from collapsed buildings.

"We should trust the party and the government," the

leaflets also said.

The government said it would investigate why so many school buildings collapsed in the quake and severely punish anyone responsible for shoddy construction. Officials in at least

six provinces promised to tear down dangerous school buildings to protect students, state media reported. The quake destroyed about 6,900 classrooms, not including those in the hardest-hit counties.



A thoroughbred is given an early morning workout at Camarero racetrack in Canovanas, Puerto Rico, in March. About 450 retired thoroughbreds, many in perfect health, are killed each year by lethal injection at a clinic tucked behind Puerto Rico's only racetrack.

Losing racehorses killed in Puerto Rico

By Michael Melia
Associated Press writer

CANOVANAS, Puerto Rico — For thoroughbreds in this U.S. Caribbean territory, being fast enough to win, place or show is a matter of life and death — losers often don't even make it off the racetrack grounds alive.

More than 400 horses, many in perfect health, are killed each year by injection at a clinic behind the Hipodromo Camarero racetrack, said chief veterinarian Jose Garcia. The Associated Press on Friday examined clinic log books that confirmed Garcia's account.

The handwritten logs list the names of the horses, the trainer, the date of execution and the dosages of lethal drugs. Garcia allowed an AP reporter to view the logs but prohibited him from taking notes or photographing the pages.

Unlike on the U.S. mainland where many former racehorses are retrained for riding or sent to refuges, the animals have few options in Puerto Rico. Owners say caring for and feeding a losing racehorse is too expensive. "If it doesn't produce, after a while I give it away or I kill it," said Arnoldo Maldonado, 60, a businessman who races about five horses a year. "It bothers me, but it has to be done because there is no money to pay for them. I'm not going to keep losing."

The killings also bother veterinarians who carry them out. While many horses are unsuitable for adoption because of injuries or bad tempers, far more could be rescued than the current few dozen a year, Garcia said.

The veterinarians at the racetrack clinic have an informal system of contacting farms and breeders about a possible home for the animal when a healthy horse comes in to die. But so far there are no programs

such as the U.S.-based Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation, which rescues horses coming off the track.

The racehorses put to death in Puerto Rico are not being killed because they have suffered a serious injury, like Eight Belles, the filly euthanized after breaking both front ankles in the Kentucky Derby on May 3. Here, even when a second home is available, veterinarians say that some owners want losing horses executed any way — some to save money, others for revenge.

"You'll get a few owners who get so upset, they just want the horse dead," said veterinarian Shakyra Rosario.

She often asks trainers if they have extra space so she doesn't have to kill a healthy horse, and there are Puerto Ricans such as trainer Bertl Zequeira who make it their business to rescue the rejects. Lionel Muller, senior vice president at Hipodromo Camarero, Puerto Rico's only racetrack, said owners generally have the horses killed only as a last resort when they cannot find a suitable second home.

"Most of the horse owners really love the horses. You don't want to get rid of a horse that way," he said.

With a stable of about 1,300 horses, the flower-trimmed track on the north coast holds races five days a week. Tourists and other fans cheer from open-air grandstands and a skybox restaurant. About \$210 million a year is bet at the Hipodromo and at off-track betting booths.

The U.S. horse racing industry also struggles with unwanted thoroughbreds. AP's efforts to obtain figures were unsuccessful, but advocacy groups say sanctuaries created up the past two decades have dramatically cut the likelihood that a former racer will be executed.

China's 1-child policy causes extra pain

By Christopher Bodson
Associated Press writer

WUFU, China — After their daughter was born, Bi Kaiwei and his wife, Meilin, decided to adhere to China's one-child policy and its slogan, "Have fewer kids, live better lives."

For them and other couples who lost an only child in this week's massive earthquake, the tragedy has been doubly cruel. Robbed of their sole progeny and a hope for the future, they find it even harder to restart their shattered lives, haunted by added guilt, regret and gnawing loss.

"She died before becoming even a young adult," said Bi, an intense, wiry chemical plant worker, standing

beside the grave of 13-year-old Yuexing — one of dozens sprinkled amid fields of ripened spring wheat and newly planted rice. "She never really knew what life was like."

Yuexing, a bright sixth-grader, was in school when Monday's quake struck, bringing the Fuxin No. 2 Primary School crashing down, killing her and 200 other students. Teachers had locked all but one of the school's doors during break time, parents said, leaving only a single door to escape through.

Many among the more than 22,000 people killed across central China were students in school.

In Wufu, a farming village two hours north of the

Sichuan provincial capital of Chengdu, most of the dead students were a couple's only child — born under a policy launched in the late 1970s to limit many families to one offspring. The policy was meant to rein in China's exploding population and ensure better education and health care.

The "one-child policy" has been contentious inside China as well as out. The government says it has prevented an additional 400 million births. But critics say it has also led to forced abortions, sterilizations and a dangerously imbalanced sex ratio as local authorities pursue sometimes severe birth quotas set by Beijing and families abort girls out of a traditional preference for male heirs.



A woman grieves on the grave of her child who was killed in Monday's earthquake at a school in Wufu, in China's southwest Sichuan province Friday.

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After the title search is complete, the title insurance professional works with the seller to help remedy problems that could prevent the purchaser from having "clear" title. For example, a previous owner may



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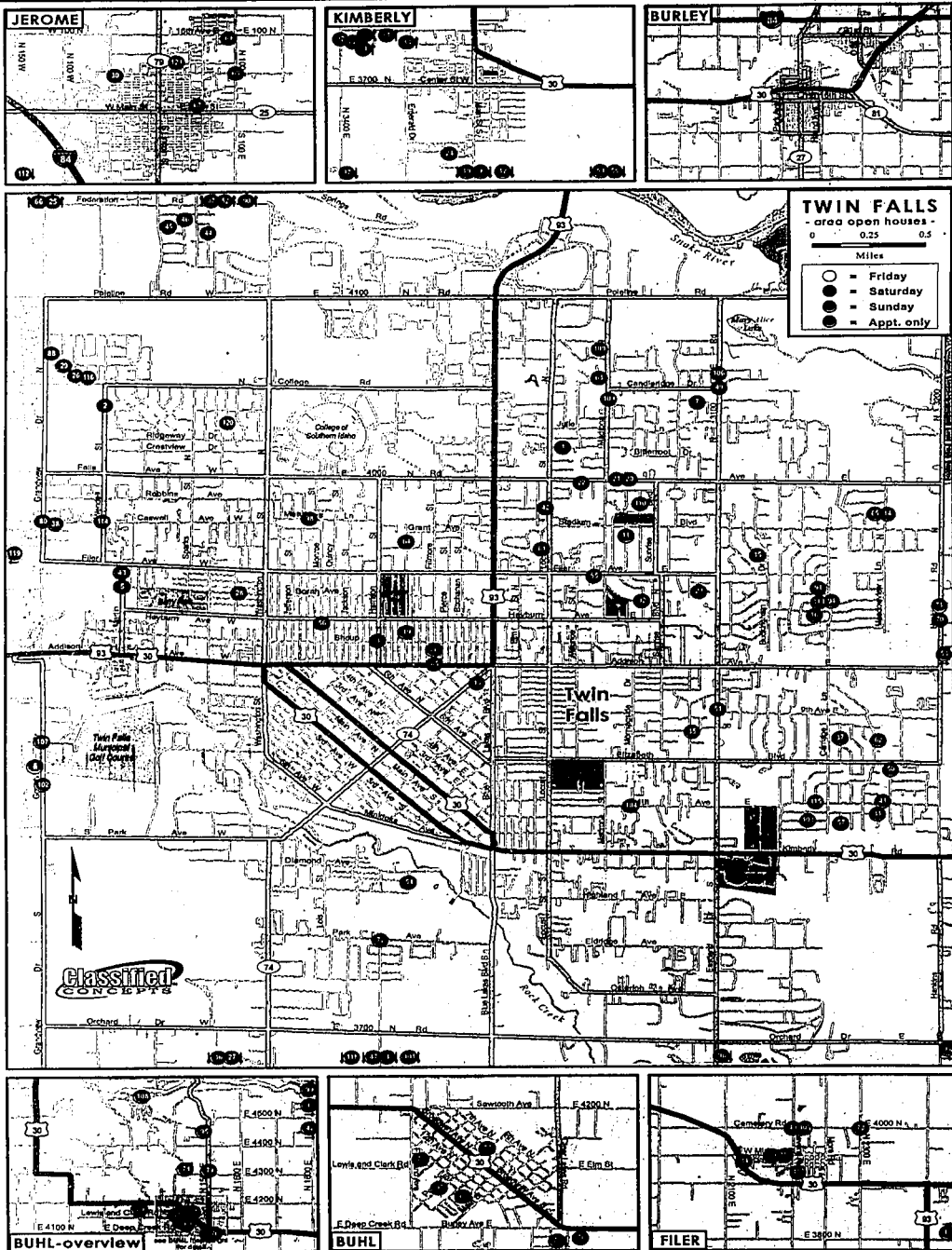
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1215 11TH AVE, E. TWIN FALLS
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 Hosted by Dave Foster 320-0926
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MLS# 98308669 1-3 PM

980 STARBUCK LOOP, TWIN FALLS
 4 bdrm, 2.5 bath home. Beautiful master suite.
 Hosted by Vicki Overacker 280-0404
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2306 EASTBROOK DR, TWIN FALLS
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 Eastland Follow Signs

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316 JENNIFER WAY, TWIN FALLS
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 Good looking 4 bedroom, 2 bath,
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THE ACES ON BRIDGE Bobby Wolff

"It is better to know nothing than to know what ain't so." - Josh Billings

We are revisiting yesterday's deal, rotated 180 degrees, to consider four hearts, a contract with four apparent top losers. In the semifinal of the 1995 Bermuda Bowl between Sweden and Canada, Matts Niland (South) declared four hearts on the lead of the club ace, which seemed to do the defense no harm. However, Niland won the club continuation and immediately played three high diamonds, the club king and a fourth diamond, which he was allowed to ruff low in hand.

Table with columns: NORTH, WEST, EAST. Symbols: ♠, ♣, ♥, ♦.

Vulnerable: East-West Dealer: West The bidding: South West North East 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♣ Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠ All pass

BID WITH THE ACES South holds: ♠ J 5 ♣ K Q 7 ♥ A 8 8 ♦ K 2

ANSWER: If you learn only one thing from this column all year, it ought to be this: With a balanced 12-14 points, do not make a takeout double of the opponents, unless your hand is playable in all of the other three suits — at least three cards in each. With both majors you can stretch a point over a minor-suit opening bid, but that is the only exception. YOU MUST pass here.

The defenders could have done better — East had to guess to ruff in on the fourth diamond with the heart jack, which breaks up the endplay. But had Niland played off two high trumps a bit earlier, he would not have exposed himself to this position. The Canadian declarer, sitting North, went down without a fight in four hearts on the lead of the diamond 10. But the contract should be made even on that lead. Declarer wins in the South hand and advances the club queen, forcing West to win — ducking avoids the need to ruff a club and makes the trump endplay easier to find. Now declarer has the entries to ruff a club in dummy and also to ruff the third diamond. Then he can finish in his hand after two rounds of trump to lead the fourth diamond, eventually endingplay West.

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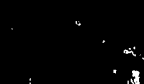
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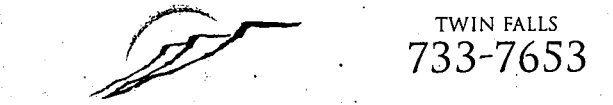


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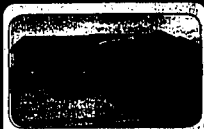
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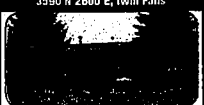
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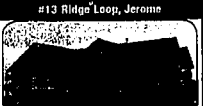
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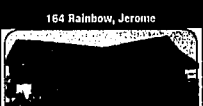
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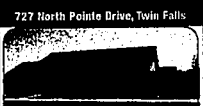
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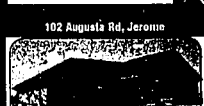
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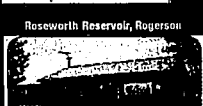
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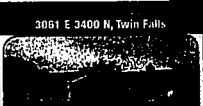
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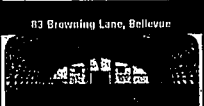
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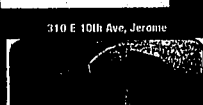
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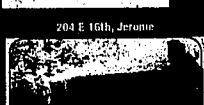
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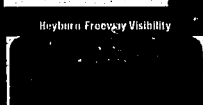
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The Times-News
PO Box 648
Twin Falls, Idaho
83303-0548

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FOUND butterfly ring in the Pizza Hut parking lot. Call to identify 734-3831.

FOUND dog, golden brown, 3 months old, male, blue collar. Found on 77 Ave S. in Buhl on 5/9/08. 208-212-9927

FOUND dogs (2) 1 female Black Lab mix and 1 male Terrier. Call to identify 208-735-1231.

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Fun, lively, energetic, cute Lady seeks white single Man, 58+ age 43-63, Non Smoker. Lives in the TF area who does enjoy fishing, gardening, movies, dancing, fairs, Jockey, family life. LTR. Write to: Lady Box 2328, TF 83303.

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THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane
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9x9 grid for a Sudoku puzzle with numbers 1-9 in some cells.

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Fill in the grid so that every row, every column, and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1 through 9.

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MEDICAL Full-time RN Case Manager & Full-time LPN to oversee staff CNA's, take orders and do patient visits for Hospice.

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PRODUCTION Full-time position in Jerome, \$30/hr and benefits w/v. Days and Night shift position available.

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SALES Also Seamless is looking for the right person to join our Sales Staff.

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EDUCATION FRT Equipment Operator, 6 mo. Experience required.

GENERAL Fibreworks Sales Contractor needed. Twin Falls, Jerome and Burley locations available.

CHILD CARE All About Kids Child care needs Helper. Call 733-3470

FOOD SERVICE Bakery, Line Cook and Dishwasher needed. Varied hours.

GENERAL Assisted Living Cook FT or Part-time. Good pay, great benefits.

GENERAL DISCOVERY No Sales Involved! Earn \$11.00 an Hour!

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JEEP '02 Grand Cherokee Laredo, 4x4, PW, rear window wiper, frost, tinted glass, very clean, tow package, loaded, 104K miles, \$9,950. 324-0069
2811 So. Lincoln Jerome, ID.

JEEP '88 VJ, extra 5.3 4.60 lockers, winch, racks, tow, \$6,000. 312-3926

MINIBUS '02 wheelchair #11 equipped, only 54K miles, 11 passenger, \$12,900. Access Institute 208-877-2330

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DODGE '98 Conversion van, super clean, A/C, power windows/locks, TV, fold down bed. \$2,000 miles. \$3,500. 324-4824.

FORD '02 Windstar, \$4,995. Stock #9469.

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'02 Dodge 1 ton diesel, 8 spd manual, \$15,350.
'03 Ford F150, 4x4, \$3,550. Stock #135.
'03 Chevy Suburban, LS, 4x4, \$12,450. Stock #136.
'91 Mitsubishi Montero, 4x4, \$1750 Stock #138.
'03 VW Jetta, 5 spd, very nice, \$9795. Stock #139.
'06 Hyundai Sonata, V6, factory warranty, \$11,895. Stock #140.
'97 Chevy Blazer, exc shape, \$3450. Stock #145.
'98 VW Passat, \$4,995 Stock #146
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Assist

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Assist

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