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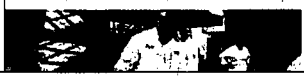

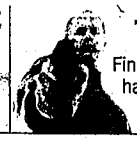

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Poll: Americans are reluctant to fund bailout

By Doyle McManus
Los Angeles Times

WASHINGTON — Most Americans do not believe the government has responsibility for bailing out financial firms with taxpayer money, a core part of the rescue plan Congress is considering to halt the near-meltdown of the nation's financial markets, a Los Angeles Times/Bloomberg poll has found.

Reluctance to use public money to rescue private firms runs across all parts of the population — Democrats and Republicans, high-income and low-income families alike — the poll found.

When asked whether the government should use taxpayer dollars to rescue ailing financial firms whose collapse could have adverse effects on the economy, 55 percent of the poll's respondents said they did not believe the government should be responsible for it.

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Bernanke warnings fail to sway senators on bailout plan.

Idaho banks still secure.

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Los Angeles Times/Bloomberg poll results

55 percent	62 percent	79 percent
Do not believe the government should be responsible for funding a bailout plan	Believe insufficient government regulation was partly responsible for the financial crisis	Believe the country is 'generally on the wrong track'

Jerome Co. to work more with jail consultant

By Andrea Jackson
Times-News writer

Jerome County commissioners said they want to pay a private consultant $10,000 in the coming weeks to help it pitch a new jail to the community.

The payment could amount to just under 20 percent of the total bill expected to be charged by consultants. Those payments — expected to come in between $55,000 and $60,000 by March 2009 — may not even result in a new Jerome County jail.

Commissioners didn't

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At top, 5-year-old Audrey Myhre, of Jerome, decided to keep her painted face mask on as she and family members moved from booth to booth Tuesday afternoon and learned about several Asian arts and crafts during the Fall Children's Festival hosted by CSI's Asian Student Organization.

Style, art and spinning tops

Asian culture comes to life at College of Southern Idaho

By Ben Botkin
Times-News writer

They spun tops, flew kites and drew art.

They painted masks, practiced judo and printed fish artwork.

The activities created a colorful kaleidoscope at the College of Southern Idaho that reflected Asian culture on Tuesday afternoon. Scores of students, children and parents descended onto the campus for the second annual Fall Children's Festival that was overseen by the Asian Student Organization.

Photos by MEAGAN THOMPSON/Times-News

Wyatt Dewitt, 8, of Jerome, takes a turn at Korean top spin as international student Jungsoo Lim, 24, gives him some pointers on the traditional game that is played in his home country twice a year. Lim is in his last semester at the College of Southern Idaho. He came to the United States to study English after earning his degree in chemical engineering. Lim and other students from the Asian Student Organization put on the Fall Children's Festival Tuesday on the CSI campus.

Jin Sohn, president of ASO, played with a Korean top spin. He kept the top spinning by hitting it with a string at the end of a stick. Normally, the sport is played on the ice, but on Tuesday he had to make do with a concrete slab.

Later, 11-year-old Austin Blackwell of Twin Falls tried it out for the first time. He kept the top spinning.

"At first, it gets difficult, but then every time, you keep getting better and better," he said. "Sooner or later, you get tired and have to stop."

The CSI Anime Club showed attendees how to draw simple drawings patterned after Japanese cartoons and had masks for children to paint.

Justin Goicoechea, a Twin Falls resident, quickly drew an outline of a mouse making a peace sign.

"With this style of art, you can make anything into a cartoon," he said.

Six-year-old Gabriel

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Stuck together

Citing code conflicts, Jerome commissioners choose to preserve P&Z

By Nate Poppino
Times-News writer

Jerome County will not split its Planning and Zoning Commission apart again, the board of county commissioners decided Tuesday morning by a 2-1 vote.

Rather, the board endorsed a suggestion from the current P&Z that it be allowed to form a subcommittee — likely made of both P&Z members and new recruits — to maintain the county's comprehensive plan. The commission had voted 9-0 against the split in part because of conflicts in state code regarding the roles of the split commissions.

"The concept is good," Planning and Zoning Administrator Art Brown told the board at a public hearing. "But I feel that the

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A half century of presidential debat

When the candidates meet Friday for the first of three presidential debates, the pressure will be as intense as it ge

By Walter R. Mears
Associated Press writer

Weary and recovering from illness, Richard Nixon looked so bad in his TV debate with John Kennedy that his mom called afterward to see if he was all right. Thirty years later, Al Gore loudly sighed, shrugged in exasperation and got in George W. Bush's face in a display of pique and impatience.

In presidential campaign debates, a slip of the tongue, an awkward gesture, style points and the seemingly spontaneous one-liner have provided the telling moments that shape elections and live on in history. The elder Geo Bush's words from 1992 may be f gotten. The fact that he looked his watch, isn't.

More often than not the deb have been standoffs, not turn points. Debates have done mo

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MORNING BRIEFING

Pat's Picks ... Pat Marcantonio

Three things to go and do today

• Give a hand to the East Village Opera Co. at 7:30 p.m. at the College of Southern Idaho Fine Arts Center auditorium in Twin Falls. Come on — culture can be cool. Tickets are $29 for adults and $21 for adults.

• Put down that remote and think about helping others. Each Wednesday, the Community Kitchen offers a free meal to anyone hungry for food or company. It's served at 5 p.m. at the Buhl Catholic Church, 1631 Poplar St. They are always looking for new teams of helpers from 4:30 to 6 p.m. so call up your buddies. Information: Eileen, 543-5136.

• Like fish? It's all you can eat along with coleslaw, baked potatoes, rolls and butter at the Snake River Elk's Fish Fry from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Elk's Lodge, 412 E. 200 S. (near the 93 Golf Ranch). The cost is a mere $5. Information: 420-7238 or 324-0200.

Have your own pick you want to share? Something that is unique to the area and that may take people by surprise? E-mail me at patm@magicvalley.com.

TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Jazz guitarist Jamie Findlay lecture and performance, sponsored by C.S.I. Jazz Club, 8 a.m., College of Southern Idaho Fine Arts Center, Room 119, 732-6288.

Arts on Tour presents "East Village Opera Company," a five-piece band, string quartet and two vocalists bringing opera into 21st century, 7:30 p.m., College of Southern Idaho Fine Arts Auditorium, Twin Falls, $29 for adults and $21 for children, 732-6288.

BENEFITS AND FUNDRAISERS

Snake River Elk's Fish Fry, "all you can eat" with cole slaw, baked potatoes, rolls and butter, 6 to 9 p.m., Elk's Lodge, 412 El 200 S. (by 93 Golf Course), Jerome, $5, 420-7238 or 324-0200.

BUSINESS

BAMA (Burley Area Merchants Association), 7:30 a.m., Burley City Hall, 878-2224.

CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Magic Valley Toastmasters meeting and no-host lunch, focus: assisting members in developing speaking, communication and leadership skills, noon, Idaho Pizza, 1859 Kimberly Road, Twin Falls, new members welcome, 736-1025.

Twin Falls Lions Club meeting and no-host lunch, noon, Norm's Catering Room, 827 Main Ave. W., Twin Falls, visitors welcome, 312-5057.

Burley Kiwanis Club, noon, Morey's Steakhouse, 219 E. Third St. N., 436-0720.

Rupert Rotary Club, noon, Rupert Elks Lodge, 850 S. 200 W., 436-6852.

Burley Soroptimist Intl., noon, Syringa Plaza, 626 Elba Ave., 438-8666.

Rupert Lions Club, noon, Wayside Cafe, Heyburn, 678-8981.

American Legion Post No. 7 and Auxiliary annual Youth Appreciation Dinner, Girl and Boy Staters to be honored as well as Poppy Poster participants; parents and contributors invited to attend, 6 p.m., Post Home, 447 Seastrom St., Twin Falls, 733-8989 or 734-1435.

Burley Rupert Shrine Club, dinner meeting, 6:30 p.m., Rupert Elks Lodge, Burley, 678-2811.

EXHIBITS

Bob Nugent's "Under the Canopy," 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Jean B. King Gallery, Herrett Center for the Arts and Science, College of Southern Idaho campus, 315 Falls Ave., no cost, 732-6655.

GOVERNMENT

Twin Falls County commissioners, 8:30 a.m., courthouse, 425 Shoshone St. N., 736-4068.

Blaine County commissioners BLM travel plan, 6 p.m., courthouse, 206 First Ave. S., Ste. 200, Hailey, 788-5505.

Heyburn City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall, 941 18th St., 679-8158.

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

College of Southern Idaho's Over 60 and Getting Fit programs, a guided walking workout with stretching and gentle resistance training, 9 to 10 a.m. at several Magic Valley locations: CSI gym, Gooding ISDB gym, Jerome Rec Center, Shoshone High (old gym), Rupert Civic Gym, Blaine County Campus Gym and Filer Elementary; C.S.I. Burley Outreach Center gym 11:30 to 12:30 p.m., no cost, 732-6475.

Fit and Fall Proof Exercise Class, 10 to 11 a.m., Blaine County Senior Connection, 721 S. Third Ave., Hailey, no cost, 737-5988.

Fit and Fall Proof Exercise Class, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., Ageless Senior Citizens, Inc., 310 Main St. N., Kimberly, no cost, 737-5988.

SilverSneakers Fitness Program, innovative exercise program designed specifically for Medicare beneficiaries' unique health and physical needs, 11:15 a.m. to noon, Twin Falls YMCA, 1751 Elizabeth Blvd., no cost for Humana-insured or YMCA members and $5 per class for non-insured, 733-4384.

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) ID No. 3 Chapter of Twin Falls, weigh ins from 4:50 to 5:20 p.m. and meeting from 5:30 to 6 p.m., BridgeView Great Room (north entrance, third floor), BridgeView Estates, 1828 Bridgeview Blvd., 404-4793 or 736-9282.

Griefshare Support Group, a 13-week program Aug. 27-Nov. 19, 6:30 p.m., First Baptist Church, 2262 Hiland Ave., Burley, child care provided, 654-2500 or 878-7613.

HOBBIES AND CRAFTS

Woodcarving days, public welcome to come and carve wood, 1 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 10 p.m., 310 Filer Ave. W., Twin Falls, classes available, 736-0061.

Lap blankets for injured soldiers, a knitting/crocheting group project organized by Caprina, 1 p.m., Burley Senior Center, 678-2666.

HOME AND GARDEN

Buhl Farmers Market, 4:30 to 6:30 p.m., Legacy Square (next to West End Senior Center), Buhl, 543-6682.

LIBRARY

Story Hour with Louise Nofziger, Mrs. Nofziger to share some of favorite stories, 10 to 11 a.m., Buhl Public Library, refreshments for children, 543-6500.

TODAY'S DEADLINE

Reservation deadline for Oct. 4 Tricare Benefits Training Workshop for active duty, reservists and retirees of all service branches, medical receptionists and billing office personnel, 9 a.m. to noon, classroom, Twin Falls Armory, 1069 Frontier Rd., Twin Falls, no cost, refreshments, license childcare provided on site, 733-2404 ext. 7027, (208) 404-8770 or (208) 272-7027.

To have an event listed, please submit the name of the event, a brief description, time, place, cost and contact number to Suzanne Browne by e-mail at sbrowne@magicvalley.com; by fax, 734-5538; or by mail, Times-News, P.O.Box 548, Twin Falls, ID 83303-0548. Deadline is noon, four days in advance of event.

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COMING TOMORROW IN THE TIMES-NEWS

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Jail

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vote but verbally supported the move Tuesday during a meeting with the private company, Rocky Mountain Corrections.

The existing county jail has been overcrowded for years. Almost half of the jail population is often held elsewhere because there's not enough room in Jerome County, said Commissioner Charles Howell. That prompted Jerome County to join three other local counties to discuss building a major regional jail.

But the regional jail plan stalled when the Idaho Department of Correction balked on an agreement to send overflow inmates to the proposed regional jail, citing a smaller than expected prison population this year.

Jerome County didn't give up, though, and began a campaign for its own county jail, continuing to work with Rocky Mountain Corrections. Between the two efforts, Jerome County has paid $25,000 to RMC. RMC plans to charge the county thrice more by March, each time for at least $10,000.

Commissioners decided Tuesday to hold off on a vote until October after the next budget cycle begins.

The first $10,000 payment buys the county a conceptual jail design. The consultants will advise commissioners about possible sites, financing options, capital funds and operational costs, according to plans the company gave commissioners on Tuesday.

For another $10,000 to $15,000, the company, which was not hired through competitive bidding, will offer a community education campaign. Then, for another estimated $10,000, RMC will conduct a citizen survey of registered voters to asses support for a new jail.

Legal issues would go through a separate agreement with the county's lawyer, but RMC would handle public relations for the county.

Commissioners said Tuesday they don't know yet if they'd want to bond a new jail or lease one. The only estimate for total construction they have is $18 million for 185 beds, said Howell.

The company's general manager, April Lee, told commissioners money they've already spent provided "usable information."

But county commissioners Diana Obenauer and Howell conceded they don't know if the public payments to RMC will ultimately result in a new jail.

"That's always a concern," said Howell after meeting with the company.

But Obenauer said the payments are necessary given the need for a jail. "We're between a rock and a hard place," she said. "It's got to be done."

Lee told commissioners the prices were reasonable, but warned "consultants will suck you dry."

Idaho sends almost 10 percent of its prison population out-of-state and it's pumping hundreds of other inmates into county jail facilities.

Even though it costs less to hold them in county jails, more state prisoners are expected to be sent out-of-state this fiscal year, according to a state budget report.

Andrea Jackson can be reached at 208-735-3380.

Jerome Co. jail consultation fees

$25,000 — Jerome Co. paid Rocky Mountain Corrections two times, once as part of a four-county consortium, and again as part of its own jail study.

$10,000 — Oct. 1-Nov. 15: Development of conceptual design

$10,000-$15,000 — Jan. 1-March 1, 2009: Community education program

$10,000 — March 2009: Creation of citizens survey

P&Z

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law is flawed if we do it this way."

Planning and Zoning were originally split apart in 2006 as a way to ease the workload the commission faced. But county officials learned earlier this year that they had conducted the split illegally, leaving a rejoined commission racing to revisit everything the Planning Commission did during the two years.

Now, the commission can try things its way for six months and then update the board on how things went. County Commission Chairman Charlie Howell said. He said county officials should take their concerns about state code to the Legislature after the first of the year, and that he will ask the P&Z next week to report back at the later date.

Speaking Tuesday against the split, P&Z member Doug Suter recalled the work the current commission has done to review everything done by the Planning Commission, and said members just want to keep things as they are.

Jerome County resident Lee Halper and former Planning Commission Chairman Carl Nellis both spoke in favor of the split, emphasizing the need to relieve the busy current commission.

"It's ridiculous to have volunteers working until 11, 11:30 at night to keep up," Nellis said.

County officials could seek clarification from their prosecutor to resolve the conflicts, Brown said, relating the only advice on the matter provided by the state attorney general's office. But County Prosecutor Mike Seib worried about what would happen if his local interpretation — rather than an opinion from the state attorney general — was overturned at a later date, possibly resetting things again.

Brown and Seib also said Latah County, now the only county in the state to split its commission, has also discovered several ways it is not following state law.

"I think Latah is very vulnerable," Seib said when asked how the other county had fared.

Problem is, no one seems to have told that to Latah County.

Seib told the commissioners he and a Latah County deputy prosecutor had found issues with the north Idaho county's system when he consulted with officials earlier this year. But no one from Latah contacted Tuesday afternoon — from planning officials to the prosecutor's office — could recall any such discussions. The county has used the split-board system since 1993.

"As far as I can tell, we haven't had any problems at all with a split commission," said Latah County Planning and Building Director Michelle Fuson.

Brown, Suter and others all commended the members of the Planning Commission for their work during the two years. The work was so good, in fact, that they should have been allowed to continue, County Commissioner Diana Obenauer said after the meeting. She was the dissenting vote.

"It's an insult," she said, to not reform the commission.

Debates

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reinforce trends and reputations than to change them.

But when two candidates go head to head live, you just never know.

And when Republican John McCain and Democrat Barack Obama meet Friday at the University of Mississippi for the first of their three debates, the pressure on them will be as intense as it gets in politics. The audiences are vast, up to 70 million people in prior campaigns.

Nixon and JFK inaugurated the age of TV presidential debates in 1960, also on Sept. 26, with the first of four debates between them and the only one that made a significant difference.

Both men were well-spoken. But Nixon looked hollow-eyed and dark-bearded. His gray suit blended into the gray studio background. Kennedy was tanned and relaxed, and wore a blue suit that provided a good contrast to the black and white screen. That's what ended up mattering.

Nixon figured the debates would become a fixture in presidential campaigns. They did not, for 16 years.

In 1964, President Lyndon B. Johnson wasn't interested in sharing a stage with far-back Republican Barry Goldwater. In 1968, Nixon was the Republican nominee and avoided debating Democrat Hubert H. Humphrey. Four years later, Nixon ducked debates again as he cruised to re-election against George McGovern.

Then, in 1976, President Gerald R. Ford found himself in need of a forum to make headway against Democrat Jimmy Carter, and the presidential debate series was revived. In their first debate, the sound system failed in Philadelphia, leaving the nominees standing there for 27 minutes, silently sweating in the TV lights.

In the second set, Ford made the great blunder of the great debates by claiming "there is no Soviet domination of eastern Europe." That was wrong, but Ford wouldn't correct himself. He'd been gaining on Carter, but no more. The mistake reinforced Ford's reputation as a man of missteps, the guy who tripped on airplane steps, who couldn't walk and chew gum.

In 1980, President Carter was the debater on the defensive, up against the polished Republican Ronald Reagan, who countered each criticism with a weary "There you go again." Style, not substance.

Asian

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Movius of Twin Falls flew a kite. He said making the kite was the most fun.

"It was kind of hard, but now it's all done," he said.

His mother, Amy Movius, said it was difficult getting the kites up because the wind wasn't very strong.

Not far away, several members of CSI's Judo Club gave a demonstration of their skills. Ben White of Buhl and Chris Carney of Twin Falls tried out their judo match skills and grappled each other.

"You find out a lot about who you are," White said. "We've definitely seen how far we're willing to push ourselves."

John Boling, advisor for the Asian Student Organization, gave a demonstration of Japanese fish printing. He took the body of a tilapia fish and put it against newspapers and stretched out the fins with pins. Then, he put a layer of ink over the fish – except for the eye — and pressed paper against it.

The result: an image of the fish on paper in ink. Once he painted the eye in, the picture was complete. Some were clearer pictures, depending on how much ink was used.

"Some of them are just better than others," Boling said.

Crump

I always yield to the lady with the bigger truck

While you've been whiling away your time watching your 401(k) melt away, the citizens of Illinois and Minnesota have been confronting real issues.

Such as, should bicyclists be required to halt at stop signs if there's no traffic coming — in effect, treating stop signs as yield signs?

That's what Idaho law says, and several states are considering the same.

"If you're on a bike, it seems silly to stop at every light," bicyclist Dan Korn to the Chicago Tribune.

Little, I suspect, does Mr. Korn realize that in rural Idaho, if you're driving a car it seems silly to stop at every light.

Traffic laws are to Idaho motorists what the Ten Commandments are to Unitarians: The Ten Suggestions.

And especially traffic laws that pertain to stopping and yielding.

In rural Idaho, stopping a rig is best accomplished by allowing it to roll to a halt in the middle of the intersection. Yielding, on the other hand, is a simple question of size.

You always yield to a train or a beet truck, but anything smaller is a matter for negotiation.

At a four-way stop, for example, you're required to slow down. But the first principle of "I Got Here First" is that you don't slow down for very long.

When I was teenager, I pulled up to a four-way stop sign in rural Bannock County. So did a F150 with Bondo doors, blown shocks and tail-dragging muffler.

Idaho law — you could look it up — stipulates that in such a situation, you're supposed to yield to the vehicle on your right, so I sat there for 60 seconds or so, waiting for the Ford to make its move.

The truck finally did, just at the moment when I grew impatient and pulled into the intersection.

As a youngster, that experience taught me two important lessons: Don't drive at night with a daytime-only license, and never trust another Idaho motorist to avoid idiocy if idiocy can possibly be avoided.

That was a lesson reinforced by my mother, who grew up in the Cedar Draw area of Twin Falls County. When she was a kid, there was a terrible collision at the corner where she lived, between a Model-T and a Model-A.

Witnesses said both cars slowed down as they approached the intersection, then speeded up. When they arrived at precisely the same spot at exactly the same time, they were doing about 80 mph between them.

"Son," Mom said the morning she sent me off to my first driver-training class. "You'll be fine as long as you remember one thing: Idaho drivers are completely nuts."

So the question, really, isn't whether Idaho bicyclists should be compelled to stop or slow down. The question is who in his or her right mind would ride a bike in traffic in Idaho.

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Twin Falls man recovering from assault in Arizona

By Ben Botkin
Times-News writer

Graham Stanley of Twin Falls walked into the cafeteria of an Arizona hospital on Tuesday and ate a bacon cheeseburger and fries.

For his father, Graydon Stanley, it's another sign that his son is well on his way to recovery following an assault on Sept. 12 near Arizona State University in Tempe.

"It's been nothing short of miraculous," said Graydon Stanley, also the dean of students at the College of Southern Idaho.

The attack initially had left 23-year-old Graham Stanley in critical condition with brain injuries. He was moved to the rehabilitation floor of the hospital on Friday and has started therapy, his father said.

Graham, a Twin Falls High School graduate and former Bruin basketball player, is now able to walk unassisted and talk.

On Tuesday, Graham was outside, where his therapist had him walk over grass and uneven ground. "Everything has been on a fast track," Graydon Stanley said.

Graham has also started working on math and looking up information in phone books as part of his therapy. The father was reminded of his son's progress on Tuesday when he watched him carry a tray in the cafeteria.

"He has been so determined," Graydon Stanley said, adding that he appreciates the community's support. "We are just really optimistic."

Until Monday, Graham had to go by a code name in the hospital to protect his identity because of the assault. Graham and another victim were robbed and assaulted by three men in an attack motivated by aggression, according to Tempe police.

Graham and Nick Deeds, 23, were headed home on foot but expecting a ride during their walk and flagged down a Jeep, police said. The suspects in the Jeep thought they were gesturing aggressively and turned around and initiated the attack, police said.

The two victims were allegedly kicked when they were down and their wallets, $6 in cash and a cell phone were taken, according to the Tempe Police Department.

Three male suspects were each arrested on two counts of aggravated assault and two counts of aggravated robbery, felonies. The men are: Jovi Lemusu, 18, Sunia Tukia, 18, and Gavin Lemusu, 20, according to police. Also arrested was Amber Van Dinè, 20, for theft of a credit card, according to police.

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for funding a bailout plan. However, when some of those who opposed a bailout were interviewed, several said they reluctantly would accept a bailout plan if Congress decided one was necessary.

"It sticks in my craw," said Camille Woyak, 82, a retired office worker in Appleton, Wis., who said she opposed a bailout. "There should be some other solution. But I think the taxpayers are going to have to cover it. I don't know any other way out."

"I lived through the Depression as a little girl," she added. "I don't want to go through that again."

Even voters who said they supported a government-funded bailout said they weren't happy about the idea.

"Normally, I'd like to keep government out of the economy as much as we can," said Morris Vermeulen, 73, a retired housing inspector in Rogers, Ark. "But somebody's got to do something. We can't have a complete financial collapse."

Still, Vermeulen added, he hoped Congress would find a way to penalize the Wall Street financial houses for forcing taxpayers to come to their aid. "We should draw a little blood from them," he said.

That mix of sentiments is one factor that has caused some Democrats and Republicans in Congress to balk at the Bush administration's bailout plan. Democrats have demanded new aid for distressed homeowners and limits on the pay of top executives whose firms get help. Some conservative Repub-licans have said the plan is an unwarranted use of taxpayer money to intervene in the private markets.

Other polls have found that voters want the government to do something to prevent a financial collapse, even though they do not like the idea of footing the bill. A Pew Research Center Poll released Tuesday, for example, found that 57 percent of respondents said the government was doing the right thing by intervening to stabilize the economy.

The Times/Bloomberg Poll asked respondents if they believed it was "the government's responsibility to bail out private companies with taxpayers' dollars." A majority said no.

The Pew Poll, by contrast, asked respondents if "investing billions to try and keep financial institutions and markets secure" was the right thing to do. A majority said yes.

In the Times/Bloomberg poll, a large majority, 62 percent, said they believed insufficient government regulation was partly responsible for the financial crisis.

As to where the blame should go, Americans are divided: 32 percent blamed Wall Street financial institutions, and 26 percent blamed the Bush administration. (Democrats tended to blame the administration; Republicans tended to blame Wall Street.)

Most Americans also oppose federal loans to help ailing automakers, another proposal Congress is considering, the poll found. Among all respondents, 64 percent said they opposed government loans to automotive firms, and 25 percent were in favor.

The financial crisis has helped push public gloom to a record depth: Seventy-nine percent of adults said they thought the country was "on the wrong track," the the largest percentage holding that view ever recorded by the Times poll.

Asked whether the country was "generally going in the right direction" or "on the wrong track," 79 percent said "wrong track" and 13 percent said "right direction." That exceeded the previous record of 78 percent "wrong track" responses in June.

When people in the survey were asked whether they felt the nation's economy was doing well or badly, 81 percent said the economy was doing badly, an increase from 76 percent recorded in August — and close to the record high of 82 percent recorded in June, when energy prices were soaring.

Bank: Tamarack faces $22 million in liens

BOISE (AP) — Contractors hired to do construction work and other projects at Tamarack Resort have filed as many as 77 liens valued at more than $22 million, according to the bank involved in foreclosure of the central Idaho resort.

The liens range from as small as $3,000 for a set of steel garage doors on a parking structure to $1.4 million owed to a construction company hired to work on condominiums at Tamarack Village, the Idaho Statesman reported Tuesday.

In March, Swiss bank Credit Suisse began foreclosure after the financially troubled golf and ski resort near Donnelly defaulted on a $260 million loan. The resort's principal owners, Jean-Pierre Boespflug and Alfredo Miguel Afif, have sought bankruptcy protection in the case.

With the resort's future so uncertain, several contractors hired to work at the resort say they don't expect to be paid in full for their labor and materials.

Marc Anderson, owner of Independent Metal Fab in Middleton, filed a lien for $67,000 for the cost of installing steel canopies, facades on storefronts, columns and connecting steel on structures. His lien total doesn't include the $1,800 per month his company spent for housing his crew at the resort for six months last year.

The loss has forced Anderson to reduce his four-person crew to two, work longer hours and dip into his retirement account to pay federal taxes.

Anderson considered suing Tamarack for the money, but struggled fining a lawyer willing to take a case complicated by bankruptcy and foreclosure proceedings.

"My attorney had a conflict, so he referred me to another attorney, who said he wouldn't touch it because 'this mess isn't going to be resolved in my lifetime,'" Anderson said.

With real-estate sales slumping, construction at the site 90 miles north of Boise is at a standstill. Tennis stars Andre Agassi and Steffi Graf have bailed out of a luxury hotel project and Boespflug and Afif are seeking new investors.

Tamarack is still trying to find a buyer or a new investor, including working with Idaho's affordable-housing lender to arrange up to $670 million in revenue bonds to be backed by future real-estate sales.

Spokesman Ken Rider said the company's board expects to decide by mid-October whether it can obtain financing or must sell the project.

Despite the resort's financial woes, some contractors have been reimbursed by establishing ground rules with the resort.

For example, officials at Quality Tile Roofing Inc., of Boise, knew about Tamarack's financial problems before accepting a project at the resort last fall and before the bankruptcy developments unfolded. To protect itself, the company insisted on tight payment provisions in the contract, Vice President Kent Tolley said.

"We were one of the few that got paid on a regular basis until the wheels came off," Tolley said.

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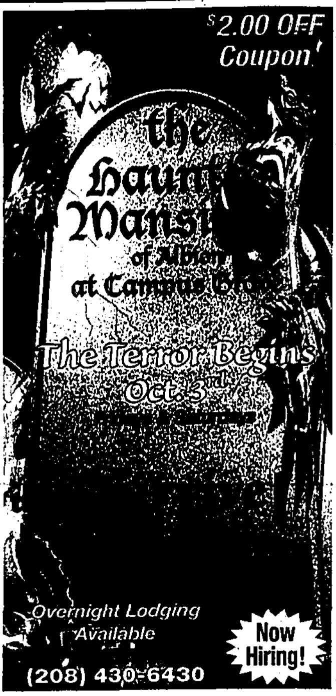

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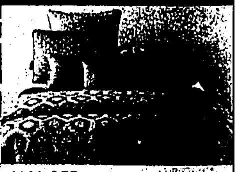

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Idaho Falls mediator chosen for Twin Falls clinic dispute

By Nate Poppino
Times-News writer

It won't be easy, it seems, to help Twin Falls County and St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center find common ground over remodeling a current clinic building.

In his search for a mediator, Twin Falls attorney Laird Stone turned to Marvin M. Smith, an eastern Idaho lawyer who is now tasked with walking both parties through the dispute, Twin Falls County Commissioner Tom Mikesell said.

A former district judge, Smith is in the same Idaho Falls law firm as Blake Hall, whom Stone served with on the Idaho State Board of Education. Stone, who has contracted with the county for the dispute issue, said Smith was approved in late summer.

The dispute strained relations between both parties earlier this year, and centers on how much the hospital should pay to remodel its downtown clinic for use as county office space. The 2006 agreement that sold the county-owned hospital to St. Luke's requires the health company to provide $3 million in in-kind services.

Stone's goal, Mikesell said, was to find a qualified mediator who was from Idaho and had no ties to either the hospital or the clinic.

"I wanted to find someone in-state because we're talking about local money," Stone said.

His final list, he said, included Smith and a retired Ada County judge, as well as one out-of-state mediator. Both sides agreed to Smith.

According to his firm's Web site, Smith served with the Twin Falls firm Webb, Burton, Carlson, Pedersen & Paine in the late 1970s before moving to Idaho Falls and, eventually, a post as a 7th District Judge from 1991 to 1996. He primarily practices hospital, medical malpractice and insurance law, and received his degree from J. Reuben Clark Law School at Brigham Young University.

Stone said he knew Smith from his time in Twin Falls and that he felt Smith's experience with legal issues surrounding health care, businesses and corporations would help with the dispute.

"We've got a very, very good mediator," Stone said.

Hospital officials agree, spokeswoman Jody Tremblay said.

"After our due diligence, we were very comfortable with the selection," she said.

The county and hospital will split the cost of bringing Smith to Twin Falls, he said, following the guidelines in the hospital sales agreement. Smith, Stone said, will likely charge around $100 to $200 an hour, "not out of line" with mediator rates in southern Idaho.

Both sides, Stone said, should be responsible for their own attorney costs.

Still to be determined is the date of the mediation. Both sides are "getting closer," Stone said, and will likely pick a date in December.

Nate Poppino may be reached at 208-735-3237.

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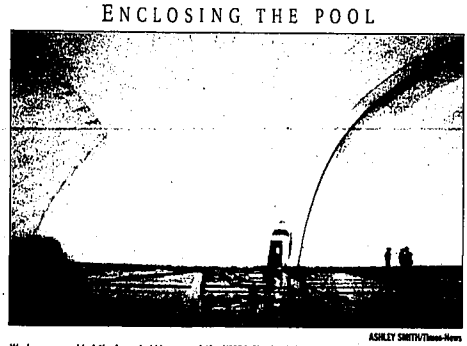

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Workers assembled the huge bubble around the YMCA City Pool Tuesday afternoon in Twin Falls. About 40 people from the city and YMCA have been working since Sunday on the project. John Pauley, aquatics director for the YMCA, expects the pool to be re-opened on Thursday or Friday.

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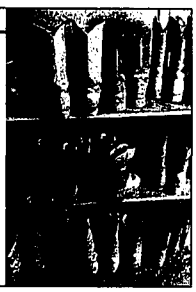

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Ketchum recall misses November deadline

An effort to recall the mayor of Ketchum will not appear on the November ballot because it was not turned in on time, City Clerk Sandy Cady said Tuesday evening.

But Mayor Randy Hall may still face a recall sometime after the Nov. 4 election. A recall would still move forward if petition writer Anne Corrock turns in the 418 required certified signatures from Ketchum residents by 5 p.m. today, Cady said.

Two deadlines are in play, Cady said. In order to make the issue part of the November election, Corrock would have had to turn her petition in before Saturday, 45 days before the election. But according to state law, the petition can still be submitted until 75 days after Corrock started collecting signatures, which was July 11, Cady said. That gives her until the end of the day today.

The recall would then be pushed to the next election date, Feb. 10, Cady said.

The petition alleges Hall mishandled the city budget and voted himself a salary increase during a budget crisis, among other charges.

Info meeting planned for Canyon Ridge HS

An informational meeting is scheduled for Thursday to provide information to students and parents about their high school options in Twin Falls.

By Oct. 15, Twin Falls High School juniors will need to let the district know if they want to spend their senior year in 2009-10 at Twin Falls High School or Canyon Ridge High School, which is currently under construction.

Canyon Ridge Principal Brady Dickinson said the meeting's purpose is to answer questions from students and their parents before they submit their choice. The meeting will take place at 7 p.m. Thursday in the cafeteria of Twin Falls High School, 1615 Filer Ave.

While the meeting is primarily aimed at high school juniors making their choice, other school district patrons looking for information about Canyon Ridge High School are welcome to attend.

CSI entrance closed temporarily today

The College of Southern Idaho's main entrance at Falls Avenue will be temporarily closed today while the arms of the new traffic signal are installed.

The closure will begin at about 8:30 a.m. today and is expected to be reopened later in the morning. Crews will also be set up in the lanes of Falls Avenue and Quincy Street to set up traffic signal arms.

Drivers are asked to follow all temporary traffic control signals and be ready to use a different entrance.

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Buhl discusses Boys and Girls Club

By Blair Koch
Times-News correspondent

Gauging from community input given during Monday's meeting, Boys and Girls Club Advisory Board Member Jim Lunte said he thinks residents of Buhl are in favor of a establishing a club in the town.

Residents commenting during the community meeting, held at the Buhl High School, also sounded mostly in favor of the club's proposal of building a clubhouse on the vacant lot adjacent to the 7th Street Gym and near the elementary school.

"Yes, it sounds like Buhl wants a Boys and Girls Club," Lunte told the *Times-News*.

Over 50 residents attended the special forum, called together by trustees to see if the community thinks having a Boys and Girls Club in Buhl is a good idea.

The club recently suspended its after-school program, held in the Popplewell Elementary gymnasium/lunchroom, due to personnel shortages.

Parent Clay Bingham told the board he is disappointed for his daughter that the club is no longer functioning in Buhl because it was a positive and structured program.

"She was excited to go to school," he said.

Resident Bill Hatfield is against the board possibly allowing the clubhouse to be built on district property. He feels the club is just "entertaining kids."

"The club is the one that's going to get all the benefit. Sure, if the club doesn't pan out the district will get the building for free but then it's a burden to the district because it's going to cost us taxpayers to maintain it and that (isn't) right," Hatfield said. "If people can't take care of their kids than they shouldn't have any."

Resident Betty Smith disagreed with that sentiment.

"We need that club to keep the kids out of trouble," Smith said.

Last December the school board decided to pull out of plans to lease property, just north of Popplewell Elementary, to the club due to legal concerns over liability.

Those concerns, legally, could be overridden by the district leasing property to the City of Buhl, which would turn around and lease the property back to the Boys and Girls Club.

While the 7th Street Gym is currently used on a limited basis due to the lack of adequate restroom facilities required by the state, the club is willing to share the cost for the restrooms and concession area/foyer as well as allow the district to use the clubhouse.

"We're here for the kids," said Boys and Girls Club of the Magic Valley Executive Director Sam Fowler.

No decisions were made by the board but needs to, said Trustee Barbara Bremers. "At some point we've got to make a decision," she said.

Senate passes huge tax break package

By Jim Abrams
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — The Senate passed a giant tax package Tuesday that saves more than 20 million taxpayers from the bite of the alternative minimum tax.

At a cost of more than $100 billion, the bill also nudges the nation toward greater use of alternative energy resources, renews popular tax breaks for businesses and individuals, and extends relief to disaster victims.

It includes a provision to ensure that mental health problems get the same level of insurance benefits as other medical treatment. The bill passed 93-2.

"The economy is struggling," Senate Finance Committee Chairman Max Baucus, D-Mont., said. "At times like these, Americans need tax cuts that they've come to count on, that can help them get by."

But with time running out in this session of Congress, the House is choosing to diverge from the Senate by taking up a bill that fully pays for the business and individual tax breaks by eliminating some tax breaks for hedge fund managers and for corporations doing business overseas.

The Senate only partially offsets the costs of its business and individual tax breaks, and Senate leaders warned that any changes could doom the bill. The House could take up its version as early as Wednesday.

The tax bill is one of several major efforts to right the teetering economy in what could be the final week of this session of Congress. Lawmakers are trying to reach agreement on a $700 billion plan to bail out failing financial institutions, and Democrats are trying to put together a stimulus package to help average citizens get through the current economic crisis.

The alternative minimum tax was enacted in 1969 to catch a few very rich tax dodgers. But it was never adjusted for inflation and now Congress must act every year to ensure it doesn't catch more people.

Without action, those affected could grow from about 4 million to 25 million, at an average tax increase of $2,000.

Senate backs timber payments, sales tax deduction for Northwest states

WASHINGTON (AP) — The massive tax relief bill passed by the Senate includes several major provisions sought by Pacific Northwest lawmakers.

The bill would extend a multiyear program of payments to rural counties hurt by federal logging cutbacks and allow Washington state residents to continue deducting state sales taxes on income tax returns.

It also extends billions of dollars in tax credits for renewable energy such as solar, wind and hydropower, as well as biomass and geothermal electricity.

Sen. Ron Wyden, D-Ore., said the vote means that schools and law enforcement agencies across the West have a chance to receive the timber funding they were promised by the federal government.

The tax bill includes a four-year, $2.1 billion reauthorization of the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000, commonly known as "county payments." The bill also provides $1.7 billion for a separate program that compensates states for lost tax revenue from federally owned land.

The timber law provides hundreds of millions of dollars to Oregon, Idaho and other states, mostly in the West, that once depended on federal timber sales to pay for schools, libraries and other services in rural areas.

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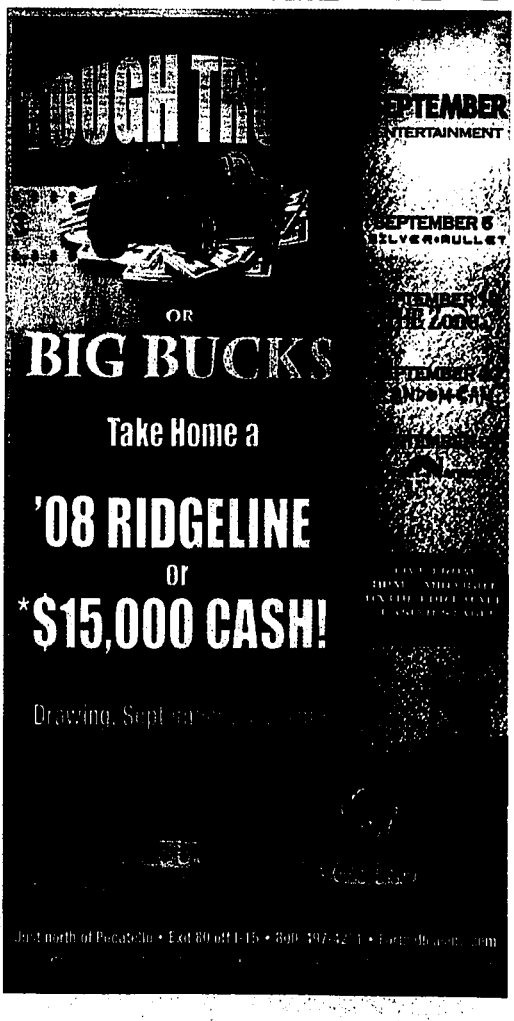

Sali says bailout lacks depth and public support

By Todd Dvorak
Associated Press writer

"If we fix the economy, we can grow our way out of this."
— Rep. Bill Sali, R-Idaho

BOISE — Rep. Bill Sali says President Bush's plan to rescue the nation's financial industry ignores the deeper troubles facing the nation's economy and lacks public support in his district.

Sali, a conservative Republican's freshman from Idaho's 1st District, acknowledges he has yet to propose a solution or support an alternative to the administration's $700 billion plan.

Last week Sali joined 30 other House Republicans in denouncing the proposed bailout for some of Wall Street's biggest financial firms. As lawmakers debate the merits of the proposal, Sali says it's difficult to back a plan that doesn't include a remedy for the ailing economy.

"If we fix the economy, we can grow our way out of this," Sali told reporters Tuesday. "We've got to have an economy that is healthy. Just focusing on the financial institutions is not enough."

In hearings Tuesday, Federal Reserve Chairman Ben Bernanke and Treasury Secretary Henry Paulson urged senators to approve the Bush plan, warning of more economic bad news unless Congress acts swiftly. Without a bailout, they said, businesses and consumers would struggle to borrow money and the nation's economy would grind to a virtual halt.

The legislation would allow the government to buy bad mortgages and other rotten assets held by troubled banks and financial institutions.

Sali said he would prefer a plan offering to cancel taxes for private investors willing to take the risk and buy bad mortgages.

Based on constituent calls to his offices, he added, the administration's plan hardly seems a favorite in his district, which stretches from west Boise to Coeur d'Alene.

"This just does not have public sentiment behind it," Sali said.

Rep. Mike Simpson, a Republican who is seeking a sixth term from Idaho's 2nd District, says his staff is hearing similar sentiment, but he adds that despite his reservations, a large scale bailout may be necessary to avert an economic disaster that could undermine individual savings and retirement accounts.

"Almost all of our phone calls are telling us, 'Don't do this bailout,'" Simpson said. "I can certainly understand why people feel that way, but on the other hand, do we just let the economy go down?"

Sens. Larry Craig and Mike Crapo, both R-Idaho, have not taken positions on the Bush plan. Crapo said he wants assurances that taxpayers will be protected.

Sali, locked in a heated re-election contest with Democrat Walt Minnick, is hewing to a philosophical position that resonates with the core of his voter base, said Jasper LiCalzi, a professor of political economy at The College of Idaho.

"I'd be surprised if he would support this kind of plan," said LiCalzi. "It violates everything that's in his political makeup."

ISU prepares contingency budget plans

POCATELLO (AP) — Idaho State University is preparing to scale back on planned construction in case Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter decides to cut spending from the state's general fund.

Last week Otter ordered top state administrators, institution leaders and department heads to revisit their 2009 budgets and find ways to save money to offset a nearly 6 percent projected shortfall in state revenue. In a letter to the administrators, Otter said the revisions are necessary because the downturns in the state and national economies that have left Idaho's general fund with $174.3 million less than anticipated.

James Fletcher, ISU's vice president of finance, told the Idaho State Journal that the school anticipated the nation's declining economy and made provisions earlier this year to prepare for cuts on nonpersonnel spending. For instance, the university held onto the state's special equipment and ongoing general expense money — using it as a savings account of sorts instead of distributing the money to its departments — until it had time to see how the economy progressed.

"We saw (the special equipment) fund as being a potential provision. So, we didn't distribute it yet," he said.

Bacterial infection killed Boise beating victim

BOISE (AP) — A 22-year-old man who died less than two days after being beaten was killed by bacterial meningitis, the Ada County coroner said.

Three men and a teenager are charged with aggravated battery in the beating of Jamar Gattis, and may face more charges, County Deputy Prosecutor George Gunn said.

Coroner Erwin Sonnenberg determined the cause of death was from the spine and brain infection, but said it appears Gattis contracted the disease because of the assault, such as through a wound that became infected.

"I had heard about the infection, but what that means for the case I haven't yet figured out," Gunn said. "It certainly complicates the case."

Doctors and hospitals are required by law to report bacterial meningitis, a serious and contagious illness with a mortality rate of about 10 percent. There were 10 confirmed cases in Idaho last year, with one death, said Emily Simnitt, a spokeswoman for the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare. There were four confirmed cases in Idaho for the first eight months of this year.

The disease is generally spread through kissing, coughing or other transfer of throat and respiratory secretions.

Though the four people charged in the case — Michael Wayne Wade, 23, Javon McLaurin, 18, Christopher Spears, 22, and a 17-year-old whose name has not been released — wore medical masks during their arraignment last week, medical staffers later determined there was no health risk to the community.

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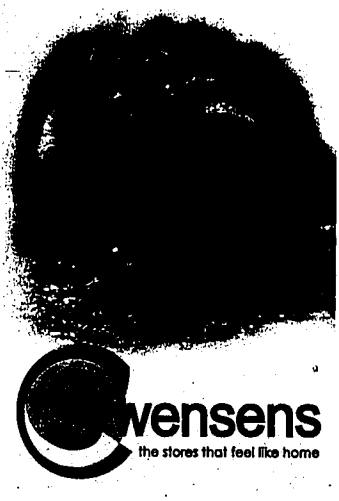

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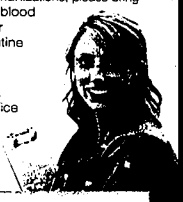
Join us at the Health Fair for free carotid artery screenings, skin cancer screenings, pulmonary testing, vision exams, and blood pressure checks. We'll also offer reduced cost flu, pneumonia, and adult tetanus shots, and glucose test, and blood tests. And you can talk with the medical experts at our "Ask-a-Doc" booth.

Bring your Medicare/Medicaid card. For immunizations, please bring your immunization record. If you are having blood drawn, please fast for 12 hours prior to your test. You may drink water and take your routine medications, but nothing else.



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Friday, October 24, 7am-2pm
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Birth/Parenting

Infant Safety and CPR Class
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Thursday, October 2 and Tuesday, October 7, 6:30-9pm
St. Luke's Magic Valley Downtown Campus Lobby
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Wednesdays, October 8-November 5, 6:30-9pm
St. Luke's Magic Valley Downtown Campus Lobby
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Diabetes Education Classes
A series of classes on diet therapy, medication administration, foot care, and more. Pre-registration required, call 736-6218. Fee is billed to insurance.
Wednesdays, September 24-October 8, 9:30am-noon
Genoa Building, Suite A, 746 North College Road

Parkinson Disease Exercise Group
This program uses "soft" exercise to help delay the progression of symptoms and provide for a more active and comfortable life. Call 737-2126 for information. Free.
Tuesdays and Thursdays, September 25-October 7, 11am-noon
Episcopal Church of the Ascension, 371 Eastland Drive North

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Mondays and Fridays, September 26-October 6, 9-10am
YMCA City Pool, 756 Locust Street

Back School

Basic anatomy of the spine, common injuries, diseases leading to back pain, and more. Call 737-2126 to pre-register. Local businesses may request on-site classes. $25
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St. Luke's Magic Valley, Doctor's Meeting Room

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EDITORIAL

Air Magic Valley 2008 might have avoided red ink

The air show was fantastic, but the financial management left a lot to be desired.

Twin Falls city officials on Monday reported that this summer's Air Magic Valley finished $21,513 in the red — which city and county taxpayers will have to cover, along with $50,000 in security costs.

We don't have a problem with spending tax money on an event that attracts 25,000 people and generates dollars for the local economy. But it's disturbing that organizers couldn't come up with accurate estimates for attendance, revenue or even predictable expenses before the show, and we're troubled by the ad hoc way the finances were managed.

Moreover, sponsors and many public officials seem unconcerned about asking the city and the county to absorb $72,000 in unanticipated expenses, including the $12,499 spent for a VIP hangar party. That's money that won't go for a deputy on patrol or to patch potholes.

Our view: Doing more homework and paying closer attention to costs would have served the organizers of Air Magic Valley 2008 better.

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

It's hard to disagree with Twin Falls County Commission Chairman Tom Mikesell, a skeptic of this enterprise from the start.

"You can't reach into your hat and pull out the magic rabbit," Mikesell said Monday. "You have to plan and you have to do research and I'm not sure there was enough time to do that."

Mikesell said he's only heard good things about the show but added that, "being that much in a hole is not a success."

Next time — and we hope there is a next time — show organizers should:

• Plan conservatively. Organizers said they were optimistic but didn't anticipate all costs. Doing some additional homework about the balance sheets of other air shows might have prevented that.

• Limit free tickets. Sponsors, military families, veterans and more than 400 volunteers got them; that clearly put a dent in profits.

• Put a premium on accurate cost accounting. Organizers exceeded estimates for 12 of 20 expense items, including things that should have been easy to foresee — hotel rooms for the Blue Angels, the cost of other acts and the amount of advertising.

• Nail down sponsors earlier. Sponsorships were lower than expected. Organizers' goal was $150,000; they collected just $114,000.

• If financial help from the city and county is needed, ask in advance. Having to mop up red ink after the fact doesn't sit well with taxpayers.

If volunteers can't handle the planning and accounting, hire a professional. It'll be less expensive in the long-run.

Air Magic Valley 2008 was a truly community asset, but not at any cost.

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Obamaites get in your face

MICHELLE MALKIN

Warning: If your neighbor's got an "Obama '08" bumper sticker or lawn sign, you might want to double-check your door locks at night. The One has commanded his Purveyors of Change to go forth and proselytize to the unbelievers. And they're not going to be knocking gently like Avon Ladies.

Barack Obama, you see, is done fixing souls. It's time to crack heads. Prodded by panicked Democrats to take off his white gloves, he issued a Call to Strong Arm to his legions of angry followers on Wednesday. Hope is out. Hellfire is in. Now, the same analysts who tut-tutted Sarah Palin's mild use of sarcasm at the GOP convention are heralding — in the words of the Obama water-carriers at The Associated Press — Obama's "feistier, more sarcastic tone" and his push for Democrat activists "to sharpen their elbows, too."

When Republicans get aggressive, it's "dirty." When Obama gets aggressive, it's "feisty." Exorcism the One: "I need you to go out and talk to your friends and talk to your neighbors. I want you to talk to them whether they are independent or whether they are Republican. I want you to argue with them and get in their face."

Team Obama is so committed to this "face-to-face" shock troop campaign that it is now busing activists from state to state ("Drive for Change!") to target undecided voters — and offering subsidies to volunteers. In advance of Obama's rally in Nevada, California field director Mary Jane Stevenson organized a pilgrimage to boost the crowd numbers with housing incentives:

"Face-to-face contact with undecided voters is the single most effective way to grow this movement. No experience is required, and we'll help you make the trip as easily as possible with either housing in Nevada or discounted group rates at an area hotel."

Yep, a bunch of angry Obama cultists and left-wing ACORN drifters are coming to your neighborhoods to accuse you of racism, call you unpatriotic for not bowing down and forking over more taxes to keep the Mother Ship afloat, and check your tire pressure and thermostats while they're at it. Feel the power of positive change.

The in-your-face directive comes as Team Obama Chicago-fies its tactics by:

• Slapping up sleazy ads. The latest one twisted the words of radio talk giant Rush Limbaugh in a laughable attempt to paint John McCain as an immigration hardliner and stir fear among Hispanic voters;

• Doubling down on the race card. Kansas Gov. Kathleen Sebelius shamelessly baited supporters with this line: "Have any of you noticed that Barack Obama is part African-American? (Republicans) are not going to go lightly into the darkness;"

• Suppressing dissent. Rebuffed by the Justice Department in their efforts to prosecute conservatives for running ads critical of Obama's ties to Weather Underground terrorist Bill Ayers, the campaign is using an army of supporters to mob radio and television stations daring to air investigations of the relationship. The foot soldiers receive their marching orders through "Obama Action Wires" and bombard critics with disruptive phone calls.

Meanwhile, the Left's Sarah Palin hatred has been encouraged by the in-your-face comments of Michelle Obama, who derided the Alaska governor's intellect ("What you learn about Barack from his choice is that he's not afraid of smart people") and looks (don't cast a vote because "she's cute") on the campaign trail. And Team Obama's goons on the Internet — led by Gawker Media and the Huffington Post — are reveling in the hacking of Palin's private e-mail account, the publication of private, family photos of her children stolen from her account, and the abuse of daughter Bristol's cell phone number stolen from the account. For countless friends of Obama, "in your face" is code for "anything goes."

In words and actions that would have made his mentor Saul Alinsky proud, Barack Obama is rubbing raw the sores of discontent — and summoning his unhinged flock to do the same. All hail the community-agitator-in-chief. And remember: Lock your doors.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Carefully consider who you will vote for

Well, November is rapidly approaching and the time has arrived to start seriously considering or choices come Election Day.

I feel I need to respond to a couple of letters I have read recently bemoaning the fact that Idaho will vote solidly for John McCain and wondering why we support him so solidly. I submit that it is not so much we think that he is such a good candidate as that his opponent is so bad.

Now that you Democrats are heating tar and opening feather pillows, let me ask, How can you possibly support a man for president of the United States who not only for 20-plus years listens and shouts amen to the openly anti-U.S. rhetoric of a radical preacher? From March 1972 until June 2008, the Rev. Jeremiah Wright Jr. regularly and consistently preached his messages of hate for the United States and all things white. Barrack Obama says he never heard him say it. What, did he sleep through all the man's sermons? That's the only way he could be the church-going Christian he claims to be and not hear them. He also must have sleep walked in and out as there was sure to have been some discussion of the sermons before and after.

Also, please explain to me why you would want a president who has "a non-negotiable commitment to Africa." If an individual wants to be committed to Africa, that's their right; however, the only nonnegotiable commitment I will allow in someone I want in the Oval Office is one with a non-negotiable commitment to the United States of America.

My fondest political dream is to one day be able to vote for the best man instead of the lesser of two evils for president.

A. WAYNE FRANDSEN
Twin Falls

Newspaper used to further lies

It is sad to see those who chose to hurt other people come back after all the hurt they cause and use the paper to further their lies. This is in reference to Monday's article on people being not prosecuted for lying.

When nothing ever happened to this man, even though evidence proves that person is lying. Yet because someone knows someone nothing happens. While others spend time in jail when they are innocent because when more than one person lies, it makes it the truth. There is a big difference of having your friends show up at your door and talking to you, and having those same friends haul someone else off to jail. Some people have freedom to move about with their civil rights while others have theirs taking away with lies.

Yes it is so true; God knows the truth. It's just sad that the system as it works now in this town is based on who you know and how many people you can get to tell your same lie. The real victims are the ones still being victimized while those who continue to lie prosper.

GARY CARKIN
Kimberly

Times-News praised for rejecting inappropriate ad

I would like to thank the staff at the *Times-News* for their quick and prompt response at rejecting an inappropriate ad in the classified section.

First, I called and talked to the operator, explained the situation and was told that they would pass on this information as soon as the editor came in. In a short time, I received a call from the editor. I explained the reason for my call was a concern for the public's safety and gave him the details. He told me he would check this out and call me back. He called back and said that the ad in question had been rejected and would not be in the classified the next day, and it was not.

I truly appreciate that a value of the public safety, by the paper, was outweighed by the value of a buck. Thank you again for the prompt response to this matter.

JAMES L. WENSVEEN
Jerome

We are blessed to live in the United States

How great it was to see on the front page of the Sept. 18 Times-News the picture and article about our Constitution. My hope is that schools throughout our nation will remind our young people and all of us how blessed we are to be citizens of the United States of America.

I applaud the band director, Gordon Smith, for his informative story about the "Star Spangled Banner." May it forever wave and remind us how fortunate we are to live here in freedom!.

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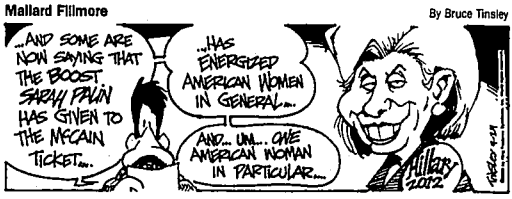

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Alternative electricity production methods needed

How many judges does it take to say that there is just not enough water to go around?

I recently read in the *Times-News* that another decision had been made to work something out between the surface and groundwater users on how to divide what does not always exist. Discussions continue about carryover or lack of carryover, mistakenly looking at one year at a time. Neither the groundwater users nor the surface users liked the most recent decision. It just keeps going and going, like the "Energizer Bunny" but without the humor. Eventually someone is going to have to say we just don't have enough water. What can be done to finally settle this issue?

Some say raise the dams. Raise them to collect what? The 30-year average now is not what it was 30 years ago. Our area has had two winters (1992 and 1997) that have even come close to the old 30-year average. The new 30-year average at 100 percent most likely won't fill the ponds we have, much less ponds that are bigger and deeper. We have lost a lot of storage capacity mainly due to silt deposits, and yet we have trouble filling them.

We boast about the low cost of electricity, but realize this, when you turn on a light you are using water, when you watch TV you are using water, when you listen to your home radio you are using water. Anything that uses electricity uses water.

We need to take a very hard look into alternative methods of producing electricity, which is as clean and renewable as is hydropower. That way we save as much water as possible for other uses.

It is time to send someone to Boise with the knowledge and background to work with hydrologists, farmers and all affected by the prospects of losing their livelihood, which is everyone in the state. District 26 Senate Democratic candidate Scott McClure is that man. All in Minidoka and Jerome counties need to give this some serious thought.

Please vote on Nov. 4.

BILL RICE
Rupert

(Editor's note: Bill Rice is the chairman of the Mini-Cassia Democrats.)

Mini-Cassia full of hate-filled people

I too have had people make false reports to the police. The first time was about 18 years ago. Somebody told the Cassia County police I was riding a stolen bicycle. They didn't even get the name brand right. They said Schwinn. My bike was a Myata made in Taiwan. The police came to my work place and looked at my bike anyway in front of customers. After that I got crank calls, pets poisoned and false reports that I stalk people.

For the last 14 years I got this. Oh, I've complained to the police. They don't listen or do anything to stop it. I've gotten my bicycle vandalized eight times, had a few things stolen — small things like empty gas cans, sprinklers — things like that. I know it's all related, but the police ignore me like I brought it on myself. How? (My learning disability I think.) I even wrote a letter to the editor in the South Idaho Press in 2004. It didn't fix it all very long.

I gave up calling the police. I figure because some of those that make up stories just know how to lie so good. The police are dumb enough to fall for the game, so I'm forced to put up with trash talk, etc., until the day comes when one or two jerks pull something on me and I make a lawsuit on Cassia County, etc.

Someday that could happen. Mini-Cassia's full of hate-filled people. But I'm not moving away. I'm too strong.

JAMES DRAPER
Heyburn

Busy North College Road intersection needs a light

With our children, my wife and I travel North College Road to Washington Street North each and every day. This intersection is so dangerous that we take our lives in our hands just trying to get to work and school.

We have been assured for a long time that the Washington Street project would include a light signal at this intersection. Well guess what, friends, it's not to be! That planned signal has been removed from the Twin Falls Transportation Master Street Plan.

North College Road is very important because it is the only road on the north end of town that allows drivers to get off the "high traffic" east-to-west roads, and it allows drivers to travel from Grandview Drive to Locust Street. Traffic at this already dangerous intersection will soon greatly increase with the completion of the new Canyon Ridge High School, the new St. Luke's Hospital and the new Wal-Mart Super Store.

Who is looking out for our children's safety? When the new high school opens in 2009, the intersection will be so backed up with new young drivers. These drivers will choose to drive through tight neighborhoods that have young children walking and biking to school. What about the school buses? The ambulances?

Could this poor decision, made by the Twin Falls City Council, be a result of the College of Southern Idaho not wanting us to drive near its campus? North College is a very important road for Twin Falls going forward. Who is running our town? What do you think?

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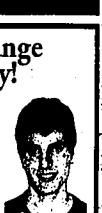

Pascal from France, 17 yrs. Loves the outdoors and playing water. Pascal's dream has been to spend time in America learning about our customs and attending classes at high school.

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The rich get richer, the poor get poorer

DERRICK Z. JACKSON

Holding one's breath while waiting for presidential candidates to address the gap between rich and poor is a sure way to asphyxiate.

Barack Obama and John McCain had a fine opportunity to discuss the issue last weekend, when Rick Warren, the latest heir to Billy Graham's chair as unofficial national pastor, held a one-man inquisition of the two presumptive nominees. To his credit, Warren asked a very important question: "What would be the greatest moral failure of America?"

Obama answered, "We still don't abide by that basic precept in Matthew that whatever you do for the least of my brothers, you do for me ... that basic principle applies to poverty. It applies to racism and sexism. It applies to, you know, not having, not thinking about providing ladders of opportunity for people to get into the middle class. There's a pervasive sense, I think, that this country, as wealthy and powerful as we are, still don't spend enough time thinking about the least of us."

McCain answered, "Perhaps we have not devoted ourselves to causes greater than our self-interest ... I think after 9/11, my friends, instead of telling people to go shopping or take a trip, we should have told Americans to join the Peace Corps, AmeriCorps, the military, expand our volunteers, expand what you're doing."

Those are not the worst answers in the world, but are far from the best. For years now, every indicator has pointed to a gap that requires the urgency of a Marshall Plan or an Apollo program — or at least the attention we give Michael Phelps's eight gold medals.

A spring report from the Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, a think tank on fiscal policy for low- and middle-income Americans, found that the incomes of the top fifth of Americans went up 9.1 percent over the last decade, while incomes among the bottom fifth fell by 2.5 percent.

But closing the gap is difficult for Obama or McCain to claim as a top priority, because it means directly challenging the top 20 percent to give back to their country. It is clear that Obama knows intellectually that the gap is growing: he said this month in a speech in St. Petersburg that "people are starting to lose faith in the American dream." He offers all kinds of thoughtful plans on his website to give tax relief to the middle class, job programs to the poor, and billions of dollars of various state and federal stimulus packages.

But at the Warren forum, Obama also said, "Under the approach I'm taking, if you make $150,000 or less, you will see a tax cut. If you're making $250,000 or more, you're going to see a modest increase. What I am trying to do is create a sense of balance."

It is hard to see how Obama will restore balance with such modest expectations.

McCain treats the struggles of families more as a blip that would be rectified if he merely delivers relief on gas and food prices and slashes the corporate tax rate from 35 percent to 25 percent. Never mind that the Government Accountability Office reported last week that two-thirds of corporations operating in the United States paid no federal income taxes from 1998 to 2005.

Americans say repeatedly in surveys that they care about the income and wealth gaps. What they need is a politician who cares. Right now, Obama and McCain treat the gap as a third rail, as if to talk about it invites candidacy-killing charges of socialism. The candidate who touches the rail first just might discover that it delivers the jolt he needs to get to the White House.

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Western states, Canadian provinces propose global warming pact

By Margot Roosevelt
Los Angeles Times

Seven Western states and four Canadian provinces proposed a sweeping plan to crack down on global warming emissions Tuesday, across a region that represents 20 percent of the U.S. economy and 73 percent of Canada's economy.

The Western Climate Initiative, endorsed by the Western governors and Provincial leaders, would slash regional greenhouse gas emissions by 15 percent below 2005 levels in the next 12 years.

"We're sending a strong message to our federal governments that states and provinces are moving forward in the absence of federal action," said California Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger, adding that the effort would spur renewable energy development and create "green jobs."

The initiative calls for a program to cap emissions that contribute to global warming, grant industries fixed numbers of permits to pollute, and allow them to trade the permits among themselves, so the emissions can be achieved in the cheapest way possible. Such a cap-and-trade program has been adopted in Europe, and the Northeast of the U.S. is unveiling a more restricted version limited to power plants.

However President Bush has opposed any national climate legislation, and a comprehensive global warming bill that would have set up a national cap-and-trade program, failed in Congress earlier this year.

The western initiative comes as studies have shown that the western region of the U.S. is likely to suffer some of the most severe effects of expected climate change: water shortages, increased wildfires, coastal flooding, and species die-offs.

California passed a global warming law in 2006 and is well ahead of its neighboring states in setting up a program to cap emissions. A regional program is designed to prevent industries from relocating to states that have less strict emission regulations.

But the recommendations are no guarantee that state legislatures outside California will adopt the program.

Affected industries, from electrical plants to cement factories, are hoping to postpone or weaken state rules until a national program is adopted.

The western initiative, however, gives industries considerable flexibility by allowing up to 90 percent of pollution permits to be given to industry, rather than auctioned off, as environmentalists and consumer advocates had hoped. An auction would create funds to subsidize clean energy and prevent what environmental groups call "a free ride for polluters."

Rather than reduce all their own emissions, industries could reduce only 51 percent of them, and then purchase "offsets" from other sources, such as planting trees, or paying to capture landfill emissions, under the western initiative. Economists have expressed concerns that many offsets used in the European cap and trade program have proved to be bogus. In many cases, they have not reduced pollution beyond what was already planned.

EPA decides not to limit toxic pollutant in U.S. drinking water

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Environmental Protection Agency has decided there's no need to rid drinking water of a toxic rocket fuel ingredient that has fouled public water supplies around the country.

EPA reached the conclusion in a draft regulatory document not yet made public but reviewed Monday by The Associated Press.

The ingredient, perchlorate, has been found in at least 395 sites in 35 states at levels high enough to interfere with thyroid function and pose developmental health risks, particularly for babies and fetuses, according to some scientists.

The EPA document says that mandating a clean-up level for perchlorate would not result in a "meaningful opportunity for health risk reduction for persons served by public-water systems."

The conclusion, which caps years of dispute over the issue, was denounced by Democrats and environmentalists who accused EPA of caving to pressure from the Pentagon.

"This is a widespread contamination problem, and to see the Bush EPA just walk away is shocking," said Sen. Barbara Boxer, D-Calif., who chairs the Senate's environment committee.

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Stocks extend fall as Street weighs bailout

(AP) Financial markets extended their declines Tuesday as investors worried that lawmakers were beginning to doubt the necessity of a broad government bailout for financial institutions as a way to revive ailing credit markets.

Dow Jones Industrials	Nasdaq composite	Standard & Poor's 500	Russell 2000
-161.52	-25.65	-18.87	-11.25
10,854.17	2,153.33	1,188.22	709.19

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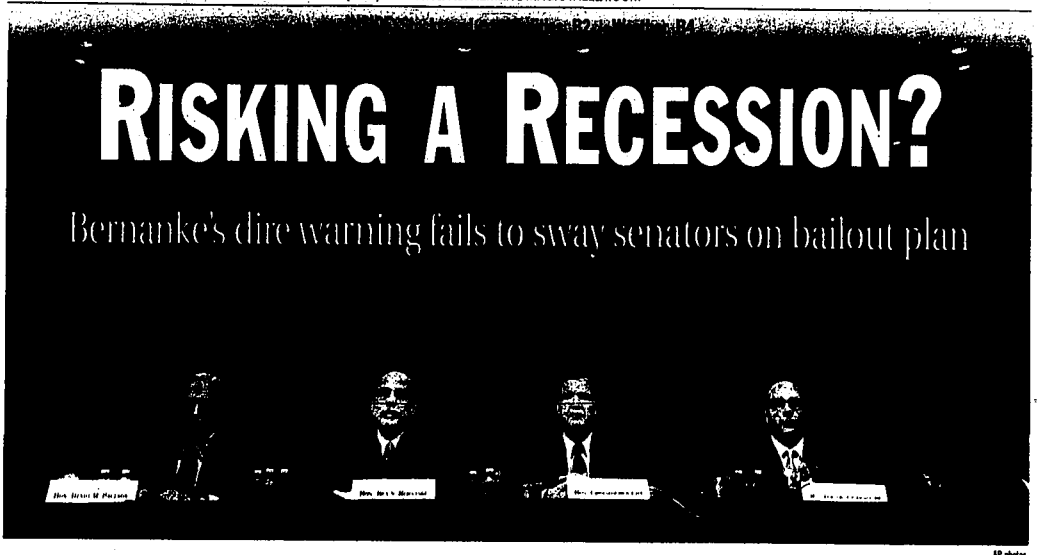
RISKING A RECESSION?

Bernanke's dire warning fails to sway senators on bailout plan



AP photos

From left, Treasury Secretary Henry Paulson, Federal Reserve Chairman Ben Bernanke, Security and Exchange Commission (SEC) Chairman Christopher Cox, and Federal Housing Finance Agency Director James Lockhart testify on Capitol Hill in Washington before the Senate Banking Committee.

Passage still predicted, but in modified form

By Jeannine Aversa
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — Refusing to be pushed, Republicans and Democrats alike rebuffed dire warnings Tuesday from the government's top economic officials of recession, layoffs and foreclosed homes if Congress doesn't quickly approve the administration's emergency $700 billion financial bailout plan.

Congressional leaders still predicted passage — with significant changes — but Wall Street's nerves were hardly soothed. The Dow Jones industrials sank 161 points and now are off more than 500 this week after initially surging on the bailout announcement last week.

Deepening market trouble was just one piece of the economic havoc that Federal Reserve Chairman Ben Bernanke and Treasury Secretary Henry Paulson told senators would ensue if Congress lags in acting on the administration's proposal to rescue tottering financial institutions.

"I share the outrage that people have," Paulson said. "It's embarrassing to look at this. I think it's embarrassing to the United States of America. There is a lot of blame to go around."

But without the bailout plan, Paulson and Bernanke sketched out a dire scenario for senators at a contentious daylong hearing: Neither businesses nor consumers would be able to borrow money, and the world's largest economy would grind to a virtual halt.

In public and in private meetings, both Democrats and Republicans said big changes are needed, presaging a difficult road ahead for the measure.

The legislation the administration is promoting would allow the government to buy bad mortgages and other rotten assets held by troubled banks and financial institutions. Getting those debts off

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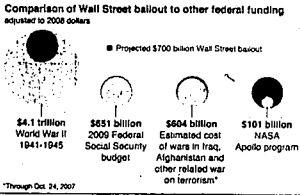
Senate Banking Committee Chairman Sen. Christopher Dodd, D-Conn., left, and the committee's ranking Republican, Sen. Richard Shelby, R-Ala. listen to testimony on Capitol Hill in Washington, during the committee's hearing on recent market turmoil.

Bailout rivals major federal spending

The White House is proposing at least $700 billion managed by the U.S. Treasury to prop up mortgage-related assets, rivaling the budgets for the wars and 2009 outlays for Social Security.

Comparison of Wall Street bailout to other federal funding
adjusted to 2008 dollars



*Through Oct. 24, 2007

SOURCES: Congressional Budget Office; NASA; Navy Department Library, Treasury Department — AP

The government's intervention in the financial markets is separating [illegible] into two categories: [illegible] to fail, and oth[illegible] small to bother rescu[illegible]

- List of key lawmakers who will be involved in the bailout package, their role in committees and their top donors. See B3.

Idaho banks still secure amid market turmoil

Indicators show core capital above national average

By Joshua Palmer
Times-News writer

Idaho's state-chartered financial institutions are safe havens for your money amid the nation's current financial turmoil, say officials with Idaho Department of Finance.

Gavin Gee, director of Idaho Department of Finance, said Idaho's financial institutions have largely avoided making subprime and nontraditional mortgage loans. He said Idaho institutions also avoided exposure to Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac preferred stock.

The Mortgage Bankers Association reported that about 2.2 percent of all mortgages in Idaho are considered seriously delinquent, while the national average is 4.5 percent.

However, Gee said he does expect fallout from Wall Street to affect local economies throughout Idaho in coming months.

"In some ways it has already hit the Main Street, in terms of losses in peoples' 401K plans, retirement accounts and other investments," he said. "But it's also going to take its toll on the economy in general by affecting other things such as employment and spending."

Key performance indicators of Idaho state-chartered financial institutions:

- Idaho headquartered banks and thrifts on average out-performed banks and thrifts nationwide with higher levels of capital, better earnings performance, and significantly lower percentages of non-current loans and net charge-offs.
- Idaho-based banks and thrifts reported an average core capital ratio of 12.25 percent, well above the nationwide average of 7.89 percent.
- Idaho based institutions reported average non-current loans to total loans and leases of 0.95 percent compared with the nationwide average of 2.04 percent.
- Idaho institutions reported net charge-offs — bad loans, less recovered loans — to total loans and leases of 0.31 percent compared to the nationwide average of 1.16 percent.
- Idaho institutions reported average loan growth rates of 9.32 percent compared to the nationwide average of 7.09 percent.
- Idaho credit unions also reported better than nationwide averages in several important measures of financial condition including capital, non-current loans, net charge-offs and loan growth.

Source: Idaho Department of Finance

Wall Street's recent meltdown will affect south-central Idaho's Main Streets

BIZ BITES
Joshua Palmer

Too much bad news: A reader asked why the *Times-News* Business section is "focusing on negative news on Wall Street."

Answer: What is happening on Wall Street and the rest of the financial sector will affect south-central Idaho.

Most people are already coping with major losses in their 401K and other investments due to the market meltdown — and sate officials say that is only the beginning.

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The proposed $700 billion bailout would be paid for by taxpayers like you and me — one congressman estimated that it would cost each taxpayer $3,200. Businesses will find it more difficult to expand or start new operations because capital is locked up in failing financial institutions — that means fewer jobs and less spending.

Furniture store replaced with furniture warehouse: A reader asked why the old Furniture Now building at 1708 Kimberly Road was torn down.

Answer: About 40 percent of the old building was razed to make way for construction of a furniture and appliance distribution warehouse.

The owner of the building received a special use permit to store the items for distribution to regional retail stores. The applicant of the permit was listed as White, White & Lawley.

The warehouse will

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STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Con Agra	19.57	▼	.08	Dell Inc.	16.33	▼	.24	Idacorp	30.57	▼	.05
Lithia Mo.	4.82	▼	.52	Micron	4.09	▼	.24	Supervalu	22.52	▲	.35

COMMODITIES

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Live cattle	102.20	▼	.25	Nov. oil	107	▼	2.37				
Oct. gold	896	▼	8.3	Sept. silver	13.12	▼	.28				

Today in business

- National Association of Realtors releases existing home sales for August.
- Federal Reserve Chairman Ben Bernanke testifies about the economy before the Joint Economic Committee.
- House Financial Services Committee hearing on the financial markets crisis.

MARKET SUMMARY

NYSE

MOST ACTIVE ($1 or more)

Name	Vol(00)	Last	Chg
AmlinEqy	2401604	5.00	+.28
FannieMae	2143441	1.31	+.52
FreddMac	1637633	1.32	+.47
WA Mutl	1108161	3.20	-.13
iSHR2K	846734	70.99	-.96

GAINERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
FreeHl pfK	6.99	+4.99	+249.5
FMae pfF	2.45	+.84	+35.3
FMae pfM	4.08	+.95	+30.4
FMae pfP	4.90	+1.06	+27.6
FMae pfG	3.60	+.73	+25.4

LOSERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
WA Mu pfR	147.00	-79.75	-35.2
MBNA pfD	14.48	-7.57	-34.3
DotcomTr	3.01	-1.54	-33.8
Impac pfC	4.80	-1.70	-26.2
FSA 7-2103	5.72	-1.39	-19.5

DIARY

Advanced	916
Declined	2,306
Unchanged	81
Total issues	3,303
New Highs	6
New Lows	123
Volume	5,105,842,172

AMEX

MOST ACTIVE ($1 or more)

Name	Vol(00)	Last	Chg
SPDR	3001681	116.55	-2.76
SP Fncl	1568902	20.49	-.06
ProUltFin	709298	18.29	-.54
PrUltSh00	439535	53.02	+1.02
PrUltSh&P	373354	73.48	+3.28

GAINERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
ApexSilv	3.42	+1.80	+87.9
MAG Silv g	8.50	+1.00	+16.2
CagleA	4.56	+.85	+18.8
EndvSilv g	2.45	+.27	+12.4
SunLink	2.78	+.25	+10.0

LOSERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
PynwnW o	8.31	-1.55	-15.7
PSN Indx	26.40	-4.77	-15.3
MacroEn	21.46	-3.26	-13.2
NTS Rlty	5.85	-.85	-13.1
Lodgian	7.62	-1.10	-12.6

DIARY

Advanced	362
Declined	868
Unchanged	69
Total issues	1,299
New Highs	5
New Lows	65
Volume	1,104,614,016

NASDAQ

MOST ACTIVE ($1 or more)

Name	Vol(00)	Last	Chg
PwShs QQQ	1774943	40.57	-.31
Microsoft	900643	25.44	+.04
Intel	637587	18.63	+.13
Cisco	453192	22.73	-.38
Apple Inc	452509	126.84	-4.21

GAINERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
MedRestr	5.45	+1.35	+32.8
EDAP TMS	2.79	+.57	+25.7
VnrmkInvs	2.20	+.45	+25.7
Isramc	45.00	+8.09	+21.9
SecNt II	2.70	+.45	+20.0

LOSERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
LOUD	2.04	-.83	-28.9
Cirrson	2.45	-.92	-27.4
AdvntaSA	4.50	-1.65	-26.8
Cache Inc	7.12	-2.38	-25.1
GFI Grp s	4.63	-1.52	-24.7

DIARY

Advanced	975
Declined	1,920
Unchanged	116
Total issues	3,011
New Highs	1
New Lows	115
Volume	1,971,186,897

INDEXES

14,198.10	10,459.44	Dow Jones Industrials	10,854.17	-161.52	-1.47	-18.17	-21.22
5,536.57	4,032.88	Dow Jones Transportation	4,792.00	-47.63	-.98	-4.83	-.30
555.71	423.33	Dow Jones Utilities	435.54	-5.73	-1.30	-18.21	-14.37
10,287.17	7,318.84	NYSE Composite	7,785.27	-133.34	-1.68	-20.07	-21.63
2,562.20	1,772.34	Amex Index	1,899.96	-2.59	-.14	-21.15	-19.84
2,861.51	2,070.22	Nasdaq Composite	2,153.33	-25.65	-1.18	-18.81	-19.76
1,576.09	1,133.50	S&P 500	1,188.22	-18.87	-1.56	-19.08	-21.68
852.06	643.28	Russell 2000	709.19	-11.25	-1.56	-7.42	-11.68
15,938.99	11,600.84	Wilshire 5000	12,173.09	-189.26	-1.53	-17.87	-20.20

STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

AllianEqy	1.40	8	33.28	-.48	-18.3	Kaman	.56	15	31.07	+.60	-15.6
AlliantTch	...	15	98.54	-1.64	-13.4	Keycorp	.75m	...	13.12	-.38	-44.1
AmCasino	.42	...	15.72	+.19	-42.9	LeeEnt	.78	4	3.13	+.01	-78.6
Aon Corp	.60	8	40.87	+.04	-2.1	MicronT	...	...	4.09	-.24	-43.6
BallardPw	...	...	3.65	-.14	-30.6	OfficeMax	.50	...	10.20	-.68	-50.6
BlyMtn	2.56	18	33.30	-.85	-19.3	RockTen	.40	23	44.60	+.49	+75.5
ConAgra	.78	8	19.57	-.08	-17.7	Sensient	.76f	17	28.85	-.07	+2.0
Costco	.84	25	64.16	-.16	-8.0	SkyWest	.12	7	17.19	-.11	-36.0
Dwinnell H	1.00	...	33.58	+.13	+15.2	Teradyn	...	21	8.16	-.19	-2.1
DukeEnrgy	.92f	13	17.67	-.30	-12.4	Tuppware	.88	14	28.24	-.46	-14.5
DukeRlty	1.94f	27	25.05	+.42	-3.9	US Bancrp	1.70	14	34.01	-.99	+7.2
Fastenal	.54f	30	52.10	-.30	+28.9	Valhi	.40	...	17.40	+.21	+9.2
Hexcel	1.66	19	50.51	+.49	+8.2	Wachovia	.20m	...	14.75	-1.82	-19.76
HewlettP	.32	15	46.88	-.28	-7.1	WalMart	.95	17	58.40	-.49	+22.9
HomeOp	.90	13	25.26	-.36	-6.2	Washfed	.84	14	21.25	+.52	+.7
Idacorp	1.20	17	30.57	-.05	-13.2	WellsFargo	1.36f	15	34.17	-1.01	+13.2

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Div: Current annual dividend rate paid on stock, based on latest quarterly or semiannual declaration, unless otherwise footnoted.
Last: Price stock was trading at when exchange closed for the day.
Chg: Loss or gain for the day. No change indicated by ... mark.

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Stock Footnotes: cc – PE greater than 99. dd – Loss in last 12 mos. d – New 52-wk low during trading day. g – Dividend in Canadian $. Stock price in U.S.$. n – New issue in past 52 wks. q – Closed-end mutual fund; no PE calculated. s – Split or stock dividend of 25 pct or more in last 52 wks. Div begins with date of split or stock dividend. u – New 52-wk high during trading day. v – Trading halted on primary market. Unless noted, dividend rates are annual disbursements based on last declaration. pf – Preferred. pp – Holder owes installment(s) of purchase price. rt – Rights. un – Units. wd – When distributed. wi – When issued. wk – Warrants. ww – With warrants. xw – Without warrants.
Dividend Footnotes: a – Also extra or extras. b – Annual rate plus stock dividend. c – Liquidating dividend. e – Declared or paid in preceding 12 mos. f – Annual rate, increased in last declaration. i – Declared or paid after stock dividend or split. j – Paid this year, dividend omitted, deferred or no action taken at last meeting. k – Declared or paid this year, accumulative issue with dividends in arrears. m – Annual rate, increased on last declaration. p – Initial div, annual rate unknown. r – Declared or paid in preceding 12 mos plus stock dividend. t – Paid in stock in last 12 mos, estimated cash value on ex-dividend or distribution date. x – Ex-dividend or ex-rights. y – Ex-dividend and sales in full. z – Sales in full. vj – In bankruptcy or receivership or being reorganized under the Bankruptcy Act, or securities assumed by such companies.
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Mutual Fund Footnotes: a – Exclude capital gains distribution. t – Previous day's quote. n – No-load fund. p – Fund assets used to pay distribution costs. r – Redemption fee or contingent deferred sales load may apply. s – Stock dividend or split. t – Both p and r. x – Ex-capital dividend.
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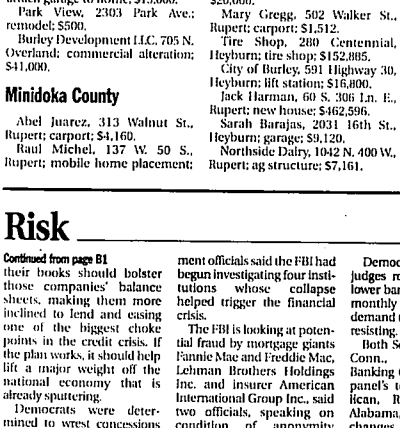
A DAY ON WALL STREET



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The Dow fell 161.52, or 1.47 percent, to 10,854.17 after having risen more than 125 points in the early going and then falling by more than 180. With Monday's 370-point decline, the blue chips are down 534 points, or 4.69 percent, for the week.

Broader stock indicators also fell Tuesday. The Standard & Poor's 500 index fell 18.87, or 1.56 percent, to 1,188.22, and the Nasdaq composite index fell 25.67, or 1.18 percent, to 2,153.34.

Investors also were watching oil prices after anxiety over the government bailout and a huge short-covering rally pushed crude to the biggest one-day gain.

Light, sweet crude for November delivery fell $2.76 to settle at $106.61 on the New York Mercantile Exchange. The October contract, which expired Monday, surged as much as $25.45 to $130 before falling back to settle at $120.92, an advance of $16.37. While that gain was due to technical market dynamics, the price of oil has moved higher over the past week amid increasing concerns about the U.S. financial system.

LOCAL BUSINESS DATA

Building permits

City of Burley

Lloyd Cox, 900 W. Main St.; storage building; $100,000.

Jose J. Lopez, 658 Burley Ave.; attach garage to home; $15,000.

Park View, 2303 Park Ave.; remodel; $500.

Burley Development LLC, 705 N. Overland; commercial alteration; $41,000.

Minidoka County

Abel Juarez, 313 Walnut St., Rupert; carport; $4,160.

Raul Michel, 137 W. 50 S., Rupert; mobile home placement; $20,000.

Mary Gregg, 502 Walker St., Rupert; carport; $1,512.

Tire Shop, 280 Centennial, Heyburn; tire shop; $152,885.

City of Burley, 591 Highway 30, Heyburn; lift station; $16,800.

Jack Harman, 60 S. 306 Ln. E., Rupert; new house; $462,596.

Sarah Barajas, 2031 16th St., Heyburn; garage; $9,120.

Northside Dairy, 1042 N. 400 W., Rupert; ag structure; $7,161.

Davy and Debra Cantrell, 301 E St. S., Rupert; hay shed; $35,200.

Ann Woodhouse, 305 E. 3rd St., Rupert; re-roof; $1,400.

Juan Almanza, 862 W. 500 S., Heyburn; garage; $18,240.

Ricardo Arteaga, 1605 A St., Rupert; re-roof; $576.

Etcheverry Sheep Co., 350 N. 200 E., Rupert; ag structure; $36,960.

Santiago Gonzales, 313 Maple St., Rupert; addition; $27,720.

Howard Hanks, 380 N. 374 Ln. E., Rupert; foundation; $w,464.

Andrew Ferbreche, 406 S. 850 W., Heyburn; foundation; $5,500.

Donna Whistler, 219 Highland Drive, Paul; re-roof; $2,600.

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COMMODITIES REPORT

CLOSING FUTURES

Mon	Commodity	High	Low	Close	Change
Oct	Sugar	12.11	11.78	11.93	-.33
Mar	Sugar	14.30	13.85	14.00	-.26
Dec	B'found	1.8568	1.8404	1.8481	+.0019
Mar	B'found	1.8426	1.8336	1.8426	+.0028
Dec	J'pen	.9584	.9507	.9580	+.0021
Mar	J'pen	.9631	.9594	.9631	+.0010
Dec	Eurocurrency	1.4907	1.4610	1.4668	-.0112
Mar	Eurocurrency	1.4731	1.4570	1.4631	-.0070
Dec	Canada dollar	.9712	.9623	.9653	-.0029
Mar	Canada dollar	.9700	.9630	.9666	-.0031
Dec	U.S. dollar	77.12	76.24	76.78	+.38
Oct	Comex gold	910.0	880.3	906.0	-8.3
Dec	Comex gold	915.2	885.0	909.2	-10.0
Sep	Comex silver	13.29	13.22	13.12	-.28
Dec	Comex Silver	13.15	13.05	13.37	.06
Dec	Treasury bond	117.21	116.30	117.02	13
Mar	Treasury bond	116.04	116.04	116.04	14
Dec	Coffee	137.80	134.55	135.80	.80
Mar	Coffee	141.35	138.60	140.00	.55
Dec	Cocoa	2143	2085	2106	—
Mar	Cocoa	2755	2705	2731	+3
Oct	Cotton	61.02	59.60	59.90	+1.20
Dec	Cotton	64.25	62.00	62.29	2.19
Oct	Crude oil	109.58	104.05	107.00	2.31
Oct	Unleaded gas	2.5305	2.4043	2.5025	.0125
Oct	Heating oil	3.0560	2.9450	3.0010	.0360
Oct	Natural gas	9.000	7.600	8.000	+.342
Oct	Live cattle	102.45	101.85	102.20	.25
Dec	Live cattle	103.65	103.00	103.45	.45
Oct	Feeder cattle	107.90	107.60	107.60	.55
Nov	Feeder cattle	106.90	106.20	106.60	.45
Nov	Feeder cattle	106.40	105.10	105.95	.53
Oct	Lean hogs	68.65	67.90	68.45	.20
Dec	Lean hogs	66.80	65.95	66.30	.105
Feb	Pork belly	90.00	92.50	95.00	+1.25
Mar	Pork belly	93.30	93.30	93.30	+1.30
Dec	Wheat	755.00	729.50	750.50	+12.75
Mar	Wheat	770.00	750.00	770.25	+12.50
Dec	KC Wheat	786.00	765.00	781.50	+7.50
Mar	KC Wheat	805.00	786.50	802.00	+8.50
Dec	MPS Wheat	812.00	793.00	813.25	+12.75
Mar	MPS Wheat	829.00	810.00	828.00	+12.75
Dec	Corn	581.00	551.00	560.25	+1.75
Mar	Corn	579.00	560.00	578.00	+1.75
Nov	Soybeans	1290.50	1168.50	1187.00	-18.00
Jan	Soybeans	1217.00	1087.00	1103.00	-18.25
Oct	BFP Milk	17.75	17.65	17.46	.20
Nov	BFP Milk	17.10	16.96	16.10	.25
Dec	BFP Milk	17.15	16.75	16.66	.25
Jan	BFP Milk	16.62	16.62	16.37	.20
Feb	BFP Milk	16.50	16.50	16.50	.20

Quotations from Sunrise & Co. 7316013 or (800) 535-0821

BEANS

Valley Beans
Prices are net to growers. 100 pounds, U.S. No. 1 beans, less Idaho bean tax and storage charges. Prices subject to change without notice. Producers desiring more recent price information should contact dealers.
Pinto, no quote, new crop, great northern, no quote, pinks, no quote, new crop, small reds, no quote, new crop. Prices are given by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current Sept. 17.
Other Idaho bean prices are collected weekly by Dean Mahan, news, U.S. Department of Agriculture — Pintos, not established; great northerns, not established; small whites, not established; pinks, not established; small reds, not established. Quotes current Sept. 17

GRAINS

Valley Grains
Prices for wheat per bushel, mixed grain, oats, corn and beans per hundred weight. Prices subject to change without notice.
Soft white wheat, ask barley, $9.20; oats, $9.00; corn, $10.50 (15 percent moisture). Prices are given daily by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current Sept. 17.
Barley, $9.50 (48-lb. minimum) spot delivery in Twin Falls and Gooding; corn, $10.50 (Twin Falls only). Prices quoted by Land O Lakes Inc. in Twin Falls. Prices current Sept. 17

Intermountain Grain
POCATELLO, Idaho (AP) — Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Grain and Livestock Report on Tuesday:
POCATELLO — Wheat wheat 0.00 (stack) 11.5 percent winter 6.68 (down 6) 14 percent spring 7.72 (down 3) barley 9.30 (steady)

BURLEY — White wheat 5.55 (steady) 11.5 percent winter 6.66 (down 2) 14 percent spring 7.39 (down 3) barley 8.75 (steady)
OGDEN — White wheat 6.40 (down 8) 11.5 percent winter 6.96 (down 14) 14 percent spring 7.97 (down 0) barley 9.80 (steady)
PORTLAND — White wheat 8.65 (up 15) 11 percent winter 7.92 8.17 (up 8 to down 2) 14 percent spring 9.39 (up 12) barley n/a

CHEESE

Cheddar cheese prices on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange
Barrels: $1.9525, + .0200; Blocks: $1.9625, nc

POTATOES

CHICAGO (AP) — USDA — Major potato markets FOB shipping Boards Monday
Russet Burbanks Idaho 50 lb cartons 70 count. 100 count.
Baled 5 lb film bags (non Size A)
Russet Norkotahs Idaho 50 lb cartons 70 count. 100 count.
Baled 5 lb film bags (non Size A)
Russet Norkotahs Wisconsin 50 lb cartons. 70 count 19 00 20.00.
100 count 15 00 15.50
Bakers 5/10 lb (non Size A) 11 00 11.50
Russet Norkotahs Washington 50 lb cartons 70 count 18 00 20.00. 100 count 13 00 13.50
Baled 5 10 lb film bags (non Size A) 9 00 10.00
Russets Norkotahs Colorado 50 lb cartons 70 count. 100 count.
Baled 5 10 lb film bags (non Size A)
Wisconsin Norkotahs 50 lb cartons 70 count. 100 count.
Baled 5 10 lb film bags (non Size A)
Round Reds 50 lb sacks Size A Wisconsin 13 00 14 00
Round Reds 50 lb sacks Size A Minnesota N. Dakota
Round Whites 50 lb sacks size A Wisconsin
Baled 5 10 lb film bags (non Size A)

LIVESTOCK

TWIN FALLS — Twin Falls Livestock Commission Co. reports the following prices from the livestock sale held Wednesday, Sept 10
Steers. 400 to 500 lbs , $104 50-$112, 500 to 600 lbs , $96 10-$107 25, 600 to 700 lbs , $95-$107.75, 700 to 800 lbs , $95-$106, over 800 lbs , $90-$104 25
Heifers Under 400 lbs , $93-$101, 400 to 500 lbs , $95-$100, 500 to 600 lbs , $92 50-$99 50, 600 to 700 lbs , $91-$98, 700 to 800 lbs , $90 50-$100 25, over 800 lbs , $89 75-$98 50
Commercial cows, $44-$64
Canners/cutters, $31-$43
Holsteins, $53-$78
Bullock bulls, $54 25-$67.75
Feeder bulls, $52-$62 50
Cows are steady, calves are 4 to $5 lower, feeders are $3 to $4 lower
Saturday sale, Sept. 6
Livestock Daily calves, $12 50-$40 head, slarted calves, $50-$175 head, horses, $50-$150 head, goats, $10-$70 head
Sheep. feeders, $86-$96 head, fats, $72-$96, killer ewes, $5-$23 head

JEROME — Producers Livestock Marketing Association in Jerome reports the following prices from the livestock sale held Tuesday, Sept 16
Holstein bull calves $5-$25 head
Started bull and steer calves $50-$150 head
Started heifer calves $40-$275 head
Commercial cows utility cows $55-$64
Cutter/canner cows $42-$50
Shelly/elite cows $24-$34
Feeder cows $43-$51
Slaughter bulls $62-$69 75
Holstein steers 500 to 600 lbs , $48-$50, 600 to 700 lbs , $52-$4 50, 700 to 800 lbs , $54-$67 75, 800 to 1,000 lbs , $62-$64
Choice steers, 300 to 500 lbs , $89-$105 75, 500 to 600 lbs , $83-$98 50, 600 to 800 lbs , $90-$96 25, 800 to 1,000 lbs , $75-$97
Choice heifers, 300 to 400 lbs , $90-$92, 400 to 500 lbs , $88-$92, 500 to 700 lbs , $88-$92 75, 700 to 800 lbs , $93-$94 95, 800 to 1,000 lbs , $82 to $94 25

JEROME — Producers Livestock Marketing Association in Jerome reports the following prices from the dairy sale held Wednesday, Sept 17
Top springer, $2,330
Top 10 springers, $2,190
Top 50 springers, $2,020
Top 100 springers, $1,920
Springers, $1,000-$1,920 head
Short bred, $1,300-$1,570 head
Open heifers, 700 to 800 lbs , $132-$137

Risk

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their books should bolster those companies' balance sheets, making them more inclined to lend and easing one of the biggest choke points in the credit crisis. If the plan works, it should help lift a major weight off the national economy that is already sputtering.

Democrats were determined to wrest concessions from the administration on domestic spending and middle-class economic aid. And they said Republicans had to share in the politically tricky task of pushing through a financial bailout six weeks before the elections at a time when millions of everyday Americans are economically strapped.

"It's their problem. It's their bill. And they're going to have to figure out if they can support it," House Speaker Nancy Pelosi, D-Calif., said of Republicans.

"Nobody wants to have to do this," agreed Rep. John Boehner of Ohio, the Republican leader. He said he was hopeful of a quick agreement, despite withering criticism from conservative GOP lawmakers who recoiled at the prospect of federal intervention.

Sen. Jim Bunning, R-Ky., said, "This massive bailout is not a solution. It is financial socialism and it's un-American."

Separately, law enforcement officials said the FBI had begun investigating four institutions whose collapse helped trigger the financial crisis.

The FBI is looking at potential fraud by mortgage giants Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac, Lehman Brothers Holdings Inc. and insurer American International Group Inc., said two officials, speaking on condition of anonymity because of the sensitivity of the investigations. The inquiries, still in preliminary stages, will focus on the financial institutions and the people who ran them, one senior law enforcement official said.

As for the bailout plan, both parties' presidential candidates joined fellow senators in insisting on alterations in the administration's drastic prescription.

Democrats and Republicans alike demanded that the bailout limit pay packages for executives of companies helped by the rescue.

"Clipping executive compensation is easy right now — everybody wants it," said Rep. Jack Kingston, R-Ga.

Democrats also were pushing proposals to let the government take some type of stake in the companies that it helps. The administration has balked at that, fearing it would discourage financial companies from getting the help they need through the bailout, thereby blunting the plan's effectiveness.

Democrats also want to let judges rewrite mortgages to lower bankrupt homeowners' monthly payments, another demand the administration is resisting.

Both Sens. Chris Dodd, D-Conn., chairman of the Banking Committee, and the panel's top-ranking Republican, Richard Shelby of Alabama, said significant changes are needed before the rescue plan can be passed. "We have got to look at some alternatives," Shelby said.

Getting the action right is key, Dodd said: "There is no second act to this." He later spoke disparagingly of the administration's proposal. "What they have sent us is not acceptable," he told reporters.

Bernanke's remarks about the risk of recession came in response to a question from Dodd, who seemed eager to hear a strong rationale for lawmakers to act swiftly on the administration's unprecedented request.

"The financial markets are in quite fragile condition, and I think absent a plan they will get worse," Bernanke said.

Ominously, he added, "I believe if the credit markets are not functioning, that jobs will be lost, that our credit rate will rise, more houses will be foreclosed upon, GDP will contract, that the economy will just not be able to recover in a normal, healthy way."

GDP is a measure of growth, and a decline correlates with a recession.

Across the Capitol complex, Vice President Dick Cheney and President Bush's top advisers met privately with restive House Republicans, some of whom emerged from the session unpersuaded.

"Just because God created the world in seven days doesn't mean we have to pass this bill in seven days," said Rep. Joe Barton, R-Texas.

Added Rep. Darrell Issa, R-Calif., "I am emphatically against it."

Paulson, seated next to Bernanke at the Senate hearing, objected strongly when Chuck Schumer, D-N.Y., asked if $150 billion might be enough to get the program started, with a promise of more to come.

That would be a "grave mistake," and would fail to give the markets the confidence they needed to rebound, Paulson responded.

Rep. Barney Frank, D-Mass., the Financial Services Committee chairman who is leading talks with Paulson on the plan, also called phasing in the bailout "highly unlikely."

Paulson was asked repeatedly why taxpayers should accept the burdens of a bailout.

"You worry about taxpayers being on the hook?" he replied at one point. "Guess what — they're already on the hook." Paulson suggested that the fallout from the credit crisis would hit almost everyone in the pocketbook unless forceful action was taken. Moreover, the flawed and outdated regulatory system, which didn't catch abuses, needs to be overhauled, he said.

In New York, meanwhile, Bush was telling the U.N. General Assembly that the United States was taking "bold steps" to prevent an economic calamity that would be sure to have major effects around the world.

One of the tricky issues confronting policymakers is how to price the distressed assets that the government would ultimately buy.

Bernanke suggested buying the assets at a "hold-to-maturity" price, which would be based on an estimate of what the securities would eventually be worth as payments came in over the years.

"If the Treasury bids for and then buys assets at a price close to the hold-to-maturity price, there will be substantial benefits," Bernanke said.

In contrast, if banks use existing "mark-to-market" rules that require them to value the holdings at what similar securities have recently sold for — in some cases pennies on the dollar — it could make the whole bailout futile because it would hurt many banks' balance sheets, causing some to fail. "This creates something of a vicious circle," he said.

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employ six to eight employees.

The property has served as a grocery facility, an appliance repair business and a home improvement store.

A new Stinker on Addison: A reader asked what is being built east of Kelly's Garden Center and Garden Cafe at 2259 Addison Ave. E.

Answer: Stinker Station, with offices based in Boise, is building a new gas station to replace the original station that was constructed in 1982.

The new structure will be larger and it will have a canopy to cover the pumps and car wash.

Construction began in early summer — attracting criticism because the company removed a few trees to make way for the larger facility.

Have a comment about your business? A question about someone else's? Contact Business Editor Joshua Palmer at jpalmer@magicvalley.com.

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Firms too big to fail may grow stronger

By David S. Hilzenrath
The Washington Post

WASHINGTON — The government's recent intervention in the financial markets is separating companies into two categories: Some are too big to fail, and others are too small to bother rescuing.

The big have the potential to get even stronger because the perception that the government stands behind their debts can make it possible for them to borrow money more cheaply.

The small could find themselves at a deepening disadvantage.

"If there is a group of financial institutions in the United States that are immortal and others — thousands and thousands — are too small to save, then the immortals clearly have a leg up," said Kenneth A. Guenther, former president of Independent Community Bankers of America.

The result is likely to be a shakeout leading to greater concentration of power, less competition and higher prices, some industry watchers say.

The tradeoff for the dominant players could be tighter regulation. For example, as Wall Street investment banks Morgan Stanley and Goldman Sachs turn themselves into bank holding companies to avail themselves of the federal safety net, they will have to abandon some of their profitable ways.

Whether stricter oversight will trump increased market power remains to be seen.

"The losers, I think, are the consumers at the end of it," said Douglas A. Dachille, chief executive of the New York investment advisory firm First Principles Capital Management.

It has long been a truism that some financial institutions are too big to fail, meaning that their collapse would cause too much collateral damage for the government to let it happen. The recent bailouts of American International Group, Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac have reinforced the idea.

The thinking goes like this: If the government agreed to *lend insurance giant AIG $85* billion, what are the odds that it would let banking giants JPMorgan Chase, Citigroup or Bank of America go under?

Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac long benefited from a similar logic. They were chartered by the government to provide funding for mortgage lenders, and investors assumed that the government implicitly guaranteed the bonds they used to raise money. That perception was worth billions of dollars to the companies annually, according to federal studies.

The perception proved true this month when the government seized control of the companies and pledged to prop them up with as much as $200 billion of taxpayer money.

Over the years, other financial firms complained that Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac enjoyed an unfair advantage, and they lobbied to weaken the implied guarantee.

"Now many of these banks that were complaining are now becoming them," Dachille said. "They've become too big to fail, they're going to enjoy government-backed financing costs, and they're going to have competitive advantages, which no other entity will have."

The government's actions have left the playing field in a state of upheaval.

For example, when Congress created a more powerful regulator for Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac over the summer, a coalition of companies that lobbied against them declared victory and disbanded. However, with the government's subsequent takeover of Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac, members of the lobbying coalition resemble the proverbial dog that caught the bus.

Before, the financial firms were competing with government-sponsored enterprises; now, for all practical purposes, they're competing with the government.

The government tried to draw a line on bailouts this month when it allowed the Lehman Brothers investment bank to go bankrupt. But even that decision could end up sending the opposite message because the failure of Lehman seemed to contribute to a market panic that undermined AIG, threatened Morgan Stanley and Goldman Sachs, and prompted the government to propose spending $700 billion to shore up the financial system.

"In retrospect, even companies like Lehman might be viewed retroactively as too big to fail," said Gary B. Townsend, chief executive of Hill-Townsend Capital, a hedge fund.

Banking consultant Bert Ely said he doubted that the borrowing costs of big banks would fall as low as those that historically prevailed for Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac. Investors may still see risk in lending to big banks because they may not be certain that the government would backstop their obligations. "I think there may be growing concerns about the ability of the government to keep doing all these bailouts and of the taxpayer to tolerate it," Ely said.

Jim Vogel, of FTN Financial, said the implied federal guarantee wasn't the only advantage Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac enjoyed. Unlike big money-center banks, which are exposed to diverse risks, Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac were focused on housing. "They were prone to fewer ills," he said.

Regardless, a new round of consolidation in the financial industry is already under way. While AIG is likely to be broken up, JPMorgan Chase swallowed the troubled Bear Stearns; and Bank of America absorbed Merrill Lynch.

Scores of small banks are expected to fail or merge, leaving fewer people and institutions in charge of deciding who can borrow money and how, said John Taylor, president of National Community Reinvestment Coalition, whose member organizations rely on banks to assist people in their communities. "As in any system where there's a concentration of assets and decision making, prices eventually go up," he said.

E. Hunt Burke, president of Alexandria, Va.-based Burke & Herbert Bank & Trust, predicted that "weak banks will be the first to go and ... size doesn't matter."

Still, "it makes it unfair for the guys like us who have been playing the game correctly the whole time to have everyone else get bailed out," he said.

Key lawmakers who will be involved in the bailout

By Paul Kane and Ben Pershing
The Washington Post

Rep. Spencer Bachus, R-Ala.

Ranking member, House Financial Services Committee

The conservative Bachus will be one of the only Republicans at the table as the financial rescue package is assembled in coming days. He is well-known on Financial Services for his work on restructuring the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. and for his leading role in cracking down on Internet gambling. Bachus has received $702,000 this election cycle from employees and PACs in the financial services, insurance and real estate sectors, according to the Center for Responsive Politics. He is the top recipient in Congress of donations from the commercial banking sector.

Top Donors: UBS $50,100; Credit Suisse $34, 200; J.P. Morgan Chase, $33,000

Rep. Barney Frank, D-Mass.

Chairman, House Financial Services Committee

Sharp-tongued and well-versed in policy detail, Frank is the point man for Speaker Nancy Pelosi, D-Calif., on financial issues. A longtime supporter of affordable housing and an ardent backer of Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac, Frank has argued in the past that suggestions that the two entities faced a financial crisis were exaggerated. He also has worked on issues ranging from predatory lending and industrial loan corporations to hedge funds and flood insurance. Frank has received $656,000 this cycle from the financial services, insurance and real estate sectors and is the top recipient of contributions from mortgage bankers and brokers, according to CRP.

Top Donors: Brown Brothers Harriman $29,300; Manulife Financial $15,000; American Bankers Association $11,300

Rep. Henry Waxman, D-Calif.

Chairman, House Oversight and Government Reform Committee

Waxman does not have the legislative clout of some other members on financial services issues, but he makes up for it as the acknowledged master of high-profile hearings and investigations.

His past targets have included the tobacco industry, government contractors and Major League Baseball's steroids policy, and he also has focused heavily on environmental issues. Waxman has been less active on banking issues but already has announced plans for hearings on the collapse of Lehman Brothers and American International Group. The largest chunks of his campaign contributions have come from unions and the health-care industry, with only $33,000 this cycle coming from the finance, insurance and real estate sectors, according to CRP.

Top Donors: American Postal Workers Union $10,000; Operating Engineers International Union $10,000, Service Employees International Union $10,000

Sen. Christopher Dodd, D-Conn.

Chairman, Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee

Dodd will likely take the lead role for Senate Democrats on the bailout legislation, and he has made it clear that he wants Congress to put its mark on the process. He has worked on product liability, bankruptcy, securities litigation and class action reform, often taking moderate or industry-friendly stances. Dodd's state is the headquarters of many insurance companies and, more recently, hedge funds and the back-office operations of financial services firms. Since 2003, Dodd has taken $9 million in campaign contributions from the financial services, insurance and real estate sectors, according to CRP, and is the top recipient of money from the savings and loan industry.

Top Donors: SAC Capital Partners $561,700; Citigroup $467,988; United Technologies $408,600

Sen. Charles Schumer, D-N.Y.

Member, Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee

As the senior senator from New York, Schumer is an active player on financial issues and a key ally of the banking and securities industries. Media-friendly and a tireless worker, Schumer has worked to fend off regulation of Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac and was heavily involved in bankruptcy reform negotiations. Schumer has used his contacts on Wall Street to help raise money in his other role as chairman of the Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee. Since 2003, he has received $3 million from the financial services, insurance and real estate industries, according to CRP.

Top Donors: Citigroup $80,800; UBS $79,750; Paul, Weiss $67,000

Sen. Richard Shelby, R-Ala.

Ranking member, Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee

A former Democrat who has been the top Republican on the Banking Committee since 2003, Shelby has at times bucked the wishes of the financial industry and some members of his own party. He supported forcing companies to list stock options as expenses on their balance sheets, backed the Fair Credit Reporting Act and has worked to foster competition in the credit-rating industry. Shelby has been skeptical of the Bush administration's actions in the last week, saying that it was "jumping from crisis to crisis like putting out a brush fire" rather than developing a comprehensive solution. A former prosecutor, he has taken $1 million from lawyers and lobbyists since 2003 and $2 million from the financial services, real estate and insurance industries, according to CRP.

Top Donors: Citigroup $82,200; Pricewaterhouse-Coopers $68,250; J.P. Morgan Chase, $66,500.

BUSINESS BRIEFS

MAGIC VALLEY

Making your dollars stretch

The College of Southern Idaho's Community Education Center will offer a course on budgeting, savings, and other money management techniques.

This course will be held Oct. 18 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. in Shields 104 at the CSI campus.

The cost is $39 and registered participants can bring one guest for free. A one time $5 material fee will be payable to the instructor for a binder and handouts.

For more information or to register, call the CSI Community Education Center at 208-732-6442 or at www.csi.edu/communityed.

Conquering your debt

The College of Southern Idaho's Community Education Center will offer a course on debt management.

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The cost is $39 and registered participants can bring one guest for free. A one time $5 material fee will be payable to the instructor for a binder and handouts.

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Sale Time 11:00 AM LUNCH BY AL & DEBBIE

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1994 Chevy 4x4 1/2 ton pickup, V8 automatic transmission needs help, long wide box - 1974 Chevy 1 ton truck, 4 speed, 10' metal flat bed, duals on rear, has a Bruntin 5612 electric hydraulic lift boom, and vise - Road Runner camper with overshot and camper jacks

HORSES - TACK - HORSE ITEMS
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GUNS
Sturm Ruger and Co 220 Swift rifle, bolt action with Bushnell Sportview scope - Winchestaer model 70 "300" Mag rifle with 3x9 scope - Winchester model 94 "30-30" rifle - Remington model "870" 12 gauge shotgun with modified choke and vent rib - Mauser model Argentino 1891

SKIDSTEER
Bobcat 371 Skidsteer with gas engine and backhoe attachment

MACHINERY
Ace V type double wing ditcher, 3pt hitch - 4 row coil spring shank corrugator, 3pt hitch - Gannon 5' rollover Lanscape box scraper, 3pt hitch - bunch rake - 4 wheel box wagon on rubber - old steel wheeled pull type alfalfa crowner - Case single section metal harrow

OLDER ITEMS
4 wheel wooden wheeled hay rack (damaged) - 4 wheel steel wheeled hay rack - peddle grindstone - double trees - neck yoke - old oil cans - horse collars - hay hooks - used horse shoes - slip scraper - telephone insulators

FARM ITEMS & MISCELLANEOUS
Portable air compressor - 300 gal overhead fuel tank - Forney 250 amp welder - 3 wheelbarrows - Craftsman toolbox - organizer boxes - BZ rubber tired hand cart - Allied standing band saw - Ranch King "12-38" riding lawn mower (needs help) - stepladder - 22' extension ladder - grass seeder - ATV weed sprayer - "C" clamps - telephone spoon shovel - 25 to 50 assorted size round pine posts - 12 corral poles - dimensional lumber - 2 trailer house axles - roll of mesh sidewalk - 6' cast iron metal planter - assorted tools

HOUSEHOLD
New Frigidaire front load automatic clothes washer (still in box) - Kenmore 25 cu ft upright freezer - D.P. exercise bike - porch wrought iron railing - metal 2 door storage locker - storage cupboards - fish smoker - large plywood closet cupboard - 2 barbecues - Sharp microwave - 1960's dresser with mirror - black walnut shelf - Kenmore stereo with JBL speakers - microwave cart - matching hex and square end tables - electric typewriter and stand - recliner - Harley Davidson toy motorcycle - dishes - wall decor - fluorescent light bulbs - 4 wooden dining chairs - storage shelf - 4 drawer file cabinet - fruit jars - ice chests - and other household miscellaneous

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HUNT BROS. AUCTIONS

SATURDAY, SEPT. 27, 11:00 AM
Rose Kulic Living Estate, Buhl
Appliances • Furniture • Shop Collectibles • Household Misc
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MASTERS AUCTION
www.mastersauction.com

SATURDAY, SEPT. 27, 10:00AM
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Stock Building Supply Surplus, Boise • Trucks • Trailers • Car Pickups • Fork Lifts • Lumber
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SUNDAY, SEPT. 28, 11:00AM
Jean Vines & Jim Vines Estate, Buhl • Vehicles • Appliances Furniture • Household • Shop
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MASTERS AUCTION
www.mastersauction.com

FRIDAY, OCT. 3, 1:00PM
Jim Waugh, Gooding
Furniture • Household Shop • Parts • Misc.
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MASTERS AUCTION
www.mastersauction.com

SATURDAY, OCT. 4, 11:00AM
Don Wolverton, Twin Falls
Shop • Antiques • Vehicles Trailers • Horse Items • Misc
Times-News Ad: 10-2
MASTERS AUCTION
www.mastersauction.com

SUNDAY, OCT. 5, 11:00AM
Bob Lawrason, Twin Falls
Trailer • Household • Shop Sporting Items • Garden
Times-News Ad: 10-3
MASTERS AUCTION
www.mastersauction.com

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 8, 10:00AM
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TWIN FALLS FORECAST

Today: Warmer than average with plenty of sun. Highs, upper 70s
Tonight: Settled weather conditions. Lows, upper 40s.
Tomorrow: Breezy at times. Highs near 80.

BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST

Today: Abundant sunshine. Highs, upper 70s.
Tonight: Quiet for the evening and the night. Lows, lower 40s.
Tomorrow: More sunshine and also breezy at times. Highs, 70s.

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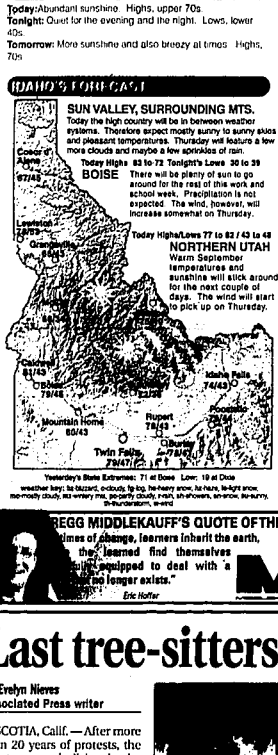

SUN VALLEY, SURROUNDING MTS.
Today the high country will be in between weather systems. Therefore expect mostly sunny to sunny skies and pleasant temperatures. Thursday will feature a few more clouds and maybe a few sprinkles of rain.
Today Highs 63 to 72 Tonight's Lows 30 to 39

BOISE
There will be plenty of sun to go around for the rest of this work and school week. Precipitation is not expected. The wind, however, will increase somewhat on Thursday.
Today Highs/Lows 77 to 82 / 43 to 48

NORTHERN UTAH
Warm September temperatures and sunshine will stick around for the next couple of days. The wind will start to pick up on Thursday.

Yesterday's State Extremes: 71 at Boise Low: 19 at Dixie
weather key: ts-blizzard, ec-dust, fg-fog, he-heavy snow, hs-hail, lt-light snow, mc-mostly cloudy, pc-partly cloudy, r-rain, sh-showers, sn-snow, tw-sunny, th-thunderstorm, w-wind

TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Today	Tonight	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Sunny	Clear and quiet	Mostly sunny and breezy	Continued sunny	September sunshine	More sun
High 79	Low 47	80 / 81	77 / 48	78 / 47	78 / 50

Yesterday's Weather

City	Hi	Lo	Prcp
Boise	71	40	0.00"
Burley	68	34	0.00"
Challis	67	30	0.00"
Coeur d'Alene	56	37	0.01"
Idaho Falls	65	41	0.00"
Jerome	67	36	0.00"
Lewiston	67	40	0.00"
Lowell	54	44	0.18"
Malad	not available		
Malta	70	34	0.00"
Pocatello	67	36	0.00"
Rexburg	62	33	0.00"
Salmon	61	36	0.02"
Stanley	60	23	0.00"

ALMANAC - TWIN FALLS

Temperature

Yesterday's High	68
Yesterday's Low	39
Normal High/Low	79 / 40
Record High	92 in 1966
Record Low	28 in 1996

Precipitation

Yesterday	0.00"
Month to Date	0.12"
Normal Month to Date	0.44"
Year to Date	8.35"
Normal Year to Date	10.36"

Humidity

Yesterday's Maximum	98%
Yesterday's Minimum	32%
Today's Maximum	83%
Today's Minimum	18%

Temperature & Precipitation valid through 5 pm yesterday

A water year runs from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30

Barometric Pressure
6 pm barometer
Yesterday 30.19 in.

Sunrise and Sunset

Today	Sunrise: 7:28 AM	Sunset: 7:31 PM
Thursday	Sunrise: 7:29 AM	Sunset: 7:29 PM
Friday	Sunrise: 7:30 AM	Sunset: 7:27 PM
Saturday	Sunrise: 7:31 AM	Sunset: 7:25 PM
Sunday	Sunrise: 7:33 AM	Sunset: 7:24 PM

Pollen Count
TF Pollen Level: 27 (Med.)
Ragweed, Stinging Nettle
TF Mold Level: 9217 (High)
Smuts, Cladosporium
Courtesy of Asthma and Allergy of Idaho Dr. J. Kuhns and Henry

Moon Phases

Sep 29	Oct 7	Oct 14	Oct 21
New Moon	First Qtr.	Full Moon	Last Qtr.

Moonrise and Moonset

Today	Moonrise: 2:06 AM	Moonset: 5:17 PM	
Thursday	Moonrise: 3:20 AM	Moonset: 5:46 PM	
Friday	Moonrise: 4:33 AM	Moonset: 6:10 PM	

U. V. INDEX
Low Moderate High
The higher the index the more sun protection needed.

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REGIONAL FORECAST

City	Today Hi	Lo	W	Tomorrow Hi	Lo	W
Boise	79	45	su	78	48	su
Bonners Ferry	66	43	mc	62	38	sh
Burley	78	41	su	78	45	su
Challis	73	32	su	65	39	pc
Coeur d'Alene	67	45	mc	63	40	sh
Elko, NV	79	38	pc	79	41	su
Eugene, OR	70	48	r	64	47	sh
Gooding	81	45	su	82	52	pc
Grace	79	39	su	77	47	su
Hagerman	82	46	su	83	50	pc
Hailey	74	43	su	70	42	pc
Idaho Falls	74	43	su	75	45	pc
Kalispell, MT	60	40	ms	64	43	ms
Jackpot	80	50	su	78	40	su
Jerome	77	44	su	79	43	pc
Lewiston	78	53	mc	74	50	pc
Malad City	80	40	su	81	42	su
Malta	75	36	su	73	42	su
McCall	66	34	su	63	38	pc
Missoula, MT	65	41	pc	67	43	pc
Pocatello	79	44	su	80	46	su
Portland, OR	66	51	r	57	48	sh
Rupert	78	43	su	78	47	su
Rexburg	72	41	su	73	42	su
Richland, WA	73	52	pc	74	48	pc
Rogerson	79	48	su	80	52	pc
Salmon	75	40	su	67	40	pc
Salt Lake City, UT	82	58	su	84	60	su
Spokane, WA	68	47	mc	65	42	pc
Stanley	66	33	su	64	32	pc
Sun Valley	72	35	su	68	34	pc
Yellowstone, MT	64	31	pc	65	29	su

NATIONAL FORECAST

City	Today Hi	Lo	W	Tomorrow Hi	Lo	W
Atlanta	80	63	su	79	67	pc
Atlantic City	69	58	pc	69	58	pc
Baltimore	74	56	pc	72	61	r
Billings	73	43	pc	61	48	pc
Birmingham	84	62	su	80	63	su
Boston	65	52	su	63	53	r
Charleston, SC	81	63	pc	75	63	pc
Charleston, WV	81	47	su	78	53	pc
Chicago	82	56	sh	76	60	pc
Cleveland	77	55	pc	74	56	pc
Denver	79	48	su	67	51	pc
Des Moines	78	56	pc	81	60	pc
Detroit	79	58	pc	78	58	pc
El Paso	88	61	su	85	60	su
Fairbanks	48	32	mc	46	31	pc
Fargo	74	48	pc	77	53	pc
Honolulu	83	72	sh	83	73	sh
Houston	90	65	pc	87	62	pc
Indianapolis	83	58	pc	81	58	pc
Jacksonville	80	63	pc	81	59	pc
Kansas City	81	58	sh	81	63	pc
Las Vegas	97	70	su	96	72	pc
Little Rock	87	58	pc	85	58	pc
Los Angeles	75	54	su	75	53	su
Memphis	88	61	pc	84	62	pc
Miami	85	76	sh	87	76	pc
Milwaukee	72	58	th	74	60	su
Nashville	84	55	su	82	56	pc
New Orleans	84	67	pc	83	66	su
New York	72	54	pc	68	58	r
Oklahoma City	87	61	pc	86	60	pc
Omaha	81	57	pc	85	61	pc

CANADIAN FORECAST

City	Today Hi	Lo	W	Tomorrow Hi	Lo	W
Calgary	64	36	pc	61	34	sh
Cranbrook	47	33	r	45	34	r
Edmonton	60	40	pc	61	38	r
Kelowna	49	36	r	51	27	sh
Lethbridge	60	42	pc	61	36	r
Regina	61	46	pc	72	44	pc

City	Today Hi	Lo	W	Tomorrow Hi	Lo	W
Saskatoon	61	46	pc	67	42	pc
Toronto	71	51	pc	73	51	pc
Vancouver	48	48	r	51	44	pc
Victoria	55	52	r	57	45	sh
Winnipeg	62	50	sh	68	46	pc

WORLD FORECAST

City	Today Hi	Lo	W	Tomorrow Hi	Lo	W
Acapulco	86	76	th	87	76	th
Athens	79	66	sh	81	64	sh
Auckland	54	46	pc	61	44	pc
Bangkok	86	76	th	79	76	sh
Beijing	63	47	r	72	49	pc
Berlin	62	48	pc	63	45	pc
Buenos Aires	73	50	pc	72	51	pc
Cairo	92	68	pc	103	68	pc
Dhahran	104	80	pc	101	81	pc
Dublin	57	52	sh	55	50	pc
Hong Kong	86	83	th	88	82	th
Jerusalem	90	54	pc	91	73	pc
Johannesburg	65	53	pc	64	53	pc
Kuwait City	103	83	pc	105	87	pc
London	60	50	sh	66	48	pc
Mexico City	63	47	sh	64	48	sh

City	Today Hi	Lo	W	Tomorrow Hi	Lo	W
Moscow	66	38	pc	66	38	pc
Nairobi	77	63	pc	77	63	pc
Oslo	62	44	sh	61	44	pc
Paris	65	48	pc	66	47	pc
Prague	63	43	r	66	46	pc
Rio de Janeiro	71	57	sh	73	57	sh
Rome	76	57	pc	79	57	pc
Santiago	77	49	pc	77	45	pc
Seoul	66	57	r	70	47	r
Sydney	62	46	sh	65	50	pc
Tel Aviv	90	77	pc	81	61	pc
Tokyo	75	63	pc	79	66	pc
Vienna	64	47	r	63	43	r
Warsaw	52	44	r	60	44	pc
Winnipeg	62	50	sh	66	46	pc
Zurich	54	28	pc	44	31	pc

TODAY'S NATIONAL MAP

Valid to 6 p.m. today
Yesterday's National Extremes
High: 105 at Death Valley, Calif.
Low: 19 at Dixie, Idaho

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REGG MIDDLEKAUFF'S QUOTE OF THE DAY

"[illegible]imes of change, learners inherit the earth, [illegible] the learned find themselves [illegible] equipped to deal with a [illegible] no longer exists."

Eric Hoffer

Last tree-sitters come down from California redwoods

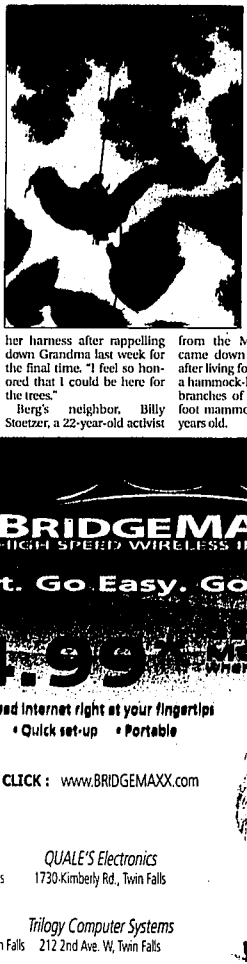
By Evelyn Nieves
Associated Press writer

SCOTIA, Calif. — After more than 20 years of protests, the last two people living in the giant redwoods of Northern California were climbing down for good, convinced by the new owners of the forest that the ancient trees would be spared from the saw.

Still, the tree sitters looked rather lost.

Having lived nearly 200 feet off the ground for 11 months, Nadia Berg — who calls herself Cedar — seemed unsure of her footing on the lush forest floor of Humboldt County's Nanning Creek grove. Cedar had made herself at home in a tree dubbed Grandma, a massive double redwood joined at the base, and had grown accustomed to the whistles and whispers and ways of the woods.

"Being here, for me, hasn't been a sacrifice," said the 22-year-old Alberta native, still in her harness after rappelling down Grandma last week for the final time. "I feel so honored that I could be here for the trees."



Tree defender Billy Stoetzer rappels down a nearly 300-foot tall, 1,500 year-old mammoth redwood tree in the Nanning Creek grove near Scotia, Calif., Thursday. Stoetzer has spent almost a year living in the tree, called Spooner, to prevent it and others in the grove from being cut down.

AP photo

Berg's neighbor, Billy Stoetzer, a 22-year-old activist from the Missouri Ozarks, came down last week, too, after living for nearly a year in a hammock-like shelter in the branches of Spooner, a 300-foot mammoth at least 1,500 years old.

With that, the great timber wars of the North Coast came to an end.

It was a long, twilight struggle that redefined environmental activism and introduced the American public to a new type of civil disobedience — tree-sitting.

So quietly did the truce happen that almost no one involved can believe it. But the drawn-out, sometimes violent, battles between Pacific Lumber Co., the largest private owner of old-growth redwoods, and environmental activists who flocked here to save the trees, are history. Pacific Lumber has new owners, a new name — Humboldt Redwood Co. — and a new pledge to protect old trees, some of which were around before Jesus was born.

The end began a few weeks ago, when Michael Jani, the president and chief forester of the new Humboldt Redwood Co., hiked into the woods to meet the tree-sitters.

"I went out, looked at the trees, looked at the stand of trees that were around them and I explained to them that under our policy, we would not be cutting those trees," said Jani, a 35-year veteran of logging companies.

Protecting old-growth trees was part of the plan that Humboldt Redwood, largely owned by Don and Doris Fisher of The Gap Inc., submitted to acquire Pacific Lumber in bankruptcy court. Among other things, Humboldt Redwood promised to spare any redwood born prior to 1800 with a diameter of at least four feet. It also pledged to avoid clear-cutting, or cutting down trees in vast swaths, a practice that the timber giant aggressively practiced under its previous owner, Maxxam Inc.

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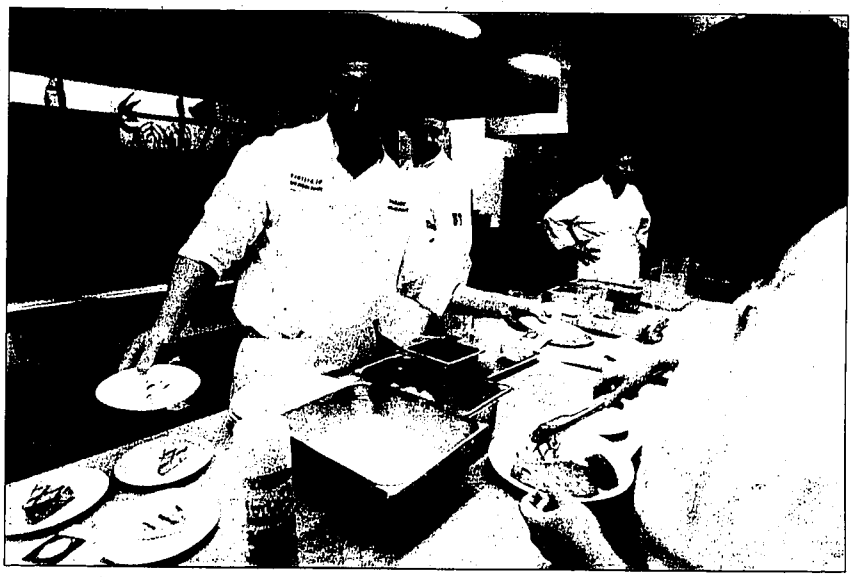
Restaurant quality, home cooking



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Tommy Chocker, a second-year culinary student at the College of Southern Idaho, dishes out swordfish for his classmates to eat. 'My friends love me,' Chocker said. 'They buy groceries and I cook.' To purchase reprints go to http://gallery.pictopia.com/magicvalley/

Lessons from CSI's culinary classes

By Melissa Davlin
Times-News writer

Swordfish and ahi tuna sizzle on the grill. Broth is slowly added to a risotto bubbling on the stove, and students discuss their morning lecture about shellfish. The consensus: Oyster shooters are a lot more tasty than they expected.

Class work has never tasted so delicious.

Students of College of Southern Idaho's culinary program have access to gas grills and ranges and industrial prep lines to aid them in their edible endeavors. But at home, stripped of their restaurant-quality equipment; the gourmet greenhorns have learned to duplicate the results they get in their classroom kitchen.

And, with a little practice, so can you.

The culinary program isn't for people learning how to cook for their families, said instructor Mike Johnson. Instead, students are prepared for entering the restaurant industry. Graduates of the almost 30-year-old program have landed jobs in professional kitchens all over southern Idaho.

But armed with their new culinary skills, students have changed the way they eat and prepare food at home.

First-year student Janet Russell said her cooking has already improved.

"It's only been a couple of weeks (since class started this fall), but I, for one, have been practicing at home with my new chef's tools," Russell said.

Not all of her advancements have been the result of her new knife set, though. The class has emboldened her to expand her flavor horizons, like putting Cajun spice in her potatoes —

Please see **CLASS**, Page C5

Sample the Desert Cafe

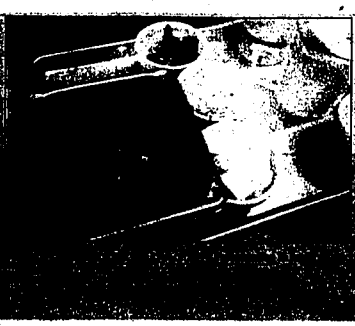
Want to taste the culinary students' work? The Desert Cafe, operated by College of Southern Idaho culinary students, opens Thursday. The public can enjoy lunch at CSI's Desert Building on the Twin Falls campus from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Wednesdays and Thursdays. The menu changes daily as students employ various skills, but you can count on salad, soup and sandwiches.

CSI culinary instructor Mike Johnson talks with second-year student Del Marie Koch while she cooks fish during class.

Swordfish is prepared during class. CSI culinary students learn to employ a 45-degree turn for presentation-worthy grill marks.

In your own kitchen

Even the most famous [illegible] benefit from College of Southern Idaho's culinary [illegible] tips from the [illegible] students [illegible] open your [illegible] help you [illegible]



CSI culinary students learn a fish-slicing [illegible]

Canning safety

After a freeze, it may not be safe to can your garden tomatoes

Times-News

If frost has hit your tomato plants, consider safety before canning.

Frozen tomatoes or tomatoes ripening on dead vines are not safe to preserve by canning because of the chemical changes which have taken place, according to Grace Wittman, a Cassia County Extension educator.

"After the spotty freezes we've had, it's worth the time to determine if the tomatoes have actually frozen or if the top canopy of leaves has been nipped," Wittman said. "If only the leaves have been affected, it is safe to can the tomatoes using current recommended canning methods."

But if tomatoes have an opaque appearance, she said, they have been frozen. And frozen tomatoes aren't safe to can because freezing damages cells, and this enhances food spoilage. Within a short time, bacteria, molds and yeasts can multiply rapidly on the tomatoes. Even if the tomatoes don't appear deteriorated, the fruit could harbor enough bacteria to cause food-borne illness even after recommended processing methods are used.

"For tomatoes nipped by frost but not completely frozen, the safe choices narrow," Wittman said. "There is a real difference between frozen tomatoes and those which have been merely touched lightly by frost."

If there is a small opaque — this is, frozen — section with the rest of the tomato remaining firm and untouched, these tomatoes may be preserved, she said. The frozen section should be completely removed and discarded. Use the untouched portions in a favorite spaghetti or salsa sauce you'll freeze, or in a canned product which is cooked down. Examples include chili sauce, tomato paste or catsup.

Avoid canning tomatoes from dead vines because the acid level in the tomatoes has dropped. Acid level is an important key in determining how long to process foods to make sure they are safe.

If your garden produce is untouched by frost or the tomato vines are still healthy, take action now!

If no frost has touched your tomatoes, you can preserve them green or ripen them off the vine for canning later. Green tomatoes, or a mixture of green and ripe tomatoes, can be safely substituted for ripe tomatoes in recipes.

Information on safely canning tomato products: Wittman at the Cassia County Extension Office, 878-9461.

Leaf wraps are a natural for the grill

By Amy Scattergood
Los Angeles Times

RICK LOOMIS/Los Angeles Times

ABOVE: Grilled halibut in banana leaves and lamb meatballs in fig leaves. RIGHT: Grilled, slightly charred grape leaves lend spice and crunch to the smooth, melting feta inside.

In the beautiful economy of the forest — or the backyard garden — leaves are nature's brilliant cookware. Banana leaves can be cut down to make plates or unfurled into wrappers perfect for steaming fish on a low-slung grill. Fig trees and grapevines yield leaves the exact size for enclosing, then grilling, a cube of feta, a recumbent sardine or a mint-studded lamb meatball.

Before the invention of tinfoil or grilling baskets, pragmatic cooks picked their kitchen supplies from branches and found what they needed in the trees.

Going green was logical — OK, obvious — long before it became chic.

The litany of leaves that works for steaming or grilling is a long one: fig and banana leaves, betel leaves in Vietnamese cuisine and "shiso" leaves in Japanese. There are tamales in their corn husk coverings, and cabbage leaves in Eastern European recipes.

Blanched or grilled, fig leaves give up a spicy register, a subtle undertone of coconut; they're blissfully fragrant wrappers for lamb meatballs. Just roll up the meatballs in the blanched leaves, skewer them and toss the kebabs on the grill.

To serve, unroll the slightly charred leaves and dip the fragrant meatballs into a cool cucumber-mint "raita."

Cooking with fig leaves has been a happy practice at Berkeley, Calif.'s Chez Panisse since it opened, says David Tanis, longtime downstairs co-chef (with Jean-Pierre Moulle). "We've been doing it here for 100 years — well, no, 37," Tanis says. "I'll bet it's something Alice (Waters) picked up in France," he says. The kitchen picks leaves from a Black Mission tree near the restaurant.

Tanis likes to cook fish — halibut, salmon, "most white-fleshed, boneless fish fillets" — in fig leaves, which keep the fish moist and perfume it simultaneously. He'll use simple seasoning (salt and pepper, a good olive oil, garlic, maybe fresh thyme) and then just wrap the leaf around the fish.

"If you're grilling, you get the protection (of the leaf), and all that grilly flavor."

Banana leaves play an important role in Vietnamese cuisine; they're used as a wrapper for sticky rice dumplings and whole fish.

During cooking, banana leaves yield cool faint notes of tea and anise that complement fish. Coat a wedge of halibut with a quick sauce of cilantro and lime, garlic and chiles, then double-wrap the fish in banana leaves and grill. The outer leaves might char a bit, but the inner layer keeps the fish beautifully moist — and serves as an ad hoc platter.

Ardrea Nguyen, author of "Into the Vietnamese Kitchen," says her mother liked to cook with banana leaves so much that they bought their first house, in San Clemente, Calif., for its three banana trees.

"My mother used to send my father outside with a machete — we just used the leaves (from the tree)," Nguyen says.

Banana leaves are available frozen in many grocery stores.

Grape leaves are another common leaf used for cooking, and perhaps the most familiar. They're essential in Greek and Middle-Eastern cooking and, unlike banana and fig leaves — which are used only as wrappers — grape leaves are eaten along with their contents.

Although you can use fresh grape leaves (if you do, pick young leaves that have not been sprayed with pesticides and blanch them), brined grape leaves are readily available.

And they're not just for dolmades, the little meticulously wrapped bundles often filled with lamb and rice and braised in broth.

Cookbook author Martha Rose Shulman includes a wonderful recipe for grilled grape leaves stuffed with feta cheese in her new cookbook, "Mediterranean Harvest." Shulman's recipe is simple yet well articulated, a lovely juxtaposition of flavor and texture.

Brined grape leaves first are blanched to remove some of the salt and to further tenderize them, then wrapped around cubes of firm feta. The little bundles are threaded on wooden skewers, brushed lightly with olive oil, and briefly grilled.

The grape leaves, crisped and faintly charred, have a spice and crunch that highlight the smooth beauty of melting feta. Throw a bunch of red grapes on the grill too: The bursts of winey flavor are a perfect counterpoint to the little kebabs.

Chez Panisse's Tanis likes to cook with grape leaves as well as the leaves from that nearby fig tree. On a recent menu he offered sardines grilled in grape leaves, with parsley and lemon salad.

Snip off the woody stem of grape or fig leaves; remove the fibrous inner stalk of banana leaves. If you're picking fresh, choose young leaves, which are more supple, or blanch the leaves briefly in boiling water.

You don't have to blanch the leaves, but it makes them easier to work with — and brings out their aromas. Then just match the flavors and characteristics of the leaves with what you're wrapping inside.

With any extra leaves, try throwing together a quick extra course. Wrap half a peach drizzled with honey and sprinkled with cinnamon in a fig leaf, or fold a handful of market vegetables — with a splash of olive oil and a brief rain of sea salt — inside a banana leaf.

A few minutes on the grill and they're done.

GRILLED FETA IN GRAPE LEAVES

This recipe is adapted from "Mediterranean Harvest" by Martha Rose Shulman. Soak the skewers in water while you're assembling the feta and grape leaves.

16 grape leaves packed in brine
8 ounces firm feta, cut into 16 (1-inch) squares
Best quality olive oil for brushing
Wooden skewers for grilling

Carefully unroll the grape leaves and rinse well under cold water. Blanch the leaves, a few at a time, in boiling water for 6 to 8 minutes until slightly softened. Remove to a bowl of cold water, then drain and pat dry. Place a leaf on the work surface, vein side up and stem facing you. Snip off the stem. Center a square of feta on the leaf. Fold the bottom up over the feta, then fold in the sides and roll up tightly, tucking in the sides as you go.

Run a skewer through the middle. Fill all the leaves, placing four stuffed leaves on each skewer. Brush the packets lightly with olive oil.

Grill over high heat, turning often, until the grape leaves are crisp and the cheese inside is bubbling, about 4 minutes. Serve immediately.

Servings: 4. Total time: 45 minutes.

Each serving: 161 calories; 9 grams protein; 4 grams carbohydrates; 0 fiber; 12 grams fat; 9 grams saturated fat; 51 mg. cholesterol; 1,089 mg. sodium.

GRILLED HALIBUT WITH CILANTRO-LIME SAUCE IN BANANA LEAVES

This dish should be served with rice.

8 small banana leaves, or 8 (10-inch-by-12-inch) sections of larger leaves, thick ribs removed
2 jalapenos, stemmed (seeded, if desired, for less heat)
2 garlic cloves
2 cups parsley leaves
2 cups cilantro leaves
Finely grated zest and juice of 2 limes
1/2 teaspoon sea salt
1/2 cup best-quality olive oil
4 (6-ounce) fillets of Pacific halibut, skin off

Blanch the banana leaves, a few at a time, in boiling water for 2 to 3 minutes until slightly softened. Remove to a bowl of cold water, then drain, pat dry and set aside.

In the bowl of a food processor, combine the chiles, garlic, parsley, cilantro, lime juice and zest, and salt. Process until blended. Add the olive oil in a slow stream and process until combined; you'll have about 1 cup of sauce.

Place a leaf or leaf section on the work surface, rib side up. Center one halibut fillet on the leaf. Add 1 tablespoon of sauce to the top of the fish and turn to coat the fillet. Wrap the leaf around the fish, turn the packet over, and use a second leaf to wrap the fish again. Repeat with the remaining fillets.

Grill the packets over medium heat, turning once, until the leaves are crisp and brown but not burned through, about 20 minutes. If you're in doubt, open one packet to test that the fish is flaky and cooked through. Serve immediately, with rice and the remaining sauce passed at the table.

Servings: 4. Total time: 50 minutes.

Each serving: 449 calories; 37 grams protein; 5 grams carbohydrates; 2 grams fiber; 31 grams fat; 4 grams saturated fat; 54 mg. cholesterol; 402 mg. sodium.

GRILLED LAMB MEATBALLS IN FIG LEAVES

Soak the skewers in water while you're assembling the packets. Serve with raita (see related recipe).

24 fig leaves
1 pound ground lamb
1/2 pound ground pork
3 cloves garlic, minced
1/2 cup chopped fresh mint
1/2 cup chopped parsley
1/2 teaspoon sea salt
1/4 teaspoon ground cumin
1/4 teaspoon Aleppo pepper
1/4 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
1/2 cup finely diced red onion
Wooden skewers for grilling
1 1/2 cups raita

Blanch the leaves, a few at a time, in boiling water until softened slightly, about 3 minutes. Remove to a bowl of ice water, then drain, pat dry and set aside.

In a large bowl, mix together the lamb, pork, garlic, mint, parsley, salt, cumin, Aleppo and black peppers and onion until well-combined.

Place a leaf on the work surface, vein side up and stem facing you. Snip off the stem. Form about 2 tablespoons of the mixture into a meatball and place it on the leaf centered and toward the bottom. Fold the bottom of the leaf up over the meatball, then fold in the sides and roll up tightly, tucking in the sides as you go. Run a skewer through the middle. Continue until all the leaves are filled, placing four stuffed leaves on each skewer.

Grill over medium-low heat, turning often, until the fig leaves are browned but not burned and the meatballs have cooked through, about 15 minutes. Serve immediately, unwrapping the leaves and discarding them, with a bowl of raita for dipping.

Total time: About 1 hour. Servings: 6.

Each four-meatball serving (without dip): 237 calories; 20 grams protein; 3 grams carbohydrates; 1 gram fiber; 16 grams fat; 6 grams saturated fat; 75 milligrams cholesterol; 257 milligrams sodium.

RAITA

1 large English cucumber or 4 Persian cucumbers
1/2 teaspoon sea salt
2 cups full-fat plain yogurt
1 large clove garlic, finely minced
1/4 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
1/2 cup finely chopped fresh mint

Peel and grate the cucumber(s) into a medium bowl. Stir in the salt, cover and allow to sit for 30 minutes.

Drain the cucumbers, squeezing out as much liquid as you can. Add the yogurt, garlic, pepper and mint and stir to combine.

Total time: 15 minutes, plus sitting time. Servings: Makes 3 cups.

Each quarter cup: 30 calories; 2 grams protein; 3 grams carbohydrates; 0 fiber; 1 gram fat; 1 gram saturated fat; 5 milligrams cholesterol; 68 milligrams sodium.

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Enjoying a cakelike apple pie

The Washington Post

A gateau Breton is a specialty of Brittany; this nontraditional version adds a cooked-apple filling between two layers of dough with a cakelike texture.

You'll need a 10-inch round cake pan, 2 inches deep, and two 10-inch or larger cardboard disks or tart bottoms.

Keep the Breton loosely covered with plastic wrap at room temperature if you are serving it the day it is baked. Wrap well and freeze for longer storage. Defrost and bring to room temperature before serving.

Serve with sweetened whipped cream.

Adapted from "The Modern Baker," by Nick Malgieri (DK Publishing, 2008).

Breton Apple Pie, from 'The Modern Baker.'

Photo courtesy of DK Publishing

BRETON APPLE PIE

Makes one 10-inch pie, about 12 servings

For the filling:

3 tablespoons unsalted butter

2 1/2 pounds golden delicious apples, peeled, cut in half and cored; cut each half into 6 wedges

1/2 cup sugar

1 tablespoon freshly squeezed lemon juice

1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon

For the dough:

8 ounces (2 sticks) unsalted butter, at room temperature, plus more for greasing the cake pan

1 cup sugar

1 teaspoon vanilla extract

4 large egg yolks, plus an egg wash of 1 large egg beaten with a pinch of salt

2 3/4 cups flour (spoon flour into a dry-measure cup and level off)

For the filling: Melt the butter over medium heat in a large pan that has a tight-fitting cover, such as an enameled cast-iron Dutch oven. Add the apples and sprinkle them with the sugar, lemon juice and cinnamon. Cook, covered, for about 10 minutes, checking them and stirring occasionally, until they are swimming in liquid. Uncover and cook for about 10 minutes, so the liquid evaporates; stir occasionally to keep the apples from sticking or scorching. (Most of the apples will disintegrate while the filling is cooking, making it like a chunky applesauce.) Remove from the heat and let cool while you make the dough.

For the dough: Set an oven rack on the lowest level of the oven; preheat to 350 degrees. Use a little butter to grease a 10-inch round cake pan. Cut a round of parchment or wax paper to fit in the bottom, then butter the paper. Have ready two 10-inch cardboard rounds or tart bottoms.

Combine the butter, sugar and vanilla extract in the bowl of a mixer. Beat at medium speed for 5 minutes, until the mixture is very light and aerated. Add the egg yolks one at a time, beating until smooth after each addition.

Remove the bowl from the mixer and use a large rubber spatula to incorporate the flour.

Place half of the dough in the bottom of the prepared pan. Use your fingertips to press the dough evenly over the bottom of the pan and about 1 inch up the sides. Spread the cooled filling over the dough.

Flour the remaining dough lightly on both sides and press it into a 10-inch disk (use a cardboard or tart pan bottom as a guide). Run a long-bladed knife or spatula under the dough to keep it from sticking. Invert the dough onto a separate floured cardboard and slide it onto the filling.

Brush the top of the pie with the egg wash. Use the tines of a fork to trace a lattice pattern on the top. Bake for 50 to 55 minutes, until the dough is nicely colored and baked through. Transfer the pan to a wire rack to cool for 10 minutes, then invert, unmold and turn right side up again (it's good to use one of the cardboard disks or tart bottom for this). Let cool completely.

To serve, slide the Breton pie onto a platter and cut it into wedges at the table.

Per serving (based on 12): 340 calories, 4 g protein, 35 g carbohydrates, 20 g fat, 14 g saturated fat, 136 mg cholesterol, 9 mg sodium, 1 g dietary fiber.

Dutch oven cooking for the ghoulish set

Times-News

Come hungry and don't be afraid to try the witch's brew, ghoulish stew and wrinkled-finger side dish, say organizers of a Dutch oven cooking class with a Halloween theme.

For the College of Southern Idaho North Side Center class, instructor Colleen Sloan will share a taste of history while teaching you how to season, cook with, clean and store Dutch ovens, and she'll introduce you to new products for cast iron cooking. Hopefully you won't be scared away by the deep-fried crickets or the ghost blood dessert.

"Devilish Dutch Oven" will be held from 6:30 to 9 p.m. Oct. 6 at the North Side Center, 202 14th Ave. E. in Gooding.

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Cooking up better scrambled eggs

The Washington Post

To make scrambled eggs that are soft and creamy, try cooking them slowly over the indirect heat of a double-boiler. This technique works for two eggs or a dozen. They'll need the extra moisture of a little butter, plus a liquid such as milk, cream or water. It's better to use a flat whisk for stirring, as it will help aerate the eggs.

Here's a recipe that serves six: Heat several inches of water in a medium saucepan over medium heat; the water should not be boiling. Break 12 eggs into a medium stainless-steel bowl. Add 2 tablespoons of milk, cream or water, 1 tablespoon of melted or softened unsalted butter, and salt and freshly ground black pepper to taste; whisk until well combined.

Place the bowl over the saucepan, making sure the bottom of the bowl is not touching the water. Reduce the heat to medium-low.

Stirring slowly with a flat whisk, cook the eggs for 6 to 7 minutes, until they form soft curds and are just set; protect the hand needed to hold the bowl steady. (Add any cheese or herbs close to the end of cooking.) Remove the bowl from the heat. The eggs will hold/stay warm for about 10 minutes.

Tips are from chef Susan Callahan, an instructor at the Shady Grove campus of the University of Maryland Eastern Shore.

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Dinner in 20 minutes: A scallop dish for the scallop-shy

By Bonnie S. Benwick
The Washington Post

This could be a breakthrough dish for those who don't care for the taste of scallops or for their lingering aroma in the kitchen. The accompanying chutney is a simple sweet-sour jumble of thinly sliced onions that has great depth of flavor, especially considering its quick preparation. It's best to use dry-packed scallops, which are beige or light pink and have not been soaked in a solution. Serve with a creamy orzo salad or couscous.

Adapted from a recipe in "Nova Scotia Cooking" by Charles Lief and Heather Mackenzie (Key Porter Books, 1997).

SAUTEED SCALLOPS WITH HONEY-ONION CHUTNEY

4 servings

1 pound sea scallops, preferably dry-packed (may substitute firm, white-fleshed fish fillet and cook as needed)
1 large onion (1 pound total)
2 tablespoons unsalted butter
1/4 cup distilled white vinegar
3/4 cup honey
1 teaspoon sweet paprika
1/2 medium lemon

Preheat the oven to 200 degrees; place heatproof individual plates on the middle rack to warm.

Rinse the scallops and blot on several layers of paper towels; turn over to dry on both sides while you prepare the chutney.

Peel the onion, then cut it in half; place the cut sides down on the cutting board, then cut each half into very thin slices.

Melt 1 tablespoon of the butter in a medium skillet over medium heat. Add the onion and cook, stirring occasionally, for about 8 minutes, until the onion has softened and starts to turn golden. Add the vinegar, honey and paprika, stirring to incorporate. Cook for 5 minutes, until the mixture bubbles and thickens slightly to form a loose chutney. Reduce to the lowest heat setting or remove from the heat.

Melt the remaining butter in a large skillet over medium heat. Squeeze 1 teaspoon of juice from the lemon half into the butter and stir to combine, then add the scallops and cook for 2 minutes, until lightly browned on the bottom. Gently turn them over and cook for 1 to 2 minutes, depending on the desired degree of doneness (preferably just firm yet fork-tender).

Divide the scallops among the warmed plates, then top each scallop with some of the chutney. If you have an extra minute or two, transfer the scallops to a cutting board and use a very sharp knife to cut them vertically into thin slices. Fan the slices on individual plates and top with the chutney. Serve immediately.

Per serving: 383 calories, 20 g protein, 67 g carbohydrates, 7 g fat, 4 g saturated fat, 52 mg cholesterol, 186 mg sodium, 2 g dietary fiber.

JULIA EWAN/Washington Post

About cooking scallops

To reduce or ameliorate the smell, fill a small saucepan with water and add 4 to 6 whole cloves. Bring to a boil over medium-high heat; boil as you cook the scallops in a seperate skillet. Continue to boil the spices for 5 to 10 minutes after the scallops are done.

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The Twin Falls Farmers Market held its annual Customer Appreciation Day on Saturday, serving a free potluck-style lunch. 'There's no cook like a farmers market vendor, and our customers have come to look forward to this event all year,' says Diane Stevens, a market organizer. Now is the high point of harvest, with the Twin Falls market at capacity with vendors, produce — such as the selection of bell peppers at bottom right — fall flowers and a crowd of customers. At right, Chuck Vawser and his son Matthew operate their produce booth Saturday at the farmers market. In the photo below, Leon Overton, right, sells produce to a customer. The Twin Falls market operates from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturdays in a field off *North College Road. For* an online interactive map with details on all of south-central Idaho's farmers markets, including season-end dates, log on to magicvalley.com/farmers_market/

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For the Times-News

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something she said she never would have done before.

Some results are harder to achieve without industrial equipment. Gas grills and stovetops, for example, heat faster than electric, Johnson said. Sauteing requires three heat settings — no problem with gas appliances, which change temperature quickly. Electric stoves, however, take too long to heat up and cool down.

"You can't wait for it to change temperature," Johnson said. The cook risks burning the vegetables if they're left on high heat for too long. Home chefs who want to replicate restaurant sauteing can use three burners with different heat settings: one each on high, medium and low. Instead of turning down the heat, move the pan from one burner to the next.

Second-year student Alissa Dean has learned to cope with equipment differences between home and school. Although she prefers the school's stove to her own — "Electric takes so much longer to heat up," she said — she has adapted and can reproduce the culinary creations from her classes.

"My husband loves it," Dean said. "He actually comes here on some of the days we cook lunch and he'll want it back at home."

Melissa Davlin may be reached at 208-735-3234 or melissa.davlin@lee.net.

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Robert Wendell Marshall 'Marathon Man'

Robert Wendell Marshall passed away Monday, Sept. 22, 2008, at his home in Holladay surrounded by friends and family. He died after a two-year struggle with Lou Gehrig's disease that left him paralyzed and on a respirator. He was 55.

Friends and neighbors released 2,000 balloons at his passing. They remember Bob as a father, husband, newspaper publisher and marathoner who put those he loved above all else.

He is survived by five children, Tiffany, 27, Danny, 26, Greg, 23, Michelle, 18, and Chelsea, 17; and wife, Debi (Mendiola), to whom he was married for 31 years. The couple is expecting their first grandchild, Robert Luke, in February. They were a closely knit family who spent their happiest times traveling to favorite spots in Europe and Hawaii.

His parents, Wendell P. and Barbara J. Marshall of Pocatello, preceded him in death. He also leaves behind a brother, Jim (Tina) Marshall; and two sisters, Diane (Eric) Neste and Janet (Mike) McBride.

Bob graced the lives of those he knew with compassion, strength and giving. He coached his kids' Little League softball and basketball teams, took his kids to Utah Jazz games, volunteered at their schools and cared for his wife, who has battled non-Hodgkins lymphoma for 15 years. He contributed to social causes such as cancer research, the Muscular Dystrophy Association and Primary Children's Hospital.

He owned eight community newspapers and business journals in Utah, Idaho and the Pacific Northwest. He was publisher of the Pekin Daily Times in Illinois and president of the Kiwanis Club and chamber of commerce there. Though he loved journalism, his true love was family. He also excelled at downhill skiing and running.

He began running marathons five years ago at the age of 50 and completed the Salt Lake and St. George marathons twice and the Chicago Marathon. Four days after completing the Chicago Marathon in October 2007, he was diagnosed with Lou Gehrig's disease, also known as ALS, a degenerative neurological disorder. In spite of the devastating news, Bob completed the Boston Marathon that April with his three running buddies, Tom Loken, Paula Vernon and Donna Thomas. He was featured on the CBS Evening News with Katie Couric as well as local telecasts and newspapers for this feat. He will be remembered for his grace, dignity and determination.

The family would like to thank friends who have become like family, Tom and Sally Loken, Paula Vernon, Donna Thomas and Kelly Petersen-Short, and especially Dr. Mark Bromberg, Bob's neurologist, and Dr. Saundra Buys, Debi's oncologist.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Dr. Mark Bromberg, the head of the neurological department at the University of Utah Hospital and Bob's kind and compassionate doctor at 50 N. Medical Drive, Salt Lake City, UT 84132.

Bob's viewing will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 24, at the Larkin Sunset Lawn Mortuary, 2350 E., 1300 S., in Salt Lake City. For more information on the viewing, call 801-582-1582. Bob's funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 25, at the Holladay United Church of Christ, 2631 E. Murray Holladay Road.

Our love goes with you, Bob, as you run marathons in the sky. You will be missed, but never forgotten. Remember to never, never, never give up.

Elaine Casper Coy

KEARNS, Utah — Our beloved Honey left us today, Sept. 22, 2008, to go home with her sweetheart. She died at home surrounded by her family's love.

Elaine was born Sept. 18, 1926, in Rigby, to Ethel Walker and Clyde Wallace Casper. She served an LDS Stake Mission and graduated from BYU. She married Fred LaRell Coy on June 18, 1955. They lived in Salmon, Preston and Rupert as well as in Kearns, Utah.

Elaine is survived by a brother, Dr. John Casper of Idaho Falls; and her three daughters, LaRaine (Mrs. Max) Petersen, Teresa Sortor and Mary Jane (Mrs. Richard) Mote. Her five grandchildren, Tricia, Coy, Kasey, Jacob and Laura; and four great-grandsons were the joy of her life. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband and two brothers. Elaine will be missed by the large extended family that her sweet smile and loving personality brought her.

The family would like to thank Dr. John Dietlein of West Valley Home Health Care and Vista Hospice for the loving care they gave our sweet Honey.

The funeral will be held at noon Thursday, Sept. 25, with viewing from 10 to 11:45 an., at the Olympic Park LDS 1st Ward, 5826 S. Cougar Lane (4800 W.). Interment will be at Mountain View Memorial, 3115 E. Bengal Blvd. (7800 S.)

Sheryl Rae Holmes Yanskey

Sheryl Rae Holmes Yanskey, 75, passed away peacefully Sunday, Sept. 21, 2008, at Heritage Assisted Living.

She was born Feb. 22, 1933, in Pocatello, to Ray and Gladys Holmes. She was raised in Twin Falls and graduated from Twin Falls High School. Sheryl married Russell Ray Yanskey, and to this union, they had four children, Annette, Michelle, Paul and Mary, all from Tucson, Ariz.

Sheryl is survived by her four children and sister, Charleen VonGortler of San Luis Obispo, Calif. She was preceded in death by her husband, Russell, and her parents.

Special thanks to Heritage Assisted Living for her wonderful home, Hospice Visions for its loving care and Twin Falls County Board of Community Guardians for their volunteers.

At Sheryl's request, no service will be held at this time. Her cremated ashes will be given to her children. Cremation will be handled by Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls. In lieu of flowers, suggested donations to be made to Heritage Assisted Living.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.magicvalleyfuneralhome.com.

Mary Nolan Hoag

The soul we knew as Mary Nolan Hoag departed this physical manifestation on Monday afternoon, Sept. 22, 2008.

For those wishing to remember and celebrate Mary's time with us, please for an information open house from 3 to 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 27, at her home, 645 Second Ave. N. in Twin Falls. This will be followed by a sunset celebration from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. at Mary Alice Park, 436 Main Ave. N. in Twin Falls.

"She loved a party!"

Anyone wishing to make a donation in Mary's memory, please consider the Twin Falls Public Library, 201 Fourth Ave. E., Twin Falls, ID 83301.

Cremation is under the direction of Serenity Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls.

Arlene Afton Buchanan

TRACY, Calif. — Arlene Afton Buchanan, 72, of Tracy, Calif., and formerly of Burley, died Monday, Sept. 15, 2008, at Tracy Convalescent Hospital in Tracy, Calif., following a stroke in July.

A service will be held at 11 a.m. Oct. 18 at the LDS Church in Wendell. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to the Afton Buchanan Memorial Fund at Community Banks of Tracy, 1839 W. 11th St., Tracy, CA. 95376.

Mrs. Buchanan was born Jan. 31, 1936, in Jerome, and was the youngest of five children. She graduated from high school in Jerome and attended Brigham Young University and Rick's College, where she earned an associate's degree in elementary education. She taught in Burley for 28 years and, during that time, earned a bachelor's degree from Idaho State University. In 1985, she married and moved to Tracy, Calif., where she was an active member in The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and a well-known bowler. She was the secretary for two leagues and wrote a weekly bowling column for the Tracy Press. She never achieved every bowler's goal of a 300 game but had a 150-plus average over 50 years of league bowling. She was committed to her family, especially her grandchildren, Amber and Ashley, whom she helped raise. She spent many hours putting together her family history and organizing family reunions and volunteered at the genealogy center, teaching others how to trace their roots.

Mrs. Buchanan is survived by her husband of 23 years, Robert E. Buchanan; a daughter, Tawnya Walker of Tracy, Calif.; two granddaughters, Amber Walker of Asheboro, N.C., and Ashley Kitchen of Tracy, Calif.; plus four stepchildren, Wayne (Jill) Buchanan and family of Hensley, Ariz., Deborah (Ken) Kaiser and family of Parsippany, N.J., Ralph Buchanan of Tracy, Calif., and Rebecca (Tim) Patterson and family of Kuna. Her surviving sisters are Mildred (Keith) Wert of Wendell, Marlene Reeves of Kimberly and Maurine Parker of Rupert. She was preceded in death by her parents, Charles and Mildred Andrus; and brother, Charles "Chuck" Andrus.

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Carl Anthony Heiner of Twin Falls and formerly of Burley, funeral at 10 a.m. Thursday at the Chubbuck LDS 2nd Ward Church, 4775 Hawthorne Road in Chubbuck; military graveside service and burial at 4 p.m. Thursday at the Rupert Cemetery in Rupert; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday and one hour before the funeral Thursday at the church (Rasmussen Funeral Home in Burley).

Franklin Flint of Idaho Falls and formerly of Twin Falls, funeral at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Ammon LDS 18th Ward Church, 4459 John Adams Parkway; visitation from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Wood East Side Chapel, 963 S. Ammon Road in Ammon, and 10 to 10:45 a.m. Thursday at the church.

Bert Arnold Landon of Mountain Home, funeral at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Mountain Home LDS Stake Center; visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. Wednesday at Rost Funeral Home, McMurtrey Chapel in Mountain Home.

Robert Clark Drips of Salt Lake City, Utah, funeral at 1 p.m. Thursday at the Cannon Mortuary, 2460 E. Bengal Blvd. in Salt Lake City, Utah; interment at 1 p.m. Saturday in the Paskenta Cemetery in Paskenta, Calif.

Nelson "Dean" Slaymaker of Twin Falls, funeral at 2 p.m. Friday at the Twin Falls LDS 9th Ward Church; visitation from 5 to 8 p.m. Thursday at White Mortuary in Twin Falls.

DEATH NOTICE

Louise G. Gentry

GOODING — Louise G. Gentry, 84, of Gooding, died Monday, Sept. 22, 2008, at Helping Hands of Gooding.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, Sept. 26, at St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church in Gooding; visitation from 4 to 7 p.m., with rosary at 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 25, at Demaray's Gooding Chapel Thursday.

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Democrats to let offshore drilling ban expire

By Andrew Taylor
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — Democrats have decided to allow a quarter-century ban on drilling for oil off the Atlantic and Pacific coasts to expire next week, conceding defeat in a months-long battle with the White House and Republicans set off by $4 a gallon gasoline prices this summer.

House Appropriations Committee Chairman David Obey, D-Wis., told reporters Tuesday that a provision continuing the moratorium will be dropped this year from a stopgap spending bill to keep the government running after Congress recesses for the election.

Republicans have made lifting the ban a key campaign issue after gasoline prices spiked this summer and public opinion turned in favor of more drilling. President Bush lifted an executive ban on offshore drilling in July.

"If true, this capitulation by Democrats following months of Republican pressure is a big victory for Americans struggling with record gasoline prices," said House GOP leader John Boehner of Ohio.

Democrats had clung to the hope of only a partial repeal of the drilling moratorium, but the White House had promised a veto, Obey said.

The House is expected to act on the spending bill today. The Senate is likely to go along with the House.

"The White House has made it clear they will not accept anything with a drilling moratorium, and Democrats know we cannot afford to shut down the government over this," said Jim Manley, a spokesman for Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid.

"We look forward to working with the next president to hammer out a final resolution of this issue."

While the House would lift the long-standing drilling moratoriums for both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, a drilling ban in waters within 125 miles of Florida's western coast would remain in force under a law passed by Congress in 2006 that opened some new areas of the east-central Gulf to drilling.

AROUND THE NATION

GEORGIA

Cop killer granted last-minute reprieve

JACKSON — The U.S. Supreme Court gave a reprieve to a Georgia inmate less than two hours before his scheduled execution Tuesday for the 1989 *slaying of an off-duty* police officer.

Family and advocates of 39-year-old Troy Davis have long said he deserves a new trial as seven of the nine witnesses who helped put him on death row have recanted their testimony. His supporters erupted into cheers and tears when the stay was announced at about 3:20 p.m. MDT.

"This is not over yet," said Davis, who sounded upbeat and optimistic speaking to the crowd by phone. "This is the beginning of my blessing."

Also on Tuesday, Florida executed a man convicted of shooting and killing two young sisters after he raped and shot their mother.

WASHINGTON

No more troops for Afghanistan until spring, Gates says

WASHINGTON — The spring of 2009 is the earliest time the Pentagon will be able to send three more U.S. combat brigades to Afghanistan to meet the longstanding requirement of American commanders there for about 10,000 more troops, Defense Secretary Robert Gates said Tuesday.

"I believe we will be able to meet that commanders requirement, but in the spring and summer of 2009," Gates told the Senate Armed Services Committee.

Pressed by lawmakers to make Afghanistan a higher priority, Gates said that based on current demands in Iraq it is impossible to free up more forces for Afghanistan earlier than that without imposing longer war-zone tours on troops.

"We do not have the forces to send three additional combat brigades to Afghanistan at this point," he said.

After deadly L.A. crash, deal reached on rail safety bill

WASHINGTON — House and Senate negotiators reached a deal Tuesday on a major railroad safety reform bill that will require new technology to prevent crashes and limit hours engineers can work.

The deal, expected to be brought to a vote in the House today, follows a collision between a commuter train and a freight train that killed 25 people in Los Angeles on Sept. 12.

Those fatalities — the nation's worst in a train crash since 1993 — spurred lawmakers to reach consensus as Congress prepares to recess at the end of this week. Lawmakers hope to move the package through the Senate before then.

The package also wraps in legislation authorizing billions for Amtrak.

— From wire services

School shooter kills 10

Finnish gunman was released despite YouTube clips

By Marius Turula
Associated Press writer

KAUHAJOKI, Finland — The YouTube clips were ominously familiar: Video of a *young man firing a handgun*, texts praising war and death.

But even with last year's school massacre in fresh memory, Finnish police released a 22-year-old student after questioning him about his violent Internet postings.

A day later, he unleashed a fiery massacre at the trade school he attended, killing 10 people before turning the gun on himself.

"The detective who handled the case did not think that the circumstances were such that they required a confiscation of the weapon or a withdrawal of the license," Finland's Interior Minister Anne Holmlund said.

Tuesday's mayhem in the small, western town of Kauhajoki renewed criticism of Finland's relaxed gun laws and raised questions about whether police could have stopped the bloodshed.

Government officials and police said they would review the handling of the case, which bore chilling similarities to a shooting in November, when an 18-year-old gunman at a high school near Helsinki killed six students, a school nurse and the principal before shooting himself in the head.

Both gunmen posted violent clips on YouTube prior to the shootings, both were fascinated by the 1999 Columbine school shootings in Colorado, both attacked their own schools and both died after shooting themselves in the head.

One clip posted by the alleged gunman in Tuesday's attack showed him pointing his gun to the camera and saying "You will die next" before firing four rounds.

Still, some experts said it would be unfair to blame Finnish police for the shooting.

"It's unfair to expect police to be able to be clairvoyant like the movie 'Minority Report' and know whether or not someone making a video intends to commit harm consistent with that video," Interpol Secretary General Ronald Noble told the AP in a telephone interview. He was referring to the 2002 Steven Spielberg film in which an elite law enforcement squad is able to predict crimes before they happen.

"People will be second-guessing," Noble said. "Knowing now that he killed these people, you look at the video — it looks even more frightening. So now you say, 'How is it that they let him go? How is it that they didn't arrest him? How is it that they didn't put him in observation in a psychiatric ward for three days?'"

He suggested that some countries need regulatory codes that would allow firearm licenses to be revoked for people who have shown signs they might pose a threat with their guns.

"Then police can say, 'OK, we don't have enough to arrest you but we are certainly going to take your firearms away,'" he said.

Finnish media identified the gunman as Matti Juhani Saari, a 22-year-old student at a local trade school, which offers courses in catering, tourism, nursing and home economics. Police declined to name him saying he did not have a previous criminal record.

Witnesses said panic erupted as the shooter, dressed in black and carrying a large bag, entered the Kauhajoki School of Hospitality just before 11 a.m. local time, and started firing in a classroom where students were taking an exam.

"I heard several dozen rounds of shots, in other words it was an automatic pistol," school janitor Jukka Forsberg told Finnish broadcaster YLE. "I saw some female students who were wailing and moaning and one managed to escape out the back door."

Jari Neulaniemi, the officer heading the investigation, said the attacker walked into the school armed with a .22-caliber pistol and "some petrol bombs or Molotov cocktails" that were used to start several fires. He killed 10 people — including at least one teacher — burning many of them beyond recognition, Neulaniemi said.

Neulaniemi said the gunman left two handwritten messages at the school dormitory saying he had planned the attack since 2002 and that he hated the human race.

Gun control activists blasted the Finnish government, saying it should have restricted gun laws after last year's shooting at the Jokela school. With some 1.6 million firearms in private hands, Finland ranks in the top five in civilian gun ownership per capita along with the United States, Yemen, Iraq and Switzerland.

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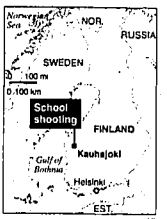
An image taken from his Web site shows Matti Juhani Saari, who entered a school in Kauhajoki, 180 miles northwest of Helsinki, and began firing in a classroom where students were taking an exam Tuesday.



AP

Probe: Medicare paid out billions in suspect claims

By Hope Yen
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — The government paid more than $1 billion in questionable Medicare claims for medical supplies that showed little relation to a patient's condition, including blood glucose strips for sexual impotence and special diabetic shoes for leg amputees, congressional investigators say.

Billions more in taxpayer dollars may have been wasted over the last decade because the government-run health program for the elderly and disabled paid out claims with blank or invalid diagnosis codes, such as a "?" or "zzzzz." Medicare officials say even smiley-face icons could have been accepted.

The report by Republicans on the Senate Homeland Security investigations subcommittee, obtained by The Associated Press, is the latest to detail lax oversight in the $400 billion program that has been cited by government auditors as a high-risk for fraud and waste for nearly 20 years.

The panel's review of millions of claims submitted by sellers of wheelchairs, drugs and other medical supplies on behalf of Medicare patients from 2001 to 2006 found at least $1 billion in which the listed diagnosis code appeared to have little, if any, connection to the reimbursed medical item.

For example, blood glucose test strips are almost exclusively used for diabetics. But Medicare paid millions of dollars to medical suppliers for the test strips without question based on non-diabetic diagnoses ranging from typhoid and bubonic plague to chronic airway obstruction and "psychosexual dysfunction."

Other questionable claims included wheelchairs or wheelchair accessories for patients listed as having a deformed nose or sprained wrist; special shoes for diabetics or shoe inserts for those with leg amputation or "precocious sexual development"; and walkers for people diagnosed with paraplegia.

"Since when did doctors start prescribing blood glucose test strips for the bubonic plague?" Minnesota Sen. Norm Coleman, the top Republican on the panel said Tuesday. "CMS's review process simply doesn't check to see whether the claim makes sense and that leaves Medicare vulnerable to fraud, waste, and abuse. Bottom line: we need to know where our Medicare dollars are going."

Palin, in a bubble, makes her diplomatic debut

By Sara Kugler
Associated Press writer

NEW YORK — Sarah Palin met her first world leaders Tuesday.

It was a tightly controlled crash course on foreign policy for the Republican vice presidential candidate, the mayor-turned-governor who has been outside North America just once.

Palin sat down with Afghan President Hamid Karzai and Colombian President Alvaro Uribe. The conversations were private, the pictures public, meant to build her resume for voters concerned about her lack of experience in world affairs.

"I found her quite a capable woman," Karzai said later. "She asked the right questions on Afghanistan."

The self-described "hockey mom" also asked former Secretary of State Henry Kissinger for insights on Georgia, Russia, China and Iran, and she'll see more leaders today on the sidelines of the United Nations General Assembly meetings.

It was shuttle diplomacy, New York-style. At several points, Palin's motorcade got stuck in traffic and New Yorkers, unimpressed with the flashing lights, sirens and police officers in her group, simply walked between the vehicles to get across the street.

Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice, three hours behind Palin in seeing Karzai, found herself overshadowed for a day as she made her own rounds.

John McCain's presidential campaign has shielded the first-term Alaska governor for weeks from spontaneous questions from voters and reporters, and went to striking lengths Tuesday to maintain that distance as Palin made her diplomatic debut.

The GOP campaign, applying more restrictive rules on access than even President Bush uses in the White House, banned reporters from the start of the meetings, so as not to risk a question being asked of Palin.

McCain aides relented after news organizations objected and CNN, which was supplying TV footage to a variety of networks, decided to pull its TV crew from Palin's meeting with Karzai.

Overheard: small talk.

Palin is studying foreign policy ahead of her one debate with Democratic vice presidential candidate Joe Biden, a senator with deep credentials on that front. More broadly, the Republican ticket is trying to counter questions exploited by Democrats about her qualifications to serve as vice president and step into the presidency at a moment's notice if necessary.

There was no chance of putting such questions to rest with photo opportunities Tuesday.

Republican vice presidential candidate, Alaska Gov. Sarah Palin, right, shakes hands with Colombian President Alvaro Uribe, Tuesday after their meeting in New York.

AP photo

China's milk scandal reveals government shortcomings

By Charles Hutzler
Associated Press writer

BEIJING — The note posted in July on the Web site of China's food safety inspection agency came from a doctor: There had been a sudden rise in infants turning up at his hospital with kidney stones after drinking the same brand of formula.

The warning, which urged an investigation, went unheeded. In the two weeks since China began piecemeal reporting about contamination of the milk supply, a picture has emerged of official indifference, greed and government dysfunction.

Among the startling details: the practice of adulterating milk was widely known in the industry, and one dairy knew since late last year that its formula was sickening children.

The revelations have dismayed a broad segment of the public — parents — who feel the government has breached their trust. Tens of thousands of children have sought medical care, nearly 13,000 have been hospitalized and four infants have died.

"I'm just disappointed because the government should have done more to protect its citizens," said Liao Yanfang, a migrant worker whose 1-year-old son was found to have kidney stones Tuesday at Beijing Children's Hospital. Since birth, her only child had been drinking infant formula made by the company at the center of the scandal, Sanlu Group Co., she said.

"I fed my baby powdered milk because ads said it was more nutritious than breast milk. We trusted that the government would provide adequate tests to ensure food quality," she said.

In the past two weeks, Beijing has recalled a broad array of milk products — all tainted by the industrial chemical melamine — and arrested Sanlu's chairwoman and several suppliers. It has dismissed officials and offered free medical care to the afflicted. "Nothing like this will ever happen again," Premier Wen Jiabao pledged.

But questions remain about why food and health inspectors ignored growing signs of trouble in the milk supply and when the communist leadership knew about it. Galling to many Chinese is the suspicion that high-level pressures for a successful Beijing Olympics added momentum for a cover-up.

"The dairy products for the Olympic Games were safe. I think the inspection agency already knew about it, and they tried to protect the 'national brand,'" said Zhou Ze, a law professor at China Youth University For Political Science.

Regaining the confidence of the Chinese public and the world is likely to take concerted doing. The scandal has battered the government's image, so carefully cultivated during the Olympics.

Governments heavily courted by Beijing have sounded the alarm. Normally pro-China Singapore has banned the sale and import of Chinese dairy products, from yogurt to candy. At least nine other countries have done the same.

Other nations, from Canada to Australia, have increased testing of Chinese food imports. The European Union ordered customs inspectors Tuesday to be on alert for products such as bread or chocolate to insure they contain no contaminated milk.

In the U.S., the Food and Drug Administration expanded its sampling of imports from Asia to include dairy-based candies and desserts. Over the weekend, the agency announced it had started checking imports of bulk food ingredients, including milk powder, whey and some milk-derived proteins. No tainted products from China have turned up.

The overall impression is of an authoritarian government struggling to enforce its writ on a rapidly developing country where officials and businesses often go their own way.

Just four years ago, Premier Wen issued an apology and promised greater transparency when official cover-ups aided the spread of SARS from China to the world. Last year, after exported pet food, cough medicine, toothpaste and toys made with toxic products sickened and killed pets and people in North and South America, the government promised to overhaul safety inspection regimes.

"Although after SARS, the government promised a more open media environment and to protect people's right of expression, without essential measures, it's just empty talk. What is really needed is to change the system's framework," said Yang Fengchun of Peking University's School of Government. "The government and companies have lied to people, so it becomes very difficult to make people believe again in what they say."

This time around, promises of official oversight fell flat in the boisterously growing dairy industry. Almost nonexistent two decades ago, the industry has boomed, transforming once scarce milk and milk powder into staples that have boosted nutritional levels and health from the urban middle class to the rural poor.

AP file photo

Li Changjiang, minister of China's General Administration of Quality Supervision, Inspection and Quarantine, is shown in July 2007 in Beijing, China. The head of China's food safety watchdog resigned Monday in the wake of a scandal over tainted baby formula that sickened nearly 53,000 infants, state media reported.

Hebrew University/AP photo

In this undated photo, an unidentified man adjusts a telescope that once belonged to Albert Einstein, at Hebrew University in Jerusalem. Students and visitors at the university will be able to look at the stars through Einstein's long lost telescope starting Thursday, university officials said.

Now viewing: Long-lost Einstein telescope restored

By Shawna Ohm
Associated Press writer

JERUSALEM — Albert Einstein's long-lost telescope, forgotten for decades in a Jerusalem storage shed, goes on display this week after three years and $10,000 spent restoring the relic.

The old reflecting telescope is cumbersome by modern standards, but a demonstration for The Associated Press showed it still works well enough to see five of Jupiter's moons and stripes on the surface of the huge planet.

The legendary physicist who famously theorized relations among energy, speed and mass received the telescope in 1954, the year before he died. It was a gift from a friend named Zvi Gizeri, who probably made it himself, said officials at the Hebrew University in Jerusalem where the public will be able to view the telescope starting Thursday.

Einstein, who was a co-founder of the Hebrew University, willed his records to the school. There were rumors through the years that he also left a telescope, but it took modern sleuthing and some luck to find it.

The long black tube about eight inches in diameter and 6 feet long stands on a base experts say may have been taken from the German army. It was this unique base, recognizable in a picture of Einstein with the telescope, and a signature from Gizeri on one of its mirrors, that confirmed its authenticity in 2004, when a biologist named Eshel Ophir made the connection.

The forgotten telescope was first discovered in a storage shed in the late 1990s by a computer specialist at the Hebrew University. But he did not recognize it as Einstein's, and left it in the shed.

Ophir made the connection by accident, initially mistaking another forgotten telescope for the famous physicist's. After searching through the archives and photos, Ophir realized the real Einstein telescope was actually the one his colleague had found unceremoniously years earlier.

Ophir said he immediately took the telescope to the university's Meyerhoff Youth Center, where he was serving as director, to protect and clean it.

With the exception of a new eyepiece, the rest of the device, from lenses to optics, is original.

It is unlikely, though, that a theoretician like Einstein, who won a Nobel Prize in 1921 for his theory of relativity, would have had much use for a telescope in his work.

"I don't think anybody investigated Einstein's stargazing habits," said Dvora Lang, the current director of the Meyerhoff Youth Center. "But it was for his pleasure, not for his work."

The telescope goes on display Thursday at the Meyerhoff center in conjunction with Researchers Day, when schools across Europe and Israel will open their laboratory doors to the public.

The newly unveiled telescope will not be housed with the rest of Einstein's documents at the Jewish National and University Library but will remain in the Meyerhoff center for use by students.

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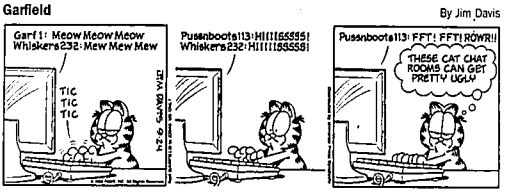

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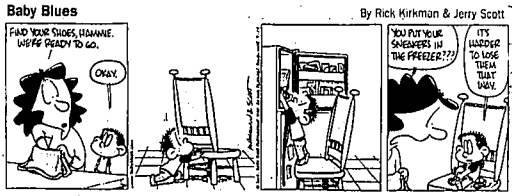

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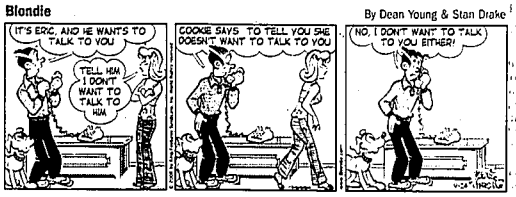

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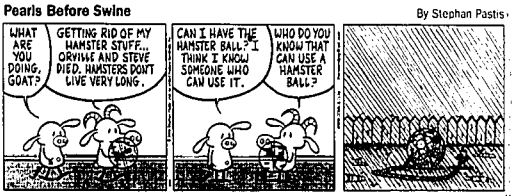

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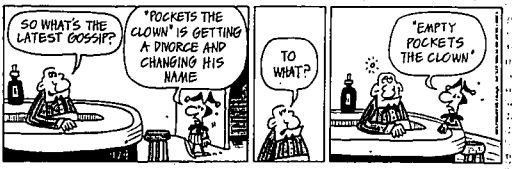

Zits
By Jim Borgman and Jerry Scott

Ahmadinejad: U.S. 'empire' nearing collapse

By Slobodan Lekic
Associated Press writer

UNITED NATIONS — Iran's president addressed the U.N. General Assembly Tuesday declaring that "the American empire" is nearing collapse and should end its military involvement in other countries.

Iranian President Mahmoud Ahmadinejad said terrorism is spreading quickly in Afghanistan and that "the occupiers" are still in Iraq nearly six years after Saddam Hussein was ousted from power in Iraq.

"American empire in the world is reaching the end of its road, and its next rulers must limit their interference to their own borders," Ahmadinejad said.

He accused the U.S. of starting wars in Iraq and Afghanistan to win votes in elections and blamed a "few bullying powers" for trying to undermine Iraq's nuclear program.

Ahmadinejad's hardline rhetoric came as no surprise and offered little in the way of compromise at the U.N., where he faces a new round of sanctions if no agreement is reached on limiting Iran's *nuclear capabilities*.

While he reiterated that the country's nuclear program is purely peaceful, the U.S. and others fear it is aimed at producing enriched uranium to make nuclear weapons.

Iran already is under three sets of sanctions by the U.N. Security Council for refusing to suspend uranium enrichment. Washington and its Western allies are pushing for quick passage of a fourth set of sanctions to underline the international community's resolve, but are likely to face opposition from Russia.

"A few bullying powers have sought to put hurdles in the way of the peaceful nuclear activities of the Iranian nation by exerting political and economic pressures against Iran," he said.

Ahmadinejad also lashed out at Israel on Tuesday, saying "the Zionist regime is on a definite slope to collapse, and there is no way for it to get out of the cesspool created by itself and its supporters."

The Iranian president is feared and reviled in Israel because of his repeated calls to wipe the Jewish state off the map, and his aggressive pursuit of nuclear technology has only fueled Israel's fears.

Ahmadinejad accused "a small but deceitful number of people called Zionists ... (of) dominating an important portion of the financial and monetary centers as well as the political decision-making centers of some European countries and the U.S."

In discussing Afghanistan, he suggested that the presence of U.S. and NATO forces has contributed to a sharp rise in terrorism and a huge increase in the production of narcotics.

He predicted that the war would end in the alliance's defeat.

"Throughout history every force that has entered Afghanistan has left in defeat," Ahmadinejad said.

His speech came just hours after President Bush made his eighth and final appearance before the U.N. General Assembly, urging the international community to stand firm against the nuclear ambitions of Iran and North Korea.

"A few nations, regimes like Syria and Iran, continue to sponsor terror," Bush said. "Yet their numbers are growing fewer, and they're growing more isolated from the world."

Iran's President Mahmoud Ahmadinejad addresses the 63rd session of the United Nations General Assembly at U.N. headquarters in New York Tuesday.

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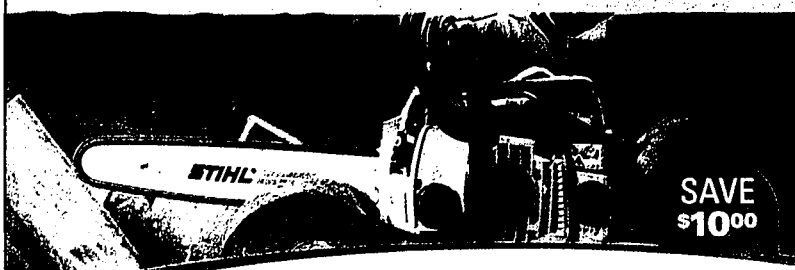

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Wildcats sweep aside Wendell

By David Bashore
Times-News writer

It was short and sweet, just the way Filer likes it.

The Wildcats had plenty of struggles of their own in a three-game sweep of visiting Wendell on Tuesday, but it wasn't anything that would derail a 25-17, 25-23, 25-12 victory over the Sawtooth Central Idaho Conference rival Trojans.

Filer (17-4, 3-1 SCIC) jumped all over Wendell in the opening stages of each game, racking up early points with a constant variation of serves that left the Trojans guessing at some times and wondering which way was up at others.

"We were just ready because it's homecoming (week)," said Filer outside hitter Danielle Schaal, who led the service charge with nine aces while mixing up an intimidating jump serve with floated serves. "We could have been crisper, but what we did do we did well."

Schaal was named the MVP at the Wood River Invitational over the weekend, a tournament at which the Wildcats finished second to Class 5A Idaho Falls. In the win over Wendell, she finished with 16 kills to go with her ace haul.

"Dani got some confidence with that jump serve going against the bigger schools (at Wood River)," said Filer coach Ed Richards. "I was really pleased with our serving."

Said Schaal: "I've been working on that jump serve since about the seventh grade. It's finally somewhat coming into good use."

Filer delivered a total of 19 aces in the match, and in addition to Schaal's output, the Wildcats got a perfect

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Filer's Danielle Schaal, center, talks with teammates after their three-game sweep of Wendell Tuesday night at Filer High School.

Tigers blank Bobcats

Jerome stays unbeaten with win at Burley

By Ryan Howe
Times-News writer

A year ago at this time, an upstart Jerome boys soccer team pulled off an upset of the undefeated Burley Bobcats.

On Tuesday, the roles were reversed as Jerome took its unblemished record to Burley for a key Great Basin Conference West matchup. However, Burley was unable to spoil the Tigers' streak and Jerome remained unbeaten with a 4-0 victory.

"Last year we came in and kind of stole it from (Burley)," said Jerome coach Robert Garcia. "I told the team, 'It could happen to you guys.'"

Jerome junior Gabriel Pulido made sure it didn't happen by scoring two goals within two minutes of each other in the second half to blow open a 3-0 lead that deflated the Bobcats.

"That changed the game a lot because we weren't as motivated as we should be. I was playing back at midfield and I told coach (Garcia) to put me at forward and he did and we scored," Pulido said.

The Tigers (10-0-1 overall, 4-0-0 GBW) were back at full strength on Tuesday as Sergio Martinez and Fermin Martinez returned from a three-game suspension for breaking IHSAA rules by participating in an organized league during the high school season. Both players played exceptionally well against the Bobcats.

"We have good teamwork right now," Pulido said. "We have all our players back and that motivates us more and keeps our spirits up. They bring us a lot of energy."

Burley (6-5-1, 1-3-0) played beautifully for the first 40 minutes. The Bobcats generated several scoring opportunities but came away with nothing to show for it.

"We just need to finish," Burley coach Wes Nyblade said. "We gave them three of their goals, I felt. When they got the second goal, it just kind of fell apart. But we'll be there. We've got two weeks to fix it."

Garcia said his Tigers spent the first portion of the game getting used to the ball's play on Burley's artificial turf. But once they did, they controlled the rest of the contest by outhustling, outshooting and simply outplaying Burley.

The Bobcats are unsteady defensively as defender Brent Lee is recovering from a head injury. Jerome's Sergio Mendoza took advantage of a sloppy pass by a Burley fullback and scored in the 11th minute. The 1-0 score carried through to halftime.

In the 49th minute, Jerome's Sergio Mendoza lined up a free kick from 45 yards out and booted the ball toward the box where Pulido headed it in. In the 51st minute Pulido struck again, with Mendoza again providing the assist.

"When you get ahead, it puts the pressure on the other team and opens up their defense because they're wanting to push up a lot more to score," said Garcia. "It gets to your head whenever you're behind. When we're ahead, it puts our players at ease and when they're at ease they play a lot better."

Despite the 3-0 lead, Jerome didn't slack off.

"Burley's always been a good team and they can come back any time, even with three up, you can't give up and you just never know with soccer," Garcia said.

Fermin Martinez tacked on a superfluous goal in the 67th minute as his shot deflected off charging goalkeeper Taylor Whitehead and into the net.

Jerome will try to keep its unbeaten streak alive on Thursday as the Tigers visit Minico for another tough conference matchup. Burley hosts Bonneville Thursday.

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Jorge Rios (left) of the Burley Bobcats tries to keep the ball away from Jerome midfielder Sergio Mendoza Monday.

Bruins battle, but fall to Grizzlies

By Bradley Guire
Times-News writer

The Twin Falls boys soccer team fell 2-1 Tuesday to the Skyline Grizzlies, but it was considered a step forward for the program.

"It was a different team they saw from the first time they played us. We've improved so much," Twin Falls coach Jose Morales said. "Every game, every team is a whole different team. We came out strong, we scored and we scored early."

The teams were tied 1-1 when Skyline's Eli Mattson scored the winning goal on a corner kick midway through the second half. The Bruins tried to equalize once again but were unable to do so as yellow cards added up and time ran out.

The Bruins lost forward Kyle Rletveld during the second half as he left with his second yellow card. In all, five cards were handed out with Twin Falls getting all but one.

Morales added that he was pleased that his team continued to play hard, despite giving up the second goal.

"The attitude ..." Morales said. "I think, before they'd have two goals on us, and they (the Bruins) would give up. Now, they know that they can score, and we have a good defense."

Previously, the Grizzlies defeated Twin Falls 8-3 in Idaho Falls.

Twin Falls scored during the first half when Dustin Hegstrom shot from the left. The forward tucked the ball just inside the far post, then celebrated with teammates, with some on the sidelines yelling offers to buy him lunch.

"It was a great goal. I don't give credit to myself. I give credit to everyone playing up there. Every person fought for it and got a foot on the ball," Hegstrom said. "I was lucky enough to be in position, in the right spot."

Hegstrom shot again late in the first, but Skyline keeper Bill Beller made the save.

"We struggled the first half. There's still stuff we need to work on," Skyline coach Mark Oliver said. "All the directions we've been giving for a month now, they're starting to follow."

Skyline tied in the opening minutes of the second half to tie the game when Conner Flaherty scored off a free kick. Skyline took more than a dozen shots on goal, with many caught or deflected by the Bruins' rookie keeper Justin Elmer.

"He's the one that stepped up at goalie and has helped out a lot," Morales said. "We've been struggling this year with goalkeepers and consistency. A guy that's never played the position before is doing an awesome job."

Skyline moved to 2-2-1 in Region Four-Five-Six play, while the Bruins are now 0-4-1. They will travel to Hailey on Thursday to face Wood River.

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Lights on in Burley

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Now that stadium lights have been installed at Burley High School's new Skaggs Events Center, the Bobcats have announced changes to their athletic schedule.

The most notable changes are to Burley's two remaining home football games. The Bobcats will host Jerome at 7 p.m., Friday. The Oct. 3 game versus Wood River will also be played at 7 p.m.

Schedule changes to boys varsity and junior varsity soccer, as well as junior varsity and freshman football will also be in effect.

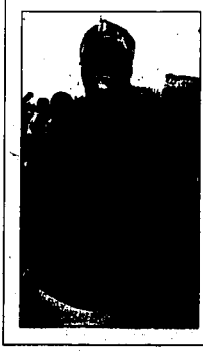
Flip on the Lights

Time changes for Burley High sports

Date	Opponent	New time
Varsity Football		
Sept. 26	Jerome	7 p.m.
Oct. 3	Wood River	7 p.m.
Junior Varsity Football		
Oct. 9	Blackfoot	6:30 p.m.
Oct. 22	Preston	6:30 p.m.
Freshman Football		
Oct. 15	Pocatello	5 p.m.
Boys Soccer (JV first, followed by Varsity)		
Oct. 2	Century	5 p.m.
Girls Soccer (JV first, followed by varsity)		
Sept. 30	Minico	5 p.m.

Playoff bound

Boston Red Sox designated hitter David Ortiz celebrates in the clubhouse after the Red Sox beat the Cleveland Indians 5-4 in Boston to clinch their fifth playoff berth in the last six years. The Sox snapped the Indians' eight-game winning streak.



Skid halted

New York Mets shortstop Jose Reyes pumps his fist toward the Mets dugout after a three-run triple against the Chicago Cubs at Shea Stadium in New York, Tuesday. It was Reyes 200th hit of the season and helped the Mets stop as three-game skid and move within 1½ games of NL East-leading Philadelphia.

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Blue Devils best Conquerors in sweep

By Diane Philbin
Times-News writer

The Dietrich senior class of one, Jesse Dill, shined with a game-high 14 kills and freshman setter Jessica Perron added 34 assists as the Blue Devils swept the host Magic Valley Christian Conquerors 25-10, 25-12 and 25-18 in Sawtooth Conference volleyball play Tuesday at the Jerome Recreation District.

"My teammates make volleyball and practicing fun," said Dill. "This team is very competitive and we all just really have the desire to win. We get along and we have come together so well."

Dill believes the conference looks good with several teams fighting for the top spot, including the Blue Devils who are 7-1 in Sawtooth play.

"We practice really hard to play the top teams and we seem to step up our game against the good teams," said Dill. "My game is looking all right, but there is always room for improvement. I try to be a leader by example and to keep a good attitude."

The Blue Devils' good passing allowed Perron to distribute the ball well, and the combination of Perron and Dill were able to combine for numerous quick hits.

"We just click. Jessica is an amazing setter," said Dill who also plays club ball with Perron.

Perron also found success at the serving line with eight serving aces. The Blue Devils (8-3) got a solid effort from sophomore Dayna Phillips with seven kills.

"It wasn't our best, but it is always good to win," said Dietrich coach Traci Perron. ... We are a super young team. If you take away our senior and two juniors, we are a junior varsity team. Our senior and juniors would be nothing without the freshman and sophomores."

For the Conquerors (3-6, 2-5), it was the inability to make key passes and get serves to fall inbounds.

"We have the guns, we just have to be able to get the ball to them," said Magic Valley Christian coach Lisa Van Esch. "We just were not on top of our game tonight and Dietrich played well. They have improved since the last time we played them. They hit the ball well and a hitting team will win."

Senior Kayleigh Reitsma led MVC with a team-best four kills and six blocks, while her sister, junior Kristina Reitsma, posted two kills, five blocks and 15 digs.

"We practiced hard and came out ready for the match," said Kayleigh Reitsma. "We just weren't quick enough tonight and we weren't playing our game. In the third game, we were able to step it up. Usually when we get down, we can come back."

Kristina Reitsma added, "We think we have the team, its just getting it all together."

The Conquerors also field a young team.

"Kayleigh is a natural leader directing the traffic on the court," said Van Esch. "But it is just one of those years of teaching and re-teaching."

Dietrich (8-3) hosts Camas County on Thursday. Magic Valley Christian travels to Ketchum on Monday to play the Community School.

Twin Falls avenges loss to Skyline

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McKenzie Johnson scored a goal in each half as Twin Falls avenged an earlier home loss to Skyline with a 4-1 road win on Tuesday.

"We really wanted to get this one back," said Twin Falls coach Katie Kauffman, alluding to the Bruins' 1-0 loss to Skyline in Twin Falls.

Johnson opened the scoring 25 minutes in off an assist from Amanda Keebler. Skyline tied it up just before halftime, but the second stanza belonged to the Bruins.

Johnson assisted on Madi Worst goal, while Lauren Rogers scored on a Worst assist. Kaitlynn Simpson assisted on Johnson's second goal.

"Our passing game looked good and it was really nice to see the offense get going," said Kauffman.

The Bruins (9-3-1, 2-1-1 Region Four-Five-Six) travel to Wood River on Thursday.

JEROME 3, BURLEY 1

Aubree Callen's hat trick lifted Jerome to a 3-1 Great Basin Conference West win over Minico on Tuesday.

Melissa Mendoza and Hadley Blagiotti each recorded an assist for Jerome (2-6-1).

Burley (0-3-1 GBW) tied the game 1-1 on Jelyn Pauly's first-half goal, but Jerome pulled away from there.

The Tigers continue conference play by hosting Minico on Thursday, while Burley travels to Bonneville.

WOOD RIVER 10, MINICO 0

Wood River decimated the Minico Spartans 10-0, in Rupert. Wolverine forward Tanner Dredge did the bulk of the scoring, netting three goals on the night.

Minico (2-10-1, 1-3-0) will host Jerome on Thursday.

Boys soccer

WOOD RIVER 2, MINICO 1

Wood River came back to defeat Minico 2-1, in Hailey.

The initial score of the game came in the 12th minute in the second half, by Jorge Carrillo. The Carrillo goal was assisted by Isaac Medina.

This lead would only hold for a dozen minutes, before the Wolverines hit the equalizer. Another twelve minutes elapsed and Wood River took a 2-1 lead, and the victory.

Minico coach Armando Tapia pinned the loss on his squad's exuberance after gaining a 1-0 lead.

"We let our guard down when we scored that first goal. We became to confidant, and Wood River took advantage of that," said Tapia.

Minico (8-4-1, 1-3-0) will host Jerome on Thursday.

Volleyball

SKYLINE 3, TWIN FALLS 1

Twin Falls kept things tight, but eventually unraveled, losing 25-15, 25-21, 15-25, 25-18 at Skyline.

Cheltzie Williams knocked down nine kills, while blocking five of Skyline's kill attempts. Ariel Medina pulled up 11 digs on the night.

Twin Falls (5-5) hosts Madison on Thursday.

KIMBERLY 3, GOODING 1

Kimberly was sluggish out of the gate on Tuesday, but the Bulldogs rallied to top visiting Gooding in four games, 23-25, 25-19, 25-14, 25-20.

"Gooding was definitely more ready to play that first game than we were," said Kimberly coach Lawrence Pfefferle. "After that first game I thought we played a lot better, a lot more under control."

Alex Pfefferle led Kimberly (13-4, 4-0 SCIC) with 14 kills, while Taylor Bair had 34 digs and Sarah Lentz added 21 more.

Kimberly is at American Falls on Monday.

WOOD RIVER 3, BURLEY 1

Wood River earned a four-game Great Basin Conference West road win over Burley Tuesday, 25-14, 25-23, 23-25, 25-14.

"Wood River is always a good, strong, fundamental team," said Burley coach Tiffany Green, "and tonight our fundamentals kind of fell through on us."

For Burley (2-7, 1-2 GBW), Molly Mills had 14 kills, while Kassi Kerbs had 11 and Carli Parish nine.

Burley hosts Gooding on Thursday, while Wood River hosts Minico.

RAFT RIVER SWEEPS AT HOME

Raft River was twice victorious, besting Lighthouse Christian 3-0, and Shoshone 3-1, in Malta. Lighthouse Christian and Shoshone did not play against each other.

Raft River scoring over Lighthouse Christian ran 25-22, 25-14, 25-10. Whitney Holtman pummeled the Lion's defense with 17 kills, as did Chelzee Nye with 12 kills.

Hailey Higley contributed 10 digs, and Dani Thomas knocked down four aces from the line. In the combined games, Janelle Jones and Dani Thomas were both 100 percent in their service for the Trojans.

Raft River then defeated Shoshone 25-21, 25-21, 7-25, 25-19. The only disappointment on the night for Raft River coach Cami Schumann was the third set against the Indians.

Marli Manning finished the dual with 75 assists. Holtman led the Trojans with 18 kills, while Ney nailed down 17 kills. Marissa Greenwood had 15 digs, followed by Thomas with 12 digs.

Raft River (8-3, 4-0) travels to Oakley on Thursday.

JEROME SPLITS IN TRI-MATCH AT PRESTON

Jerome split two matches in Preston on Tuesday night. The Tigers began the evening by beating Preston 2-0, outscoring their opponent 25-15, 25-10.

Jerome initially continued its success against Pocatello, but eventually fell 2-1. Jerome took the first game 25-11, but then lost consecutive game 12-25, 11-15.

Hailey Rienstra led the Tigers with five kills, while Chelsea Layne added five blocks. Marsing had seven service points against the Indians.

After taking the commanding lead, Jerome coach Rick Burke was frustrated with the loss to Pocatello.

"We can be a great frontrunner but if we fall behind, it becomes a challenge for us, but we have to learn to work out of those holes. The team just tripped on themselves, and it is frustrating," said Burke.

Jerome (4-5, 1-1) hits the road again, traveling to Minco tonight.

CAMAS COUNTY 3, CAREY 1

The Camas County Mushers defeated the Carey Panthers 16-25, 25-15, 25-12, 25-14 Tuesday in Sawtooth Conference play. Hailey Gregory led with 10 kills, followed by Katelyn Peterson with nine.

"We got off to a slow start," Mushers coach Ben Stroud said. "Too many mistakes during the first game, but we cleaned it up, started passing well and played defense."

Camas County (8-4, 5-2) will travel to Dietrich on Thursday.

RICHFIELD SWEEPS HOME TRI-MATCH

The Richfield Tigers defeated both Murtaugh and Mackay Tuesday. The Red Devils fell 25-12, 25-12, 25-9 in Sawtooth Conference action, with Lea Piper leading the team with 10 kills and four blocks. Michelle Kent served eight aces, and Teenie Kent assisted 20 times. Mackay fell to the Tigers 25-13, 25-14 in nonconference play.

Richfield (8-4, 6-1) will travel to Carey on Thursday.

BUHL 3, GLENNS FERRY 0

The Buhl Indians defeated the Glenns Ferry Pilots Tuesday 25-6, 25-10, 25-10.

Emily Hosman led the Indians with six kills and an ace, while Ellie Spencer killed five and blocked one. Kelli Gabardi assisted eight times with two aces served, and Toni Wuensch assisted six times. Katherine Hunter also served an ace. On defense, Mollie Bourner tallied 11 digs.

Buhl (4-4, 1-3 Sawtooth Central Idaho Conference) will host Filer Thursday.

Drag racing

OUTLAW SHOOTOUT RESULTS ANNOUNCED

The inaugural Pepsi Outlaw Shootout was held this past weekend at High Desert Speedway in Gooding. Cars from throughout the Gem State took part in the two-day drag racing event. Below are results.

Shootout winners

Sept. 20: 1. TJ. Robbins, Idaho Falls; 2. Mark Macarthy, Shoshone.
Sept. 21: 1. Paula Neyman, Rupert; 2. Sid Summers, Rexburg.
Street Class winners
Sept. 20: 1. Dwight Carpenter, Pocatello; 2. Curtis Robbins, Idaho Falls.
Sept. 21: 1. Kelly Egan, Twin Falls; 2. Brock Cotnoir, Paul.
Consolation Dash 4 Cash winners
Sept. 20: 1. Boomer Bailey, Heyburn; 2. Dick Fowler, Idaho Falls.
Sept. 21: 1. John Howsden, Wendell; 2. Marcus Steed, Chubbuck.

Defending champs clinch playoff berth

BOSTON — Defending World Series champion Boston clinched a playoff berth Tuesday night with a 5-4 victory over Cleveland.

Tim Wakefield outpitched Cliff Lee (22-3), and midseason acquisition Jason Bay hit the go-ahead single as Boston scored three times in the fifth to rally from a two-run deficit.

With the win, the Red Sox moved 6½ games ahead of New York in the wild-card race with five games left. Boston still has a chance to catch Tampa Bay in the AL East.

Cleveland loaded the bases with two outs in the eighth before Jonathan Papelbon came on to get four outs and record his 41st save.

Wakefield (10-11) allowed four runs, six hits and a walk in six innings, striking out six. It's his 10th season in Boston with 10 or more wins, tying Roger Clemens for the most in franchise history.

Lee had won 11 straight decisions in 13 starts since picking up his second loss on July 6.

RAYS 5, ORIOLES 2, GAME 1
RAYS 7, ORIOLES 5, GAME 2

BALTIMORE — Tampa Bay reduced its magic number to win the AL East to two with a franchise first: a doubleheader sweep.

After James Shields pitched seven effective innings in the opener, the Rays rallied to win the nightcap for the sweep, that combined with Boston's victory over Cleveland, left them three games ahead of the Red Sox in the AL East in pursuit of its first division title.

TWINS 9, WHITE SOX 3

MINNEAPOLIS — Jason Kubel went 3-for-4 with two homers, including going back-to-back with Delmon Young in the seventh to put the game out of reach, and Minnesota moved within 1½ games of Chicago in the AL Central.

Scott Baker (10-4) gave up one run and five hits in seven innings, easily outshining Javier Vazquez (12-15), who last four inning and gave up five runs and seven hits, including a two-run homer and a triple to Kubel.

YANKEES 3, BLUE JAYS 1

TORONTO — New York will miss the postseason for the first time since starting its run in 1995.

Mike Mussina pitched five shutout innings to earn his 19th win and Jason Giambi homered for the Yankees, but it wasn't enough to keep New York's slim postseason hopes alive as Boston beat Cleveland minutes before the Yankees won. The Red Sox win clinched at least the AL wild-card and eliminated the Yankees from postseason contention.

ROYALS 5, TIGERS 0

DETROIT — Zack Greinke and Leo Nunez combined on a four-hitter to lift Kansas City.

Mike Aviles, Ryan Shealy and Alex Gordon homered for Kansas City, which has won 10 of its last 12.

RANGERS 6, ATHLETICS 4

ARLINGTON, Texas — Hank Blalock hit a go-ahead homer in the seventh and Texas snapped its five-game losing streak.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
METS 6, CUBS 2

NEW YORK — Johan Santana sparked New York with an unusual broken-bat infield single and struck out 10 in eight innings, leading the Mets.

Jose Reyes had a three-run triple for his 200th hit of the season and David Wright drove in two runs for the Mets, who ended a three-game skid reminiscent of last season's epic collapse.

BRAVES 3, PHILLIES 2

PHILADELPHIA — Casey Kotchman homered and Mike Hampton won for the first time in a month for Atlanta.

Philadelphia leads New York by 1½ games in the NL East. Its magic number for clinching the division remained at four.

BREWERS 7, PIRATES 5

MILWAUKEE — Prince Fielder homered with two outs in the bottom of the ninth and Milwaukee kept pace with New York in the NL wild-card race.

AP photo

Boston Red Sox player Sean Casey, right, hugs Kevin Youkilis in the clubhouse after the Red Sox beat the Cleveland Indians 5-4 to clinch a baseball playoff spot, Tuesday in Boston.

Fielder homered off reliever T.J. Beam (2-2) to keep Milwaukee one game behind the Mets with five to go. It was Milwaukee's 10th game-ending hit this season and its 10th straight win over Pittsburgh this year.

CARDINALS 7, DIAMONDBACKS 4

ST. LOUIS — Kyle Lohse won his 15th game and St. Louis clobbered Randy Johnson for the second time this month.

Ryan Ludwick hit a three-run homer in the first and Albert Pujols had two hits, two RBIs and reached 100 walks for the first time in his career for the Cardinals, who won for the third time in 13 games.

REDS 2, ASTROS 1

HOUSTON — Edinson Volquez pitched 7 1-3 strong innings and Cincinnati scored two unearned runs to push Houston to the brink of playoff elimination.

With the Mets' win over Chicago, Houston fell 4½ games behind New York with five games to go. A loss and a Mets win Wednesday would eliminate the Astros from the playoffs.

NATIONALS 9, MARLINS 4

WASHINGTON — Florida's playoff hopes officially ended at the hands of a team simply trying to avoid 100 losses.

Alberto Gonzalez went 4-for-5 with two doubles and two RBIs, and Shalron Martis got his first major league win as Washington broke a five-game losing streak.

— The Associated Press

Filer

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service match from Elizabeth Baty. Baty served 14 points and had three aces.

It compensated for sluggish movement and a load of errors, far more than Richards expects from his teams.

But, he said, there is still time to grow and work toward the goal of peaking in time for the district and state tournaments.

"We can play better, and we need to be more controlled," Richards said. "We have a lot of work to do before we can compete at the level we want to compete at."

For the Trojans, there were scarcely any positives to be taken from the defeat.

Wendell head coach Julie Lund declined to comment on the match.

Filer plays at Buhl on Thursday, while Wendell hosts Valley.

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Monday's Games
Cleveland 4, Boston 3
Kansas City 8, Detroit 2
Tampa Bay 4, Baltimore 2
Oakland 4, Texas 3, 11 innings
L.A. Angels 2, Seattle 1

Tuesday's Games
Tampa Bay 5, Baltimore 2, 1st game
Tampa Bay 7, Baltimore 6, 2nd game
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Wednesday's Games
Oakland (Eveland 9-8) at Texas (Harrison 8-3), 12:05 p.m.
Cleveland (Carmona 8-7) at Boston (Byrd 11-12), 5:05 p.m.
Tampa Bay (Jackson 12-11) at Baltimore (Liz 6-6), 5:05 p.m.
Kansas City (Bannister 8-16) at Detroit (Robertson 7-10), 5:05 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees (Hughes 0-4) at Toronto (Burnett 18-10), 5:07 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Buehrle 14-11) at Minnesota (Blackburn 10-10), 6:10 p.m.
L.A. Angels (Garland 14-8) at Seattle (F.Hernandez 9-11), 8:10 p.m.

Thursday's Games
Tampa Bay at Detroit, 11:05 a.m.
Cleveland at Boston, 5:05 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees at Toronto, 5:07 p.m.
Chicago White Sox at Minnesota, 6:10 p.m.
L.A. Angels at Seattle, 8:10 p.m.

National League
All Times MDT

EAST	W	L	Pct	GB
Philadelphia	89	69	.563	—
New York	87	70	.554	1½
Florida	81	76	.516	7½
Atlanta	70	88	.443	19
Washington	59	98	.376	29½
CENTRAL	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Chicago	95	61	.609	—
Milwaukee	86	71	.548	9½
Houston	82	74	.526	13
St. Louis	81	76	.516	14½
Cincinnati	74	83	.471	21½
Pittsburgh	65	92	.414	30½
WEST	W	L	Pct	GB
Los Angeles	81	75	.519	—
Arizona	79	78	.503	2½
Colorado	71	86	.456	10
San Francisco	70	86	.449	11
San Diego	61	95	.391	20

x-clinched division

Monday's Games
Cincinnati 7, Florida 6
Philadelphia 6, Atlanta 2
Chicago Cubs 9, N.Y. Mets 5
Arizona 4, St. Louis 2

Tuesday's Games
Atlanta 3, Philadelphia 2
N.Y. Mets 6, Chicago Cubs 2
Washington 9, Florida 4
Cincinnati 2, Houston 1
Milwaukee 7, Pittsburgh 5
St. Louis 7, Arizona 4
San Diego at L.A. Dodgers, late
Colorado at San Francisco, late

Wednesday's Games
Atlanta (J.Reyes 3-11) at Philadelphia (Myers 10-12), 5:05 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (Zambrano 14-6) at N.Y. Mets (Ol.Perez 10-7), 5:10 p.m.
Florida (Jo.Johnson 6-1) at Washington (Redding 10-10), 5:10 p.m.
Cincinnati (R.Ramirez 1-0) at Houston (Wolf 11-12), 6:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Maholm 9-8) at Milwaukee (Sabathia 9-2), 6:05 p.m.
Arizona (Scherzer 0-3) at St. Louis (Wainwright 10-3), 6:15 p.m.
San Diego (Estes 2-3) at L.A. Dodgers (Kershaw 4-5), 8:10 p.m.
Colorado (L.Hernandez 2-3) at San Francisco (J.Sanchez 9-11), 8:15 p.m.

Thursday's Games
Arizona at St. Louis, 12:15 p.m.
Chicago Cubs at N.Y. Mets, 5:10 p.m.
Florida at Washington, 5:10 p.m.
Cincinnati at Houston, 6:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh at Milwaukee, 6:05 p.m.
San Diego at L.A. Dodgers, 8:10 p.m.
Colorado at San Francisco, 8:15 p.m.

AL Boxes

TWINS 9, WHITE SOX 3

CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi	MINNESOTA	ab	r	h	bi
OCabrera ss	4	0	1	0	Span rf	5	0	0	0
Przyns c	4	0	0	0	ACasilla 2b	5	0	0	0
PPhillips c	0	0	0	0	Mauer c	4	1	1	0
Dye rf	4	0	0	0	Mrneau 1b	3	3	1	1
Thome dh	4	1	1	0	Kubel dh	4	3	3	3
Knerko 1b	3	1	1	0	DYong lf	3	2	3	2
Grf Jr. cf	3	1	1	2	Bscher 3b	3	0	0	1
AlRmrz 2b	4	0	1	0	Punto ss	4	1	2	1
Wise lf	3	0	0	0	CaGmz cf	4	0	2	1
Uribe 3b	2	0	1	0					
Totals	31	3	6	2	Totals	35	9	12	9

Chicago	010	000	002	—3
Minnesota	030	320	30x	—9

DP—Minnesota 2. LOB—Chicago 4, Minnesota 5. 2B—Morneau (47), DYoung (28). 3B—Kubel (5). HR—Griffey Jr. (2), Kubel 2 (20), DYoung (10). SB—Punto (13), CaGomez (32). SF—Buscher.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Chicago						
JVzqez L,12-15	4	7	6	6	1	3
Richard	2	3	2	2	1	0
Logan	1-3	2	2	2	0	0
DCarrasco	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
HoRamirez	1	0	0	0	0	0
Minnesota						
SBaker W,10-4	7	5	1	1	1	4
Crain	1	0	0	0	1	0
Guerrier	1	1	2	2	1	0

Umpires—Home, Bob Davidson; First, Alfonso Marquez; Second, Mike Reilly; Third, Andy Fletcher. T—2:41. A—35,225 (46,632).

RED SOX 6, INDIANS 4

CLEVELAND	ab	r	h	bi	BOSTON	ab	r	h	bi
Szmore cf	4	1	1	1	Ellsbry rf	4	1	1	0
JCrroll 2b	5	0	1	1	Pedroia 2b	4	1	2	2
Choo lf	4	1	1	1	Ortiz dh	4	1	1	0
Peralta ss	4	0	2	1	Youkilis 3b	1	1	1	2
VMrtnz 1b	5	0	0	0	Bay lf	4	0	1	1
DiBucci dh	3	0	1	0	Lowrie ss	4	0	0	0
BFrnco dh	1	0	0	0	Casey 1b	3	0	1	0
Shppch c	2	1	0	0	Cora ss	0	0	0	0
FGtrrz rf	4	1	1	0	Cash c	4	0	1	0
AMarte 3b	1	0	0	0	Crisp cf	3	1	1	0
Brfield 2b	3	0	2	0					
Totals	36	4	9	4	Totals	31	6	9	6

Cleveland	000	040	000	—4
Boston	000	230	00x	—6

E—Cash (4). DP—Cleveland 1, Boston 1. LOB—Cleveland 10, Boston 6. 2B—Choo (26), Peralta (42), Ellsbury (20), Pedroia (53), Ortiz (29), Crisp (17). HR—Youkilis (27). CS—Cora (1).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Cleveland						
CLee L,22-3	7	9	5	5	3	6
Donnelly	1	0	0	0	1	2
Boston						
Wkfield W,10-11	6	6	4	4	1	6
Delcarmen	2-3	2	0	0	1	1
Okajima	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Masterson	2-3	1	0	0	1	2
JLopez	0	0	0	0	1	0
Papelbon S,41	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	2

JLopez pitched to 1 batter in the 8th.
HBP—by Wakefield (Shoppach).
Umpires—Home, Rob Drake; First, Brian Gorman; Second, Gerry Davis; Third, Bruce Dreckman. T—2:51. A—37,882 (37,400).

ROYALS 6, TIGERS 0

KANSAS CITY	ab	r	h	bi	DETROIT	ab	r	h	bi
Dejesus cf	3	1	1	0	Grndrs cf	4	0	0	0
Aviles 2b	4	1	2	1	Planco 2b	4	0	0	0
JGuillen rf	4	0	0	0	Ordonez rf	4	0	0	0
Maier cf	0	0	0	0	MiCabr dh	4	0	1	0
Shealy 1b	3	1	2	2	Larish 1b	4	0	1	0
Teahen lf	4	0	0	0	Rnteria ss	4	0	1	0
Butler dh	3	1	2	0	Thmes lf	2	0	1	0
AGrdon 3b	4	1	2	2	Inge 3b	3	0	0	0
Olivo c	4	0	1	0	Ryan c	2	0	0	0
Pna Jr. ss	4	0	1	0					
Totals	31	6	11	5	Totals	31	0	4	0

Kansas City	100	210	000	—6
Detroit	000	000	000	—0

DP—Detroit 4. LOB—Kansas City 5, Detroit 6. 2B—Shealy (1), Olivo (22), Larish (6), Renteria (21). HR—Aviles (9), Shealy (7), AGordon (16). CS—Dejesus (8).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Kansas City						
Greinke W,13-10	7	4	0	0	2	4
Nunez	2	0	0	0	0	1
Detroit						
FGarcia L,1-1	5	7	6	6	2	6
Glover	2	2	0	0	0	1
Fossum	2	2	0	0	1	0

HBP—by FGarcia (Dejesus). WP—Greinke. PB—Olivo.
Umpires—Home, Jerry Crawford; First, Tom Hallion; Second, Brian O'Nora; Third, Paul Nauert. T—2:17. A—35,121 (41,070).

YANKEES 3, BLUE JAYS 1

NEW YORK	ab	r	h	bi	TORONTO	ab	r	h	bi
Grdner cf	4	0	2	0	Inglett 2b	4	0	0	0
Damon lf	4	0	0	0	Scutaro ss	4	0	1	0
MCbra lf	0	0	0	0	Rios rf	4	0	2	0
BAbreu rf	4	0	1	0	VWells cf	4	0	1	0
ARdrgz 3b	4	0	0	0	ALind lf	3	1	2	0
Giambi 1b	4	2	2	1	Wlkrsn lf	0	0	0	0
Jeter ss	0	0	0	0	Ovrbay 1b	3	0	0	0
Nady dh	4	0	1	0	Rolen 3b	4	0	1	1
Cano 2b	4	1	1	1	Zaun c	4	0	0	0
Rnsom ss	2	0	0	0	Snider dh	4	0	2	0
JMolna c	3	0	0	0					
Totals	33	3	7	2	Totals	34	1	9	1

New York	010	100	100	—3
Toronto	000	000	100	—1

E—Ransom (2). DP—New York 1. LOB—New York 4, Toronto 8. 2B—Nady (10), Cano (32), Scutaro (23). 3B—Gardner (2). HR—Giambi (32).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
New York						
Mussina W,19-9	5	4	0	0	0	6
Coke	1-3	1	0	0	0	1
Bruney	1	0	0	0	0	2
DMarte	0	1	1	1	0	0
Chamberlain	1 2-3	3	0	0	1	3
MRivera S,38	1	0	0	0	0	2
Toronto						
Litsch L,12-9	7	5	3	2	1	8
Tallet	2	2	0	0	0	1

DMarte pitched to 2 batters in the 7th.
WP—Chamberlain, Litsch. PB—Zaun.
Umpires—Home, Larry Vanover; First, Mike Everitt; Second, Mike DiMuro; Third, Tim McClelland. T—2:49. A—27,218 (49,539).

RANGERS 6, ATHLETICS 4

OAKLAND	ab	r	h	bi	TEXAS	ab	r	h	bi
TBuck lf	3	1	2	2	JArias 2b	4	0	1	0
Prnton 2b	4	0	0	1	Duran 2b	1	0	0	0
RSwny rf	4	0	0	0	MYong ss	4	1	2	0
Cust dh	3	1	1	1	Hmilton cf	4	1	1	0
Crosby ss	4	0	0	0	Brdley dh	3	1	3	1
CGnzlz cf	4	0	0	0	MByrd lf	4	1	2	2
DBartn 1b	4	1	1	0	Blalock 1b	3	2	2	2
Baisley 3b	4	1	2	0	NCruz rf	4	0	2	0
Bowen c	1	0	0	0	Laird c	3	0	0	0
Crsgh ph	1	0	0	0	Metcalf 3b	3	0	0	1
Totals	32	4	6	4	Totals	33	6	13	6

Oakland	012	000	100	—4
Texas	012	000	30x	—6

E—Bowen (2). DP—Oakland 1. LOB—Oakland 6, Texas 7. 2B—Baisley (1), JArias (6), Blalock (17), NCruz (7). HR—TBuck (5), Cust (31), Blalock (10). SB—Bradley (5), MByrd (7). S—Bowen. SF—Metcalf.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Oakland						
Outman	6	10	3	3	2	4
Embree L,2-5	1	3	3	3	0	2
GGonzalez	1	0	0	0	0	0
Texas						
Nippert	6 1-3	6	4	4	3	4
JWright W,8-7	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
Madrigal	1	0	0	0	0	1
FFrancisco S,5	1	0	0	0	0	1

HBP—by Outman (Bradley). PB—Bowen.
Umpires—Home, Ron Kulpa; First, Dale Scott; Second, Dan Iassogna; Third, Casey Moser. T—2:34. A—18,408 (48,911).

RAYS 5, ORIOLES 2

TAMPA BAY	ab	r	h	bi	BALTIMORE	ab	r	h	bi
Iwmra 2b	5	0	0	0	Fahey 2b	3	0	1	0
Upton cf	4	0	0	0	BRbrts 2b	1	0	0	0
CPena 1b	4	0	1	1	Mrkks rf	3	0	1	0
Lngria 3b	5	0	2	0	AJones cf	4	0	2	0
Baldell dh	5	0	1	0	Huff 3b	4	0	0	0
Gomes dh	0	0	0	0	Sizer 1b	3	0	0	0
Nvarro c	5	2	2	0	Scott dh	4	1	0	0
Zobrist lf	3	1	1	0	Mntnz lf	4	1	1	2
Bartlett ss	4	1	1	3	Cintron ss	4	0	2	0
Perez rf	3	1	3	2	OSanta c	2	0	1	0
					Payton ph	1	0	0	0
					Quiroz c	0	0	0	0
					RHrndz ph	1	0	0	0
Totals	38	5	13	4	Totals	34	2	8	2

Tampa Bay	000	021	110	—5
Baltimore	020	000	000	—2

E—Cintron (7), Olson (4). DP—Tampa Bay 1, Baltimore 1. LOB—Tampa Bay 10, Baltimore 7. 2B—Longoria (31), Navarro (26), Bartlett (25), Perez (2), Fahey (8), AJones (21). HR—Montanez (3). SB—Perez (3). S—Perez.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Tampa Bay						
JShields W,14-8	7	8	2	2	1	6
Balfour	1	0	0	0	1	2
Wheeler S,13	1	0	0	0	0	0
Baltimore						
Olson L,9-10	6	6	3	3	3	4
Cormier	1	3	1	1	0	1
ACastillo	2	4	1	1	0	3

WP—JShields.
Umpires—Home, Fieldin Culbreth; First, James Hoye; Second, Tim Timmons; Third, Gary Cederstrom. T—2:41. A—0 (48,290).

RAYS 7, ORIOLES 6

TAMPA BAY	ab	r	h	bi	BALTIMORE	ab	r	h	bi
Zobrist ss	4	2	2	0	BRbrts 2b	4	1	1	1
WAybr 2b	4	0	0	1	Mrkks rf	4	1	2	0
Iwmra 2b	1	0	0	0	Scott lf	4	0	0	0
DJhnsn 1b	5	0	1	1	AJones cf	1	0	0	0
Lngria 3b	5	1	1	1	Sizer 3b	5	0	2	1
CFloyd dh	3	0	1	0	RHrndz dh	4	1	1	1
Baldelli dh	2	1	1	0	Miller 1b	3	0	1	0
Gross rf	3	1	0	0	Payton cf	4	1	0	0
Hinske lf	3	0	1	0	Quiroz c	3	1	2	1
Bartlett ss	1	1	1	1	Mrkks ph	0	0	0	0
MHrdz c	3	0	1	0	OSanta c	0	0	0	0
Nvarro c	1	1	1	2	JCastro ss	3	0	1	1
Perez cf	2	0	0	0	Huff ph	1	0	0	0
CPena ph	1	0	0	0	Cintron ss	0	0	0	0
Upton cf	1	0	1	1					
Totals	39	7	11	7	Totals	38	6	10	5

Tampa Bay	100	000	060	—7
Baltimore	030	011	100	—6

E—Cintron (6). LOB—Tampa Bay 7, Baltimore 8. 2B—Hinske (21), Upton (36), Montanez (6), Salazar (3), Quiroz (5). 3B—Zobrist (2). HR—Longoria (26). SB—BRoberts (39), Payton (8).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Tampa Bay						
Talbot	4 1-3	6	3	3	3	2
Bradford	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
Niemann W,2-1	2 1-3	4	2	2	1	2
Howell S,3	1 2-3	0	0	0	0	0
Baltimore						
Simon	7 2-3	7	3	3	0	6
JWalker L,1-3	0	3	4	4	1	0
Mickolio	1-3	1	0	0	0	0
Sherrill	1	0	0	0	0	1

JWalker pitched to 4 batters in the 8th.
HBP—by Simon (Zobrist). WP—Simon, JWalker. PB—Quiroz.
Umpires—Home, Jim Reynolds; First, Tim Timmons; Second, Gary Cederstrom; Third, James Hoye. T—3:00. A—15,215 (48,290).

Monday's Late AL Box

ANGELS 2, MARINERS 1

LOS ANGELES	ab	r	h	bi	SEATTLE	ab	r	h	bi
Figgins 3b	4	0	1	0	ISuzuki rf	4	0	1	0
Kndrck 2b	2	0	0	0	YBncrt ss	4	0	0	0
SRdrgz 2b	3	0	0	0	Ibanez lf	4	0	0	1
Txeira 1b	4	0	2	0	JoLpez 1b	4	0	0	0
Grrero rf	4	1	3	1	Reed cf	3	0	0	0
Hunter cf	3	0	0	0	Hulett dh	3	0	1	0
JRivra dh	3	0	0	0	Tsoopo 3b	3	0	1	0
KMrles dh	1	0	0	0	Vbrans 2b	3	1	1	0
EAybar ss	4	0	0	0	Rojhan c	3	0	1	0
Mathis c	4	1	1	0					
Willits lf	4	0	3	0					
Totals	36	2	10	1	Totals	31	1	5	1

Los Angeles	000	100	100	—2
Seattle	001	000	000	—1

E—Ibanez (5). DP—Seattle 1. LOB—Los Angeles 9, Seattle 3. 2B—Teixeira (12), Willits (4). HR—Guerrero (25). SB—Willits (2).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Los Angeles						
ESntna W,16-6	8	5	1	1	0	9
FRodriguez S,61	1	0	0	0	0	1
Seattle						
Rwls-S L,4-3	7	8	2	1	1	6
Corcoran	1	1	0	0	0	1
Putz	1	1	0	0	1	2

Balk—Rowland-Smith.
Umpires—Home, Bill Welke; First, Chuck Meriwether; Second, Mike Muchlinski; Third, Tim Welke. T—2:20. A—19,717 (47,447).

NL Boxes

REDS 2, ASTROS 1

CINCINNATI	ab	r	h	bi	HOUSTON	ab	r	h	bi
Hairstn cf	5	0	1	0	KMatsu 2b	3	1	2	1
CPttson cf	0	0	0	0	Bourn cf	4	0	0	0
Kppngr 2b	5	1	3	0	Tejada ss	3	0	2	0
Votto 1b	4	1	2	0	Brkmn 1b	3	0	0	0
EEcarn 3b	2	0	0	0	Blum 3b	4	0	1	0
Bruce rf	4	0	0	0	Abrcmb pr	0	0	0	0
JCbrra lf	3	0	2	1	Pence rf	4	0	0	0
Hnigan c	4	0	0	0	Wggntn lf	4	0	1	0
Janish ss	4	0	0	0	Ausmus c	2	0	0	0
Volquez p	3	0	0	0	WRdrz p	1	0	0	0
Bray p	0	0	0	0	Erstad ph	1	0	0	0
Withers p	0	0	0	0	Smpson p	0	0	0	0
Vlentin ph	1	0	0	0	FNieve p	0	0	0	0
FCdero p	0	0	0	0	Hwkins p	0	0	0	0
					Nwhan ph	1	0	1	0
					Vlverde p	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	2	8	1	Totals	30	1	7	1

Cincinnati	200	000	000	—2
Houston	100	000	000	—1

E—Wigginton (7). DP—Cincinnati 2, Houston 1. LOB—Cincinnati 9, Houston 6. 2B—Tejada (37), Wigginton (22). HR—KMatsui (6). SB—Bourn (41), Abercrombie (4). CS—Ausmus (2). S—KMatsui.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Cincinnati						
Volquez W,17-6	7 1-3	6	1	1	1	9
Bray	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Weathers	1-3	0	0	0	1	0
FCordero S,34	1	1	0	0	0	1
Houston						
WRdrz L,8-7	5	6	2	0	2	7
Sampson	1 2-3	2	0	0	0	1
FNieve	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Hawkins	1	0	0	0	1	0
Valverde	1	0	0	0	0	0

HBP—by Volquez (Ausmus).
Umpires—Home, Paul Emmel; First, Bill Miller; Second, Jerry Meals; Third, Gary Darling. T—3:02. A—37,361 (40,976).

CARDINALS 7, DIAMONDBACKS 4

ARIZONA	ab	r	h	bi	ST. LOUIS	ab	r	h	bi
SDrew ss	5	0	1	0	Izturis ss	4	2	2	0
Ojeda 3b	4	0	1	0	FLopez 2b	4	2	3	1
CJcksn lf	4	1	3	0	Pujols 1b	3	1	2	2
Dunn 1b	3	0	0	0	Glaus 3b	4	0	1	1
Upton rf	3	1	1	0	Frnklin p	0	0	0	0
Young cf	3	1	1	1	Ldwick cf	3	1	1	3
Mntero c	4	1	1	1	Stvnha rf	2	0	1	0
Eckstn 2b	4	0	0	0	Schmkr cf	1	0	0	0
RaJhnsn p	2	0	0	0	BBartn lf	4	0	0	0
Salazar ph	1	0	0	0	Lohse p	2	1	1	0
Rauch p	0	0	0	0	Phelps ph	1	0	0	0
Slaten p	0	0	0	0	Motte p	0	0	0	0
TPena p	0	0	0	0	Villone p	0	0	0	0
Tracy ph	1	0	0	0	ChPrz p	0	0	0	0
					Miles 2b	1	0	0	0
					LaRue c	2	0	0	0
Totals	34	4	8	4	Totals	31	7	11	7

Arizona	000	201	010	—4
St. Louis	400	010	20x	—7

E—Ludwick (3). DP—Arizona 2. LOB—Arizona 6, St. Louis 4. 2B—Upton (18), FLopez (26). HR—Young (21), Montero (5), Ludwick (35). SB—CJackson (10), Izturis (23). CS—Pujols (3). S—Stavinoha, LaRue. SF—Young.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Arizona						
RaJhnsn L,10-10	6	7	5	5	2	1
Rauch	1	4	2	2	0	1
Slaten	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
TPena	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
St. Louis						
Lohse W,15-6	6	7	3	3	1	3
Motte	1	1	1	1	0	1
Villone	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
ChPerez	1-3	0	0	0	1	0
Franklin S,18	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	1

Motte pitched to 1 batter in the 8th.
WP—ChPerez.
Umpires—Home, Ed Hickox; First, C.B. Bucknor; Second, Joe West; Third, Ed Rapuano. T—2:29. A—40,013 (43,975).

BRAVES 3, PHILLIES 2

ATLANTA	ab	r	h	bi	PHILA	ab	r	h	bi
JAndsn cf	4	0	1	0	Rollins ss	4	0	0	0
Prado 3b	4	1	1	0	Utley 2b	4	0	2	0
KJhnsn 2b	4	1	2	1	Werth rf	4	0	0	0
McCan c	3	0	0	0	Howard 1b	2	2	2	0
Infante lf	4	0	1	0	Burrell lf	3	0	1	1
GBlnco lf	0	0	0	0	Vctrino cf	4	0	0	0
Frncur rf	4	0	0	0	Feliz 3b	3	0	1	1
Ktchm 1b	4	1	2	1	Golson pr	0	0	0	0
Llbrdg ss	4	0	0	0	Ruiz c	3	0	0	0
Hmptn p	1	0	0	0	Hamels p	2	0	0	0
Gotay ph	1	0	1	0	Coste ph	1	0	0	0
Ohman p	0	0	0	0	Eyre p	0	0	0	0
JBnnett p	0	0	0	0	Durbin p	0	0	0	0
Norton ph	1	0	0	0	JRmro p	0	0	0	0
MGnzlz p	0	0	0	0					
Totals	34	3	8	2	Totals	30	2	6	2

Atlanta	101	001	000	—3
Philadelphia	010	001	000	—2

E—KJohnson (13), Hamels (3). DP—Atlanta 3. LOB—Atlanta 6, Philadelphia 6. 2B—Prado (18), Utley (40), Burrell (31). 3B—Howard (4). HR—Kotchman (2). SB—KJohnson (11). CS—Victorino (11). S—Hampton.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Atlanta						
Hampton W,3-3	6	6	2	2	3	4
Ohman	1	0	0	0	0	0
JBennett	1	0	0	0	1	0
MGonzalez S,14	1	0	0	0	1	1
Philadelphia						
Hamels L,14-10	7	8	3	2	1	7
Eyre	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Durbin	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	0
JRomero	1-3	0	0	0	0	1

Umpires—Home, Mark Wegner; First, Jeff Kellogg; Second, Chad Fairchild; Third, Sam Holbrook. T—2:46. A—39,322 (43,647).

METS 6, CUBS 2

CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi	NEW YORK	ab	r	h	bi
ASrano lf	4	0	0	0	JReyes ss	4	0	2	1
AGzmn p	0	0	0	0	LCstillo 2b	4	0	0	0
KHill ph	0	0	0	0	DWrght 3b	4	0	2	2
Fntenot ph	1	0	0	0	Beltran cf	4	0	0	0
Cedeno ss	4	1	1	0	Dlgado 1b	3	1	1	0
Ward ph	1	0	0	0	RCastro c	4	0	1	0
DLee 1b	4	0	1	1	Church rf	4	1	1	0
ReJhnsn cf	3	0	2	1	NEvns lf	1	1	0	0
DeRosa 2b	3	0	0	0	Murphy lf	1	1	1	0
Mcphee 3b	4	1	1	0	EnChvz lf	0	0	0	0
Fkdme rf	4	0	2	0	JSntna p	3	2	1	0
HBlnco c	4	0	1	0	ArReys ph	1	0	0	0
Mrshall p	2	0	0	0	Fciano p	0	0	0	0
Gaudin p	0	0	0	0	Ayala p	0	0	0	0
Hart p	0	0	0	0					
Hffpur rf	2	0	1	0					
Totals	36	2	9	2	Totals	33	6	9	6

Chicago	011	000	000	—2
New York	000	024	00x	—6

E—Gaudin (1). LOB—Chicago 9, New York 9. 2B—Cedeno (12), DLee (40), Mcphee (1), Fukudome (25), Delgado (31). 3B—JReyes (19).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Chicago						
Marshall	5	4	2	2	2	7
Gaudin L,4-3	1-3	4	4	4	0	0
Hart	2-3	1	0	0	0	1
AGuzman	2	0	0	0	3	1
New York						
JSantana W,15-7	8	7	2	2	2	10
Feliciano	1-3	2	0	0	0	0
Ayala S,9	2-3	0	0	0	0	0

HBP—by Marshall (NEvans).
Umpires—Home, Phil Cuzzi; First, Jim Wolf; Second, Jerry Layne; Third, Randy Marsh. T—2:47. A—50,615 (57,365).

NATIONALS 9, MARLINS 4

FLORIDA	ab	r	h	bi	WASHINGTON	ab	r	h	bi
HRmrz ss	4	1	1	0	AHrndz 2b	5	2	2	2
Baker c	4	0	1	0	AlGnzlz ss	5	3	4	2
Cantu 3b	3	1	0	0	Zmmrm 3b	5	1	2	2
Jacobs 1b	3	0	2	1	Mlldge cf	4	0	3	3
Uggla 2b	4	0	1	1	Dukes rf	3	0	1	0
Wlngh lf	4	1	1	1	Boone 1b	4	0	0	0
CRoss cf	4	1	2	1	WHarrs lf	2	2	1	0
Hrmida rf	4	0	0	0	Nieves c	2	0	0	0
Olsen p	2	0	0	0	Martis p	2	0	0	0
Dlgado p	0	0	0	0	Shell p	0	0	0	0
LoDuca ph	1	0	1	0	Orr ph	0	0	0	0
BCroll pr	0	0	0	0	Hnkly p	0	0	0	0
EDCrz p	0	0	0	0	Brndna ph	0	1	0	0
Pinto p	0	0	0	0	Hnrhan p	0	0	0	0
LGnzlz ph	1	0	0	0					
Totals	34	4	9	4	Totals	32	9	13	9

Florida	110	001	001	—4
Washington	301	011	04x	—9

E—Cantu (22). DP—Florida 2, Washington 2. LOB—Florida 6, Washington 8. 2B—Jacobs (27), AlGonzalez 2 (6). HR—Willingham (13), CRoss (22), Zimmerman (14). SB—Milledge (24), WHarris (13), Bernadina (4). CS—Milledge (9). S—Nieves 2. SF—Milledge.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Florida						
Olsen L,8-11	5	8	4	3	1	0
Delgado	1	1	1	1	2	0
EDe La Cruz	1 2-3	4	4	4	2	1
Pinto	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Washington						
Martis W,1-3	6 1-3	6	3	3	2	5
Shell	2-3	1	0	0	0	0
Hinckley	2	2	0	0	0	1
Hanrahan	1	1	1	1	0	2

HBP—by Olsen (Dukes). WP—EDe La Cruz. PB—Baker.
Umpires—Home, Marvin Hudson; First, Kevin Causey; Second, Mike Winters; Third, Hunter Wendelstedt. T—2:54. A—20,687 (41,888).

BREWERS 7, PIRATES 5

PITTSBURGH	ab	r	h	bi	MILWAUKEE	ab	r	h	bi
Morgan lf	5	0	4	2	MCmrn cf	5	1	2	2
FSnchz 2b	4	0	1	1	Drham 2b	4	0	0	0
McLuth cf	4	0	1	0	Braun lf	5	2	2	1
Doumit c	5	0	0	0	Fielder 1b	5	1	1	2
Mntkw 1b	3	2	0	0	Hardy ss	4	1	2	0
Pearce rf	4	1	2	2	Hart rf	3	0	1	0
AnLrch 3b	3	1	1	0	Cunsell 3b	2	1	1	0
LCruz ss	4	0	0	0	BHall 3b	1	0	0	0
Krstens p	2	1	0	0	Kendall c	3	0	1	1
JChvrz p	0	0	0	0	Bush p	1	0	0	0
SBrntt p	0	0	0	0	Weeks ph	1	0	0	0
JaWlsn ph	1	0	0	0	Coffey p	0	0	0	0
Grabow p	0	0	0	0	Gagne p	0	0	0	0
Beam p	0	0	0	0	Lamb ph	1	1	1	0
					Mota p	0	0	0	0
					Dillon ph	1	0	0	0
					Torres p	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	5	9	5	Totals	36	7	11	6

Pittsburgh	030	000	020	—5
Milwaukee	200	000	212	—7

Two outs when winning run scored.
E—Morgan (1), McLouth (1). LOB—Pittsburgh 9, Milwaukee 7. 2B—MCameron 2 (25), Counsell (14), Kendall (29). 3B—Braun (7). HR—Pearce (2), Fielder (34). SB—Morgan (9), Pearce (2). S—FSanchez, Hart, Kendall.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Pittsburgh						
Karstens	6	6	3	3	1	6
JChavez	2-3	2	1	1	1	0
SBurnett	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Grabow	1	2	2	1	0	1
Beam L,2-2	2-3	2	2	2	0	1
Milwaukee						
Bush	6	6	3	3	3	2
Coffey	1	1	0	0	0	2
Gagne	1	1	0	0	0	1
Mota	1	1	2	2	1	1
Torres W,7-5	1	1	0	0	1	0

Karstens pitched to 1 batter in the 7th.
WP—Karstens.
Umpires—Home, Marty Foster; First, Derryl Cousins; Second, Eric Cooper; Third, Angel Hernandez. T—3:11. A—36,612 (41,900).

MLB Leaders

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING—Mauer, Minnesota, .330; Pedroia, Boston, .323; Ordonez, Detroit, .321; Kinsler, Texas, .319; ISuzuki, Seattle, .313; Youkilis, Boston, .312; Morneau, Minnesota, .308; Huff, Baltimore, .308; Polanco, Detroit, .308.
RUNS—Pedroia, Boston, 118; Granderson, Detroit, 108; Markakis, Baltimore, 105; BRoberts, Baltimore, 104; ARodriguez, New York, 103; Kinsler, Texas, 102; Peralta, Cleveland, 101.
RBI—Morneau, Minnesota, 128; MiCabrera, Detroit, 125; Hamilton, Texas, 124; Youkilis, Boston, 109; Huff, Baltimore, 107; Ibanez, Seattle, 107; Mora, Baltimore, 102.
HITS—Pedroia, Boston, 208; ISuzuki, Seattle, 206; Morneau, Minnesota, 184; JoLopez, Seattle, 183; Hamilton, Texas, 183; Ibanez, Seattle, 183; Rios, Toronto, 180; Huff, Baltimore, 180.
DOUBLES—Pedroia, Boston, 52; BRoberts, Baltimore, 51; Huff, Baltimore, 48; Markakis, Baltimore, 47; Rios, Toronto, 46; Morneau, Minnesota, 46; Youkilis, Boston, 43; Ibanez, Seattle, 41.
TRIPLES—Granderson, Detroit, 13; Crawford, Tampa Bay, 10; Iwamura, Tampa Bay, 8; Rios, Toronto, 8; BRoberts, Baltimore, 8; Ellsbury, Boston, 7; AJones, Baltimore, 7; Inglett, Toronto, 7; Dejesus, Kansas City, 7; ISuzuki, Seattle, 7.
HOME RUNS—Quentin, Chicago, 36; MiCabrera, Detroit, 36; ARodriguez, New York, 35; Sizemore, Cleveland, 33; Thome, Chicago, 33; Huff, Baltimore, 32; Dye, Chicago, 32.
STOLEN BASES—Ellsbury, Boston, 49; ISuzuki, Seattle, 43; Upton, Tampa Bay, 42; Sizemore, Cleveland, 38; BRoberts, Baltimore, 38; Figgins, Los Angeles, 32; CaGomez, Minnesota, 31; Rios, Toronto, 31.
PITCHING (15 Decisions)—CLee, Cleveland, 22-2, .917, 2.41; Matsuzaka, Boston, 18-2, .900, 2.80; Perkins, Minnesota, 12-4, .750, 4.50; Lackey, Los Angeles, 12-4, .750, 3.25; ESantana, Los Angeles, 16-6, .727, 3.25; Lester, Boston, 15-6, .714, 3.26; Saunders, Los Angeles, 16-7, .696, 3.52.
STRIKEOUTS—Burnett, Toronto, 220; ESantana, Los Angeles, 209; Halladay, Toronto, 201; Vazquez, Chicago, 192; Greinke, Kansas City, 179; Meche, Kansas City, 176; Beckett, Boston, 172.
SAVES—FRodriguez, Los Angeles, 61; Soria, Kansas City, 41; Papelbon, Boston, 40; Nathan, Minnesota, 38; MRivera, New York, 37; BJRyan, Toronto, 32; Sherrill, Baltimore, 31.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

BATTING—Jones, Atlanta, .364; Pujols, St. Louis, .348; Holliday, Colorado, .323; Berkman, Houston, .316; CGuzman, Washington, .312; Winn, San Francisco, .308; Giles, San Diego, .304.
RUNS—HRamirez, Florida, 119; DWright, New York, 113; Beltran, New York, 113; Berkman, Houston, 112; McLouth, Pittsburgh, 111; JReyes, New York, 109; Utley, Philadelphia, 108.
RBI—Howard, Philadelphia, 141; DWright, New York, 120; AdGonzalez, San Diego, 116; Delgado, New York, 110; Beltran, New York, 109; ArRamirez, Chicago, 109; Pujols, St. Louis, 108.
HITS—JReyes, New York, 198; DWright, New York, 181; CGuzman, Washington, 178; Winn, San Francisco, 178; DLee, Chicago, 178; Pujols, St. Louis, 177; Tejada, Houston, 173.
DOUBLES—McLouth, Pittsburgh, 46; Berkman, Houston, 46; Hart, Milwaukee, 45; ArRamirez, Chicago, 44; Young, Arizona, 42; SDrew, Arizona, 42; DWright, New York, 42; Pujols, St. Louis, 42.
TRIPLES—JReyes, New York, 18; FLewis, San Francisco, 11; SDrew, Arizona, 11; Rollins, Philadelphia, 9; Victorino, Philadelphia, 8; Velez, San Francisco, 7; Young, Arizona, 7; Weeks, Milwaukee, 7; BPhillips, Cincinnati, 7.
HOME RUNS—Howard, Philadelphia, 46; Dunn, Arizona, 38; Delgado, New York, 37; Braun, Milwaukee, 35; AdGonzalez, San Diego, 35; Ludwick, St. Louis, 34; Pujols, St. Louis, 34.
STOLEN BASES—Taveras, Colorado, 68; JReyes, New York, 52; Rollins, Philadelphia, 45; Bourn, Houston, 40; Pierre, Los Angeles, 38; Kemp, Los Angeles, 34; HRamirez, Florida, 33; Victorino, Philadelphia, 33.
PITCHING (15 Decisions)—Lincecum, San Francisco, 17-4, .810, 2.46; Webb, Arizona, 22-7, .759, 3.24; Dempster, Chicago, 17-6, .739, 2.99; Volquez, Cincinnati, 16-6, .727, 3.29; Lohse, St. Louis, 14-6, .700, 3.76; Zambrano, Chicago, 14-6, .700, 3.77; Nolasco, Florida, 15-7, .682, 3.56; Moyer, Philadelphia, 15-7, .682, 3.78.
STRIKEOUTS—Lincecum, San Francisco, 243; Volquez, Cincinnati, 197; Haren, Arizona, 197; Billingsley, Los Angeles, 194; Hamels, Philadelphia, 189; JSantana, New York, 187; Dempster, Chicago, 183.
SAVES—Valverde, Houston, 42; BWilson, San Francisco, 40; Lidge, Philadelphia, 40; FCordero, Cincinnati, 33; KWood, Chicago, 33; Gregg, Florida, 29; Fuentes, Colorado, 29.

GAME PLAN

LOCAL

HIGH SCHOOL
BOYS SOCCER
Buhl at Gooding, 6:30 p.m.
Bliss at Filer, 6:30 p.m.
GIRLS SOCCER
Bliss at Filer, 4:30 p.m.
Buhl at Gooding, 4:30 p.m.
VOLLEYBALL
Challis/Sho-Ban at Shoshone, 4 p.m.
Jerome at Minico, 6 p.m.

TV SCHEDULE

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL
5 p.m.
ESPN — Chicago Cubs at N.Y. Mets

BETTING

Glantz-Culver Line
College Football

FAVORITE	OPEN	TODAY	UNDERDOG
Thursday			
at Tulane	18½	18	SMU
Southern Cal	21½	25	at Oregon St.
Friday			
at Louisville	1½	3½	Connecticut
Saturday			
at Wake Forest	14½	16	Navy
W. Michigan	3	3½	at Temple
at West Virginia	17	14	Marshall
Pittsburgh	16½	15	at Syracuse
Michigan St.	8½	8	at Indiana
at Iowa	8	8½	Northwestern
at Duke	5½	6½	Virginia
at Miami	7	7½	North Carolina
at Florida	24	22½	Mississippi
at LSU	23½	24	Mississippi St.
N. Illinois	6	6½	at E. Michigan
at Cent. Michigan	7	6½	Buffalo
Cincinnati	9½	10½	at Akron
at East Carolina	10½	10½	Houston
at Notre Dame	3	1	Purdue
at Ohio St.	17	17½	Minnesota
at Nebraska	6½	7	Virginia Tech
at Washington	5	3½	Stanford
at California	25½	26½	Colorado St.
at Georgia	7½	7	Alabama
at Auburn	6½	6½	Tennessee
Wisconsin	3	6	at Michigan
at Clemson	10½	11	Maryland
Fresno St.	3½	6½	at UCLA
Bowling Green	3	3½	at Wyoming
Oregon	19½	20½	at Wash St.
at Oklahoma	18½	17½	TCU
at South Carolina	26½	24½	UAB
at Texas A&M	29	28	Army
at Ball St.	18	17½	Kent St.
South Florida	9½	8½	at N.C. State
Florida St.-x	6	5½	Colorado
UCF	4½	4½	at UTEP
at Penn St.	16½	14½	Illinois
New Mexico	4	3½	at N.M. St.
at San Diego St.	9	11	Idaho
at UNLV	3	4	Nevada
at Hawaii	3	3	San Jose St.
at Kentucky	22½	21½	W. Kentucky
Arkansas St.	Pk	3	at Memphis
at Oklahoma St.	17	16½	Troy
at Toledo	17	19	Fla. Int.
at Kansas St.	20	21	La.-Lafayette
at Rice	17½	17½	North Texas
at Texas	26½	27½	Arkansas

x-at Jacksonville, Fla.

NFL
Sunday

FAVORITE	OPEN	TODAY	O/U	UNDERDOG
Denver	9½	9	(46)	at Kan. City
at Cincinnati	3	3½	(44)	Cleveland
at Jacksonville	7	7½	(47)	Houston
at N.Y. Jets	1½	2½	(45)	Arizona
at New Orleans	6	6	(48½)	San Fran
at Carolina	7½	7	(39½)	Atlanta
at Tennessee	3	3	(36)	Minnesota
at Tampa Bay	1½	1	(43)	Green Bay
Buffalo	9½	8	(41½)	at St. Louis
San Diego	7	7½	(46)	at Oakland
at Dallas	10½	11½	(46)	Washington
at Chicago	OFF	OFF	(OFF)	Philadelphia
Monday				
at Pittsburgh	OFF	OFF	(OFF)	Baltimore

Off Key
N.Y. Jets played Sept. 22
San Diego played Sept. 22
Philadelphia RB questionable
Pittsburgh QB questionable

FOOTBALL

NFL

Monday's Game
San Diego 48, N.Y. Jets 29

Sunday, Sept. 28
Arizona at N.Y. Jets, 11 a.m.
Minnesota at Tennessee, 11 a.m.
Denver at Kansas City, 11 a.m.
San Francisco at New Orleans, 11 a.m.
Atlanta at Carolina, 11 a.m.
Cleveland at Cincinnati, 11 a.m.
Green Bay at Tampa Bay, 11 a.m.
Houston at Jacksonville, 11 a.m.
Buffalo at St. Louis, 2:05 p.m.
San Diego at Oakland, 2:05 p.m.
Washington at Dallas, 2:15 p.m.
Philadelphia at Chicago, 6:15 p.m.
Open: Indianapolis, Miami, New England, Seattle, N.Y. Giants, Detroit

Monday, Sept. 29
Baltimore at Pittsburgh, 6:30 p.m.

Top 25 Schedule
All Times MDT
(Subject to change)

Thursday, Sept. 25
No. 1 Southern Cal at Oregon State, 7 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 27
No. 2 Oklahoma vs. No. 24 TCU, 5 p.m.
No. 3 Georgia vs. No. 8 Alabama, 5:45 p.m.
No. 4 Florida vs. Mississippi, 10:30 a.m.
No. 5 LSU vs. Mississippi State, 5:30 p.m.
No. 7 Texas vs. Arkansas, 1:30 p.m.
No. 9 Wisconsin at Michigan, 1:30 p.m.
No. 12 Penn State vs. No. 22 Illinois, 6 p.m.
No. 13 South Florida at N.C. State, 5:30 p.m.
No. 14 Ohio State vs. Minnesota, 10 a.m.
No. 15 Auburn vs. Tennessee, 1:30 p.m.
No. 16 Wake Forest vs. Navy, 1:45 p.m.
No. 17 Utah vs. Weber State, 6 p.m.
No. 20 Clemson vs. Maryland, 10 a.m.
No. 23 East Carolina vs. Houston, 1:30 p.m.
No. 25 Fresno State at UCLA, 1:30 p.m.

NJCAA Football Poll
Through Sept. 21

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Blinn, Texas (6)	3-0	139	1
2. Navarro, Texas	3-0	130	3
3. Snow, Utah (1)	4-0	122	4
4. Jones County JC, Miss.	4-0	115	5
5. Butler CC, Kan.	3-1	112	6
6. Pearl River CC, Miss.	4-0	97	7
7. Georgia Military	2-1	93	8
8. Iowa Central CC	3-0	87	9
9. Glendale CC, Ariz.	3-0	83	11
10. Mississippi Gulf Coast CC	3-1	82	2
11. Fort Scott CC, Kan.	3-0	77	12
12. Harper, Ill.	4-0	72	12
13. C. Lakes-Brainerd, Minn.	4-0	44	16
13. Nassau CC, N.Y.	2-1	44	18
15. Trinity Valley CC, Texas	3-0	31	99
16. Rochester C&T, Minn.	3-1	28	20
17. Lackawanna, Pa.	3-0	20	99
18. Eastern Arizona	2-1	18	10
19. Coahoma CC, Miss.	3-0	14	99
20. Ellsworth CC, Iowa	2-1	11	17

TENNIS

ATP Thailand Open
Tuesday
At Impact Arena
Bangkok, Thailand
Purse: $576,000 (Intl. Series)
Surface: Hard-Indoor
Singles
First Round
Robin Soderling (6), Sweden, def. Aisam-ul-Haq Qureshi, Pakistan, 6-2, 6-4.
Teimuraz Gabashvili, Russia, def. Michael Berrer, Germany, 6-4, 6-3.
Lukas Dlouhy, Czech Republic, def. Benjamin Becker, Germany, 6-4, 7-6 (4).
Simon Stadler, Germany, def. Julien Benneteau, France, 7-5, 6-1.
Philipp Petzschner, Germany, def. Marat Safin (7), Russia, 6-4, 7-6 (4).
Robert Kendrick, U.S., def. George Bastl, Switzerland, 6-3, 7-6 (4).
Nicolas Mahut, France, def. Danai Udomchoke, Thailand, 6-2, 6-7 (5), 6-2.

China Open
Tuesday
At The Beijing Tennis Centre
Beijing
Purse: Men, $524,000 (Intl. Series) Women, $600,000 (Tier II)
Surface: Hard-Outdoor
Singles
Men
First Round
Tommy Robredo (6), Spain, def. Guillermo Garcia-Lopez, Spain, 6-4, 7-5.
Juan Carlos Ferrero, Spain, def. Alexandre Kudryavtsev, Russia, 6-4, 6-3.
Women
First Round
Francesca Schiavone, Italy, def. Li Na, China, 6-1, 7-6 (4).
Ai Sugiyama, Japan, def. Yan Zi, China, 6-3, 6-4.
Alla Kudryavtseva, Russia, def. Peng Shuai, China, 7-5, 6-4.
Aleksandra Wozniak, Canada, def. Virginie Razzano, France, 6-7 (3), 7-5, 6-4.
Anna Chakvetadze (8), Russia, def. Iveta Benesova, Czech Republic, 6-4, 7-5.
Tamarine Tanasugarn, Thailand, def. Katarina Srebotnik, Slovenia, 6-4, 7-5.
Alize Cornet, France, def. Zhang Shuai, China, 6-1, 3-6, 7-6 (2).
Agnes Szavay, Hungary, def. Yaroslava Shvedova, Kazakhstan, 6-4, 6-3.
Zheng Jie, China, leads Agnieszka Radwanska (6), Poland, 3-0, susp., rain.

WTA Tour Hansol Korea Open
Tuesday
At Olympic Park
Seoul, South Korea
Purse: $145,000 (Tier IV)
Surface: Hard-Outdoor
Singles
First Round
Ayumi Morita, Japan, def. Arantxa Rus, Netherlands, 6-4, 6-1.
Lucie Safarova, Czech Republic, def. Melanie South, Britain, 6-1, 3-0, retired.
Chan Yung-jan (8), Taiwan, def. Mara Santangelo, Italy, 1-6, 6-3, 6-4.
Stephanie Dubois, Canada, def. Camille Pin, France, 6-4, 3-6, 7-5.
Maria Kirilenko (1), Russia, def. Lenka Wienerova, Slovakia, 6-2, 6-0.
Jill Craybas, U.S., def. Yuan Meng, China, 6-0, 6-0.
Ekaterina Makarova, Russia, def. Tamira Paszek, Austria, 6-1, 6-2.
Anastasia Pivovarova, Russia, def. Lee Ye-ra, South Korea, 6-7 (5), 6-3, 5-3, retired.
Samantha Stosur, Australia, def. Marina Erakovic (7), New Zealand, 6-2, 6-0.
Klara Zakopalova, Czech Republic, def. Carla Suarez Navarro (4), Spain, 6-1, 6-7 (3), 6-4.
Kaia Kanepi (3), Estonia, def. Rika Fujiwara, Japan, 6-2, 6-7 (5), 6-0.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
American League
TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Claimed LHP Reid Santos off waivers from Cleveland.
National League
MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Signed a four-year affiliation agreement with Wisconsin (MWL). Activated INF Russell Branyan and RHP Yovani Gallardo from the 15-DL.
SAN DIEGO PADRES—Announced the resignation of Wally Joyner, hitting coach.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
SAN ANTONIO SPURS—Signed G George Hill.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
NFL—Suspended New Orleans G Jamar Nesbit four games for violating the NFL's policy on anabolic steroids and related substances.
CINCINNATI BENGALS—Signed CB Jamar Fletcher. Waived CB Geoffrey Pope.
CLEVELAND BROWNS—Signed OL Travis Leffew to the practice squad. Released OL Nathan Bennett from the practice squad.
MINNESOTA VIKINGS—Signed LB Rufus Alexander to the practice squad. Released OL Isaiah Ross from the practice squad.
NEW YORK JETS—Released TE Brad Listorti and P Waylon Prather from the practice squad.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
ANAHEIM DUCKS—Signed C Maxime Macenauer and D Eric Regan to three-year contracts.
BUFFALO SABRES—Assigned F Tyler Ennis, F Paul Byron, F Jacob Lagace, D Nick Crawford and D Jordon Southorn to their junior teams.
PHOENIX COYOTES—Named John Muckler senior advisor to the general manager. Signed Ulf Samuelsson, associate coach, to a contract extension.
PITTSBURGH PENGUINS—Assigned F Kris Beech, F Ryan Stone, F Adam Henrich, F Aaron Boogaard, F Tim Wallace, F Jonathan Filewich, F David Gove, F Christopher Minard, D Deryk Engelland, D T.J. Kemp, D Ben Lovejoy, D Joey Mormina and G David Brown to Wilkes-Barre/Scranton (AHL).
WASHINGTON CAPITALS—Returned Joel Broda, Stefan Della Rovere, Dmitry Kugryshev, Brett Leffler, Eric Mestery and Justin Taylor to their junior teams.
COLLEGE
COLLEGIATE WATER POLO ASSOCIATION—Named Lexie Kamerman director of membership services.
HIGH POINT—Named Damon Stephenson men's basketball assistant coach.
LOUISIANA MONROE—Named Cory Barton assistant baseball coach.
NYU—Named Sam Albert men's and women's assistant track and field coach.
PITTSBURGH—Named Chris Ferris associate athletic director for marketing, Maureen Anderson associate athletic director for development, Greg Hotchkiss director of media relations, Mendy Nestor associate director of media relations and Dan Bartholomae, Amy Nicewanger and John Abrams assistant athletic directors.
RPI—Named Shivaun Seid women's assistant ice hockey coach.
TEMPLE—Named Justin Gordon assistant baseball coach.
TOLEDO—Named Nick McIntyre volunteer assistant baseball coach.

2007 Tour champ may leave team if Armstrong signs

MADRID, Spain — If Lance Armstrong joins the Astana cycling team for his comeback, then Alberto Contador is ready to leave.

"I think I've earned the right to be the leader of a team without having to fight for my place," the Spanish rider said Tuesday in AS newspaper. "And with Armstrong some difficult situations could arise in which the team would put him first and that would hurt me."

Contador, the 2007 Tour de France champion, won the Spanish Vuelta on Sunday.

"My intention is to stay (at Astana) because I have a contract until 2010, but I have already received a good number of offers from other teams," he said.

Armstrong announced this month he is returning to cycling after three years in retirement and would attempt to win the Tour de France an eighth time.

TENNIS

U.S. opens 2009 Davis Cup vs. Switzerland

MADRID, Spain — The United States' chase for a 33rd Davis Cup title will start against Switzerland, while Spain and Argentina will both play their first matches at home following this year's final.

Tuesday's 2009 World Group draw handed the U.S. a tough opener at home against Switzerland, though it's not certain whether Roger Federer will play in the March 6-8 matches.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

EWU player suspended for ISU game

HELENA, Mont. — Eastern Washington football player Charlie Wulff has been suspended for the first half of his team's game Saturday against Idaho State.

Big Sky Conference Commissioner Doug Fullerton announced the suspension Tuesday.

Wulff was ejected in the fourth quarter of EWU's 52-31 victory over Western Washington last Saturday for throwing a punch at an opposing player.

NCAA rules require that a player ejected for fighting in the second half of a game be suspended for the first half of the next scheduled contest.

MAGIC VALLEY

CSI Basketball Bash Sept. 30

TWIN FALLS — The College of Southern Idaho men's and women's basketball teams will play at the CSI Basketball Bash held Tuesday, Sept. 30 at 7 p.m., in the CSI Gymnasium. The first 400 people in attendance will get free popcorn and Coke. The event will feature intrasquad scrimmages, a 3-point shooting contest, a slam dunk contest and performances from the dance and cheer teams.

Sports Shorts

Note: Send Magic Valley briefs to sports@magicvalley.com

Zeitgeist Half Marathon coming soon

BOISE — Oct. 8 is the $40 entry deadline for the 7th annual Zeitgeist Half Marathon, to be held November 1. Runners and walkers are welcome. The course is on paved and dirt roads in the foothills northwest of Boise. Register online or pick up an entry form at area sporting goods stores and health clubs. Volunteers are needed and greatly appreciated.

Information: 853-1221 or www.zhalfmarathon.com.

Rocky Mountain and CSI rodeos near

TWIN FALLS — The Rocky Mountain Regional Rodeo will be at 7 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 9 at the CSI Expo Center. Tickets are $5.

The CSI Fall Classic Rodeo will be Oct. 10 and 11 at 8 p.m. at the CSI Expo Center. The cost is $8 in advance or $9 at the door (children 4-12 are $5)

Tickets for both events may be purchased in advance at Vickers Western Store, Twin Stop Locations and Expo Center.

Information: The Expo Center at 732-6620.

Filer Rec offers flag football

FILER — The Filer Community Recreation District's final day for flag football registration is Friday, Sept. 26. Information: Bob Hansin at 326-3327.

JRD holds Kids Fitness camp

JEROME — Jerome Recreation District will hold a Kids Fitness Fun Camp Oct. 2-3. Ages 4-8 may attend from 9 a.m. to noon on Oct. 2, with ages 9-13 attending from 9 a.m. to noon on Oct. 3. Fitness activities, games and nutrition classes will be held during the camp. The JRD also offers Family Fitness Night from 6:30-8:30 p.m., on the third Monday of each month, beginning Oct. 20. JRD members may attend free, while non-members are $4.

Information: JRD at 324-3389.

— compiled from staff and wire reports

Football hazing case shakes N.M. town

By Tim Korte
Associated Press writer

LAS VEGAS, N.M. — It was shocking enough when six high school football players were accused of sodomizing six younger teammates with a broomstick during training camp. But the scandal was raised to a whole new level when the coaches were accused of turning a blind eye to the hazing.

Since then, Robertson High's head football coach and all five assistants have resigned, and prosecutors are considering charges against adults and youngsters alike.

The incident has turned student against student in the town of 14,000, and subjected some of the school's athletes to lewd taunts from spectators.

"I'm very sad, so very sad for these young men," said Veronica Sanchez, a retiree who knows one of the victims and one of the accused. Her friends and family, she said, are split "kind of 50-50" on whether to blame the coaching staff or the older players.

The scandal unfolded at a four-day, mid-August preseason training camp in the mountains west of Las Vegas, a predominantly Hispanic, once-booming Old West town 60 miles from Santa Fe, now known for its stately Victorian homes.

According to state police reports, a group of juniors assaulted several younger teammates over two days, holding the victims down while a broomstick was forced into their rectums over their athletic shorts.

Police did not find out about it from school officials; instead, a state police officer whose son is on the team learned of the allegations through his wife, a camp volunteer.

The alleged ringleader was expelled from school. The others — some of them veteran members of the highly successful team — were suspended through the end of the school year. The six victims returned to the team.

Several residents declined to give their names but expressed disbelief, frustration and embarrassment over the case, along with anger — some directed at the coaches, some at the media inquiring about the scandal.

On the field, the Cardinals — who played in the state championship game in each of the past three years, winning the title in 2005 and 2006 — have struggled, losing their first three contests by lopsided scores of 51-7, 34-6 and 35-13.

"These are young kids in a difficult, difficult environment," said Bob Rothstein, an attorney for several victims' families. "They have to go to school every day and they're still trying to play football on the team. They certainly didn't want to be exposed in this way."

School Superintendent Rick Romero said spectators at some opposing schools have taunted the Robertson girls' soccer team and a middle school girls' volleyball team with "references to broomsticks and other very inappropriate sexual innuendoes."

A school district investigation released earlier this month accused the coaching staff of not adequately supervising the players and failing to look into the initial reports of hazing. District Attorney Henry Valdez in Santa Fe said coaches and school administrators could face charges of failing to report child sexual abuse.

According to a state police report, an assistant coach told the other coaches during training camp "that some sort of hazing incident involving broomsticks was happening." Another coach walked into a cabin to see "a player on his stomach on the ground, with his legs spread open," while a teammate held a broomstick, the police report said. The coach told the players to "cut it out" and the group broke up.

History has no. 1 Trojans wary of unheralded Beavers

LOS ANGELES — No. 1 Southern California looks to be super strong, the Pac-10 appears pretty weak, so the Trojans should have an easy time of it Thursday night in their conference opener at Oregon State.

Or should they?

"We look at this game knowing that it's Pac-10 time," USC coach Pete Carroll said Tuesday at his weekly meeting with reporters. "Pac-10 games have always been challenging and difficult. It doesn't matter which week or who you're playing or where you're playing, they're just hard, difficult challenges.

"We've had difficult times with Oregon State in years past, in particularly playing there. We have great respect for their program. We'd love to play a nice football game and get out of there with a win and get on back home."

The Trojans (2-0), who have beaten Virginia 52-7 and No. 14 Ohio State 35-3, are favored by 25 points and have a 58-9-4 record in the series. But the Beavers have won two of the last three games between the teams at Reser Stadium including a 33-31 victory in 2006 that snapped USC's 38-game, regular-season winning streak.

"I remember it being cold, loud," USC defensive lineman Kyle Moore said. "It's different, you have the sports turf. The fans are very enthusiastic.

"We just can't let teams that are not supposed to beat us beat us this year."

Oregon State also beat USC 31-21 as the home team in 2000 — the year before Carroll became the Trojans coach — and led 13-0 before losing 28-20 on a cold, foggy night in 2004.

Carroll downplayed the difficulty of playing at Oregon State, although he added: "I don't think anybody could ever anticipate what it's like to play in fog like we played a few years ago."

That kind of weather is unlikely at this time of year, although Oregon State coach Mike Riley, when asked on a conference call about fog machines, said playfully: "They should be arriving tomorrow."

AP file photo

Southern California head football coach Pete Carroll, right, congratulates Oregon State head coach Mike Riley after Oregon State beat Southern California 33-31 on Oct. 28, 2006, in Corvallis, Ore. The two teams meet Thursday night in Corvallis.

OHIO STATE RB WELLS PROBABLE FOR MINNESOTA

COLUMBUS, Ohio — Tailback Chris "Beanie" Wells is likely to return to No. 14 Ohio State against Minnesota on Saturday.

"It adds to our arsenal," coach Jim Tressel said Tuesday, shortly after announcing that Wells was probable for Saturday's game.

Wells has been out of action since injuring his right foot early in the second half of the opening victory over Youngstown State. Dan Herron has been the tailback in victories over Ohio and Troy and a lopsided defeat at top-ranked Southern California.

Ohio State could use the boost. Even though freshman Terrelle Pryor threw four touchdown passes last week in his debut as a starter against Troy, the offense has been erratic since Wells left.

Against the Trojans, the Buckeyes led just 14-10 heading into the fourth quarter before punts downed deep inside the 20 helped Ohio State set up two short touchdown drives to pull away, 28-10.

GEORGIA HOPES TO BLACK OUT THE CRIMSON TIDE

ATHENS, Ga. — There's no great mystery this time. Georgia will definitely be wearing black jerseys for its showdown with Alabama.

Still, the choice of colors is telling.

The third-ranked Bulldogs know how big this game is, even though the calendar hasn't even flipped to October yet. This is their chance to start shaking out the hierarchy in the brutal Southeastern Conference, which has four of the top eight teams in this week's Associated Press rankings.

The No. 8 Crimson Tide routed Clemson to start the season and blew out Arkansas last week in the SEC opener, giving every indication that second-year coach Nick Saban has this storied program back on track after a few seasons lost in the hinterlands.

Hoping to turn back the Tide, Georgia decided this was as good a week as any for a "blackout." For just the third time in modern school history, the Bulldogs will be wearing black jerseys instead of their traditional red, and they're urging all their fans to don the color as well for Saturday night's nationally televised game.

WSU QB LOPINA OUT WITH BACK FRACTURE

SPOKANE, Wash. — Washington State starting quarterback Kevin Lopina broke a bone in his lower back in last weekend's win over Portland State and will be out indefinitely, the team said Tuesday.

Backup Gary Rogers suffered a broken neck in the same game and is out for the season. Both quarterbacks are walking and are expected to recover.

IOWA FIRES 2 OFFICIALS FAULTED IN INVESTIGATION

IOWA CITY, Iowa — Two University of Iowa officials were fired Tuesday after being faulted for their response to an alleged sexual assault involving two former football players.

University spokesman Steve Parrott said Phillip Jones and Marcus Mills were fired by school president Sally Mason one day after rejecting her offer for resignations.

The firings come two days before Mason is scheduled to meet with the Iowa Board of Regents to discuss the university's response to the incident last October. The Regents are expected to discuss any possible penalties it will impose on Iowa on Thursday.

— The Associated Press

Mangini anticipates Favre to play Sunday

NEW YORK — Don't fret, Jets fans. Brett Favre's playing streak appears safe.

The New York quarterback rolled his left ankle during the third quarter of the Jets' 48-29 loss at San Diego on Monday night, but coach Eric Mangini wasn't overly concerned about Favre's injury.

"Brett usually plays," Mangini said Tuesday, "and I would anticipate the same."

Favre was limping noticeably after the injury and in the locker room after the game, but has started an NFL-record 256 straight regular-season games. He is expected to start Sunday at home against Arizona.

"It's just understanding him and I think we have a good plan in place whenever guys get injured, so I feel pretty comfortable with the process," Mangini said. "And I know that if there's any way that he can play, he'll definitely play."

Mangini said Favre received some treatment on the ankle when the team arrived home early Tuesday morning, and the quarterback was scheduled for more later in the evening.

The nature of the injury wasn't immediately known, but Favre said after the game that X-rays came out OK — meaning there was no break. The players had the day off from speaking with the media, and Favre is scheduled for his weekly news conference Wednesday morning.

Favre was lifted for Kellen Clemens before the Jets' final offensive possession, but it was more because the game was out of hand at that point.

Favre was inconsistent against the Chargers, going 30-of-42 for 271 yards and three touchdowns, but also threw two interceptions, including one returned 52 yards for a score by defensive back Antonio Cromartie. He and some of his receivers appeared out of sync at times, something Favre has warned would take some time to perfect after playing in Green Bay's offensive system for the past 16 seasons.

AP photo

New York Jets quarterback Brett Favre walks off the field after the Jets' 48-29 loss to the San Diego Monday in San Diego.

"I think there's been progress each week," Mangini said. "We threw the ball quite a bit (Monday) night and there's going to be some times where when you put the ball up in volume, you're going to have turnovers. Brett's made a lot of great plays, sort of ad-lib type plays and the receivers are getting more and more used to that and I think he's getting more and more used to the receivers. As you go along and get the additional reps, that tends to naturally improve."

CHIEFS' HUARD COULD START SUNDAY AGAINST BRONCOS

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Saddled with a 12-game losing streak, the rebuilding Kansas City Chiefs may decide they need a win more than a long look at a young quarterback.

Without coming right out and saying so, coach Herm Edwards strongly hinted Tuesday that veteran Damon Huard would probably get the nod on Sunday against Denver and that second-year man Tyler Thigpen would return to the bench after one start.

"I'll decide on that tomorrow. Sleep on it a little bit more," Edwards said. "I'm leaning that way. I've got to address the team, exactly what we're going to do."

NFL SUSPENDS SAINTS' NESBIT

NEW ORLEANS — Saints guard Jamar Nesbit has been suspended without pay for the next four games for violating the NFL's policy on anabolic steroids and related substances, team officials said Tuesday.

Nesbit's suspension begins immediately.

He is eligible to return to the Saints' active roster on Oct. 20, the day after the team's Oct. 19 game against the Carolina Panthers.

BRONCOS PLACE NALEN ON INJURED RESERVE

ENGLEWOOD, Colo. — Center Tom Nalen, the last link to the Broncos' Super Bowl titles of the late 1990s, was placed on injured reserve Tuesday, ending his season and likely spelling the end of his career in Denver.

The 37-year-old Nalen, who is in the final year of his contract, underwent two surgeries on his left knee this summer and missed the team's first three games. The Broncos had left him on the roster hoping for his quick return.

The 15-year veteran, whose 2007 season was cut short by a torn right biceps after five games, missed most of training camp before deciding on another operation.

MCNAIR EXPECTS TEXANS TO PLAY AT RELIANT

HOUSTON — The Houston Texans plan to play their home opener at hurricane damaged Reliant Stadium on Oct. 5.

"I can't say with absolute certainty," Texans owner Bob McNair told The Associated Press Tuesday. "But let's put it this way, I'd be shocked if we did not play there."

The stadium's retractable roof lost five pieces in the storm and officials said large pieces of debris had fallen into the stadium during Hurricane Ike. The roof probably won't be fixed in time for the game against Indianapolis, but McNair said that game and the remaining home games could be played with the roof open.

"We fully expect that we'll play the Colts in Reliant Stadium," he said. "Probably the rest of the year we'll play and use Reliant as an open-air stadium. It was designed to operate that way, either open or closed so we'll get to enjoy it open for a while."

— The Associated Press

Early-season BCS rankings good for a big laugh

By Chris Dufresne
Los Angeles Times

A few more games are required before the formulas figure themselves out.

If the season ended today — and don't you think Rutgers' fans wish it were over? — Utah and Wisconsin would be playing in Wes Colley's national championship game.

Wes who?

Colley operates one of the six computers used in the Bowl Championship Series standings formula that help determine the participants for college football's big prize.

Relax, though, because there's a reason the first BCS standings won't be released until Oct. 19.

If they released them today, it would set off a sit-com laugh track.

BCS operator Kenneth Massey has USC and Boise State as his top two teams this week, Oklahoma at No. 32 and Duke at No. 39, one spot ahead of football up-and-comer Florida.

Massey's rankings even come with an owners' manual disclaimer: "Early season ratings will fluctuate significantly until a sufficient number of games have been played."

He might have also added: "Kids, don't try this at home!"

Colley touts his rankings as "bias free," but they might not be buying that at Heritage Hall in Los Angeles, where USC is checking in at No. 14 this week.

Gee, and some people thought the Trojans were actually good.

Colley also has Texas at No. 23 and Oklahoma at No. 25.

Think of the polls vs. BCS computers in terms of spring training in baseball, where pitchers usually start out ahead of the hitters.

The Associated Press and USA Today coaches' polls, misguided as they often are, probably have a tighter grasp on reality at this point.

Things are so fluid that two BCS indexes, Peter Wolfe and Anderson & Hester, haven't even started posting weekly standings.

Wolfe's first rankings will coincide with the first BCS standings release.

Meanwhile, Anderson & Hester is just about ready to crank up operations.

"We post them after the fifth full week of games, which this season is this coming weekend," Jeff Anderson said in an e-mail statement Monday. "So we'll have our first release up by early next week."

The four BCS systems currently posting are fluctuating like last week's stock market.

Richard Billingsley and Jeff Sagarin this week both have USC and LSU at the top of their tickets — who wouldn't want to see that?

Sagarin, though, also throws us for this early loop: He has Fresno State ranked No. 52 this week and UCLA at No. 37.

Billingsley has UCLA at No. 41 and Fresno State at 42.

Excuse me, but have these computers seen UCLA's offense?

Thankfully, Fresno State and UCLA get to settle this on the field Saturday when the schools meet at the Rose Bowl.

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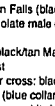

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9. Doxin: black/tan neutered male older adult.
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EASY #76

Fill in the grid so that every row, every column, and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1 through 9. That's all there is to it. There's no math involved. The grid has numbers, but nothing has to add up to anything else. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic. Find the answers for todays puzzle on page E-10.

209 General

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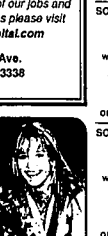

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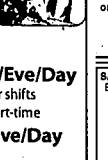

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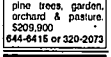

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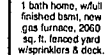

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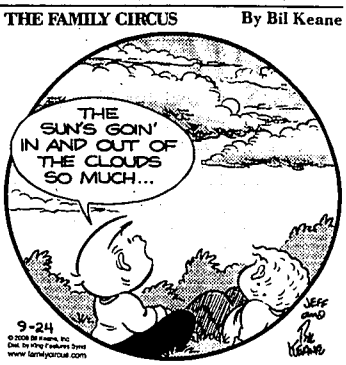

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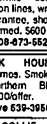

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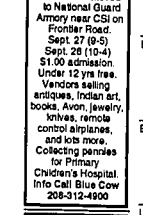

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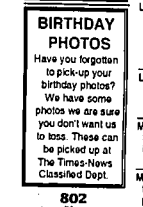

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BBQ portable $18, 2' ladder $4. Metal plant stand $8. (2) sm elect barn heaters $10 & $15. Call 423-5636.

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COUCHES (2). $60/each. 71" overshot camper for pickup, $100. Call 734-2564 or 280-2911

EQUALIZER HITCH
4 point sway control with ball and shank, used 4 times, $450. Call 1-208-539-4003

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WEDDING DRESS gorgeous, size 8, brand new with tags! Paid $1100 in CA. Will take $850. 250 gal standing fuel tank $150/offer. 539-7828

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820 Tools & Machinery

AIR COMPRESSOR 00 Grimmer Schmidt, 100 CFM Kubota diesel, trailer mount, low hrs. $4200. Call 293-5587

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AMBROSIA CORN
$2.50 per doz.
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Sweet, coreless, juice-canning, $15 bushel. Call 537-6861

GOURMET Chevon-Chivo goat meat, roasts & more. Hagerman 208-837-6523

PEACHES, Hale & Elberta & pears @ Bowman Orchard. Tues-Sat 11-6.
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WANTED Chevy '91 or '92 Cavalier Coupe 2-door, no air, 5 spd. 539-4845 or 543-4409

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Old gas pumps or gas station items. Top money paid. Tony 208-866-0274

WANTED reasonably priced feeder hay or old or moldy baled hay. Baled only will pick up. 731-0103.

WANTED Snow blower for 3 point hitch JD tractor, 87".
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WANTED TO BUY
Junk Autos,
top prices paid.
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WANTED
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823 Medical Supplies

RACSAL Heavy duty scooter, 4 wheel, new batteries, runs great, $1200 Shower transfer bench, excellent condition, $50. 543-2323 or 308-8229

824 Guns & Rifles

BERETTA Ducks Unlimited 20 gage, 686, white onyx, O/U, new, chokes, $1700.
208-539-0005

GUNS Rem 3006 auto, new $650. Win M70, 243 w/2x7 Burris new, ladies/youth, $550 & Win 120, 20ga pump w/chokes, $250. 208-734-2419 or 320-2973

T/C ENCORE PISTOLE with 45/410 barrel, $200.
734-3657 or 404-1145

WINCHESTER Model 70 300 win mag, scope, sling, dies, brass & extra cartridges $550
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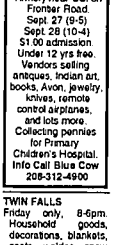
828 Garage Sales

FILER
Thurs. & Fri., 8-4pm. Twin bed, bar stool, table set, household misc., baby clothes, Shopsmith saw, curio cabinet, Singer treadle sewing machine. 21259 US Hwy 30 (W of Curry Crossing)

See Classifieds Business and Service Directory to assist you in your home repairs. 733-0931.

828 Garage Sales



TWIN FALLS FLEA MARKET
Monthly Indoor Flea Market has moved to National Guard Armory near CSI on Frontier Road.
Sept. 27 (9-5)
Sept. 28 (10-4)
$1.00 admission
Under 12 yrs free.
Vendors selling antiques, Indian art, books, Avon, jewelry, knives, remote control airplanes, and lots more.
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TWIN FALLS
Friday only, 8-6pm. Household goods, decorations, blankets, coats, welder, snow blower, auto parts, and lots of misc. 1840 Pomerelle Drive

WENDELL
Thurs., Fri., & Sat., 9am-4pm
HUGE 3 storage unit sale. Shoes, bedding, clothing, hand bags, books and misc. Everything must go. L & N Storage Units

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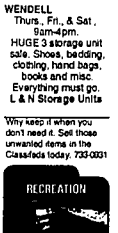

901 ATVs

CAN-AM '08 OL400 yellow, like new, 270 miles. Must sell. $5600/offer. Evenings 438-3084 or 436-9137

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901 ATVs

YAMAHA '05
350 Raptor ATV with after market exhaust. Used one year. Mint condition. $3200 or best offer. Call Marcus 208-308-8202 or 906-370-3157 in Twin Falls.

YAMAHA '91
YFM250W 4-wheeler. $1300.
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902 Motorcycles

HARLEY DAVIDSON '89 Softail, lots of extras, $8000. 208-423-9767 or 320-2681

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XR400 runs great, $2000.
208-934-8931

HONDA '04 CR 85 Expert, very clean & maintained, new rear tire, sprockets & chain, FMF exhaust & silencer, $1600/offer. 208-316-2408

HONDA '05 CRF 450 Stainless valves, stage 2 hotcam, $3700. 208-260-0085

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KAWASAKI '06 Vulcan 900, lots of extras, $4800 firm. 208-261-9485 or 532-4766

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KXF450, ridden 12 times, washed & garaged after every ride. $6300/offer. Kawasaki '02 KX250, needs front fork seals, great running, must sell, $2000/offer. Call Zach 421-2234

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31' Class A, Ideal for snowbirds, 4-Arizona & 1-Mexico camps. $19,000. 734-2858.

DODGE '77 motor home everything works, runs great, 87K orig mi. $2200/offer. 208-536-6770.

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GEORGIE BOY '99 Cruise, air, 33', 56K miles, slide out, generator, awning, AC, satellite, TV.
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906 Snow Vehicles

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SKIDOO '06 Rev X 800 159 good condition. $5500.
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YAMAHA '03 Viper Mountain 700. Rumble Pac, 156 track, 1555 mls, runs great, $3000. 410-2003

907 Travel Trailers

5TH WHEEL '83, 25', Kit Road Ranger, new refrig. AC & tires, $3795/offer.
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DODGE '07 Laramie diesel, loaded, 3000 miles w/SIERRA '07 5th wheel, loaded, used once. Part trade. 324-8056 or 731-0877

FIREBALL '86 25' In good condition. $3900/offer.
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WILDERNESS '00 24.5', 1 slide out, hitch incld, very nice, $9,998. 934-8398.

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Tuesday's Puzzle Solved

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CASSIA COUNTY
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE LOCAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 2 ASSESSMENT ROLL

The City of Burley hereby gives notice that the Burley City Council shall meet and consider, in open session, the Assessment Roll for Local Improvement District No. 2, also known as the North Burton LID, on the 7th day of October, 2008 at 7:00 o'clock P.M. at the Burley City Hall located at 1401 Overland, Burley, Idaho and will then and there hear and consider any and all objections to said Assessment Roll by the parties aggrieved by such assessments. Notice is further given that such Assessment Roll is on file in the office of the Burley City Clerk and available for public inspection and copying.

/s/Melanie Haynes
Melanie Haynes
City Clerk

PUBLISH: September 22, 23 and 24, 2008

PUBLIC NOTICE

Actions planned and taken by your government are contained in public notices. They are part of your right to know and to be informed of what your government is doing. As self-government changes all citizens to be informed, this newspaper urges every citizen to read and study these notices. We advise those citizens who seek further information to exercise their right to access public records and public meetings.

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TWIN FALLS COUNTY
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Cassleford Joint School District # 417 is accepting bids for a Bus Passenger Bus for Immediate delivery with the following options:

BODY OPTIONS:
14 Passenger with lap belts
Tinted Glass
Fire Ex't
First Aid Kit
Body Fluid Kit
Reflective Triangles
AM-FM Radio with CD Player
Heated and remote control rear view mirrors
All required emergency exits per Idaho Code
Front and rear Air Conditioning, Rear Passenger Heater

CHASSIS OPTIONS:
5.7 Liter Gas GM engine
Dual rear wheels
225/75/16 Tires
Hydraulic Brakes
124 amp Alternator
35 Gallon Fuel tank

Bids must be received by October 1, 2008, bids will be opened on October 2, 2008 and awarded October 3, 2008. If you have any questions please call Transportation Supervisor Bill Kirk for Mr. Wiseman Superintendent/Principal of Schools.

PUBLISH: September 22 through Oct 5, 2008

MINIDOKA COUNTY
NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Trustee's Sale No. 02-FMS-60775 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on December 19, 2008, at the hour of 11:00 AM, of said day, FRONT STEPS OF THE MINIDOKA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 715 "G" STREET, RUPERT, ID, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real and personal property (hereafter referred to collectively as the "Property"), situated in the County of MINIDOKA, State of Idaho, to-wit: LOT 3 IN BLOCK 1 OF JENSEN SUBDIVISION TO THE CITY OF RUPERT, MINIDOKA COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, NOW ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER, MINIDOKA COUNTY, IDAHO, RECORDED SEPTEMBER 12, 1969 AS DOCUMENT NO. 293948, MINIDOKA COUNTY RECORDS. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of **1702 H STREET, RUPERT, ID 83350**, is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by **JAMES PAWSON AND DAWN PAWSON**, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Grantor, to FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. AS NOMINEE FOR ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, as Beneficiary, dated 11/5/2007, recorded 11/13/2007, under Instrument No. 493910, Mortgage records of MINIDOKA County, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. AS NOMINEE FOR ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE OF THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which is sale is made is the failure to pay when due under the Deed of Trust Note dated 11/5/2007. THE MONTHLY PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 5/1/2008 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS TO REFLECT LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH. Amount due as of August 12, 2008 Delinquent Payments from May 01, 2008 4 payments at $900.46 each $3,601.84 (05-01-08 through 08-12-08) Late Charges: $180.08 Beneficiary Advances: $129.34 Suspense Credit: $0.00 TOTAL: $3,911.26 All delinquencies are now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The principal balance is $99,947.46, together with interest thereon at 10.650% per annum from 4/1/2008, until paid. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Anyone having any objection to the sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the same. DATED: 8/12/2008 PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC Trustee By Kara Lansberry, Assistant Trustee Officer c/o REGIONAL TRUSTEE SERVICESCORPORATION 616 1st Avenue, Suite 500 Seattle, WA 98104 Phone: (206) 340-2550 Sale Information: http://www.rtrustee.com
ASAP# 2860662
PUBLISH: September 10, 17, 24 and October 1, 2008

TWIN FALLS COUNTY
NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

T.S. No.: ID -146982-C Loan No.: 7442009494 A.P.N.: RPT55570020120A NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on 12/4/2008 at 11:00 AM (recognized local time), At the entrance to the First American Title Company Building, 260 3RD Avenue North, Twin Falls, ID., will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property and personal property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows: LOT 12 IN BLOCK 2 OF VILLA VISTA SUBDIVISION NO. 8, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN BOOK 20 OF PLATS, PAGE 22, RECORDS OF TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address sometimes associated with said real property is: **475 LACASA LOOP TWIN FALLS, Idaho 83301** Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by: **CARRIE KIMBALL AND JUSTIN KIMBALL HUSBAND AND WIFE**, as grantors, to FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY, INC. as Trustee, for the benefit and security of "MERS" MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., SOLELY AS NOMINEE FOR LENDER MERITAGE MORTGAGE CORPORATION, as Beneficiary, dated 8/8/2006, recorded 8/18/2006, as Instrument No. 2006-020845 and re-recorded , records of Twin Falls County, Idaho, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 8/9/2006. The monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds (if applicable) of 1,181.42, due per month from 4/1/2008 through 12/4/2008, and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is $143,461.97, plus accrued interest at the rate of 8.25% per annum from 3/1/2008. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges, and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Dated: 7/31/2008 FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY Dee Ortega, authorized signatory C/O Executive Trustee Services, LLC at 2255 North Ontario Street, Suite 400 Burbank, California 91504-3120 Sale Line: (714) 730-2727 ASAP# 2843224
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TitleOne Corporation
1101 W. River Street, Ste 201
Boise, Idaho 83702
(208) 424-8511
Order No.: TS0800644

MINIDOKA COUNTY
NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On the 15th day of **January, 2009,** at the hour of **10:00 a.m.** of this day (recognized local time), in the office of Land Title and Escrow, Inc., 210 G Street, Rupert, Idaho 83350, in the County of Minidoka, State of Idaho, TitleOne Corporation, an Idaho corporation, as successor trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash or cashier's check (cash equivalent), in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale in compliance with Section 45-1506(9) Idaho Code, the following described real property, situated in Minidoka County, State of Idaho, and described as follows to wit:
Township 10 South, Range 23 East of the Boise Meridian, Minidoka County, Idaho.
Section 24: Part of the NW1/4 NW1/4, more particularly described as follows:
Beginning at the Northwest corner of the NW1/4 NW1/4 of said Section 24, which shall be known as the True Point of Beginning; thence
East along the North section line for 194.00 feet to a point; thence
South parallel with the West section line of said Section 24 for 321.00 feet; thence
West parallel with the North Section line for 194.00 feet to the West section line of said Section 24; thence
North along the West section line of said Section 24 for 321.00 feet to the True Point of Beginning.
The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113, Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that according to the County Assessors office, the address of **504 South 300 West, Heyburn, ID, 83336,** is sometimes associated with said real property.
Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession, or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by **Jerald L. Cole, a married man as his sole and separate property**, as Grantor(s), to TitleOne Corporation, an Idaho corporation, as successor trustee, **Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., solely as nominee for Lender,** as Beneficiary, recorded **March 22, 2007,** as Instrument No. **489862,** and assigned to **First Horizon Home Loan Corporation** a division of **First Tennessee Bank National Association,** by assignment recorded **August 29, 2008,** as Instrument No. **498482,** in the records of Minidoka County, Idaho.
THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION
(45-1506)(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.
The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust Note, the monthly payments of $991.57, due per month for the month of May 1, 2008 and all subsequent monthly payments of principal, interest, late charges and any miscellaneous fees thereafter. The Principal Balance is $108,848.95, the current interest rate is 6.75% per annum, as of August 8, 2008. All amounts are now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.
Dated: September 16, 2008
TITLEONE CORPORATION
Successor Trustee
By: Amy L. Wilcoxson
Trust Officer

PUBLISH: Sept 24, October 1, 8 and 15, 2008

LANDS FOR LEASE
BIA ACCEPTING BIDS FOR FARM/PASTURE LEASES

The Bureau of Indian Affairs is now accepting sealed bids until NOON, on October 7, 2008 on various farm/pasture leases on the Fort Hall Reservation. Bid forms and additional information can be obtained by contacting the Bureau of Indian Affairs at (208)238-2305 or 236-2307.

PUBLISH: Sept. 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30 and Oct. 2, 4 and 6, 2008

MINIDOKA COUNTY
NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: August 22, 2008 File No.: 7104.28248 Sale date and time (local time): December 23, 2008 at 11:00 AM Sale location: outside the main entrance of the Minidoka County Courthouse, 711 "G" Street Rupert, ID 83350 Property address: **1656 19TH ST Heyburn, ID 83336** Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original trustor: **Kip L. Beltran and Annette M. Beltran,** husband and wife Original trustee: Land Title and Escrow Original beneficiary: Advanta Finance Corp. Recording date: April 30, 1999 Recorder's instrument number: 441469 County: Minidoka Sum owing on the obligation: as of August 22, 2008: $86,907.37 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: All of Lot 7 and Lot 8 Save and Except the East erly 25 feet of said Lot 8, all in Block 20 of the First State Addition to the City of Heyburn, Minidoka County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof, now on file in the office of the County Recorder, Minidoka County, Idaho. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7104.28248) 1002.96902-FEI
PUBLISH: September 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2008

MINIDOKA COUNTY
RESCHEDULED NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Trustee's Sale No. 02-FMS-62535 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on October 28, 2008, at the hour of 11:00 AM, of said day, FRONT STEPS OF THE MINIDOKA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 715 "G" STREET, RUPERT, ID, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real and personal property (hereafter referred to collectively as the "Property"), situated in the County of MINIDOKA, State of Idaho, to-wit: Township 9 South, Range 24 East of the Boise Meridian, Minidoka County, Idaho Section 20, that part of the S1/2N1/2NE1/4SW1/4NE1/4, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the Northeast corner of the SW1/4NE1/4 (Monumented by a 1/2 in rebar); thence South 0°06'03" East 165.66 feet (Recorded as 165.00 feet) along the East line of the SW1/4NE1/4; thence continuing South 0°06'03" East for 52.55 feet along said East line to a point which shall be the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; Thence South 0°06'03" East for 113.12 feet along the East line of the SW1/4NE1/4 of a point; thence South 89°48'47" West for 30.00 feet along the South line of the N1/2NE1/4SW1/4NE1/4 to a 1/2 inch rebar; Thence South 89°48'47" West for 113.78 feet along said line to a 1/2 inch rebar; Thence North 0°52'27" East for 116.64 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence South 88°46'27" East for 111.92 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence South 88°46'23" East for 30.01 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of **1713 D STREET, RUPERT, ID 83350,** is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by MICHAEL D WOLFF AND RUBY C WOLFF, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Grantor, to LAND TITLE AND ESCROW, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of HOME123 CORPORATION, as Beneficiary, dated 3/24/2006, recorded 3/30/2006, under Instrument No. 483637, Mortgage records of MINIDOKA County, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION ND TRUSTEE. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which is sale is made is the failure to pay when due under the Deed of Trust Note dated 3/24/2006. THE MONTHLY PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 2/1/2007 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS TO REFLECT VARIABLE INTEREST RATE, PLUS LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH. Amount due as of September 12, 2008 Delinquent Payments from February 01, 2007 15 payments at $ 782.44 each $11,736.60 1 payments at $800.45 each $800.45 4 payments at $809.45 each $3,237.80 (02-01-07 through 09-12-08) Late Charges: $563.14 Beneficiary Advances: $2,690.12 Suspense Credit: $0.00 TOTAL: $19,028.11 All delinquencies are now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The principal balance is $91,018.79, together with interest thereon at 9.990% per annum from 1/1/2007 to 5/1/2008, 9.250% per annum from 5/1/2008 to 6/1/2008, 9.250% per annum from 6/1/2008, until paid. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Anyone having any objection to the sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the same. DATED: 9/12/2008 PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC Trustee By Kara Lansberry, Assistant Trustee Officer c/o REGIONAL TRUSTEE SERVICES CORPORATION 616 1st Avenue, Suite 500 Seattle, WA 98104 Phone: (206) 340-2550 Sale Information: http://www.rtrustee.com
ASA# 2860469
PUBLISH: Sept 24, October 1, 8 and 15, 2008

MINIDOKA COUNTY
NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

T.S. No.: ID -146303-C Loan No.: 7402034127 A.P.N.: RP 10S23E117199A NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on 12/4/2008 at 11:00 AM (recognized local time), In the conference room of Land Title & Escrow located at 710 G St., Rupert, ID 83350 , will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property and personal property, situated in the County of Minidoka, State of Idaho, and described as follows: PARCEL NO. 1: TOWNSHIP 10 SOUTH, RANGE 23 EAST, BOISE MERIDIAN, MINIDOKA COUNTY, IDAHO SECTION II: That portion of the SW 1/4 SE 1/4, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the South quarter corner of said Section II; Thence East a distance of 220 feet along the South boundary line of said S12SE1/4; Thence North a distance of 240 feet, more or less, to the center line of the D-15 Drain Ditch of the Minidoka Irrigation District; Thence Westerly along the centerline of said D-15 Drain Ditch to a point on the West line of the SW1/4SE1/4, said point being 224.97 feet North 00°18'09" West of the South quarter corner of said Section II; Thence South 00A°18'09" East for a distance of 224.97 feet along the West line of the SW1/4SE1/4 to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. PARCEL NO. 2: TOWNSHIP 10 SOUTH, RANGE 23 EAST, BOISE MERIDIAN, MINIDOKA COUNTY, IDAHO SECTION II: That portion of the SE1/4SW1/4, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the South quarter corner of said Section II; Thence South 89°45'20" West 743.76 feet; Thence along the Southerly line of the D-15 Drain Ditch of the Minidoka Irrigation District the following courses and distances; Thence North 72 41 13" East for a distance of 402.48 feet; Thence North 75°56'54" East for a distance of 210.48 feet; Thence North 80°07'54" East for a distance of 156.64 feet to a point on the East line of the SE1/4SW1/4; Thence South 00°18'09" East along the SE1/4SW1/4 for a distance of 194.55 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address sometimes associated with said real property is: **350 WEST 400 SOUTH HEYBURN, Idaho 83336** Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by: **KIP L. OSTERHOUT AND CHERYL A. OSTERHOUT HUSBAND AND WIFE,** as grantors, to LAND TITLE AND ESCROW, INC., as Trustee, for the benefit and security of RESIDENTIAL MONEY CENTERS, INC., as Beneficiary, dated 9/10/2001, recorded 9/20/2001, as Instrument No. 455222 and re-recorded , records of Minidoka County, Idaho, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY AS TRUSTEE FKA BANKERS TRUST COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE, BY: RESIDENTIAL FUNDING COMPANY, LLC, ATTORNEY IN FACT. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 9/10/2001. The monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds (if applicable) of 853.29, due per month from 9/1/2007 through 12/4/2008, and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is $85,484.62, plus accrued interest at the rate of 9.125% per annum from 8/1/2007. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges, and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Dated: 7/31/2008 FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY Dee Ortega, authorized signatory C/O Executive Trustee Services, LLC at 2255 North Ontario Street, Suite 400 Burbank, California 91504-3120 Sale Line: (714) 730-2727 ASAP# 2843213
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MINIDOKA COUNTY
NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: September 10, 2008 File No.: 7023.17589 Sale date and time (local time): January 12, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: outside the main entrance of the Minidoka County Courthouse, 711 "G" Street Rupert, ID 83350 Property address: **119 North 4th Street East Paul, ID 83347** Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: **Ryan Lowen,** a single person Original trustee: Pioneer Title Company Original beneficiary: Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. Recording date: January 17, 2006 Recorder's instrument number: 482327 Minidoka County, Idaho Sum owing on the obligation: as of September 10, 2008: $67,224.65 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: East 50 feet of Lot 1 in Block 12 of T.E. Clark's Amended Addition to the City of Paul, Minidoka County, Idaho, according to the Official Plat thereof, now on file in the Office of the County Recorder, Minidoka County, Idaho. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7023.17589) 1002.98299-FEI
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Find it Fast in the Times-News

LINCOLN COUNTY
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
October 9th, 2008 at 7:00pm
LINCOLN COUNTY COURT HOUSE
111 WEST B STREET
2ND FLOOR COURT ROOM

PURSUANT TO ESTABLISHED PROCEDURE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT *The Lincoln County Planning & Zoning Commission* will HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING:

7:00 pm Robert Ross - Robert Ross is applying for a re-zone on 53+/- Acres in Richfield to either AS or RR2 this property is located at 1122 E 800 N and is Cowboy subdivision. The commission will send to the County Commissioners with their recommendation.

Next: Roy & Nedra Hubert - The Huberts are applying for a Conditional Use permit to split off 5 Acres for a residence.

Nth: 4 Brothers Dairy - 4 Brothers is applying for a Siting permit to increase the Dairy by 4957 Animal Units.

ANY FURTHER LEGALS OR DESCRIPTIONS CAN BE SEEN AT THE LINCOLN COUNTY P&Z OFFICE IN THE COURTHOUSE. TESTIMONY IS LIMITED TO 3 MINUTES UNLESS APROVAL OF MORE TIME BY COMMISSION. IF THERE ARE ANY PERSON(S) NEEDING SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ABOVE NOTICED MEETING, PLEASE CONTACT THE P&Z ADMINISTRATOR WITH ADEQUATE TIME TO FACILITATE TESTIMONY. (208)886-9808

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One woman's reject turns out to be another woman's prize

DEAR ABBY
Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: My friend dated someone I'll call "Joel" a few times. She said he was nice, but she couldn't get past the fact that he's 27 and still lives at home with his mom. He is also rather shy.

I ran into Joel a couple of months ago. We started chatting and I ended up asking him out. Abby, he's a great guy. He's good-looking, has a steady job, drives a new truck and has money in the bank. He calls when he says he will and never "forgets" his wallet at home. He always insists on paying for dates, and he's a good cook. And to top it off — his mom is amazing!

I have never been happier, but now my so-called friend is angry with me. Now she is telling people that I "took" Joel away from her. (She had already told him she wasn't interested in him when I asked him out.) I'm losing a friend, but there is no way I'm giving him up. Maybe this will serve as a warning to other women. Don't count a man out because one or two things bother you. Look carefully at the whole picture before you judge someone.

— HAPPY IN THE MIDWEST

DEAR HAPPY: Amen! Many a jewel has gone undiscovered until it was spotted by someone who recognized the "real thing" when she — or he — saw it. In this case, it was you. Enjoy.

DEAR ABBY: My mother-in-law is a nice person and we usually get along fine, but there are things that my husband and I feel we should have in our possession that she won't hand over. I'm talking about pictures of him when he was growing up, and a few of his favorite toys to pass on — but mostly, his birth certificate.

I'm trying my best to stay on her good side because her relationship with my husband is not very good. How can I get her to hand over the things we would like to have for our family without making it a big issue? You must know that she is super-sensitive, so this is a delicate thing. Please help.

— WANTING FOR OUR FAMILY

DEAR WANTING: Not knowing your mother-in-law, it's hard to know whether her unwillingness to share the items is because of her difficult relationship with your husband, because she is sentimental or, perhaps, because she needs to feel she's "in control." You might have better luck if you ask her if you can have copies made of the childhood photographs. That way, her family albums won't be depleted, and you can start some of your own.

As for the birth certificate, contact the department of records in the county in which your husband was born and request a copy. It's done all the time, and I'm sure they'll be pleased to oblige.

Your husband's toys are another matter. While they probably do belong with him, there may be a reason why she can't let them go. Continue to tread carefully.

DEAR ABBY: What do you think about the social acceptability of brushing one's teeth in a public restroom? I'm sure it makes no difference what type of place the restroom is in, but I'm thinking of an informal restaurant ö- one where you order food at the counter and carry it on a tray.

I'm concerned about oral health, and I'd like to brush after eating out, but I don't want to offend anyone.

— WONDERING IN ST. PAUL

DEAR WONDERING: Wonder no more. Brushing your teeth in a public restroom is acceptable as long as you make certain that the sink you were using is rinsed perfectly clean afterward.

HOROSCOPE BY JERALDINE SAUNDERS

IF SEPTEMBER 24 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: You currently have a good grip on how to succeed in business without really trying. By the end of October you could be distracted by a romantic hope or tempted to engage in a wild-goose chase. Wait until late December or early January to make crucial decisions, changes or to begin important undertakings. That is a time when you will have better judgment and will attract those who have your best interest at heart. That is a very good time to make a commitment or accept offers, although you will need to fight off the urge to burn some significant bridges.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Tighten the purse strings. With the celestial lineup being what it is, you might be temporarily alarmed by the thought that you have been running through money like leaves blowing on an autumn day.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Blatant stereotyping won't solve your problems and could possibly add to them. Your judgments may be too harsh or uninformed. Just because you have made a mistake does not mean others have as well.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Don't judge books by their covers. Those who seem overly concerned with manners and conventions might be very nice once you know them. Right now, however, you will want to keep new contacts at arm's length.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Get on with it. This is no time to hang around by the water cooler or paint your toenails. A situation might arise in which your charm doesn't seem to cut the mustard and you need to be seen as efficient.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): "Do what you like and like what you do" is a fabulous formula for happiness. You might feel that you aren't getting the enthusiastic response from others that you would like. What is important is your own response.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Don't let petty aggravations snowball into an avalanche of exasperation. You are best suited for working on your own, away from the social nexus. Concentrate on getting crucial things organized.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): People are more impressed by your efficiency than by your eagerness to please. You need to back up your smiles with an authentic performance. Additional diplomacy must be carried in your toolbox.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): The answer to life's problems is learning to live well. This, however, doesn't mean having everything the neighbors have or spending a lot of money. Reevaluate your life's ambitions and goals.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Get down to brass tacks. Throw your energies into projects that will bring concrete results. Be careful you don't compare apples to oranges when making a decision or evaluating a situation.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Wildly thrown darts find sensitive targets. You have a tendency to take general criticisms too personally, especially when you listen in on the opinions of others. Don't read too much into offhand comments.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Good fences make good neighbors. It is a good day to maintain limits; remain vigilant about personal boundaries and respectful of private property. Don't dunk your chip in someone else's dip.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Familiarity breeds contempt. Don't act overly familiar with new contacts. People seem to demand respect for the position they have achieved, so tip your hat, curtsey or just show deference where deference is due.

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Wednesday, Sept. 24, the 268th day of 2008. There are 98 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Sept. 24, 1789, Congress passed a Judiciary Act which provided for an Attorney General and a Supreme Court.

On this date:

In 1869, thousands of businessmen were ruined in a Wall Street panic known as "Black Friday" after financiers Jay Gould and James Fisk attempted to corner the gold market.

In 1929, Lt. James H. Doolittle guided a Consolidated NY-2 Biplane over Mitchel Field in New York in the first all-instrument flight.

In 1955, President Eisenhower suffered a heart attack while on vacation in Denver.

In 1958, "The Donna Reed Show" premiered on ABC-TV.

In 1960, the USS Enterprise, the first nuclear-powered aircraft carrier, was launched at Newport News, Va.

In 1963, the U.S. Senate ratified a treaty with Britain and the Soviet Union limiting nuclear testing.

In 1968, the TV news magazine "60 Minutes" premiered on CBS; the undercover police drama "The Mod Squad" premiered on ABC.

In 1976, Patricia Hearst was sentenced to seven years in prison for her part in a 1974 bank robbery in San Francisco carried out by the Symbionese Liberation Army. (She was released after 22 months after receiving clemency from President Carter.)

In 1988, Canadian sprinter Ben Johnson won the men's 100-meter dash at the Seoul Summer Olympics — but he was disqualified three days later for using anabolic steroids.

In 1988, members of the eastern Massachusetts Episcopal diocese elected Barbara C. Harris the first female bishop in the church's history.

Ten years ago: Hurricane Georges was charging toward the Florida Keys, after killing hundreds of people in the Caribbean. The government began releasing the new, harder-to-counterfeit $20 bill.

Five years ago: After four turbulent months, three special legislative sessions and two Democratic walkouts, both houses of the Republican-controlled Texas Legislature adopted redistricting plans favoring the GOP. The top candidates vying to replace California Gov. Gray Davis joined in a lively debate.

One year ago: Iranian President Mahmoud Ahmadinejad questioned the official version of the Sept. 11 attacks and defended the right to cast doubt on the Holocaust in a tense appearance at Columbia University in New York. United Auto Workers walked off the job at GM plants in the first nationwide strike during auto contract negotiations since 1976; a tentative pact ended the walkout two days later. Two kidnapped Italian intelligence operatives were rescued in a NATO-led combat operation in western Afghanistan, two days after they went missing. As many as 100,000 anti-government protesters led by Buddhist monks marched in Yangon, Myanmar.

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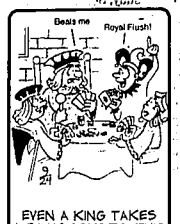

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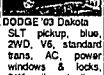

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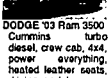

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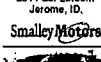

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In a London League teams match, both tables reached the normal contract of three no-trump from the South seat, and both Wests led a diamond, their most promising attack. At the first table South started on spades by leading the ace and a second spade. When West followed low smoothly, South realized that he probably needed to play the spade suit for one loser. Since it was a straight guess if the suit was 3-3, and the only doubleton honor that would help was a doubleton jack in East, he rose with the spade queen and duly finished up with eight tricks.

When it came time to score up and his teammates announced minus 400, his comment was that his opponents had obtained a swing by playing against the odds — but he was wrong.

The correct technical way to handle this spade suit is to start by leading the queen from dummy. Although this looks unnatural, it picks up half the 3-3 breaks (all that any other line does) plus it allows you to cope with any doubleton honor in East and a doubleton jack in West — much better than any of the alternatives.

So unless you know that your opponents are going to give away the show when you cash the ace and lead up to the queen, start with the queen from the board.

09-24-A

NORTH
♠ Q 10 9 8 6
♥ 9 7 2
♦ K 5
♣ A K 5

WEST
♠ J 7 4
♥ K Q
♦ Q 10 8 3
♣ Q J 7 4

EAST
♠ K 5 2
♥ J 10 6 4
♦ J 9 6 4
♣ 10 3

SOUTH
♠ A 3
♥ A 8 5 3
♦ A 7 2
♣ 9 8 6 2

Vulnerable: Neither
Dealer: South

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
1 NT	Pass	2 ♦*	Pass
2 ♥	Pass	3 NT	All pass

*New Minor Forcing, inquiring about major-suit length

Opening lead: Diamond three

BID WITH THE ACES

09-24-B

South holds:
♠ J 7 4
♥ K Q
♦ Q 10 8 3
♣ Q J 7 4

South	West	North	East
		2 ♥	Pass
?			

ANSWER: Raise to three hearts — an obstructive maneuver to rob your opponents of bidding space. Your opponents should be able to work out what to do if you pass, so don't give them the room to do that.

For details of Bobby Wolff's autobiography, "The Lone Wolff," contact kay1972@aol.com. If you would like to contact Bobby Wolff, e-mail him at bobbywolff@mindspring.com

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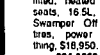

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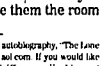

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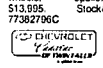

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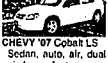

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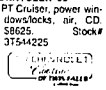

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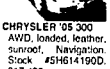

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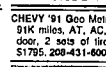

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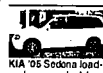

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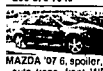

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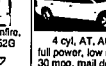

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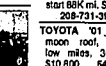

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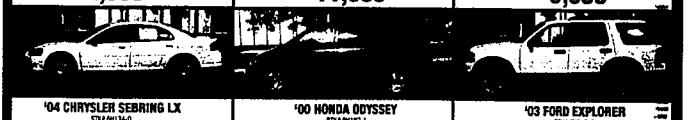

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