Does anyone know the Heimlich?

Students enjoy a late night snack Saturday night on Main Street. The cold weather made the hot sausages especially good.

ISEP students want control of money over holidays

Justin Oliver Ruen

The five candidates for Moscow City Council met last Friday at a candidate forum sponsored by the Moscow League of Women Voters. The forum featured a public question and answer period regarding the major issues of the campaign.

During the forum, Marshall Comstock and Paul Palmer, as well as challenger Tom LeClair, Mark Leeper and Gary Young. The candidates are vying for the three open seats on the Moscow City Council.

The candidates each opened with a three-minute introduction and closing statements.

However, these expenses will not be covered for students who leave.

ISEP student Paul Walke is not happy with the arrangement. "If I leave campus, there is money for food and accommodation that isn't being used," Walke said. "So why is it?"

Walke said ISEP students have paid their home universities tuition, food, and accommodation costs. With school and living expenses prepaid, universities merely swap students.

"A student from (UI) has left funds for my tuition, food, accommodation, and accommodations over the break," he said. "Someone is collecting this money, and there is no way of me claiming this fund back."

Walke says he would like to see a portion of the money used during Christmas. "It sucks that we get nothing if we go somewhere else for Christmas," he said. "We should get something."

ISEP student Mark Bibby agrees. "I don't believe contracts are (meant) to be broken. I think some flexibility is warranted in negotiating contracts."

Bibby said IPO did not provide contract details until he arrived at UI.

Bibby said (his school) Plymouth University in the United Kingdom gives ISEP students the choice to stay in a hotel, or to receive a stipend if they stay elsewhere during Christmas.

"I know the money I have paid (at Plymouth) is being used effectively, and not kept by the university," he said. "The issue of manipulation of information (at UI) is paramount. Someone is doing something with the money. We want to know what."

Walker and Bibby met last week with Robert Neuenmehnder, the study abroad coordinator at IPO, to discuss terms of the contract.

"It seems Bob Neuenmehnder has the last say in this," Bibby said. "They tell us we should stay here, and if we do not, we have to pay for accommodation and travel wherever we travel. (This) would be fair, if money was not already allocated to us."

Neuenmehnder would not comment.

Hunt participates in White House Conference on Travel and Tourism

Janet Birdsall

Professor John Hunt, department head of Resource Recreation and Tourism, joined tourism professionals from around the country to participate in the first White House Conference on Travel and Tourism last week.

"Tourism is a $4 billion retail industry. It is the second largest employer in the United States, and it is the third largest retail activity," Hunt said.

Hunt said: "I was appointed by the White House to attend the conference, where delegates worked on developing a national tourism strategy. They voted on 10 issue areas, such as travel security and safety, marketing, education and training, infrastructure, tourism products, and travel barriers. Hunt said.

"There was a big strategy on marketing, particularly to market the United States as a destination," he said. "Tourism is the only service sector with a positive balance of trade. $22 billion of money comes into the country than goes out." A service sector is any part of the economy that does not involve the sale of a physical product.

Last week's national conference delegates drafted an statement supporting a national tourism action plan to be signed by individual states.
Local

Federal official says laws require disposal of firearms

BOISE—The top federal law official in Idaho says a little-publicized crime-fighting provision of the Violent Crime Control Act of 1994 forbids anyone under a domestic restraining order from possessing a firearm or ammunition.

U.S. Attorney Betty Richardson on Friday made public a letter she has sent to judges, prosecutors, sheriffs and police chiefs in the state, making them aware of the law.

The new law says anyone under a domestic violence restraining order cannot possess or receive any firearm or ammunition. Richardson said that covers all types of firearms and ammunition, not just assault weapons and pistols.

"To be covered, someone must be subject to a restraining order and maintained them from "harassing, stalking or threatening" a domestic partner or child," Richardson said.

Richardson said she made plans to make it clear to police under restraining orders that they face federal penalties of up to 10 years in prison if they fail to rid themselves immediately of any firearms they might possess.

While there will be questions on how the law is to be carried out, Richardson said she can be dealt with by the Bureau of Alcohol, Firearms and Tobacco and local law enforcement agencies on a case-by-case basis.

—Associated Press

■ Institution established at Idaho State University

POCATELLO, Idaho—An Institute for the Advancement of Pharmacies has been established at Idaho State University.

The institute, based in the university's College of Pharmacy, will be directed by Randall Lannom, assistant professor of pharmacy administration, who recently worked as a research associate at a similar institute at the University of Minnesota.

One of the institute's first projects will be identifying a handful of pharmacies in Idaho to participate in a pilot program.

"Judges and pharmacists can detect and prevent many problems by closely monitoring patients that said Friday he recently bought the powered instrument to remove membranes and small bones. "I think it's a good idea."

Miss America seeing scarlet over Howard Stern's new book

NEW YORK—Raucous radio announcer Howard Stern has gotten the Miss America Pageant's attention since he agreed to pen his second book "Miss America."

Lawyers for Miss America, the pageant, say Stern's second literary effort infringes on the good name of the pageant held each year in Atlantic City.

The book will contain "photographs that have been called takings and that deal with subject matter having nothing to do with our clients," Attorney Barbara Solomon writes in a letter to the company publishing the book.

"We thought it was a bad idea," the book's author, said. "We make a living doing social satire and parody—and that's what he does."

Regan, president of Regan Books, who also calls herself Stern's confidante, said Stern "makes a living doing social satire and parody—and that's what he does."

Stern, a lawyer for the pageant, wrote to HarperCollins, Regan Books parent organization, explaining that it stop distribution. The book has been scheduled for release August 16.

Regan promises Stern's book, a sequel to "Private Parts," is "a lot more than the first book."

You really get to know the dark side of Howard Stern. This book really gets to Howard Stern."

—Associated Press

Announcements

Spend an evening in Beijing

The Women's Center is holding an evening called "Spend an evening in Beijing," reflecting the "Fourth World Conference on Women," held in Beijing, China, this past summer.

"The evening will be hosted by women who participated in the September conference," Anne Chizinski and Dr. Nekohkett, Jeannia Harvey, Margret von Puttkamer and Mary Titus. Winter will be the meeting held Nov. 8, 7 p.m. in Room 602 of the Agriculture Science Building.

■ Archie Phyhey Club holds meeting tomorrow

The Archie Phyhey Club will be meeting Nov. 8, 7 p.m. in room 209 in Physics. The Archie Phyhey Club is organized for the purpose of sharing personal, terminal and terminal justice majors. New members are encouraged to attend.

College Presidents hold meeting

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Wilderness issues Colloquium sponsors letters to the Congress

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■ Twin Falls is mecca for sinuses surgery course

TWIN FALLS, Idaho—Physician Gary O. Toste of Tost's Facial Plastic Surgery will give a course on "Sinus Surgery" to interested nurses.

Dr. Toste will be discussing the surgical approach to the treatment of facial trauma, sinus tracking and nasal septum deviation.

The course will be held at the Idaho State University, September 25 and 26.

O. Toste is a board certified facial plastic surgeon who has specialized in this area of medicine for years.

—Associated Press

■ Co-operative Education holds internship panel

The Co-operative Education is holding a workshop called "Local Internships: Students and Employer Pals," today from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. in the IHCC Faculty Lounge. This student and employer panel is open to all university students.

■ Free transportation to the polls

There is free transportation provided for voters, waiting to go to the polls at the Latrobe County Countries. The students will be shuttled to and from the polls.

■ Candidates meet in Food Court to answer questions

ASU is outing on a candidates forum on Nov. 9 at 6:30 p.m. in the food court. The forum is an opportunity for students to hear about the candidates and ask questions about the candidates and the issues.

—Associated Press

Rabin's death leaves settlers unsettled

JERUSALEM—Israelis are settling, once more, to praise Yitzhak Rabin's memory with public mourning, just days after his declaring they never wanted to bury him.

A Temple of Israel—from leftist to government ministers—rightists blamed the settlement movement as the househhood that bred Yigal Amir, the extremist who killed the Israeli prime minister.

Environmnet Minister Yossi Sarid warned that the movement's credibility would be undermined if it failed to distance itself from its extreme right elements.

Amir lived in a Tel Aviv suburb, but reportedly spent much of his time visiting friends in Ma'aleh Adumim, a settlement in the occupied West Bank.

Settler leaders vigorously opposed Rabin's policies of territorial compromise because of their belief in the Jewish biblical right to the land. But they were quick to distance themselves from Amir's extreme right beliefs.

The rhetoric reflected a broad belief among Israelis: that violence would encourage support for the Israeli government to concede to Palestinian demands to start dismantling some of the settler outposts.

One right-wing critic of some aspects of Rabin's policy was quick to say that the assassination had conspired that Rabin's direction was correct.

—Associated Press

Prostitution key link in China's AIDS epidemic

BEIJING—They work out of dirty little hotels, in crowded saunas and along busy truck routes.

These workers in China's new sex trade are among the world's oldest profession.

They are migrants drawn from the impoverished countryside to economically vibrant cities, and are said to be a crucial role in carrying AIDS from village to city and in spreading.

After making some money, the prostitutes go back home, an AIDS expert with the World Health Organization said.

According to a survey of 267 female prostitutes in police detention centers in the cities of Beijing, Dalian, Nanjing and Xian, about one in five were infected.

The 1993 survey—the first in China on AIDS and prostitutes—found that a few of the women sold sex full time. They resorted to the trade to augment meager incomes or, for the near-fifteen unemployed, to make a little money to buy food.

Most reported on average having had sex with perhaps one woman she had no more than 100 clients.

Wendy Weilung, the Beijing Union Medical College student who conducted the study two and a half years ago said the study thought the risk of infection was consistent or only slightly lower than those of all other sectors.

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Turkey, traveling on students’ minds as Fall break approaches

Lisa Lanning
Staff

Getting home to southern Idaho for Thanksgiving may not be as expensive as you think.

Student Advisory Services has arranged for two chartered buses to take students home to Boise or Pocatello for $25.00 for the round trip and $15.00 for one way. “You can sit back and sleep on the way home” according to Student Advisory Services.

The chartered bus programs started by a parent of a University of Idaho student who wanted a cheap and safe way for students to get home during vacations.

Mike McNulty
Staff

More than 120 student projects from around the world will be exhibited Nov. 6, at the first science and math fair held exclusively on the Internet.


“The fair is certainly the first on-line science and math fair in the Pacific Northwest,” said Microsoft senior Vice President for sales and marketing Jeff Raikes. As far as I know, WSU’s fair is the first time any university or K-12 school in the United States has attempted to host such a science fair exclusively on the Internet.”

Parents and teachers from 22 elementary and secondary schools, plus five university faculty, sponsored 129 student projects in the fair. Nils Peterson, the fair organizer, estimated an average of three students worked on each project.

Students conduct their experiments like they would for a normal science/math fair, but instead of setting up their science projects in a gym, they design computerized posters and send them to WSU on the Internet where they are posted in a virtual gallery for everyone to see.

Some of the projects have come from as far as the United Kingdom, Alaska, New York and New Mexico.

Peterson said the idea for the electronic science and math fair came from WSU graduate student and researcher Kevin Facemyer “as a quick way to launch our virtual science school.”

As the principal of WSU’s virtual school, Peterson said children need places on the Internet that are designed for children. He designed educational software before joining WSU two years ago.

The college of education believes SEE SCIENCE PAGE 7

Mike McNulty
Staff

Washington State University has launched a virtual classroom to help students and educators jump on the information highway and modernize old teaching habits.

The WSU College of Education has established the virtual classroom which displays an art gallery, history, science and math rooms as well as several course and internship opportunities for future and current teachers.

All are accessed exclusively on the Internet.

The concept of PDS is to give K-12 students, teachers, future teachers and teacher educators the opportunity to benefit from on-line learning and teaching.

In the early stages of the WSU project there may be some significant implications said WSU Provost Tom George. “Axile flight and new technology per se, students and teachers need to develop new styles,” George said. “We must change habits of mind that say education is a closed shop, offline and proximal.”

Independently motivated students who work well by themselves will adapt more easily to the on-line learning than those who depend on instructional authority said George.

Studies of Native American people, geography and weather and additional topics students will have access to. Although the program is continually being updated, the first stages of the on-line school are available at the college’s World Wide Web site at URL, http://www.educ.wsu.edu.

An on-going forum for professional educators, future teachers and faculty will give those educators and educators an idea about the on-line learning.

In the spring, WSU instructor Nils Peterson will offer “Building the on-line classroom,” a seminar about on-line instructional design.

The course will explore virtual teaching experiences and review recent literature to help teachers develop models and practices for starting a computerized class.

During 1996, Peterson believes 30 percent of the college’s freshmen will be involved with some aspect of on-line instruction. By 1999, he estimates 100 percent of freshmen and 1,000 of 1,500 faculty members will join in on the project.

More information about the Professional Development School is available from Nils Peterson at 509-335-4851, or by e-mail at nils_peterson@wsu.edu.
Local fraternity collects for food bank

Six hundred pounds of food is a lot. It was amazing to see 50 or 60 bags filled with food.

—Tim Sievers
Lambda Chi chapter president

The local Lambda Chi chapter at Idaho State University, under the leadership of President Jared Sievers, recently launched a food collection drive for the Star Valley Food Bank. The chapter, along with the Argonaut Student Weekly, collected over 600 pounds of food in less than two weeks. The drive was held in response to the increase in food insecurity among students and the local community.

The Lambda Chi chapter, along with other campus organizations, such as the Student Government Association, the Interfraternity Council, and the Women's Leadership and Services Program, collaborated to host the event. The Argonaut, a student-run newspaper, provided coverage of the drive, and the Star Valley Food Bank, a local charity, accepted the donations.

The Lambda Chi chapter president, Jared Sievers, praised the response from the campus community, saying, "It was amazing to see 50 or 60 bags filled with food. I'm grateful for the support from the Argonaut and other campus organizations." The Lambda Chi chapter was one of the many organizations that contributed to the drive, which was a testament to the strong tradition of philanthropy on campus.

This event was part of a larger effort to address food insecurity on campus and in the local community. The Star Valley Food Bank, which serves students and the local community, has seen a significant increase in demand for its services due to the ongoing pandemic and economic challenges.

The Lambda Chi chapter, along with other campus organizations, continues to seek ways to support the community and promote awareness of food insecurity. The chapter encourages other organizations to join in efforts to help those in need.
Controversy surrounds Manis as ASUI elections draw near

Andrew White

told

With the ASUI elections on the way, much of the controversy has centered around presidential candidate Christa Manis. Her position on recognition of student clubs and her competency as a residence hall leader have been in question.

According to an article published by the Cour d' Alene Press Manis gained widespread attention on the issue of sanctioning a gay club at North Idaho College. As president of the student body at NIC she consistently spoke out against giving campus status and funding to a club based solely on sexual orientation.

Christa comes across as a nice person. Once you get to work with her you get to understand her motives, she's out for herself," said Senator John Tesnholidek. "All she's done in the past few weeks in the Senate has torn us apart." Tesnholidek is currently running for Vice President.

Her stance on sexual oriented clubs has gained her attention from the local and national media, ACLU, Idaho Attorney General's office, several independent attorneys, Governor Cecil Andrus, and countless gay rights organizations.

"The Gay Lesbian Bisexual Association has concerns about the positions Manis has taken in the past. "I don't have any problem with it," said Manis. "If I win this election I am not going to jerk any funding from any group." Tesnholidek in comments by saying, "John is a good senator and has represented the students well."

Manis said that if elected Tesnholidek would be a good Vice-President and she looks forward to working with him if she is elected.

Manis was elected president of her residence hall last year. She has resigned from that position.

One of Manis' hallmates said, "Once she asked about obtaining a homescoming position, thinking that she meet as organization role, our social chair referred her to the right committees. Apparently this is not what she meant. She did not want to do anything. But she would get recognition for, when she wanted to be on the homescoming court."

Well, she was nominated this year, but I guess you know the result." Manis plans to attend law school, her first choice is UI College of Law. She said it is possible for her to attend law school and ASUI president at the same time, because under the ASUI by-laws, a student can be a member of the ASUI if the student pays ASUI fees. Law school students are not required to pay ASUI fees and most do not.

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"Eighteen months ago, leaders in each state generated ideas for a national tourism development program. They held meetings in all 50 states, and the White House compiled all the information," Hunt said.

Delegates listened to presentations on the issues, and recommendations were made. They then voted on the issues to place them in priority. Groups of delegates formed small councils to come up with strategies to fulfill the goals and recommendations of the conference.

Part of the purpose of the conference was to get better visibility and get better understanding at federal, state, and local levels," Hunt said.

"There will be legislation ready soon that will deal with some aspects of this," he said. One of the congressmen attending the conference told the delegation that he intends to introduce travel legislation based on some of the conference issues, Hunt said.

Speakers at the conference included President Clinton, Vice President Gore, U.S. Secretary of Transportation Pea, Secretary of Commerce Brown, and House Speaker Gingrich.

TOP TEN
THE TOP TEN REASONS WHY UI STUDENTS SHOULD VOTE IN TODAY'S CITY ELECTION

10. You can vote for a 1996 presidential candidate in the "CityVote" poll.
9. You can register at the polling place if you bring a picture ID and proof of residency.
8. You can catch the free bus at the SUB (see ad elsewhere in today's Argonaut), and you get a free cup of coffee at the Beanery when you return from the polls.
7. You're going to be in Moscow for the next three or four years, so you might as well have some voice in the way things are run here.
6. You forgot to vote absentee in your "hometown" election.
5. The city's noise ordinance determines how loud and how late you can have parties or dances.
4. Transportation decisions made by the City Council affect how easy it is to get around town by foot, rollerblades, bicycle, car and bus.
3. The city's Recycling Center accepts Pizza boxes.
2. You'll feel better for having done your civic duty.
1. Pam Palmer is running for re-election to the Moscow City Council!

VOTE TODAY until 8 p.m. at the Latah County Fairgrounds for Pam Palmer, an elected official worth recycling!

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Batt flatly rejects debate request from recall leader

Associated Press

BOISE—Gov. Phil Batt on Friday rejected out of hand his Republican opponent's request to debate over the nuclear waste deal with the leader of the campaign to recall him.

"Certainly not," Batt said several hours after Peter Richards renewed his request through the media for a public face-off with the governor over the Oct. 16 agreement that permits 1,133 more loads of nuclear waste to be dumped in Idaho in exchange for promises that it and most other waste be removed from the state by 2035.

The Twin Falls podiatrist, who has been an ardent opponent of storing more atomic waste at the Idaho National Engineering Laboratory, maintains Batt's deal fails to protect the environment and health of Idahoans and opens the state up to being the nation's permanent waste dump.

But Batt, who spent weeks negotiating the agreement, has maintained the deal protects Idaho from becoming the dumping ground for tons of thousands of more waste shipments because it caps the number of new shipments that can be made to the state and assures under court enforcement that waste now at the INEL will be cleaned up.

"Although personally hurt by the recall drive Richards has started, Batt has repeatedly said he believes the campaign is nothing more than a means of drawing some attention to Richards long-shot bid to unseat Republican Congressman Michael Crapo in next May's GOP primary election.

"I have no basis to debate him on," the governor said. "He isn't represented in any official manner in this. I would only be giving him the forum he desires."

Richards said he was willing to challenge the provisions of the deal not only with the governor but all his experts.

Richards has until Dec. 26 to gather 125,000 signatures to force a recall of the governor. If he achieves that goal, the recall would likely come in conjunction with the May primary and would require over 216,000 votes to oppose Batt—more than voted to elect him—before Batt would be forced out of office. The largest primary turnout in Idaho has been 205,000 in 1972.

Chenoweth denies special treatment on campaign loan

Associated Press

BOISE—Republican Congressman Helen Chenoweth on Friday denied that she received special treatment when West One Bank lent her campaign $40,000 late last year without requiring any collateral.

Chenoweth, appearing before the Idaho Press Club, said Federal Election Commission regulations did not require her to handle the transaction any differently than she did.

"I signed a promissory note," the outspoken conservative freshman said. "It is a legal loan. It is secured. No physical collateral was required....a promissory note is security."

While the Federal Election Commission has raised questions about other matters in her campaign finances, spokesman Ian Storton said no questions have been raised yet about the loan, although it was only recently acknowledged as being from a bank.

The loan, made at 10.25 percent interest last Nov. 25, was reported on subsequent campaign finance disclosure statements for over seven months as a personal loan from Chenoweth to her campaign until her campaign treasurer, Wayne Crow, admitted in February that it was actually a bank loan.

On Oct. 20, Crow finally filed an amendment to those statements, properly identifying the loan as from West One Bank but continuing to state that it was not guaranteed or endorsed and that it was not secured by any collateral or the pledge of future campaign contributions.

Under federal regulations, bank loans to campaigns must carry one of the three to guarantee repayment if the Federal Election Commission has not approved an alternative.

In every case, the candidate can receive no more favorable loan treatment than the bank than any other customer of similar creditworthiness.

Otherwise, a bank loan to a campaign could be considered an illegal contribution.

About two hours before her appearance in Boise on Friday, Chenoweth's campaign filed a second amended financial statement that declared the loan was now secured and guaranteed by Chenoweth, apparently contravening the amendment filed just two weeks earlier.

Chenoweth acknowledged that nothing had changed in connection with the loan, which is due to be repaid this Nov. 23.

Storton said the commission has not issued an advisory opinion on whether a loan secured only by the signature of the borrower complies with campaign finance regulations.

An opinion issued last year, however, did not approve the arrangement. It did note that the loan was secured by the signature of the borrower.
**Idahoans react to Rabin assassination**

Associated Press

Idahoans expressed shock and sadness after an assassin gunned down Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin in Tel Aviv.

"I think we're all a little staggered by it," said Congressman John Chenoweth said after learning of Rabin's death. "Certainly, we've lost a good leader."

"This is a real tragedy for all people who have been seeking peace," U.S. Sen. Dirk Kempthorne said.

President Bill Clinton described Rabin as tough, but "absolutely committed to bringing an end to the Middle East."

Rabin was a warrior and it was with that credibility that he told his nation that we must have peace and the bloodshed must stop. And he's given his own blood for the cause of peace," Kempthorne said.

Rabin, 73, was leaving a pro-peace rally when the shots were fired. Press reports said Rabin's alleged assailant was opposed to the Israeli-Palestinian peace accord.

"It is not universally liked. In many places in Israel, there's quite a lot of opposition to it," said Joel Stone, a member of Congregation Abavoth Beth Israel in Boise.

"It takes a great deal of courage for somebody in Rabin's position as a political figure to make the people who for generations have been enemies sit down at the table and negotiate," Alan Tol, a Boise stock broker and member of the city's Jewish community, said. Idaho has had some relations with its Arab neighbors since its independence in 1948. It's a dangerous part of the world and very volatile and there's a lot of risks there--there's no doubt about it," said former U.S. Sen. Steve Symms.

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**WEBER STATE PROFESSORS CLAIM MAGAZINE PORTRAYS UNREALISTIC IMAGE OF WOMEN**

The professors, who are Mormons and teach communication classes, said the image often featured in the magazine is of a "young, happy, white woman in a dress who is holding a baby and dishing up a meal for an under-the-weather neighbor."

"We believe that the visual images in this issue of the Ensign reflect a reality that women experience," Johnson said. "The visual images make us feel like outsiders. They make us feel marginal. And I feel like I am a pretty mainstream LDS woman."

**CHENOWETH**

"I think the banks have to make individual judgments, and the bank did that. Chenoweth said. "I was not a rich man because I dried public. I think that the $40,000 signature loan was based on my ability to pay and my willingness to pay."

But to end any criticism of the financial transaction, Chenoweth said again on Friday that she was negotiating a second mortgage on her Boise home to cover the campaign loan. That bill should be finalized later this month, she said. The latest amendment to her campaign finance disclosure statement also made a myriad of changes from the declaration filed three months earlier. It declares as paid bills that were listed as outstanding debts on the original midyear report and eliminates the reported payment last January of $4,000 in taxes.

A $1.675 bill for advertising in the Idaho Senior News that was carried as an outstanding debt in the original midyear report was dropped completely from the amendment. The bill was apparently incurred last fall, based on previous reports, and while Idaho Senior News publisher Owen Krakor said it was paid last fall, that payment was not included in any of the subsequent reports.

**Congratulations to the NEW MEMBERS of Alpha Gamma Delta!**

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Ari Crutcher
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**News**

**Forum designed to create anti-extremism coalition**

Associated Press

BOISE—A Saturday forum on hate groups and political extremists will be used to launch a new state movement.

The Idaho Anti-Extremism Coalition would be modeled after a similar group in Montana. The Montana Anti-Extremist Coalition was formed last August, led by Hamilton Municipal Judge Martin Belbel and Butte Local Development Corp. director Evan Baren
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Idaho organizers include the Idaho Democratic Party, the Idaho Women's Network, the Northwest Coalition Against Hate and the American Civil Liberties Union.

"We're getting a move on," said Idaho coordinator for the Northwest Coalition Against Hate, "but their ideology makes them a part of the movement."

Right now the anti-extremist groups are very isolated, and we want to help pull them together for a very specific cause," state Sen. Bob Andrews said of a group spokesman Roger Hill said.

Billied as a "briefing" on hate groups, the movement will be held at Boise State University.

Speakers include Bill Wesnutt of Seattle, executive director of the Northwest Coalition Against Hate, and the Azdaya Nations while he was a Roman Catholic priest at Cour d'Ales.

Jonathan Mazzochi of Portland, executive director of the Coalition for Human Dignity; and Tanio Ramirez of the Western States Center.

One target countries that the new coalition was whipping was to fall Idaho militia members targeted by the departments noted; attractiveness and the electronics.

"They failed eliminating illustrations of Jesus Christ and LDS General Conference pictures for the male dominated because of a pre-dominancy of male leaders in the church."

"Even without those pictures, they found 41 percent of all the photographs and illustrations in the Ensign represent men, compared to 17 percent for women. The other 42 percent were of both men and women."

**SCIENCE**

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the Virtual fair will help "serve both the dwindling American student competence for science and mathematics and an impending shortage of well-prepared scientist, mathematicians, engineers and teachers of those technical fields."

"The fair is a significant advance in making science and mathematics work for today's students," said Ralph Lott, director of the Idaho Education Department.

Participants in the college are also developing an interactive Lewis and Clark exhibit on the Internet. Their intention is to recreate the drama of the explorers and allow students to correspond with the members of the Lewis and Clark party as they travel across the Northwest.

In addition, the college is sponsoring an on-line social studies fair called the Washington State History and Peoples Expo. The event will include exhibits in geography and map-making, as well as journal writing, essays, papers, the-}
Court says license suspension does not bar other charges

DOISEL—A 90-day suspension of a driver’s license does not bar subsequent prosecution for drunken driving, the Idaho Supreme Court says.

The court on Friday unanimously rejected the arguments of a 29-year-old man that once the state suspended the license of Joaquin Talavera after he was charged with drunken driving, it couldn’t later prosecute him for the driving charge.

That would be double jeopardy, or pun-ishing him twice for the same offense, the appeal claimed.

The court’s decision impacts eight other cases, all pending before the courts of appeals on the same ground.

Justice Gerald Schroeder wrote that the purpose of the administrative license sus-pension, once a person is charged with drunken driving, is to prevent society and not punishment of the accused.

The Double Jeopardy clause of the Fifth Amendment of the U.S. Constitution bars multiple punishments from a single act.

The court ruled that taking a driver’s license for 90 days is remedial, not pun-ishment or a deterrence. The purpose of the statute is to protect other drivers by quickly revoking the driving privilege of those persons “who have shown themselves to be safety hazards” by driving with “illegal levels of alcohol in their sys-tem.”

Therefore, a 90-day administrative license suspension is not punishment for double jeopardy purposes, and Talavera can be prosecuted for driving under the influence in addition to the adminis-trative license suspension.

Talavera also appealed under a state law, Section 18-801 of the Idaho Code, which forbids double jeopardy.

But the court noted that the adminis-trative license suspension law was passed later and specifically allows an adminis-trative license suspension and suspension-imposed as punishment for driving under the influence.

Talavera’s case was put on hold while the Supreme Court expedited a decision on his appeal. The case was sent back for disposition of the drunken driving charge.

In another decision released Friday, the Supreme Court overruled 5th District Judge Daniel Herbst and dismissed a legal action filed by two canal companies against rules adopted by the state Department of Water Resources. The Twin Falls Canal Co. and North Side Canal Co. filed action in Herbst’s court seeking to void administrative rules which forbids double jeopardy.

Herbst denied the department’s motion to dismiss, but it was overturned by the Supreme Court. The court said last year, the Legislature amended rules for the Idaho-Nevada Water Rights Act in Herbst’s court, and specifically removed the Department of Water Resources as a party.

Associated Press

Man who posed as wife talks about his marriage on Inside Edition

SALT LAKE CITY—A man who posed as a woman during a 1 1/2-year marriage claims his sup-posed wife knew of his true gender shortly after they took their vows.

In an interview with Inside Edition to air Monday, Felix Urioste said Bruce Jensen knew beyond a shadow of a doubt that he was actually a man.

“He knew...there was no doubt whatsoever that he did know,” Urioste said.

Urioste, 34, pleaded guilty to one count of counterfeiting evidence and one count of forgery for signing Jensen’s name to a fake advance from Household Finance Co. He was sentenced last month to a year in jail and ordered to pay a $1,000 fine plus restitution to Jensen, who said he believed Urioste was a woman named Laura.

Urioste, posing as a woman, mar- ried Jensen in 1991 in Lyman, Wyo., and they lived together in Bountiful, Utah. Davis County prosecutors said Urioste has left Jensen’s testicles removed and tricked Jensen into marrying him by claim-ing to be pregnant with twins.

Jensen, 39, told Inside Edition that Urioste’s statement that he knew he was a man is “a lie, a flat out lie...I didn’t know.”

He said police told him Urioste was acting as a legal resident of Idaho in June for using credit cards in the name of Laura Lee.

“That put them right down the floor,” said Jensen, who has been described by prosecutors as naive and sincere.

It was “the worst feeling I’ve ever felt in my life,” Jensen said. “At first I didn’t believe and then you know they verified it to me and told me that he has been doing this for years as a woman.”

Urioste, who has decided to live his life as a man, said that since his arrest he has fished as though a weight was lifted from his shoulders.

Associated Press

Former ward now investigator for child-welfare agency

CHICAGO—Ricky Echevarria remembers what it was like to be 12 years old and afraid to tell a child-welfare worker the truth—that his alcoholic mother beat him.

Now at age 26, he is a survivor who has come full circle. He is a child-welfare investi-gator himself, using his experience to serve others. “I think I’m more sensitive to the fami-ly dynamic because I’ve been through it. I don’t want anybody else to go through all that stuff, if possible.”

Echevarria’s job is deciding whether homes are too dangerous for the children living in them.

But during his unannounced visits on the South and southeast sides, he always leaves behind a note inviting in instead of demanding entrance. He remembers what it felt like to have stranger probing his family’s affairs.

“Ricky kept denying and denying because he was very protective (of his alcoholic moth-er) and also afraid,” said Hector Aviles, a case worker with the Department of Children and Family Services when Ricky was a boy.

Aviles kept at it, eventually persuading the youngster to accept his help.

“The hardest thing was going to the judge and telling him my mom beat me,” Echevarria said. “Baldly, I got to tell the truth, so I didn’t want to lie.”

Now, 14 years later, Echevarria tries not to judge people and never assumes that a report of abuse or neglect is true until he has proven it false.

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Vietnam to release, deport two jailed Americans

Associated Press

HANOI, Vietnam—In a rare gesture of goodwill, Vietnam plans to release and deport two Vietnamese-Americans who have been jailed for two years for helping to organize a conference on democracy.

Nguyen Tan Tri of Houston, Texas, and Tran Quang Liem, whose hometown was not known, will be expelled before midnight Monday (Sunday EST), the official Vietnamese News Agency said Sunday in a three-sentence report.

"The decision was made proceeding from the Vietnamese government's goodwill and in response to the American government's request," it said.

The U.S. Embassy was closed Sunday and official claims could not immediately be reached for comment.

The unusual release comes on the eve of the arrival of an American delegation that will discuss measures to improve trade and economic cooperation. Some of the proposals have political conditions.

Tri, Liem and seven Vietnamese were convicted Aug. 12 of attempting to overthrow the government by organizing the aborted 1993 conference in Ho Chi Minh City. Tri was sentenced to seven years in jail and Liem to four years, while the Vietnamese participants were given terms ranging from four to 15 years.

The convicts, coming just one week after Secretary of State Warren Christopher opened a U.S. Embassy in Hanoi, were seen as a reaffirmation of the Communist leadership's determination to resist Western pressure for political liberalization.

Vietnam's leaders have signaled their eagerness for U.S. technology and investment but insist they have no intention of imitating Russia and East Europe in moving away from Communism.

They are especially wary of Vietnamese-Americans, many of whom they consider agents of the U.S. government.

* SEE VIETNAM PAGE 11
State superintendent of public instruction wore bullet proof vest

Associated Press
OLYMPIA, Wash.—Judith Billings never imagined that, as state superintendent of public instruction, she would have to wear a bulletproof vest to work. The threat began in 1993, when a former Billings' campaign worker was laid off from his job in building maintenance.

She started getting threatening letters, some with bullets in the envelopes. "I didn't answer the door at night. I watched every overpass on my way to and from work," Billings told The Spokesman-Review of Spokane in an interview published Sunday.

"I awoke many times in the middle of the night, unable to get back to sleep with the threats running over and over again through my mind."

But, she changed the locks at her office, but still arrived at work one morning to find every chair had been moved and every drawer had been opened.

"I felt like a prisoner in my own office, but even that sanctuary was threatened by entry in the night, sending this unsettling message: 'I can get to you. You are not safe anywhere.'" Phillip Harrison, 62, of Lacey, pleaded guilty Oct. 20 to two counts of felony harassment. He was sentenced in Thurston County Superior Court to 30 days in jail, 30 days of home detention and 240 hours of community service. He also must receive counseling and stay away from Billings' home and office for five years.

Harrison said he did not stalk Billings and pleaded guilty to the charges only to avoid an expensive trial.

Harrison lost his job to budget cuts in June 1993. Billings approved the dismissal but did not deliver the news personally.

Harrison was angry and called Billings, telling her, "If I'm going down, I will take you with me. I do consider this revenge and a pay back," court records show.

Then, a card arrived in the mail with a homemade button that said "Eliminate Judith Billings."

Billings, 55, contacted the State Patrol. Harrison admitted mailing the threat, but said he meant no harm.

Then the bullets started arriving. In November and December of 1994, Billings received envelopes at her home and office with threatening and obscene messages. The envelopes contained live .38-caliber bullets.

She said, "You turned your back on all your friends. You killed many without using a bullet... You don't deserve to live," court records show.

Two weeks before Christmas, this message arrived at her home, "Make peace with your friends if you have any...they can't watch you forever."

Troopers searched Harrison's home and found another handwriting threat to Billings, a book called "The Art of Getting Even," and a sheet of paper with adhesive letters spelling "STALKING." They also found a file card with Billings' home address, telephone, fax and mobile phone numbers and the make, model and license plate number of her car.

DNA material found on the envelope mailed to Billings matched DNA from a blood sample from Harrison, court records show.

Billings is serving her second term as superintendent. She said she knew public life would be hard and that she would be criticized for her decisions and policies. But she never imagined she would come to fear for her life.

"She would go out the door to work in the morning, and there would be days I wondered if I would ever see her again," said Don Billings, her husband of 23 years. "I felt so helpless."

They added security lights at their Puyallup home. Troopers guarded her at home and work and had her change her routes to and from her office. State employees, fearing a bomb, evacuated the public instruction building when an unusual package arrived.

"It has an incredible chilling effect if I or any other public official must worry about our personal safety as a result of making tough decisions,'" Billings said. She would like an apology from Harrison to know that "he's worked through it." But she still feels afraid sometimes.

"I always close my drapes at night, now, even though my home is in the woods, and there's really no reason to," Billings said.

"Your whole sense of security is violated. There is that recognition, and it's awful to think that."

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Magic Valley residents grilled on view of Lewiston killings

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TWIN FALLS, Idaho—Twin Falls-area residents are being asked if they would accept Kenneth Arrasmith, accused of killing a couple in Lewiston because he believed they sexually tortured his daughter.

"You want my opinion?" William Leedom asked court officials Thursday. "The man is not guilty."

Defense lawyer Craig Maxman reminded the pool of 67 that Leedom was correct, in a manner of speaking. Arrasmith is innocent until proven otherwise, he said. Leedom was dismissed.

RABIN *FROM PAGE 7*

Those who mourn Rabin hope his dream of peace will be realized. "I think it's still going to go forward, but I think this is a real loss to the whole process," Symon said.

"American Jews have strong emotional ties to Israel and what happens in the Middle East and we share with everyone the hopes that this will not stop the peace process," said Daniel Stern, president of Boise's Jewish congregation. Stern says Rabin envisioned an Israel free, democratic, and at peace with its neighbors.

VIETNAM *FROM PAGE 11*

whom fled in 1975 when the South Vietnam government fell and remain committed anti-Communists.

By releasing Tran and Liem, however, the government is making a rare compromise, apparently in the interests of furthering goodwill in Washington. The Republican-controlled Congress has been harshly critical of the Democratic administration's rapprochement with Vietnam.

The proposed international conference on development and democracy was organized by the Movement to Unite the People and Build Democracy, a small, little-known Vietnamese group. Nguyen Dinh Huyn, an intellectual, founded the group in 1992 after being released from 17 years in a prison camp, and said its goal was to promote a peaceful transition to pluralism and democracy.

Huyn was sentenced in August to the stiffest term, 15 years. An American lawyer who was helping organize the conference, Stephen Young, was expelled at the time.

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Meanwhile, additional security measures are in store for the high-profile case at the Nez Perce County Courthouse, trial administrator Steve Caylor said.

Food, transportation and lodging for the jurors will cost the county at least $14,990, Caylor said. That does not include security officers and other workers.
Outdoor photography good hunting

Jerrl Lake

One season's end is a reminder to prepare for the next. As we clean and prepare this season’s sporting equipment for storage, we also prepare our next season’s equipment for use.

Early November also marks the end of general elk and deer seasons. Some units for deer will close December 1. Archery and muzzleloader late deer and elk seasons are open in some units during December. Check the regulations for units and closing dates.

While we reminisce about the hunting trips we took, we wish the season would not end. We realize archery, rifle and muzzleloader seasons only account for three months of the year. However, the trials aren't over.

You can have more fun, if you change to a camera. You can hunt all year with no season, no bag limits and all species can be taken. You can have this for the “Big One” and let it get away.

Hunting with a camera requires all the physical and mental skills needed during archery or rifle season. A photographer has to be quick, hunt down wind, be sneaky and stay out of sight just like when hunting for game. If you do not have a high-powered double-lens, you will use all these skills and more, to get close enough without spoiling your game.

Different times of the year will provide challenges for both you and your equipment. During the dry months, the weather is rainy and sometimes hot, making it hard to sneak up on game. The wet months make the ground quiet for walking, but can keep your clothes damp and you cold.

The snow can be powdered and quiet, or wet, frozen and crunchy. Each of these seasonal conditions are challenges for us. However, they be a challenge to your camera equipment.

A photographer cannot carry any film of the time of year. Dust can cause spots on your film or can make your camera malfunction and scratch your lenses or view finder. Make sure the inner metal parts, fog the view. Under the case and make the electronic go bad. During winter, the moisture can cause frost, moisture inside or under the layers. Cold weather also shortens the life of batteries. Some cameras use more than one kind, so bring plenty of extras of each kind needed.

Part of your camera equipment should be a bulb blower/brush or canned air to remove unwanted dust. Dust inside up of fine sand like particles. They should not be removed by wiping, as this can scratch the glass areas of your camera or lenses.

Try to keep your camera shielded from any rain, fog or snow. If your camera does get wet, you can make your camera malfunction and ruin your equipment. If it is really important shot, bracket this shot by repeating the shot with one step above this and one step below. One or more of the pictures should be good. Film and processing is cheaper than losing the picture for a great shot.

Experiment with this procedure until you find what works for you.

Winter is almost here and can provide us with many beautiful opportunities to photograph. The striking colors of wildlife standing out against a white background can be exhilarating. Frozen waters with their ever-changing shapes and leafless trees stretching their fingers like branches skyward are just a few examples to look forward to.

The lower Salmon river earlier this fall.

Jennifer Swift

Outdoors photography good hunting

Keep hiking in warm clothes this winter

Erik Marone

Just because the skies have been colder and the days not much warmer, it doesn't mean you have to put the backcountry gear away until next spring. With a little planning and some extra precautions you can hit the trails year round.

Most importantly, you need to keep warm. Hugh McManus, author of a number of books on camping and hiking recommends a four-layer system for cold weather. The system is designed to let you shed or add layers as you get warmer, or as the climate permits.

The first layer, which is closest to the skin, should be a cotton vest or long-sleeved thermal top that is close-fitting, but not restrictive. It should be made of a material that will pull, wick, moisture away from the skin.

The second layer needs to be loose-fitting, but made to keep the neck and wrist warm. The third layer can be a woolen pullover or light fleece jacket. This should be the first layer to go if you start to overheat.

The fourth layer is a wind-resistant garment that allows you to vent it so you won't overheat. If you are hiking uphill, you need a little light, waterproof shell can be put on this layer if it isn't water resistant enough to shed the moisture.

When it comes to covering your lower body, undergarments can generally be cotton shorts, until you anticipate below freezing temperatures or long periods of inactivity, in which case you should wear “longjohns” style thermal under-wear, with elastic ankles. If you will be icing creek or in areas of extensive wet snow, water resistant latex patches protect that area from windchill.

Overpants should not restrict movement and be made of a fabric that will dry quickly in case they get wet. Waterproof outer pants are not recommended, they will not let your skin breathe, causing discomfort and chaffing. When hiking in snow, outer pants should be pulled over the tops of your boots to prevent snow from falling into your feet.

When looking at fabric types, there are a number of things to consider. Wool is all natural, it will retain heat when it is saturated with water, but when it tends to absorb moisture and becomes fairly heavy when wet. Wool also takes a while to dry, and tends to shrink when washed. Cotton is durable and washable, but as it is primarily used for the layer next to the skin, it gets heavy and so will it if it doesn't do its job well. Fleece or pile fabrics are also durable and hold heat well, but wet moisture away from the body. Fleece does not compress easily, making it difficult to pack. Synthetic fabrics such as Gorexex and Tyvek are generally windproof, water resistant, and let skin heat escape, making it the ideal outer layer. The only drawbacks to these synthetic fabrics is when the heat is dirty, the pores become clogged and condensation will form inside the garment.

So vote, vote, vote. A thin layer soak made of breathable fabric will wicked moisture away from the foot and help absorb blister-causing friction. A thick, padded outer sock will provide more cushion and insulation. Winter-weight loop-stitch socks are made wonderful outer socks, but be sure to wear a lightweight sock over them to prevent from excessive wear and tearing.

Gloves should be comfortable, with a liner that will wick moisture from your hands. A windproof liner provides extra protection from cold and wind.

Other accessories to consider, depending on the climate and terrain you will be hiking is to include gaiters, balacicas and glove liners, all of which help protect you from the elements and keep you warm.

Smart dressing can keep you on the trail year round. Don't be afraid to check your gear, find out what could have been a great weekend getaway.
Wow...I could win a snowboard?

Am Allemard and Garret Kasten check out the Warren Miller film display in the Student Union. Wednesday's film showing and Tuesday's ski swap are fundraisers for the UI ski team.
Campus Recreation held their annual Palouse Turkey Run last Saturday with 28 runners finishing the 5 mile course. (see photo above) Bob Stephens finished first overall with a time of 31:22 (bottom right photo). The top female winner was Susan Clark with a time of 39.06. (top right photo). Campus Recreation also held a drawing for a turkey at the event and the winner was Gwen Lyons.

If you would like to see more photos of the race check out the Palouse Runner’s Network Homepage at http://www.uidaho.edu/~ronrobb.

photos by Bush Houston
Chenoweth wrong about abortion

Our illustrious Representative Helen Chenoweth recently elivered a plea to Congress—somewhat fittingly—Oct. 11, Halloween (I've gotta wonder if it was given at midnight). In her address, Chenoweth declares her support for an amendment which would prohibit U.S. tax dollars from supporting lobbyists in foreign countries who encourage legal reform concerning abortion.

Chenoweth says this amendment to a foreign aid bill is necessary because it "is another application of the wall of separation principle between abortion and U.S. tax dollars." This is an understandable position given the fact that the abortion question here in the United States remains far from being fully decided.

However, I believe Chenoweth fails to consider some basic receipts about abortion. First, abortion is legal here in the United States. Second, the world will soon face a problem of overpopulation, not overpopulation. Third, countries (often impoverished, third-world countries) which have outlawed abortion create insurmountable problems for their citizens—namely, not allowing their citizens to make choices about having children with regard to economic, emotional and moral concerns.

We can argue all day long about the moral implications of abortion, but the fact remains that the United States Supreme Court decided questions about abortion are best answered by the person who is pregnant—not by society. If this decision is somehow overturned, foreign policy should be guided by what is legal and not by the emotional pleas of a few members in Congress.

Like it or not, we can no longer continue to bury our heads in the sand and continue to hope the looming problem of overpopulation will somehow magically disappear. The time has come to be more pragmatic about our beliefs of what is right and what is wrong. Will sticking to the guns of a moral belief that abortion is sinful end up saving more lives than will be destroyed when the world suddenly finds it does not have enough food to support the human race?

Anti-choice advocates often cite a popular figure concern- ing the ethics of the portion which has taken place in the United States since Roe v. Wade in 1972. Here's a question to consider: how much sooner would overpopulation occur if these millions of babies had been born?

The continued suppression of reproductive choices in the United States is the cruelest of all, in optimizing the world's population and conserving our precious resources. We either begin to solve the problem now, or we try to solve it after the

**SEE CHENOWETH PAGE 16**

The winter of my discontent

As I walked across campus early on the morning, the air was crisp and cold, the blades of grass were covered with frost and bright sunlight shone across the barren earth. I was struck with a terrifying thought.

Winter is coming, and there's not a damn thing I can do about it. All of the prayer, fasting and virgin sacrifices were for naught. Winter's here, and I'm completely helpless.

I awoke from my hibernation, feeling the warmth of the sun on my face. Winter will not go away, but not for lack of sheer will on my part. So I'll face the impending doom which comes each season. Not only will I face it, I'll be foolish enough to embrace it.

But let it be known that this embrace is not by choice. This embrace is me hugging the side of a ski slope after unceremoniously crashing on the medieval torture device commonly referred to as a snowboard.

Yes, this year, like several years past, I will be stupid enough to let someone talk me into not eating a day of real, high-time fun on the mountain. You'd think that some near face plants and near-broken bones, I'd have the sense to stay home and be wise. But nooo.

I try to protest, I really do, but one of my friends rubs it in so hard that I go just to shut him up.

I figure I can just stay in the lodge all day. Maybe in the middle. Oh, I'll try the top just once. And so it goes, a day of cold and misery for what? A very black, blue and swollen knee. A sore butt. A red, windsburned, frostbitten face. Business as usual, which I didn't think could actually be continued.

And the worst part of all, I mean the really, really bad part—dozens of cold-haired snowboarders who give zip past me at the speed of light while I try to maintain whatever dignity is possible when one's head end is pointed directly upwards and one's face is buried in powder.

So this season I implore you, please let me just sleep through it all. Drop off your donations of cookies, chocolate and firewood at my door—I don't think it matters anymore, just put a few pointers on her attention.

Maybe you could buy her a cup of cocoa, too.

**SEE GAIN PAGE 10**

Loss of UI engineering 'prestige' is the state's gain

Brian Davidson

What is this I hear about a "takeover" of the University of Idaho, the university that you attend? The way some of you are talking, there makes it sound like I made an important decision I was never asked to make and for which I was never found guilty.

If you want to make a connection on the two new engineering buildings delayed because workers were mounting gigantic steel sheets and axes to the buildings, by the way, they're actually moving to Boise. This is, of course, not true. I have classes in McClure Hall, and as far as I can see, there's nothing on a block schedule that would move that building.

"Mom!!" You can hear me yelling it sometimes as I sleep. "It's the school and I'm happy here!" If I went there, I'm sure I'd be a better student!"

"Oh, non, non, non!!" Does anyone really think the "prestige" of the University of Idaho is a good idea? What is wrong with having two engineering schools in the state? For as far as I can tell, there is nothing written in the Ten Commandments which says, "Thou shalt not duplicate university programs." As far as I'm concerned, having two engineering schools in the state will do nothing but benefit the state of Idaho.

For instance, Boise—unlike Moscow—has an industrial base which would benefit from the presence of a local engineering program, such as Micron Technologies and Hewlett-Packard.

Before you whine about "boom and bust" and "importing the talent," you need to understand that industry would also be a benefit to the engineering program, bringing not just students, but engineering graduates.

If schools and industry can work closely together to train their new engineers and employees, don't we all benefit from the school and industry benefit from such close cooperation? Job placements after all, is a primary goal of universities. What's wrong with a little cooperation? That's what all the "prestige" is about.

And don't talk to me about politics in the deal-doing business. If it hadn't been for politics, Moscow wouldn't have been selected as the home of the University of Idaho in the first place. You got a look at the Idaho Business Journal recently? The state of Idaho has the university in Moscow which is ranked number one in the nation in the very important realm of the ten.

Unfortunately, the folks in the state have decided to move UI from Idaho Falls to Moscow so as to keep the pan-handle as part of the state. Washington State University was placed in Pullman for much the same reason. So, at the founding of the university in 1889, through compromise and political wrangling, Idaho kept the pan-handle and placed its first university as far away from the state's most populous areas as far as they possibly could.

So don't whine about politics in the loss of UI Boise engineering, because Moscow still holds more than seven-eighths of the pie. That's better than no university at all.

Or is it?

Though the point is moot, and through I know I will offend just about everybody in Moscow, let me point out what placing the university here has cost the state.

Let us consider, for a moment, that the university had stayed in its original home, Idaho Falls. When the Atomic Energy Commission (now the Department of Energy) chose the Arco desert as the site of its newest nuclear test facility in the 1950s, UI could have helped blaze the trail in researching new nuclear technology.

But nuclear technology is Bad. Or so we say. If it's Bad, consider what the university's presence could have done in 1959: Idaho Falls would have had a better chance of landing Micon Technology's $1.1 billion computer chip plant, thus creating thousands of non-nuclear related jobs in the area.

Had the city landed the plant, the resulting economic boom would have been a powerful bargaining chip to use against DOE and Navy threats. Jobs at the Idaho National Engineering Laboratory. Maybe there 1,100 shipments of nuclear waste wouldn't be
Taxpayers should not fund foreign lobbyists

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U.S. Rep. Helen
Chenoweth (R-Idaho) made the following
statement on the House
floor (Oct. 3) concerning
a House/Senate conference report on
foreign aid appropriations.

"This debate is about more than just
family planning in China or other coun-
tries. This debate is about the United
States of America and a consistent policy
that has been established from the begin-
ing of this country and has been held
forth until now.

"But through a weakening of the com-
milestone and the resolve to never, never
allow for public funding for abortions,
especially overseas, just through the
rhetoric and through a potential treaty,
that consistent policy could be seriously,
seriously diminished.

"Mr. Chairman, we take great pride in
the fact we have established a new vision
for America, and we have begun to estab-
lish a new trust for this Congress by lay-
ing out promises that were made promis-
es that were kept. And I think in all cases
we ought to be able to say to the
American people, "This is a promise that
we have made, and we will make it into
the future; that we will not be this kind
of foreign policy that shall be initiated.'"

"Mr. Chairman, the kind of fears are
raised by the opposition on this issue. For
instance, they claim that this is a gag rule.
Well, the prohibition on lobbying activi-
ties contained in the Callahan amend-
ment, like the virtually identical provi-
sion the House passed as an amendment to
the authorization bill, is another appli-
cation of the wall of separation principle
between abortion and U.S. tax dollars.

U.S. Representative
Helen
Chenoweth

"Specifically, it makes clear that U.S. funds
should not subsidize non-governmental or-
anizations which will violate
other country’s laws on
abortion or which
actively work to deter
mine the laws of a foreign country with
respect to abortion.

"Mr. Chairman, the pro-abortion forces
have once again curtained the classic old
slogan that any restriction on U.S. tax
dollars for lobbyists is a gag rule. But
there is no gag rule. This amendment
does not affect counseling. It does not
affect medical advice. It merely applies
the wall of separation principle to abor-
tion lobbying.

"It says to organizations on both sides of
the abortion question that they have
choices to make about what businesses
they are going to be in, but if they want
to provide family planning service, they
have family planning money, and that
happens to the tune of about $85
million last year.

"But if they want to be a foreign lobby-
ist, they must get funding from somebody
other than the U.S. taxpayers. The
Callahan amendment, which I strongly
support, recognizes that money is fungi-
able and that U.S. taxpayers do not want
their money going to organizations
actively engaged in nothing less than cul-
tural imperialism for their own profit.

"Mr. Chairman, I hope that my col-
leagues will agree with me that estab-
lishing the laws of another country con-
cerning the legality or illegality of abortion
is not one of the United States' foreign poli-
cy objectives. I encourage all of my col-
leagues, from both sides of the aisle, to
vote with me in support of this amend-
ment. Thank you."

"If we want to get to the end of poverty
and one of the peoples people often begins this argu-
ment with is one which asks to help the
children who are in primary schools. 
We must put into the hands of the impoverished
options which will help them to escape that
condition. Lack of birth control and no
access to family planning certainly will not
help them. Having children costs money,
limits and energy.

"I am not saying we should offer abortion
as a primary form of birth control—It should be
the last option of choice in the vast array of
family planning services. We have the ability
of extending choices to third world citizens.
Abortion should be available because birth
control is fallible—It does not work 100 per-
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—Alton Wright

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Tuesday, November 7, 1995
The Sydney Morning Herald, Sydney, Australia, on the United Nations:

There is more reason for hope than despair in the United Nations. Although its first 50 years have been disappointing, it is needed. The U.N. did not prevent war in Korea, but it has supervised cease-fires and democratic elections. The U.N. did not stop the genocidal regime of Pol Pot, but it has helped stop the fighting in Cambodia and the process of reconstruction there.

Created with such high hopes in 1945, the United Nations has never been able to do as many of its tasks perfectly. Despite its existence, sensible things have occurred. But it is unquestionably helped prevent worse things happening. Even in the darkest days of the Cold War, it provided the stage for the great powers to achieve some measure of cohabitation without conflict. And, however imperfectly, it has provided the framework for resolving conflicts between a host of smaller nations.

Arab News, Jiddah, Saudi Arabia, on the United Nations:

As the United Nations begins to celebrate its 50th birthday, one commentator said: "If the U.N. didn't exist today, would it be necessary to invent it?"

With a supranational organization like the U.N., where oversight and accounting procedures tend to be lax and the conflicting parties' interests of member countries tend to be reflected in anything but the strictest accountability and corruption will assuredly occur. But it is well known that, in the setting of history, the original ideal of the United Nations has survived. It binds the nations of the world together, however loosely, in the recognition that all share a small and vulnerable planet that could be blown apart by the still existing stock of the nuclear weapons.

The U.N.'s predecessor, the League of Nations, failed in its attempt to keep the world from global war. But for 50 years, the United Nations has succeeded in that aim. For all its many imperfections, it remains one of the towering post-World War II political achievements.

The South China Morning Post, Hong Kong, on western Europe:

For all its progress since 1945, western Europe is an uncertain place three days. Politicians are deeply distrusted. They are seen as out of touch and, in too many cases, tainted by corruption.

As if this were not enough, the great European project set out at the Maastricht Conference at the beginning of the decade has run up against the barriers of reality with few countries able to meet its tough economic criteria. Meanwhile, the conflict in the former Yugoslavia has created their embarrassment as western Europe tries to find its place in the post-Cold War world.

Viewed from Asia, it is easy to see the region as a protectionist bloc sheltering its uncompetitive industries from the real world. It will be up to Europeans in the coming years to show they can play a major role politically and economically alongside North America and Asia. So far they are not doing a very convincing job.

Frankfurter Rundschau, Frankfurt, Germany, on French aid to Russia:

The problem lies in the way and means in which the European Commission carried out its duties in seeing whether France violated the Euratom pact with its atomic testing in the Pacific.

In light of the injury to the pact, (European) Commission Chief (Jacques) Santer did not ask the question as to what is to be concluded from the fact that Paris first handed over the necessary information at the last moment after they had begun. Even with respect for expert knowledge about the risks of the tests, people come with selective awareness to the place they desire to be, where they have an outstanding responsibility.

The indictment against the Commission is nevertheless limited: It is simply too politically weak to function as a rigorous stick, in the same way the (European) Parliament is too weak to compel it to do so.

Criticism belongs in the first place in the mailboxes of EU member countries. They are the ones who ensure the EU's inability to protect one of its own from playing with atomic matches.

The Times, London, on Russia:

As the elections for the Duma approach the opinion polls show the communists now ahead. (They) are more ominous in the broad agreement among communists, hard-line nationalists and, increasingly, those who once represented the center, on an assertive new platform that spurs cooperation with the west, champions the Soviet cause, denounces NATO expansion, insists on Russian hegemony over the former Soviet republics and, under the guise of law and order, calls for a crackdown on the press, free marketers and the perceived western exploitation of Russia's economic weaknesses.

Russia's post-communist disorder now threatens the entire process of democratic and market reforms. Organized crime is sweeping through the arteries of Russian society and poisoning the body politic. It is eating away western investment, widening the gap between rich and poor and endangering the whole cause of reform. (President Boris) Yeltsin is leading a tottering society into an uncertain future, and is invoking old Russian prejudices to shore up his position. The west will need nerves and patience.

Le Monde, Paris, on Germany:

The recommendations of the (Germany)'s six principal economic institutions are always taken seriously by its leaders. Now, in their profit report, the prestigious economists have just breached a monetary dogma solidly anchored in Bonn and Frankfurt. In pleading for a more flexible exchange rate on some of the criteria for monetary stability called for in the Maastricht Treaty on the single currency, the independent experts have tossed a paving stone in the pond.

As for public debt which the treaty says must not exceed 60 percent of the Gross Internal Product, the six institutes called it a "relative, even negligible criteria."

The reaction from the government in Bonn was not long in coming. Finance Minister Theo Waigel immediately made it known that it is inconceivable not to "interpret and respect the criteria in the strictest way possible." Have the six German institutions become lax?

The moment has come to calm the spirits. No, a single European currency is not the "modern" version of a celebrated phrase, "Germany will pay." Yes, the European countries are undertaking to reduce their deficits in a massive and long lasting manner. But it is essential not to lose sight of the essential: a single currency will be the instrument that will allow Europe to become one of the genuine economic powers of the next century.

The Jordan Times, Amman, Jordan, on U.S.-Israel:

President Bill Clinton's threat to veto any congressional action to transfer the U.S. Embassy from Tel Aviv to Jerusalem has apparently succeeded in postponing deliberations over Republican Senate majority leader Bob Dole's initiative concerning the move. Putting off a congressional decision for now,
Driver rude and incompetent

I am writing to the kind, considerate and intelligent individual who nearly ran over me and my wife in a crosswalk on Oct. 31.

You know who you are. Mr. Driver of a White Convertible. Not only were you a good enough driver to keep an eye on the corner of Sweet Avenue and Main Street without looking and almost hit my wife, but you were also considerate enough to act like it was her fault for trying to cross with the light. Lucky for us she was able to jump out of the way. I can appreciate you were probably in a hurry to get somewhere because it was almost dark by the time it was outside, and it was not very considerate of you to be using the crosswalk when you wanted to zip around the corner.

You clearly demonstrated your knowledge of the law—motorists shall not enter or stop at a pedestrian in a crosswalk—posted on many signs throughout the city, signs similar to those you see at corners Moscow.

To do what I great honor which anyone tried to bestow upon me, immortalizing the Jave of my life as another accident statistic? It only took me 23 years to find and three more years to get to May Day to show some of the things anybody, you think about, that there is no one. You try to zip through a crosswalk with a narrow miss with a small, quick, soft-spoken female, you who just hit stone like me—all 250 pounds of me. It was probably all 250 pounds. This is in addition to having to pay the medical bills, you would be a pedestrian white your car is repaired, because anyone who has ever hit a deer can tell you there will be a lot of you. In closing, I would like to sincerely thank those people who are truly kind and considerate in their driving and who stop for all of us pedestrians walking home in the cold. I would also like to thank everyone involved in pulling a light at Street and Main making pedestrians live matters.

—William Beasley

Vote for Mark Leeper

Students! You are all members of the Moscow community, too.

Please come vote Nov. 7 at the Latah County Fairgrounds, 1021 Harold Street, Moscow and help decide who will represent you on the Moscow City Council.

You may now register to vote at the polls and provide proof of Moscow residence (such as an Idaho driver's license or any rent receipt or utility bill which shows you have been here at least 30 days). The polls are open 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

You can call Moscow City Hall at 833-7000 for directions to the fairgrounds. Afterwards, come by The Beanery for a free cup of coffee after you have voted, regardless of who you voted for.

The student vote is especially important in this City Council election, as we are changing the way the City operates.

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—Christian Wuthrich

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Idaho clinches regular season crown

Weekend sweep gives Vandals hosting rights for Big Sky Tournament Nov. 17, 18

Dan Eckles

The Northern Arizona Lumberjacks and Weber State Wildcats though they were getting a couple days off from the grind of higher education when they left their campuses last week.

Little did the two squads know their trip to Moscow would be a learning experience as the Vandals took their Big Sky foes to school in NCAA volleyball action over the weekend.

Idaho, which was ranked 23rd in the nation in last week’s AVCA/USA Today Coaches poll, knocked off Northern Arizona 15-8, 15-10, 10-15, 15-2 Friday night and cruised its winning ways Saturday with a 16-14, 12-15, 15-0 triumph over Weber State, the only team to hand the Vandals a Big Sky loss this season.

The victors moved Idaho past Penn State in the NCAA record books into fifth place on the list of all-time home-court winning streaks with 44 straight wins. Hawaii is next on the list with 48.

Florida holds the national record with 58 consecutive wins from 1990 to 1993.

The Vandals, who have the nation’s longest current streak, have won nine straight matches, since losing in five games to the Wildcats in Ogden, Utah back on Oct. 15.

SATURDAY

The Vandals opened game one with a five straight points only to see Weber State answer with a 6-2 run of its own. Idaho rallied again to take a 14-9 edge, but the Wildcats were up to the task quickly tying the score at 14-14 before the Vandals put up a pair of points and captured the initial set.

Weber State jumped out to a 6-2 lead in game two, but this time Idaho answered, scoring 10 of the next 13 points to go ahead 12-9. That was all Idaho would get in game two as the Wildcats scored the game’s final six points to knot the match score at one game apiece.

“Weber played very well in the first game. It could have gone either way,” Idaho coach Tom Hilbert said. “I am one two there was a stretch where we made four straight good passes and they blocked everything we did. You have to give them credit they played better than we did in game two.”

Idaho appeared more focused after the intermission, breaking a 5-5 tie in game three to take the 15-6 win.

After trailing just 4-3 early in game four the Wildcats ran out of steam and never got closer than five the rest of the way.

“We blocked and played better defense in games three and four. That was a key. We also did a better job on their outside hitters,” Hilbert said.

As she has all year Idaho senior Lina Yanchulova turned in another stellar performance. The all-American candidate pounded a match-high 24 kills and added 15 digs.

“Lina is so good she takes it to a whole new level. She just pulls out everything in the book. She’s like a surgeon,” Hilbert said. “It’s incredible to me, I sit back and marvel in amazement sometimes.”

Yanchulova received plenty of support from her Vandals teammates. Louisa Kawalok, Jemena Yocum and Jessica Moore all contributed double figure kill totals.

Kawalok came up with 18 kills and nine blocks. Yocum came off the bench to contribute 17 kills while Moore chipped in 15 kills and 15 digs. Senior setter Lynne Hyland, who became just the second Vandal ever to go over the 3,000 assist mark in a career last week, was superb Saturday as well, dishing out 48 assists.

FRIDAY

The Vandals fell behind 5-1 to the Lumberjacks in game one, but outscored the NAU crew 14-3 the rest of the way.

After a 7-7 tie in game two, Idaho again came up with a game-winning run, reeling off an 8-3 streak to go up two games to none.

“Our passing was off and on. NAU served hard balls with velocity. We needed to push the ball to the net and it caused us some problems,” Hilbert said.

Game three was a different story. The Vandals came out flat after the intermission and Northern Arizona took advantage, putting nine points on the scoreboard before Idaho knew what hit it. The Vandals made the score respectable getting back to within there at 10-13, but the huge early hole proved too much to overcome.

The third game meant nothing though, as Idaho gave the Lumberjacks a dose of their own medicine, going up 11-0 to start game four and cruising to the easy 15-2 win.

“We served the ball well in the fourth game and that made a huge difference.”

Yanchulova and sophomore Kyle Leonard were the offensive stars Friday, Yanchulova posted 24 kills and 14 digs, while Leonard had 14 kills, 14 digs, four aces and hit .476 on the night.

Idaho fans cheer the Vandals on to victory Saturday against Weber State. The win was the 44th straight in Memorial Gym for Idaho.

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Jemena Yocum jumps for one of her 17 kills Saturday night.
Damon Barkdull  
Staff

Allens made contact with President Bill Clinton. Male model Fabio shaved his head, declared himself a skinhead and Garland beat him up on national TV. And Boise was given a professional football team.

Sure, this sounds too good to be true, but check this out: Idaho executed a near perfect two-minute drive in the fourth quarter to beat 13th ranked Northern Arizona 17-14 in a Big Sky Conference game at the Walkup Skydome Saturday night in Flagstaff, Arizona.

Actually, the 12,371 fans in Flagstaff saw the Vandals do something they haven't done all season — win on the road. The road ended a seven game skid by Idaho dating back to last year and boosted the Vandals record to 3-3 in Big Sky action and 4-4 overall. NAU dropped out of first place in the Big Sky, falling to 4-2 in conference play and 7-3 overall.

Idaho's true freshman running back Jerome Thomas, who moved into the second string role after Marcelle Williams suffered an injury in a Wednesday practice, ultimately was the hero for the Vandals. Thomas, not to be confused with injured running back Joel Thomas, scampered into the endzone on a two-yard run that put the Vandals up for good and ended a road player that has hampered the black and gold all season long.

"This is a huge win," Torrey said. "I told them I'd never been so proud of a team. They just kept coming back."

At one point, it looked as though Idaho may follow a season trend — have possession of the ball in the fourth quarter, drive to the opposite side of the field and give up a potential win.

Thomas's score capped a 12-play 81-yard drive in which Idaho quarterback Eric Hisaw looked nearly invincible. On the winning drive, Hisaw completed six of seven passes for 79 yards and eventually scrambled for a six-yard run that set up Thomas's touchdown.

Hisaw's late fourth quarter heroics were not representative of what happened earlier in the quarter. The Cheney, Washington native gave up three fourth quarter intercep tions on three consecutive possessions, but finished the day 24 of 41 for 235 yards. Hisaw's counterpart, well-celebrated NAU quarterback Jeff Lewis, finished the day 19 of 34 passing for 147 yards.

While the game did feature several defensive stars, not enough could be said about Idaho's defense. NAU's offensive machine, averaged 479 yards of offense coming into Saturday's game, but Idaho's defense held the Lumberjacks to just 211 total yards. Several stars on defense stepped up in Idaho's big win, including linebacker Avery Shugart, who finished the game with 11 tackles and defensive end Ryan Phillips, who totaled 10 tackles and a sack.

"Our defense was exemplary," Torrey said. "They did everything they needed to do to win this football game."

NAU started off quickly in the game as Lumberjack Charlie Torrey kicked the opening kickoff 75 yards, bringing NAU to Idaho's 26-yard line. Lewis threw a short seven-yard pass to wide receiver Alex Calderwood in the endzone, which capped a five-play 28-yard drive that put the Vandals up 7-10 in the first quarter.

Idaho got on the board next when kicker Ryan Woolverton booted a 23-yard field goal midway through the second quarter. The Vandals again drove the field successfully, and Thomas plunged up the middle on a two-yard touchdown run, putting the Vandals up 10-7 late in the second quarter.

With 52 left before half, Lewis drove his Lumberjacks 69 yards down the field and eventually hit wide receiver Roland Peartson on a 29-yard touchdown pass. Both teams looked ineffective in the third and fourth quarter, until Idaho eventually pulled out the game winning score.

Although Thomas scored the only two touchdowns for the Vandals both running back Lavon Kidd and wide receiver Dwight McKinzie had stellar games. Kidd finished the day with 11 carries for 76 yards and McKinzie came within four yards of his fourth consecutive 100 yard receiving game.

Next week the Vandals face Northern Iowa in Cedar Falls, Iowa on Saturday.
Walk-on plays big role for Vandal spikers

Mark Vanderwall
Staff

Battle adversity all of her life, University of Idaho volleyball Kyle Leonard is starting to reap the benefits of all her work.

Being special from the start, this New Year’s Eve baby has worked hard from the minute she was born, whether it be getting that dreaded Christmas/Birthday present combo instead of the normal separate gifts or splitting time between her divorced parents, Leonard has proven time and again that she can handle any hand that life can deal her.

Perhaps the greatest accomplishment that Leonard has achieved was walking onto one of the most successful programs in the nation and making an impact. Red-shirting her freshman season, Leonard has become a key figure in the Vandal youth movement over the last two seasons. After seeing limited action last season as a red-shirt freshman, Leonard has played a key role in Idaho’s third straight Big Sky Conference regular season title.

“I needed to red-shirt for a couple of reasons. I needed to adapt to the faster tempo of play and improve my skills at the same time,” said Leonard.

Growing up in the heart of Seattle, Leonard wanted to attend a school close to home, and at the same time choose a smaller university. Knowing that there was a chance she wouldn’t make the team, Leonard had to work very hard to earn a spot on the team as a walk-on.

“I felt that I had to give it a shot. I can’t imagine myself without volleyball,” said Leonard.

Since Leonard has more than secured her job on the team, that thought of life without volleyball will have to wait at least two more years, due to the fact that she is only a sophomore in eligibility.

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NBA kicks off, Bulls look tough in East

Andrew Longteig

The 1995-96 NBA season has arrived. Along for the ride, too, are the expansion Vancouver Grizzlies and Toronto Raptors.

Like hockey and baseball, though, the birth of the NBA season isn't without defects. The referees are on strike (it's a thin line at or near convergence) and the NBA was on the verge of a lockout—surprise, surprise.

Despite the mild panic, the season started Friday without too much fanfare. My predictions can be sketchy at times, but I'm here to enlighten you on my thoughts of the new NBA season—predicted records, brief comments on each team—directly told to me by the basketball gods.

The Eastern Conference is featured today, while the Western Conference will be featured Friday.

Atlantic Division

New York Knicks—Patrick Ewing is disappointed because of the offensively re-taught Anthony Mason getting the nod at small forward. The Knicks will win the division but not without bickering and musing all year. Too many leaders, not enough team players to advance too far in the playoffs. Record: 53-29.

Orlando Magic—Shaquille O'Neal's thumb suffered ligament damage and he's out for two months. Journeyman underachiever Joe Koncak steps in. Though said, the Magic will have a rough two months without Shaq but should go for at least 40 wins. Record: 29-32.

Philadelphia 76ers—This is my surprise team of the year. Rookie Jerry Stackhouse (North Carolina) should be a consistent contributor. Seven-foot-seven-inch stick Shawn Bradley is finally growing up, if not out. All-star Clarence Weatherspoon should lead the team and new acquisition Vernice Maxwell should put some halt on their young chemists. Record: 46-38.

Miami Heat—I hate whitey players. Former Charlotte Hornets Alonzo Mourning (initially didn't want his whimpering butt in Miami, but had a change of heart (or maybe Chastity and good problems galore, but their front line of Mourning, Kevin Willis and Billy Owens is tough. Record: 42-40.

Washington Bullets—Before trading for Chris Webber last season, the Bullets had a solid record. Once Webber arrived, they became surpisingly pathetic. This year, though, they will be better, especially with rookie Rasheed Wallace providing front court support. Once Webber and Mark Price, acquired from Cleveland, return from injury the Bullets will be a flinty and up and coming team. Record: 39-43.

Boston Celtics—The city of Boston deserves better. Three-point threat Dana Barros will help, but their front line is lethargic and the bench is about as deep as a kiddie pool. Boston will compete with New Jersey for last place. Record: 33-49.

New Jersey Nets—Again, I hate whitey players and oversized players. Derrick Coleman thought he was the best power forward in the NBA last year. Hak. Have you heard of Barkley, Malone or Kemp? What a champ. The Net front line is either too insipid or too uncoordinated. Record: 31-51.

Central Division

Chicago Bulls—As much as I hate to say it, the Bulls will reach the NBA Finals this year. The pick-up of the flamboyant Dennis Rodman will only help them. Inc. for incho (he's the best rebounder in NBA history. Michael (last name not necessary) and Scottie Pippen are experienced and too damn good at basketball. Bring out those Bulls caps again handwagons. Record: 65-17.

Indiana Pacers—Impressive playoff team. Sharpshooter Ricky Pierce will help their depth. If Reggie Miller and Rick Smits stay healthy, they will be a force to reckon with. Record: 53-29.

Charlotte Hornets—The only other decent team in the division. The Hornets got the better end of the deal by dishing off Mourning to Miami. All-star Glen Rice comes over in the trade as well as young guard Khalid Reeves and the Hornets' first round draft choice. Kendall Gill returns to his original team after two years in San Antonio. He still could break through. Larry Johnson is a perennial All-star and isn't a whitie like Mourning. Record: 48-34.

Atlanta Hawks—Since Dominique Wilkins left, they've been as bad as eating at Valhara on a Friday night. Forwards Steve Smith and Stacy Augmon are their only future. It's going to be a long 10 years. At least Atlanta has the Braves and the 1996 Olympics. Record: 37-45.

Milwaukee Bucks—The guy who should have been last year's rookie of the year, Glenn Robinson, can't do it by himself. No one can play defense on this team. Record: 34-48.

Detroit Pistons—The Piston's have been coming young in Grant Hill, Lindsey Hunter and Lou Ros. But they will take time awhile to become really five years or so. Record: 33-48.

Cleveland Cavaliers—They're starting over. Picked up Dan Majerle from the Suns, but his inexperience will hurt the Cavs. Mark Price is gone and Brad Daugherty is on injured reserve. The future is dim for now. Record: 28-54.

Toronto Raptors—O.M. Isiah Thomas is trying to establish this Jurassic Park wannabe expansion team. The Canadian club has to play in basketball-friendly Skydome. A good try. Record: 39-53

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Leondard has found herself in the middle of Idaho's recent dominance, but winning isn't everything to this 1993 graduate of Blanchet High School in Seattle.

"Everyone wants to be a part of a winning team, but it's how I got along with the players and coaches that brought me to Idaho. If you don't enjoy where you're at, there's no reason to be there, no matter how successful you are," said Leonard.

Coming off of one of her best performances as a Vandal, Leonard compiled 14 kills and 14 digs against NAU this past weekend, and is among Big Sky leaders in service aces. These stats alone prove the heart and dedication of a player who battled the odds and won.

Majoring in Psychology and minoring in Therapeutic Recreation, Leonard wants to work with kids after her stint with the Vandals is over. The six foot Middle Blocker has become a leader for this young Vandal team and has certainly become more than just a walk-on in the eyes of anyone who has ever seen her play.

This shy "Big City Girl" has battled through a lot of adversity in life and made a name for herself on the Vandal volleyball team in the process. The young lady has been a New Year's Eve baby, but Leonard would have been a success no matter what year she was born, and going back to the Christmas/Birthday presents, the shy young lady across the table from me said, "I never asked for separate presents anyway."