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"**But February made me** shiver, with every paper I'd deliver. Bad news on the doorstep, I couldn't take one more step"... **OK, not much of** a shiver taking out the trash, and the only bad news I got was the neighbor's dog barking. In fact if February gets no worse than today, I'll be a happy enough to take MY Chevy to the levee... **Even with all the** melting, we've still got a good deal of snow cover, which should mean good soil moisture when the season starts. Should help with water bills, as well as keep the lawn healthy...**Although when the grass** is covered so long it can lead to snow mold. So be prepared to loosen up any matted areas of the lawn...**Well folks, it's the** first of February. You know what that means? No, besides Ground Hog Day. That's right, time for the 2010 Bublitz's YS proposals! I'm sure you've all been waiting with bated breath... **Anyway, they are attached.** For those connected to the www they should have arrived in your mailbox right on the heels of the newsletter. Please advise if yours has gone AWOL. **As most of you** know by now, if you are making no changes from last year you need do nothing. Nada. Zip. Zilch...If you are making a change, simply call, e-mail or return the proposal with the requested changes. Especially contact me if you will not require our services this year... **I am once again offering** referral credit for sending customers my way. So please, send away. Or call for details...**Go figure, Tiger Woods** gets paid millions when he drives 350 yards, but may pay millions when he drives a

few hundred feet... **Who knows? If the** weather cooperates we might be able to get out before the end of the month and start cleaning up leaves left from last fall. But lets not count our poultry prematurely... **This next month or so** is when fruit trees need to be trimmed. Has to do with the lack of disease spores in the air. But it does really help the health of the tree, which means more apples or cherries or whatever.. **Valentine's Day is drawing** near, which for some odd reason got me thinking about the **Bickersons**. ne of the first comedy albums I ever heard. Realized they were before your time for most of you. They in turn reminded me of **The War of the Roses**, maybe the best black comedy of all time. Here's what will get you into this month's drawing: Who directed it? And who tells the story in the movie? Conveniently they're both one and the same... **Problems in the lawn** or garden giving you fits? You might want to get your soil checked. CSU is doing it for only \$21 in the Natural and Environmental Sciences Bldg. More info can be found here: [http://www.soiltestinglab.colostate.edu/...](http://www.soiltestinglab.colostate.edu/) **Before long** seeds will be showing up in local stores. Although we are probably a month away from being able to plant without protection. For the seedlings, that is. For what its worth, **Bath Landscaping** had the best selection of organic seed last year...**One movie now** in stores that we really enjoyed is **Taking Woodstock**. Less about the concert than about the characters who made it possible. Funny flick...

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Another still in the theater is Its Complicated. Meryl Streep, Alec Baldwin, Steve Martin. Very funny...**Suzy and Jane**, are in a bar, watching the 10 pm news. A news crew is covering a man on the ledge of a large building preparing to jump. Suzy says, "Do you think he'll do it?" Jane: "You know, I bet he will." Suzy: "Well, I bet he won't", and places a \$20 bill on the bar. Jane says, "You're on!" Just then the guy tragically falls to his death. Suzy is very upset, but hands Jane \$20. Jane says, "I can't take your money. I saw this on the 5 pm news, and knew he'd jump." Suzy: "I saw it too, but I really didn't think he'd jump **AGAIN.**"... **Who dat! Who dat!** After all New Orleans has been thru, and as long as those fans have waited and suffered, I gotta say: **GO SAINTS!**

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