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Be sure to watch for one of the holiday season's highlights when the L&T publishes our children's **Letters to Santa** in Sunday's edition.



School board reviews audit, talks election

Tonight's meeting starts at 5:30

By MICHELE CROCI
Cronin has been on the board since 2008 and is running for re-election in 2014. He is also a member of the board's audit committee. The board will also discuss the election of a new board member to fill the seat vacated by the late Mrs. Cronin.

Union objects to state's school experiment
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Dillons grand opening

Celebration set for newly renovated Dillons in Liberal

By MICHELE CROCI
Dillons is celebrating the grand opening of its newly renovated store in Liberal. The store is located at 1001 N. 10th St. and is the largest Dillons store in the area. The store features a wide selection of groceries, including fresh produce, meat, and seafood.

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Phil Robertson off 'Duck Dynasty' after gay comments

By MICHELE CROCI
The network made its announcement that it was removing Phil Robertson from the show "Duck Dynasty" after he made homophobic comments on the show. Robertson, who is a member of the Robertson family, had been on the show for several years. The network said that Robertson's comments were "inappropriate and offensive to our audience."



The Robertson family members, from left, Willie Robertson, Phil Robertson, and Kaye Robertson, are seen in a photo from the show "Duck Dynasty".

Woman pleads guilty to stealing from co-workers
A woman has pleaded guilty to stealing from her co-workers. The woman, who is a former employee of a local business, was charged with stealing a large sum of money from the company's cash register. She was sentenced to a term of probation and community service.

Idaho wildlife advocate pleads guilty to poaching
A wildlife advocate has pleaded guilty to poaching. The advocate, who is a member of a wildlife conservation group, was charged with poaching several animals in Idaho. He was sentenced to a term of probation and community service.