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NEWS OF THE WEIRD

BY CHUCK SHEPARD

The Muscular Dystrophy Association, a Tempe, Ariz., real estate firm, and two charity promoters were sued in September by Keith Schott, a golfer who had apparently legitimately made a fully witnessed hole-in-one during a charity round but who was allegedly turned down for the widely advertised \$1 million prize when the sponsors imposed a rule that the money shots had to be videotaped. "Remarkably," said Schott's lawyer, "the defendants changed the rules on the spot."

TODAY IN HISTORY

In 1971, the People's Republic of China was seated in the U.N. Security Council.

In 1980, some 4,800 people were killed by a series of earthquakes that devastated southern Italy.

In 1996, a hijacked Ethiopian Airlines Boeing 767 crashed into the waves off Comoros Islands, killing 125 of the 175 people on board.

Ten years ago: NATO warplanes blasted Serb missile batteries in two air raids while Bosnian Serb fighters, for the first time, broke into the U.N. designated safe haven of Bihac.

QUOTE OF THE DAY

"I'm a realist, and so I think regretting is a useless occupation. You help no one with it. But you can't live without illusions even if you must fight for them, such as 'love conquers all.' It isn't true, but I would like it to be."

MARLENE DIETRICH

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Administrators take top school salaries

Twenty-five of the 30 highest-paid district employees last school year didn't work primarily in the classroom; all earned more than \$100K

BY JOHN WOOD

Daily Press Staff Writer

DISTRICT HDQTRS. — All but five of the 30 highest-paid school district employees last year were administrators with duties mainly outside the classroom, records show.

Superintendent John Deasy, taking home more than \$170,000,

topped the list. He was followed by the district's deputy and assistant superintendents, its head computer technician and the principal of Santa Monica High School, according to school-district documents. And the school board last week approved creating a new top administrator position — assistant superintendent of special education,

which commands \$153,000 a year.

The most highly paid classroom teacher last school year ranked 10th in earnings throughout the district, with nearly \$108,000 in pay. A middle school teacher and three high school teachers also were among the district's top 30 highest-paid workers, each earning more than \$99,000.

Education leaders agreed budget shortages have placed California teachers among the lowest-paid teachers nationwide. They disagreed, though, on where

Santa Monica teachers land on the pay scale.

Deasy said teachers in the joint Santa Monica-Malibu school district are the highest paid in the county, which means they beat out teachers in districts such as Los Angeles and Beverly Hills. What's more, Deasy said the local district has fewer administrators than three quarters of the school districts in the county.

"We rank in the bottom fourth compared to administrators per

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COMMUNITY PROFILES | COMMUNITY PROFILES IS A WEEKLY SERIES THAT APPEARS EACH MONDAY AND DELVES INTO THE PEOPLE WHO LIVE, WORK AND PLAY IN SANTA MONICA.

Finding salvation: Brian West leads the Army in Santa Monica

BY PAM WIGHT

Special to the Daily Press

DOWNTOWN — We see them every year around the holidays — the red-vested Salvation Army volunteers, ringing bells as they stand outside grocery stores in the cold.

But there is more to the Salvation Army than just the "ket-tle people."

Captain Brian West is a Salvation Army pastor who ministers to a parish of 130 people every Sunday at the Fourth Street Santa Monica Corps of the Salvation Army.

Raised mostly as a southern Baptist, West spent the first years of his life in the hills of West Virginia before the family migrated to Rock Springs, Wyo., in search of work.

West's parents, however, were



not loyalists to the Baptist church, and they dabbled in other denominations throughout different periods of his childhood. Eventually they stopped attending church altogether.

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Divine sign



Carolyn Sackariason/Daily Press

The first person to accurately describe where this mystery photo was taken will win a prize. E-mail responses to sack@smdp.com.

California Rep. Lofgren proposes abolishing Electoral College

BY ERICA WERNER

Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON — President Bush would have been re-elected this month even if there wasn't an Electoral College, but that hasn't dampened the enthusiasm of some Democrats for abolishing it.

Arguing that voters in populous

states like California are underrepresented by the Electoral College, Rep. Zoe Lofgren, D-San Jose, introduced a constitutional amendment Friday to eliminate it and provide for direct election of the president and vice president.

"Changing the Constitution in this way should not be about advantaging one party over the

other," Lofgren said. "It's about treating each American voter equally."

The introduction of Lofgren's amendment is symbolic — coming on one of the final days of the 108th Congress, it won't be acted on this year. But she said she hoped it would draw attention to the issue.

"I wanted to put it in as a marker, and I'm hoping that it might gain the support of people in both parties, as it should," she said.

The Electoral College gives states the same number of presidential electors as they have House members and senators. But since every state automatically has

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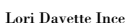
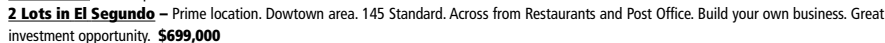
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LOCAL

COMMUNITY BRIEFS

Popular murals to get facelifts

By Daily Press staff

The Santa Monica Arts Commission voted last week to allocate \$135,000 to preserve two murals, which are considered the most cherished in the city.

Known as “The Whale of a Mural” and “Unbridled,” located beneath the Fourth Street overpass on Ocean Park Boulevard, these pieces have served as a gateway to the beach for hundreds of thousands of beachgoers, officials said. “Whale of a Mural,” along the south side of Ocean Park, painted in 1983 by Santa Monica resident Daniel Alonzo, places the viewer in the depths of Santa Monica Bay, surrounded by the whales, porpoises and seals found there. On the north side of the street, David Gordon’s whimsical “Unbridled,” painted in 1985, depicts the horses of the Santa Monica Pier Carousel escaping the merry-go-round and running free along the beaches. Although both of the murals have held up for the past 20 years, the weather, along with a few vandals, have taken their toll, officials said.

The Arts Commission also approved \$59,750 in grants to local arts agencies at its meeting on Nov. 15. The commission approved 13 grants to local nonprofit arts organizations to support projects benefiting the community. Grants of up to \$5,000 will be given to the Santa Monica Museum of Art, the Santa Monica Playhouse, 18th Street Arts Center, Highways, Donna Sternberg and Dancers, Powerhouse Theatre, the Verdi Chorus, the Santa Monica Theatre Guild, Celebration Arts and TeAda Theatreworks to expand community access to quality arts programming.

Some of the projects supported by the grants include a “Dia de los Muertos” event to take place in Santa Monica’s Woodlawn Cemetery, coordinated by Celebration Arts; a series of Asian/Pacific Islander performances at Highways; and visits by the entire third grade of the Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District to the Santa Monica Playhouse. The grants also will help fund education programs at the Santa Monica Museum of Art, the premiere of a new musical adaptation of “The Story of Atalanta” at the Powerhouse Theatre and two concert presentations of operatic choruses by the Verdi Chorus.

For additional information on the Arts Commission or its programs, call the city’s cultural affairs division at (310) 458-8350 or visit www.arts.santamonica.org.

Divine intervention: Shop for charity

By Daily Press staff

Project Angel Food will honor Sean Combs and Jessica Lange for their contributions to international style, the fight against AIDS and other serious illnesses during the Dec. 2 opening night gala for Divine Design 2004.

The charity also will honor People magazine with a “Corporate Humanitarian” award for its longtime coverage of the HIV/AIDS crisis and the struggle people face with serious illnesses. Project Angel Food will present the awards before opening 30,000 square feet of deeply discounted designer clothing and accessories to the public for four days of shopping.

Each year Divine Design, Los Angeles’ premier fashion and design shopping event, takes over a massive hangar at the Santa Monica Air Center. Dozens of top designers donate thousands of home, beauty and spa products for sale starting at more than 50 percent off retail prices. All of the proceeds from the event support Project Angel Food’s mission to provide life-sustaining meals to Los Angeles County residents facing HIV/AIDS and other serious illnesses.

Schedule of events:

All events take place at Barker Hangar at Santa Monica Air Center, 3021 Airport Dr. in Santa Monica.

Dec. 2 (6 p.m.): Gala opening night: Exclusive preview shopping with Hollywood’s elite prior to public sale, gala dinner and awards event. Tickets: \$250 to \$1,000 each.

Dec. 2 (8 p.m. to midnight): Cocktails and shopping only. Tickets: \$100 each.

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Write us at wood@smdp.com and tell us what the surf is doing today at your local break.

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MONDAY	N/A	N/A	12:47	0.7	6:16	5.7	6:40	4.3
TUESDAY	12:19	1.1	1:29	0.2	6:44	6.0	7:31	4.1
WEDNESDAY	12:50	1.4	2:06	-0.2	7:11	6.1	8:18	4.0
THURSDAY	1:18	1.8	2:41	-0.4	7:36	6.2	9:01	3.9
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The **Q**Line

The Santa Monica City Council earlier this month discussed how many street performers should be allowed on the pier at any one time. The discussion turned into a larger debate about the atmosphere on the pier. Some elected officials think the pier should be quieter than it is today, with the idea that it should be a place to reflect and take in the natural beauty surrounding it.

So this week, Q-Line wants to know, “How do you envision the Santa Monica Pier in the future?”

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Toppling the skyscraper plan

Editor:

Reasons to say “no” to the Macerich Company’s plans to redevelop Santa Monica Place with three 21-story condo towers, 85,000 square feet of office space and 600,000 square feet of retail:

1. The absence of any compelling evidence that the benefits to the public coffers of the increased tax base of commercial developments is greater than the new costs incurred by the city to provide public safety and services.
2. The obvious and unmitigable costs of even more downtown congestion; the loss of the air and light, which makes our city such a desirable place in which to live; and years of construction noise, dust and traffic interruptions in a downtown that has only recently become hospitable again to pedestrians and drivers after a building boom.
3. The enormous environmental costs that come with tearing down the old mall and hauling the debris to landfills; extracting nonrenewable resources for the new construction; and consuming the large quantities of energy required for both these processes. Isn’t the city trying to decrease its environmental footprint? It would take a lot of fluorescent fixtures and energy-efficient windows to even begin to offset the environmental degradation of this project.
4. Yes, the affordable housing which comes with this project is necessary and desirable. But we’ve already created a miniature Playa Vista between Fifth and Seventh streets downtown for the sake of the affordable housing built by a certain developer. Do we really need to a mini-Century City downtown, or at some point do other community goals of sustainability take precedence over affordable housing?
5. Building tall towers in a seismic zone may be less of a fool’s mission than it was 20 years ago due to new design and construction standards. But in today’s hostile geopolitical climate, does it make sense to erect structures so vulnerable to terrorist attacks? Why not just paint a big bulls-eye on downtown Santa Monica?

Macerich is essentially looking for the public to bail them out of shortsighted decisions made 24 years ago by a private entity. Should the residents of Santa Monica be asked to shoulder the burdens of a behemoth project just because Macerich unwisely envisioned that an indoor mall anchored by aging department store chains was the wave of the future? And if this project doesn’t pan out for some reason, will we be asked for a handout again in another 20 years?

While the goals of a pedestrian connection between the Promenade and the Civic Center and the revitalization of a floundering commercial property are worthy and commendable, Macerich’s earlier notion to adaptively reuse Santa Monica Place was a far less intrusive and more environmentally friendly option. Why not just open up the existing mall and give it a facelift? And if the anchor tenants of Macys and Robinson-May no longer draw shoppers, why not buy out their leases and bring in tenants such as Target or Trader Joe’s who have been eager for a downtown presence and would lure consumers to a spiffier open air mall?

Now that’s a plan I could live with.

Ted Winterer
Santa Monica

In memory, Cheri Hill

Editor:

A dear friend of mine just passed away, peacefully, I hope. She was a formerly homeless woman named Cheri Hill. Most members of the homeless community will not recognize her name, for she was a quiet, studious soul, fighting to end homelessness in her own way.

I still remember the day I first met her years ago in Santa Monica’s Palisades Park — homeless, sick, alone, lost and buried among her possessions, on one of the benches just south of the senior center.

A close homeless friend, Fran, I and others were able to help her with food and positive support and slowly nurse her back toward health. Because of her physical condition, it took several weeks to locate a pair of thong sandals large enough to fit her swollen feet so she could move even a few feet from where I had found her.

Once she was somewhat better, we spent time together sitting on the Promenade talking. Her story, like that of many homeless women, was one of deceit and betrayal by relatives who, instead of helping her, put her through hell in order to steal her inheritance. After she was seriously injured in an automobile accident, they kept her locked away while telling her mother that she was dead. She finally managed to escape to Santa Monica.

I remember that at one point, she gave me an expensive leather jacket which someone had given her as a mitzvah for \$35 so she could rent a storage locker for her possessions instead of dragging them with her on the street. I have always felt guilty that I had no more to offer.

I’m ashamed to say that when I “aged up” off the streets into an apartment, I lost track of her, as with many other homeless friends. Fortunately, I ended up working with her as a fellow member of the board of directors of Supporting Homeless Existence Leading To Enabled Recovery (S.H.E.L.T.E.R.) As a member of the board, Cheri was always positive and upbeat about our projects and life in general. I learned that she had finally been moved off the streets into an apartment and had received some of the money due her. Though no longer living on the streets, she continued to attend Side by Side (Santa Monica’s coalition of housed and homeless) meetings, often bringing donations of food and snacks for the other members.

She devoutly believed in God and his goodness. I pray there is a God, and that he has taken her into his heart. Through her shining spirit even amid the heights of adversity, she earned my greatest respect, and I shall always aspire to try to reach the standards she set. She was a truly good person, and I shall always miss her.

Did her years of homelessness on Santa Monica’s streets contribute to her death? No one can say for sure, but it is certain they didn’t improve her physical condition, though perhaps they did give her the will to fight for her life for as long as she did.

In deepest sorrow,

Kenneth McCrae
Santa Monica

Getting the energy to buy a hybrid can be taxing



COMMON
SCENTS
BY CAROLE ORLIN

(Editor’s note: This is the first column in a two-part series. The second column will appear on Wednesday, Nov. 24.)

The dreaded time has finally come for my husband and I to actively search for a new car. We have been spared this task for nearly eight years. In the best of times, that search is a drag, both financially and emotionally. But when monthly repair bills (the last couple of months have seen us put in a new engine mount, gasket and a new transmission) exceed any new car payment, you know the time has come.

Earlier this year, I wrote about our country’s reliance on foreign oil and the

compelling need for us to reduce our thirst for oil through alternative fuel sources. I researched the history of electric vehicles, hydrogen-powered vehicle development and the evolution of hybrid cars. I have also witnessed the obvious fact that the price of gasoline at the pump has gotten us quickly adjusted to the \$2-plus per gallon price, as we march towards \$3. The reelection of George W. Bush to four more years has reemphasized the fact that for decades the personal fortunes of his family and associates have been entwined with oil, thereby making me skeptical of any serious attempt at our government’s resolve — not to mention the oil company’s resolve — to intensively shift away from oil. I couple this with the reality (which has been increasingly publicized, most recently in a lead story in the business section of the Los Angeles Times, Sunday, Nov. 14: “China Barrels Ahead in Oil Market”) of the surging Chinese demand for oil and the serious pressure on

the price of oil in the short run and the long run. Could I now put this research into helping me make an intelligent decision on the purchase of a new car, which would satisfy my driving needs and at the same time make a positive contribution to improving the environment and reduce our dependence on foreign oil?

I knew from my earlier research that automakers — such as Toyota — unfortunately have eliminated the electric vehicle as a viable choice today. Further, a fuel cell vehicle operating on hydrogen would not be a choice for about 10 to 20 years, if ever. That brought me to a hybrid. I knew this choice would mean a car that would combine electric and petroleum. This combination would still mean putting gasoline in the tank, but the hybrid would allow for demonstrably better fuel economy. Further, I have been tracking tax and other hybrid incentives, from permission for single occupants of hybrids to use high-occupancy lanes in California to cer-

tain parking “perks” for hybrids in designated areas. I also became enthused about the possibility of owning a hybrid when I reviewed the relevant statistics from R.L. Polk & Co., a firm that gathers and interprets automotive information.

Registrations for hybrid vehicles in the United States rose to 43,435 last year, a 25.8 percent increase from 2002. California accounted for the most registrations with 11,425. In fact, I discovered that hybrid sales in the United States have grown at an annual rate of 88.6 percent. This exciting trend must mean that demand is growing among consumers and the supply and choices from automakers will have increased by now. OK, so we are ready for the hybrid, but is the hybrid ready for us? And if not, why not? On Wednesday, I will share with you my convoluted journey to find the “right” hybrid.

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OPINION



Finding Thanksgiving at your table this week



HIP TO BE SQUARE

BY CAROLINE BODKIN

In the wake of a terribly divisive presidential election, Thanksgiving might offer a way to become humble after your side won, or thankful even though your side lost.

In early November, we were told again and again that America is divided. Between the liberals and the conservatives, the red states and the blue states, Jesusland and Freedomland.

And we, like children, accepted the labels that were given to us. We picked sides. We became red or blue, liberal or conservative. Like we were nothing more than those descriptions. Like it was that simple.

If you were red, you were moral, you were faithful, you were pro-life and anti-big government. You were religious. You didn't believe in gay marriage — in fact you believed it should be banned. You were intolerant and closed-minded. You had family values. You were comfortably in the right.

And if you were blue, then you were a free thinker. Tolerant of everyone and everything, including criminals and baby-killers. You lacked morals and hugged trees and would love to see condoms distributed in elementary schools. You were educated and cultured and concerned about what other nations thought of you. You believed you too had family values, and you too, knew you were right.

We declared our side was right, the other side was wrong. And the other side declared their side was right, and our side was wrong. And we rejected each other, and became indignant, and became self-important and eventually we were so polarized, our nation was, as predicted, split in two. And the two sides became such foreign entities that understanding each other was out of the question — let alone agreeing with each other. What

could they possibly have in common?

And it was toxic. Limiting. Dangerous. The truth is, we are not a nation of Democrats or Republicans. We are a nation of individuals.

We — all of us — have values. We have beliefs. We have families, priorities, ambitions, incomes, challenges and personal histories. We have made mistakes. We have been successful. We want to be respected. We want safety and love. We do not want to be hateful. This is true about all of us. We all have these things in common, regardless of how we voted, or which side we chose.

And we will continue to have them in common, regardless of how the next four years go.

We are common humans.

So now, in late November, whether we were victorious or defeated, we are all at a loss. How do we begin to understand the group we have pushed so far away?

This Thanksgiving, wherever you are, whomever you're with, there's a good chance you don't all come from the same side of this divided nation. So take a minute to consider each person at your table. Create in your head a potential life story for them. Where they were born, what kind of parents they had. When they lost their virginity and with whom. What they studied in school, or if they weren't able to go to school, then why not? What they get sad about, and whether or not it would make you sad too. Consider their humanity.

These are the things that define us. These are the things that give us our voice. These are the things, the details of life, that when considered thoughtfully, can help us understand each other.

They cannot be painted red or blue. They cannot be reduced.

We are common people. And the things we have in common are vastly more important than the things we let divide us.

That is what I am so very grateful for.

(Caroline Bodkin lives in Los Angeles and should count her blessings more often. You can e-mail her at hip-tobesquarebybodkin@yahoo.com).

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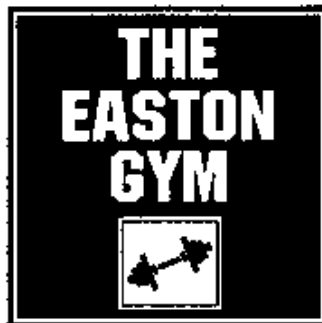
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COMMUNITYPROFILES

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The ingenuous 40-year-old revealed a touch of country boyishness when recalling the first time his mother saw him preach.

“When my mom first saw me as a pastor, I had been in the Army for years,” he said. “She never understood what it was all about. But then she saw this whole congregation, and I’m the pastor. She was amazed. She said, ‘I can’t believe you’re a pastor.’”

But West wasn’t always so clear on what to do with his life.

The son of an electrician and a housewife, he began working at age 14. When he was 18 years old, West’s family moved back to West Virginia where he spent several more years in a series of low-wage jobs.

“The economy was so bad in West Virginia that if you weren’t a coal miner there weren’t a lot of jobs,” West said. “So I worked in diesel mechanics, fast food and, ironically, I worked in a brewery.”

He became involved with the Salvation Army after meeting his wife, Iva, at a skating rink. She asked him if he wanted to go to church with her at the Salvation Army.

“I said, ‘Isn’t that a thrift store?’” West said, laughing. “See, Iva was born into the Salvation Army. That’s all she knew. But what I saw was a church that was motivated by love and expressions of love. I just love the Army. Even though I wasn’t a Salvationist or a soldier at the time, I was fully accepted for just who I was.”

It was while attending a Salvation Army men’s camp that West began to feel he was not living a life that he considered to be meaningful.

“At that moment I really realized that I was living a life of a hypocrite, saying I was a Christian but not identifying with what a Christian was all about in my mind,” he said. “It’s about surrendering every day to the will of the Lord. When I did come to that place of surrendering everything, there was this calling on me that said I could do nothing less than to serve and love other people. I never had found any other vehicle except the Salvation Army that really does that.”

In 1986 West earned the rank of “soldier” and soon he was teaching Sunday school, helping with the summer camp programs and running a domestic-violence program in Charlestown.

Both West and his wife became commissioned officers — captains — in the Salvation Army in 1996.

The couple now lives in Santa Monica with their three children.

West spoke with the Daily Press recently in his Fourth Street Santa Monica office.

As a captain, what are your responsibilities?

“Well, I oversee 28 hired staff and besides that, I have a lot of leadership roles. It’s a regular church. I watch over people, giving them spiritual guidance and also being their pastor, loving them, encouraging them, visiting them ... all of those kinds of things. The Salvation Army is kind of unique in some ways. We go visiting nursing homes because we believe in visiting shut-ins. So at Christmas time you’ll see us out and about visiting convalescent homes. We visit each and every resident and hand them a gift and a package. Also at Easter we do this. That’s because we try to build relationships and reaching people and letting them know there’s someone thinking of them.

“I get calls sometimes to do funerals and memorial services for people who don’t have anyone to do it. Or sometimes people will call me up and say, ‘My brother’s in the hospital, can you check on him?’ And I’ll say, ‘Sure.’ Or I’ll get calls from people traveling across the country who tell me they have no where to stay, and we help find them a place.

“And of course, as I came up the ranks of the Salvation Army, I looked back and said, ‘I can’t even believe I’m here today, that I’m behind this desk.’ I didn’t think it was something I could do. It was only because of the open doors that I walked through of opportunity. I didn’t think that I could run this or do that, but yet the Lord puts me in this place. And I rejoice that I have this opportunity everyday.”

When and why did you come to Santa Monica?

“We came to Santa Monica in July of 2001 because I was appointed here. That means I got a phone call saying I had been assigned to Santa Monica. We had been living in Oceanside for a while. But they needed someone here. You see, I don’t get a choice in where I go. They just order me to go wherever they need me.”

How do you like Santa Monica?

“I love Santa Monica. Oceanside was more of a country-style setting. But we’ve taken to Santa Monica, and we really enjoy the feel of the city, and people seem to know each other. Especially when you get involved in a service group. I think Santa Monica keeps that hometown feeling alive, which is wonderful. There are really wonderful people in the community who rally around the Salvation Army and identify with what we do because we’ve done it for so long. The city has accepted us, and we’ve accepted the city and enjoyed our stay here.

“I’ve also been coaching little league here. My son is on the local team.”

What kind of training was required to be a pastor and a captain?

“Most of it was practical experience. I was an assistant pastor for a while, and I ran some Christian programs for the Salvation Army like the summer camps and the domestic-violence program, stuff like that. Then I went to the Salvation Army Crestmont College in Rancho Palos Verdes, where I earned an associate degree in ministry. Both my wife and I are ordained pastors. We oversee this whole operation and the Samoshel Shelter, which provides emergency shelter for 110 homeless people.”

Is the shelter the primary service the Salvation Army provides?

“No, our history speaks to our service to the community. We’ve run lots of different programs. Wherever there’s a need. That’s what the Army is about — meeting the suffering needs of humanity. We’ve made roots here, and we’re not going anywhere. Ever since we’ve started, we’ve been the church first, having services, Bible studies, character-building programs, scouting — something like the Brownies for girls called ‘girl guards’ and ‘sunbeams.’ We’ve done that for many years.”

How did the Salvation Army start?

“Our founder, William Booth, was a Methodist minister in England in 1865. He wanted to minister to the down and out. So people began to follow him, but they weren’t accepted in the churches because their smell or the way some of them behaved. So he began renting out dance halls or local saloons and having revivals in them. Now the Salvation Army has its own places of worship.”

What did the Salvation Army give to you that was missing from the Baptist church?

“It was totally different. I don’t think that when we saw people down and out that the Baptists went and rolled up their sleeves and went and did the kind of stuff that the Army did, like with the down-and-out people. I think they only helped the people of like-mindedness maybe. The Salvation Army was different because they believe that if someone needs help, you rush to their help.”

Was there a mentor or an individual who inspired you?

“I just go back to the idea that when I saw a corps officer spend the time to visit and pray with me, to ask how I was and what I was about, that kind of gave me the idea that I wanted to become something like that. Then when I saw the mission of the Army and I saw this role model of becoming better than yourself, and on top

of that you have a great place to serve. But without the devotion to the Lord first, all of this probably wouldn’t last very long. I think I’d get tired and I’d kind of roll up and quit it. But if you’re really connected to who you are in the Lord you can do nothing less than this.”

Do you have any success stories of people you’ve helped?

“There’s so many. I’ll talk about one here locally. A gentleman who’s attending our church here in Santa Monica ... he came from the courts, his last try at redemption in society. He came as part of a court order to the ARC — Adult Rehabilitation Center on 11th Street. It’s the thrift-store part of the Army. This, where I am, is the corps — corps meaning church.

“The ARC, they take articles that are donated, take the money and get people off addictions. Drug, alcohol, cocaine — any addiction whatsoever, they liberate them from that. After some time here at the corps, this gentleman accepted the Lord. Now he’s been six or seven years clean and sober. Now he’s presently a Sunday school teacher, and he has his own business. He never thought he’d be a business owner. He’s a contractor. He passed all the contractor laws. If it wasn’t for the Salvation Army, he believes without a doubt there’s no way he would have been redeemed.

“He had multiple addictions. That’s usually the case — one addiction leads to another and so on. It’s a great success story. He’s actively engaged in the community, too. He puts on his uniform and does community walks. He just participated in a walk against hunger. He’s active in leadership and taking more responsibility. We take people who feel that they would be discarded and make them feel appreciated so they can see how life can be really changed.”

How exactly does the Salvation Army help people switch their perspectives?

“I really think it’s deep within them, and when the heart is changed from just taking to giving, it changes everything. It transforms the individual to think outside himself. It transforms the community, and it transforms the individual. It’s a devotion you live. I don’t think you can teach it, I think it has to be experienced, and that’s something the Salvation Army really understands.

“When William Booth said he had a vision, he said he was pulling people out of this miry clay. He turned back and saw that some were unappreciative, but some were turning back around to pull up more people out of the clay. We don’t judge anyone. Our mission is just to try to save as many people as we can.”

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Teachers might lobby for pay raise next year

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pupil," he said. "We have fewer administrative positions per pupil than most districts. That is so we can spend more money on teachers."

Deasy said he wished teachers were better paid, but added the discrepancy in earnings was due partly to the difference in work schedules and the responsibilities associated with different positions. Teachers countered that the district's priorities ought to be reconsidered.

"What it tells people is that if you have an economic necessity, if you have the need to make more money, you've got to get out of teaching and go into administration," said algebra instructor Joel Post, the top earner among teachers. "It seems to me that there should be a reversal of that, and that those people that work most directly with students, they should be rewarded for staying and working with the students."

To reach \$108,000 in earnings last year, Post taught an extra period of classes during the school year, as well as taught summer school classes and a special science magnet program. As a 34-year veteran of the district with an advanced degree, Post already was in the highest earnings bracket with a base salary of \$79,000. Teachers who have been employed at the district for at least 27 years earn the highest salaries — \$80,000.

Many of the administrative positions in the district apparently pay better than the county average. According to a preliminary study performed by the Los Angeles County Office of Education, high school principals in Santa Monica earn up to \$572 a day, as opposed to the \$473 county average. Also above the county average are salaries for junior high and elementary school principals, their assistants and

school psychologists. The pay for school counselors and the schools superintendent appears slightly below average, according to the county study, which examined the 2003-2004 school year.

Harry Keiley, president of the local teacher union, indicated that teachers might lobby for a pay raise next year. Keiley agreed in negotiations with school officials this past summer to a modest 1 percent pay raise for teachers in exchange for maintaining relatively strong health benefits. Keiley said he earns \$64,657 as a teacher on "special assignment," plus a \$15,000 annual stipend from the union.

"The teachers in the Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District deserve to be the best-paid teachers in the state of California, and they deserve to be the best-paid teachers in the state of California because of their excellence, because of their commitment, because of the excellence we have in our schools," he said. "Being a public school administrator is a tough job, but there's no job more difficult and more challenging and more important in public schools than being a classroom teacher — and the district's budgetary priorities should be the classroom, first and foremost."

How the district could support a pay raise for teachers is unclear. In 2002-2003, the school district spent nearly \$38 million paying the salaries of 657 certificated teachers, according to a district-prepared report to the county. With state funding drying up, Santa Monica residents and City Hall have kicked in millions of extra dollars to keep the district afloat.

Regardless of what happens, Deasy said he empathizes with teachers.

"We don't have much money to pay people anything — average salaries in California in all these districts are incredibly low," he said. "You can't live in Santa Monica on these salaries."

Head of the office

The top 30 highest-paid workers in the Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District, by position:

POSITION	SALARY
Superintendent of Schools	\$172,351
Assistant Superintendent of Special Education	\$153,000
Deputy Superintendent*	\$147,525
Assistant Superintendent*	\$133,751
Director, Computer Services	\$129,907
Principal, Santa Monica High School	\$128,254
Director, Student Services	\$123,751
Principal, Malibu High School	\$118,479
Asst. Principal, Santa Monica High School	\$113,671
Director, Special Education	\$109,614
Director, Pupil Services	\$109,614
Teacher, John Adams Middle School	\$107,680
Principal, Olympic High School*	\$107,226
Principal, Roosevelt Elementary	\$107,120
Principal, John Adams Middle School	\$106,974
Chief Academic Officer	\$106,882
Principal, Will Rogers Elementary	\$104,595
Director, Fiscal Services*	\$103,044
Director, Purchasing/Warehouse	\$102,940
Teacher, John Adams Middle School	\$102,849
Principal, Webster Elementary School	\$102,471
Teacher, Santa Monica High School	\$101,989
Coordinator, Educational Services	\$101,847
Principal, Cabrillo Elementary School*	\$101,120
House Principal, Santa Monica High School*	\$101,120
Principal, Grant Elementary School	\$101,120
Director, Adult Education	\$101,120
Principal, Franklin Elementary School	\$101,120
Student Support Advisor, Santa Monica High School	\$101,120
Teacher, Santa Monica High School	\$100,741
Teacher, Santa Monica High School	\$99,724

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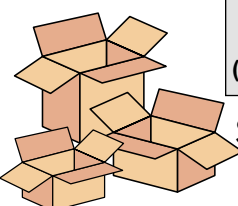
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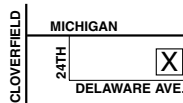
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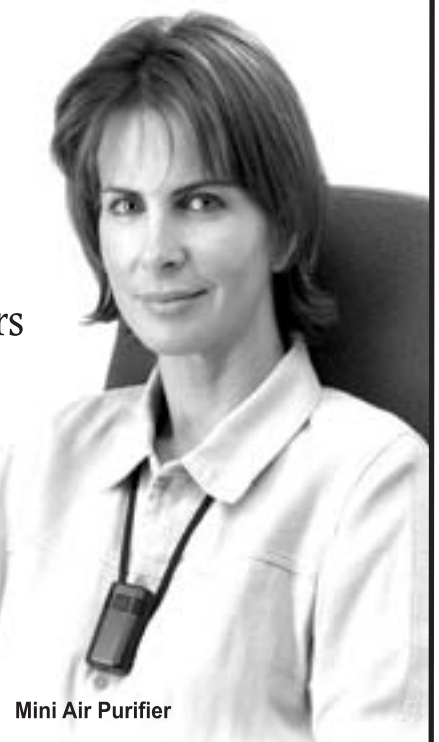
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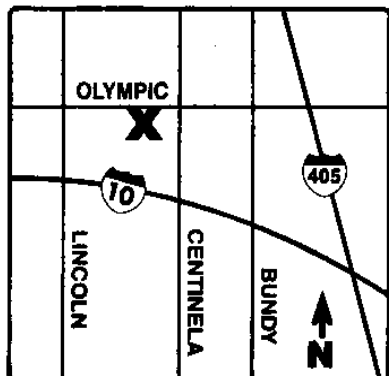


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PeopleSoft shareholders back \$9.2B takeover bid

BY MICHAEL LIEDTKE

AP Business Writer

SAN FRANCISCO — More than 60 percent of PeopleSoft Inc.'s shareholders have tendered their stock in support of Oracle Corp.'s \$9.2 billion takeover bid for its bitter rival, further extending a bruising battle that already has dragged on for more than 17 months.

As of late Friday, Oracle said 228.7 million PeopleSoft shares had been tendered, giving the Redwood Shores-based company the majority support that it demanded to keep its \$24-per-share offer alive.

"The owners of PeopleSoft have spoken and have overwhelmingly chosen to sell to Oracle at \$24 per share," said Oracle CEO Larry Ellison. "We are prepared to enter a definitive merger agreement as early as this weekend."

Oracle sent a letter to PeopleSoft's board requesting a meeting as soon as possible and extended its offer until Dec. 31. The company planned to withdraw the offer if most PeopleSoft shareholders hadn't tendered their stock by midnight Friday.

PeopleSoft declined comment after the vote was announced, but the company's board previously has vowed to continue its resistance through the winter.

Maintaining that Oracle's current bid is inadequate, PeopleSoft's board has advised shareholders not to tender their stock.

If Oracle had abandoned its proposed combination of business software makers, industry analysts believe PeopleSoft's stock would have plunged by more than 30 percent as shareholders hoping to cash in on a takeover dumped their stakes.

With that prospect looming, more shareholders concluded it made sense to tender their stock to keep Oracle's offer on the table while PeopleSoft's management tries to deliver on its rosy sales forecasts next year, said American Technology Research analyst Donovan Gow.

If PeopleSoft delivers, the company's stock could rise above \$24 per share, but Oracle's bid provides a safety net if sales

should falter. "I think we are going to be talking about this (takeover attempt) for many more months to come," Gow said.

In anticipation of the saga continuing, PeopleSoft's shares gained 25 cents Friday to close at \$23.17 on the Nasdaq Stock Market, where Oracle's shares declined 22 cents to \$12.75.

Oracle's pursuit of its Pleasanton-based rival quickly evolved into a Silicon Valley soap opera featuring venomous personal attacks, courtroom drama and even the firing of a chief executive — PeopleSoft's former leader, Craig Conway. Along the way, Oracle and PeopleSoft have combined to spend \$169 million fighting each other so far and hurt both companies' sales in the process as the uncertainty caused more corporate customers to buy business applications software from industry leader SAP.

PeopleSoft's board previously has indicated it will continue to thwart a takeover by triggering a legal defense — called a "poison pill" — that would flood the market with new shares to make a buyout prohibitively expensive.

Oracle intends to ask a Delaware judge to remove the poison pill in a court hearing scheduled for Wednesday.

Based on legal precedents, analysts believe it's unlikely Judge Leo Strine will touch the poison pill, setting the stage for a climactic showdown at PeopleSoft's annual meeting next spring. If the battle continues that long, Oracle would have to try to wrest control of PeopleSoft's seven-member board by gaining shareholder support for four directors in favor of the takeover.

PeopleSoft's existing board believes it can persuade shareholders to oppose a takeover by delivering on ambitious financial projections released last week.

Excluding one-time accounting charges, PeopleSoft is aiming for 2005 earnings of \$1.05 to \$1.10 per share — more than 25 percent above analysts estimates.

Most analysts haven't made significant revisions to their own 2005 earnings estimates for PeopleSoft, reflecting widespread skepticism about the company's ability to hit its new financial target.

New proposal tries where many have failed

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two senators and at least one representative no state has fewer than three electoral votes. That means voters in sparsely populated states like Wyoming are overrepresented compared to states like California.

With 500,000 residents, Wyoming has one elector for every 165,000 people, according to Lofgren's office; California has over 35 million residents which amounts to one elector for every 635,000 people. Wyoming has three electoral votes while California has 55, by far the most in the nation.

When Bush lost the popular vote but won the Electoral College vote and the presidency in 2000, some Democrats clamored for scrapping the Electoral College, but Republican-controlled congressional committees wouldn't schedule hearings.

Numerous attempts to abolish the Electoral College have failed. Amending the Constitution requires a two-thirds vote in both houses of Congress and ratification by 38 states — no easy feat because small states are unwilling to abandon the disproportionate influence they get from the Electoral College.



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NATIONAL



Efforts to pass Sept. 11 commission reforms fail

BY JESSE J. HOLLAND

Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON — In a defeat for President Bush, rebellious House Republicans on Saturday derailed legislation to overhaul the nation's intelligence agencies along lines recommended by the Sept. 11 commission.

"It's hard to reform. It's hard to make changes," said Speaker Dennis Hastert, R-Ill., who sought unsuccessfully to persuade critics among the GOP rank and file to swing behind the measure.

Hastert's decision to send lawmakers home without a vote drew attacks from Democrats, and capped an unpredictable day in which prospects for enactment of the measure seemed to grow, then diminish, almost by the hour. He left open the possibility of summoning lawmakers back in session early next month.

As approved by key negotiators, the White House and the bipartisan the 9-11 commission, the compromise would create a powerful position to oversee the CIA and several other nonmilitary spy agencies. A new national counterterrorism center would coordinate the fight against foreign terrorists.

Bush and Vice President Dick Cheney both contacted congressional negotiators by phone in hopes of nailing down an acceptable compromise that could clear Congress in the final hours of a postelection session.

But Reps. Duncan Hunter and Jim Sensenbrenner, chairmen of the Armed Services and Judiciary committees, raised objections. Officials said Hunter, R-Calif., expressed concerns that provisions of the bill could interfere with the military chain of command and endanger troops in the field. Sensenbrenner, R-Wis., wanted addi-

tional provisions dealing with immigration, these officials said.

"I am very disappointed that these objections have been raised at the 11th hour and temporarily derailed this bill," said Sen. Susan Collins, R-Maine, the primary negotiator on the measure for Senate Republicans.

Collins said it was surprising, given Bush's recent re-election triumph, that Republicans were not willing to approve legislation that he favored and his aides lobbied for throughout the day.

Democrats were biting.

"The commander in chief in the middle of a war says he needs this bill to protect the American people," said Sen. Joseph Lieberman, D-Conn., who led Democratic negotiators on the issue.

He said the development was "particularly shocking after the president, the commander in chief, has been re-elected."

"Republicans control the House, the Senate, and the White House, and the blame for this failure is theirs alone," added House Democratic leader Nancy Pelosi of California.

If lawmakers fail to pass legislation this year, they will render moot three months of hearings and negotiations that started with the commission's July release of its

report studying the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks. Lawmakers would have to start from scratch next year — if they even pick up the issue again. With a new Congress taking office in January, unapproved bills expire and new lawmakers and committee leaders would have to consider any new legislation.

Lawmakers originally thought they had a deal Saturday and the commission, a bipartisan group that sharply criticized the performance of intelligence agencies, had endorsed their work.

The deal "contains not only major reforms of the intelligence community, but significant measures to improve aviation and border security, and emergency preparedness and response," the commission's leaders, Thomas Kean and Lee Hamilton, said in a statement.

The agreement had been reached between Collins and Lieberman and House Intelligence Committee Chairman Rep. Pete Hoekstra, R-Mich., and Rep. Jane Harman, D-Calif., early Saturday.

Harman, D-Calif., said the Pentagon has worked to scuttle the bill.

"The forces in favor of the status quo are protecting their turf, whether it is in Congress or in the bureaucracy. And at a time when we are in a war we can't allow turn concerns" to triumph, Collins said.

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Cattle-tracking system being tested in the West

BY REBECCA BOONE
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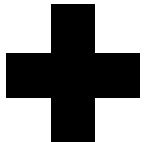
EMMETT, Idaho — Federal policy is meeting Western reality on the rangelands of Idaho, where ranching culture, technological glitches and the bitter cold all are potential obstacles to plans to track livestock and protect the food supply from disease and bioterrorism.

Fearing another incident such as last December’s discovery of a mad-cow case in Washington state, the U.S. Department of Agriculture is trying to develop a national network that would track, within 48 hours, every contact an infected animal has had in its life.

On Thursday, Agriculture Department officials said a second case of mad-cow disease may have turned up. Officials investigating that case released few details, but said conclusive tests could take four to seven days.

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If the final system were in place now, government officials could track all the cows that animal had contact with before the tests were even finished.

The proposed tracking network casts a wide net. In addition to cattle, it would track horses, poultry, bison, sheep, hogs and farmed fish. Farmers with a milk cow or two would participate alongside ranchers with thousands of range cattle. Even kids who raise and exhibit an animal as a 4-H project would be part of the network.

Such strict tracking is necessary, officials say, because it took just one infected Holstein last year to lead more than 30 countries to close their borders to U.S. beef.

But the vast scope of western ranching is a problem in itself. Herds mingle on thousands of square miles of public range for weeks or months on end. Some grazing allotments cross state borders, and some herds graze on both public and private lands.

“It’s good that we’re getting this started now, because there’s going to be glitches,” said Jim England, a University of Idaho veterinarian who’s testing some of the new tracking devices being used in Idaho.

England discovered a few of those glitches at Emmett’s livestock sales yard, about 25 miles northwest of Boise, where he was checking electronic identification tags attached to the ears of a volunteer’s herd. He had a hard time getting within range of many of the calves — the tag reader only works within a foot of the tag.

Another system employs personal digital assistants, “but the Palm Pilot screen shatters at about zero degrees, so that won’t work in some areas,” England said. “One electronic tag reader wouldn’t read at zero degrees.”

England and others are test-driving the systems, underwritten by some of the \$1.1 million in federal grant money Idaho received. The grant also will pay for a registration database of all the places in Idaho beef producers keep cattle.

For now, producers can register their business locations voluntarily at no charge. But England and other industry experts predict some kind of system — electronic tagging, branding, or something else — could become mandatory within a few years.

Most ranchers seem reconciled to the idea.

“It’s something everybody knows they need to address,” said Guy Colyer, owner of Colyer Herefords in Bruneau, a small town about 50 miles southeast of Boise. He has about 350 cows that eventually will be tagged under the new system.

“It’s going to be a complicated situation for most producers, but with the electronic system they’re developing it’s not going to be impossible,” Colyer said. “It’s another tool to give the consumer more confidence that their beef is as safe as can possibly be.”

But the notion of government tracking grates on some ranchers, who hold dear the western notion of independence and freedom from government controls.

Glenn Elzinga, the owner of Alderspring Ranch in Tendoy, Idaho, is raising 440 cattle that are hormone and antibiotic free and never taken to feedlots. He said it should be up to the consumer — not the government — to find out where their beef is coming from.

“Folks can do this by going to farmers markets or

directly to farms, asking at their stores. There’s information on the Internet for people interested in their beef,” Elzinga said. “But a national ID system is an unnecessary cost in a nation where most consumers don’t even care. ... Most people aren’t even concerned about the country of origin.”

Animals can be more easily tracked in the western states because the industry there already has a cattle-brand registry. States east of the Mississippi should create a similar system, Elzinga said, and leave the national government out of it.

But most ranchers have reacted positively, said Ernie Robinson, president-elect of the Idaho Cattle Association.

“It’s a good idea that will protect the market for beef. I think everybody will accept it because they all realize that we need a tracking system,” said Robinson, who plans to volunteer his herd of more than 700 cows for the project.

Though implementing the system is bound to cost producers some money, high beef prices make it easier to bear, Robinson said.

“When prices are good, everybody can swallow something like this a lot better. Calves are bringing up to \$1.20 and \$1.30 a pound right now, and it used to be 60 or 80 cents,” he said.

The tracking system may also boost prices in some markets.

“It will pay off with organic beef, where you can prove your animal has never had antibiotics,” England said.

Enacting the tracking system won’t be easy.

“We have a lot of cattle changing hands and moving around the region on any given day,” said Julie Morrison, a coordinator with the Northwest Pilot Project, an industry tracking project also supported by USDA grants. “I don’t doubt the tracking technology is out there, but the bigger challenge is getting it up and running.”

Ultimately, Morrison predicts, any tracking system requiring too much time, money and paperwork will drive producers away. The pilot project is testing several different ways of tracking animals, looking at everything from using traditional branding to radio frequency identification tags, Morrison said.

“It’s up to producers to make it work. That’s why we’re trying to develop a producer-driven project to test all these scenarios,” she said.

After the Idaho Department of Agriculture finishes registering all cattle locations, it will solicit volunteers to try out tracking systems, said state Veterinarian Clarence Siroky. Some of the federal grant money will be used to help producers buy those systems.

For instance, if a rancher volunteers to share tracking information and cover the cost of new ear tags, Siroky said, the state may offer to pay for the tracking software. No production-related information would have to be shared with the state — simply the location, interaction and purchase or sales of the livestock.

“This will be invaluable in case of a highly contagious disease such as foot-and-mouth disease,” Siroky said.

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NATIONAL



Democrats mull next step: Dig in or work with GOP

BY TOM RAUM
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON — Outpolled, outmaneuvered and out of power, Democrats are suffering an identity crisis.

They could dig in for the long haul as an opposition party similar to many European semi-permanent parliamentary models, and espouse popular positions without worrying about governance. Or they could try to reach across party lines in hopes of achieving accommodation with the Republicans for the public good.

There are pluses and minuses to each approach, and finding a happy medium will be difficult.

“Once they get out of the fetal position, which is what they’re in right now, the Democrats in Congress are really going to have start catching the pitches that are thrown by the president,” said Ross Baker, a political science professor at Rutgers University.

“They can’t be obstructionist,” Baker said, but should capitalize on the fact that President Bush’s second-term proposals to overhaul the tax code and add private accounts to Social Security “are fairly radical things” that could be troublesome for Republican lawmakers seeking reelection in 2006.

After the 1992 elections, Republicans were pretty much in the same boat as Democrats are today. Democrat Bill Clinton had won the White House and Democrats had extended their control of Congress.

Republicans took “about nine or 10 months to figure out what the job was as the opposition party. And then it took them a couple more years to figure out how to operate with that,” said Doug Sosnik, a former top political adviser to Clinton.

“There was a burden they faced, and we face, which is: It’s not enough to just say what you’re against, but you have to say what you’re for,” Sosnik said.

The Republicans’ “Contract with America,” which spelled out a series of goals for reduced government and social activism, gave the GOP such a rallying platform. It helped them capture control of both houses of Congress in 1994.

But House Speaker Newt Gingrich’s decision to play veto roulette with Clinton over spending bills in 1995 resulted in a temporary, nationwide shutdown of the

government that worked against Republicans, costing them House seats in 1996 and fomenting a rebellion against Gingrich that led to his departure.

“The real question here is whether the Democrats can learn to behave like an opposition party,” said Henry J. Aaron, a senior fellow at the Brookings Institution, a liberal-leaning think tank based in Washington. “That means taking popular stands and not paying quite as much attention to the details, letting the majority party worry about the practicality.”

“Thus far, the Democrats to date have not had the organization or the discipline to play that role,” Aaron said.

Democrats have a hard time letting go.

Their long years of controlling Congress remain a fresh memory in the minds of many incumbents, giving them an institutional split personality reflected in Sen. Harry Reid’s remarks after being elected incoming Senate Minority leader.

“I would always rather dance than fight. But I know how to fight,” the Nevada Democrat said.

Part of the Democrats’ plight is that resolving the debate over the direction of the party may not happen until a nominee is selected for 2008, because he — or she — will steer the party’s course through the next presidential contest.

And with no dominant leader for the future, the party now remains in the shadow of Clinton, rather than of its most recent nominee, Sen. John Kerry of Massachusetts.

Clinton’s continuing influence was underscored as recently as Thursday at the dedication of his presidential library in Little Rock, Ark., where he drew lavish praise not only from predictable Democratic luminaries, but from the first President Bush, whom he defeated, and the current one, Clinton’s successor.

The Democrats’ predicament looks even bleaker considering that Bush likely will get to fill two or more vacancies on the Supreme Court, giving Republicans effective majorities in all three branches of government.

Gleeful Republicans are seeking to pound Democrats into remaining the minority party for years to come. The president’s top strategist, Karl Rove, is already involved in organizing grass-roots support for the 2006 midterm elections in hopes of solidifying GOP gains in Congress.

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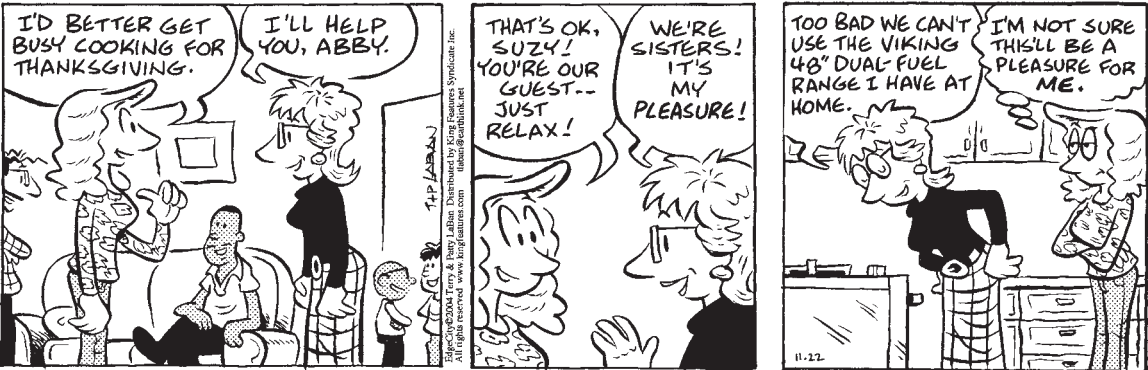


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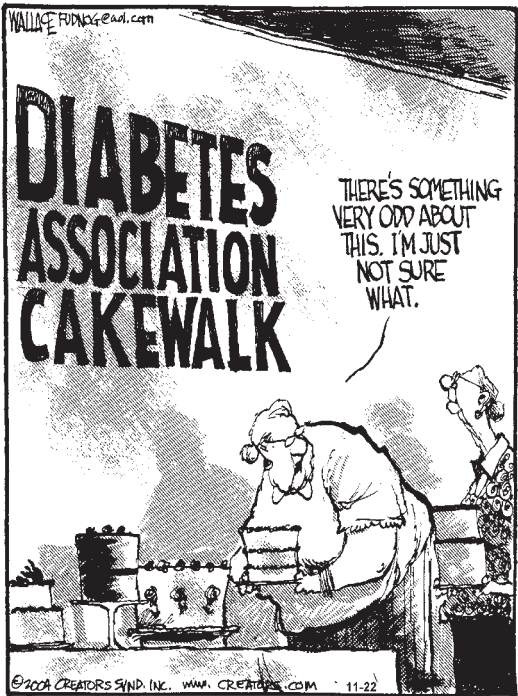
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 042662036 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Stop-N-Sell, 646 N. Beachwood Dr., LA CA 90004. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Patricia Casado, 814 5th Ave., LA CA 90005 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/1/2004. /s/: Patricia Casado

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2659834 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Outrank, 2225 Rogers Ave., LA CA 90023. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Jose Rodriguez Jr., 2225 Rogers Ave., LA CA 90023, Jose M. Correa, 615 N. Poplar Ave., Montebello, CA 90640, Saul Sevilla, 5411/2 S. Soto St., LA CA 90033, Leo Moninar, 6133 Toltac Way, LA CA 90042, Alex Correa, 655 Chicago St., LA CA 90033. This Business is being conducted by, a general partnership. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Jose Rodriguez Jr., Jose M. Correa, Saul Sevilla

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2707540 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Children First Child Development Center, Inc, 4415 W. 165th St, Lawndale, CA 90260. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Ozie V. Henry Sr., 19420 Coslin Ave., Carson, CA 90746 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Ozie V. Henry, Sr.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2721034 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Expressa Financial, Expressa Mortgage, 8050 Florence Ave, Suite 101, Downey, CA 90240. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Lino G. Alvarado, 4524 E. Linsley St., Compton, CA 90221, Armando D' Lacuba, 8102 4th St., Downey, CA 90241, Maria Inez Alvarado, 8050 Florence Ave., Suite #101, Downey, CA 90240 This Business is being conducted by, a limited partnership. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Armando D' Lacuba, Lino G. Alvarado, Maria Inez Alvarado

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2720466 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Home Classics, 2226 S. Sepulveda, LA CA 90064. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Omid Sakhai, 136 N. Carson Rd., Beverly Hills, CA 90211, Joseph Sakhai, 136 N. Carson Rd., Beverly Hills, CA 90211 This Business is being conducted by, a general partnership. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/1/2004. /s/: Omid Sakhai, Joseph Sakhai

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2694825 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HW Maintenance & Sweeping Services, 919 N. Main St., LA CA 90012. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Ignacio G. Miramontes, 1040 S. 4th St., Montebello, CA 90640, Maria del Carmen N. Miramontes, 1040 S. 4th St., Montebello, CA 90640 This Business is being conducted by, husband and wife. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Ignacio G. Miramontes, Maria del Carmen N. Miramontes

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2694831 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as A Q Backhoe Service, 13532 Mulberry Dr., Whittier, CA 90605. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Arturo Quezada, 13532 Mulberry Dr., Whittier, CA 90605 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Arturo Quezada

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2694207 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Johnny's Gardening Service, 14344 E. Hayward St., Whittier, CA 90605. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Johnny Rodriguez, 14344 E. Hayward St., Whittier, CA 90605, Mercedes Garcia Rodriguez, 14344 E. Hayward St., Whittier, CA 90605 This Business is being conducted by, a general partnership. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/19/2004. /s/: Johnny Rodriguez, Mercedes Garcia Rodriguez

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2694820 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as J&V Electronics, J&V Custom Electronics, 8124 Quoit St., Downey, CA 90242. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Jose Gonzalez, 8124 Quoit St., Downey, CA 90242 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact



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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 02 2694814 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Industrial Equipment, 8135 Florence Ave., Suite #202, Downey, CA 90240. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Juan E. Rangel, 8135 Florence Ave., Suite #202, Downey, CA 90240, Guillermo Quintero, 8135 Florence Ave., Suite #202, Downey, CA 90240, Francisco Castaneda, 8135 Florence Ave., Suite #202, Downey, CA 90240 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/15/2004. /s/: Juan E. Rangel, Guillermo Quinter, Francisco Castaneda

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2723026 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Eye to Eye, 5939 W. Pico Blvd., LA CA 90035. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Namuyaba Temaniu, 5939 W. Pico Blvd., LA CA 90035 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Namuyaba Temaniu

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2660614 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Macias Welding, 11432 Basye St., El Monte, CA 91732. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Javier Macias, 11432 Basye St., El Monte, CA 91732 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)9/15/2004. /s/: Javier Macias

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2655661 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Direct Data Source, 3557 Fairesta St., La Crescenta, CA 91214. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Steven Lee, 3557 Fairesta St., La Crescenta, CA 91214 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/14/2004. /s/: Steven Lee

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2659125 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Eagle Building Maintenance, 10338 Painter Ave., Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Samuel Navarro, 29095 Maltby Ave., Moreno Valley, CA 92555 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/15/2004. /s/: Sameul Navarro

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2662022 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Clumps Distributors LLC, AION # 200423010038, 1011 1/2 N. Coronado St., LA CA 90026. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Clumps Distributors LLC, 1011 1/2 N. Coronado St., LA CA 90026 This Business is being conducted by, a limited liability. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Clumps Distributors, LLC
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2659550 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Del Smith Manufacturing, AION # 2689291, 3534 East 14th St., LA CA 90023. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Cal FABCO, 249 Bayport Way Oak Park, CA 91377 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Cal FABCO

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2662037 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Freddy's Auto Sales & Towing, 1346 W. 62nd Street, LA CA 90044. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Regina Sina Pio-Wagner, 948 W. Carter Street, Rialto, CA 92376. Fredrick Wagner, 948 W. Carter Street, Rialto, CA 92376 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein. /s/: Regina Sina Pio-Wagner, Fredrick Wagner

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2773021 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Jeff Miller Consulting, 3300 Mountain View Ave., LA CA 90066. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Jeffrey A. Miller, 3300 Mountain View Ave., LA CA 90066 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Jeffrey Miller

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2749192 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Dream Entertainment, 1626 N. Wilcox Ave., Ste 234, Hollywood, CA 90028. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Seema Jadhav, 16611 S. Connelstone Ct., Cerritos, CA 90703 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Seema Jadhav
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2882207 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Telelegends, Tele Legends, 1651 Federal Ave., Ste #3, LA CA 90025. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Warren Levin, 1651 Federal Ave., Ste #3, LA CA 90025 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/1/2004. /s/: Warren Levin

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2789132 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Eyeganic Studios, Earganic Studios, 1569 Westwood Blvd., Ste. A, LA CA 90024. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Eric Olsen, 1569 Westwood Blvd., Ste. A, LA CA 90024 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Eric Olsen

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2763937 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Villa Saticoy, Villa de Saticoy, 14534 Saticoy, Van Nuys, CA 91405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Mr. Kerry Flowers, 2367 Sunset Heights Drive, LA CA 90046. Mr. Phillip Musikanth, 2367 Sunset Heights Drive, LA CA 90046 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun

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to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Kerry Flowers, Phillip Musikanth

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2762937 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Star Quality Entertainment, Star Quality Music, Star Quality Sounds, 16315 Haskins Lane, Carson, CA 90746. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Malcolm Gerard Harvest, 16315 Haskins Lane, Carson, CA 90746 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Malcolm Harvest

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2735708 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as The Beach Hut Cafe, AION # 2687768, 5726 E. 7th Street, Long Beach, CA 90803. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Kyuno, Inc., 5726 E. 7th Street, Long Beach, CA 90803 This Business is being conducted

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2759315 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Speedy Auto Registration Service, 15318 S. Figueroa St., Gardena, CA 90248. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Shoha B. Khawaja, 4716 W. 169th St., Lawndale, CA 90260 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/30/2004. /s/: Shoha B. Khawaja

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2734353 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Synallos, 7172 Sunnitrose St., Tujunga, CA 91042. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Jeremy Williams, 7172 Sunnitrose St., Tujunga, CA 91042 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein. /s/: Jeremy Williams

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son(s) is (are) doing business as GEE Enterprise Recordings, GEE Enterprise TV & Films, GEE Enterprise Mktg & Research, AION #C1787801, 8306 Wilshire Blvd., #662 Beverly Hills, CA 90211. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : GEE Enterprise Entertainment, Inc., 8306 Wilshire Blvd., #662 Beverly Hills, CA 90211 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)7/27/2001. /s/: GEE Enterprise Entertainment Inc.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2736765 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Canario's Sport, 2022 E. Florence Ave., Ste., #B LA CA 90001. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Lilian Amparo Izquierdo, 3522 W 111th St., Inglewood, CA 90303 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Lilian Amparo Izquierdo

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2733213 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MB Styles, 2105 W. Pico Blvd., #B, LA CA 90006. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Juan Baller, 15139 Rancho Centina Rd., Paramount, CA 90723 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date). /s/: Juan Baller

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2733218 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Stephanie Discount & mini Market, 8203 Avalon Blvd., LA CA 90003. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Rogelio Alonzo, 615 E. 80th St., Apt #1, LA CA 90001, Norma Zepeda, 615 E. 80th St., Apt #1, LA CA 90001 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/1/2004. /s/: Rogelio Alonzo, Norma Zepeda

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2734335 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Custome Computers, 415 Naranja Dr. Unit #E, Glendale, CA 91206. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Karen Khriobyan, 415 Naranja Dr. Unit #E, Glendale, CA 91206 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/22/2004. /s/: Karen Khriobyan

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2734347 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Aleman Sunrise Dental, Aleman Family Dentist, 1111 Covina Blvd., San Dimas, CA 91773. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Mario Rene Aleman Gomez, 1309 W. Mission Blvd., #19, Ontario, CA 91762 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Mario Aleman

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NO. 04 2792151 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as L. G. Equipment, 1111 E. Iverstone Blvd., LA CA 90012. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: Luis Antonio Martinez, 3170 Flower St., Lynwood, CA 90260 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed:

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PROFITICIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 04 2778058 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as California Jade Therapy, 15834 Workman St., La Puente, CA 91744. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Scott M. Chou, 1931 Paso Real Ave., Rowland Hts., CA 91748, Wang Yu, 1931 Paso Real Ave., Rowland Hts., CA 91748 This Business is being conducted by, a general partnership. Signed: The registrant

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son(s) is (are) doing business as San Clemen^{te}, IV, 2432 Nalin Dr., LA CA 90077. The full name of reg-
istrant(s) is/are : Cavour Yeh, 2432 Nalin Dr., LA CA
90077, John Yeh, 16924 Bollinger Dr., Pacific Palis-
ades, CA 90272 This Business is being conducted
by, an individual. Signed: The registrant com-
menced to transact business under the fictitious
business name or names listed on
(Date)11/9/2004. /s/: Cavour Yeh, John Yeh

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2938627 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Offshoot, Beam
up, Longbow, 1512 Eleventh St., Ste 208, Santa
Monica, CA 90401. The full name of registrant(s)
is/are : Charles Mason, 6306 Kirkwood Dr., LA CA
90046 This Business is being conducted by, an in-
dividual. Signed: The registrant commenced to
transact business under the fictitious business
name or names listed on (Date)11/15/2004. /s/:
Charles Mason

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2930124 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Lazy Santa, 3604
S. Centinela, LA CA 90066. The full name of regis-
trant(s) is/are : Shane Stewart, 3604 S. Centinela,
LA CA 90066 This Business is being conducted by,
an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced
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Shane Stewart

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2921935 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Peace Love Anar-
chy, Little Rebel, AION # 980115000, 1716 Dege-
mont St., #36, LA CA 90027. The full name of reg-
istrant(s) is/are : Dubois, LLC, 1716 Degemont St.,
#36, LA CA 90027 This Business is being con-
ducted by, a limited liability. Signed: The registrant
commenced to transact business under the ficti-
tious business name or names listed on
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2914224 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Urban Aquatic,
1427 East Fourth St., #17, LA CA 90033. The full
name of registrant(s) is/are : Shawn Richardson,
1427 East Fourth St., #17, LA CA 90033 This Busi-
ness is being conducted by, an individual. Signed:
Registrant has not yet begun to transact business
under the fictitious name or names listed herein..
/s/: Shawn Richardson

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2914202 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Team Realty,
AION# 2690070, 5440 E. Beverly Blvd., LA CA
90022. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : J. N.
J. Properties, 5440 E. Beverly Blvd., LA CA 90022

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tion. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to trans-
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2912321 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Red Moon, Wash-
burn Choppers, 374 Obispo Ave., #1, Long Beach,
CA 90814. The full name of registrant(s) is/are :
Cynthia Lee Short, 374 Obispo Ave., #1, Long
Beach, CA 90814, Ernest Russell Washburn IV, 374
Obispo Ave., #1, Long Beach, CA 90814 This Busi-
ness is being conducted by, a general partnership.
Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact
business under the fictitious name or names listed
herein.. /s/: Cynthia Lee Short, Ernest Russell
Washburn

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2912616 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Par-Del Medical
Coding & Auditing Services, 7922 Stewart & Grey
#18, Downey, CA 90241. The full name of regis-
trant(s) is/are : Maria G. Del La Torre, 7922 Stew-
art & Grey #18, Downey, CA 90241 This Business
is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The
registrant commenced to transact business under
the fictitious business name or names listed on
(Date)10/1/2004. /s/: Maria G. Del La Torre
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son(s) is (are) doing business as Lee Storage, Lee
Storage, LLC, Lee Drilling Storage, AION#
200426610202, 4728 Faculty Ave., Long Beach,
CA 90808. The full name of registrant(s) is/are :
Lee Storage, LLC, 4728 Faculty Ave., Long Beach,
CA 90808 This Business is being conducted by, a
limited liability. Signed: The registrant commenced
to transact business under the fictitious business
name or names listed on (Date)11/1/2004. /s/: Lee
Storage, LLC

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2879311 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Brand Name Deals
and More, 10610 Harvest Ave., Santa Fe Springs,
CA 90670. The full name of registrant(s) is/are :
Araceli Avalos, 10610 Harvest Ave., Santa Fe
Springs, CA 90670 This Business is being con-
ducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not
yet begun to transact business under the fictitious
name or names listed herein.. /s/: Arceli Avalos

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NO. 04 2880502 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as One Stop Wire-
less & Video, 12506 Yanown St., N. Hollywood, CA
91605. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Aru-

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tyun Kyurkchyan, 12945 Oxnard St., #117, Van
Nuys, CA 91401 This Business is being conducted
by, an individual. Signed: The registrant com-
menced to transact business under the fictitious
business name or names listed on
(Date)11/5/2004. /s/: Arutyun Kyurkchyan
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2880612 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Luxury Nails, 302
N. Florence Ave., LA CA 90003. The full name of
registrant(s) is/are : Thuy-Huong Luone, 9081 Sa-
bre Ln, Westminster, CA 92683 This Business is
being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The
registrant commenced to transact business under
the fictitious business name or names listed on
(Date)10/30/2004. /s/: Thuy-Huong Luone
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2928901 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Charle's Music
Factory, 7800 pacific Blvd., #8, Huntington Park,
CA 90255. The full name of registrant(s) is/are :
Carlos Gustavo Barrera, 608 W. Phillips St., Ontar-
io, CA 91762 This Business is being conducted by,
an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced
to transact business under the fictitious business
name or names listed on (Date)11/6/2004. /s/:
Carlos Gustavo Barrera

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2928155 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Nat King Cole
Christmas Lighting, 2235 E. 119th St, LA CA
90059. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Na-
thaniel Cole, 2235 E. 119th St, LA CA 90059 This
Business is being conducted by, an individual.
Signed: The registrant commenced to transact
business under the fictitious business name or
names listed on (Date)11/1/2004. /s/: Nathaniel
Cole

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2928222 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Costa Mesa Auto
Dismantler's, AION# 2707717, 2075 Placentia
Ave., Costa Mesa, CA 92627. The full name of reg-
istrant(s) is/are : Placentia Auto, Inc., 1555 Hun-
tington Village Lane, #44, Huntington Beach, CA
92647 This Business is being conducted by, a cor-
poration. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to
transact business under the fictitious name or
names listed herein.. /s/: Placentia Auto, Inc

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2930109 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Time to Relax,
2639 Fairway Ave. Montrose, CA 91020. The full
name of registrant(s) is/are : Julie Annamarie Bal-
tay, 2639 Fairway Ave. Montrose, CA 91020 This
Business is being conducted by, an individual.

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Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact
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herein.. /s/: Julie Annamarie Baltay
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NO. 04 2930110 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Los Angeles Chi-
ro-Med Center, 1704 W. Manchester Ave., Ste
105, LA CA 90047. The full name of registrant(s)
is/are : Danush Haghani, 415 W. Lincoln Ave.,
#251, Anaheim, CA 92805 This Business is being
conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has
not yet begun to transact business under the ficti-
tious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Danush
Haghani

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2930148 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Ivet Produce,
2015 N. Parish Place, Burbank, CA 91504. The full
name of registrant(s) is/are : Ivet Mandani, 2015 N.
Parish Place, Burbank, CA 91504 This Business is
being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Regis-
trant has not yet begun to transact business under
the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Ivet
Mandani

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2930564 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Golden Vision Pro-
ductions, AION# C17862003, 4301 W. Kling St.,
#11, Burbank, CA 91505. The full name of regis-
trant(s) is/are : Jechil Corp, 11235 Arcangelo
Court, NV 89141 This Business is being conducted
by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet
begun to transact business under the fictitious
name or names listed herein.. /s/: Jechil Corp

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2914247 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Big Size Calendar,
AION #200311610076, 7400 Hollywood Blvd., Ste
626, Hollywood CA 90046. The full name of regis-
trant(s) is/are : Galt Industries, LLC, 7400 Holly-
wood Blvd., Ste 626, Hollywood CA 90046 This
Business is being conducted by, a limited liability.
Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact
business under the fictitious name or names listed
herein.. /s/: Galt Industries, LLC

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2899721 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Action Insurance
Services, Salazar Insurance Services, At Your Ser-
vice Insurance, 8612 Enramada Ave., Whittier, CA
90605. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Patri-
cia Viviana Salazar, 8612 Enranada Ave., Whittier,
CA 90605 This Business is being conducted by, an
individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to
transact business under the fictitious name or
names listed herein.. /s/: Patricia Viviana Salazar
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2914810 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Highland Lending
Services, 6025 N. Figueroa St., Unit E, LA CA
90042. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Liz-
beth Barron, 3476 Milton St., Pasadena, CA 91107
This Business is being conducted by, an individual.
Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact
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herein.. /s/: Lizbeth Barron

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NO. 04 2912746 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as ABC Logistics,
5434 Carlton Way, Apt 11, Hollywood, CA 90027.
The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Artavazd Ker-
yan, 5434 Carlton Way, Apt 11, Hollywood, CA
90027 This Business is being conducted by, an in-
dividual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to
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names listed herein.. /s/: Artavazd Keryan

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2909158 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Andes, 6536 Hol-
lywood Blvd, Hollywood, CA 90028. The full name
of registrant(s) is/are : Ercilia M. Palomino, 527
Maplewood Ave., Fullerton, CA 92832 This Busi-
ness is being conducted by, an individual. Signed:
The registrant commenced to transact business
under the fictitious business name or names listed
on (Date)6/12/1995. /s/: Ercilia M. Palomino

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2883253 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Quality Hair Im-
ports, Quality Hair Imports.com, 287 S. Robertson
Blvd., Beverly Hills, CA 90211. The full name of
registrant(s) is/are : Latisha Crutenfield, 19421 Til-
lman Ave., Carson, CA 90746, Jamal Parker, 19421
Tillman Ave., Carson, CA 90746 This Business is
being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Regis-
trant has not yet begun to transact business under
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tasha Crutenfield, Jamal Parker

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Statement of Withdrawal from Partnership Oper-
ating under Fictitious Business Name: Current File
No: 04 0300270. The following person(s) has/have
withdrawn as a general partner(s) from the part-
nership operating under the fictitious business
name of Ghemma Designs located at 105 S. Irena
#3, Redondo Beach, CA 90277 The fictitious busi-
ness name statement for the partnership was filed
on February 10, 2004 in the County of Redondo
Beach. The full name and residence of the person(s)
withdrawing as a partner(s): Georgina
Chen, 1441 Centinela Ave., #4, Santa Monica, CA
90404. I declare that all information in this state-
ment is true and correct, signed: Georgina Chen

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE
NO. 04 2924747 FIRST FILING. The following per-
son(s) is (are) doing business as Triunfo Studios,
5825 Sunset Blvd., Ste 217, Hollywood, CA 91006.
The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Consuelo Her-
nandez, 11624 Rives Ave, Downey, CA 90241,



PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Vanilla Ice reclaims lost pet wallaroo and goat

By The Associated Press

PORT ST. LUCIE, Fla. — Bucky Buckaroo the wallaroo and Pancho the goat may soon be back in the custody of their rapper owner Vanilla Ice.

Bucky and Pancho escaped more than a week ago and spent several days frolicking in the streets and wooded areas of St. Lucie County in southeast Florida. They made a run for it after Pancho nudged open an unlocked door with his head and the two broke out of a relative’s backyard.

The animals were captured Nov. 13 after the 60-pound wallaroo — a cross between a wallaby and a kangaroo — scratched a woman’s car. But Vanilla Ice, whose real name is Robert van Winkle, was out of town and could not immediately claim them.

When the rapper arrived at animal control offices Friday, officials fined him \$220 because his permit for the pets had expired. So Bucky and Pancho are staying temporarily with an exotic animal breeder.

“I’m pretty shocked at all the attention,” the rapper said, holding up clippings of newspaper stories on the incident. “They get more attention here than they do at home.”

He says he expects he’ll be able to reclaim the animals after he pays another fine to the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission.

Vanilla Ice climbed to fame with his 1990 rap hit “Ice Ice, Baby.” Of late, he has appeared on the WB’s “Surreal Life” reality show, which featured celebrities whose fame had faded.

LOS ANGELES — Jim Carrey says on the CBS program “60 minutes” that he is better able to deal with depression now that he lives a life free of Prozac and alcohol.

In an interview for Sunday’s broadcast, Carrey said he took Prozac for a long time but the drug didn’t cure

his depression.

“I had to get off at a certain point because I realized that ... everything is just OK,” he told reporter Steve Kroft at his home in Brentwood.

Even when he was taking Prozac, the depression didn’t go away entirely, he says.

“It feels like a low level of despair you live in where you’re not getting any answers but you’re living OK and you can smile at the office,” he said.

Carrey says he still has bouts of depression but he now deals with it without Prozac and alcohol.

“I rarely drink coffee. I am very serious about no alcohol, no drugs,” he said. “Life is too beautiful.”

Carrey’s film credits include “Eternal Sunshine of the Spotless Mind,” “The Mask” and “The Truman Show.”

COSTA MESA, Calif. — Dennis Rodman is playing basketball again in a bid to return to the NBA, but for now he’s not venturing far from home.

Rodman’s debut with the Orange County Crush of the American Basketball Association begins next month. But his contract is only for home games.

Rodman, 43, “doesn’t want to deal with all the hoopla that comes along with being Dennis Rodman when he travels,” said Shannon Barr, his publicist.

Still, the seven-time rebounding champion will leave home for some things: At the moment he’s in Houston shooting a television commercial to be aired during the Super Bowl, Barr said.

The Crush has its first game Sunday but Rodman won’t even start practice for another week to 10 days. The first home game is Dec. 9.

“Dennis just wants to concentrate on staying home and getting in the best basketball shape possible,” Barr said. “He has one goal in mind and that is to make it back to the NBA without any distractions.”

Rodman, who played on NBA championship teams

in Detroit and Chicago, returned to the NBA briefly in 2000 with the Dallas Mavericks. But he was waived after 29 days, a day after criticizing owner-in-waiting Mark Cuban.

NEW YORK — First it was Rory Freeman. Then it was Lea “Sarge” Masters. And now the six remaining female contestants on CBS’ “Survivor: Vanuatu — Islands of Fire” have ousted another male player from the game: James “Chad” Crittenden.

The 35-year-old teacher from Oakland, Calif., and the other remaining male player, Chris Daugherty, were unable to sway the Alinta tribe’s women to vote off a fellow female. Instead, led by tribe member Ami Cusack, every woman cast her vote against Crittenden on Thursday’s episode.

“It seemed like a great plan,” Crittenden told The Associated Press Friday. “Ami somehow managed to change everyone’s opinion right before we went to tribal council.”

Despite Crittenden’s limited screen time, he said his strategy wasn’t to stay under the radar.

“I was very involved,” Crittenden told the AP. “It’s a matter of how I was shown. That was disappointing. I’m a talkative person. But in the first couple of episodes, I didn’t even talk. I guess they just chose to wait until later to show me.”

Crittenden, who had part of his right leg amputated after a cancerous tumor was discovered two years ago, has a carbon-fiber prosthetic leg.

“It required a little bit more maintenance than my left foot,” said Crittenden. “Some sand and grit and stuff would get in there.”

Crittenden isn’t done with “Survivor.” He’s the second person on the jury that will decide the show’s \$1 million winner.

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