
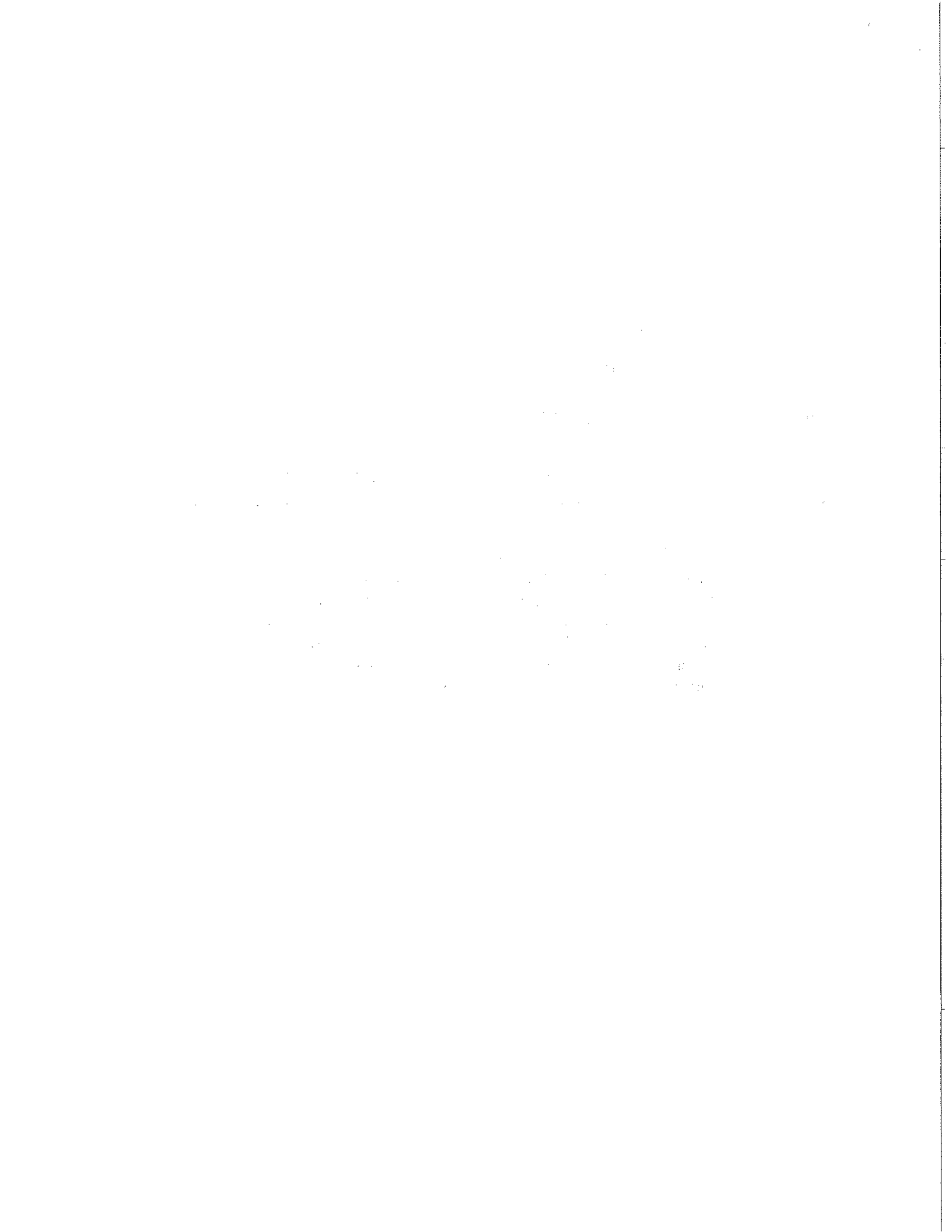


TO: The Public File
FROM: Mary Gardner 
DATE: October 7, 2009
RE: **Quarterly Issues / Program List**

JULY 1, 2009 to SEPTEMBER 30, 2009

The following is a listing of some of the significant issues addressed by Stations KOAC-TV Corvallis, Oregon; KTVR-TV, La Grande, Oregon; KOPB-TV Portland, Oregon; KOAB-TV Bend, Oregon; and KEPB-TV Eugene, Oregon, for the period **July 1, 2009, through September 30, 2009**. The listing of programs is by no means exhaustive and the order in which they appear does not reflect any priority or significance.







Quarterly Issues / Program List

July 1, 2009, to September 30, 2009

Agriculture

- 7/16/2009 8:30PM, 10 minutes; Format: Magazine
- OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1703, Wild Foods**
Wild Foods - Join us for dinner in the woods as we show you how to go grocery shopping in the great outdoors.
- 7/13/2009 7PM, 06:52 minutes;
- NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9509,**
Global Recession Impacts Dairy Prices, Farmers: Amid the economic slowdown, the dairy industry is being hit with high costs and lower profits, forcing many farmers to make tough decisions. NewsHour special correspondent Jeffrey Kaye looks at how some California farmers are responding to depressed global demand.
- 8/13/2009 8:30PM, 10 minutes; Format: Magazine
- OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1811, Global Warming**
Global Warming - See what impacts the changing climate is having on Oregon winemakers.

Alcohol, Drug Abuse/Addiction

- 7/1/2009 7PM, 07:17 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
- NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9501,**
FDA Panel Recommends Ban on Popular Painkillers: A doctor assesses a new FDA panel recommendation for a ban on such popular painkillers as Vicodin, Percocet and other drugs containing acetaminophen.

American History/Biography

- 7/2/2009 9PM, 30 minutes; Format: Documentary
- OREGON EXPERIENCE, Epsd No. 101, Sam Hill**
Sam Hill is the story of a man who had a great dream for the Pacific Northwest, and himself. He championed a road through the Columbia River Gorge, built monumental symbols for peace and dared to imagine a farming utopia on the Columbia River. His life would be etched with hard fought triumphs and colossal failures but his enduring devotion to progress would make him one of the most important and legendary figures in Oregon history.
- 8/13/2009 9PM, 30 minutes; Format: Documentary
- OREGON EXPERIENCE, Epsd No. 207, Lola Baldwin**
Lola Baldwin began working for the Portland Police Department in 1905 for the Lewis & Clark Exposition to protect women and children coming to town for the event. She was hired officially in 1908 becoming the country's first sworn policewoman crusading for the moral and physical welfare of families, single working women and children.

8/6/2009 9PM, 30 minutes; Format: Documentary

OREGON EXPERIENCE, Epsd No. 104, Reub Long's Oregon Desert

Explore many of the ranches, ghost towns and scenic wonders of Oregon's high-desert country. Meet some of the fascinating cowboys, rodeo riders, farm women and ranch hands who help keep this region's history alive.

7/30/2009 9PM, 30 minutes; Format: Documentary

OREGON EXPERIENCE, Epsd No. 203, The Beach Bill

In 1967 Governor Tom McCall signed the Beach Bill with great fanfare--forever granting the public recreational access to the dry sands of Oregon's beaches. It was the first chapter of the "Oregon Story," setting the stage for other landmark environmental legislation. But the fight to protect Oregon's beaches from private development--and "No Trespassing" signs--began years earlier when Governor Oswald West designated Oregon's beaches as a public highway in 1913. The show will illuminate the events, issues and politics that led to the Beach Bill; tell the stories of people who worked for its passage; and explore the continuing controversy of private property rights vs. public access.

7/30/2009 8:30PM, 10 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1710, B-24

B-24 - Sixty years ago, in the Pueblo Mountains, near the Oregon/Nevada border town of Denio, a B-24 crashed, killing eleven U.S. Army airmen. Scattered wreckage over an area--dubbed Propeller Meadows-- remains as a memorial to lives lost on that night decades ago.

7/23/2009 9PM, 30 minutes; Format: Documentary

OREGON EXPERIENCE, Epsd No. 202, Beervana

In 1852, beer came to the Northwest when Henry Saxer opened the Liberty Brewery at the corner of First and Davis in downtown Portland. Many came in Saxer's wake--most notably fellow German immigrant, Henry Weinhard--to quench the thirsts of loggers, miners, fishermen and farmers who would build the region. But more than 150 years later, it's the craft beer of Oregon--made locally, recognized worldwide--that contributes significantly to the economy and fuels a vibrant social culture in the form of numerous brew pubs. In fact, Portland is considered the beer capital of the world, with more breweries per capita than anywhere else, including Germany. Beervana will tell the story of this industry through compelling and amusing anecdotes and the fascinating characters of the Oregon Beer Community.

8/6/2009 8:30PM, 10 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1802, Lewis & Clark/Cathlapotle Village

Lewis & Clark/Cathlapotle Village - See how the region around Portland and Vancouver may have been at the center of a sophisticated Indian culture and what Lewis and Clark had to say about their visit here.

8/20/2009 9PM, 60 minutes; Format: Documentary

OREGON EXPERIENCE, Epsd No. 201, Oregon At War

This program looks at World War Two from an Oregon perspective. Seventeen Oregonians share their stories, some of fighting overseas, others of working here at home. And all convey the powerful emotions and indelible memories that the war left in its wake.

7/27/2009 10PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Documentary

MAKE 'EM LAUGH: THE FUNNY BUSINESS OF AMERICA, Epsd No. 106, Satire And Parody: Sock It To Me?

Americans have always loved to make fun of the world around them using the slings and arrows of parody and satire. Whether it was Will Rogers, Johnny Carson, Jon Stewart and Stephen Colbert

poking a finger in the eye of the government or Sid Caesar, Mel Brooks and the "Saturday Night Live" gang lampooning the latest blockbuster, generations have reveled in the anarchic tradition of mocking American life, politics and preoccupations.

8/27/2009 9PM, 30 minutes; Format: Documentary

OREGON EXPERIENCE, Epsd No. 305, Road To Statehood

Oregon celebrates its 150th birthday this year. This documentary tells the story of how Oregon Country became the 33rd state to join the Union. It examines the native people already living here and the missionaries determined to change their way of life, the mountain men and fur trappers who came for adventure and wealth, and the pioneers who brought their hopes and prejudices with them over the Oregon Trail. Together they helped shape our state of Oregon.

7/20/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9514,

Walter Cronkite, and the Way the News Media Is Now: It's been more than a quarter century since Walter Cronkite retired as anchor of the CBS Evening News, but his impact on journalism persists. Robert MacNeil and Todd Gitlin of Columbia University speak with Gwen Ifill about Cronkite's reporting legacy.

7/20/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9514,

"Angela's Ashes" Author Frank McCourt Dies at 78: Frank McCourt, the Pulitzer Prize-winning author of "Angela's Ashes," died Sunday at the age of 78. Roger Rosenblatt speaks with Margaret Warner about the author's influence on the literary world.

7/27/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9519,

Revered Choreographer Merce Cunningham Dies: Regarded among the most innovative American artists of the 20th century, Merce Cunningham died Sunday in his New York home.

8/27/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9542,

The Kennedy Family and American Political Lore: Judy Woodruff speaks with historians Richard Norton Smith and Michael Beschloss about the life and times of America's most famous political dynasty.

8/26/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9541,

Hatch Reflects on Friendship, Battles With Kennedy: Utah Sen. Orrin Hatch speaks with Judy Woodruff about Sen. Kennedy's life, legacy, battle with brain cancer and their unlikely friendship.

7/22/2009 8PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Documentary

TIME TEAM AMERICA, Epsd No. 103, New Philadelphia, Illinois

TIME TEAM AMERICA digs for the remains of the first American town founded by former slaves. In 1836 "Free Frank" McWorter purchased his freedom from a Kentucky plantation owner and headed North. When he reached Illinois, he planted roots, started a town, and sold enough property to purchase the rest of his family out of slavery. Now a farmer's field covers this dramatic testament to victory over enslavement. The local landowners and the McWorter family want to uncover what remains of New Philadelphia to memorialize its history and the history of their ancestors. TIME TEAM joins in the search for the remains of the schoolhouse where New Philadelphia's black children learned to read and write in freedom.

8/20/2009 8:30PM, 10 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1812, Civil War Re-Enactment

It's living history week on Oregon Field Guide as we head to Fort Stevens for the largest Civil War Reenactment in the Pacific Northwest.

7/16/2009 9PM, 30 minutes; Format: Documentary

OREGON EXPERIENCE, Epsd No. 105, William Gladstone Steel

William Gladstone Steel is best known as the "Father of Crater Lake" but his legacy is enjoyed all over the Northwest. His 17-year fight to create Oregon's only National Park also led to the protection of valuable watersheds and millions of acres of forestland through the establishment of the Cascade Range Forest Reserve. Complex and controversial, he was both a radical environmentalist and an enterprising developer who dedicated his life to the mountains of Oregon.

7/9/2009 9PM, 30 minutes; Format: Documentary

OREGON EXPERIENCE, Epsd No. 102, Abigail Scott Duniway

This is a story of a 40-year fight to gain suffrage for women in Oregon. Abigail Scott Duniway, a plain talking farmer's wife was largely responsible for Oregon women having the right to vote since 1912—eight years before a constitutional amendment gave suffrage to women throughout the country.

7/27/2009 9PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Other

HISTORY DETECTIVES, Epsd No. 706,

A fragment that may have been a piece of Amelia Earhart's plane; a letter from President Millard Fillmore commuting the death sentence of a Native American; a Colorado home whose supports may have been constructed from a railroad boxcar.

7/1/2009 7PM, 60 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9501,

Oscar-winning Actor Karl Malden Dies at 97: Actor Karl Malden, who won a best supporting actor Oscar for his role as Mitch in the 1951 film "A Streetcar Named Desire," died Wednesday at age 97.

7/15/2009 8PM, 60 minutes; Format: Other

TIME TEAM AMERICA, Epsd No. 102, Topper, South Carolina

TIME TEAM AMERICA wades into the swamps of South Carolina to find the truth about North America's first human inhabitants. Experts debate about when people first came to this land. Did they follow big game across the continent 15,000 years ago or did they arrive much, much earlier? TIME TEAM AMERICA has just three days to search out evidence that could shed light on the controversy. What they find could rock the archaeological world. Along the way, they glimpse what life was like in North America 15,000 years ago, and what may have happened to the continent's first people.

7/7/2009 7PM, 08:11 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9505,

Fans Bid Final Farewell to 'King of Pop': Michael Jackson fans around the world paid a final tribute to the "King of Pop" on Tuesday, as the fallen singer was laid to rest following a star-studded memorial service. Jeffrey Kaye reports from Los Angeles.

7/1/2009 11:30PM, 26:46 minutes; Format: Documentary

PBS PREVIEWS: THE NATIONAL PARKS: AMERICA'S BEST IDEA,

PBS presents a preview of the new Ken Burns film NATIONAL PARKS: AMERICA'S BEST IDEA. The 12-hour, six-part documentary series, directed by Burns and co-produced with his longtime colleague, Dayton Duncan, who also wrote the script, is the story of an idea as uniquely American

as the Declaration of Independence and just as radical: that the most special places in the nation should be preserved, not for royalty or the rich, but for everyone.

7/2/2009 8:30PM, 10 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 2014, Summer Lake Dig

Summer Lake Dig - We return to Paisley Cave in central Oregon with archaeologists recovering more evidence of North America's first occupants and how they lived.

7/6/2009 10PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Documentary

MAKE 'EM LAUGH: THE FUNNY BUSINESS OF AMERICA, Epsd No. 103, The Knockabouts: Slip on a Banana Peel

Physical comedy and slapstick have always found rich soil in America. From the mastery of Charlie Chaplin and Buster Keaton to the computer-generated antics that helped transform Jim Carrey into a human cartoon, slapstick has evolved into a sophisticated art, stretching the boundaries of time and space. This episode explores the comic genius of teams like Laurel and Hardy, the Three Stooges, Martin and Lewis and the Marx Brothers, and the one and only Lucille Ball.

7/9/2009 8:30PM, 10 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1701, Pest House

Pest House - Explore Knappton Cove on the Columbia River, a place that around the turn of the century was an entry point for immigrants coming to the United States.

7/13/2009 9PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Other

HISTORY DETECTIVES, Epsd No. 704,

Sideshow Babies - A Colorado woman has a silver baby cup engraved "Patricia - 1933. A Century of Progress Chicago." She hopes this 1933 Chicago World's Fair souvenir can unlock the mystery of her mother's unusual start in life. Family lore holds that the Chicago Public Health Board took premature Patricia from her shoebox cradle at home and put her in an incubator at the 1933 Chicago World's Fair. Why were babies exhibited at the fair? HISTORY DETECTIVES host Elyse Luray learns about the forgotten doctor who brought life-saving incubator technology to the United States at the turn of the 20th century. Lubin Photos - A contributor from Branford, Florida, inherited two bulging photo albums, dated 1914 to 1916, that contain hundreds of photos of old silent film stars and a behind-the-scenes look into an enormous film studio empire - not in Hollywood, but Philadelphia. She received the albums from a distant relative, Herbie Lubin. One of the books holds many Western scenes, including a cowboy character captioned "Herbert Lubin." Other captions refer to the Siegmund Lubin Studios. Who was Siegmund Lubin? And was Herbie a movie star? HISTORY DETECTIVES host Tukufu Zuberi takes viewers on an excursion through an early movie mogul's dramatic rise and fall. Navajo Rug - At auction, a contributor bought a rug whose woven designs intrigued him. A Southwest American history buff, he's fascinated by the rug's central figure of a man with a feathered head holding lightning bolts. He believes the figure was never meant to be captured by a loom. Did the weaver violate a taboo? Who wove the rug? HISTORY DETECTIVES guest host Eduardo Pagan meets with a Navajo medicine man and a traditional Navajo weaver and travels to Crownpoint, New Mexico, long considered the center of Navajo weaving. Finally, HISTORY DETECTIVES visits a textile historian to find out who may have been behind this controversial design.

7/6/2009 9PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Other

HISTORY DETECTIVES, Epsd No. 703,

St. Valentine's Day Massacre - HISTORY DETECTIVES stares down the barrel of a shotgun for clues that one of Al Capone's men fired it in a Chicago gang massacre that shocked the nation. The gun came to the contributor's family after it was handed down through two generations of prominent Chicago families. It's a Western Field single-barreled repeating action 12-gauge shotgun. The barrel and the stock were once shortened just the way the Capone gang liked its guns: easy to conceal and with greater destructive force. HISTORY DETECTIVES host Elyse Luray tests the gun's firepower, consults with ballistics experts and combs through physical evidence to see if she can place this gun at the scene of the crime. Booth Letter - A contributor gave HISTORY

DETECTIVES a letter indicating that, 30 years before John Wilkes Booth assassinated Abraham Lincoln, Booth's father threatened to kill another sitting president, Andrew Jackson. Signed "Junius Brutus Booth," the letter to Jackson reads, "You damn'd old scoundrel ... I will cut your throat whilst you are sleeping." The writer insists that Jackson pardon two men who were sentenced to death. Why did the fate of these two men incite such fury? HISTORY DETECTIVES host Tukufu Zuberi travels to Nashville to consult historians at The Hermitage, the ancestral home of President Andrew Jackson, and to Washington, DC, to talk with a Booth biographer. Was the letter a hoax? Or did assassination run in the Booth blood? Cemetery Alarm - A Midland, Michigan, man who collects war munitions snapped up an item at an estate auction that looked like a Civil War-era weapon. On closer inspection, after consulting with other collectors, he decided he had a grave alarm: an explosive device meant to guard against grave robbers. Is this truly a grave alarm? HISTORY DETECTIVES host Wes Cowan's investigation winds through tales of body snatching and cadaver dissecting, unusual crimes and the most unlikely suspects.

7/10/2009 12AM, 60 minutes;

CHARLIE ROSE, Epsd No. 15139,

An appreciation of Robert McNamara, former United States Secretary of Defense. McNamara died in his sleep at his home in Washington early in the morning on July 6, 2009. He was 93.

7/1/2009 9PM, 01:26:46 minutes; Format: Documentary

AMERICAN MASTERS, Epsd No. 2204, Garrison Keillor: The Man on the Radio in the Red Shoes

Lake Wobegon -- where the women are strong, the men are good looking and all the children are above average -- has become America's collective hometown, visited weekly for the past 40 years on a fictional radio program that creates authentic nostalgia. With his Prairie Home Companion, Garrison Keillor became our national philosopher, filling the shoes of Will Rogers and Mark Twain, through his running commentary about the human condition and the social politic. With biting wit, a quirky perspective and an uncanny ability to hone in on the pulse of America, Keillor's themes and characters are somehow familiar to us all, resonating a shared experience. For more than a year, our camera has followed this great raconteur -- and his motley crew of actors, musicians and technical staff -- as he criss-crosses the country, broadcasting, recording and revealing himself.

7/20/2009 9PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Other

HISTORY DETECTIVES, Epsd No. 705,

Tokyo Rose Recording--A HISTORY DETECTIVES viewer has a recording he thinks holds evidence used in the World War II treason trial of Iva Tugori, aka Tokyo Rose. Toguri was an American citizen who hosted a Japanese propaganda radio show broadcast to U.S. troops serving in the Pacific. These broadcasts were at the center of what was then the costliest trial in U.S. history. The viewer has never been able to play his oversized record, but family lore says it reveals the role his uncle played in this infamous show trial. HISTORY DETECTIVES host Gwendolyn Wright consults with experts from Long Island to Los Angeles. Her answer flips assumptions of guilt and innocence, and gives viewers a fresh angle on what actually happened in and around that trial. Crazy Horse Photo--Twenty-five years ago, someone gave a leather purse to a Lakota businessman. Inside the purse he found a photograph and a note, dated 1904, written in the Lakota language. An elderly man from the Lakota community translated the note. In brief, it says, "This is a photograph of Crazy Horse." Does the contributor have the Holy Grail of the Wild West: a photo of the Lakota warrior who defeated General Custer? Historians are suspicious of most photos purported to be of Crazy Horse. The Lakota leader avoided cameras, believing they would rob his soul. To verify the photo, HISTORY DETECTIVE host Elyse Luray tracks down a Crazy Horse descendant and visits the Crazy Horse Memorial. Finally, she puts the photo in context with other works by the same photographer at the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, DC.

7/8/2009 8PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Documentary

TIME TEAM AMERICA, Epsd No. 101, Fort Raleigh, North Carolina

TIME TEAM AMERICA goes in search of our nation's mysterious roots at Roanoke Island. In 1586 the English sent the first group of hardy, hopeful colonists to make a go of it in the New World. But when English ships returned with supplies just three years later, they found the settlement empty

and colonists gone. The colonists had left behind only one clue:the word Croatan carved in the gatepost of their fort. It took 20 years for the stunned English to establish another settlement in America. The fate of the Roanoke colonists remains one of the most chilling and maddening questions of American history. TIME TEAM AMERICA spends three days at Fort Raleigh in hot pursuit of archaeological evidence that will put the ghost of Roanoke to rest, and establish where the first colony in America was actually located.

Arts

- 8/20/2009 10PM, 60 minutes;
OREGON LENS, Epsd No. 1104, Andrus: The Man, The Mind & The Magic
 Andrus: The Man, the Mind & the Magic
 This one-hour documentary is the story of Jerry Andrus, a modern-day Da-Vinci . Best known as one of the most influential 'close-up magic' performers of all time, he is equally regarded among scientists, educators and even skeptics as a visionary, poet, philosopher, inventor and creator of truly astounding optical illusions. Produced by Robert Neary and Tyson Smith.

- 7/3/2009 12AM, 60 minutes;
CHARLIE ROSE, Epsd No. 15134,
 First, a conversation with author Richard Wolffe about his book "Renegade:The Making of a President." Next, a conversation with director Guillermo del Toro about the book "The Strain."

- 7/4/2009 8PM, 90 minutes;
CAPITOL FOURTH; A, Epsd No. 2009,
 Emmy and Golden Globe Award-winning film, theater and television actor Jimmy Smits hosts the 29th annual broadcast of America's biggest and best-loved 4th of July concert, featuring a spectacular fireworks display on the National Mall over the Washington Monument captured by 18 TV cameras stationed around the city. Barry Manilow will perform a selection of patriotic and celebratory music with the National Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of top pops conductor Erich Kunzel and the Choral Arts Society of Washington, under the direction of Norman Scribner. Also performing--the Queen of Soul Aretha Franklin, international pop sensation Natasha Bedingfield, the Tony and Grammy Award-winning cast of Jersey Boys, multi Grammy Award-nominee Michael Feinstein and acclaimed classical pianist Andrew von Oeyen. As a special treat for the entire family, Elmo, Big Bird, Cookie Monster, Oscar the Grouch and more of the Sesame Street gang will be on hand to celebrate America's 233rd birthday. The July 4th concert finale includes Tchaikovsky's "1812 Overture"--featuring the U.S. Army Herald Trumpets and complete with live cannon fire provided by the United States Army Presidential Salute Battery. Also featured are the U.S. Army Ceremonial Band, the U.S. Army "Old Guard" Fife and Drum Corps and the Joint Armed Forces Color Guard of the Military District of Washington.

- 7/29/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9521,
 Costello Still Finds Wonder in Songwriting: Jeffrey Brown speaks with musician Elvis Costello about how his approach to recording albums has evolved over three decades.

- 8/4/2009 10PM, 60 minutes; Format: Documentary
INSIDE, Epsd No. 203, Lord Of The Rings On Stage
 A production of "Lord of the Rings" is presented on a London stage.

- 7/21/2009 10PM, 60 minutes; Format: Documentary
INSIDE, Epsd No. 201, Tut's Treasure Tour
 A look at the unseen world of one of the greatest museum shows of all time as it travels on tour.

- 7/9/2009 7PM, 07:35 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9507,

Writer, Poet Jim Harrison Is a Determined 'Outsider': Most of Jim Harrison's 32 books have been set in the sparsely populated areas he knows well: Northern Michigan, the Sandhills of Nebraska, the Arizona-Mexico border and in the beautiful "Paradise Valley" near Livingston, Mt., where he now lives much of the year. Jeffrey Brown reports.

7/2/2009 8PM, 30 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON ART BEAT, Epsd No. 1016, Crows Shadow Institute / George Leverette / Central Oregon Symphony

Crow's Shadow Institute for the Arts - Just outside Pendleton, a world-class printmaking facility provides inspiration and opportunity to Native American printmakers. Meet young artists and master printer Frank Jensen as we visit Crow's Shadow Institute for the Arts. George Leverette - We may have HEARD of the hurdy-gurdy, but most of us have not seen one in real life. George Leverette is out to change that. He's a man who says he's in love with the ancient musical instrument and now makes them for others who want to learn how to play them. Join us in Bend where the Central Oregon Symphony Orchestra provides wonderful concerts ..and they do it with volunteer musicians

8/19/2009 10PM, 60 minutes; Format: Documentary

OREGON LENS, Epsd No. 1103, Architect of Sound / Making Music

Architect of Sound

A look at the beautiful work of David Gusset of Eugene Oregon. He has been making violins for 35 years and is one of the few people to ever win the prestigious Stradivari International Violin Making Competition in Cremona, Italy. Produced by Marc Dadigan and Katie Kalk

Making Music: The Art & Craft of David Rivinus

David Rivinus has spent the last forty years honing his craft as a violin maker. But what sets his work apart from others is how he has changed the look and feel of the violin. Early on David noticed many of the professional players developed physiological problems ranging from tendinitis to carpal tunnel syndrome and back and shoulder pain. This Oregon violinmaker is now known internationally for his adaptations to the violin to overcome the orthopedic issues. Directed by Carl Vandervoort and Christopher Ley.

8/18/2009 10PM, 10 minutes; Format: Documentary

OREGON LENS, Epsd No. 1102, Art In a Time of War

Art In a Time of War

This is a story of World War II-era artists, who were interned in labor camps because of their pacifist beliefs. Stationed at Camp Waldport Oregon, these men suffered public contempt, a harsh existence and deadly work. In spite of these conditions, they showed a resilience and communal spirit that enabled artistic creativity and social conscience to flourish. The impact of their work resonates decades later: They laid the foundation for one of the most important artistic movements of the last century and pioneered the reform of the mental health care system. Produced by Michael Werner, Katie Campbell and Pierre Anthony Canovas.

7/28/2009 10PM, 60 minutes;

INSIDE, Epsd No. 202, Rio Carnaval

At the center of the world famous Rio Carnaval is the Samba Parade--a fierce competition of vast scale among 13 neighborhood samba schools. Watching them are a panel of expert judges, more than 60,000 spectators and a TV audience of nearly half a billion. The unexpected is always expected during one of the largest parties on earth, and INSIDE is right there to find out how Rio survives and Carnaval continues to thrive.

8/6/2009 8PM, 30 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON ART BEAT, Epsd No. 1004, Marie Maretska / Molly Adkins / Portland Sacred Harp

Marie Maretska - After years of doing large metal sculptures, Marie Maretska (mah-Reht-skuh) decided to scale things down a bit and make them more colorful. We'll show you her amazing vitreous enamel work. Molly Adkins - Molly Adkins is a bluegrass musician who writes songs, has released a CD, and performs at festivals --and she's still in high school! Portland Sacred Harp - Portland Sacred Harp offers a community-based musical opportunity with their heartfelt and exuberant takes on traditional shape-note singing.

8/1/2009 12AM, 60 minutes;

CHARLIE ROSE, Epsd No. 15155,

A look at the film "Funny People" with actor Adam Sandler and director Judd Apatow.

9/3/2009 8PM, 30 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON ART BEAT, Epsd No. 1030, Special: The Art of Collecting Art

Oregon Art Beat Special - The Art of Collecting Art In this half hour Oregon Art Beat Special, Producer KC Cowan explores why Portland (and Oregon) is such a great market for original art--why people collect--and how to get started yourself.

8/27/2009 8PM, 30 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON ART BEAT, Epsd No. 1029, Kathy Deggendorfer / Holly Andres / Irene Farrera

Kathy Deggendorfer - She's the daughter of an Oregon Icon, but Kathy Deggendorfer has made her own artistic mark on life--with her whimsical, colorful paintings inspired by her High Desert surroundings. Holly Andres - Upcoming photographer Holly Andres creates carefully constructed tableaus depicting young women on the threshold of adulthood, propelled by their curiosity and sense of discovery. Irene Farrera - Venezuela's loss is Oregon's gain. Meet the singer-songwriter from Eugene and discover Gaita, and other percussive and romantic music of her homeland. She sings in her garden and at the Oregon Folklife Festival in Corvallis.

8/13/2009 8PM, 30 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON ART BEAT, Epsd No. 1005, Mood Area 52 / Virginia Flynn / Jeanne Henry

Mood Area 52 - For 'part time' musicians, they're 'full time' fantastic. The members of Mood Area 52 play music that's a fusion of tango, jazz, and Americana. But will their part time gigs hold back their notoriety? Virginia Flynn - Virginia Flynn uses nothing but an exacto knife and paper. Her crisp, black and white paper cuts express delightful characters and clever tales. Jeanne Henry - She was a dedicated functional potter for 25 years and she was also drawn to photography. A few years ago, Jeanne Henry discovered a way to join her two passions. She layers clay slabs to create three-dimensional images she calls 'photo realistic bas-relief' or just 'clay paintings.'

7/16/2009 8PM, 30 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON ART BEAT, Epsd No. 1018, Alma Cox / Kathleen Kanas / Milo

Alma Cox - She never thought she had an artistic bone in her body, but since she 'invented' a new form of quilting, she's selling her work like crazy, and now has a book deal! Kathleen Kanas - Exotic baskets are as close as your backyard, if you've got the nimble fingers of Kathleen Kanas. Milo - The artist known as Milo literally burns oil paintings, not because he is trying to destroy them, that's how he creates them. See him torch a painting to life from beginning to end, and find out why he's the darling of the Grammy Awards crowd.

8/13/2009 8:30PM, 10 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1811, Adventure Photographer

Adventure Photographer - Meet an Oregon photographer who is just as extreme as the athletes he photographs.

8/20/2009 8PM, 30 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON ART BEAT, Epsd No. 1006, Jeffrey Hull / George Perrou / Don Latarski

Jeffrey Hull - Jeffrey Hull is a painter who loves the water. From his Cannon Beach studio he walks on the beach, then creates beautiful watercolors of the coast and the shore. George Perrou - A self-taught Portland painter says his most important tool is a sharp knife, not his paintbrush. Don Latarski - One of Eugene's best-loved guitarists, Don Latarski has moved from jazz to blues over the years. Hear him in concert with his band, Rue de Blues, and discover why he glues his guitar picks on to his own fingernails!

7/9/2009 8PM, 30 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON ART BEAT, Epsd No. 1017, Gary Ogan / Jepson Lonquist / Chester Armstrong

Gary Ogan - Gary Ogan is a mainstay of the Portland Music scene. He plays with and opens for big name artists. He recorded for his first major record label when he was fresh out of high school. Since then he's spurned the short cut to fame, choosing to stay true to his music. Jepson Lonquist - From afar Jepson Lonquist's works may look like paintings, but on closer inspection you'll see hundreds of tiny pieces of wood fitted together as perfectly as pieces in a puzzle. Even then you might never guess that he only uses salvaged wood in his unique version of marquetry. Chester Armstrong - If you think chain saw sculpture isn't real art ..wait until you see the work of Sisters sculptor Chester Armstrong.

7/30/2009 8PM, 30 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON ART BEAT, Epsd No. 1027, Casey Neill & Norway Rats / Tryon Creek Art Installation / Dee Maaske

Casey Neill and the Norway Rats - Casey Neill spent much of his career as a solo singer/songwriter. But after getting acquainted with talents like Little Sue, Hanz Araki, and members of the Decemberist, he's enjoying life with his six-piece band, The Norway Rats. Tryon Creek installation - Art in the forest? You can find it if you visit Tryon Creek state park. See this installation artwork from four diverse artists. Dee Maaske - Find out why Dee Maaske is a long time favorite actor at the Oregon Shakespeare Festival.

7/23/2009 8PM, 30 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON ART BEAT, Epsd No. 1026, Pete Krebs Trio / Katie Estvold / Vanessa Renwick

Pete Krebs Trio - Pete Krebs has been part of Portland's music scene for more than two decades. These days he heads the Pete Krebs Trio, which plays music that evokes the early days of European and American jazz. Katie Estvold - She gave up teaching to be a full time mom, but Katie Estvold also started a cottage industry that has fans all over the world! We'll show you this fan of 'All things 18th Century.' Vanessa Renwick - Vanessa Renwick is known for her highly experimental independent films. We'll watch as she transforms ten refrigerators into a work of art.

Business/Industry

7/1/2009 7PM, 03:38 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9501,

Other News:Markets See Modest Rise; Iran Opposition Leader Urges More Protests:In other news, markets rose on positive reports from the manufacturing and housing sectors. Also, in auto news Ford reported its best showing in months but Chrysler and GM each posted a greater than 30 percent loss.

7/29/2009 6:30PM, 30 minutes;

NIGHTLY BUSINESS REPORT, Epsd No. 29098,

Market Stats; Paul Kangas' Stocks in the News; Investors May Not Buy a Microsoft-Yahoo Connection; Health Care Reform Gets Resuscitated on the Hill; Dozens Arrested For Medicare Fraud; "Street Critique"-Hilary Kramer, Chief Market Analyst at Greentech Research; The CARS Program May Hit Some Potholes; "Last Word"-Creative Ways To Raise State Cash.

7/13/2009 7PM, 06:52 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9509,

Global Recession Impacts Dairy Prices, Farmers: Amid the economic slowdown, the dairy industry is being hit with high costs and lower profits, forcing many farmers to make tough decisions. NewsHour special correspondent Jeffrey Kaye looks at how some California farmers are responding to depressed global demand.

7/16/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9512,

Paulson Defends Bank of America-Merrill Lynch Deal: Former Treasury Secretary Hank Paulson testified Thursday in the third and final House hearing looking into the government's role in the Bank of America purchase of Merrill Lynch. Jim Lehrer discusses the hearings with Binyamin Appelbaum of the Washington Post.

7/16/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9512,

Publishing Industry Confronts Changing Reader Habits: As the recession pushes more readers into cash-strapped libraries, some are turning to electronic books to satisfy their literary appetites. Ray Suarez looks at this nascent industry with two publishers.

7/31/2009 12AM, 60 minutes;

CHARLIE ROSE, Epsd No. 15154,

First, a look at the Microsoft-Yahoo search deal with Steven Levy of Wired, Erick Schonfeld, Co-Editor of TechCrunch and Nick Wingfield of "The Wall Street Journal." Next, Yale economist Robert Shiller on evaluating risk.

7/6/2009 7PM, 10:33 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9504,

Washington Post Under Fire Over Pay-for-access Plan: Washington Post publisher Katherine Weymouth apologized to readers for a controversy over the newspaper's plan for a series of corporate-sponsored policy dinners at Weymouth's home. Media experts mull the implications of the scandal.

7/10/2009 7PM, 08:27 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9508,

Post-Bankruptcy, GM CEO Pledges New Course: After the announcement that General Motors Corp. had completed its 40-day stay under bankruptcy protection, CEO Fritz Henderson speaks to Judy Woodruff about the company's goals for remaking the struggling auto maker.

7/15/2009 7PM, 04:01 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9511,

Other News: Markets Jump, Plane Crashes in Iran: In other news, large gains in the banking and tech sectors led markets higher, and a passenger plane crashed in Iran, killing all 168 people on board.

7/6/2009 6:30PM, 30 minutes;

NIGHTLY BUSINESS REPORT, Epsd No. 29081,

Market Stats; Paul Kangas' Stocks in the News; One Stimulus May Not Be Enough; The Role of Work Furlough in the Economic Recovery; "Reviving the Economy:What's Ahead"-The Return of the Muni; "Commentary"-The Global Economic Power Shift; China Looks To American Cosmetics For Lipstick Luxury.

7/31/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9523,

Congress Considers Plan to Influence Executive Pay: Congress might give the government some say in how much Wall Street executives are paid. A former SEC accountant and a law professor give their take on the plan.

Child Abuse

7/31/2009 10:30PM, 30 minutes;

NOW ON PBS, Epsd No. 531,

Fighting Child Prostitution: Child prostitution is on the rise not just in other countries around the world, but right here in America. The Department of Justice says, on any given day, tens of thousands of children across America are involved in prostitution. But what's being done to stop it? This week NOW on PBS visits Atlanta, Georgia to see how one American city is handling the tragic phenomenon of child prostitution. It is one of 27 American cities where the problem seems to be spinning out of control.

Community Politics, Government

7/21/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9515,

Calif. Strikes Deal to Close \$26 Billion Budget Gap: Lawmakers in California on Tuesday agreed on a plan to close a \$26 billion budget gap, ending weeks of stalemate that left the state's chief accountant having to issue IOUs to creditors. Ray Suarez reports.

7/3/2009 7PM, 07:10 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9503,

Other News--Alaska Gov. Sarah Palin Resigns:In other news, Alaska Gov. Sarah Palin announced her resignation effective later this month, and officials in Pakistan reported that 17 people were killed in a U.S. drone aircraft attack targeting members of the Taliban.

7/1/2009 7PM, 14:01 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9501,

California Leads States Facing Deepening Budget Crises:Several states are struggling to find solutions for deep budget gaps as a new fiscal year begins. Jeffrey Brown examines the budget picture across the country.

7/14/2009 7PM, 06:55 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9510,

Fallout Continues from California's Budget Woes:After failing to plug a \$26 billion budget gap, California has begun sending out IOUs to cover its costs, but most banks are refusing to accept them. Spencer Michels reports on the ongoing financial crisis in the Golden State.

Consumerism

7/16/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9512,

Other News--Markets Advance, Auto Dealers Gain Congressional Support: In other news, Wall Street advanced on tech stocks, and House members introduced a proposal that would force GM and Chrysler to restore franchise agreements with auto dealers.

7/23/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9517,

Other News--Dow Closes Over the 9,000 Mark: In other news, better-than-expected earnings from several companies, combined with strong housing figures pushed the Dow Jones Industrial Average above 9,000 for the first time since January, and three mayors in New Jersey were arrested on corruption charges.

7/6/2009 6:30PM, 30 minutes;

NIGHTLY BUSINESS REPORT, Epsd No. 29081,

Market Stats; Paul Kangas' Stocks in the News; One Stimulus May Not Be Enough; The Role of Work Furlough in the Economic Recovery; "Reviving the Economy:What's Ahead"-The Return of the Muni; "Commentary"-The Global Economic Power Shift; China Looks To American Cosmetics For Lipstick Luxury.

7/14/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9510,

In Slumping Economy, a Shift in Shopping Habits:Economics correspondent Paul Solman speaks with author Paco Underhill about how consumer habits have changed during this recession.

Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement

9/4/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9548,

Other News--L.A. Opens Investigation into Wildfire:In other news, Los Angeles county detectives opened an investigation into the wildfires that claimed the lives of two firefighters this week, and Israel plans to speed up the pace of settlement expansion in the West Bank.

8/18/2009 10PM, 15 minutes; Format: Documentary

OREGON LENS, Epsd No. 1102, The List: Portland's Most Wanted

The List: Portland's Most Wanted

By 2003, the Old Town neighborhood had created a role for itself as the epicenter of drug abuse and crime in Portland, Oregon. That year, a police veteran, Officer Jeff Myers, created a program that cracked down on a select list of repeat offenders and pushed them into immediate, high-quality treatment. His program--known as "the list"-- worked, and the streets of Old Town are now safer than ever before. Still, some Portlanders describe Officer Myers as a tyrant rather than a hero and want him to throw out his list. ACLU has joined Portland's public defenders in saying that the list directly undermines Oregonians' constitutional rights.

Produced by Taimi Arvidson and Tiffany Kimmel

9/2/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9546,

Pfizer Settles Unlawful Marketing Case for \$2.3 Billion:Pfizer Inc., the world's largest drugmaker, agreed to plead guilty under a \$2.3 billion federal settlement over unlawful marketing of the anti-inflammatory drug Bextra. Ray Suarez reports on the record fine.

7/5/2009 10:30PM, 01:26:46 minutes; Format: Documentary

P.O.V., Epsd No. 2202, Beyond Hatred

In September 2002, three skinheads were roaming a park in Rheims, France, looking to "do an Arab," when they settled for a gay man instead. Twenty-nine-year-old François Chenu fought back fiercely, but he was beaten unconscious and thrown into a river, where he drowned. The acclaimed French verite film *Beyond Hatred* is the story of the crime's aftermath; above all, of the Chenu family's brave and heartrending struggle to seek justice while trying to make sense of such pointless violence and unbearable loss. With remarkable dignity, they fight to transcend hatred and the inevitable desire for revenge.

7/19/2009 10:30PM, 01:26:46 minutes; Format: Documentary

P.O.V., Epsd No. 2204, The Reckoning: The Battle For The International Criminal Court

Over 120 countries have united to form the International Criminal Court (ICC) -- the first permanent court created to prosecute perpetrators, no matter how powerful, of crimes against humanity, war crimes and genocide. "The Reckoning" follows dynamic ICC Prosecutor Luis Moreno Ocampo and his team for three years across four continents as he issues arrest warrants for Lord's Resistance Army leaders in Uganda, puts Congolese warlords on trial, shakes up the Colombian justice system, and charges Sudan's President Omar al-Bashir with genocide in Darfur. Like a thriller, this film keeps you on the edge of your seat. Will the Prosecutor succeed? Will the world ensure that justice prevails?

7/14/2009 12AM, 60 minutes;

CHARLIE ROSE, Epsd No. 15141,

First, a discussion about the Sotomayor confirmation hearings with Al Hunt of Bloomberg News and Nina Totenberg of National Public Radio. Next, a conversation about the Bush Administration's Intelligence Programs with Scott Shane of The New York Times and Jane Mayer of The New Yorker. Last, continued discussion about the Sotomayor confirmation hearings with Walter Dellinger of Duke University and Susan Low Bloch of Georgetown University.

7/3/2009 7PM, 09:16 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9503,

Supreme Court Term Brought Some Surprises: Legal analysts Linda Greenhouse and Thomas Goldstein examine the impact of the most significant Supreme Court decisions of the 2008 term, including a narrow ruling on the landmark Voting Rights Act.

7/10/2009 7PM, 08:15 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9508,

Sotomayor Confirmation Hearings Gear Up: Senate confirmation hearings begin Monday for Sonia Sotomayor, President Obama's nominee for the Supreme Court. Kwame Holman reports.

7/14/2009 7PM, 11:19 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9510,

Analysts Examine Second Day of Sotomayor Hearings: Judge Sonia Sotomayor faced questions on past rulings and statements during her second day of Supreme Court confirmation hearings Tuesday. Legal analysts examine her responses.

7/30/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9522,

N.C. Arrests Raise Concerns about Homegrown Terrorism: After seven North Carolina men were arrested on accusations of planning a terrorist attack, law enforcement officials said they were concerned about other possible homegrown terrorists. Ray Suarez speaks with a terrorism expert and a civil rights advocate.

7/24/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9518,

Arrests Expose Widespread Corruption in Garden State: A ten-year long investigation into sprawling corruption in New Jersey culminated Thursday after an informant's tips led to the arrests of 44 people, including three mayors and multiple rabbis. Dina Temple-Raston of National Public Radio examines the case with Margaret Warner.

7/23/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9517,

Professor's Arrest Puts Racial Profiling in the Spotlight: The arrest of Harvard Professor Henry Louis Gates at his own home in Cambridge, Mass., made headlines again Thursday, after President Obama commented on the controversy during Wednesday's news conference. Ray Suarez talks to analysts about the larger issues at play.

8/24/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9539,

Other News--Fallout Continues From Lockerbie Release: In other news, Scottish officials defend the country's decision to release the Lockerbie bomber, and two bombs in Iraq killed at least 11 people.

7/22/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9516,

Other News--Senate Rejects Concealed Gun Measure: In other news, the Senate narrowly rejected a measure that would have allowed gun owners to more easily travel across state lines with a concealed firearm, and the prime minister of Iraq visited the White House.

7/16/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9512,

Broad Praise as Sotomayor Questioning Ends: As Supreme Court Nominee Sonia Sotomayor wrapped up her final day of testimony, even some critics voiced praise for her judicial record.

Culture

7/12/2009 10:30PM, 90 minutes; Format: Documentary

P.O.V., Epsd No. 2203, Life. Support. Music.

In 2004, Jason Crigler's life was taking off. He was one of New York's hottest young guitarists, his new CD was due for release and his wife, Monica, was pregnant with their first child. Then, at a gig in Manhattan, Jason suffered a near-fatal brain hemorrhage. His doctors doubted he would ever emerge from his near-vegetative state. The astonishing journey that followed, documented by friend and filmmaker Eric Daniel Metzgar ("The Chances of the World Changing," P.O.V. 2007), is a stirring family saga and a portrait of creative struggle in the face of overwhelming tragedy.

Economy

7/22/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9516,

Bernanke Signals Slow Recovery, Defends Fed's Powers: Fed chief Ben Bernanke told a Senate panel on Wednesday that economic recovery should begin soon, albeit slowly at first. A financial analyst and a lawmaker speak with Ray Suarez about the testimony.

7/27/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9519,

Bernanke Reflects on Fed's Aggressive Actions: In the first of a three-part discussion, Fed Chairman Ben Bernanke warned that jobless rates may continue to rise and discussed his fears of another Great Depression.

- 7/31/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9523,
Recession Shows Signs of Easing Grip on U.S. Economy: New economic figures hinted that the U.S. recession could be slowing down. Jeffrey Brown gets analysis from a banker and a journalist.
- 7/21/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9515,
Bernanke Details Stimulus Exit Plan to Congress: Despite recent improvements in the economy, the Federal Reserve will keep interest rates near zero, Chairman Ben Bernanke told lawmakers Tuesday. Greg Ip of "The Economist" examines the chairman's testimony with Gwen Ifill, and discusses the central bank's plans to roll back crisis measures taken during the credit crunch.
- 7/15/2009 9PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Documentary
ASCENT OF MONEY, Epsd No. 102,
In The Ascent of Money, Niall Ferguson seeks to explain the financial history of the world, exploring how our complex system of global finance evolved, how money has shaped the course of human affairs and how the mechanics of this economic system work to create seemingly unlimited wealth or catastrophic loss. In the second episode, "Bonds of War," the relationship between war and money is explored, from Napoleon to the Civil War and World War I.
- 7/28/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9520,
At Forum, Fed Chairman Calls for Patience on Stimulus: In part two of Jim Lehrer's conversation with Ben Bernanke, the Federal Reserve Chief discusses the state of the Obama administration's economic recovery efforts, and the central bank's efforts to help homeowners facing foreclosure.
- 7/6/2009 6:30PM, 30 minutes;
NIGHTLY BUSINESS REPORT, Epsd No. 29081,
Market Stats; Paul Kangas' Stocks in the News; One Stimulus May Not Be Enough; The Role of Work Furlough in the Economic Recovery; "Reviving the Economy:What's Ahead"-The Return of the Muni; "Commentary"-The Global Economic Power Shift; China Looks To American Cosmetics For Lipstick Luxury.
- 7/1/2009 6:30PM, 30 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
NIGHTLY BUSINESS REPORT, Epsd No. 29078,
Market Stats; Paul Kangas' Stocks in the News; Used Car Sales Get In Gear While New Car Sales Stall; Will The Health Care Crisis Cooperate With Health Insurance Co-Ops; "Reviving the Economy"-Survival of the Stock Sectors; "Street Critique"-Michael Farr, President of Farr, Miller and Washington; "Money File"-The American Economy's Reality Check; "Last Word"-Fireworks Shows Fizzle This 4th of July.
- 7/14/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9510,
In Slumping Economy, a Shift in Shopping Habits:Economics correspondent Paul Solman speaks with author Paco Underhill about how consumer habits have changed during this recession.
- 7/13/2009 7PM, 06:52 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9509,
Global Recession Impacts Dairy Prices, Farmers:Amid the economic slowdown, the dairy industry is being hit with high costs and lower profits, forcing many farmers to make tough decisions. NewsHour special correspondent Jeffrey Kaye looks at how some California farmers are responding to depressed global demand.

- 7/10/2009 7PM, 08:27 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9508,
Post-Bankruptcy, GM CEO Pledges New Course:After the announcement that General Motors Corp. had completed its 40-day stay under bankruptcy protection, CEO Fritz Henderson speaks to Judy Woodruff about the company's goals for remaking the struggling auto maker.
- 7/8/2009 7PM, 07:08 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9506,
At G-8, Small Steps on Emissions, Economic Recovery:Leaders of the Group of Eight industrialized nations gathered in Italy on Wednesday to assess risks to the global economy and other key issues at their annual meeting. Margaret Warner reports from the summit.
- 7/7/2009 7PM, 02:56 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9505,
Other News:Stocks Drop on Economic Recovery Doubts:In other news, stocks dipped to their lowest levels in more than two months on doubts about the strength of the economic recovery, and the president of Costa Rica agreed to mediate the political crisis in Honduras.
- 7/9/2009 12AM, 60 minutes;
CHARLIE ROSE, Epsd No. 15138,
A discussion about the economy with Roger Altman, former United States Deputy Treasury Secretary.
- 7/8/2009 9PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Documentary
ASCENT OF MONEY, Epsd No. 101,
In The Ascent of Money, Niall Ferguson seeks to explain the financial history of the world, exploring how our complex system of global finance evolved, how money has shaped the course of human affairs and how the mechanics of this economic system work to create seemingly unlimited wealth or catastrophic loss. In the first episode, "From Bullion to Bubbles," discover how money evolved from a crude system of coins to a complex global financial system.
- 9/14/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9554,
One Year After Financial Crisis, Reform Questions Loom:On the one year anniversary of the collapse of Lehman Brothers, Jeffrey Brown talks to economists and experts about what has been learned and the future of financial reform.
- 7/22/2009 9PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Documentary
ASCENT OF MONEY, Epsd No. 103,
In The Ascent of Money, Niall Ferguson seeks to explain the financial history of the world, exploring how our complex system of global finance evolved, how money has shaped the course of human affairs and how the mechanics of this economic system work to create seemingly unlimited wealth or catastrophic loss. In the third episode, "Risky Business," the insurance industry is explored from 18th century Scotland to the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina.
- 7/21/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9515,
Other News--Bailout Funds Come Under New Scrutiny: In other news, lawmakers asked new questions on the spending of federal bailout dollars, and the Senate Judiciary Committee has delayed a vote on Supreme Court nominee Sonia Sotomayor by one week.

Education

- 8/18/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. **9535**,
Higher Scores Test How Washington, D.C., Public Schools Define Success: Two years into a bold effort to reform the city's school system, Washington, D.C., has seen gains in reading and writing proficiency among students. But while scores are up, critics are asking whether reforms have actually made district schools better off.
- 7/16/2009 12AM, 60 minutes;
CHARLIE ROSE, Epsd No. **15143**,
A conversation with Richard Levin, President of Yale University.
- 7/7/2009 7PM, 10:55 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. **9505**,
Struggling Schools Turn to Top Grads for Teaching Boost: In the latest installment in a series about education reform, John Merrow reports on how public school systems struggling to close the achievement gap are increasingly turning to the Teach for America program for help.
- 9/26/2009 12AM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Documentary
P.O.V., Epsd No. 2211, The Principal Story
The Principal Story tells two stories, painting a dramatic portrait of the challenges facing America's public schools -- and of the great difference a dedicated principal can make. Tresa Dunbar is a second-year principal at Chicago's Nash Elementary, where 98% of students come from low-income families; in Springfield, Illinois, Kerry Purcell has led Harvard Park Elementary, with similar demographics, for six years. Tod Lending ("Omar & Pete," P.O.V. 2005) and David Mrazek followed both women over the course of a school year, discovering each one's unique styles yet similar passions. The Principal Story takes the viewer along for an emotional ride that reveals what effective educational leadership looks like in the 21st century.
- 7/24/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. **9518**,
During School Recess, New Focus on Playing Nice: Recess can be a chaotic, even violent, period during the course of a normal school day. Spencer Michels reports on how one non-profit is showing educators the health, and classroom benefits of teaching students how to play nice.
- 7/24/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. **9518**,
Schools to Compete for Funding in Obama Reform Plan: The Obama administration is pushing education leaders to accept a series of reforms, including performance pay for teachers and a deeper embrace of charter schools. Education Secretary Arne Duncan discusses the proposals with Judy Woodruff.
- 7/21/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. **9515**,
Focus on Social and Emotional Health Raises Test Scores: A new trend in public schools is helping students focus not just on math and science, but also on their feelings. John Tulenko of Learning Matters reports on how social and emotional learning is improving test scores.
- 9/7/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. **9549**,

Learning to Read and Bat at Summer Camp:As summer gives way to fall, education correspondent John Tulenko reports on a camp that promotes practicing both reading and batting.

Employment

7/13/2009 7PM, 10:41 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9509,

Union Leaders Press President Obama for More Support:Nearly a dozen union leaders met with President Obama Monday in an effort to gain support for key legislation now before Congress. Ray Suarez talks with experts about the bills and their potential impact on workers and employers.

9/7/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9549,

Realities of the Recession and the Changing Workforce:Paul Solman looks at the faces and places that illustrate the realities of the recession and Jeffrey Brown talks to experts about its impact on jobs.

8/27/2009 8:30PM, 15 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1810, Tram Story / Ironworkers

Tram Story - See the extraordinary work that went into building Portland's aerial tram. Ironworkers - Meet the hardy folks who work hundreds of feet in the air balanced on steel beams.

9/4/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9548,

Jobless Rate Hits 26-Year High, but Hints of Recovery Remain:Unemployment jumped to 9.7 percent in August, but new data shows job cuts have slowed. Ray Suarez speaks with a financial expert about the labor market and economic recovery.

8/17/2009 10PM, 60 minutes; Format: Documentary

OREGON LENS, Epsd No. 1101, Leeward Tide / Cowboy Way / Ice Refresher

TheLeeward tide: Filmed along the scenic Oregon coast and historic Astoria, Oregon, The Leeward Tide tells the story of an old man haunted by the memories of his long lost love. Produced, written, directed and edited by Brett Eichenberger with fellow producers Jawad Mir, Jill Remensnyder and Dayn Wilberding.

TheCowboy Way: This is what it's like to be a cowboy, according to Ron Colton, lifetime cowboy. Shot in Baker County, Oregon and Ogallala, Nebraska, May 2009. Produced, shot and edited by Brett Eichenberger.

Ice Refresher: The result of a documentary production classroom assignment to illustrate the relationship between a person and their job. This is all about the man behind the wheel of a zamboni who's paid to refresh the ice between ice skate sessions! Produced, shot and edited by Brett Eichenberger.

7/8/2009 7PM, 07:21 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9506,

For Ex-Cons and Laid-off Execs Alike, Dim Job Hopes:In the next in his series on making sense of the financial news, economics correspondent Paul Solman reports on those in society -- such as executives or ex-convicts -- who are struggling to find employment.

7/21/2009 6:30PM, 30 minutes;

NIGHTLY BUSINESS REPORT, Epsd No. 29092,

Market Stats; Paul Kangas' Stocks in the News; Federal Reserve Chairman Ben Bernanke Says The Economic Repairs Are Far From Over; The TARP Gets Stretched Over To More Programs; Lakshman Achuthan of ECRI on Jobless Recovery; Earnings Season Numbers Are Generating More Cautious Confidence; "Of Mutual Interest"- John Waggoner, Mutual Fund Columnist at USA Today.

7/2/2009 7PM, 09:07 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9502,

June Unemployment Dims Prospects for Recovery:After employers shed more jobs than expected in the month of June, the unemployment rate hit a 26-year high last month. New York Times columnist David Leonhardt talks about what the latest job numbers mean for the overall economic picture.

7/27/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9519,

Bernanke Reflects on Fed's Aggressive Actions: In the first of a three-part discussion, Fed Chairman Ben Bernanke warned that jobless rates may continue to rise and discussed his fears of another Great Depression.

Environment/Nature/Geography

9/24/2009 10:30PM, 26:46 minutes; Format: Documentary

YELLOWSTONE:LAND TO LIFE,

Filmmaker John Grabowska presents a lyrical interpretation of the sweeping geologic story of Yellowstone, the world's first and most famous national park. Formation of glaciers, mountain ranges and the gigantic caldera of a supervolcano provide the saga of this special place. Filmed over two years through all seasons, the film delves deeply into the significance behind the scenery and illuminates the intimate bonds between the landscape and biology - how Yellowstone's geology influences where life exists and how it evolves. A short concluding film, "Yellowstone's Cascade Corner," features the portion of Yellowstone extending across the southwestern border of Montana into Idaho.

7/9/2009 8:30PM, 20 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1701, Illinois River / Zumwalt Prairie Songbird / Pest House

Illinois River -This river in SW Oregon is one of the most dangerous big rivers in the state. But experienced guides show us it's also one of the more beautiful. Zumwalt Prairie Songbirds -This prairie of rolling hills and grasslands is home to a wide variety of animals, but this valuable ecosystem is now in danger from development.

7/5/2009 8PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Documentary

NATURE, Epsd No. 2312, The Vanishing Lions

As the largest predator in Africa, the lion should have nothing to fear. But the king of the savannah is facing an uncertain future. While concentrating on the dwindling number of elephants and rhinos, nobody suspected the biggest of big cats was in trouble. When the number of lions turned out to be fewer than 30,000 and not 100,000 as previously estimated, it was clear that the great lion had become vulnerable. We hear from lion experts, farmers and Masai herdsman as they explore solutions to the problems of saving lions and living with them.

9/3/2009 8:30PM, 30 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1001, Missoula Flood

Ten thousand years ago massive ice age floods tore up much of the northwest section of the continent, forever changing the look of the land. This special report uses stunning photography

and great animation to show us what happened then and what it would look like if the floods were to happen again today.

7/21/2009 8PM, 60 minutes; Format: Other

NOVA, Epsd No. 3402, Kings Of Camouflage

Join NOVA on a voyage beneath the waves, where you'll discover a bizarre, alien-like creature like no other. It's an animal with eight sucker-covered arms growing out of its head, three hearts pumping its blue-green blood, and a doughnut-shaped brain. It has the ability to change its color and shape to blend in with seaweed and rocks, and it has a knack for switching on electrifying light shows that dazzle its prey. Perhaps most surprising of all, this animal is quite intelligent, with a highly complex brain. In this program, underwater cameras capture the extraordinary, transformative powers of the cuttlefish.

7/26/2009 8PM, 60 minutes; Format: Documentary

NATURE, Epsd No. 2501, Silence Of The Bees

From the beginning, honeybees have played a key role in human survival. Most fruit trees and vegetable species are entirely dependent on bees to produce, and there's no artificial replacement for natural pollination. But the bees are disappearing. Massive die-offs, first reported in November 2006, are now the subject of international emergency research as scientists race to discover the cause of this ecological disaster. Could it be a disease? Is it caused by pesticides, genetically modified foods or radiation from cell phone towers? Whatever is happening, we must solve the mystery and correct the problem soon or face unimaginable consequences.

9/24/2009 8PM, 60 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Special # 1: Jim Newman Highlights

OFG reporter Jim Newman is retiring from the duties that have taken him to every corner of the state in the past 20 years. He leaves us with some of his favorite episodes.

7/23/2009 8:30PM, 10 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1705, Pronghorn Antelope

Pronghorn Antelope - Ten years ago pronghorn antelope at Hart Mountain refuge were in bad shape. Coyotes were eating seven out of ten new fawns, and the population was crashing. Today there are more pronghorn than ever, and even biologists have been surprised by what's causing their incredible resurgence.

7/30/2009 8:30PM, 10 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1710, Storm Petrels

Storm Petrels - Thanks to some dedicated U of O marine biologists, we're learning more about a tiny bird and the amazing amount of energy it puts into raising its offspring.

8/6/2009 8:30PM, 10 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1802, Cougar

Cougar - Oregon has a new plan to handle this elusive predator-but not everyone agrees the cougar is really the problem.

8/27/2009 8:30PM, 15 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1810, Mars Rover / Pond Turtles

Mars Rover - See how Oregon's unique geology is playing a huge role in scientists from around the world gaining a better understanding of land formations on Mars. Pond Turtles - A look at efforts to rescue the Western Pond Turtle.

8/13/2009 8:30PM, 10 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1811, Talus Caves

Talus Caves - Join us for an exclusive visit on private land to a unique series of caves that only a fortunate few have ever seen. We'll also show you what's being done to protect the area.

Family/Marriage

8/26/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9541,

Looking Back at Highs, Lows of Kennedy's High-profile Life: Kwame Holman looks back at the life of the last surviving Kennedy brother and his role as a liberal stalwart.

7/26/2009 10:30PM, 90 minutes; Format: Documentary

P.O.V., Epsd No. 2205, The Betrayal (Nerakhoon)

Filmed over 23 years, The Betrayal is the Academy Award®-nominated directorial debut of renowned cinematographer Ellen Kuras in a unique collaboration with the film's subject and co-director, Thavisouk ("Thavi") Phrasavath. After the U.S. government waged a secret war in Laos during the Vietnam War, Thavi's father and thousands of other Laotians who had fought alongside American forces were abandoned and left to face imprisonment or execution. Hoping to find safety, Thavi's family made a harrowing escape to America, where they discovered a different kind of war. Weaving ancient prophecy with personal testimony and stunning imagery, The Betrayal is a story of survival and the resilient bonds of family. A Diverse Voices Project co-production with support from the Corporation for Public Broadcasting (CPB); funded in part by the Center for Asian American Media (CAAM). An Official Selection of the 2008 Sundance Film Festival.

9/23/2009 8PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Other

FAMILIES STAND TOGETHER: FEELING SECURE IN TOUGH TIMES,

This primetime television special features brief documentaries about real-life families and the story of a Muppet family coping with the ups and downs of these uncertain economic times. Hosted by Al Roker, Deborah Roberts and Elmo and his friends, the special will offer help, hope and strategies for families and will encourage children to express their feelings and ideas as their families adjust to a new life.

9/21/2009 11:30PM, 01:26:46 minutes; Format: Documentary

P.O.V., Epsd No. 2110, Calavera Highway

When brothers Armando and Carlos Peña set off to carry their mother's ashes to south Texas, their road trip turns into a quest for answers about a strangely veiled past. As they reunite with five other brothers, the two men try to piece together their family's shattered history. Why was their mother cast out by her family? What happened to their father, who disappeared during the notorious 1954 U.S. deportation program Operation Wetback? "Calavera Highway" is a sweeping story of seven Mexican-American men grappling with the meaning of masculinity, fatherhood and a legacy of rootless beginnings.

8/26/2009 9PM, 180 minutes; Format: Documentary

KENNEDYS: AMERICAN EXPERIENCE; THE, Epsd No. 2110,

On August 25, 2008, just two months after undergoing surgery for a malignant brain tumor, "The Lion of the Senate" and the Kennedy family's lone male survivor -- Edward M. Kennedy -- surprised attendees with an unscheduled speech at the Democratic National Convention in Denver, Colorado. "As I look ahead, I am strengthened by family and friendship. So many of you have been with me in the happiest days and the hardest days. Together we have known success and seen setbacks, victory and defeat," Kennedy said. The Kennedy story is unlike any other: a saga of ambition, wealth, family loyalty and personal tragedy. From patriarch Joseph Kennedy's rise on Wall Street and frustrations in politics, John Kennedy's march to the White House, Robert Kennedy's near-certain presidential victory, preempted only by his tragic death, through Edward Kennedy's withdrawal from the 1980 Presidential race following the scandal of Chappaquiddick, the family legacy continues to influence politics.

Health/Health Care

- 9/11/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9553,
One-shot Solution Explored for H1N1 Vaccine:Margaret Warner speaks with Dr. Anthony Fauci of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Disease about a new H1N1 flu vaccine.
- 7/31/2009 9PM, 60 minutes;
BILL MOYERS JOURNAL, Epsd No. 1316,
Moyers on the Health Care Lobby: A Bill Moyers essay. Remote Area Medical: Learn more about Remote Area Medical, the non-profit group that mounts "medical expeditions" in the U.S. and abroad. Wendell Potter -- Profits or Patients: With almost 20 years inside the health insurance industry, Wendell Potter saw for-profit insurers hijack our health care system and put profits before patients. Now, he speaks with Bill Moyers about how those companies are standing in the way of health care reform.
- 7/23/2009 12AM, 60 minutes;
CHARLIE ROSE, Epsd No. 15148,
A conversation with Denis Cortese, President and CEO of Mayo Clinic, about health care reform.
- 7/17/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9513,
Obama Calls for Action on Health Care Amid Cost Concerns: Saying "now we've got to get over the finish line," President Barack Obama renewed his call Friday to lawmakers to hammer out health care reform legislation. Betty Ann Bowser recaps the week's developments, including new concerns on the plan's costs.
- 7/21/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9515,
Political Divisions Intensify Over Costs of Health Reform: President Barack Obama pushed back Tuesday against stepped-up Republican efforts to question his health reform agenda. Four members of key congressional committees discuss the divisions on Capitol Hill.
- 7/10/2009 9PM, 60 minutes;
BILL MOYERS JOURNAL, Epsd No. 1313,
Health Care Reform on the Table:Public option, single payer, free market? what are the options now under discussion? Money, Politics and Health:Trace campaign contributions, ad spending and the revolving door between industry and government. Moyers on Media, Politics and Health Care:A Bill Moyers essay. Wendell Potter -- Profits or Patients:With almost 20 years inside the health insurance industry, Wendell Potter saw for-profit insurers hijack our health care system and put profits before patients. Now, he speaks with Bill Moyers about how those companies are standing in the way of health care reform.
- 9/9/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9551,
Axelrod Optimistic About Health Care Reform Push:Judy Woodruff speaks with White House senior adviser David Axelrod about what is at stake for President Obama ahead of Wednesday night's speech.
- 7/24/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9518,

Health Care Battle Takes to the Airwaves: As lawmakers and the president wrangle over the details of health care reform, interest groups across the political spectrum are taking to the airwaves in response to the numerous proposals coming out of Washington. Media expert Evan Tracey speaks with Ray Suarez about the ads.

7/27/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9519,

High Obesity Rates Stress U.S. Health Care Budgets: A new study finds that obesity rates grew 37 percent from 1998 to 2008 and account for 10 percent of the nation's health care spending. The author of the report speaks with Gwen Ifill about health concerns in the U.S.

7/8/2009 6:30PM, 30 minutes;

NIGHTLY BUSINESS REPORT, Epsd No. 29083,

Market Stats; Paul Kangas' Stocks in the News; Vice President Joe Biden Offers Health Care Reform Reassurance; Google's Chrome OS vs. Microsoft's Windows 7; "Street Critique"-Paul Larson, Equity Strategist of Morningstar; "Money File"-Risk & Rewards.

7/15/2009 7PM, 13:17 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9511,

Lawmakers Grapple With Costs of Health Care Reform:As health care reform legislation moves forward, lawmakers are grappling with the thorny question of how to cover the costs of such an overhaul, including a possible new tax surcharge on the wealthy. Two analysts discuss the issue.

7/14/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9510,

House Democrats Unveil Plan to Overhaul Health Care:House Democrats on Tuesday unveiled their proposal to overhaul the nation's health care system. The plan includes a government-run insurance option, and would be paid for in part by a tax increase on the wealthy. NPR's Julie Rovner explains the move.

7/8/2009 7PM, 06:28 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9506,

Hospitals Vow Cost Cuts Amid Concerns on Reform's Price Tag:Three major hospital organizations joined the effort to cut medical costs and agreed to contribute \$155 billion over the next 10 years to the cost of health care reform. Betty Ann Bowser reports.

7/7/2009 7PM, 06:48 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9505,

Obama Administration Plans to Expand Research Funding for Older Stem Cell Lines:An Obama administration plan released Monday would expand federal funding of stem cell research to older lines of stem cells previously ineligible for such financing. Jeffrey Brown reports.

7/1/2009 7PM, 07:17 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9501,

FDA Panel Recommends Ban on Popular Painkillers:A doctor assesses a new FDA panel recommendation for a ban on such popular painkillers as Vicodin, Percocet and other drugs containing acetaminophen.

9/4/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9548,

Seattle Health Cooperative May Offer National Model:The success of the Seattle-based medical provider, Group Health, has put new attention on whether a cooperative health plan can work on a national level. Betty Ann Bowser reports.

Homosexuality

7/7/2009 11:30PM, 30 minutes; Format: Documentary

IN THE LIFE, Epsd No. 1808, Confronting Crisis

The AIDS epidemic in communities of color and current efforts to fight the crisis are investigated.

9/2/2009 11PM, 30 minutes; Format: Magazine

IN THE LIFE, Epsd No. 1812,

IN THE LIFE remains one of the few nationally broadcast series to present the art, culture, issues and news of the gay and lesbian community. It continues to provide public television viewers with a clear, non-sensational look at the realities of being gay or lesbian in America. The monthly newsmagazine, taped on location worldwide and hosted by an exciting array of celebrity guest hosts, serves a broad audience of gay and straight viewers. Each one-hour episode contains six to eight segments, including news and notes, youth and education, health and AIDS, arts and culture, the workplace, relationships and family, and global issues. The series was honored in 2003 with two Emmy nominations from the New York Chapter of the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences.

7/7/2009 11PM, 30 minutes; Format: Documentary

IN THE LIFE, Epsd No. 1810, Summer of Stonewall Civil Disobedience

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9/2/2009 11:30PM, 30 minutes; Format: Magazine

IN THE LIFE, Epsd No. 1811,

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Immigration/Refugees

7/3/2009 10:30PM, 30 minutes;

NOW ON PBS, Epsd No. 527,

The U.S.-Mexico border fence--are private contractors making billions on a project that won't even work? This week, NOW Senior Correspondent Maria Hinojosa travels to Texas to meet border families who fear losing their property, their safety, and their way of life.

Media

- 7/10/2009 7PM, 10:30 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. **9508**,
Media Take Second Look at Coverage of Jackson's Death:Amid the extensive coverage of pop star Michael Jackson's death, media outlets are asking themselves what news stories may have been missed. Analysts and reporters take a look at the issue.
- 8/19/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. **9536**,
Remembering "60 Minutes" Creator Don Hewitt:A remembrance of Don Hewitt, creator of the television magazine "60 Minutes," who died Wednesday after a battle with pancreatic cancer.
- 8/26/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. **9541**,
Reactions From Around U.S. to Sen. Kennedy's Death:Ray Suarez recaps reactions to Senator Kennedy's death from around the country.
- 9/9/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. **9551**,
Colleagues, Friends Honor Walter Cronkite:President Obama and former President Clinton were among attendees who gathered Wednesday at Lincoln Center in New York to honor Walter Cronkite.

Minorities/Civil Rights

- 7/3/2009 7PM, 09:16 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. **9503**,
Supreme Court Term Brought Some Surprises:Legal analysts Linda Greenhouse and Thomas Goldstein examine the impact of the most significant Supreme Court decisions of the 2008 term, including a narrow ruling on the landmark Voting Rights Act.
- 7/17/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. **9513**,
NAACP Celebrates 100 Years: President Obama spoke Thursday at the 100th anniversary of the NAACP. Gwen Ifill traveled to New York to speak with the leader and two activists from the organization about its changing role.
- 7/25/2009 12AM, 60 minutes;
CHARLIE ROSE, Epsd No. **15150**,
First, a discussion about race in America in the aftermath of an incident between a Harvard professor and a Cambridge, Massachusetts police officer with Reverend Floyd Flake, Raina Kelley of Newsweek and David Remnick of The New Yorker. A conversation with Armando Iannucci, Director of "In the Loop."

National Politics/Government

- 7/22/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. **9516**,
On Asia Tour, Clinton Issues Warnings to N. Korea, Iran: The United States does "not intend to reward North Korea" simply for returning to negotiations over its nuclear ambitions, Secretary of

- State Hillary Clinton warned Wednesday on a trip to Asia. Regional experts analyze her visit with Margaret Warner.
- 9/15/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
- NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9555,**
Trade Tensions Flare Between U.S., China as G-20 Nears:New U.S. tariffs on Chinese tire imports have created a feud between the two nations ahead of next week's meeting of the Group of 20 industrial and developing nations. Trade experts speak with Jeffrey Brown about how the dispute will affect future U.S.-China trade.
- 9/14/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
- NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9554,**
A Look Back at the Collapse of Lehman Brothers:Lehman Brothers survived the Civil War, the Great Depression, two World Wars, and the attacks of 9/11, yet under the leadership of Richard Fuld the investment bank went from storied Wall Street firm to catalyst of last year's economic crisis. What went wrong? Paul Solman reports.
- 7/8/2009 12AM, 60 minutes;
- CHARLIE ROSE, Epsd No. 15137,**
First, an update on President Obama's trip to Russia with Michael Mandelbaum, Professor and Director of the American Foreign Policy program at the Johns Hopkins University, and Martha Raddatz of ABC News. Next, a conversation with author Alistair Horne on his latest book, "Kissinger:1973, the Crucial Year."
- 7/23/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
- NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9517,**
In Washington, Iraqi PM Focuses on Security Steps: During a weeklong visit to the U.S., Iraqi Prime Minister Nouri al-Maliki met with President Obama to discuss the road ahead for the country's security situation and other key policy issue. Margaret Warner reports.
- 7:21:00 AM 7PM, 60 minutes;
- NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9515,**
Senate Vote Against F-22 Funds a Win for Obama: In a key political victory for President Obama and Defense Secretary Robert Gates, the Senate on Tuesday voted 58-40 to block \$1.75 billion in financing for new F-22 fighter jets. Kwame Holman reports.
- 7/3/2009 8PM, 30 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
- WASHINGTON WEEK, Epsd No. 4901,**
To the Congress, the new senator from Minnesota and the Supreme Court term ends, tonight on "Washington Week." Gen. Ray Odierno said, "I think from a military and security standpoint it's time for us to move out of the cities." The deadline arrived and U.S. troops left town, but 130,000 service members remain. And the violence continues. Where do we stand in Iraq? At home, President Obama tackles other ups and downs, a win last week on climate change and uncertain path ahead on health care. In Minnesota, an election decided eight months after the voting ended. SEN. AL FRANKEN (D-MN) said, "Well, it was close, but we won." While winners and losers are still sorting out this year's Supreme Court term. Covering the week:Martha Raddatz of ABC News, Dan Balz of the "Washington Post," Naftali Bendavid of the "Wall Street" Journal, and Joan Biskupic of "USA Today".
- 7/27/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;
- NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9519,**
Obama Calls for Deeper U.S.-China Economic Relationship: President Barack Obama stressed the importance of new strategic and economic dialogue between the United States and China.

Margaret Warner reports on the beginning of the talks and what they mean for international relations between the two countries.

7/10/2009 7PM, 08:29 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9508,

As G-8 Summit Wraps Up, Obama Heads to Ghana:Margaret Warner, who has been reporting on the scene of the G-8 summit, discusses the meeting's conclusion and President Obama's next stop in Ghana.

7/8/2009 7PM, 10:35 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9506,

Cyber Attacks on U.S. Government Put Digital Security in Spotlight:Recent attacks on government computers, private organizations and foreign governments have raised fresh questions about the nation's digital security. Analysts discuss the implications of the attacks and the vulnerability of the nation's digital systems.

7/7/2009 7PM, 10:50 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9505,

Obama Appeals for Stronger Partnership with Russia:Stressing "common interests," President Obama made the case Tuesday for a renewed spirit of cooperation between the United States and Russia. Margaret Warner speaks with Gwen Ifill from Moscow.

7/3/2009 7PM, 16:42 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9503,

Russian Foreign Minister Sees 'Improvement' in U.S.-Russian Relations:In the last of a series of reports from Russia, Margaret Warner talks with Foreign Minister Sergei Lavrov about the future of U.S.-Russian relations, last year's Georgian war, and negotiating a nuclear arms treaty.

7/13/2009 7PM, 03:34 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9509,

Other News:Markets Rise, Obama Resumes Push for Health Care Reform:In other news, the Dow Jones industrial average made significant gains after an analyst expressed optimism for the banking industry, and President Obama warned Congress not to delay or block passage of comprehensive health care reform.

7/3/2009 10:30PM, 30 minutes;

NOW ON PBS, Epsd No. 527,

The U.S.-Mexico border fence--are private contractors making billions on a project that won't even work? This week, NOW Senior Correspondent Maria Hinojosa travels to Texas to meet border families who fear losing their property, their safety, and their way of life.

7/2/2009 7PM, 01:59 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9502,

U.S. Troops Pour into Southern Afghanistan in New Offensive:U.S. Marines marked the start of a new offensive in Afghanistan Thursday, as part of the Obama administration's efforts to stabilize the Afghan-Pakistan border region. James Mates of Independent Television News reports.

7/1/2009 7PM, 12:14 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9501,

Iraq's Security Forces Making New Progress, Odierno Says:Gen. Ray Odierno, head of multi-national forces in Iraq, gives his take on the country's path to stability one day after the U.S. troop withdrawal from Iraqi cities.

7/13/2009 7PM, 10:26 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9509,

Calls Intensify for Investigation Into Bush-era CIA Program: Democrats are demanding a fresh investigation into whether the Bush administration failed to brief Congress on the existence of a secret program to target, capture, or kill al-Qaida operatives. Gwen Ifill examines the story with two journalists.

Nuclear Issues/WMD

7/6/2009 7PM, 10:05 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9504,

U.S., Russia Unveil Plan for Nuclear Cuts at Summit: President Barack Obama met with Russian leaders Monday to push for progress on arms control and other issues. Margaret Warner reports from the opening day of the Moscow summit.

Recreation/Leisure/Sports

7/23/2009 8:30PM, 20 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1705, Free Riding / Kayak Surfing

Freeriding - You won't believe what they're doing with mountain bikes now. Join us for a wild ride high in the trees. Kayak Surfing - We head to the coast for a look at a relatively new sport that is getting more popular in Oregon.

8/20/2009 8:30PM, 20 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1812, Mountain Man Rendezvous / Primitive Living

If military life isn't for you, how about a trip to central Oregon and the annual Mountain Man Rendezvous? Still too tame? Then how about a try at Primitive Living in the rugged terrain of Glass Buttes as you see what it's like to try and live like a caveman.

7/16/2009 8:30PM, 20 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1703, Rescue Dogs / Wild Foods / Animal Therapy

Rescue Dogs - Meet some amazing dogs that are a vital part of life saving search and rescue teams. Animal Therapy - A look at some rather unusual techniques for helping your favorite pet in pain.

7/2/2009 8:30PM, 10 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 2014, Eagle Cap Extreme

Eagle Cap Extreme - Join us on a grueling two-day, 200-mile dogsled race in the snowcapped Wallowa Mountains. For the mushers who take it on, the Eagle Cap Extreme is Oregon's only Iditarod-qualifying dogsled race.

8/6/2009 8:30PM, 10 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1802, Kayak Fishing

Kayak Fishing - See why an Oregonian is hooked on fishing from a small kayak on the open ocean. (Ed Jahn)

8/18/2009 10PM, 25 minutes; Format: Documentary

OREGON LENS, Epsd No. 1102, Never Stop Moving

Never Stop Moving

A story about Kevin Hansen and his work with wheelchair athletes. Kevin was a typically young man with a love for anything athletic until a tragic skiing accident left him a quadriplegic at the age of 21. He then started World Wheelchair Sports, a Eugene-based non-profit organization to set up athletic opportunities and recreational experiences for folks who use wheelchairs. Produced by Kevin Hasenkopf, Melanie Johnson, Brian McAndrew and Ashlea Holcomb

Religion/Ethics

7/5/2009 4PM, 30 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

RELIGION & ETHICS NEWSWEEKLY, Epsd No. 1244,

Rev. Francisco Marrero Gutierrez: Cuba-U.S. Relations: The head of the Presbyterian Reformed Church in Cuba says Cuban churches are playing a greater role in their society and need stronger ties with U.S. Christians; Interview: Rev. Dr. Brad Braxton; Aravind Eye Hospital: Patients at this hospital in Madurai, India are among the world's poorest people. It was founded by a pioneering eye surgeon who was a disciple of the spiritual teacher Sri Aurobindo, and its business success and social mission have long made it a model in public health textbooks.

Science/Technology

7/14/2009 9PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Magazine

NOVA SCIENCENOW, Epsd No. 403,

Two drugs that may help kids with muscular dystrophy or the frail elderly, who don't have the option of hopping on a treadmill to build strength and endurance; renowned paleontologist George Poinar, who has announced his discovery of multiple clues to parasitic pandemics that could have been just as instrumental in wiping out the dinosaurs as the hypothesized asteroid impact; a profile of rocket scientist and astronaut Franklin Chang-Diaz; and the beauty — and dangers — of the northern lights.

7/20/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9514,

Moon Landing Anniversary Renews Debate on Spaceflight: As the country celebrates the 40th anniversary of the Apollo 11 moon landing, NASA and the Obama administration are weighing the debate over sending more astronauts into space, or to shift more toward the use of robots. Ray Suarez reports.

7/21/2009 9PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Magazine

NOVA SCIENCENOW, Epsd No. 404,

The science behind our sense of taste; a product that may fulfill the dream of creating an artificial tree that can absorb carbon dioxide directly from the air; shedding light on the evolutionary roots of human language through studies of walrus and sea lion vocal and intellectual abilities; and a profile of medical engineer Sangeeta Bhatia.

7/7/2009 9PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Magazine

NOVA SCIENCENOW, Epsd No. 402,

Astronomers on the brink of finding "another Earth" in our galaxy, using a new planet-hunting machine: the Kepler telescope; Rudy Tanzi, a pioneer in discovering genes for Alzheimer's disease, and others who are on the hunt for the genetic key to autism; the use of computers to authenticate paintings; and a profile of spider scientist Maydianne Andrade.

7/14/2009 10PM, 60 minutes;

INSIDE, Epsd No. 106, Space Launch

Experiencing a space launch.

9/1/2009 9PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Magazine

NOVA SCIENCENOW, Epsd No. 408,

How and why earthquakes strike in the heartland; the role of sleep in strengthening memories; profile of marine geologist Sang-Mook Lee; and evolutionary evidence of the creatures that evolved into primates.

9/1/2009 8PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Other

NOVA, Epsd No. 3518, Is There Life On Mars?

More than four years after they landed on Mars, NASA's twin robot explorers, Spirit and Opportunity, have lasted 16 times longer and driven 20 times farther than expected. Along the way, they've endured the worst Martian storm ever recorded and survived near-fatal software glitches, a broken wheel and hair-raising climbs and descents on steep slopes. And since May 25, 2008, they've had new company on the red planet: NASA's Phoenix probe, which dramatically "tasted" water ice on the planet in July. NOVA "Is There Life on Mars?" showcases the latest scientific results from the rovers and Phoenix, which are poised to reveal provocative new clues in the tantalizing search for water and life on the Red Planet.

7/9/2009 7PM, 09:36 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9507,

"Cloud Computing" Could Transform Data Storage: Some businesses are beginning to embrace a technology called "cloud computing" -- storing data and programs on the Internet rather than on an individual company's computers. But critics worry about privacy issues. Spencer Michels reports.

Social Services

9/21/2009 10PM, 60 minutes; Format: Other

RETIREMENT REVOLUTION, Epsd No. 101, Hazards And Vicissitudes

This episode illustrates the origins of retirement and how it has evolved over the past several decades, from the Depression era, the birth of Social Security and Medicare to today's climate of economic uncertainty and what it means for baby boomers' financial futures.

Transportation

8/24/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9539,

Popular 'Cash for Clunkers' Program Winds Down: The government is ending its popular 'Cash for Clunkers' program two months early due to dwindling funds. Jeffrey Brown speaks with an automotive journalist about its impact on the auto industry and the economy.

7/2/2009 8:30PM, 10 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 2014, Portland Biking

Portland Biking - Portland boasts more bicycle riders than most U.S. cities, so it's no wonder city planners are doing all they can to make the area as bike-friendly as possible.

7/30/2009 8:30PM, 10 minutes; Format: Magazine

OREGON FIELD GUIDE, Epsd No. 1710, Sumpter Locomotive

Sumpter Locomotive - Hop aboard one of Oregon's only working full-sized steam locomotives for a historic tour through the beautiful Sumpter Valley.

9/10/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9552,

Even in Tough Times, Innovation Flourishes: Despite the recession, one Boston-based company is creating new technology that could redefine the auto industry.

8/11/2009 8PM, 56:46 minutes; Format: Documentary

NOVA, Epsd No. 3315, The Deadliest Plane Crash

NOVA presents a gripping investigation of what went wrong when two Boeing 747 airliners collided in thick fog on the runway at a tiny airport in the Canary Islands, killing 583 passengers and crew - the worst loss of life in any air disaster. With heart-breaking survivor interviews, re-enactments and a detective story approach, NOVA pieces together the clues that led to a fatal take-off decision by the highly experienced captain of the KLM 747, who couldn't see the Pan Am 747 still parked on the runway, lost in the fog ahead of him. The disaster led to fundamental improvements in air safety, but experts worry that a repeat of the Tenerife disaster could still happen.

War/Veterans/National Security

9/4/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9548,

NATO to Probe Strike that Killed Dozens of Civilians:NATO plans to launch an investigation into an airstrike aimed at Taliban militants on Friday that inadvertently struck and killed scores of civilians. Meanwhile, in Britain, Prime Minister Gordon Brown sought to reassure skeptics about the rising number of British casualties in Afghanistan. ITN reports.

9/1/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9545,

Contractors Under Scrutiny at U.S. Embassy in Kabul:A nonpartisan watchdog on Tuesday charged that language barriers, overwork, and lewd behavior by U.S. government contractors are undermining security at the American embassy in Kabul. Margaret Warner reports.

7/15/2009 7PM, 12:26 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9511,

Death Toll Mounts as Coalition Forces Confront Taliban:As coalition forces attempt to wrest control of southern Afghanistan from Taliban insurgents, they are experiencing their highest casualties in eight years of war. Analysts discuss the rise in violence with Gwen Ifill.

7/9/2009 7PM, 02:07 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9507,

Other News:Bombings Kill Nearly 60 Iraqis:In other news, nearly 60 Iraqis were killed in a series of bombings, and some two million Pakistani refugees will be allowed to return home after fleeing from a Taliban offensive.

7/6/2009 7PM, 05:02 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9504,

Other News--Seven U.S. Troops Killed in Afghanistan:In other news, seven U.S. troops were killed in deadly attacks across Afghanistan, and 165 people have been killed during riots in China.

7/2/2009 7PM, 01:59 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9502,

U.S. Troops Pour into Southern Afghanistan in New Offensive:U.S. Marines marked the start of a new offensive in Afghanistan Thursday, as part of the Obama administration's efforts to stabilize the Afghan-Pakistan border region. James Mates of Independent Television News reports.

7/2/2009 7PM, 03:31 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9502,

Other News:After Budget Failure, California Begins Issuing IOUs:In other news, California began issuing IOU notes after the governor failed to reach a deal on the state's budget, and Vice President Joe Biden visited troops in Iraq.

7/9/2009 7PM, 08:41 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9507,

As Troops Continue Afghan Offensive, Focus Turns to Civilian Outreach:U.S. Marines pushed further into the Helmand province in southern Afghanistan this week, as word came of a truck bombing in a village south of Kabul that killed at least two dozen people. A Washington Post reporter gives an update on the military efforts and the bombing.

7/11/2009 7PM, 12:14 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9501,

Iraq's Security Forces Making New Progress, Odierno Says:Gen. Ray Odierno, head of multi-national forces in Iraq, gives his take on the country's path to stability one day after the U.S. troop withdrawal from Iraqi cities.

9/8/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9550,

News Wrap—4 U.S. Soldiers Killed in Iraq Bombing:In other news, four American soldiers were killed by roadside bombings in Iraq, making Tuesday the bloodiest day for U.S. troops there in more than two months. And four other Americans died in eastern Afghanistan.

8/18/2009 10PM, 10 minutes; Format: Documentary

OREGON LENS, Epsd No. 1102, What We Could Carry

What WeCould Carry

The story of four Japanese Americanstudents, denied diplomas and expelled from the University of Oregon campus in1942, and their experiences during the war and after. It features Sam Naito, Robertand Homer Yasui, Midori Funatake, Alice Kawasaki and National Book award winnerand Oregon's former Poet Laureate, Lawson Inada. Three of the characters wentto camps, two escaped to states outside the exclusion zone. They went onto become surgeons, nurses and major business leaders. Produced by Sam Allen , Emese Foss, CatalinaVazquez and Daniel Miller

9/10/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9552,

Perils of Reporting in War Zone Examined:Jeffrey Brown and guests discuss the dangers of reporting from a war zone following the rescue of a New York Times reporter.

9/3/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9547,

Gates Signals Openness to Adding Troops in Afghanistan:Defense Secretary Robert Gates told reporters Thursday he would be open to sending more troops to Afghanistan, despite mounting questions on the war.

9/15/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9555,

Doubts Surface Among Democrats on Afghan War Strategy:During testimony on Capitol Hill Tuesday, Adm. Mike Mullen, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, said the Afghan war is growing more complicated and may require more troops. Margaret Warner reports on doubts among some Democrats on the strategy for Afghanistan.

9/11/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9553,

Public Views Shifting on War in Afghanistan:Jeffrey Brown speaks with editorial page editors about the public's view on the war in Afghanistan and increasing doubts over sending more troops.

Women

8/25/2009 12AM, 60 minutes;

CHARLIE ROSE, Epsd No. 15171,

Conversations with Dolly Parton, Meryl Streep, and Helen Mirren.

7/5/2009 4:30PM, 30 minutes; Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

TO THE CONTRARY WITH BONNIE ERBE, Epsd No. 1817,

Reversing Discrimination:Judge Sonia Sotomayor's judicial record is in question after the Supreme Court overturns her earlier ruling in the reverse discrimination case brought by a group of white New Haven firefighters. Barriers to Working Longer:How tax codes, bias, and legal barriers stand in the way of women who want to work past the traditional retirement age.

8/11/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9530,

Systemic Rape, Fighting Threaten Congo's Future:Secretary of State Clinton condemned sexual abuse by Congolese soldiers and rebels against civilians. A women's rights advocate describes the scope of the atrocities.

Youth

9/8/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9550,

Obama Speaks to Students in High-profile Address:Ray Suarez gets reactions from teachers, parents and students to President Barack Obama's back-to-school address, which created controversy among some groups.

8/20/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9537,

Wind Energy Fuels Job Hopes for Oklahoma Youth:In the final installment of her Generation Next series, which has aired on both the NewsHour and NPR, Judy Woodruff reports on how wind energy is generating new career prospects for young Americans in the Sooner State.

8/19/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9536,

Generation Next:Young Grads Turn to Service Amid Tight Job Market:At community resource centers across the country, young people like Brian Marroquin, a recent graduate of VCU, are deferring their careers to focus on community service. Judy Woodruff examines the trend as part of the Generation Next series.

8/14/2009 7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9533,

11-year-old Reporter Lands an Interview with Obama:After waiting a year for a response from the White House, 11-year-old Damon Weaver landed an interview with President Obama.

8/2/2009 10:30PM, 01:26:46 minutes; Format: Documentary

P.O.V., Epsd No. 2206,

Variety describes it as a film "mixing ferocity with tenderness, delicacy with tenacity" -- exactly like the unusual school it explores. In Hold Me Tight, Let Me Go, one of Britain's leading documentary

filmmakers takes a verite look at Oxford's Mulberry Bush School for emotionally disturbed children. Mulberry's heroically forbearing staff greets extreme, sometimes violent behavior with only consolation and gentle restraint. Kim Longinotto's unblinking camera captures an arduous process and a nearly unhinged environment, but it also records the daily dramas of troubled kids trying to survive and the moments of hope they achieve with Mulberry's clear-eyed staff.

8/3/2009

7PM, 60 minutes;

NEWSHOUR WITH JIM LEHRER; THE, Epsd No. 9524,

Children Not Getting Enough Vitamin D, Study Concludes: More than 60 percent of children have "insufficient" levels of Vitamin D, a study published by the journal Pediatrics concluded on Monday. Gwen Ifill reports.

