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Semi-pickup collision severely injures Liberal man

By Jeffery H. Smith
A 47-year-old Liberal man was severely injured in a collision between a semi-truck and a pickup truck on Jan. 17. The man, who was driving the pickup, was taken to the hospital and is expected to have a long recovery.

Incumbent Linenbroker files for re-election to county commission

By Jeffery H. Smith
The Board County Clerk Office announced Monday that the incumbent Linenbroker, who has served on the commission since 2008, has filed for re-election to the commission.

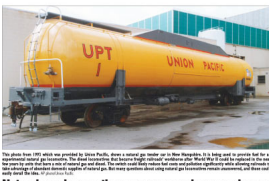
Education efforts expand to election

Next step is teaching voters what's at stake
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College to offer Defensive Driving courses

By Jeffery H. Smith
The University of Florida has announced it will offer defensive driving courses to its students. The courses are designed to help students improve their driving skills and reduce the risk of accidents.



The photo from 1957, which was provided by Union Pacific, shows a smart gas engine on a New England. It is being used to generate heat for an experimental smart gas locomotive. The photo is courtesy of the National Transportation Library. The photo is being used to generate heat for an experimental smart gas locomotive. The photo is courtesy of the National Transportation Library.

Union victory: Pom-watching Wisconsin teacher awarded new job, back pay

By Jeffery H. Smith
A Wisconsin teacher who was awarded a new job and back pay after a union victory. The teacher had been laid off by the school district but was reinstated after a court ruling in favor of the union.

Natural gas locomotives may prove cheaper, cleaner

By Jeffery H. Smith
Natural gas locomotives may prove cheaper and cleaner than traditional diesel locomotives. The technology is being tested by several railroads and is expected to be widely adopted in the future.