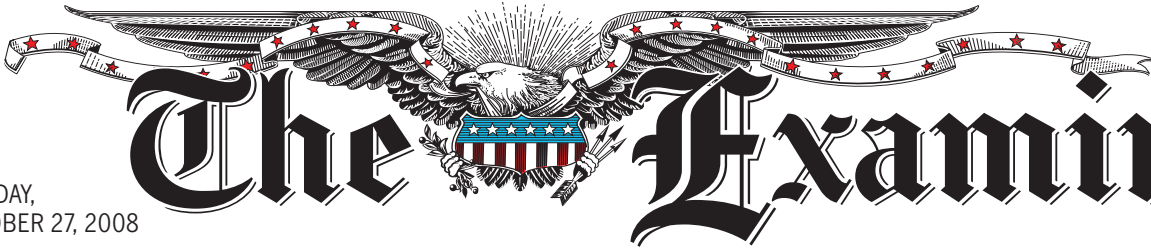




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WEEK AHEAD

More weak data, selling of hedge funds this week

NEW YORK - In a typical recession, stocks start recovering about six months before the economy does. But the crisis the country is in right now is anything but typical: Lending is frozen, hedge-fund selling is happening on a massive scale, and economic troubles have spread all over the globe. As a result, it's possible the economy will need to show signs of strength before the stock market stabilizes and regains steam. So with readings getting darker by the day, expect more of the same this week: extreme volatility. -AP

HEALTH CARE

XLHealth expands in Baltimore

XLHealth, owner of Care Improvement Plus, last week announced plans to open a new corporate service center in the Montgomery Park Business Center in Baltimore. The center will be used to house eight departments, providing services to Care Improvement Plus members and providers, including its clinical and member service call centers. The company plans to complete build-out of the 40,000-square-foot space by early 2009. XLHealth's corporate headquarters are located at the Warehouse in Camden Yards. "The amazing growth XLHealth has undergone during the past two years speaks to the vast need for health care services that improve quality of care for those with chronic illness — we are pleased to be part of the solution," Paul Serini, executive vice president of XLHealth, said in a statement. -Andrew Cannarsa

EXPANSION

FTI Consulting buys Australia firm

Baltimore-based business advisory firm FTI Consulting has acquired Perth, Australia's leading corporate communications and investor relations firm, the company said Friday. The Perth Consultancy will operate as part of FTI's strategic communications arm, FD, working alongside FD's existing Sydney and Melbourne offices. "This acquisition aligns very well with our existing corporate communications and investor relations expertise in Australia and will broaden our ability to serve our clients in this key market," FTI President and Chief Executive Officer Jack Dunn said in a statement. -Aaron Cahall

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Howard County firm leads the e-scrap revolution

By Andrew Cannarsa
Examiner Staff Writer

Michael Caulfield stood in the vast warehouse, surrounded by boxes of old electronics parts.

"It's like the miner trying to get gold out of the water," said Caulfield, vice president of sales for E-Structors. "Everything, at the end of the day, in some way, shape or form, we're recycling it."

The "e-scrap recycling" business has grown in recent years, as has E-Structors. The firm, founded in 2003 by Julie and Michael Keough, recently moved to a new 95,000-square-foot facility in Howard County, increasing operating capacity by nearly 74,000 square feet. In the past year, the company has grown from 22 to 59 employees.

The business receives about 1 million pounds of electronic waste and an additional 500,000 pounds of paper waste per month from customers throughout the mid-Atlantic.

"We expect that number to get as high as 4 million pounds [of received materials per month] in the next two years," Caulfield said.

About 2.6 million tons of e-scrap were generated in the United States in 2005, according to the Environmental Protection Agency, and just 12.6 percent was recycled. With annual revenues in excess of \$3 million, E-Structors is looking for even



Keough



COURTESY PHOTO

E-Structors has a staff that safely destroys and recycles used and outdated electronic equipment, computers and documents.

bigger things in the future.

"We help companies go green and do it in a secure and responsible manner," said Michael Keough, company president. "Everybody knows green. It's a very fashionable word, but we've been helping companies go green since 1996."

Before establishing E-Structors, Keough in 1996 founded Integrated Waste Analysts, a management service company that provides recycling management programs to customers throughout the United States.

E-Structors recycles everything

National recognition

E-Structors in September was listed as one of Secure Destruction Business magazine's top electronic scrap recyclers in the United States and Canada.

— computers, hard drives, televisions, stereos, cell phones and more. The company disables the old electronics, then a "monster shredder" tears through what remains and separates the parts into valu-

able plastics and precious metals like gold, silver and copper.

Additionally, the company helps customers dispose of sensitive personal and business data in a secure manner, shredding and destroying documents and hard drives.

Howard County Executive Ken Ulman said E-Structors is the model of a successful green business.

"It's becoming more and more clear that we can do more for the environment and grow jobs at the same time," Ulman said.

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AMERICA'S TOP 10

Box office

FOR OCT. 24-26, IN MILLIONS (ESTIMATED)

Title	Total
1 High School Musical 3	\$42
2 Saw V	\$30.5
3 Max Payne	\$7.6
4 Beverly Hills Chihuahua	\$6.9
5 Pride and Glory	\$6.3
6 The Secret Life of Bees	\$5.9
7 W.	\$5.3
8 Eagle Eye	\$5.1
9 Body of Lies	\$4.1
10 Quarantine	\$2.6

Album sales

FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOV. 1

Artist	Title
1 Kenny Chesney	Lucky Old Sun
2 T.I.	Paper Trail
3 Ray LaMontagne	Gossip in the Grain
4 Metallica	Death Magnetic
5 Jennifer Hudson	Jennifer Hudson
6 Kid Rock	Rock N Roll Jesus
7 Keane	Perfect Symmetry
8 Ne-Yo	Year of the Gentleman
9 Lucinda Williams	Little Honey
10 James Taylor	Covers



COURTESY PHOTO

Indy flick: From left, Shia LaBeouf, Harrison Ford and Karen Allen star in "Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull," which topped the DVD sales and rental charts.

Best-selling books

FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCT. 24

Title	Author
1 The Brass Verdict	M. Connelly
2 The Lucky One	N. Sparks
3 Edgar Sawtelle	D. Wroblewski
4 A Lion Among Men	G. Maguire
5 A Most Wanted Man	J. Le Carre
6 The Pirate King	R.A. Salvatore
7 Heat Lightning	J. Sandford
8 One Fifth Avenue	C. Bushnell
9 A Wallflower Christmas	L. Kleypas
10 The Other Queen	P. Gregory

NONFICTION

Title	Author
1 The Last Lecture	Pausch & Zaslow
2 Bold Fresh Piece ...	B. O'Reilly
3 Dewey	Myron & Witter
4 The Snowball	A. Schroeder
5 Hot, Flat and Crowded	T. Friedman
6 Here's the Story	M. McCormick
7 Multiple Blessings	Gosselin & Carson
8 The Secret	R. Byrne
9 Giada's Kitchen	G. De Laurentiis
10 Letter to My Daughter	M. Angelou

DVD sales

FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCT. 18

Title (Weeks out)	Last week
1 Indiana Jones: Crystal (1)	New
2 Iron Man (3)	2
3 Sleeping Beauty 50th (2)	1
4 Don't Mess With Zohan (2)	4
5 The Happening (2)	3
6 Indiana Jones: Complete (1)	New
7 Sex and the City: The Movie (4)	5
8 Forgetting Sarah Marshall (3)	6
9 Nightmare Before Christmas (8)	8
10 The Simpsons: Season 11 (2)	7

DVD rentals

FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCT. 19

Title (Weeks out)	Last week
1 Indiana Jones: Crystal (1)	New
2 The Happening (2)	2
3 Don't Mess With Zohan (2)	1
4 Iron Man (3)	3
5 Forgetting Sarah Marshall (3)	4
6 Leatherheads (4)	5
7 Baby Mama (6)	6
8 War, Inc. (1)	New
9 88 Minutes (5)	7
10 Made Of Honor (5)	8

-AP/Bloomberg News