Math Skills with the Newspaper
I can construct a problem based on real information. I can solve a problem with real numbers.

Problem Maker
Use numbers from the newspaper to make up a math problem.
You could use sports, weather, the stock market, prices, even the tv listings.
Any part of the newspaper that has numbers can be part of your problem.
Then give your problem to another student to solve.

1. News Item __________________________________________

2. Make it challenging—Include at least two steps:
   add  multiply  subtract  divide  estimate  round  calculate percentage  interpret a graph

Problem
Write it as a word problem.

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Answers:

a. ________________________  b. ________________________
c. ________________________  d. ________________________

Problem Solver
Solve the problem and circle the answer.
Write your reason for choosing that answer.

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