

TERROR IN LONDON

Hunt for bombers finds early clues

Toll: At least 37 dead, 700 hurt in four commuter explosions

Response: G-8 summit continues in face of 'barbaric' attack

Investigation: Blasts apparently set off by timers, not suicide attackers

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What's happening at the county fair

- In Show** • Complete users' guide to the 113th annual rite of summer that starts today in Costa Mesa.
- In Local** • Deep-fried guacamole? Alaskan pig races? It must be Orange County Fair time again.



THIS SECTION |

Hydrogen can't hold up budget

Budget • California's Legislature approved a \$117.5 billion budget, sending Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger the same agreement he struck earlier this week with legislative leaders. **News 14**

NATION & WORLD |

Egyptian diplomat executed

Murder • Al-Qaida gunmen said they executed Egypt's top diplomat in Baghdad because he represented a "tyrannical" government. **News 15**

LOCAL |

Tribe aims to unify factions

Tribe • After decades of waiting, the Juaneño Mission Band of Indians is on track for federal recognition. But first, tribe members say, they have to overcome political rifts that have divided the tribe into three factions. **Local 1**

Safety • Methamphetamine is the nation's top drug-related law enforcement problem; an Irvine teen knows firsthand of the drug's lures. **Local 1**

SPORTS |

Mariners hammer Angels

Baseball • Seattle got to Angels All-Star pitcher Bartolo Colon early and cruised to a 10-2 victory at Angel Stadium. **Sports 1**

BUSINESS |

Chevy looks hot in water, too

Enterprise • Dave March's custom-built Chevy Camaro can get up to 45 mph - but only if the water's calm. It's amphibious, and others want one, too. **Business 1**



SHOW |

'Cirque Lili' a magical show

Circus • In a small tent next to the Irvine Barclay Theatre, Frenchman Jérôme Thomas juggles, dances and clowns his way to a magical night of theater in "Cirque Lili." **Show 5**

Movies • "Dark Water" with Jennifer Connelly may resemble other recent horror films on the surface, but it's a transcendent work. **Show 13**

COMICS, ETC. |

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Plus • TV listings, crossword puzzles and, of course, the comics. **Comics, etc. 2-4**

COMING SUNDAY

Living strong

Treatments for testicular cancer have improved in the years since American cyclist Lance Armstrong put a face on a once obscure disease. **In Health & Family**



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Weather

Today ☀️ 66° 87°
COAST INLAND
Tonight 🌧️ 61° 57°

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DEVASTATION: A forensics officer walks next to the wreckage of a double-decker bus with its top blown off Thursday in London.

By DON VAN NATTA Jr. and ELAINE SCIOLINO THE NEW YORK TIMES

LONDON

Investigators said Thursday that the three bombs used in the subways here appeared to have been detonated by timers, not suicide bombers, and that a fourth device may have been intended for a target other than the city bus that it destroyed.

Senior police officials said they had not received a message claiming responsibility for the attacks from any group and had made no arrests. But officials immediately drew parallels between the London bombings and the ones that struck commuter trains in Madrid, Spain, 16 months ago, which were carried out by an al-Qaida-inspired cell.

ON BUSINESS 1

MARKETS: Stocks recover after an early plunge.

TRAVELERS: Taking a wait-and-see stance so far.

By Thursday night, there were far more questions than answers for Scotland Yard. One official said none of the scores of terrorism suspects watched closely in England appeared to be involved.

Police and intelligence officials acknowledged that they were taken completely by surprise by the coordinated bombings, even though they had been anticipating a terrorist attack for years.

The officials said there was no warning or even a hint that an attack was imminent among the blizzard of intelligence accumulated in recent days by the Met-

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“HOUR OF CARNAGE”



JANE MINGAY, THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

An injured and bandaged subway rider is escorted from the Edgware Road station. Londoners faced a surreal scene of destruction as rush-hour bomb blasts shattered the city's steady calm. **News 2-3**

“We will not allow violence to change our societies or our values.”

TONY BLAIR
BRITISH PRIME MINISTER



DEFYING TERROR

President Bush assessed the reaction of his fellow world leaders, including that of British Prime Minister Tony Blair, above, to the London attacks Thursday: "Their resolve is as strong as my resolve," Bush said. **News 7**

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PAUL E. RODRIGUEZ, THE REGISTER

The U.S. government raised the terror alert status for mass transit; bus and train service in O.C. saw increased security, above. **News 9**