



Benazir Bhutto, former Prime Minister of Pakistan and husband Asif Zardari at the Parliament in Islamabad. Bhutto was Alleld Thursday, Dec. 27, 2007, in a suicide attack as she drove away from a campaign rally.

Lee Chul (C), President of Korea railway and engine drivers pose in front of the cargo train before its departure for North Korea at the Dorasan station in Paju, near the demilitarized zone dividing the two Koreas, December 11, 2007. The first regular train service between South and North Korea for over 50 years crossed the heavily fortified border. AFP



Another old building is demolished to make way for a new construction project in southwestern municipality of chongging, China December 06, 2007. Property prices in 70 major cities across the country rose 8.2 percent in August 2007 from a year earlier, the fastest so far this year, according to official data. AFP



Argentina's newly elected President Cristina Fernandez de Kirchner (R) and her husband President Nestor Kirchner wave to supporters October 28, 2007 in Buenos Aires. According to first official figures- over 19 percent of the votes counted- Fernandez got 42,4 percent, followed by Roberto Lavagna with 21 and Elisa Carrio in third place with 18,8 percent of the votes. AFP



(FILES) Lebanese flags flutter on top of the ruins of destroyed buildings in the Palestinian refugee camp of Nahr al-Bared in the northern city of Tripoli, 31 July 2007. Apart from the political crisis in 2007, Lebanon witnessed a 15-week battle between the army and Islamists at a Palestinian refugee camp. AFP



A poisoned and oil covered bird lies dying in front of local volunteers removing oil pollution from the Black Sea shore in the port Kavkaz, November 13, 2007. Hundreds of Russian soldiers battled today to clean up a 2,000-tonne oil spill in environmentally sensitive waters caused by a fierco Black Sea storm that wrecked five ships. AFP