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- United Water continued a series of water main repairs in Hoboken after the fourth break in three days beginning March 28. – *Jersey Journal* (See item [10](#))
- A blood pressure meter that was knocked over April 1 spilled mercury in an examination room at North Shore Cardiovascular Associates and led to an evacuation. Officials spent several hours cleaning up the spill and decontaminating the area in order to reopen the facility by April 2. – *Salem News* (See item [11](#))
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Energy Sector

1. *April 1, Lansing State Journal* – (Michigan) **Grand River oil spill caused by BWL equipment malfunction.** Less than 300 gallons of oil leaked into the Grand River March 31 after equipment malfunctioned at the Lansing Board of Water and Light's Eckert Power Plant. Crews are working to clean up the spill.

Source:

<http://www.lansingstatejournal.com/article/20130401/NEWS01/304010069/BWL-reports-oil-spill-Grand-River>

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Critical Manufacturing Sector

2. *April 2, U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission* – (National) **Haier America expands recall of chest freezers due to fire hazard.** Haier expanded a recall of chest freezers to include 41,000 more units due to the potential for the freezers' circuitry to overheat, which poses a fire hazard. A previous recall affected 67,500 units.

Source: <http://www.cpsc.gov/en/Recalls/2013/Haier-America-Expands-Recall-of-Chest-Freezers/>

3. *April 1, U.S. Department of Labor* – (New York) **U.S. Labor Department's OSHA cites Saugherties, NY, metal fabricator for failing to correct previously cited hazard.** Rothe Welding Inc.in Saugherties was cited by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration for failing to address previously cited violations. Proposed fines totaled \$52,280.

Source:

http://www.osha.gov/pls/oshaweb/owadisp.show_document?p_table=NEWS_RELEASES&p_id=23862

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Transportation Sector

4. *April 2, WLOX 13 Biloxi*– (Mississippi) **I-10 re-opens after multiple accidents, only one lane westbound.** Accidents caused by fog on Interstate 10 in Jackson County involving five 18-wheelers and four other vehicles forced officials to close both east and westbound lanes for several hours April 2.
Source: <http://www.wlox.com/story/21850774/i-10-re-opens-after-multiple-accidents-one-lane-in-each-direction>
5. *April 2, Foster's Daily Democrat* – (New Hampshire) **Runaway tanker: Ship gets loose damaging both boat and drawbridge.** The Sarah Mildred Long Bridge, connecting New Hampshire and Maine, closed after being struck by a 473-foot tanker that broke free from its mooring April 1 at the New Hampshire State Pier. The bridge was expected to remain closed for several days.
Source:
http://www.fosters.com/apps/pbcs.dll/article?AID=/20130402/GJNEWS_01/130409917
6. *April 2, Daily Review* – (Pennsylvania) **Dump truck crashes causes complications in Albany Township.** A dump truck went off the side of Hatch Hill Road in Albany Township and over a bank, hitting a utility pole and causing residents within the area to lose power and authorities to close the road for several hours.
Source: <http://thedailyreview.com/news/dump-truck-crash-causes-complications-in-albany-township-1.1466483>
7. *April 1, WVNS 59 Lewisburg*– (West Virginia) **Route 19 reopens hours after accident.** A tractor-trailer hit a bridge closing Route 19 southbound near Oak Hill for several hours.
Source: <http://www.wvnstv.com/story/21843073/accident-on-route-19-closes-southbound-lanes>
8. *April 1, KSTU 13 Salt Lake City* – (Utah) **Thieves steal 12,000 feet of copper wire on I-15.** Around 12,000 feet of copper wire was stolen from 11 light poles on Interstate 15 in Salt Lake City the week of March 25. Engineers estimated that it will take about \$50,000 to repair the lighting and the incident is considered the largest single case of

copper theft in Utah Department of Transportation's history.

Source: <http://www.wvnstv.com/story/21843073/accident-on-route-19-closes-southbound-lanes>

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Agriculture and Food Sector

9. *April 2, Food Safety News* – (Massachusetts) **Mass. restaurant remains closed after Salmonella poison.** A restaurant in Fall River remains closed since March 28 after a patron fell ill with a Salmonella illness and a connection to the establishment was suspected. Authorities are investigating the potential source of contamination at the restaurant.

Source: <http://www.foodsafetynews.com/2013/04/mass-restaurant-remains-closed-after-salmonella-illness/#.UVrD1BykrMg>

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Water Sector

10. *April 1, Jersey Journal* – (New Jersey) **Fourth Hoboken water main breaks in three days.** United Water continued a series of water main repairs in Hoboken after the fourth break in three days beginning March 28.

Source: http://www.nj.com/jjournal-news/index.ssf/2013/04/fourth_hoboken_water_main_brea.html

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Public Health and Healthcare Sector

11. *April 2, Salem News* – (Massachusetts) **Medical practice evacuated after mercury spill.** A blood pressure meter that was knocked over April 1 spilled mercury in an examination room at North Shore Cardiovascular Associates and led to an evacuation. Officials spent several hours cleaning up the spill and decontaminating the area in order to reopen the facility by April 2.

Source: <http://www.salemnews.com/local/x1862029082/Medical-practice-evacuated-after-mercury-spill>

12. *April 1, Health IT Security* – (Washington) **Washington DSHS reports 652-patient data breach.** The Washington Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS) announced they suffered a 652-patient data breach when a private psychologist contractor's laptop was stolen February 4. The laptop was recovered at a pawnshop after several days and DSHS notified all individuals at risk, although the department asserts there was no inappropriate access to the data.

Source: <http://healthitsecurity.com/2013/04/01/washington-dshs-reports-652-patient-data-breach/>

13. *April 1, KDKA 2 Pittsburgh* – (Pennsylvania) **Derry Rite Aid robbed by man wearing explosives.** Pittsburgh police are searching for a man that stole a large amount of drug medicine from a Rite Aid in Derry Borough April 1 and threatened to blow up the store with what appeared to be explosives strapped to his body.
Source: <http://pittsburgh.cbslocal.com/2013/04/01/derry-rite-aid-robbed-by-man-wearing-explosives/>
14. *April 1, WTVR 6 Richmond* – (Virginia) **City: ‘Breakdown in communication’ held up gas leak fix.** Miscommunication led residents at Church Hill House in Richmond to be without gas for close to 24 hours. The City of Richmond Department of Public Utilities is investigating the breakdown in communication and what caused the delay.
Source: <http://wtvr.com/2013/04/01/city-breakdown-in-communication-held-up-gas-leak-fix/>

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Government Facilities Sector

15. *April 1, WJZ 13 Baltimore* – (Maryland) **Courthouse East evacuated & closed for the day after flooding.** Over the weekend of March 30 a water pipe burst in Courthouse East in Baltimore causing water to flow and shutting down the facility. Officials reopened the courthouse April 2 after cutting off the water supply in order to assess the damage.
Source: <http://baltimore.cbslocal.com/2013/04/01/courthouse-east-evacuated-after-water-problems/>
16. *April 1, Associated Press* – (California) **DOD employee arrested on bribery charges.** Authorities alleged that a U.S. Department of Defense employee used his position to extort bribes from businesses seeking to work on Camp Pendleton Marine Corps base. From September 2008, the suspect allegedly accepted thousands of dollars in cash payments and remodeling work on his condominium in exchange for helping contractors get business on the Marine Corps base.
Source: <http://www.militarytimes.com/news/2013/04/ap-dod-employee-arrested-bribery-charges-camp-pendleton-040113/>

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Emergency Services Sector

17. *April 1, Federal Bureau of Investigation* – (Louisiana) **Former Jefferson Parish sheriff’s deputy indicted for civil rights, bank fraud, computer fraud, aggravated identity theft, and obstruction of justice violations.** A former Jefferson Parish sheriff’s deputy was indicted for stealing a debit card from an individual while responding to an emergency call and making unauthorized purchases and forging checks from the victim’s bank account. The sheriff’s deputy also filed a false claim and was reissued another debit card under his personal address in order to continue making

unlawful transactions.

Source: <http://www.fbi.gov/neworleans/press-releases/2013/former-jefferson-parish-sheriffs-deputy-indicted-for-civil-rights-bank-fraud-computer-fraud-aggravated-identity-theft-and-obstruction-of-justice-violations>

18. *April 1, WBBJ 7 Jackson* – (Tennessee) **Two inmates escape minimum security prison facility.** Authorities are searching for two Tennessee State Penitentiary Annex inmates that escaped. Both men face additional jail time once they are captured.
Source: <http://www.wbbjtv.com/news/local/Two-Inmates-Escape-Minimum-Security-Prison-Facility-200887061.html>

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Information Technology Sector

19. *April 2, Help Net Security* – (International) **Trojan phishes for credit card info through fake Facebook page.** Trend Micro researchers identified a trojan dubbed “TSPY_MINOCDO.A” that, once installed, redirects victims trying to access Facebook and presents them with a fake Facebook page designed to collect personal and financial information.
Source: http://www.net-security.org/malware_news.php?id=2451
20. *April 1, IDG News Service* – (International) **Ransomware leverages victims’ browser histories for increased credibility.** A new piece of ransomware dubbed “Kovter” uses information in a victim’s browser history to attempt to make itself look legitimate.
Source: <http://www.networkworld.com/news/2013/040113-ransomware-leverages-victims-browser-histories-268264.html>
21. *March 29, Threatpost* – (International) **Has anyone seen a missing scroll bar? Phone Flash update redirects to malware.** Microsoft received 70,000 reports of a fake Adobe Flash Player update that hides a trojan used for redirecting users’ Web session to an attack page.
Source: http://threatpost.com/en_us/blogs/has-anyone-seen-missing-scroll-bar-phony-flash-update-redirects-malware-032913
22. *March 29, The H* – (International) **Security fix leads to PostgreSQL lock down.** The developers of the open source PostgreSQL announced that they restricted access to the PostgreSQL repositories while the core committee fixes a security issue applied to the code.
Source: <http://www.h-online.com/security/news/item/Security-fix-leads-to-PostgreSQL-lock-down-1832846.html>

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23. *April 2, KFDI 101.3 FM Wichita*– (Kansas) **Sheriff's office looking into storage unit burglaries.** Sedgwick County Sheriff's Department asked for public help to solve March 31 burglaries at storage units in the southern part of the county which have cost victims losses up to \$60,000.

Source: <http://www.kfdi.com/news/local/201017011.html>

24. *April 1, East Cobb Patch* – (Georgia) **Second fire at East Cobb condo.** Willows by the River condo complex received help from Cobb County Fire and Emergency Services for the second time in several months to battle a another blaze which affected at least ten units. Crews were on site for several more hours after evacuating the building

Source: <http://eastcobb.patch.com/articles/second-fire-at-east-cobb-condo>

25. *March 30, KPTV 12 Portland*– (Oregon) **Motel evacuated after driver gas line.** An alleged drunk driver was arrested after he crashed into an Econo Lodge parking lot, hit a gas line inducing a strong gas odor in the area, and knocked out a power box disrupting electricity March 30. The strong gas odor led to a three hour evacuation of the motel's guests.

Source: <http://www.kptv.com/story/21835078/motel-evacuated-after-driver-hits-gas-line>

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