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In late September, Liberal leader Michael Ignatieff announced that his party would no longer support Stephen Harper's Conservative government. That meant that the minority government could be defeated unless the NDP or the Bloc Québécois supported it. In this *News in Review* story we'll look at what happened and whether Canadians could soon be heading to the polls.

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Last spring, the swine, or H1N1, flu first arrived in Canada. Thousands became ill, and by the end of the summer 78 people had died. Now a second wave is sweeping across the country. In this *News in Review* story, we'll look at what we have learned so far about this pandemic flu bug and the best way to fight it.

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Every year, for a number of reasons, many Canadians adopt children in foreign countries. International adoptions can provide them with the baby they always wanted, but they can also be expensive and frustrating. In this *News in Review* story we'll follow a Manitoba woman as she travels to Kazakhstan to adopt a baby girl.

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TRYING TO SAVE THE WORLD'S AMPHIBIANS (Length: 15:04)

All over the world frogs and hundreds of other amphibians are rapidly disappearing. The situation is so serious that some scientists believe we are witnessing the biggest mass extinction since the dinosaur. In this *News in Review* story we'll look at what is happening to these little creatures and what is being done to try to save them.

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