

ABA BJ Puzzle of the Week: 2/19/10

Bank & Trios Two: Bankers' Turn

SIGNATURE

DEBIT _____

TIME
Bonnie Blackman, Union Savings, Conn.

INCOME

_____ **MARGIN**

EXPENSE
Leighanne Covington, TnBank, Tenn.

HEAD

_____ **NIGHT**

DRAFT
Fred Worley, Wells Fargo & Co., Texas

CALCULATOR

_____ **YIELD**

MARKET
Torrey Quella, Highland Bank, Minn.

CRISIS

_____ **THEFT**

CHECK
Lynne Gautreau, Sovereign Bank, Mass.

Your Turn!

Your name here, in a future puzzle

Like last week's, this puzzle uses a concept we heard about on Will Shortz's "Sunday Puzzle" Segment on National Public Radio's "Weekend Edition." His particular weekly challenge was in honor of the Super Bowl and football. But this week, we use some of the many excellent banker-submitted trios. You'll see more in the future.

Your challenge: Above you see word trios. Each of those has a common word that, coming before or after each, makes a longer word or a two-word phrase. Banking is the common thread. Shortz' Sunday puzzle included this example: "Year, Tag, and Dead"; what's the word in common? The answer was "end."

For a bonus chance in the drawing, you can submit your own trio (see "Your Turn"). *Fax your completed puzzle, with name, bank, title, and e-mail, by 5 PM, Feb. 24, to 212-633-1165, to participate in a drawing for a \$25 Amazon certificate. Good luck! scocheo@sbpub.com*