News Break Scavenger Hunt

Sunday’s News Break challenges you to hunt through the **Sunday, December 17, 2023** print replica of The Seattle Times to find answers to the following questions.

1. In the past decade, ____________ has increased its population by more than 40%, moved its main highway and built a dense new downtown, transforming itself from a rustic suburb into a somewhat-urban destination. (MAIN)

2. Ancient DNA from the pelt of a fluffy white dog named Mutton is revealing new details about the ______________ ____________, an extinct breed that was cared for and raised by the women of the Coast Salish tribal nations in the Pacific Northwest. (MAIN)

3. Patriotic mobs and harbor tea-dumping returned to Boston on Saturday as the city marked the ______ th anniversary of the revolutionary protest that preceded America’s independence. The commemoration of the Boston Tea Party included scheduled reenactments of the throwing of tea leaves into the city’s harbor and community meetings that preceded the defiant act on Dec. 16, 1773. (MAIN)

4. TODAY IN HISTORY: The U.S. War Department announced it was ending its policy of excluding people of Japanese ancestry from the West Coast. What year did this take place? (MAIN)

5. A Confederate memorial is to be removed from Arlington National Cemetery in northern Virginia in the coming days, part of the push to remove what? (MAIN)

6. Their sense of cheer mirrors a similar trend across Africa that’s fueled not just by an explosion of compelling new work but also by the growing ability of curators from the continent to reach new collectors at a time of rising global interest in modern ____________ art. (MAIN)

7. Washington state’s signature-verification procedures are meant to root out rare cases of voter fraud. But what they’ve typically done is get a lot of innocent legal votes tossed out. In 2020 alone, the state rejected more than ____________ ballots. (NW)

8. ____________ residents pay more for food, transportation, health care and homes than typical American households, according to a broad survey of regional prices. (NW)

9. The shift to electric mobility overall has reduced global oil demand by _____ million barrels every day, according to Bloomberg NEF, a research arm of Michael Bloomberg’s financial data and media company. (BUSINESS)

10. A vent hood in the kitchen that sucks air from above the stove and directs it outside is an effective way to mitigate what? (AT HOME IN THE NW)