News Break Scavenger Hunt

Sunday's News Break challenges you to hunt through the **Sunday, *November 1, 2026,*** print replica of The Seattle Times to find answers to the following questions.

1. Voter turnout, so far, is running slightly ahead of the last midterm election. As of Friday evening, _____% of Washington's 5.2 million registered voters had cast a ballot. F (MAIN)
2. Daylight saving time ended this morning. Clocks should be turned back _____ hour. It's also time to change _____-_____ batteries. (MAIN)
3. Hackers pilfered $_____ billion from the world's largest cryptocurrency exchange Thursday in a stunning attack that halted withdrawals on the platform and set off a race among digital currency companies to freeze billions in stolen funds. (MAIN)
4. Indian _____ _____ remain active in the traditional Coast Salish homeland, including what are now the Muckleshoot, Skokomish and Tulalip reservations, as well as east of the Cascades. (MAIN)
5. Today in history: In a two-horse match, Seabiscuit defeated the favored Triple Crown winner War Admiral by four lengths in what was dubbed the "Race of the Century" at Pimlico Race Course in Baltimore. What year did this take place? (MAIN)
6. Deaths in Congo's _____ outbreak have topped 5,000 as the country grapples with the relentless spread of the disease and cases are recorded in other African countries, the latest government data on Saturday shows. (MAIN)
7. Since 2022, playing or listening to _____ has been officially banned throughout Afghanistan. The Taliban who seized power in 2021 have prohibited anything but religious music — unaccompanied vocal chanting — with the ban enforced by the feared morality police of the Ministry for the Propagation of Virtue and Prevention of Vice. (MAIN)
8. Tens of trillions of dollars will be passed from older generations to younger ones in the coming decades as the "_____ _____ _____" unfolds in the United States. (BUSINESS)
9. Many of the apps and algorithms in your pocket are designed to steal you away from the rest of your life. The typical American spends ____ hours per day on their phone, according to a peer-reviewed study of 10,000 U.S. adults. That's roughly ____ years of continuous screen time over a lifetime. (BUSINESS)
10. The truth is that using precut, precooked or frozen ingredients isn't lazy — it's a smart form of _____-_____ during high-stress periods, allowing you to assemble rather than cook. Assembly is the middle ground between attempting a recipe with multiple ingredients and just eating cereal for

dinner. The building blocks of simple assembly are a protein source, a carb/grain and prepped produce. (THE MIX)