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## Monday, Oct. 10

No School - Native American Day  
Senior Menu: Meatballs, mashed potatoes and gravy, carrots, fruit cocktail, whole wheat bread.  
6:30 am: Emmanuel Lutheran Bible Study

## Tuesday, Oct. 11

Senior Menu: BBQ Chicken, baked potato with sour cream, peas, chocolate cake, whole wheat bread.  
School Breakfast: Breakfast pizza, fruit, juice, milk.  
School Lunch: Tomato soup, grilled cheese, carrots and dip, fruit.  
Oral Interp at Milbank  
4:30 p.m.: Volleyball hosts Hitchcock-Tulare (7th and 8th at 4:30 p.m., JV at 6 p.m. with varsity to follow)  
7:00 pm: School Board Meeting  
7:00 pm: Emmanuel Lutheran Council

## Wednesday, Oct. 12

Senior Menu: Turkey and dressing, gravy, mixed vegetables, cranberry sauce, pumpkin bar.  
School Breakfast: French toast sticks, links, fruit, juice, milk.  
School Lunch: Meatballs, mashed potatoes, corn, tea bun, fruit.  
8:30 am: Elementary Life Touch Pictures  
6:30 pm: Emmanuel Lutheran League  
7:00 p.m.: Emmanuel Lutheran Confirmation

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**Open:** Recycling Trailer in Groton

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## Bus Drivers Wanted

The Groton Area School District has openings for a part time (morning) bus route and for a full-time bus route driver. Assistance in obtaining the proper licensure is available. Please contact Transportation Supervisor, Loren Bahr, at 397-8117 for more details.

## Bates Township Mowing Notice

### BATES TOWNSHIP WEED NOTICE

OWNERS & TENANTS of Bates Township are hereby notified and required, according to law, to cut all weeds and grass in road ditches adjacent to their property or tenanted by them within Bates township on or before October 1, 2016 or same will be hired done by the township board and assessed property taxes at the rate of \$300 per half mile.

Bates Township Board of Supervisors  
Betty Geist  
Township Clerk

## Bates Township Right-Of-Way Notice

Bates Township Board of Supervisors reminds all landowners and tenants that the road right-of-way extends 33 feet from the center of the township road. This ditch is to be maintained and mowed. Any crops planted in the road right-of-way will be mowed and charged to the landowner, effective with the 2017 growing season.

Bates Township Board of Supervisors  
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## **SOUTH DAKOTA OPEN MEETING COMMISSION**

### **AGENDA**

**Beulah Williams Library Round Room  
1200 S. Jay Street Aberdeen, South Dakota  
October 14, 2016 1:00 p.m. Central Time**

1. Approval of the Agenda
2. Approval of the Minutes of May 4, 2016 meeting.
3. Consideration of Pending Complaints
  - A. In the Matter of Open Meeting Complaint 16-01, Groton City Council Oral Presentations:  
Complainant Betty Brock-15 minutes (a portion of this time may be reserved for rebuttal)  
Groton City Council -15 minutes
4. Consideration of Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law
  - A. In the Matter of Open Meeting Complaint 15-03, Deadwood City Commission
5. Election of Chairman

All items are scheduled for 01:00 P.M. Central Time. Scheduled items may be delayed or moved to a later agenda item at the discretion of the OMC.

For information call Steve Blair 605-773-3215.

Notice is given to individuals with disabilities that this meeting is being held in a physically accessible location. Please notify the Attorney General's Office, 605-773-3215, at least 48 hours before the meeting if you have a disability for which special arrangements must be made.

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## **GROTON AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT #06-6 School Board Meeting October 11, 2016 – 7:00 PM – GHS Conference Room**

### AGENDA:

1. Call to Order with members present. Approve agenda as proposed or amended.

POTENTIAL CONFLICTS DISCLOSURE PURSUANT SDCL 23-3

### CONSENT AGENDA:

1. Approval of minutes of September 12, 2016 school board meeting as drafted or amended
2. Approval of minutes of September 27, 2016 school board meeting as drafted or amended
3. Approval of North Central Special Education Co-Op (NCSEC) agenda items...as fiscal agent
4. Approval of September District bills for payment

### OLD/CONTINUING BUSINESS:

1. Open Forum for Public Participation...in accordance with Board Policy & Guidelines
2. Approval of September 2016 Financial Report, Agency Accounts, and Investments
3. Approval of September 2016 School Transportation Report
4. Approval of September 2016 School Lunch Report
5. Program Overview Presentations
  - a. Science...K. Gonsoir, T. Kurth, J. Sternhagen, L. Hawkins
  - b. English/Language Arts, Reading...S. Hanten, S. Honerman, D. Kurtz, J. Seibel, M. Johnson
6. Internal Control Report...OST and Credit Cards
7. School Board Committee Reports:
  - a. Building, Grounds, & Transportation: Clint Fjelstad, Merle Harder, Marty Weismantel
  - b. Personnel, Policy, & Curriculum: Deb Gengerke, Grant Rix
  - c. Negotiations: Kelly Kjelden, Steve Smith
8. Administrative Reports: (a) Superintendent's Report; (b) Principal's Reports; (c) Business Manager Report

### NEW BUSINESS:

1. Discussion following Associated School Boards Protective Trust meeting on Oct. 3, 2016
2. Approve request from School District Attorney, Rodney Freeman, for contribution of \$130 toward his attendance at the national Education Law Association 2016 Annual Meeting
3. Consider request from Groton United Methodist Church for use of shower facilities and school bus transportation during youth gathering on November 13-15.

ADJOURN



## Groton holds first Pumpkin Fest



**There was a long line for food at the Groton Pumpkin Fest held Saturday in the city park. It was estimated that between 400 and 500 people attended the community event.** (Photo lifted from GDILIVE.COM)



**Many trips to the Pumpkin Patch were made Saturday.** (Photo lifted from GDILIVE.COM)

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The four Pumpkineers, April Abeln and Topper Tastad in back, Peggy Locke and David McGannon in front, said in an interview with GDILIVE.COM news that the event was a huge success. McGannon said it was unbelievable, Peggy gave the thumbs up. April said they had some awesome workers. "We had great volunteers and everyone stepped up to do their part. It was a great first year.

(Photo lifted from GDILIVE.COM)

Mayor Scott Hanlon told GDILIVE.COM news that he bought the specially decorated pumpkin from a SPURS fundraiser. He said, "I'd like to thank everyone who helped with this event. We had a real good turnout. All the organizations in town have contributed. Many private people donated their pumpkins. Thanks everyone who had input and to the community." (Photo lifted from GDILIVE.COM)





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The inflatables were a hit at the Pumpkin Fest. (Photo lifted from GDILIVE.COM)



Pam Rix told GDILIVE.COM news that they made 200 bags of Puppy Chow. It took all week to make them up as several batches had to be made. Those assisting her were Jan Schelle, Betty Oliver and Deb Olson. (Photo lifted from GDILIVE.COM)



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**There was face painting at the Pumpkin Fest. Here, Jenifer Fjelstad was painting on Lily Cutler's face.** (Photo lifted from GDILIVE.COM)

**Jay Peterson and Eddy Opp had to fix a flat tire on one of the train cars.** (Photo by Paul Kosel)





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Clint Fjelstad drove the tractor with the cars for the little kids around the park. He used a train whistle that Eddy Opp happened to find. He would say, "All Aboard," and then blow his whistle. (Photo by Paul Kosel)



Three trailers were used to haul people to and from the Pumpkin Patch. (Photo by Paul Kosel)



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**Edward Herb won a pirate pumpkin.** (Photo by Paul Kosel)



**Axel Abeln won the the Puppy Chow.** (Photo by Paul Kosel)



**Joni Groeblichhoff won a pirate pumpkin.** (Photo by Paul Kosel)



**Keri Pappas won the big decorated pumpkin.** (Photo by Paul Kosel)



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**Lee Nickenson and Larry Harry were busy grilling hamburgers and hot dogs at the Pumpkin Fest.** (Photo by Paul Kosel)



**You could not miss these to huge pumpkins at Groton's Pumpkin Fest held Saturday at the City Park. They were part of a photography set that many parents used to take pictures of their children. Scott Althoff, Groton, told GDILIVE.COM news that he grew these pumpkins south of Bath. He planted the seeds on April 20th.**

**The one on the left weighed in at 683 pounds and the one on the right weighed in at 836 pounds. They placed seventh and eighth at a weigh-in held in Harrisburg. The winning pumpkin weighed 1,293.**

(Photo by Paul Kosel)



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**Gavin England got off the hayride trailer and wasted no time setting down his pumpkin as he started to paint it.**

(Photo by Paul Kosel)





## Death Notice: Twila Ruden

Twila Ruden, 86, of Groton fell asleep Sunday, October 9, 2016 at Golden Living Center, Groton. Services are pending with Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel, Groton.

## The Life of Richard Johnson

Services for Richard "Herb" Johnson, 73 of Conde was held Sunday, October 9th at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Ferney. Rev. Lloyd Redhage officiated. Burial followed in St. Paul's Lutheran Cemetery.

Herb fell asleep October 3, 2016 at his home.

Richard Lee "Herb" Johnson was born on July 20, 1943 to Chet and Vernita (Sombke) Johnson. He was baptized and confirmed and was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Ferney. He attended Groton Area School, graduating in 1961. Herb completed Advanced Individual Military Poling training in Fort Gordon, Georgia in August of 1965. He served during the Vietnam War and was honorably discharged in March of 1971. Upon returning to South Dakota, he worked for local elevators. He later was employed at Harry Implement in Ferney until retiring in 2008. Herb was united in marriage with Barb Purcell on October 6, 1990.

Herb was well known to all area farmers as the go-to guy for combines and planters. He and Barb enjoyed many years of woodworking, crafts, and took great joy in maintaining their yard and flowers. He was especially proud of all of his grandkids. Herb's favorite past time was attending grandsons, Cole & Cody's baseball games as their #1 fan.



Herb will be greatly missed by his step-daughters, Cindy (Rick) Pigors, Janet (HD) Haynie, Mary (John Carrico) Harry, Patty (Todd) Stieha, Kathy (Roni) Dobberpuhl, Alicia (Jeff) Sippel, 12 grandchildren: Eric (Brenda) Pigors, Ashley (Brandon) Smith, Jana, Jasmine and Jayne Haynie, Joey (Shonna) Harry, Justin Harry, Dustin (Monica) Stieha, Adam Stieha, Cole & Cody Sippel and Kaylee Carlson, 9 great-grandchildren: Grady & Gentry Pigors, Liam and Adalynn Stieha, Aubray & Trevor Harry, Marissa, Michael and Christina. Herb is also survived by his brothers, Jim, Glenn, Kenneth, Chuck and sisters, Sheila and Donna and all of their spouses along with many nieces and nephews.

Preceding him in death were his parents, sister Arlys, his wife, Barb and grandson, Mikey Dobberpuhl.

Honorary Casketbearers were Jerry Rossow, Carleen Johnson, Ranae Ball and his many farmer friends.

Casketbearers were Ryan Ball, Chris Pigors, Tyler Stark, Rod "Chip" Hanson, Kent Webb and Dale Washnok.

The six girls would like to leave you with this thought, "When Herb married our mom, he left bachelor life behind and took on us six girls and our families. Thank you for taking care of mom during her illness, and for taking on the role of Dad and Grandpa."

## Tigers roll along to 7-0 Record



**Bennett Shabazz hands off to Jackson Oliver. Oliver gets a first down on the play.** (Photo lifted from GDILIVE.COM)

Groton had the ball eight times and scored on all eight drives in beating Wagner in football action played in Wagner Friday night, 53-0. The game ended with 2:28 left in the third quarter.

The game was broadcast live on GDILIVE.COM. The sponsors of the game were Allied Climate Professionals with Kevin Nehls of Groton, Bahr Spray Foam of Groton, Blocker Construction, Doug Abeln Seed Company of Groton, James Valley Seed with Doug Jorgenson of Groton, James Valley Telecommunications, Groton Chiropractic Clinic, Groton Ford, Harry Implement of Ferney, Ken's Food Fair of Groton, Leading Edge Industries with Shawn Gengerke, Olson Development, McKiver Collision of Groton, Milbrandt Enterprises, Inc. of Groton, Pro Ag Supply of Aberdeen, S & S Lumber & Hardware Hank, Simon Insurance and Auction Service, Subway of Groton.

Groton received the opening kickoff. Trevon Tuggles would score on Groton's second play with a 56 yard run. The drive started on the Groton 36 yard line and went 61 seconds. Payton Johnson kicked the PAT and it was 7-0.

Wagner's first drive was short lived as Shane Simon would intercept the ball on the third play, setting up Groton's next drive from the Wagner 34 yard line. On Groton's first play, Trevor Pray would score on a 34 yard pass play from Bennett Shabazz in a play that lasted nine seconds. Payton Johnson kicked the PAT and it was 14-0.

Wagner's next drive started from its own 30 yard line. The Red Raiders would get a first down and would have gotten a second first down, only to fumble the ball and it was recovered by Lucas Hinman.

Groton started its next drive from its own 20 yard line. Groton got four first downs before the first quarter ended with Groton on the one-yard line. On the first play in the second quarter, Bennett Shabazz would score from one yard out. Payton Johnson kicked the PAT and was 21-0 with 11:52 left in the second quarter. That drive went 80 yards on 12 plays and lasted 6:42.

Wagner's next play went to third and four before Brandon Keith would intercept the ball, setting up the Tigers on their own 34 yard line. Jackson Oliver would score on a 19 yard pass play from Bennett Shabazz with 8:36 left in the second quarter. Payton Johnson would kick the PAT and it was 28-0. That drive went 65 yards on three plays with two first downs and 1:22.

Wagner could not secure a first down on its next drive and punted on fourth and eight.

Groton Area returned the ball to the Tiger 47 yard line. Groton would need four plays before Seric Shabazz would score on a 14 yard run. The PAT kick was blocked and it was 34-0. That drive lasted two minutes and went 53 yards.

The Red Raiders got a first down on its next drive, but ended up punting on fourth and 20. Groton took over on its own 49 yard line. Seven plays, 3:10 and 51 yards later, Trevon Tuggles would score on a three-yard run. The two point attempt was no good and it was 40-0 at the end of the first half.

Wagner received the ball to start out the second half, but punted on fourth and five. Groton took over on its own 44 yard line. Going 56 yards in 1:31, Groton would get three first downs as Travon Tuggles would score on a 10 yard run with 6:29 left in the third quarter. The PAT kick was good and Groton took

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a 47-0 lead.

Wagner would not secure a first down on its next drive and punted on fourth and 10. Groton would sub down on its next drive; however, on the first play, Lucas Hinman would dash 59 yards to score for the Tigers, ending the game with 2:28 left in the third quarter, 53-0.

**First Downs:** Groton Area 18, Wagner 4.

**Rushing:** Groton Area 20 rushes for 290 yards (Trevon Tuggles 12-147-3 TDs, Bennett Shabazz 5-59-1 TD, Lucas Hinman 1-59-1 TD, Seric Shabazz 1-16-1 TD, Brandon Keith 1-9); Wagner 13 rushes for 9 yards (Ben Soukup 9-5).

**Passing:** Groton Area (Bennett Shabazz completed 8 of 12 for 186 yards, 2 touchdowns). Wagner (Jace Faulkner completed 5 of 15 for 62 yards).

**Receivers:** Groton Area: Trevor Pray 3-75, Seric Shabazz 1-44, Trevon Tuggles 1-29, Jackson Oliver 2-28, Brandon Keith 1-10; Wagner: Bryce Zephier 4-38, KJ St. Pierre 1-15, Colton Frei 1-9.

**Fumbles:** Groton had none. Wagner had 1, lost 1.

**Penalties:** Groton had 2 for 20 yards, Wagner had 1 for five yards.

**Defensive Leaders:** Groton Area: Brandon Keith 8 tackles and 1 interception, McClain Lone 4 tackles, Shane Simon 1 interception, Lucas Hinman 1 fumble recovery; Wagner: Ben Soukup 8 tackles, Cole Soukup 5 tackles.

**Season Record:** 7-0. Next Week - Bye Week - last regular game, Oct. 19th host Parkston. Wagner: 1-5. Next game: at Canton next Friday.

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## Today in Weather History

October 9, 1964: Record cold occurred on this day in 1964 across parts of central and northeast South Dakota with temperatures falling into the mid-teens to around 20 degrees at many locations. Sisseton had a record low of 20 degrees; Watertown had a record low of 16 degrees, with Kennebec recording the lowest temperature of 13 degrees on this day in 1964. Although not a record low, Aberdeen fell to 14 degrees.

October 9, 1980: On this day in 1980, hot air streamed across central and northeast South Dakota as well as west central Minnesota with highs mostly in the 80s. Record highs were established at Watertown with 86 degrees and both Wheaton and Sisseton with 87 degrees. One of the warmest temperatures across the area was 89 degrees at Kennebec.

1804: The famous Snow Hurricane moved ashore near Atlantic City on this day. After briefly passing through Connecticut and into Massachusetts, cold air was entrained in the circulation with heavy snow falling between New York to southern Canada. Berkshires Massachusetts and Concord New Hampshire record two feet of snow with this hurricane. This storm produced the first observation of snow from a hurricane, but not the last. Hurricane Ginny of 1963 brought up to 18 inches (400 mm) of snow to portions of Maine.

1926 - A hurricane came inland near Daytona Beach, FL. The hurricane caused 2.5 million dollars damage in eastern Florida, including the Jacksonville area. (David Ludlum)

1939 - The temperature at Lewiston, ID, hit 117 degrees to establish an all-time record high for that location. (The Weather Channel)

1943 - On a whim, and flying a single engine AT-6, Lieutenant Ralph O'Hair and Colonel Duckworth were the first to fly into a hurricane. It started regular Air Force flights into hurricanes. (The Weather Channel)

1987 - Thunderstorms in Minnesota spawned a tornado which moved in a southwesterly direction for

a distance of thirty miles across Rice County and Goodhue County. Trees were uprooted and tossed about like toys, and a horse lifted by the tornado was observed sailing horizontally through the air. Thunderstorms drenched La Crosse, WI, with 5.26 inches of rain, their second highest 24 hour total of record. (The National Weather Summary) (Storm Data)

1988 - Hot weather prevailed in the north central U.S. Williston, ND, reported a record high of 108 degrees. Thunderstorms produced severe weather in the eastern U.S., and in southeastern Texas. Richland County, SC, was soaked with up to 5.5 inches of rain. (The National Weather Summary)

The Livestream logo features a red and white stylized leaf icon to the left of the word "livestream" in a lowercase, sans-serif font.

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Tonight	Columbus Day	Monday Night	Tuesday	Tuesday Night	Wednesday	Wednesday Night
Clear and Breezy then Mostly Clear	Sunny	Increasing Clouds	Cloudy	Chance Rain then Chance Rain/Snow	Mostly Sunny	Mostly Clear
Low: 50 °F	High: 78 °F	Low: 43 °F	High: 50 °F	Low: 32 °F	High: 47 °F	Low: 26 °F

## Mild Today

**Windy Today**

**Windy Tonight**

**Highs In The 70s & 80s Monday**

National Weather Service Aberdeen, SD Updated: 10/9/2016 4:53 AM Central

Published on: 10/09/2016 at 5:02AM

Mild air will move into the forecast area today, with highs a few degrees above average. Temperatures will top out 15 to 20 degrees above average for Monday. Cool air returns for Tuesday.

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## Yesterday's Weather

**High Outside Temp: 51.2 F at 5:02 PM**

**Low Outside Temp: 29.5 F at 1:12 AM**

**High Gust: 14.0 Mph at 12:23 PM**

Precip: 0.00

## Today's Info

**Record High: 86° in 1910**

**Record Low: 14° in 1964**

**Average High: 61°F**

**Average Low: 36°F**

**Average Precip in Oct.: 0.67**

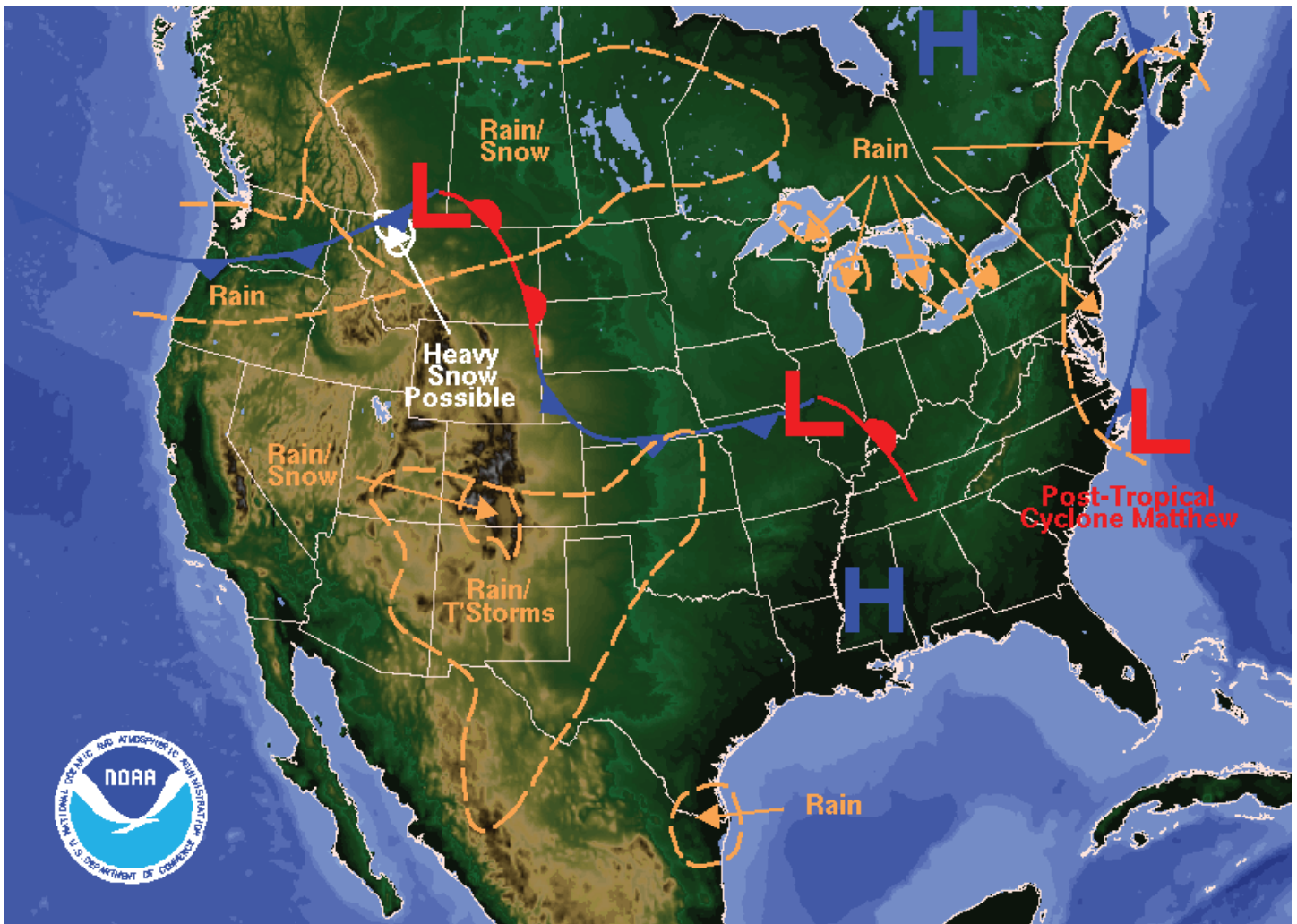
**Precip to date in Oct.: 0.63**

**Average Precip to date: 19.15**

**Precip Year to Date: 13.83**

**Sunset Tonight: 6:57 p.m.**

**Sunrise Tomorrow: 7:44 a.m.**



Weather Forecast for Sun, Oct 09, 2016, issued 5:17 AM EDT  
DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center  
Prepared by McCreynolds based on WPC, SPC and NHC forecasts

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## HOW DID GOD GET IN YOUR LIFE?

The new pastor wanted to get to know the members of his congregation. One evening at a church dinner he asked Mark how he came to know the Lord as his Savior.

To his surprise Mark replied, "Well pastor, I believe God is at work in our family."

One thing is for certain: If our faith is real and at work, it will be real and at work in our homes. Family relationships always seem to be "on the edge." There are so many different individual wants and needs, so many competing priorities and interests that relationships always seem to be stressed to the point of breaking.

The letter to Ephesians has some sound advice for families. It very clearly states that children are to obey their parents as long as parents act in the will and way of God. Parents have every right to make expectations of their children that are in keeping with His Word. Ideally, parents will act with thoughtfulness, gentleness and love. While this may seem difficult, if family members act in accordance with the teachings of God's Word, each will put the other's interests ahead of their own and selfishness will be replaced with selflessness because the real Father is the head of the home and worshiping Him will come first.

Fathers are also advised to "Bring up your children with discipline and instruction that is approved by the Lord."

Prayer: We pray, Father, for families that are struggling to survive, dealing with overwhelming problems that leave them helpless. Give them hope through Christ to be victors. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture for Today: Ephesians 6:1-4 Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right...Fathers, do not exasperate your children; instead bring them up in the training and instruction of the Lord.



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## Rapid City facing financial problems after land deal

RAPID CITY, S.D. (AP) — The Rapid City Council is being pressured into making difficult financial decisions due to an agreement made with a land developer over a decade ago.

According to the Rapid City Journal (<http://bit.ly/2dRpMSn>), the deal made to aid developers could have left 22 Rapid City homeowners to pay \$11,000 each to build a new road. To help the homeowners, city council voted last week that homeowners south of Field View Drive should not have to pay for a mistake a previous council made.

The mistake the council is referring to was allowing the land developer a variance and to sign a Waiver of the Right to Protest (WORP) in 2005. WORP allowed the developer to not have to build a road then, but could do so at a later time when the city needed it.

The issue with the WORP is that the developer has since divided the property into at least 22 parcels, and sold them to the present homeowners. Legally, these homeowners are required to pay for a portion of the project, but many members of the city council and mayor Allender said that would not be fair to the homeowners.

"I think we need to do is what is the least painful for the homeowners," Alderman Ritchie Nordstrom said. "The current atmosphere working with tax-increment financing (TIF) seems more complicated."

Ultimately, the council decided to no longer require payment from the homeowners or enact a TIF.

The decision was continued to the Nov. 1 Public Works Committee meeting where city staff will receive more details on financing options.

Information from: Rapid City Journal, <http://www.rapidcityjournal.com>

## Pay gap causes racial divide in Sioux Falls

SIOUX FALLS, S.D. (AP) — Median income for black households in Sioux Falls dropped closer to the poverty line last year, while the rest of the four-county area enjoyed another increase in middle class income. The persistent divide is evidence for the barriers faced by the African American community when it comes to education and employment.

The Argus Leader (<http://argusne.ws/2dLRQLO>) reports the Sioux Falls metro area's black population is five times bigger than in 2000, and is growing yearly.

Recent numbers from the U.S. Census Bureau show median income for black households dropped to \$26,182 in 2015, thousands of dollars less than the national average for blacks. Median income for the rest of the Sioux Falls metro ticked up to \$59,844. White families climbed even higher, reaching a median income of \$61,681.

Sioux Falls resident and local Black Lives Matter leader DaVonte Clay has now found a good employer, but previously had plenty of run-ins with prejudice in the work place. After learning about the income gap for black families, Clay's first reaction was to think about solutions.

"How we can start improving the livelihood of those who are struggling," Clay said.

Mark Blackburn, assistant dean of diversity and inclusion at Augustana University said grassroots movements can spark change, but there also needs to be movement at the top.

"Who are the organizers, CEOs, the people in power to change that demographic?" Blackburn said. "To change this paradigm?"

"I still think that prejudice and racism is still there," said Bob Harris, director of the South Dakota African American Museum. "We've come a long way, and we've still got a way to go."

Information from: Argus Leader, <http://www.argusleader.com>



## Rapid City school district to conduct drinking water test

RAPID CITY, S.D. (AP) — The Rapid City school district is going to check for lead in the drinking water at its schools.

The Rapid City Journal (<http://bit.ly/2dxDXOq>) reports that district officials have ordered a test on school drinking water fixtures that's expected to be performed in November.

A routine survey finished in July shows also that asbestos remains in 23 district buildings.

District spokeswoman Katy Urban says the drinking water test and the asbestos survey aren't cause for concern.

Kit Cline, manager of buildings and grounds, says he's waiting for price quotes from testing agencies.

Information from: Rapid City Journal, <http://www.rapidcityjournal.com>

## Rapid City officials reject short-term rental regulations

RAPID CITY, S.D. (AP) — Rapid City officials have rejected a proposed set of regulations governing short-term residential rentals.

The Rapid City Journal (<http://bit.ly/2cWo9SA>) reports that the city council has voted 6-4 to reject the proposed rules.

Planning Manager Vicki Fisher says a complaint to the city about an Airbnb operation prompted the suggested ordinance.

The rules would have required applicants to get city approval by paying a \$250 fee and providing documentation including a site plan and operations plan, as well as offering evidence of compliance with state law.

Alderman John Roberts says the ordinance needs to be tweaked, but he says it's important to implement regulations. Alderman Steve Laurenti argued against the plan, contrasting the single complaint with the large increase in rentals.

Information from: Rapid City Journal, <http://www.rapidcityjournal.com>

## Sioux Falls Catholic Schools president plans to retire

SIOUX FALLS, S.D. (AP) — Sioux Falls Catholic Schools President Robert Wehde says he's going to retire at the close of the school year.

The Argus Leader (<http://argusne.ws/2dSXmID>) reports that Wehde wants to spend more time with his family.

A search for Wehde's successor is in the works, and he plans to assist in the transition. The Sioux Falls Catholic school system includes eight schools, 350 staff and about 2,600 students.

Information from: Argus Leader, <http://www.argusleader.com>

## Record pace of construction in Sioux Falls not letting up

SIOUX FALLS, S.D. (AP) — The record pace of construction in Sioux Falls isn't letting up.

The Argus Leader (<http://argusne.ws/2d5UhGQ>) reports that the city has permitted \$573.4 million in construction through September, up from \$546 million over the same period last year.

The city has permitted 2,243 housing units compared to 1,497 last year. Apartments are almost double last year's 748 units.

The 577 single family houses permitted is up from 532 this time last year.

Information from: Argus Leader, <http://www.argusleader.com>

## High school football player with Down syndrome inspires team

By Sara Bertsch, The Daily Republic

MITCHELL, S.D. (AP) — At halftime of every Kernel football game, "T-man" makes a point to ask his coach if he's going to play that night.

Wearing his Mitchell football jersey and a smile of anticipation, Tayler Reichelt approaches head coach Kent VanOverschelde, who is always ready for the question.

The consistency and determination by Tayler, more commonly known as "T" or "T-man," inspires both VanOverschelde and the entire team.

Tayler, born with Down syndrome, is a running back for the Mitchell High School football team. He rarely sees playing time, but that doesn't discourage him from attending practice and games, in hopes he might see just a few minutes on the field.

"Instead of us being here for him, he's here for us," VanOverschelde said. "I think that's the key to what he's meant to our football program and what he means to our high school."

The Daily Republic reported (<http://bit.ly/2cZv7Is>) that on Monday, Tayler's positive presence on the football team and in school was affirmed by his classmates when he was named the homecoming king, an honor voted on entirely by the Mitchell High School student body.

Tayler, 19, is a senior at Mitchell High School. Having Down syndrome means he has an extra chromosome. It affects his speech, cognitive building and his fine motor skills, but according to his mother, Ann, he's persevered through all of that.

Proven by his homecoming honor, Tayler is famous, his mother said, because everywhere they go, people recognize her son. Some who she doesn't know will yell, "Hey, T," waving and smiling.

The fun, outgoing and energetic high schooler loves to be a part of everything, Ann said. But football is likely his favorite.

Putting on his No. 43 jersey and running out onto the field with the rest of his friends and teammates has become Tayler's favorite part of football.

A lot of times, Tayler can be seen running alongside the field during a game, raising his arms and getting the crowd fired up.

"He knows that opportunity is going to be short-lived," VanOverschelde said of Tayler's playing time. "His anticipation of that is something that I've come to really appreciate."

VanOverschelde has known Tayler for the past six years, since Tayler started in the football program. He said all of the coaches and teammates have set expectations for Tayler.

Even on days when Tayler likes to limit himself, his team is there to keep pushing.

"They don't treat him differently," VanOverschelde said. "He's part of the group and he's expected to carry his weight within the team."

And when Tayler succeeds in any aspect of the game, his team is there to celebrate, VanOverschelde said.

But Tayler is more than just another member of the team. VanOverschelde said when graduation nears and Tayler leaves the school, he will always be a friend.

VanOverschelde describes Tayler as compassionate and considerate. And when Vanoverschelde is down and needs a pick-me-up, he said Tayler can sense it.

"He's always upbeat. He's always got a smile on his face. There's very few people that I get to see on a daily basis that are excited to see me. When I see Tayler, I can tell he's excited to see me ..." he said. "I try to reciprocate that and I try to give him that same type of respect back."

The impact Tayler has on VanOverschelde is what the coach appreciates most.

The Reichelt family describes Tayler's disability not as Down syndrome but as an "up syndrome," seeing as he's always smiling and treats everyone as a friend.

Ann said the family first found out Tayler had Down syndrome when he was born.

"We weren't really sure what Down syndrome was," she said. "What we did know is that it didn't matter."

Tayler is a middle child, with two younger siblings and two older siblings. His younger brother, Cody, 17, is in the same grade with Tayler, and also captain of the football team.

Just like any other kid, Tayler loves cruising around with his buddies, playing sports, video games and

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he loves Mountain Dew, Ann said.

But also like any other teenager, Tayler gets into trouble and he gets grounded.

"We don't baby him," said Tayler's dad, Brian.

Similar to his coaches and teammates, Tayler is also held to a high standard by his family. Ann said they push him to be the best he can in school and on the football field.

And Tayler has a huge support system in his family, friends, classmates and the entire Mitchell community.

"He just fits in," Ann said. "He's so determined and positive, and he doesn't shy away from anything. He wants to be a part of what everyone else is doing. ... He might not be on the honor society, but he's in the classroom and doing the best that he can."

Tayler, who is also on the basketball team, is an inspiration to not just his friends and family, but also to others with disabilities.

"It's hard to put into the words," Ann said. "He's just there making a difference. I think he's paving the road for kids with disabilities."

Tayler has worked at Pizza Ranch for the past three years. And when he graduates from Mitchell High School in May, he plans to take classes at Dakota Wesleyan University.

Ann said through LifeQuest, a Mitchell agency that provides services and supports people with developmental disabilities, Tayler is able to enroll at the college. And hopefully, she said, he can also be a part of other campus activities and, of course, the football team.

But the dreams don't end there. Ann said Tayler also says he is someday going to move out, buy a camper and a big dog, and maybe have a farm.

"He's got big plans for his future and we're going to work earnestly to get him where he wants to be," she said.

If anyone thinks of messing with Tayler, they've first got to go through his brother, Cody.

The brothers, who have been close since birth, are seniors at Mitchell High School, members of the football team, and they work together.

It's like having twins, Ann said. From day one, the two have been very close. Even as infants, Tayler taught Cody how to crawl out of the crib. They were always into something, Ann said, and they were always together.

"We're very proud," Brian said. "It's amazing. They both got such great hearts. For being teenagers, they're not your typical teenagers. They open doors for people."

Their relationship, according to VanOverschelde, is what has been key to Tayler growing and developing relationships with his classmates and his teammates.

It's "unique and special," VanOverschelde said, but Cody holds Tayler to a high expectation as far as behavior and work ethic in school and on the football field.

"He always has, in my opinion, an eye out for 'T,'" VanOverschelde said.

Ann said once Cody graduates, he has plans to attend college. But whether that means he moves away from Mitchell or stays to attend Dakota Wesleyan, they are not sure.

Either way, Ann said she's not worried about the boys. The close-knit family comes together on weekends and holidays.

Cindy Bierman, a special education teacher at Mitchell High School, has known Tayler since he was in third grade. But for the past four years, she's had Tayler in her classroom, where she teaches math, English, social studies and transitions.

She has seen Cody and Tayler interact in school. Being in the same grade, the two are involved in many activities together. Bierman said she sees Cody watch Tayler to make sure he's socially appropriate. And some students with special needs aren't, she said, but Tayler is.

"Cody's his role model," she said.

Bierman said Tayler and her have a rivalry. Since she's a Packers fan and Tayler is a huge Vikings fan, they often tease one another.

"I'll give him a writing prompt, and he always wants something in there about the Vikings and the Packers," she said.

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What also surprises Bierman is that she's never seen Tayler mad.

"That's not necessarily true of all Down syndrome kids," she said. "That's a testament to Brian and Ann, and that they raised him to be respectable and friendly."

Wearing a Kernel-yellow cape on his shoulders and a crown on his head, Tayler looked across the Mitchell High School auditorium on Monday at his classmates, teachers and family.

The crowd was standing and cheering on Tayler, their newly elected homecoming king.

Tayler was one of five candidates for homecoming king. With a Dr. Seuss-related theme of "Oh, the Places You Can Go," Tayler and the other candidates flipped over lollipops written with either "Thing 1" or "Thing 2." Tayler's lollipop, which had "Thing 1" written on the back, deemed him the winning candidate.

"We had hoped he had a good shot," Ann said about Tayler winning. "But we didn't know for sure. We were very excited."

Harley Wittstruck, another student who has a disability, won homecoming queen. Standing beside Tayler, the entire auditorium cheered on their newly elected royalty.

This enthusiasm, Bierman said, shows how respectful the Mitchell School student body is.

"And they say kids don't care. I don't see anybody bullying kids around here in Mitchell," she said. "The student body here respects their differences and they make them feel welcome in the classes that they're in."

When Tayler was crowned king, Ann said she and the family were extremely happy and proud of all Tayler has done. But they give all of the credit to Tayler.

"Tayler's personality goes a long way. He's very social, he loves to be with people and he's got true heart. He's got true spirit," she said. "People just truly love him."

Information from: The Daily Republic, <http://www.mitchellrepublic.com>

## Saturday's Scores By The Associated Press

### Volleyball

Aberdeen Central def. Sioux Falls Roosevelt, 23-25, 25-19, 25-17, 25-21

Burke/South Central def. Tripp-Delmont/Armour, 25-20, 25-16, 25-14

Custer def. Pine Ridge, 25-18, 25-17, 23-25, 16-25, 15-11

Harlan, Iowa def. Sioux Falls O'Gorman, 21-12, 21-20

Oldham-Ramona/Rutland def. Flandreau Indian, 25-9, 25-6, 25-6

Pierre def. Watertown, 25-16, 25-16, 25-23

Sioux City, East, Iowa def. Sioux Falls O'Gorman, 9-21, 21-17, 15-9

Sioux Falls O'Gorman def. Bondurant Farrar, Iowa, 21-13, 18-21, 15-13

Waubay/Summit def. Leola/Frederick, 24-26, 25-17, 25-19, 25-22

Western Christian, Hull, Iowa def. Sioux Falls O'Gorman, 21-15, 21-19

### Beach Tournament

#### Pool Play

#### Pool B

Bison def. Wibaux, Mont., 25-21, 25-12

#### Chester Challenge

Arlington def. Wagner, 20-25, 25-20, 25-17, 14-25, 15-11

Elkton-Lake Benton def. Winner, 25-22, 25-20, 24-26, 25-11

Parker def. West Central, 25-21, 25-8, 25-22

Sioux Valley def. Deubrook, 25-10, 25-22, 25-21

Warner def. Chester, 22-25, 25-20, 25-20, 16-25, 15-7

#### Cody-Kilgore Triangular

Cody-Kilgore, Neb. def. Little Wound, 17-25, 25-12, 25-17

Fargo "Scheels" Invitational



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Gold Tournament

Quarterfinal

Sioux Falls Lincoln def. Sioux Falls Washington, 2-1

Semifinal

Sheyenne, N.D. def. Sioux Falls Lincoln, 2-1

First Round

Sioux Falls Washington def. Bismarck High, N.D., 2-0

Consolation

Bismarck Legacy, N.D. def. Sioux Falls Washington, 2-0

Seventh Place

Fargo Shanley, N.D. def. Sioux Falls Washington, 2-0

Third Place

Sioux Falls Lincoln def. Jamestown, N.D., 2-1

Gettysburg Lady Battler Invitational Tournament

Pool Play

Silver Pool

Faulkton def. Timber Lake, 25-22, 25-21

Faulkton def. McIntosh, 25-23, 26-24

Herreid/Selby Area def. Timber Lake, 25-23, 25-13

Herreid/Selby Area def. Faulkton, 25-15, 21-25, 25-15

Herreid/Selby Area def. McIntosh, 25-15, 21-25, 25-15

Timber Lake def. McIntosh, 25-18, 25-14

Red Pool

Faith def. Ipswich, 25-9, 25-21, 25-196

Highmore-Harrold def. Ipswich, 25-14, 25-20

Potter County def. Ipswich, 25-6, 25-15

Potter County def. Faith, 25-15, 25-18

Potter County def. Highmore-Harrold, 25-18, 25-23

Newell Triangular

Lemmon def. Newell, 25-15, 25-20, 25-22

Newell def. Tiospaye Topa, 25-15, 25-15, 25-17

Redfield-Doland Tournament

Pool Play

Pool A

Belle Fourche def. Groton Area, 25-22, 25-14

Belle Fourche def. Eureka/Bowdle, 25-6, 25-15

Belle Fourche def. Redfield/Doland, 25-12, 25-22

Groton Area def. Eureka/Bowdle, 25-7, 25-23

Groton Area def. Miller, 25-20, 11-25, 25-22

Miller def. Redfield/Doland, 25-23, 21-25, 25-11

Miller def. Belle Fourche, 25-16, 25-16

Miller def. Eureka/Bowdle, 25-9, 25-12

Redfield/Doland def. Groton Area, 25-19, 19-25, 25-19

Redfield/Doland def. Eureka/Bowdle, 25-15, 25-20

Pool B

Beresford def. Wolsey-Wessington, 25-13, 25-21

Beresford def. Waverly-South Shore, 25-21, 25-20

Beresford def. Webster, 25-14, 25-17

Northwestern def. Waverly-South Shore, 25-8, 25-11

Northwestern def. Beresford, 25-15, 25-12

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Northwestern def. Webster, 25-11, 25-18  
Northwestern def. Wolsey-Wessington, 25-17, 25-18  
Webster def. Waverly-South Shore, 26-24, 25-17  
Wolsey-Wessington def. Webster, 25-11, 25-15  
Wolsey-Wessington def. Waverly-South Shore, 25-15, 25-16  
Third Place  
Beresford def. Belle Fourche, 29-27, 25-21  
Championship  
Northwestern def. Miller, 25-17, 25-22  
Stanley County Triangular  
Stanley County def. Todd County, 25-17, 25-14, 25-23  
Stanley County def. Cheyenne-Eagle Butte, 25-16, 22-25, 25-13, 25-13

## Christion with 466 yards passing; SDSU beats S. Illinois

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"He did a nice job," SDSU coach John Stiegelmeier said of Christion.

Jake Wieneke caught six passes for 164 yards and two scores, and tight end Dallas Goedert had 12 receptions for 108 yards and a touchdown, and ran for another score.

The Jackrabbits (3-2, 2-0) sacked Josh Straughan six times. "Six sacks against that young man is tremendous," Stiegelmeier said. "He's going to make a lot of plays in this league.

Straughan was 33-for-50 passing for 380 yards and two TDs. Jonathan Mixon ran for just 37 yards but scored two touchdowns for Southern Illinois.

Goedert capped the Jackrabbits' first possession with a 17-yard sweep - his first career carry - with 11:42 left in the first quarter. The 10-play drive covered 75 yards.

The Salukis put together their longest scoring drive of their season to tie the game 7-all. Mixon capped a 16-play, 93-yard march with a 6-yard scoring run with 3:33 left in the first quarter.

But the tie was short-lived. Less than a minute later, Christion threw a 47-yard TD pass to Wieneke for a 14-7 lead. Goedert caught a 39-yard TD pass with 2:46 left in the first half. The Salukis scored 56 seconds later on Straughan's 53-yard pass to Connor Iwema. Austin Johnson, the SIU kicker, ran in the 2-point conversion on a trick play to get SIU within 21-15 with 1:52 left.

SDSU went right back down the field to score on a 17-yard pass from Christion to Wieneke with 49 seconds remaining. Johnson's 45-yard field goal pulled SIU to 28-18 at halftime. SDSU had 318 yards at the half to 276 for Southern Illinois.

"We knew they had an explosive offense," SIU coach Nick Hill said of his team's 10-point halftime deficit. "We need to make a play on defense. We've got to get some pressure on the quarterback."

Christion had 255 yards passing and three touchdowns in the first half, and he threw a 56-yard touchdown pass to Brady Mengarelli on the Jackrabbits' first play of the second half.

The Salukis cut the deficit to 35-25 on Jimmy Jones' 11-yard run with 6:33 left in the third quarter, and pulled to 35-32 on Jones' 11-yard TD pass from Straughan with about four minutes left in third quarter.

With 13:39 remaining, SDSU's Kellen Soulek blocked Johnson's 50-yard field goal attempt. Two minutes



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later, the Jackrabbits extended their lead to 42-32 on a 27-yard TD pass from Christion to Alex Wilde.

The Salukis refused to go away. They made it a 42-39 on Mixon's 1-yard run with 9:18 to play. But Chase Vinatieri kicked a 33-yard field goal with 2:15 left, forcing SIU to need a touchdown rather than a field goal to tie it.

Straughan drove the Salukis to the SDSU 33 before the two sacks ended SIU's chances.

"They had some big plays that a number of times got us on our heels," Stiegelmeier said. "We had some miscues but we hung in there and we battled."

## Streveler leads South Dakota past Northern Iowa, 28-25

Chris Streveler threw for two touchdowns and ran for a third as South Dakota remained unbeaten at home after holding on for a 28-25 win over Northern Iowa Saturday in the 100th Dakota Days football game. Northern Iowa entered the game ranked 11th in all three Football Championship Subdivision polls but has lost three of its last four games. Northern Iowa had won seven of the previous eight meetings between the teams, including a 20-7 decision last year.

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Streveler ran 69 yards for a touchdown in the second minute of the game and put the Coyotes (2-3, 1-1) in front for good by hitting Tacari Carpenter with a 75-yard touchdown pass midway through the second quarter. The pair reconnected from 29-yards out in the third quarter to make it 28-17,

Aaron Bailey sneaked in from the 1 to pull Northern Iowa within a field goal, 28-25 early in the fourth.

## Man sentenced to 4 years for Salem drug store burglary

SALEM, S.D. (AP) — A 26-year-old man has been sentenced to four years in prison for stealing prescription drugs from a Salem store in June.

The Daily Republic (<http://bit.ly/2dCG6IA>) reports that Kyle Hurden of Upper Strasburg, Pennsylvania, was sentenced to two four-year terms to be served concurrently with credit for 101 days served.

He was also ordered to pay \$1,000 in restitution and \$708 in fines and court costs.

Hurden was accused of breaking into the Salem Community Drug store on June 21, smashing through a glass door and stealing prescription drugs.

He had pleaded guilty in August to third-degree burglary and misrepresentation to obtain a controlled substance. Theft and drug possession charges were dismissed.

Information from: The Daily Republic, <http://www.mitchellrepublic.com>

## Federal officials: Pine Ridge duplex blast deemed accidental

PINE RIDGE, S.D. (AP) — A duplex explosion that killed at least four people on the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation in South Dakota has been deemed an accident, federal authorities said Saturday.

The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives said in a statement that a certified fire investigator has found the blast was likely caused by a propane line leak and an accidental spark. The statement said more information will be made available in the coming days.

Oglala Sioux Tribe spokesman Kevin Yellow Bird Steele has said the explosion happened Thursday in the town of Pine Ridge and that several injured people were taken to hospitals in Nebraska and South Dakota.

Yellow Bird Steele didn't identify the victims, including the dead, whom he described as three females and one male. He has said tenants in the duplex smelled propane gas and were searching for a leak be-

fore the explosion.

Estelline Black Feather, 66, awoke from a nap on her couch Thursday afternoon when her house shook, she told the Rapid City Journal. Believing her propane tank had blown, she went outside and saw that a nearby duplex had been leveled.

"People were running," she told the newspaper. "There was a real bad smell, like sulfur."

## Top South Dakota Republicans call for Donald Trump's exit

PIERRE, S.D. (AP) — Top South Dakota Republicans on Saturday called for GOP presidential nominee Donald Trump to abandon his campaign after the release of newly revealed audio of him making lewd and sexually charged comments.

John Thune, the Senate's third-ranking Republican and a safe bet for election to a third term in conservative South Dakota, tweeted Saturday that Trump's running mate Mike Pence should immediately take the spot at the top of the Republican ticket.

GOP Gov. Dennis Daugaard tweeted that the election is "too important" and that Trump should withdraw in favor of Pence. "Enough is enough," he wrote.

Lt. Gov. Matt Michels echoed those comments, tweeting that Trump must step aside "for our party and country."

Trump's campaign is reeling from a 2005 recording first reported by The Washington Post and NBC News in which Trump speaks in vulgar terms about women and his aggressive behavior toward them. Trump has apologized and vowed to stay in the race.

In the video, Trump is heard describing his attempts to have sex with a married woman. He also brags about women letting him kiss and fondle them because he is famous.

Other key South Dakota Republicans haven't called for Trump to abandon his bid for the White House.

Rep. Kristi Noem, South Dakota's lone U.S. House member, tweeted that Trump's comments are "repulsive" but she didn't call for him to be replaced. A spokeswoman for the Republican lawmaker didn't immediately respond to an email requesting comment.

Noem's opponent, Democrat Paula Hawks, issued a statement urging Noem to reject Trump.

Natalie Krings, a spokeswoman for South Dakota's other U.S. senator, Republican Mike Rounds, said in a statement that Trump's comments are deplorable and indefensible. She said Rounds agrees with the nominee's goal of making America great again, but will make it clear when he disagrees with Trump.

"This is clearly a situation in which Sen. Rounds disagrees with the comments Mr. Trump made," she said.

## Marsy's Law amendment backers hold huge cash lead over foes

BISMARCK, N.D. (AP) — A California businessman has put roughly \$2.5 million so far into a North Dakota ballot measure that would incorporate victims' rights provisions into the state constitution.

Campaign finance reports filed Friday show that billionaire Henry Nicholas donated about \$2 million to the Marsy's Law campaign through Sept. 29. That's on top of the nearly \$500,000 he donated in 2015.

Opponents have raised \$10,000.

The law is named after Marsalee "Marsy" Nicholas, who was killed by her ex-boyfriend in 1983. Her brother, Henry Nicholas, is bankrolling an effort to expand it into more states, including both Dakotas.

Nicholas has put roughly \$800,000 toward the South Dakota campaign.

Supporters say the plan would elevate victims' rights to ensure they have protections similar to criminal defendants. Opponents argue it would bog down the system for victims.

## Man pleads guilty to DUI at Dakota Access pipeline protest

MANDAN, N.D. (AP) — A 24-year-old man is accused of drunken driving and allegedly crashing into an occupied teepee at a Dakota Access pipeline protest camp in North Dakota.

Authorities say Bryce Ironhawk of McLaughlin, South Dakota, pleaded guilty Friday to misdemeanor



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charges of aggravated reckless driving and driving under the influence.

Officials say a Bureau of Indian Affairs officer clocked Ironhawk driving 113 mph on Highway 1806. Authorities say Ironhawk later drove through the main protest camp area, hitting flag poles and crashing into the teepee.

A man in the teepee declined medical attention.

Officials say Ironhawk had a blood-alcohol content of 0.17, more than double the legal limit, while he drove a Chevy Camaro allegedly stolen in Bismarck, North Dakota.

## **Friday's Scores** **By The Associated Press**

### PREP FOOTBALL

Aberdeen Roncalli 60, Sisseton 12  
Baltic 54, Viborg-Hurley 0  
Belle Fourche 35, Sturgis 26  
Bennett County 22, Pine Ridge 14  
Bridgewater-Emery 40, Elk Point-Jefferson 0  
Britton-Hecla 41, Deuel 0  
Burke/South Central 26, Andes Central/Dakota Christian 18  
Canistota 52, Alcester-Hudson 22  
Chamberlain 56, St. Francis Indian 6  
Cheyenne-Eagle Butte 68, Crow Creek 0  
Clark/Willow Lake 56, Great Plains Lutheran 20  
Colman-Egan 36, Castlewood/Estelline 15  
Colome 44, Parker 0  
Corsica/Stickney 58, Tripp-Delmont/Armour 0  
Dakota Valley 42, Lennox 14  
Dell Rapids 20, Milbank 6  
Dell Rapids St. Mary 36, Deubrook 14  
DeSmet 28, Elkton-Lake Benton 8  
Faulkton 54, Herreid/Selby Area 32  
Florence/Henry 28, Tri-State 20  
Garretson 62, Irene-Wakonda 43  
Gayville-Volin 29, Scotland 20  
Gregory 54, Hill City 14  
Groton Area 53, Wagner 0  
Harding County 54, Newell 0  
Harrisburg 56, Douglas 21  
Hot Springs 50, Custer 0  
Howard 46, Menno-Marion 0  
Kadoka Area 32, Rapid City Christian 6  
Langford 45, Ipswich/Edmunds Central 0  
Lemmon/McIntosh 32, Faith 6  
Madison 46, Canton 15  
McCook Centra/Montrosel JV 41, Centerville 8  
Miller 48, Platte-Geddes 22  
Mitchell 55, Brookings 20  
Mobridge-Pollock 21, Redfield/Doland 15  
Mt. Vernon/Plankinton 56, Hanson 18  
New Underwood 44, Lyman 8

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Northwestern 55, Tiospa Zina Tribal 0  
Pierre 24, Aberdeen Central 18  
Potter County 48, Eureka/Bowdle 0  
Rapid City Central 27, Sioux Falls Lincoln 20  
Red Cloud 26, Lead-Deadwood 24, OT  
Sioux Falls Christian 50, Vermillion 0  
Sioux Falls O'Gorman 39, Rapid City Stevens 27  
Sioux Falls Roosevelt 35, Brandon Valley 28  
Sioux Valley 31, Beresford 19  
St. Thomas More 52, Spearfish 21  
Sully Buttes 50, Hitchcock-Tulare 0  
Sunshine Bible Academy 47, Lower Brule 6  
Tea Area 29, West Central 8  
Wall 20, Philip 12  
Webster 42, Hamlin 21  
Winner 48, Parkston 16  
Wolsey-Wessington 52, Bon Homme 15  
Woonsocket/Wessington Springs/Sanborn Central 38, Kimball/White Lake 36  
Yankton 14, Huron 7

## US judge sides with Nevada tribes in voting rights case

By SCOTT SONNER, Associated Press

RENO, Nev. (AP) — Two Native American tribes in Nevada won an emergency court order late Friday in a federal lawsuit accusing the Republican secretary of state and two counties of discriminating against them under the Voting Rights Act.

U.S. District Judge Miranda Du issued a temporary injunction in Reno requiring the establishment of satellite polling places on two northern Nevada reservations ahead of next month's election in the Western battleground state.

The Pyramid Lake and Walker River Paiute tribes say their members are being denied equal access to the polls due to long distances some must travel to vote early or cast ballots on Election Day.

Du said they've proven they'll suffer irreparable harm if she doesn't intervene with the election less than five weeks away.

"The court finds that the public interest is served by a preliminary injunction," she wrote in her 20-page ruling issued shortly after 5 p.m.

Lawyers for Washoe County in Reno said they would consider an appeal.

The legal battle is the latest in a series of cases arguing violation of the 1965 Voting Rights Act in Arizona, Utah, Montana, Alaska and the Dakotas.

Like most minorities, Native Americans in general are more likely to vote for Democrats than Republicans. They say many tribal members are mired in poverty and other socio-economic conditions that make it more difficult for them to travel off the reservations to vote.

Nevada is considered a key swing state in the upcoming presidential election. A tight contest for the seat of retiring Democratic Sen. Harry Reid also has the potential to determine majority control of the U.S. Senate.

The tribes in Nevada's Washoe and Mineral counties asked in the Sept. 7 lawsuit for relief in three different categories — on-site voter registration, early voting and in-person voting on Election Day.

Du denied the request for an injunction in regard to the establishment of on-site voter registration at either reservation. She said all the individual plaintiffs in the case already are registered to vote so they cannot show any harm in that regard.

But she ordered polling sites be set up for early voting at both, and for Election Day voting in Nixon on



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the Pyramid Lake reservation northwest of Reno. The Walker River tribe in rural Mineral County already provides for Election Day voting on the reservation in Schurz, where the early-voting option will be added under the judge's order.

The counties had argued the sudden change would present a huge, costly technical challenge at such a late date and Republican Secretary of State Barbara Cegavske argues she has no authority to intervene.

"The court acknowledges the substantial costs that injunctive relief places upon the counties, especially at this late hour," Du wrote Friday.

"It is difficult, however, to balance a financial and logistical hardship with a burden on constitutional rights," she said.

The Washoe County District Attorney's Office said in a statement Friday night the county's previous decisions on the location of 22 satellite polling sites were based on "population, fairness and in accordance with controlling federal and state laws."

"Nevertheless, the court's order must be followed or appealed, and Washoe County will make that determination after having a full and thorough opportunity to review the court's decision," the statement said.

Some members of the Pyramid Lake tribe living in Washoe County say they currently must drive 96 miles roundtrip to register to vote or cast ballots in person. The lawsuit says that's more than twice as far as mostly white voters on Lake Tahoe's affluent north shore would have to travel to vote if the county had not set up a satellite poll in upscale Incline Village.

The Nevada counties argued this week the tribal members who don't want to drive that far can still vote by mail or online.

But Du said in Friday's ruling the distance the tribal members must travel combined with the associated costs "bears more heavily" on them "especially given their relative difficulty in accessing transportation, affording travel, and experience (of) off-reservation discrimination and intimidation."

She specifically cited a 2010 case in North Dakota, Spirit Lake Tribe v. Benson City, when Chief Judge Ralph Erickson concluded:

"There simply is no more essential duty of a democratic government than to provide open, fair elections that are accessible to all eligible voters ... In a representative republic, the right of the people to elect their representatives is superior to concerns over the public purse."

Open Meeting Commission scheduled to gather in Aberdeen

PIERRE, S.D. (AP) — The South Dakota Attorney General's office says the Open Meeting Commission is gathering in Aberdeen.

The meeting is scheduled for Oct. 14 at Beulah Williams Library. The agenda is set to include oral presentations on a complaint related to the Groton City Council.

The Attorney General's office says the meeting is open for the public to attend.

## Watchdog: Staff issues affect care at reservation hospitals

By REGINA GARCIA CANO, Associated Press

SIoux FALLS, S.D. (AP) — The internal watchdog of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services says the often-substandard quality of care at hospitals serving Native Americans is the result of outdated equipment and technology, lack of resources and difficulty attracting and keeping skilled staff.

The Office of Inspector General on Friday released two reports that look into the longstanding challenges of the 28 hospitals directly operated by the federal Indian Health Service. The OIG, which acknowledged that reports of inadequate health care services for Native Americans have been of concern to the federal government for almost a century, criticized the agency's limited oversight regarding compliance with federal regulations and quality of care, detailing how the agency's regional administrators have few sources of information to assess the services provided at the facilities.

The Indian Health Service, commonly referred to as IHS, is responsible for providing health care ser-

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VICES to enrolled tribal members as part of the government's treaty obligations to Native American tribes. But the agency has faced challenges for decades, and within the past year it has been under increased scrutiny from Congress after inspections of hospitals in the Great Plains uncovered severe deficiencies.

The OIG says IHS's eight regional offices conduct activities to monitor the quality of the facilities, but those efforts are minimal in some areas. One of the reports states that the primary source of information that the regional offices use to detect quality problems is a small number of complaints and patient harm reports.

"However, according to hospital administrators, most patient complaints relate to customer service and wait times, rather than medical care," according to the report. "Further, most hospitals (20 of 28) receive fewer than 100 complaints per year for inpatient and outpatient visits combined, averaging about 1 complaint per 1,000 patient visits. ... Considering the quantity and subject matter of complaints and patient harm reports, they are unlikely to provide hospital staff with the breadth of information needed to identify and diagnose systemic quality or compliance breakdowns."

The OIG, which gathered the information for the reports between April and October 2014, also said that only half of the regional offices conducted mock inspection surveys that could provide insight regarding the facilities' quality practices. The watchdog also faulted the IHS for staggering findings of outdated facilities and the weeklong process that job applicants must follow, even when the physician vacancy rate was 33 percent at the time the information for the reports was gathered.

According to the report, in 15 of the 28 hospitals, administrators reported that aging or inadequate physical environments affected their ability to give quality care. Corroded pipes in one hospital caused sewage to leak into the operating room.

The IHS has now been under scrutiny for more than a year after inspectors from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, known as CMS, found several quality-of-care deficiencies at hospitals in South Dakota and Nebraska. At one facility, the alarming conditions of its emergency room led officials to close it for seven months.

The OIG on Friday recommended that CMS inspectors survey IHS facilities more frequently.

The IHS in a statement Friday concurred with recommendations made by the OIG, including the need for more training for staffers and new ways to monitor hospital quality. The IHS also said it began a mock survey initiative at 26 hospitals in May 2016 to assess compliance with the standards that facilities must meet to be able to participate in the Medicare program.

The IHS's statement also highlighted a team that was formed in February 2016 "to ensure that dependable, quality care is delivered consistently across IHS facilities."

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Associated Press writer James Nord contributed to this report from Pierre, South Dakota.

## North Dakota taps Wisconsin deputies for Dakota Access help

BISMARCK, N.D. (AP) — North Dakota officials say Wisconsin is lending law enforcement resources to authorities responding to the Dakota Access pipeline protests.

Officials said Friday that Wisconsin will provide up to 40 sworn sheriffs' deputies from Dane County and the surrounding area to support the Morton County Sheriff's Office in North Dakota.

Officers will assist for up to 21-day rotations. The deputies come through an interstate mutual aid compact. Morton County Sheriff Kyle Kirchmeier says the deputies will provide the manpower necessary to respond to multiple protest locations.

Thousands of people have joined the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe encampment in what's been called the largest gathering of Native American tribes in a century.

Some of the protests have expanded to other construction sites along the pipeline route, which crosses through the Dakotas, Iowa and Illinois.



## Sioux Falls woman accused in alleged welfare fraud case

SIoux FALLS, S.D. (AP) — A Sioux Falls woman facing welfare fraud charges is accused of scamming the state out of over \$20,000.

The Argus Leader (<http://argusne.ws/2dADkUe>) reports that 40-year-old Kandas Veneziani faces charges including welfare fraud, theft by deception and perjury.

Authorities say Veneziani obtained \$20,565 of welfare benefits from the state Department of Social Services but didn't disclose that the father of her child was a member of her household. Officials say she didn't disclose his income on forms.

It wasn't immediately clear if Veneziani has an attorney in the case.

Information from: Argus Leader, <http://www.argusleader.com>

## Request would boost pipeline to at least 470K barrels daily

WILLISTON, N.D. (AP) — A sixth pipeline company has applied for a permit to become a part of the growing Dakota Access pipeline project.

If approved, it would add 30,000 barrels of oil to the four-state pipeline, meaning it'd be the largest in the Bakken oil formation with 470,000 to 570,000 barrels daily.

The Epping Transmission Company is proposing a \$6.5 million project to connect its Epping Station and Divide Mainline Pipeline to the Dakota Access Epping Facility, the Williston Herald reported (<http://bit.ly/2dkiE12>). A public hearing is set for Nov. 22.

Some companies have already begun construction projects to connect to the Dakota Access pipeline, which is being built by Dallas-based Energy Transfer Partners and is the target of legal action by the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe. The tribe argues the pipeline threatens water supplies and would damage sacred sites. Other companies are awaiting approval on their permits.

The project would be located in a migratory area for the whooping crane, but the proposal says no construction would take place during the nesting season. If the plan changes, Epping Transmission would work with government agencies on mitigation steps.

The project also would also be within 500 feet of a housing development. Epping Transmission says it has acquired 71 percent of the necessary right of way from landowners and is working to finalize remaining agreements.

Epping Transmission would like to begin construction on their proposal this year and have it completed two months later.

Information from: Williston Herald, <http://www.willistonherald.com>

## Voice recordings from 1890s being returned to the Lakota

By MAX B. O'CONNELL, Rapid City Journal

RAPID CITY, S.D. (AP) — After nearly a decade of giving grants and heaping on praise, the National Endowment for the Arts will give another gift to the First Peoples Fund with the return this weekend of recordings of Lakota songs and speeches made in the 1890s.

The late 19th century recordings were made on wax cylinders, and the 1940s recordings were made on acetate discs. They have been archived at the American Folk Life Center at the Library of Congress, and now two sets of digital copies, as well as field notes and translations, will be returned to the Lakota people.

The materials will be handed over at a ceremony by at 9 a.m. on Saturday at the Rushmore Plaza Civic Center in Rapid City during the Lakota Dakota Nakota Language Summit, billed as "Tuseca Tiospaye." The ceremony will see recordings of Lakota songs and speech accepted by representatives from Oglala Lakota College, the Rapid City Journal reported (<http://bit.ly/2dzM6C8>).

Giving added weight to the return of the recordings will be the presence of Jane Chu, chairman of the National Endowment for the Arts, who will be in Rapid City for the repatriation of the recordings and also

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to attend the First Peoples Fund's Community Spirit Awards on Saturday.

"It's meaningful because we're giving back the originals, something that was theirs," Chu said. "We've digitized the audio at no cost to the Oglala Lakota, and we're really appreciative to be able to give them back."

That sentiment was echoed by Tawa Ducheneaux, an archivist at Oglala Lakota College.

"It's very important that federal agencies have recognized the value of partnering and collaborating with tribal nations to repatriate materials that have the most meaning by being able to be accessed locally," Ducheneaux said. "We feel it's fitting that this happen with an audience of language speakers, linguists and preservationists."

Chu said she is excited to be meeting with local Native Americans and to meet people involved with the First Peoples Fund.

"I'd known about the First Peoples Fund prior to being at the NEA," Chu said. "I'm very excited about going to visit them. It's been a grantee for a number of years, so it's great to be able to see firsthand the great work they're doing."

The endowment for the arts is an independent agency of the United States government that supports and funds important artistic projects across the country. Chu is the 11th chair, having taken the position in June 2014, and has a background of philanthropy, business, and arts administration, and is also a trained pianist.

The organization has supported the First Peoples Fund since 2007, awarding nine grants totaling \$270,000 over nine years. This year it gave \$60,000 to support the Community Spirit Awards ceremony and Rolling Rez workshops. Chu's attendance will mark the first time an endowment chairperson will be present for the awards.

"We're very appreciative of being invited and being able to participate," Chu said.

Chu added that part of the NEA's mission has been to be able to honor different traditions and heritage as it relates to arts and culture.

"That's very important to us, because that's what America's all about," Chu said. "The Community Spirit Awards are about the power that arts and culture has to honor tradition and heritage. That's very critical to who we are."

The Community Spirit Awards, which take place Saturday evening at the Performing Arts Center of Rapid City, will honor seven Native American artists from across the country who selflessly weave their talents and knowledge into their communities.

Chu said she felt the awards were an important way to honor Native American artists that also shows the importance of art in a community.

"As far as I'm concerned, arts help people understand themselves, and that's what's happening here," Chu said. "From clothing to bead work to dancers, it's part of making Native cultures tangible and visible. It means that these artists are culture bearers, and this is an opportunity to shine light on them."

Chu, the awards recipients and other endowment representatives will tour Pine Ridge on Sunday morning, with a visit to the Oglala Lakota College Historical Center planned.

Chu said she looked forward to traveling to "this beautiful part of the country" and meeting new people, and that she viewed the arts as another vocabulary, something that transcended everyday conversation.

"The arts have an ability to bring us together, to show us that we're not forced to be alike, but that we can honor the ways we're different and celebrate it," Chu said.

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Information from: Rapid City Journal, <http://www.rapidcityjournal.com>



## ABC's Diane Sawyer asks that 'pink slime' case be dismissed

By REGINA GARCIA CANO, Associated Press

SIoux FALLS, S.D. (AP) — ABC anchor Diane Sawyer, correspondent Jim Avila and the network are asking a South Dakota judge to dismiss a \$1.2 billion defamation lawsuit over the network's reports on a meat producer's lean, finely textured beef product, which critics dubbed "pink slime."

Court documents filed this week provide detailed accounts from Sawyer, Avila and others about how they gathered the information for the reports on Beef Products Inc. and also defend their work, arguing it was done in the public's interest as consumers were unaware that the product at the time was present in 70 percent of the ground beef sold in supermarkets.

To make lean, finely textured beef, the trimmings left after a cow is butchered are heated, the meat is separated from fat and ammonia gas is applied to kill bacteria. BPI's lawsuit, filed in 2012, claims ABC's multiple reports misled consumers into believing that the product was unsafe and led to the closure of three plants and roughly 700 layoffs. The network, Sawyer and Avila — the only three remaining defendants in the civil case — deny that claim.

The case is currently slated to go to trial in June. BPI could be awarded as much as \$1.2 billion.

In affidavits filed Monday in support of motions seeking summary judgment, Sawyer and Avila argue that the number of reports was driven largely by questions from viewers, as well as decisions by the government, supermarket chains and BPI. Their argument counters the lawsuit's characterization of the network's coverage as "a monthlong vicious, concerted disinformation campaign against BPI."

ABC's attorneys have argued that in each of its broadcasts, the network stated that the U.S. Department of Agriculture deemed the product safe to eat. They've said BPI might not like the phrase "pink slime," but like all ground beef, it's pink and has a slimy texture.

"My sole interest was to help the consumer by providing information to our viewers," Sawyer states in an affidavit. "I thought that our reporting might result in consumers getting more information from their grocers or might result in some form of labeling that would facilitate consumer choice. I was surprised when supermarket chains decided to discontinue use of BPI's product altogether."

After the reports aired, some grocery store chains announced that they would stop carrying ground beef that contained the lean, finely textured beef, and the USDA began offering school districts that received food through the government's school lunch program choices in ground beef purchases.

In August, the judge hearing the case signed off on the dismissal of five defendants: ABC's news division; correspondent David Kerley; USDA microbiologist Gerald Zirnstein, who named the product "pink slime;" former federal food scientist Carl Custer; and Kit Foshee, a former BPI quality assurance manager who was interviewed by ABC.

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## Mount Marty College gets \$3M gift, largest ever for school

YANKTON, S.D. (AP) — Mount Marty College has received its largest individual donation in history, \$3 million for scholarships aimed at serving students from rural areas.

The money is from the estate of Hartington, Nebraska, native Marian Pyper, who was a 1930s graduate of the former Mount Marty High School, a part of the private Catholic liberal arts college for decades before being closed in 1969. Pyper died earlier this year in California at the age of 98.

"Marian believed that her four-year experience at Mount Marty formed a solid academic and spiritual foundation for the rest of her life," said Gail Morthole, Pyper's niece. "She often spoke of the Benedictine nuns who were her teachers and of the lifetime friendships she made during high school."

College President Marc Long said Pyper's "generosity sets an inspiring example of the impact that a life focused on faith and service can have on others. We are grateful."

The donation is the second multimillion-dollar gift to the Yankton school in three months. In August, the Benedictine Sisters of Sacred Heart Monastery donated \$2.25 million to honor the school's 80th anniversary.

## At least 4 die in duplex explosion on Pine Ridge reservation

PINE RIDGE, S.D. (AP) — At least four people are dead after an apparent gas explosion at a duplex on the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation in South Dakota.

Tribal Councilman Richard Greenwald tells the Rapid City Journal that an elderly man and woman and two young women were killed in the blast Thursday afternoon. Authorities have not released any other details about the victims.

Tribal spokesman Kevin Yellow Bird Steele says the explosion happened in the town of Pine Ridge and that several injured people were taken to hospitals.

Steele says tenants in the duplex smelled propane gas and were searching for a leak before the explosion.

About 19,000 members of the Oglala Sioux Tribe live on the reservation, which at over 2 million acres is among the largest in the nation.

## Trump slams GOP ahead of debate, raises Clinton scandals

By JULIE PACE and LISA LERER, Associated Press



**Republican presidential candidate Donald Trump, upper left, leaves Trump Tower in New York Sunday, Oct. 9, 2016. (AP Photo/Craig Ruttle)**

ST. LOUIS (AP) — His presidential bid in chaos, a defiant Donald Trump slammed Republicans rushing to revoke their support for him as “self-righteous hypocrites” and signaled he may try to turn Sunday night’s crucial debate against Hillary Clinton into a referendum on her husband’s treatment of women.

Trump will take the debate stage under enormous pressure. Even before the new revelations of his predatory sexual remarks about women, Trump’s campaign was slumping. But the release of the 2005 video, where Trump is heard bragging about using his fame to “do anything” to women, left some Republicans convinced the damage was insurmountable.

Even Trump’s most loyal supporters struggled to defend him.

“They’re remarks you certainly don’t

want to hear from anyone, much less a presidential candidate,” Rudy Giuliani, the former New York City mayor, said Sunday on CNN. “I think he made a full and complete apology for it. He probably is going to do it again tonight.”

Clinton has stayed largely silent since the video was made public Friday, though running mate Tim Kaine accused Trump of engaging in a “pattern of assaultive behavior.”

“I think there’s kind of a piece of the jigsaw puzzle missing in Donald Trump where he does not look at women and consider them as equal to himself,” Kaine said on CNN.

Trump’s troubles have almost completely overshadowed the release of hacked emails from the Clinton campaign that revealed the contents of previously secret paid speeches to Wall Street. Clinton told bankers behind closed doors that she favored “open trade.” Such remarks were at odds with her tough public comments.

Trump allies desperately hope the businessman can keep his focus in the debate on Clinton, raising questions about her trustworthiness and pushing his own populist economic ideas. The candidates will

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face questions in the town hall-style setting both from moderators and undecided voters seated with them on stage, a format that typically rewards candidates who show empathy and connect with the problems facing Americans.

But Trump suggested Sunday that he had other priorities. He tweeted a link to an interview with Juanita Broadrick on the pro-Trump Breitbart website in which she describes what the site calls "brutal rapes" by former President Bill Clinton.

Broadrick's lawsuit against Bill Clinton accusing him of rape was dismissed in 2001 and criminal charges were never filed. Clinton has denied the allegations.

Trump has long hinted he would raise Bill Clinton's sexual history at debates. In what was billed as a videotaped apology for the 2005 videotaped remarks, Trump said "Bill Clinton has actually abused women" and Hillary Clinton "bullied, attacked, shamed and intimidated" her husband's "victims."

Giuliani pushed the same accusations hours before the debate, saying Clinton was the "leader of the attack" against the women her husband "sexually assaulted, sexually abused."

Clinton's campaign appeared unconcerned by the prospect of Trump raising Broadrick's allegations. "If that is how he chooses to spend his time in the debate then that's his decision," Clinton communications director Jennifer Palmieri told reporters. "I'm not sure that's what voters are going to want to hear."

At a fundraiser in Chicago, President Barack Obama called Trump's rhetoric "disturbing." Obama said "it tells you that he's insecure enough that he pumps himself up by putting other people down."

Trump's risky move comes as he tries to save a flailing campaign facing unprecedented opposition from within his own party. His own running mate, Indiana Gov. Mike Pence, declared he could neither condone nor defend the remarks in the video.

Other Republicans took the extraordinary step of revoking support for their party's nominee. Among them: Ohio Sen. Rob Portman, New Hampshire Sen. Kelly Ayotte — both are running for re-election — and the party's 2008 nominee, Arizona Sen. John McCain. Some called on Trump to quit the race.

"I thought about years from now when my daughter Kate is old enough to know what is in those tapes and to understand what he is talking about," Ayotte said of her 12-year-old daughter during a press conference Sunday. "I want her to know where I stood."

Trump spent Sunday morning highlighting Twitter messages from supporters who slammed Republican leaders for abandoning him. In his own message, Trump said, "So many self-righteous hypocrites. Watch their poll numbers — and elections — go down!"

Republican leaders scheduled a rare Monday conference call for House GOP lawmakers, who are on recess. An email obtained by The Associated Press doesn't specify the topic, but rank-and-file lawmakers believe it's about Trump.

The latest firestorm was sparked by the 2005 video obtained by The Washington Post and NBC News. Trump, who was married to his current wife at the time, is heard describing attempts to have sex with a married woman. He also says that when you're a star, "you can do anything." Trump adds seconds later: "Grab them by the p----. You can do anything." He said of his impulse to kiss beautiful women: "I don't even wait."

The Republican National Committee is considering how to move forward. One possibility: re-directing its expansive political operation away from Trump and toward helping vulnerable congressional candidates. Such a move would leave Trump with virtually no political infrastructure in swing states to ensure that his supporters vote.

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## Rescues and worry after Matthew inundates North Carolina

By MARTHA WAGGONER and ALLEN BREED, Associated Press



**A man walks across a road damaged by floodwaters caused by rain from Hurricane Matthew in Fayetteville, N.C., Sunday, Oct. 9, 2016. Hurricane Matthew's torrential rains triggered severe flooding in North Carolina on Sunday as the deteriorating storm made its exit to the sea, and thousands of people had to be rescued from their homes and cars. (AP Photo/Chuck Burton)**

FAYETTEVILLE, N.C. (AP) — When Hurricane Matthew dumped torrential rains on North Carolina, thousands of people found themselves suddenly trapped in homes and cars. Rescuers in Coast Guard helicopters plucked some of them from rooftops and used military vehicles to reach others, including a woman who held on to a tree for three hours after her car was overrun by flood waters.

In another dramatic rescue, a woman with her small child perched on the roof of her car had to be helped to safety as the waters rose around them, underscoring how quickly Matthew wreaked havoc 100 miles or more inland after sparing much of the Southeastern coast the catastrophic damage once feared.

The storm killed more than 500 people in Haiti and at

least 17 in the U.S. — nearly half of them in North Carolina. Gov. Pat McCrory said authorities were searching for five people and feared they may find more victims. The problems were far from over as all that rain — more than a foot in places — flows into rivers and downstream, likely causing days of major flooding in many of the same places devastated by a similar deluge from Hurricane Floyd in 1999.

"Hurricane Matthew is off the map. But it is still with us. And it is still deadly," McCrory said.

More than a million people in South Carolina and North Carolina were without power, and at least four separate sections of Interstate 95 — the main artery linking the East Coast from Florida to Maine — were closed in North Carolina.

The ferocity of the rain caught people by surprise.

"The forecast said it wasn't supposed to be anything major. Just rain and wind. Well, considering what happened weeks prior with the rain and combined with this, Mother Nature's at its best," said Lamont England, who was trying Sunday to get to his parents' home in Fayetteville.

In Wilson County, rescuers were called when a 63-year-old woman didn't make it home from work. They heard her cries for help while riding on top of a Humvee, and when they couldn't get her with a rope, a National Guard soldier swam to her, staying until a rescue boat arrived, Emergency Management Director Gordon Deno said.

Even animals had to be saved. WRAL-TV showed a dog swimming around floodwaters Saturday. McCrory said he and his wife were riveted by the coverage and relieved to find out from the Coast Guard that the dog managed to get into a tree and rescue it.

Most of the dead were swept away by flood waters. The governor said there were rural areas that search

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and rescue teams hadn't been able to make it to and places that flooded overnight.

"There could be some backroads where we had people swept away. I'm praying that is not going to be," McCrory said.

The rainfall totals were staggering: Nearly 15 inches in Fayetteville and 8 inches in Raleigh. McCrory warned that cities along rivers in eastern North Carolina needed to be prepared for days of flooding. The Lumber River in Lumberton was 4 feet above its record level Sunday afternoon and was forecast to remain there for at least five days.

Shortly before daybreak, the hurricane was downgraded to a post-tropical cyclone. As of 2 p.m. EDT, the storm was centered about 150 miles east of Cape Hatteras, North Carolina, moving out to sea. It still had hurricane-force winds of 75 mph.

Elsewhere along the Atlantic coast, things were slowly returning to normal. Much of Savannah, which had 17 inches of rain, was still without electricity. About 150 people stood in line for a grocery store to open like it was a Black Friday sale.

Debbie Berta said she waited more than an hour to get propane gas for her grill. She also wanted "bread, potatoes, eggs — and a piece of sanity."

Matthew killed more than 500 people in Haiti last week, plowing into the desperately poor country at 145 mph. The fearsome storm then sideswiped hundreds of miles of the U.S. coastline from Florida through Georgia and the Carolinas, its eye staying far enough offshore that the damage in many places along the coast was relatively modest, consisting mostly of flooded streets, flattened trees and blown-down signs and awnings. A shift of just 20 or 30 miles could have meant widespread devastation nearer the ocean.

An estimated 2 million people in the Southeast were ordered to evacuate their homes as Matthew closed in.

In addition to the eight deaths in North Carolina, there were four in Florida, three in Georgia and two in South Carolina. Some were killed by falling trees, others by carbon monoxide fumes from a generator. One 66-year-old man near Columbia, South Carolina, died at a nursing facility when he got pinned under his electric wheelchair in water after the heavy rains.

Property data firm CoreLogic projected that insured losses on home and commercial properties would amount to \$4 billion to \$6 billion, well below Hurricane Katrina's \$40 billion and Superstorm Sandy's \$20 billion.

Waggoner reported from Raleigh, North Carolina; Jonathan Drew in Raleigh; Jeffrey Collins and Jack Jones in Columbia, South Carolina; Russ Bynum in Savannah and Terrance Harris in Daytona Beach, Florida also contributed to this report.

## **Pumped up: Brady passes for 406 yards in return for Patriots**

**By TOM WITHERS, AP Sports Writer**

CLEVELAND (AP) — Tom Brady, looking razor-sharp at times and relatively rust-free after serving his four-game "Deflategate" suspension, passed for 406 yards and three touchdowns to Martellus Bennett in his hyped return and the New England Patriots thumped the Cleveland Browns 33-13 on Sunday.

Brady was back — much to the relief of teammates and New England fans everywhere — following a ban for his role in the scandal in which an NFL investigation found the Patriots under-inflated footballs in the 2015 AFC championship game.

Brady fought Commissioner Roger Goodell's ruling for more than a year before he begrudgingly accepted his punishment.

He took out some of that built-up frustration on the Browns (0-5), throwing for 271 yards in the first half, as the Patriots (4-1) rebounded after being shut out last week at home by Buffalo.

Brady threw two short TD passes in the first half to Bennett before hooking up with his new teammate again on a 37-yarder to give the Patriots a 30-7 lead in the third quarter.

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Brady seemed to enjoy every second of his season debut, even posing like track star Usain Bolt after a 4-yard run. Coach Bill Belichick replaced Brady with 6:02 left, greeting him on the sideline with a handshake and pat on the back.

The 39-year-old was far from perfect, overthrowing Julian Edelman for a possible long TD, but Brady spread the ball around and showed a nice touch on a few passes, including a floater to Rob Gronkowski for 37 yards in the fourth.

LeGarrette Blount added a 1-yard score for the Patriots.

Unfortunately for the Browns, a rebuilding season is spiraling out of control.

Cleveland has dropped seven straight and 14 of 15 going back to last season, and Browns coach Hue Jackson is running out of quarterbacks after rookie Cody Kessler was knocked out in the first half with rib and chest injuries.

Quarterback-turned-wide receiver Terrelle Pryor took two snaps before veteran Charlie Whitehurst replaced him, becoming the fifth quarterback to play for Cleveland in five games.

Whitehurst limped off the field with 3:57 left.

Thousands of New England fans, many wearing No. 12 jerseys, made the trip to Ohio to greet Brady. They stood and cheered loudly as he jogged into the huddle before his first snap since last season's AFC title game.

At that moment, all was right again from Cambridge to Maine's coastline.

Brady completed his first pass to his favorite target, Edelman, and he connected twice on New England's opening drive with Gronkowski, who sidestepped a couple of tacklers and looked like the indomitable "Gronk" as he bulled his way to the Cleveland 1 before Blount scored.

Brady went 4 of 5 — the incompleting was dropped — on the Patriots' opening drive and he was efficient on the second, which ended with his 7-yard TD pass to Bennett.

The four-time Super Bowl champion arrived at FirstEnergy Stadium around 9:30 a.m. and after a quick stop in the locker room, walked onto the field wearing a red Patriots sweatshirt. He looked around at the empty seats and sat for a moment on New England's bench to reflect.

Brady stretched and went down a corridor with resistance bands around his waist about an hour before kickoff. With fans sitting near the tunnel chanting, "Bra-dy, Bra-dy," the star stared ahead as he slowly walked from the locker room with Jimmy Garoppolo, who started two games in his absence.

Garoppolo's day will come.

Brady, though, is back.

**BROKEN BROWNS**

Kessler took a hard shot from Patriots linebacker Dont'a Hightower while trying to throw a swing pass to Duke Johnson at the Cleveland 10 late in the second quarter.

The pass was behind Johnson and skipped out of the end zone, giving the Patriots a safety and the Browns another quarterback headache. Kessler had to be helped up, and after being checked on the sideline, the third-round pick was taken to the locker room for X-rays and did not return.

**JONES JETTISONED**

Patriots rookie cornerback Cyrus Jones was ejected in the third quarter for unsportsmanlike conduct.

A second-round pick from Alabama, Jones got tangled with Browns wide receiver Andrew Hawkins on



**New England Patriots quarterback Tom Brady celebrates a touchdown in the first half of an NFL football game against the Cleveland Browns, Sunday, Oct. 9, 2016, in Cleveland. (AP Photo/David Richard)**



the opposite side of the field. The pair had jawed at each other on several earlier plays.

## GROUNDED GAME

The Patriots held the NFL's top rushing team to 27 yards on 22 carries. Cleveland came in leading the NFL with 149.3 yards rushing.

Isaiah Crowell picked up just 22 on 13 attempts, a far cry from 6.4-yard average in Cleveland's first four games.

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## Father: Suspect in officers' slaying wanted to shoot police

By ROBERT JABLON and CHRISTOPHER WEBER, Associated Press



**This Sunday, Oct. 9 2016 photo released by the Riverside County Sheriff's Department shows suspect John Felix, who was apprehended early Sunday after a lengthy standoff and faces charges including multiple counts of murder on a peace officer. Police said Felix suddenly pulled out a gun and opened fire on the officers who had responded to a family disturbance call Saturday. (Riverside County Sheriff's Department via AP)**

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP) — In the minutes before three Palm Springs officers were shot, two fatally, the suspected gunman's father told a neighbor his son was armed, "acting crazy" and wanted to shoot police.

John Felix, 26, was apprehended early Sunday after a lengthy standoff and will be charged this week with murder.

Police said Felix emerged wearing soft body armor and carrying ammunition but no weapon after police shot a chemical agent into the home where he had holed up.

A neighbor, Frances Serrano, told The Associated Press that the suspect's panicked father, Santos Felix, earlier said his son, an admitted gang member, had a gun.

"My son is inside and we're scared, he's acting crazy," Serrano said the older Felix told her. When it was suggested they call the police he said, "Yeah, he already knows they are coming, and he is going to shoot them."

Serrano said she went back inside her house and within minutes police cars arrived and gunfire erupted.

Police said John Felix suddenly pulled out a gun and opened fire on the officers who had responded to a family disturbance call Saturday afternoon at the home he shared with his parents in a quiet neighborhood of single-story ranch homes this desert resort city.

Palm Springs police Chief Bryan Reyes identified the slain officers as Jose "Gil" Gilbert Vega and Lesley Zerebny.

Zerebny, 27, had been with the department for about 18 months and had recently returned early from maternity leave after giving birth to a daughter. Vega, a married father of eight, was a 35-year veteran who planned to retire in December. He had been working overtime Saturday on his scheduled day off.

The wounded officer's name was not released but Reyes said he was alert, speaking with investigators and was expected to be released from a hospital later Sunday.

Police arrested John Felix after shooting him with non-lethal rounds when he finally exited through the back door, unarmed but wearing body armor and carrying ammo. SWAT officers using bullhorns had tried through the night to establish contact with him, but got no response. He was taken to a hospital for treatment of injuries that did not appear

to be life-threatening.

District Attorney Michael Hestrin said John Felix would be charged Tuesday with first degree murder and several other felony counts. Prosecutors would decide within two weeks whether he could face the death

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penalty, he said. It wasn't known Sunday if he has an attorney.

Reyes indicated police have had previous dealings with the suspect, but he declined to elaborate.

Court records show John Felix is a gang member who was previously sentenced to four years in prison in a failed murder plot in 2009. Documents cited by the Desert Sun newspaper (<http://desert.sn/2dCyJV8>) reveal he was charged with attempted murder but pleaded down to assault with a firearm and admitted his gang connection.

Documents also show John Felix was the subject of a forceful arrest three years ago at the same house where Saturday's shootings occurred.

It had been 54 years since an on-duty uniformed police officer was killed in Palm Springs, a city of 45,000 residents about 100 miles east of Los Angeles, known for its desert views, boutique hotels and golf courses.

In front of police headquarters, scores of local residents gathered to leave flowers, balloons and cards.

Vega had submitted his paperwork to retire at the end of the year after a long and decorated career, Reyes said.

"Here he is, 35 years in, still pushing a patrol car for our community to make it better — on a day he wasn't even scheduled to work," the chief said.

Reyes said Zerebny "pressed forward every day to make it better for everybody else." She and her husband, a sheriff's deputy, were new parents to a four-month-old baby.

"To see her laying down with her eyes open and to witness her husband in full Riverside County sheriff's uniform ... kiss her on the forehead for the last time... it's tough," Reyes said.

Palm Springs resident Heidi Thompson called the killings "vicious and cruel."

"These officers are responding to a domestic call for somebody in need that they don't even know. They put their life on the line for us, the community," Thompson said. "I don't understand it."

The shooting occurred just three days after a popular Los Angeles County sheriff's sergeant was shot and killed in the high desert town of Lancaster. Sgt. Steve Owen was answering a burglary when he was shot. A paroled robber has been charged with murder.

Hundreds of residents held a candlelight vigil Saturday night in his honor.

Weber and Associated Press writer John Rogers reported from Los Angeles. Associated Press writers Olga R. Rodriguez in San Francisco and Adam Kealoha Causey in Phoenix also contributed to this story.

## Pope sends US church message with cardinal choices

By NICOLE WINFIELD, Associated Press

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Pope Francis named 17 new cardinals Sunday, adding like-minded prelates from dioceses big and small to the club who will elect the next pope. Three were Americans in a clear signal to the conservative U.S. church hierarchy that Francis wants moderate pastors at the helm of the U.S. church.

The U.S. appointments also sent a more subtle political message, weeks before the U.S. election, with the surprise pick of Indianapolis Archbishop Joseph Tobin.

Tobin has openly opposed efforts by Indiana Gov. Michael Pence, now Donald Trump's running mate, to bar Syrian refugees from being resettled in the state. A U.S. federal appeals court recently used stinging language in a ruling that will prevent the Republican vice presidential candidate from barring refugee resettlement in Indiana for now.

Francis has made the plight of refugees one of the hallmarks of his papacy, even bringing a dozen Syrian refugees home with him from Lesbos, Greece. He has asserted that anyone who wants to build a wall along the U.S.-Mexico border to keep out migrants — as Trump has proposed — is "not Christian."

"You can find a political message" in the Tobin appointment, said Massimo Faggioli, a Villanova University expert on the Vatican.

The other new U.S. "princes" of the church include the leading U.S. moderate, Chicago Archbishop Blase Cupich, and outgoing Dallas Archbishop Kevin Farrell, whom Francis tapped in August to head the Vatican's new family and laity office.

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**FILE - In this Saturday, June 29, 2013 file photo, Monsignor Joseph William Tobin, Archbishop of Indianapolis, Indiana, United States, is greeted by Pope Francis after receiving the Pallium, a woolen shawl symbolizing his bond to the pope, during a mass in St. Peter's Basilica, at the Vatican. Monsignor Tobin was among the 17 new cardinals named by Pope Francis, Sunday, Oct. 9, 2016. (AP Photo/Gregorio Borgia, File)**

month, brought Francis to tears when he recounted his life story to the pope during Francis' 2014 visit to Tirana: the two decades he spent imprisoned, tortured and sentenced to forced labor for refusing to speak out against the Catholic Church during Albania's brutal communist rule.

After embracing Simoni that day, Francis said: "Today I touched martyrs."

In all, seven countries that have never had a cardinal are getting one in this, the third batch of red-hatted churchmen named by Latin America's first-ever pope. Despite the new nominations, though, Europe still has the most voting-age cardinals with 54.

"The geographical diversity is in keeping with the trajectory of recent popes to expand the global representation in the College of Cardinals to reflect the fact that the Church is universal, not simply European," said Mark Brumley, president of Ignatius Press, the leading English-language publisher of both Emeritus Pope Benedict XVI and Francis.

Speaking Sunday at the end of a special Mass on the steps of St. Peter's Basilica, Francis said the 11 nations represented in the mix "announces and is witness to the good news of the mercy of God in every corner of the world."

The new cardinals will bring the number of voting-age prelates to 120 by the end of November, the maximum allowed under current rules. Francis has appointed 44 of them, or just over a third.

Of the new cardinals, Cupich is very much a pastor in Francis' likeness, emphasizing the merciful and welcoming side of the church — to the dismay of U.S. conservative Catholics. His nomination as Chicago archbishop was Francis' first major U.S. appointment and he was a Francis appointee at the pope's big family synod last year.

In a statement, Cupich said his appointment was "humbling and encouraging" and said he hoped that

"Wow. I guess we are back!" marveled U.S. Ambassador Kenneth Hackett, a reference to the dearth of U.S. cardinal appointees in recent years.

Thirteen of the new cardinals, including all the Americans, are under age 80 and thus eligible to vote in a future conclave to elect Francis' successor, the key job of a cardinal. Francis will elevate all 17 at a ceremony Nov. 19, on the eve of the closure of his Holy Year of Mercy.

As is Francis' tradition, the new cardinals hail from some of the most far-flung and peripheral corners of the globe: Bangui, Central African Republic; Port Louis, Mauritius and Tlalnepantla, Mexico.

Significantly, only one Italian elector was named: Francis' ambassador to "the beloved and martyred Syria," Cardinal-elect Mario Zenari.

And one of the over-80 cardinals is a clear sentimental favorite: the Rev. Ernest Troshani Simoni of Albania.

Simoni, who turns 88 later this



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despite the new responsibilities, he and his flock would “continue the task we have begun of renewing the church in the archdiocese and preparing it to thrive in the decades ahead.”

Tobin’s nomination could also indicate Francis’ appreciation of his support for American nuns. Tobin had been the No. 2 in the Vatican office for religious orders for only two years when in 2012, then-Pope Benedict XVI sent him back to the U.S. to head the Indianapolis archdiocese, which has fewer than 230,000 parishioners.

The transfer was seen in some Vatican circles as being tied to Tobin’s efforts to promote dialogue and resolve tensions between the Vatican and U.S. nuns who were subject of two separate Holy See investigations at the time.

After Francis was elected, both investigations were concluded with Vatican praise for the work of the sisters.

“I am shocked beyond words by the decision of the Holy Father,” Tobin tweeted. “Please pray for me.”

Brumley, the papal publisher, said of the Americans, Tobin’s nomination was the clear “outside the box” surprise given Indianapolis hasn’t been a traditional archdiocese that takes a cardinal.

“But he is a great bishop who combines a commitment to Catholic teaching with pastoral passion,” Brumley said.

Francis has made it a point to no longer automatically name cardinals from big dioceses as had been the practice for centuries. The Italian cities of Venice and Turin, for example, have been without cardinals for several years.

The same goes for the U.S., where such staunchly Catholic archdioceses as Philadelphia, which hosted Francis last year at the Catholic Church’s big family rally, was passed over again. Philadelphia is headed by the conservative Archbishop Charles Chaput, who has insisted on traditional church doctrine on issues such as whether civilly remarried couples can receive Communion — areas where Francis has sought greater flexibility.

“It’s a clear message to the United States Catholic bishops about the kind of church Francis has in mind,” Faggioli said.

Francis did make an exception to his own rule Sunday by returning a red hat to Brussels after it went without a cardinal during the tenure of Archbishop Andre Joseph Leonard, a staunch traditionalist. Francis accepted Leonard’s retirement in 2015 and appointed a more progressive replacement in Archbishop Jozef De Kesel, who on Sunday was named a cardinal — one of only five Europeans named.

The geographic distribution of electors still heavily favors Europe, with 54 voting-age cardinals. The Americas come next with 34 cardinals in North, South, Central America and the Caribbean. Africa has 15, Asia 14 and Oceania four. On Nov. 28, Cardinal Theodore-Adrien Sarr of Senegal will turn 80, bringing the voting number down to 120.

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AP Religion Writer Rachel Zoll in New York contributed to this report.

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A previous version of this story corrected the spelling of Blase Cupich, not Blaise.

## Haitians worship among devastation caused by hurricane

By DAVID McFADDEN and BEN FOX, Associated Press

JEREMIE, Haiti (AP) — Survivors of Hurricane Matthew put on their Sunday finest and picked their way through downed power lines to sing praise and pray in ruined churches, while desperation grew in other parts of devastated Haiti and international rescue efforts began ramping up.

Haitian authorities were still unsure of the extent of the disaster, with some communities still cut off. But tens of thousands of homes were obliterated and the dead number in the hundreds.

Guillaume Silvera, a senior official with the Civil Protection Agency in the storm-blasted Grand-Anse Department, which includes Jeremie, said at least 522 deaths were confirmed there alone — not including people in several remote communities still cut off by collapsed roads and bridges.

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**Residents pray at a church that was destroyed by hurricane Matthew in Jeremie, Haiti. Sunday Oct. 9, 2016. Jeremie appears to be the epicenter of the country's growing humanitarian crisis in the wake of the storm. (AP Photo/Dieu Nalio Chery)**

metal roof collapsed during the height of Matthew's fury.

The sound of hammering could be heard on nearly every street in Jeremie, a city near the tip of Haiti's southwest peninsula, as people patched their roofs as best as they could.

On one corner, Jameson Pierre was mixing cement and making them into blocks. The 22-year-old storm refugee whose family was stuck in an emergency shelter, saw at least one bright side.

"There will be lots and lots of jobs since so many homes were knocked down. I've been working for the last three days straight," he said in the fierce morning sun. He said he was getting about a dollar a day.

The first two cargo planes of humanitarian aid from the United States arrived on Saturday at the Toussaint Louverture airport in the capital Port of Prince. US Ambassador, Peter Mulrean, said that three other planes are expected to arrive in the next few days with a total amount of 480 metric tons of humanitarian supplies.

But there were chokepoints in getting aid to the needy, including the fact that the airstrip in Jeremie is unable to accommodate large cargo planes, and only operates in the daytime.

Many of the villages in the southwestern peninsula are difficult to reach. And people are growing increasingly desperate after losing everything when the storm ripped through the area on Tuesday.

Dony St Germain, an official with El Shaddai Ministries International, said young men in villages off the road between the southern city of Les Cayes and Jeremie were starting to put up blockades of rocks and broken branches to halt the convoys.

"They are seeing these convoys coming through with supplies and they aren't stopping. They are hungry and thirsty and some are getting angry," said St. Germain.

Government officials estimate that at least 350,000 people need assistance, and concern was growing over an increase in cholera cases following widespread flooding unleashed by Matthew. An ongoing cholera outbreak has already killed roughly 10,000 people and sickened more than 800,000 since 2010, when the infectious disease was introduced into the country's biggest river from a U.N. base where Nepalese peacekeepers were deployed.

Maria Sofia Sanon, a health worker overseeing the open-air cholera treatment center in a corner of Jer-

National Civil Protection headquarters in Port-au-Prince, meanwhile, said Saturday its official count for the whole country was 336, which included 191 deaths in Grand-Anse.

Despite the loss, families packed what remained the city's churches, many seated in pews under open sky because Matthew ripped away roofs and even walls of the sanctuaries. At least one was so badly damaged that worshippers set up an altar and prayed outside.

Elise Pierre, who said she was about 80, said she believed it was a divine miracle that she and her loved ones survived.

"If God wasn't protecting us we'd all be gone today, blown into the ocean or up into the mountains," said Pierre, whose straw hat almost concealed a gash on her forehead she sustained when her sheet

emie's main hospital, said they were ill-equipped to deal with patients. The area was strewn with broken tree branches, and a group of young mothers sat outside holding up the arms of their glassy-eyed children being rehydrated via IVs.

"They're not supposed to be in the sun, but we have no more beds," Sanon said.

The World Food Program says there has been massive destruction of crops. Hospitals and clinics have been damaged or destroyed as they struggle to deal with an increase in patients with injuries sustained during the storm as well as an apparent increase in cholera. UNICEF said that in Grand-Anse alone there were 66,000 houses destroyed and 20,000 heavily damaged.

"Information gathered from various sources in the field suggests that the human toll (dead and injured) will be heavier than the current official figures," the agency said in a report.

Jocelyne Saint Preux was part of the crowd that lined up in an orderly fashion to get food as aid began to arrive, including shipments of food and other emergency supplies from the U.S. Agency for International Development carried by waves of military transport helicopters.

The mother of three children whose home was destroyed said officials were handing out wheat, beans, oil and salt.

"Yes, they brought food, but it's not sufficient," she said. "There's no water. There's no charcoal."

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Fox reported from Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

## Thousands march in Yemen after over 140 killed in airstrike

By AHMED AL-HAJ, Associated Press

SANAA, Yemen (AP) — Thousands of Yemenis marched in the capital Sanaa on Sunday to protest a Saudi-led coalition airstrike a day earlier that hit a funeral hall packed with hundreds of mourners, killing over 140 people.

The casualty toll, given by a U.N. official, also mentioned over 525 wounded in what was one of the deadliest single attacks of the country's civil war. The rebel-controlled Health Ministry gave a lower figure, saying that 115 bodies had been counted but that the number will likely rise because "charred remains" were still being identified. Of the 600 wounded it tallied, it said many cases were serious and at least 300 would need treatment abroad.

Some of the demonstrators who marched outside the U.N. building in southern Sanaa blamed the organization for not ending the conflict and urged an independent



**Medics search for bodies under the rubble of a funeral hall that was targeted by a Saudi-led coalition airstrike in Sanaa, Yemen, Saturday, Oct. 8, 2016. Yemeni security and medical officials say at least 45 people have been killed in a Saudi-led coalition airstrike that targeted a funeral hall in the capital, Sanaa. The officials say at least another 100 have been wounded in the Saturday strike. (AP Photo/Osamah Abdulrhman)**



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investigation. Some protesters brandished automatic weapons and rebel supporters in the crowd called on people from the region to rise up and attack Saudi Arabia.

The Saudi military announced early Sunday it would launch an investigation into "reports about the regrettable and painful bombing" in Sanaa, without acknowledging that its coalition battling rebels in Yemen is the only force with air power in the conflict.

It is the latest in a string of bombings by the coalition that have struck hospitals, markets and other places where civilians congregate.

"The place has been turned into a lake of blood," said one rescuer, Murad Tawfiq.

Yemeni officials said the dead and wounded included military and security officials from the ranks of the Shiite Houthis rebels and their allies, loyalists of former President Ali Abdullah Saleh.

Houthi leader Abdul-Malek al-Houthi decried the attacks in a televised address, saying that they had been done with U.S. weapons and with a "green light" from Washington. Saleh also took to state TV to call on citizens to head to the Saudi border and attack soldiers there to avenge the deaths. The rebel alliance is battling the internationally-recognized government of President Abed Rabbo Mansour Hadi.

Saturday's funeral was held for Sheikh Ali al-Rawishan, the father of Galal al-Rawishan, the interior minister in the rebel-led government. Among those killed was Maj. Gen. Abdul-Qader Hilal, head of the capital's local council, officials said, while Galal al-Rawishan was seriously wounded.

In the aftermath of the strike, hundreds of body parts were found strewn in and outside the hall. Rescuers collected them in sacks. The strike left the building little more than a shell, with most of its walls and roof gone. Cars parked outside were mangled by the blast.

Mohammed Abdul-Salam, the Houthi spokesman in Sanaa, angrily denounced the airstrike as the latest act of "genocide" by the Saudi-led coalition.

"The silence of the United Nations and the international community is the munition of the murderers," he said. "Those murderers will not escape divine justice."

In a statement early Sunday, Saudi Arabia said an investigation would be launched into the strike. Previous investigations by the Saudis have blamed Houthi or rebel forces for gathering near the sites of their attacks.

"The coalition supporting the legitimate government in Yemen has announced that it is aware of reports about the regrettable and painful bombing of the Great Hall in Sanaa today, which led to the killing and injuring of casualties, as reported," the statement read.

It added: "The coalition confirms that its troops have clear instructions not to target populated area and to avoid civilians."

Jamie McGoldrick, the U.N. humanitarian coordinator in Yemen, said in a statement that the relief community in the country is "shocked and outraged" by the airstrikes. He condemned the "horrific attack" and reminded all parties "that under international humanitarian law, they are obliged to protect civilians and civilian infrastructures." He called for an immediate investigation into the incident.

"The international community must exert pressure and influence on all parties to the conflict to ensure civilians are protected," McGoldrick said. "This violence against civilians in Yemen must stop immediately."

Initial reports from health officials in Sanaa indicate that over 140 people were killed and more than 525 injured, McGoldrick said.

U.N. Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon condemned the bombing in a statement Sunday, saying that "any deliberate attack against civilians is utterly unacceptable ... Those responsible for the attack must be brought to justice."

The strike also prompted outrage in Hadi's government, with Foreign Minister Abdulmalik al-Mekhlafi taking to social media to condemn it as a "crime."

The incident has led the U.S. to initiate an immediate review of its already reduced support for the Saudi-led coalition, White House National Security Council spokesman Ned Price said. He warned that U.S. security cooperation with Saudi Arabia "is not a blank check."

The United States has backed the coalition with multi-billion dollar arms sales and provided logistical and intelligence support, though it reportedly began pulling some soldiers from that task in August over

concerns about civilian casualties in Saudi-led airstrikes.

The Saudi-led coalition backs Hadi's government which, together with its own allies, is fighting the Houthis and Saleh loyalists in a civil war that broke out in 2014. It's a war largely overshadowed by the conflict against the Islamic State group elsewhere in the Middle East, though rights groups have mounted increased criticism of the Saudi-led airstrikes in recent months.

Saturday's attack comes after a Saudi-led coalition March 15 airstrike on a market in Yemen's northwestern city of Mastaba that killed at least 119 people. Saudi forces reportedly used U.S. munitions in that strike, which at the time was described as the second-deadliest of the Saudi campaign, after a July 2015 attack near a power plant in Mokha that killed at least 120 people.

A recent report by the U.N.'s human rights chief, Zeid Ra'ad al-Hussein, estimated that 3,799 civilians have been killed since the Saudi-led air campaign began in March of last year. The U.N. and rights groups estimate the conflict has claimed the lives of at least 9,000 people and displaced nearly 3 million more in the Arab world's poorest country.

According to the report, coalition airstrikes were responsible for 60 percent of civilian deaths over a yearlong span starting in July last year. Just under one-quarter — 475 — civilian deaths were attributed to rebel forces like those loyal to Saleh, and another 113 to affiliates of al-Qaida and the Islamic State group.

Associated Press writer Jon Gambrell in Dubai, United Arab Emirates, contributed to this report.

## Manhunt for German bomb plot suspect; 1 man in custody

By DAVID RISING, Associated Press



**Two policewomen walk under a police cordon, Sunday, Oct. 9, 2016, that secures an apartment building in Chemnitz eastern Germany. German police search nationwide Sunday for a 22-year-old Syrian man believed to have been preparing a bombing attack, and were questioning a second Syrian man on suspicion he was involved in the plot. Hendrik Schmidt/dpa via AP)**

BERLIN (AP) — German police searched nationwide Sunday for a 22-year-old Syrian man believed to have been preparing a bombing attack, who slipped through their fingers as they were closing in on him, and were questioning a second Syrian man on suspicion he was involved in the plot.

The man in custody was one of three apprehended in the eastern city of Chemnitz on Saturday. He was the renter of the apartment that police raided in their search for the main suspect, Jaber Albakr from the Damascus area of Syria, Saxony police spokesman Tom Bernhardt told The Associated Press. The other two men have been released.

He said the man in custody was Albakr's "countryman," but wouldn't give other details.

"We believe he is a possible co-conspirator," Bernhardt said.

Another man who knew Albakr was taken into custody for questioning Sunday afternoon in a raid

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on his Chemnitz apartment.

On Saturday morning, as police prepared to raid the apartment building, Albakr was observed leaving the premises. Police fired a warning shot but were unable to stop him, Bernhardt said, confirming German media reports. They thought he had turned back into the building but wasn't the case, he said.

Bernhardt also confirmed reports that Albakr had come to Germany in the flood of 890,000 migrants who entered the country in 2015 and had been granted asylum.

Nobody was in the apartment when police SWAT teams blew down the door Saturday, but investigators found "several hundred grams" of a volatile explosive hidden in the flat, enough to cause significant damage, Bernhardt said.

"With this highly volatile explosive, even a few hundred grams is no trifle," he said. "For an explosive of this type, it was a considerable amount."

He said experts were still trying to determine whether it was the same explosive used in the deadly Nov. 13 attacks in Paris and the March 22 attacks in Brussels known as TATP, or triacetone triperoxide.

"It's comparable to that," he said.

TATP has been used in many attacks over the years, and is favored by violent extremists because it's fairly easy to make and detonate.

The explosives were destroyed Saturday in a controlled detonation by bomb squad experts in a pit dug outside the five-story apartment building because they were considered too dangerous to transport.

The raid came after Saxony police were given a tip from Germany's domestic intelligence service that Albakr may be planning an attack. He had been on the agency's radar, but Bernhardt said it was not clear how long.

German media have reported that Albakr is believed to be connected to Islamic extremist groups, but Saxony police have not commented on his possible motivation or the bomb plot's target.

Germany has been on edge since two attacks this summer claimed by the Islamic State in which multiple people were injured and both assailants died. Two other attacks unrelated to Islamic extremism, including a deadly mall shooting in Munich, have also contributed to fears.

Federal police have increased security around the country, particularly around "critical infrastructure" like train stations and airports, as authorities search for Albakr.

## Neil Young rocks for 2 hours to open day 2 of Desert Trip

By SANDY COHEN, AP Entertainment Writer

INDIO, Calif. (AP) — Neil Young performed for nearly two hours to open the second night of the Desert Trip music festival, matching the energy of band members half his age.

Wearing his trademark black hat, Young started his set alone behind the piano, opening with "After the Gold Rush," accompanying himself on harmonica.

He then strapped on an acoustic guitar to play "Heart of Gold" and "Comes a Time" before his band, Promise of the Real, joined Young onstage.

There were subtle and overt political overtones to the performance. Women dressed as farmers, in plaid shirts and overalls, pretended to throw seeds and tend small plants onstage before Young came out. Later, men in hazmat suits acted as though they were spraying the grounds. Young wore a T-shirt that read "Water is life."

The band's nonstop set included "Harvest Moon," "Powderfinger," and "Welfare Mothers," which Young joked was "Donald Trump's new campaign song."

A highlight was "Down By the River," which became an extended 10-minute jam, with Young shredding his well-worn Les Paul.

"Tomorrow night come back," Young told the crowd. "Roger (Waters) is going to build a wall and we'll make Mexico great again!"

Waters and the Who are set to perform Sunday night. Paul McCartney topped Saturday's bill.

Despite a bill of septuagenarians (Bob Dylan and the Rolling Stones played Friday), Desert Trip is not



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**Festival goers watch Neil Young's performance on day 2 of the 2016 Desert Trip music festival at Empire Polo Field on Saturday, Oct. 8, 2016, in Indio, Calif. (Photo by Chris Pizzello/Invision/AP)**

weekend," he said. "All their parents are out of town here."

The Desert Trip festival is being held at Empire Polo Club in Indio, California, home to the Coachella Valley Music and Arts Festival each spring. But where Coachella is aimed at millennials, Desert Trip targets more affluent baby boomers who grew up with the festival's featured rockers.

"You guys are going to have a rocking, wild weekend in Palm Springs," Mick Jagger said, adding coyly, "We're looking forward to seeing the dinosaur park."

(There actually is a dinosaur exhibit in nearby Cabazon, California.)

The Stones brought literal and figurative fireworks to the stage for their two-hour set. Jagger was his inimitably energetic self, skipping and shuffling across the stage and chatting warmly with the crowd.

The hit-packed performance included "Wild Horses," "Miss You," "Gimme Shelter," "Midnight Rambler" and "Sympathy for the Devil." They even covered the Beatles' "Come Together." When the band closed with "Satisfaction," pyrotechnics lit up the desert sky.

Bob Dylan kicked off the festival just after sundown with an 80-minute performance. Wearing a black suit with a white hat, the 75-year-old rocker took the stage without fanfare and sat behind the piano. He did not address the audience or say anything between songs.

Backed by a five-piece band, he performed selections from throughout his catalog, including "Tangled Up in Blue," "Ballad of a Thin Man" and "Make You Feel My Love." Dylan occasionally crept out from behind the piano to sing at a microphone center stage, pulling a harmonica from his pocket to play. He closed with "Masters of War" and silently left the stage.

The festival repeats next weekend.

just for baby boomers.

The performers' average age is 72, and there may be a lot of gray hair in the audience, but millennials are in the mix as well.

Nineteen-year-old McKenna Haner said she was "raised on the Beatles" so she came to the festival to see McCartney.

"I'm a Beatles fanatic," she said.

Haner and her friend Seven Pappanastos, 17, said they were acutely aware they were among the youngest in the crowd. They didn't mind, but said the older concertgoers are "very aggressive."

"They act like, 'We're older. We deserve this,'" she said.

Pappanastos said attending the show came with a cost — beyond the \$199 single-day ticket price.

"I got invited to three parties this

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## **Afghan army helicopter crashes in north Afghanistan; 8 dead**

**By RAHIM FAIEZ, Associated Press**

KABUL, Afghanistan (AP) — Eight Afghan soldiers were killed early Sunday morning when a military helicopter crashed in northern Baghlan province, officials said.

Afghan Defense Ministry spokesman Dawlat Waziri said that five crew members and three army soldiers were killed in the crash.

The crash took place in Dand Ghorī district while the helicopter was supplying a military base, he said. Waziri blamed a technical problem with the aircraft and said he rejected any claims by insurgents to have downed the helicopter.

One helicopter was on the ground while a second was patrolling in the air above, when “suddenly a technical problem caused the helicopter to catch fire and hit the ground,” Waziri said.

However, Taliban spokesman Zabihullah Mujahid issued a statement claiming responsibility for downing the helicopter, saying the aircraft was shot down by fighters.

Two provincial officials in Baghlan also said the helicopter had been shot down by insurgents while it was supplying the military base with food, water and ammunition.

Qarghan Tapa base has been surrounded by insurgents for a week, leaving more than a hundred soldiers trapped inside, according to the officials. They said all roads to the base have been shut off by the insurgents and the only way to supply them is by air.

The officials spoke on condition of anonymity because they were not authorized to brief the press.

Mahmood Haqmal, spokesman for Baghlan’s governor, said that Taliban gunmen have stepped up their attacks in Dand Ghorī and Baghlan-e Murkazi districts. Some civilians have been displaced by the fighting, he said.

Taliban insurgents have increased their attacks on Afghan security forces in northern Baghlan and neighboring Kunduz province in recent weeks. The Taliban are still managing to hold out in the northern city of Kunduz as fighting there continues for the seventh day since the insurgents launched an all-out assault.

## **Ukrainian war prisoners languish in limbo on both sides**

**By YURAS KARMANAU, Associated Press**

KIEV, Ukraine (AP) — Just three days after Ukrainian soldier Oleksandr Lazarenko was taken prisoner in the war in Ukraine’s east, a peace agreement was signed under which the sides agreed to an “all-for-all” prisoner exchange. A year and a half later, his wife still waits desperately for his return.

The so-called Minsk Agreement on ending the war between Russia-backed separatists and Ukrainian forces is floundering on many issues, but prisoner releases appear to be one of the most intractable.

Amnesty International and Human Rights watch allege that both sides have arbitrarily detained civilians, sometimes holding them incommunicado for months in prisons that authorities don’t acknowledge exist.

The sides cite widely varying figures for how many prisoners they’re holding. Both appear to be holding the issue over the other’s head to force concessions on other topics, which include holding elections in Ukraine’s separatist region and restoring Ukraine’s full control over its border with Russia.

“Our expectations have been thwarted by politicians’ plans,” Lazarenko’s wife, Natalya, told The Associated Press. “After Minsk, the prisoners became an instrument of political trading, they’re seen as political commodities.”

Even that frustration and anxiety is something of an improvement. For three months after her husband was seized, she had no information on whether he was dead or alive.

Lazarenko was captured by a Cossack formation that was not under the rebels’ control. Eventually, he and 12 others were found by the rebel government’s Committee on POWs and transferred to a detention facility in the eastern Ukrainian city of Donetsk, the rebels’ main stronghold.

Finally allowed to call his wife, Lazarenko said the Cossacks had held him in a windowless basement where he could only lie down on sacks of potatoes. He told her that he and the other prisoners were beaten and fed scraps.

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**FILE - In this photo taken Wednesday, Sept. 14, 2016, relatives of Ukrainian prisoners of war hold their portraits at a rally outside the German embassy in Kiev, Ukraine. Under the last Feb. Russia-Ukraine-France-Germany agreement on ending the war between Russia-backed separatists and Ukrainian forces, the sides agreed on an "all-for-all" prisoner exchange. Although the numbers held by each side are in dispute, it's clear that the pace of release has slowed markedly for Ukrainians held by the rebels. Since the peace agreement was signed, 83 Ukrainian prisoners have been released, but only 12 of them were freed this year. (AP Photo/Efrem Lukatsky)**

know where the other hostages are held."

Rebel officials said last month they had reached a tentative agreement with Ukraine to release 47 prisoners, in exchange for Ukraine freeing 618.

Who those 618 might be is uncertain. Rebel military spokesman Eduard Basurin told the AP that Ukraine is holding 962 easterners, of whom 316 are fighters and the rest are either political prisoners or civilians with no connection to the conflict. Ukraine in turn says it is holding about 500 people in connection with the war.

Vadim Karasev, a Ukrainian political analyst, suggests that many of those held by the Ukrainian side are not combatants.

"Kiev is seeking to increase its weight in the negotiations by the count of separatists detained," he said. "Simply disgruntled citizens often end up (in that category), and then are proposed for exchange."

"In many cases, the only reason for the detention of prisoners may be to use them as bargaining chips," said Oksana Pokalchuk, Amnesty International's executive director for Ukraine.

The Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe, the mediator in the peace process, "does not have the instruments to force the exchange of prisoners. Kiev and the separatists cannot even agree on the prisoner lists. The OSCE cannot do this work for them," Karasev said.

Nikolai Vakaruk, a 34-year-old coal miner, says he was a blameless civilian improperly held in detention by Ukraine for a year and half.

"Sasha simply ceased to exist," his wife said.

Although the numbers held by each side are in dispute, it's clear that the pace of releases has slowed markedly for Ukrainians held by the rebels. Since the Minsk agreement was signed in February 2015, 83 Ukrainian prisoners have been released, but only 12 of them were freed this year.

Before the agreement, prisoners were handed over more freely. Yuri Tandyt, an adviser to Ukraine's national security service, told Ukrainian media in August that a total of 3,080 Ukrainian prisoners had been released by rebels or had been located since the beginning of fighting in April 2014. Ukraine now lists 112 names as soldiers held by the rebels, suggesting that thousands had been released prior to the Minsk agreement.

The separatists acknowledge only holding less than half that many. Irina Gerashchenko, Ukraine's deputy parliament speaker and a key figure in negotiations to implement the Minsk agreement, says the rebels admit to holding 47 and "we don't



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He told the AP he was seized during a search of his home in the front-line town of Ukrainsk and held in the security-service detention facility in Kharkiv, where he was repeatedly beaten in an attempt to get him to confess to being a separatist.

"I was beaten and tortured but they could not turn me into a separatist," said Vakaruk, who believes he was detained for being a critic of the Ukrainian authorities. Amnesty International says Vakaruk was one of 13 prisoners released from the Kharkiv facility in July following the group's report on war prisoners.

Vakaruk also said when international groups came to Ukraine's security services building, he and other prisoners held in connection with the war were spirited away to other locations.

"I realized that in the new Ukraine, I can disappear just because I think differently," he said.

Jim Heintz in Moscow contributed to this story.

## AP Top 25 Takeaways: Vols run out of magic, Houston upset

By RALPH D. RUSSO, AP College Football Writer



**Texas A&M defensive back Armani Watts (23) celebrates with Alex Sezer Jr. after intercepting a pass during overtime to beat Tennessee in an NCAA college football game Saturday, Oct. 8, 2016, in College Station, Texas. Texas A&M won 45-38 in overtime. (AP Photo/David J. Phillip)**

If the first six weeks of the college football season have taught fans anything, it's this: Never turn off a Tennessee game.

The Volunteers remained America's most interesting college football team, though not undefeated. Navy upset the playoff race and Charlie Strong had another bad, bad day.

Thoughts, take-downs and take-aways from Week 6:

1. If you were looking forward to a couple of months of talking about whether No. 6 Houston could or should be selected for the College Football Playoff, Navy just ruined it for you. The dream is not quite dead for the Cougars, but it is on life support.

2. Best-case sce-

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nario for Houston: 12-1 with an American Athletic Conference championship game victory against a USF team with only one loss coming in. Oklahoma wins the Big 12. Louisville, which plays at Houston in November, doesn't lose another game. Could that resume be good enough to get Houston into the playoff if a bunch of Power Five conference teams finish the regular season with multiple losses?

3. The other big winner with Houston losing: No. 19 Boise State and Western Michigan. Both those unbeaten Broncos will be competing with the Cougars for the Group of Five's automatic bid to a New Year's Six Bowl.

4. Because this is college football, somewhere there is at least one Houston fan complaining that Tom Herman is all hype and just might not be the guy to get the Cougars over the top.

5. Speaking of Herman, let's talk Texas.

6. Charlie Strong, a former defensive coordinator, took over those duties at Texas this week. The Longhorns allowed 672 yards in a loss to Oklahoma, the third consecutive game of more than 500 and five yards shy of the most the Sooners have ever gained against Texas. So who gets replaced now?

7. At some point the negativity around a program can become so overwhelming, success seems impossible. Texas seems very close to reaching that point.

8. How will No. 9 Tennessee have anything left for No. 1 Alabama next week after emotional rallies against Florida, Georgia and now Texas A&M? The Vols couldn't complete the deal against the Aggies.

9. Hard to see the Vols beating the Crimson Tide in Knoxville, but chances are decent it is entertaining.

10. Alabama is so good it is driving fans of other teams a little crazy.

11. Texas A&M had been 5-0 each of the last three seasons, but couldn't get to 6-0. The Aggies now have a week off before playing at Alabama with house money. Trevor Knight, who accounted for five touchdowns against the Vols, does have a history of success against the Crimson Tide. Small sample size, but still.

12. Michigan coach Jim Harbaugh said he wasn't trying to give Jabrill Peppers a chance to shine in his home state of New Jersey, but there was no doubt the prime-time blowout of Rutgers was the do-it-all star's opportunity to get some Heisman Trophy traction.

13. Harbaugh called Peppers the finest player in the country, said the junior "in my humble opinion" looked like a Heisman winner, and when asked if he could ever remember a more versatile player than Peppers the coach came up empty at first. Then it dawned on him. "Maybe Jim Thorpe. That's a good comparison."

14. It was easy to see what was coming between No. 5 Washington and Oregon, but still it was worse than expected. The Ducks can only hope this was the bottom.

15. At the midway point of the season, the College Football Playoff favorites are clear: Alabama, Clemson, Washington and the winner of the Ohio State-Michigan game.

16. No. 10 Miami lost a heartbreaker to No. 23 Florida State. It came down to a blown kick. After all those wide rights and lefts, Bobby Bowden had to be smiling.

17. Is Gus Malzahn off the hot seat at Auburn after the Tigers crushed Mississippi State? Things look good at 4-2 heading into an off week, but ahead is No. 16 Arkansas, road games at No. 14 Mississippi and Georgia, and of course, the Iron Bowl. That 4-2 could still turn into 6-6.

18. Maybe the most surprising result of the weekend happened in Chapel Hill, North Carolina: Virginia Tech 34, North Carolina 3. The Tar Heels came in averaging 7.47 yards per play, fifth best in the nation. Bud Foster's defense held UNC to 2.11 yards per play and eight first downs.

19. Ohio State held Indiana to 4.13 yards per play and had a key fourth-and-1 stop near the goal line in the fourth quarter in the latest smothering defensive performance by the rebuilt Buckeyes' defense. Nice resume builder for new defensive coordinator Greg Schiano, who is hoping to land another head coaching job.

20. Thanks to Sam Darnold, the thought of USC winning the Pac-12 South doesn't sound so crazy.

21. SEC Commissioner Greg Sankey said that the LSU-Florida game "needs to be played." At some point Sankey is going to have to tell the schools that and make this decision instead of waiting for them

to compromise.

22. Kind of a weird way to get a signature victory , but North Carolina State coach Dave Doeren will take it.

23. BYU running back Jamaal Williams needs more attention. He had 163 yards and two touchdowns against Michigan State and is averaging 144.5 per game with 10 touchdowns. The Spartans have lost three straight for the first time since 2009.

No. 24. Kansas still has not won a Big 12 game under second year coach David Beatty, but the Jayhawks are showing enough signs of improvement to hand the title of worst Power Five team to Rutgers. Or maybe it's Illinois? We'll find out next week when the Illini visit the Scarlet Knights.

25. Are we sure Tennessee hasn't figured out a way to pull out that Texas A&M game?

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## Police chief: 2 officers killed, 1 hurt; shooter at large

By ROBERT JABLON and JOHN ROGERS, Associated Press



**In this undated photo released by the Palm Springs Police Department shows slain officer Lesley Zerebny, 27, who was killed in the line of duty Saturday, Oct. 8, 2016. She was married with a four-month-old daughter. (Palm Springs Police Department via AP)**

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP) — Two Palm Springs police officers trying to resolve a family dispute were killed Saturday when a man they had been speaking with suddenly pulled out a gun and opened fire on them, the city's police chief said.

A third officer was wounded and remained hospitalized. The shooter was not immediately identified.

SWAT officers quickly surrounded the house where the shooting took place, and authorities said late Saturday night that the gunman might still be holed up inside.

"It was a simple family disturbance and he elected to open fire on a few of the guardians of the city," said Chief Bryan Reyes at a news conference.

The chief, near tears, identified the slain officers as Jose "Gil" Gilbert Vega and Lesley Zerebny.

Zerebny, 27, had been with the department for about 18 months and only recently returned from maternity leave after giving birth to a now-4-month-old daughter. Vega, the father of eight, was a 35-year veteran who planned to retire in December. He had been working overtime on his day off Saturday. The wounded officer's name was not released.

Reyes said the three were standing near the front door speaking with the man, "trying to negotiate with the suspect," when he suddenly shot them.

Riverside County SWAT officers quickly sealed off the normally quiet residential neighborhood in this desert resort town as police evacuated some residents. They told others to stay inside their homes, keep their doors locked and not to open them for anyone until further notice.

Reyes also asked the media and others not to stream live video of officers' movements on social media, adding it could put them in danger.

"Understand that we're actively looking for a cop murderer," he said.

A neighbor, Frances Serrano, told The Associated Press she called authorities after the father of the shooting suspect came to her house across the street and told her his son was "acting crazy."



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"He said his wife left because she was so scared of him," Serrano said, adding the father warned her that his son had threatened to shoot police if they arrived.

She'd gone back inside her home before officers arrived, Serrano said, and a few minutes after they got there she heard gunfire. Moments later officers were knocking on her door, warning her to stay inside.

Serrano said the man police are looking for had been in jail at one time and had to wear a monitor on his ankle when he was first released. But she added that he had always been friendly and polite to her and her family.

"We never had any problems with him," she said.

Although Reyes didn't identify the shooting suspect, he indicated police had had previous dealings with him. He declined to elaborate, adding that Riverside County sheriff's deputies were now in charge of the investigation.

As the shooting scene remained locked down late into the evening, scores of police officers, several fighting back tears, gathered at Palm Springs Desert Regional Medical Center to offer a somber salute as the bodies of Zerebny and Vega were loaded into white hearses for transport to a coroner's office.

Meanwhile, in front of police headquarters, scores of local residents gathered to leave flowers, balloons and cards Saturday night.

"I don't even remember anything so vicious and cruel," said Palm Springs resident Heidi Thompson. "These officers are responding to a domestic call for somebody in need that they don't even know. They put their life on the line for us, the community. And they get gunned down? I don't understand it."

The shooting occurred just three days after a popular Los Angeles County sheriff's sergeant was shot and killed in the high desert town of Lancaster.

Sgt. Steve Owen was answering a burglary call when sheriff's officials say he was shot by a man who then stood over him and shot him four more times.

A paroled robber has been charged with murder.

Hundreds of residents held a candlelight vigil Saturday night in his honor.

John Rogers reported from Los Angeles. Associated Press Writer Olga R. Rodriguez in San Francisco also contributed to this story.

## Despite anti-India protests, Kashmiris seek police jobs

By AIJAZ HUSSAIN, Associated Press

SRINAGAR, India (AP) — When massive anti-India protests erupted in Indian-control Kashmir three months ago after the killing of a charismatic militant leader, Aqib Mir was among tens of thousands of Kashmiris who defied curfew and clashed with government forces.

He chanted for freedom from Indian rule. He hurled abuses and sometimes rocks at police and paramilitary soldiers. Three months later, he joined thousands of other young Kashmiris to try and get a job with the local police.

"Unemployment, what else," the 24-years-old Mir said when asked why he had lined up inside a soccer stadium in Kashmir's main city of Srinagar to appear for a physical fitness test to become a cop.

"We want freedom from India, that's our fundamental right. But we also have to earn livelihood."

He's among some 20,000 young people, the majority of them men, who are trying out for 8,000 jobs advertised by the state police in the troubled Himalayan region that is wracked by rampant unemployment.

With limited job opportunities and an economy crippled by decades of conflict, the state police force is one of the largest employers in Kashmir. According to government data, unemployment in the state stands at over 5 percent for a population of 12 million.

But being a police officer in Indian-controlled Kashmir is both shameful and dangerous, a place where anti-India sentiments are high.

Most candidates hid their faces from the photographers covering the recruitment event, highlighting the discomfort Kashmiri police face in their work.

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**In this Thursday, Sept. 29, 2016 photo, young Kashmiris cover their faces during a police recruitment drive in Srinagar, Indian controlled Kashmir. Some 20,000 young people who are trying out for 8,000 jobs advertised by the state police, in the troubled Himalayan region that is wracked by rampant unemployment. But being a policeman in Indian-controlled Kashmir is both shameful and dangerous, a place where anti-India sentiments are high. Most candidates hid their faces from the photographers covering the recruitment event, highlighting the discomfort Kashmiri police face in their work. (AP Photo/Mukhtar Khan)**

said that despite public suspicion, the candidates are lured by hopes of getting a government job as it offers a steady paycheck.

"This is nothing but compulsion. We're forced to think through our belly," Mir said. "There are two wars we have to fight: one is for freedom and the other is for employment."

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## Republicans tell Trump to quit, billionaire vows to press on

By STEVE PEOPLES and JILL COLVIN, Associated Press

NEW YORK (AP) — A defiant Donald Trump insisted Saturday he would "never" abandon his White House bid, rejecting a growing backlash from Republican leaders nationwide who disavowed the GOP's presidential nominee after he was caught on tape bragging about predatory advances on women.

Trump's own running mate, Indiana Gov. Mike Pence, declared he could neither condone nor defend Trump's remarks in a 2005 videotape that sparked panic inside Trump Tower and throughout the Republican Party with early voting already underway exactly one month before Election Day.

"We pray for his family," Pence said in a statement after canceling a Wisconsin appearance scheduled with House Speaker Paul Ryan and the Republican National Committee chairman, Reince Priebus, both of whom had condemned Trump's remarks the day before but stopped short of withdrawing support altogether.

Many residents view the local police as traitors and tools of the Indian government bent on suppressing widespread demands for the Muslim-majority region's independence or merger with neighboring Pakistan.

One candidate insisted that he had only come to watch the recruitment "drama," even though his name was on the list of candidates.

"I was getting bored at home," he said.

Since July 8, when the most recent rounds of independence protests erupted, many police officials have faced increasing hostility from locals as dozens of civilians have been killed and thousands injured when police and paramilitary troops fired live ammunition and shot gun pellets.

The size of Kashmir's police department has swelled from just 18,000 officials in early 1990s, when armed rebellion against Indian rule peaked, to more than 100,000 today.

A top police officer speaking on a customary condition of anonymity

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**This screen grab from a video post on Donald Trump's official Facebook account, shows the republican presidential nominee apologizing regarding comments he made in 2005. Trump insisted Saturday, Oct. 8, 2016, he would "never" abandon his White House bid, facing an intensifying backlash from Republican leaders across the nation who called on him to quit the race following the release of his vulgar and sexually charged comments caught on tape. (Donald J. Trump Facebook account via AP)**

shire who decided the former reality television star's bombshell was too much to take. More than a dozen Republicans — senators, congressmen and sitting governors — announced Saturday they would not vote for Trump.

Among them was the party's 2008 nominee, Arizona Sen. John McCain, who had stood by Trump even after the billionaire questioned whether the former POW should be considered a war hero because he got "captured."

"He was not my choice, but as a past nominee, I thought it important I respect the fact that Donald Trump won a majority of the delegates by the rules our party set," McCain said in a statement. But given Trump's "behavior this week," McCain said, it is "impossible to continue to offer even conditional support for his candidacy."

Many went farther and called on Trump to quit the race altogether.

"I thought supporting the nominee was the best thing for our country and our party," Alabama Rep. Martha Roby said in a statement. "Now, it is abundantly clear that the best thing for our country and our party is for Trump to step aside and allow a responsible, respectable Republican to lead the ticket."

Republican leaders have scheduled a Monday morning conference call for House GOP lawmakers, who are out of town for Congress' election recess. The email obtained by The Associated Press doesn't specify the topic for the 11 a.m. EDT call, but rank-and-file lawmakers believe it's about Trump. Such calls are rare and usually held to discuss important matters.

His party in chaos, Trump spent Saturday with a close circle of advisers in his campaign's midtown Manhattan headquarters. Among them: former New York Mayor Rudy Giuliani, who said calls for Trump to bow out are simply the "wishful thinking of the Clinton campaign and those people who have opposed him for a long time."

Most of Trump's staff and network of supporters were left in the dark about the fast-moving developments. Conference calls were canceled and prominent supporters were given no guidance about how to respond to the explosive development, according to a person close to the Trump operation. The person insisted on anonymity, lacking the authority to discuss internal campaign matters publicly.

Trump addressed the dire situation on Saturday with a light-hearted tweet: "Certainly has been an interesting 24 hours!"

The furor places enormous pressure on Trump to try to tamp down a crisis sure to spill into Sunday night's presidential debate.

But even as the fallout deepened fractures in a party already torn about Trump, many remained loyal to the political outsider. Wisconsin voter Jean Stanley donned a shirt proclaiming "Wisconsin Women Love Trump" and called Ryan a "traitor" for denouncing the presidential contender's comments.

"He's a real human," Stanley said of the New York businessman, surrounded by Trump supporters at the Wisconsin rally where he was set to appear before the videotape emerged.

Ryan and Priebus did not join a chorus of GOP officeholders from Utah to Alabama to New Hamp-



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He later tweeted he would not yield the GOP nomination under any circumstances: "The media and establishment want me out of the race so badly - I WILL NEVER DROP OUT OF THE RACE, WILL NEVER LET MY SUPPORTERS DOWN!"

The political firestorm was sparked by a 2005 video obtained and released Friday by The Washington Post and NBC News. In the video, Trump, who was married to his current wife at the time, is heard describing attempts to have sex with a married woman. He also brags about women letting him kiss them and grab their genitals because he is famous.

"When you're a star they let you do it. You can do anything," Trump says in the video. He adds seconds later: "Grab them by the p----. You can do anything." He said of his impulse to kiss beautiful women: "I don't even wait."

In a video statement released by his campaign after midnight early Saturday morning, Trump said, "I was wrong and I apologize." But also dismissed the revelations as "nothing more than a distraction" from a decade ago. Foreshadowing a likely attack in Sunday's debate, he also suggested that rival Hillary Clinton has committed greater sins against women.

"I've said some foolish things," Trump said. "But there's a big difference between the words and actions of other people. Bill Clinton has actually abused women and Hillary has bullied, attacked, shamed and intimidated his victims."

While still publicly backing Trump, the Republican National Committee is considering how to move forward. One possibility: re-directing its expansive political operation away from Trump and toward helping vulnerable Senate and House candidates. Such a move would leave Trump with virtually no political infrastructure in swing states to identify his supporters and ensure they vote.

"We are working to evaluate the appropriate messaging going forward," said RNC chief strategist Sean Spicer.

Election law experts suggest it would be logistically impossible to replace Trump on the ballot altogether, with early voting underway in some states and overseas ballots already distributed to military servicemen and others.

Ryan fundraising chief Spencer Zwick, however, said he's been fielding calls from donors who "want help putting money together to fund a new person to be the GOP nominee."

Zwick told The Associated Press that a write-in or "sticker campaign" relying on social media could "actually work." While there has never been a winning write-in campaign in a U.S. presidential contest, such an effort could make it harder for Trump to win.

The release of the recording and ensuing backlash almost completely overshadowed the release of hacked emails from inside the Hillary Clinton campaign that revealed the contents of some of her previously secret paid speeches to Wall Street.

The Democratic nominee told bankers behind closed doors that she favored "open trade and open borders" and said Wall Street executives were best-positioned to help overhaul the U.S. financial sector. Such comments were distinctively at odds with her tough talk about trade and Wall Street during the primary campaign.

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## Hurricane's blow was less than feared; 'We are blessed'

By BRUCE SMITH and RUSS BYNUM, Associated Press

CHARLESTON, S.C. (AP) — A weakening Hurricane Matthew lashed Georgia and the Carolinas on Saturday in what appeared to be the last leg of its march up the East Coast, leaving in its wake millions of Americans relieved that one of the most fearsome storms on record in the U.S. wasn't that bad after all.

The hurricane was blamed for at least 10 deaths in the U.S., including that of a 68-year-old Georgia man who died when two trees fell on his home. And hundreds were left dead in Matthew's wake in Haiti.

By Saturday night, North Carolina felt the brunt of Matthew, with more than a foot of rain falling in the southeastern part of the state, causing life-threatening flash flooding, forecasters said. Homes, businesses and roads as far west as Raleigh were also damaged by the deluge.

But in many places along the Southeast coast, the damage consisted mostly of flooded streets, blown-down signs and awnings, flattened trees and power outages.

As the storm passed and the skies cleared, many people were already cleaning up, reopening their businesses or hitting the beach. The power started coming back on. And all three major theme parks in Orlando, Florida, including Walt Disney World, were up and running.

"We are all blessed that Matthew stayed off our coast," Florida Gov. Rick Scott said. "We are blessed that we didn't have a direct hit."

On Saturday, Matthew sideswiped two of the South's oldest and most historic cities — Savannah, Georgia, and Charleston, South Carolina — and also brought torrential rain and stiff wind to places like Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, and Wilmington, North Carolina.

From there, it was expected to veer out to sea, lose steam and loop back around toward the Bahamas and Florida, too feeble to cause any trouble.

For nearly its entire run up the coast from Florida, Matthew hung just far enough offshore that communities did not feel the full force of its winds.

Its storm center, or eye, finally blew ashore just north of Charleston on Saturday, but only briefly. And by that time, Matthew was just barely a hurricane, with winds of just 75 mph.

Within an hour of residents being allowed to return Saturday to Jacksonville Beach, Florida, David Villmow had fired up the two pizza ovens at his beachfront restaurant, The Art of Pizza. He was hoping to start serving customers in a few hours.

"We got really lucky," he said. "We could be looking at a whole lot worse. All you see are downed signs, downed fences, a few gas station sign letters missing."

Matthew's deadly potential was made all too clear in Haiti, where the hurricane roared ashore on Tuesday



**In this aerial photo, portions of SR A1A are washed out from Hurricane Matthew, Saturday, Oct. 8, 2016, in Flagler Beach, Fla. The damage from Matthew caused beach erosion, washed out some roads and knocked out power for more than 1 million customers in several coastal counties. (AP Photo/Chris O'Meara)**

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with terrifying 145 mph winds. At least 470 people were reported dead in one hard-hit district alone, with other devastated areas still unreachable four days later.

An estimated 2 million people in the Southeast were ordered to evacuate their homes as Matthew closed in. By hugging the coast, the storm pretty much behaved as forecasters predicted. A shift of just 20 or 30 miles could have meant widespread devastation.

"People got incredibly lucky," Colorado State University meteorology professor Phil Klotzbach. "It was a super close call."

While Matthew's wind speed had dropped considerably by the time it hit the Southeast coast, the storm will still go down as one of the most potent hurricanes on record, based on such factors as wind energy and longevity, and one of the most long-lived major hurricanes, too.

It was a major hurricane — that is, with winds of at least 110 mph — for 7.25 days.

The storm swamped the streets of Savannah, a historic town of moss-draped squares and antebellum mansions. A homeless woman was seen staggering through waters up to her neck. She made it across safely.

A Coast Guard helicopter crew also rescued a man stranded on a sailboat in a river near Georgia's Tybee Island. And North Carolina officials said they had to rescue numerous people from cars and homes.

The streets of Charleston — a city of handsome pre-Civil War homes, church steeples and romantic carriage rides — were also flooded.

"It's not as bad as maybe I was expecting," said Leigh Webber, who watched from her porch in the city's historic district.

"I feel badly for a lot of the businesses downtown that have been closed since Wednesday," she added. "I noticed a lot of hotels were completely closed. I know some weddings were canceled and it was a huge financial loss for a lot of people."

South Carolina's golf-and-tennis resort Hilton Head Island also took a blow as the eye of the storm passed 20 miles to the east. At least one gust of 87 mph was recorded at Hilton Head.

The two roads onto the island of 40,000 people were blocked by fallen pine trees, and many roads were under water.

All access points to Georgia's St. Simons Island from the mainland were blocked. Tybee Island also took a beating, with gusts clocked at 93 mph.

Three-quarters of a million people in South Carolina were left without electricity, and 250,000 were in the dark in coastal Georgia. About 1 million people in Florida lost power.

Four deaths were blamed on the storm in Florida, three in Georgia and three in North Carolina. The deaths included an elderly Florida couple who died from carbon monoxide fumes while running a generator in their garage and two women who were killed when trees fell on a home and a camper.

The storm raked yet another historic Southern city on its way up the coast: St. Augustine, Florida, which was founded by the Spanish in the 1500s and includes many historic homes. The city was left awash in rain and gray seawater Friday.

Property manager Nick Trunck went to check on check on several stores and apartments. He said the damage consisted of little more than several lost shingles, a lost awning and water seeping into one area.

Trunck had arranged for 10 men to come from Connecticut to help with the cleanup, but after getting a look at the damage, he said he could probably get by with "a couple of guys and a mop."

Property data firm CoreLogic projected the storm would cause \$4 billion to \$6 billion in insured losses on home and commercial properties. That compares with Hurricane Katrina's \$40 billion and Superstorm Sandy's \$20 billion.

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## UN: Yemeni officials indicate over 140 killed in airstrike

By AHMED AL-HAJ, Associated Press



**Medics search for bodies under the rubble of a funeral hall that was targeted by a Saudi-led coalition airstrike in Sanaa, Yemen, Saturday, Oct. 8, 2016. Yemeni security and medical officials say at least 45 people have been killed in a Saudi-led coalition airstrike that targeted a funeral hall in the capital, Sanaa. The officials say at least another 100 have been wounded in the Saturday strike. (AP Photo/Osamah Abdulrhman)**

SANAA, Yemen (AP) — An airstrike on Saturday hit a funeral hall packed with thousands of mourners in Yemen's capital, Sanaa, and local health officials indicate that over 140 people were killed and more than 525 wounded, the U.N. humanitarian coordinator for Yemen said.

Nasser al-Argaly, the Health Ministry's undersecretary, told a news conference earlier that the Saudi-led coalition was responsible for the airstrike, which one rescuer said turned the site into a "lake of blood." At the time, al-Argaly said at least 82 people were killed and 534 wounded, but cautioned that the casualty figures were not final.

Jamie McGoldrick, the U.N. humanitarian coordinator in Yemen, said in a statement that the humanitarian community in the country is "shocked and outraged" by the airstrikes. He condemned the "horrific attack" and reminded all parties to the

conflict "that under international humanitarian law, they are obliged to protect civilians and civilian infrastructures." He called for an immediate investigation into the incident.

"The international community must exert pressure and influence on all parties to the conflict to ensure civilians are protected," McGoldrick said. "This violence against civilians in Yemen must stop immediately."

He said initial reports from health officials in Sanaa indicate that over 140 people were killed and more than 525 injured, McGoldrick said.

The incident has prompted the U.S. to initiate an immediate review of its already reduced support for the Saudi-led coalition, White House national security council spokesperson Ned Price said.

Yemeni security and medical officials said the dead and wounded include military and security officials from the ranks of the Shiite Houthi rebels fighting the internationally-recognized government of President Abed Rabbo Mansour Hadi as well as the Houthi's allies, loyalists of President Ali Abdullah Saleh.

Among those killed was Maj-Gen. Abdul-Qader Hilal, head of the capital's local council, according to the officials. Saturday's funeral was held for Sheikh Ali al-Rawishan, father of Galal al-Rawishan, the interior minister in the rebel-led government. Galal Al-Rishwan was seriously wounded in the attack.

In the aftermath of the strike, hundreds of body parts were found strewn in and outside the hall. Rescuers collected them in sacks. The strike left the building little more than a shell, with most of its walls and roof gone. Cars parked outside were mangled by the blast.

"The place has been turned into a lake of blood," said one rescuer, Murad Tawfiq.

Ambulances rushed to the site to ferry the wounded to hospitals. In radio broadcasts, the Health Ministry

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summoned off-duty doctors and called on residents to donate blood. Rescuers, meanwhile, sifted through the rubble in search of more casualties, but a fire that erupted hindered their work.

The international humanitarian community rushed to provide trauma kits, blood bags and medical supplies, and deployed medical staff to local hospitals, McGoldrick said.

Mohammed Abdul-Salam, the Houthis' spokesman in Sanaa, angrily denounced the airstrike as the latest act of "genocide" by the Saudi-led coalition.

"The silence of the United Nations and the international community is the munition of the murderers," he said. "Those murderers will not escape divine justice."

The United States has been backing the Saudi-led coalition, but White House national security council spokesperson Ned Price said the U.S. is "deeply disturbed" by the reports on the funeral hall airstrike which "if confirmed, would continue the troubling series of attacks striking Yemeni civilians." He warned that U.S. security cooperation with Saudi Arabia "is not a blank check."

"In light of this and other recent incidents, we have initiated an immediate review of our already significantly reduced support to the Saudi-led coalition and are prepared to adjust our support so as to better align with U.S. principles, values and interests, including achieving an immediate and durable end to Yemen's tragic conflict," Price said in a statement late Saturday.

The Saudi-led coalition backs Hadi's government which, together with its own allies, is fighting the Houthis and Saleh loyalists in a civil war that broke out in 2014.

Roughly 3,799 civilians have been killed since the Saudi-led air campaign began in March of last year, according to a recent report by the U.N.'s human rights chief, Zeid Ra'ad al-Hussein. The U.N. and rights groups estimate the conflict has claimed the lives of at least 9,000 people and displaced nearly 3 million more in the Arab world's poorest country.

According to the report, coalition airstrikes were responsible for 60 percent of civilian deaths over a year-long span starting in July last year. Just under one-quarter — 475 — civilian deaths were attributed to rebel forces like those loyal to Saleh, and another 113 to affiliates of al-Qaida and the Islamic State group.

## Trump's crude remarks put running mate Pence in awkward spot

By THOMAS BEAUMONT, Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Mike Pence has long described himself as a "Christian, a conservative and a Republican in that order."

Now, the GOP vice presidential nominee and his priorities are facing a critical test as Donald Trump, staggered by his recorded vulgarities about women, careens toward Sunday's presidential debate against Democrat Hillary Clinton.

Trump has vowed to stay in the race.

Pence's advocacy for Trump came to a screeching, perhaps temporary, halt Saturday in the hours after Trump released a video apologizing for 2005 remarks in which he describes his aggressive conduct toward women.

Pence said in a statement about Trump that he won't "condone his remarks and cannot defend them."

"We pray for his family and look forward to the opportunity he has to show what is in his heart when he goes before the nation tomorrow night," the Indiana governor said.

It's more evidence of the trials facing the GOP's No. 2 that could serve Pence well if he runs for the top spot in 2020.

Pence dare not speak about that possibility. To do so would assume Clinton prevails on Nov. 8.

But plenty of people are engaging in presidential talk about Pence, including Republican members of Congress, governors, a former presidential candidate, and more.

Sens. Mike Lee of Utah and Mike Crapo of Idaho are calling on Trump to quit the campaign so Pence can lead the ticket. Sen. Kelly Ayotte of New Hampshire says she'll write in Pence's name on the ballot — not Trump's.

Pence canceled his appearance at a Wisconsin rally Saturday with House Speaker Paul Ryan. Pence would have been expected to advocate for Trump.

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"I'm sure he's horrified," said Mike Murphy, an Indiana public relations strategist who's known Pence for more than two decades. "We impeached Bill Clinton and we cannot impeach Trump off the ballot. But I wish there was a mechanism to do so."

Pence raised his political stock Monday night during the only debate against Democrat Tim Kaine. During the 90-minute event, Pence managed to not defend Trump's indefensible behavior, yet still sound supportive and show off his own expertise on foreign policy.

The performance highlighted the gulf in political sophistication between Trump and his running mate.

Pence addressed the awkwardness with a savvy statement acknowledging his own performance and preserving his alliance with Trump.

"People are saying that I won the debate," he said Wednesday in Harrisonburg, Virginia. "From where I sat, Donald Trump's vision to make America great won the debate."

But on Friday, Trump's behavior put Pence to an even tougher test.

The Washington Post and NBC broke the story of Trump's words about women as Pence advocated for Trump in Ohio.

"With Donald Trump as president, we'll have a president of the United States who respects all the American people," Pence said as news of Trump's comments was breaking.

Pence went on to defend, as he has previously, Trump's outspoken nature as a refusal to "tiptoe around those thousands of rules of political correctness."

Pence ignored shouted questions about Trump, and he was quickly whisked out of reach of the news media.

What followed: Pence's silence, the scrapping his Wisconsin appearance and finally, his statement.

An influential Indiana conservative, Jim Bopp, who helped draft this year's Republican Party platform, said Pence "should stay the course."

Trump's words are "ill-considered and crude," Bopp said, and also "statements Mike Pence would never make."

The election is bigger than that, said Bopp, a lawyer from Terre Haute, Indiana.

"In the grand scheme of things, this is trivia vs. real life-and-death problems that we face in our foreign policy and the serious challenges that everyday Americans face because of the Obama-Clinton economy."



**Republican vice presidential candidate, Indiana Gov. Mike Pence speaks during a campaign stop at the the Rossford Recreation Center in Rossford, Ohio, Friday, Oct. 7, 2016. (Nick Thomas/The Blade via AP)**

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## World finance officials pledge more resources to aid growth

By MARTIN CRUTSINGER and MARIA DANILOVA, Associated Press



**International Monetary Fund (IMF) Managing Director Christine Lagarde speaks during a news conference after the International Monetary and Financial Committee (IMFC) meeting at World Bank/IMF Annual Meetings at IMF headquarters in Washington, Saturday, Oct. 8, 2016. ( AP Photo/ Jose Luis Magana)**

WASHINGTON (AP) — World finance leaders pledged Saturday to use more resources to try to bolster economic gains as they confront stubbornly slow growth and a rising backlash against globalization.

The policy committee for the 189-nation International Monetary Fund said the world has “benefited tremendously from globalization” but that protectionism is a threat.

Increasing anger over globalization dominated the annual meetings of the IMF and its sister lending agency, the World Bank.

The unhappiness is evident in Britain’s vote in June to leave the European Union and in the U.S. presidential campaign of Republican Donald Trump. Trump has said millions of Americans have lost jobs or seen wages stagnate because of unfair trade practices of countries such as China and Mexico. He is vowing to impose penalty tariffs if

those practices are not halted.

The British vote sent shockwaves through financial markets this summer, and there were further troubles Friday when the British pound plunged by 6 percent against the dollar before recovering. Investors worry whether there will be more turbulence if the British exit proves to be messy and prolonged.

IMF Managing Director Christine Lagarde said “growth has been too low for too long, benefiting too few,” and that’s what officials need to address.

French Finance Minister Michel Sapin said global leaders must address concerns of inequality and injustice caused by globalization, such as tax evasion by big corporations and job losses by workers.

“We must fight against this immorality of globalization, this inequality, to again give our people the taste for openness and multilateralism,” Sapin told reporters. “There can be an unhappy globalization and we must fight against it.”

In their statement, IMF officials committed to designing and putting in place policies “to address the concerns of those who have been left behind and to ensure that everyone has the opportunity to benefit from globalization and technological change.”

The IMF, however, did not spell out what actions countries would be willing to take. In an era of budgetary constraints, it is unclear how governments will find the resources to expand education and job training programs and strengthen social safety nets.

Mario Draghi, the head of the European Central Bank, told reporters that even with the turbulence linked to Britain’s exit vote, he felt the short-term consequences had not been as dramatic as some had predicted but “to think that there won’t be any consequences would be probably too hopeful.”

Draghi said a lot will depend on how prolonged the post-Brexit uncertainty lasts as Britain and the EU

negotiate next year over the terms of separation. "It's a matter of this political uncertainty that clouds the outlook for growth," Draghi said.

U.S. Treasury Secretary Jacob Lew urged the IMF to "more boldly and forcefully" push member countries to pursue all economic policy options to spur growth.

The Obama administration has appealed to countries such as Germany, which are running budget or trade surpluses, to increase spending and stimulate global demand.

"We must not close ourselves off to the world, but rather redouble our commitment to ensuring shared growth," Lew said.

Various finance officials said the decades-long effort to tear down trade barriers had lifted millions of people in poor nations out of poverty. But they said not enough has been done to protect workers who have lost jobs due to increased global competition.

Japanese Finance Minister Taro Aso told reporters that free trade is crucial to driving global growth.

"If we really want jobs and higher income, if we care about poverty reduction and economic fairness ... if we care about growth, then we need to be serious about fostering global trade and about making sure that global trade works for all," Lagarde said.

World Bank President Jim Yong Kim noted the "tremendous anger against trade." But, he said, "We are here because we believe in our mission of ending extreme poverty," Kim said. "We are not going to do it without more robust trade."

Kim said support also needs to be increased for countries that are welcoming refugees fleeing conflict zones. He cited Lebanon and Jordan, which are taking in refugees from Syria.

Associated Press writer Matthew Pennington contributed to this report.

## German police blow up explosives stashed in raided apartment

By DAVID RISING, Associated Press



**A remotely controlled bomb disposal robot approaches a red suitcase on a platform at the Chemnitz Central Station in eastern Germany, Saturday, Oct. 8, 2016. German investigators found several hundred grams of explosives in an apartment they raided Saturday in the eastern city of Chemnitz as they sought a Syrian man suspected of planning a bombing attack. (Arno Burgi/dpa via AP)**

BERLIN (AP) — German investigators found several hundred grams of "highly volatile" explosives in an apartment they raided Saturday in the eastern city of Chemnitz as they sought a Syrian man suspected of planning a bombing attack. The suspect remained on the run but three contacts were detained and being questioned, police said.

Saxony police spokesman Tom Bernhardt told reporters the explosives were found by investigators who combed carefully through the apartment, which was raided midday.

"They were not just lying out on the kitchen table, they were relatively well hidden," he said.

About 100 people were evacuated from the five-story apartment building in Chemnitz as the bomb squad removed the explosives, which were not considered stable enough to move far. They were then destroyed in a controlled detonation, police said.

"It's a highly volatile mixture," Bernhardt said, adding that experts said it was con-

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sidered it more dangerous than TNT. He did not identify the type of explosive.

The apartment was raided after local authorities received a tip from Germany's domestic intelligence agency that the suspect might be there and that he was thought to be planning a bombing attack. When police knocked down the door, however, no one was inside.

Saxony police put out an alert, identifying the suspect as 22-year-old Jaber Albakr from the Damascus area, and urged anyone with information of his whereabouts to contact authorities. They released a photo of a dark-haired man wearing a hooded sweatshirt and said he was last seen wearing similar clothes.

"We have to assume that he is dangerous," Bernhardt said.

Two people who had "contacts" with Albakr were taken into custody near the Chemnitz train station and a third was found downtown, Bernhardt said, adding they were being questioned with the hope that they might help authorities find Albakr.

Authorities have not said where or when they think the suspected attack was going to take place.

The German news agency dpa, citing unidentified German security sources, said the suspect is believed to be connected to Islamic extremist groups. Bernhardt said, however, that police are still trying to determine what his motivation might be but said the man was "known" to German intelligence.

Authorities released no details about how long the suspect had been in Germany, and Bernhardt said it was unclear whether he had come in the huge wave of asylum-seekers in 2015. Germany took in 890,000 asylum-seekers last year, and Syrians fleeing civil war were the single largest group.

Neighbors reported hearing an explosion during the raid, but that was the police team blowing open the apartment door, police spokeswoman Kathleen Zink told The Associated Press.

Germany has been on edge since two attacks this summer claimed by the Islamic State in which multiple people were injured and both assailants died. Two other attacks unrelated to Islamic extremism, including a deadly mall shooting in Munich, have also contributed to fears.

## Homeless Ga. woman wades in neck-high floodwater to safety

By RUSS BYNAM, Associated Press



SAVANNAH, Ga. (AP) — Floodwaters several feet deep submerged a long stretch of President Street, which links downtown Savannah to the highway to Tybee Island.

Cassandra Coleman and her boyfriend were stopped in her car at the impasse Saturday morning when they saw a woman wading through floodwaters up to her neck.

"We thought she was going to fall. She kept staggering through," Coleman said.

**A woman who identified herself as Valerie walks along flooded President Street after leaving her homeless camp after Hurricane Matthew caused flooding, Saturday, Oct. 8, 2016, in Savannah, Ga. Matthew plowed north along the Atlantic coast, flooding towns and gouging out roads in its path. (AP Photo/Stephen B. Morton)**

The shivering woman made it to the water's edge. A bystander handed her a sheet, which she



wrapped around her neck.

"I'm homeless," said the woman, who identified herself only as Valerie. "I've got nine kids but I couldn't evacuate with them."

She said she weathered the storm under a tent near an overpass that crosses the low-lying road. But then floodwaters washed it away.

"It wiped out our tent, our tarp and washed away all our blankets and clothes," she said.

She left with a bystander who offered to assist her in finding help.

## Residents of ritzy Hilton Head Island happy to be alive

By JEFFREY COLLINS, Associated Press



**A trailer is destroyed from a fallen tree in the aftermath of Hurricane Matthew at Hilton Head, S.C., on Saturday, Oct. 8, 2016. Matthew plowed north along the Atlantic coast, flooding towns and gouging out roads in its path. (AP Photo/Jeffrey Collins)**

HILTON HEAD ISLAND, S.C. (AP) — Whether it was an exhilarating night of watching nature's wonder or one of the most frightening experiences of their lives, people on Hilton Head Island felt the same way Saturday — happy to be alive — hours after Hurricane Matthew moved past.

Hilton Head Island — the popular resort along coastal South Carolina — belonged to those who stayed Saturday morning. Emergency officials left Friday afternoon and didn't return until a few hours after sunrise Saturday as the winds and rains died down. Most of the 40,000 residents of this island where the median home price is nearly \$450,000 left, and Gov. Nikki Haley said they may not be able to return for at least two days.

Ellis Clemons walked down the middle of Hilton Head Island's main road, dogging tree branches and giant puddles with his arms raised high, singing and yelling.

"The wind was howling, the rain was falling sideways — and then, boom, the power went out," Clemons said. "I never

felt in danger. I just enjoyed it. How many times can you say you made it through a hurricane?"

For Clemons, the number is two. He survived Hurricane Hugo in 1989, which came ashore about 60 miles north near Charleston. Clemons said Matthew was worse.

Russ Johnson survived Matthew on the island, too. He thought it wasn't going to be so bad until about 4:30 a.m. Saturday when some of the storm's strongest winds in the eyewall began slamming the island as the hurricane's eye slipped about 20 miles offshore.

"The power went out. The wind was howling. You couldn't see anything. That was pretty scary," said Johnson, who moved to the island earlier this year.

Johnson lost part of his roof, but saved his boat. There was no way to assess damage Saturday because many of the smaller roads leading to neighborhood still had a few feet of water and fallen trees blocking them. A few nervous residents who evacuated and dodged the downed trees to get back to the island tried several different ways to get to their homes with no luck.

"I think we're going to have a pine tree splitting our house," said Chandler Brunson as she and her fiance turned around to try one more way to get to their home.

## US turns up heat on Russia as ties deteriorate

By MATTHEW LEE, AP Diplomatic Writer



**FILE - In this Feb. 9, 2016, file photo, Director of the National Intelligence James Clapper speaks on Capitol Hill in Washington. The U.S. is accusing Russia of hacking political sites, saying it is trying to interfere with the upcoming presidential election. Intelligence officials say they are confident that the Russian government directed the recent breaches of emails from American people and institutions, including U.S. political organizations. The Office of the Director of National Intelligence and the Department of Homeland Security have released a joint statement saying that based on the "scope and sensitivity" of the hacking efforts, only Russia's "senior-most officials" could have authorized these activities. (AP Photo/Alex Brandon, File)**

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Obama administration is turning up the rhetorical heat on Russia, accusing senior Russian officials of ordering the hacking of American political sites to try to interfere in the upcoming presidential election and suggesting that Russia's military is committing war crimes in Syria.

Friday's barrage of allegations from Washington — coupled with angry denials from Moscow — marked a descent to yet another low point in increasingly poor relations between the former Cold War foes, who are deeply divided over key international issues of war and peace and appear on a path of one-upsmanship perhaps not seen since the collapse of the Soviet Union in 1991.

The hacking allegations, made publicly for the first time since cyberattacks on the Democratic National Committee and the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee earlier this year, came amid pressure on the administration to call Russia out for the hacking, which has produced the release of embarrassing internal emails.

"We believe, based on the scope and sensitivity of these efforts, that only Russia's senior-most officials could have authorized these activities," the Office of the Director of National Intelligence said in a joint statement with the Department of Homeland Security. It said recent dis-

losures of alleged hacked emails on websites like DCLeaks.com and WikiLeaks, and by the Guccifer 2.0 online persona, are consistent with the methods and motivations of efforts directed by Russia, which has denied involvement.

"These thefts and disclosures are intended to interfere with the U.S. election process," the statement said. "Such activity is not new to Moscow. The Russians have used similar tactics and techniques across Europe and Eurasia, for example, to influence public opinion there."

The White House declined to say whether the formal attribution would trigger sanctions against Russia and senior officials said the U.S. would respond at a time and place of its choosing, but stressed that any retaliation may not take place in the open.

Part of the difficulty with responding to cyberattacks is the lack of an official rulebook for doing so. Friday's announcement blaming Russia publicly appears to be continuing precedent, and the acknowledgment of at least one rule or line in the sand, under the Obama administration.

"These are core values," said Michael Morell, the former deputy director of the Central Intelligence Agency. "It doesn't get any more core than this, and when you get countries starting to mess around, you need

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to send a very powerful signal that we are not going to allow this to happen.”

The U.S. has worked with countries around the world over the last five years to cultivate a set of voluntary norms, or guidelines, for cyberspace. Kremlin spokesman Dmitry Peskov dismissed the allegations as “nonsense,” but didn’t deny Russian involvement.

“Every day there are tens of thousands of attacks on (Russian President Vladimir) Putin’s website. Many of the attacks can be traced to the U.S.,” Peskov was quoted as telling Russia’s Interfax news agency. “We’re not blaming the White House or Langley every time,” he added, referring to Langley, Virginia, home of CIA headquarters.

The U.S. statement stopped short of linking attempted hacks or probing of U.S. state electoral systems directly to Russia although intelligence officials say many of these originated from servers operated by a Russian company.

The accusation came just hours after Secretary of State John Kerry called for a war crimes investigation into Russian and Syrian military strikes in Syria, particularly in Aleppo where they are alleged to have hit civilian targets, including hospitals and medical workers. The Russian Foreign Ministry said Kerry was trying to divert attention from U.S. failure to uphold a cease-fire it he negotiated with Russian Foreign Minister Sergey Lavrov last month in Geneva.

“Russia and the regime owe the world more than an explanation about why they keep hitting hospitals and medical facilities, and children and women,” Kerry told reporters at the State Department alongside French Foreign Minister Jean-Marc Ayrault, who was in Washington after meeting Lavrov in Moscow on Thursday.

“These are acts that beg for an appropriate investigation of war crimes,” Kerry said. “They’re beyond the accidental now, way beyond, years beyond the accidental. This is a targeted strategy to terrorize civilians and to kill anybody and everybody who is in the way of their military objectives.”

The U.S. has little chance of being able to initiate a war crimes probe of either Russia or Syria. Russia has veto power at the U.N. Security Council and has blocked repeated attempts over the last 5½ years to put pressure on Syrian President Bashar Assad’s government or hold it accountable for the widespread allegations of indiscriminate killing, torture and chemical weapons attacks.

Nonetheless, Kerry’s comments hit a nerve in Moscow. “Kerry used these words from the point of view of fanning tensions,” foreign ministry spokeswoman Maria Zakharova said. “As long as war crimes are at question, the Americans should start with Iraq. And then look at Libya and Yemen to see what is going on there.”

Kerry’s Sept. 9 agreement with Russian Foreign Minister Sergey Lavrov would have created a new counterterrorism alliance in Syria, had fighting stopped for a week and aid deliveries been permitted to reach desperate civilians in rebel-held parts of Aleppo and other besieged areas. Neither condition was ever met.

The truce then shattered completely when Syria and Russia renewed their military offensive in Aleppo. Kerry ended bilateral discussions with Russia on the military partnership earlier this week.

Meanwhile Friday, Russian lawmakers ratified an agreement allowing Russia’s military to indefinitely maintain an air base in Syria and Russia’s ambassador to the United Nations said Moscow would veto a French-drafted U.N. Security Council resolution calling for a cease-fire in Aleppo and the grounding of all aircraft over the besieged Syrian city.

“I cannot possibly see how we can let this resolution pass,” Russian U.N. Ambassador Vitaly Churkin said, setting up a showdown for Saturday when the Security Council is expected to vote.

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## Private Clinton speeches leaked in hacking blamed on Russia

By MICHAEL BIESECKER, CHAD DAY and JEFF HORWITZ, Associated Press



**In this Oct. 5, 2016, photo, Hillary Clinton campaign chairman John Podesta speaks to members of the media outside Clinton's home in Washington. The WikiLeaks organization on Oct. 7, posted what it said were thousands of emails from Podesta, including some with excerpts from speeches she gave to Wall Street executives and others — speeches she has declined to release despite demands from Trump. (AP Photo/Andrew Harnik)**

WASHINGTON (AP) — Hillary Clinton told bankers behind closed doors that she favored “open trade and open borders” and said Wall Street executives were best-positioned to help reform the U.S. financial sector, according to transcripts of her private, paid speeches leaked Friday.

The leaks were the result of another email hacking intended to influence the presidential election.

Excerpts of the speeches given in the years before her 2016 presidential campaign included some blunt and unguarded remarks to her private audiences, which collectively had paid her at least \$26.1 million in speaking fees. Clinton had refused to release transcripts of the speeches, despite repeated calls to do so by her primary opponent, Sen. Bernie Sanders.

The excerpts were included in emails exchanged among her political staff, including Campaign Chairman John Podesta, whose email account was hacked. The

WikiLeaks organization posted what it said were thousands of Podesta's emails. It wasn't immediately clear who had hacked Podesta's emails, though the breach appeared to cover years of messages, some sent as recently as last month.

Among the emails was a compilation of excerpts from Clinton's paid speeches in 2013 and 2014. It appeared campaign staff had read all Clinton's speeches and identified passages that could be potentially problematic for the candidate if they were to become public.

One excerpt put Clinton squarely in the free-trade camp, a position she has retreated on significantly during the 2016 election. In a talk to a Brazilian bank in 2013, she said her “dream” is “a hemispheric common market, with open trade and open borders” and asked her audience to think of what doubling American trade with Latin America “would mean for everybody in this room.”

Donald Trump, the Republican nominee, has made opposition to trade deals a cornerstone of his campaign. Podesta posted a series of tweets Friday night, calling the disclosures a Russian hack and raising questions about whether some of the documents could have been altered.

“I'm not happy about being hacked by the Russians in their quest to throw the election to Donald Trump,” Podesta wrote. “Don't have time to figure out which docs are real and which are faked.”

Podesta's comments came just hours after U.S. officials publicly accused the Russian government of directing cyberattacks on political organizations and American citizens in an attempt to interfere with U.S. elections.

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The joint statement from the office of the Director of National Intelligence and the Homeland Security Department cited disclosures of "alleged hacked emails" on sites like DCLeaks.com and WikiLeaks as being "consistent with the methods and motivations of Russian-directed efforts."

The statement didn't refer by name to the affected political institutions, but federal authorities are investigating cyberattacks on the computer systems of the Democratic National Committee and the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee.

Republican National Committee chairman Reince Priebus said in a statement, "It's not hard to see why she fought so hard to keep her transcripts of speeches to Wall Street banks paying her millions of dollars secret."

The emails released Friday included exchanges between Podesta and other Clinton insiders, including campaign manager Robby Mook. Most were routine, including drafts of Clinton speeches, suggested talking points for campaign surrogates and suggested tweets to be sent out from Clinton's account.

The excerpts include quotes from an October 2013 speech at an event sponsored by Goldman Sachs, in which Clinton conceded that presidential candidates need the financial backing of Wall Street to mount a competitive national campaign.

"Running for office in our country takes a lot of money, and candidates have to go out and raise it," Clinton said. "New York is probably the leading site for contributions for fundraising for candidates on both sides of the aisle, and it's also our economic center. And there are a lot of people here who should ask some tough questions before handing over campaign contributions to people who were really playing chicken with our whole economy."

In the same speech, Clinton was also deferential to the New York finance industry, exhorting wealthy donors to use their political clout for patriotic rather than personal benefit. She also spoke of the need to include Wall Street perspectives in financial reform.

"The people that know the industry better than anybody are the people who work in the industry," Clinton said.

In an April 2013 speech to the National Multifamily Housing Council, Clinton said politicians must balance "both a public and a private position" while making deals. Clinton gave an example from the movie "Lincoln," and the deal-making that went into passage of the 13th Amendment, a process she compared to sausage-making.

"It is unsavory, and it always has been that way, but we usually end up where we need to be," Clinton said. "But if everybody's watching, you know, all of the back room discussions and the deals, you know, then people get a little nervous to say the least. So, you need both a public and a private position."

Clinton's speeches often touched on technology and privacy. In an April 2014 speech to JPMorgan, she denounced National Security Agency leaker Edward Snowden for going abroad, saying, "if he really cared about raising some of these issues and stayed right here in the United States, there's a lot of whistleblower protections."

But she told her audience that her time in the public eye left her sympathetic to privacy concerns.

"As somebody who has had my privacy scrutinized and violated for decades, I'm all for privacy, believe me," she said.

Speaking on international affairs, Clinton's comments were largely in line with her positions as secretary of state, if sometimes more blunt.

"The Saudis have exported more extreme ideology than any other place on Earth over the course of the last 30 years," she told the Jewish United Fund at a 2013 dinner.

The speech transcripts were produced under an agreement Clinton routinely imposed on any organization that hired her to speak. The contracts, such as ones crafted by the Harry Walker Agency, required the organizations to hire, at their own expense, a stenographer who would provide the transcripts to Clinton and not keep copies for themselves.

In some cases, the contracts themselves were obtained by news organizations under public records laws because Clinton was being paid to speak by public universities or colleges.

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## The Latest: Bishop learns from webcast of promotion



**FILE - In this Thursday, April 23, 2015 file photo, Chicago Archbishop Blase Cupich processes from Holy Name Cathedral following the funeral Mass of Cardinal Francis George in Chicago. Monsignor Cupich was among the 17 new cardinals named by Pope Francis, Sunday, Oct. 9, 2016. (Chris Walker/Chicago Tribune via AP, Pool, File)**

this sacred duty to our Church.”

3 p.m.

Chicago’s Roman Catholic archbishop says he learned in a 5 a.m. call from Rome that Pope Francis was elevating him from archbishop to cardinal.

Blase Cupich joked with reporters after Mass Sunday at Chicago’s Holy Name Cathedral that he didn’t mind being awakened given the pleasant news. But he says he usually sleeps until 7 a.m. on Sundays and that he’d miss the two extra hours of sleep he normally gets.

Cupich was one of 17 new cardinals named Sunday by Pope Francis. Cupich said he was humbled by the honor.

Another reporter asked Cupich how his relatives would react to word he’s becoming a cardinal. He laughed and said he expected them to treat him “with the same lack of deference that they have in the past.”

10:45 a.m.

Chicago Mayor Rahm Emanuel is congratulating Roman Catholic Archbishop Blase Cupich on his elevation to cardinal.

CHICAGO (AP) — The Latest on the appointments by Pope Francis of his first U.S. cardinals. (all times local):

4:20 p.m.

Bishop Kevin Farrell, former head of the Dallas Catholic diocese, had left the city on Thursday to take up residence and a prominent Vatican post in Rome.

Dallas diocese spokeswoman Annette Gonzales Taylor said Farrell had no inkling that he’d be promoted to cardinal. He was shocked when he learned of his selection with the rest of the world while watching Pope Francis’ Angelus webcast early Sunday.

In a statement issued by the Dallas diocese, Farrell said, “I am humbled by the news this morning that our Holy Father Pope Francis has named me to the College of Cardinals. I ask all in the Diocese of Dallas to please pray for me that I may to the best of my ability fulfill



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Cupich was one of 17 new cardinals named Sunday by Pope Francis, among them Indianapolis Archbishop Joseph Tobin and Kevin Farrell, the outgoing bishop of Dallas.

The three men are moderates who follow Francis' emphasis on mercy over rules.

Speaking at the end of a special Mass on the steps of St. Peter's Basilica, Francis said the 17 would be elevated at a consistory on Nov. 19, on the eve of the close to his Holy Year of Mercy.

In a statement, Emanuel said in his short time in Chicago, Cupich has made a tremendous impact as a voice for the voiceless in the name of inclusion.

Emanuel went on to thank Pope Francis for recognizing Cupich's leadership in both the church and society.

10:05 a.m.

Indianapolis Mayor Joe Hogsett says he is pleased the city's Roman Catholic archbishop has been elevated to cardinal.

Pope Francis on Sunday named 17 new cardinals, including Archbishop Joseph Tobin.

In his statement, Hogsett said Indianapolis has been blessed by Tobin's spiritual and civic leadership. He added he looks forward to working with Tobin and the Catholic Church to end poverty and inequality in the city.

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The elevation of Tobin is significant both for the U.S. church and the U.S. election and reflects Francis' concern for refugees. Tobin openly opposed the position of Indiana Gov. Michael Pence, now the Republican running mate of presidential candidate Donald Trump, against the settling of Syrian refugees in the state.

9:13 a.m.

Roman Catholic Archbishop Blase Cupich says his elevation to cardinal of Chicago's archdiocese is both humbling and encouraging.

Pope Francis named 17 new cardinals Sunday, including Cupich and Indianapolis Archbishop Joseph Tobin.

In a statement, Cupich said when he was appointed archbishop two years ago, he committed wholeheartedly to serve the people of Chicago.

Cupich says the role of cardinal brings new responsibilities, but he will continue to work on renewing the church and "preparing it to thrive in the decades ahead."

Cupich is considered a pastor in Francis' likeness, emphasizing the merciful and welcoming side of the church. His nomination as Chicago archbishop was Francis' first major U.S. appointment and he was a papal appointee at the pope's family synod last year.

8:11 a.m.

Pope Francis looked to the American Midwest when picking his first U.S. cardinals.

The Vatican announced Sunday that Chicago Archbishop Blase Cupich and Archbishop Joseph Tobin of Indianapolis, Indiana, will become cardinals in a Rome ceremony Nov. 19.

Francis also picked Bishop Kevin Farrell for the honor. Farrell has led the Diocese of Dallas, but is leaving for a prominent Vatican post.

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Tobin drew national attention this year for rejecting a request from Indiana Gov. Mike Pence for the church to stop settling Syrian refugees in the state. Pence is the Republican nominee for vice president and running mate of Donald Trump, who has proposed deporting illegal immigrants and banning entry of Muslims from other countries.

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## Today in History By The Associated Press

Today in History

Today is Sunday, Oct. 9, the 283rd day of 2016. There are 83 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Oct. 9, 1936, the first generator at Boulder (later Hoover) Dam began transmitting electricity to Los Angeles.

On this date:

In 1446, the Korean alphabet, created under the aegis of King Sejong, was first published.

In 1514, Mary Tudor, the 18-year-old sister of Henry VIII, became Queen consort of France upon her marriage to 52-year-old King Louis XII, who died less than three months later.

In 1776, a group of Spanish missionaries settled in present-day San Francisco.

In 1888, the public was first admitted to the Washington Monument.

In 1914, the Belgian city of Antwerp fell to German forces during World War I.

In 1946, the Eugene O'Neill drama "The Iceman Cometh" opened at the Martin Beck Theater in New York.

In 1958, Pope Pius XII died at age 82, ending a 19-year papacy. (He was succeeded by Pope John XXIII.)

In 1966, the Baltimore Orioles won their first World Series as they swept the Los Angeles Dodgers in four games with a 1-0 victory at Memorial Stadium.

In 1975, Soviet scientist Andrei Sakharov (AHN'-dray SAHK'-ah-rawf) was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize.

In 1985, the hijackers of the Achille Lauro (ah-KEE'-leh LOW'-roh) cruise liner surrendered two days after seizing the vessel in the Mediterranean. (Passenger Leon Klinghoffer was killed by the hijackers during the standoff.)

In 1995, a sabotaged section of track caused an Amtrak train, the Sunset Limited, to derail in Arizona; one person was killed and about 80 were injured (the case remains unsolved).

In 2009, President Barack Obama was named the recipient of the 2009 Nobel Peace Prize for what the Norwegian Nobel Committee called "his extraordinary efforts to strengthen international diplomacy and cooperation between peoples."

Ten years ago: North Korea faced a barrage of condemnation and calls for retaliation after it announced that it had set off a small atomic weapon underground; President George W. Bush said, "The international community will respond." Google Inc. announced it was snapping up YouTube Inc. for \$1.65 billion in a stock deal. American Edmund S. Phelps won the Nobel prize for economics.

Five years ago: At least 27 people were killed and more than 200 injured during massive clashes in downtown Cairo in the worst sectarian outburst since the February revolution. The NHL returned to Winnipeg after 15 years; Carey Price stopped 30 shots as the Montreal Canadiens put a damper on a massive civic celebration with a 5-1 victory over the Jets. The Milwaukee Brewers beat the St. Louis Cardinals 9-6 in Game 1 of the National League Championship Series. Sir Paul McCartney married Nancy Shevell at Old Marylebone Town Hall in London.

One year ago: President Barack Obama visited Roseburg, Oregon, the scene of a community college shooting which had claimed the lives of nine victims as well as the gunman; the president met with victims' relatives, but also faced protests from legal gun owners. A democracy group, the Tunisian National Dialogue Quartet, won the Nobel Peace Prize for its contributions to the first and most successful Arab Spring movement. Former British Treasury chief and foreign secretary Geoffrey Howe, 88, died in Warwickshire, England.

Today's Birthdays: Retired MLB All-Star Joe Pepitone is 76. Former Sen. Trent Lott, R-Miss., is 75. C-SPAN founder Brian Lamb is 75. Rhythm-and-blues singer Nona Hendryx is 72. Singer Jackson Browne is 68. Nobel Peace laureate Jody Williams is 66. Actor Gary Frank is 66. Actor Richard Chaves is 65. Actor Robert Wuhl is 65. Actress-TV personality Sharon Osbourne is 64. Actor Tony Shalhoub is 63. Actor Scott Bakula is 62. Musician James Fearnley (The Pogues) is 62. Actor John O'Hurley is 62. Writer-producer-director-actor Linwood Boomer is 61. Pro and College Football Hall of Famer Mike Singletary is 58. Actor Michael

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Pare is 58. Jazz musician Kenny Garrett is 56. Rock singer-musician Kurt Neumann (The BoDeans) is 55. Country singer Gary Bennett is 52. Movie director Guillermo del Toro is 52. Former British Prime Minister David Cameron is 50. Singer P.J. Harvey is 47. Movie director Steve McQueen (Film: "12 Years a Slave") is 47. World Golf Hall of Famer Annika Sorenstam is 46. Actress Cocoa Brown is 44. Country singer Tommy Shane Steiner is 43. Actor Steve Burns is 43. Rock singer Sean Lennon is 41. Actor Randy Spelling is 38. Christian hip-hop artist Lecrae is 37. Actor Brandon Routh is 37. Actor Zachery Ty Bryan is 35. Actress Spencer Grammer is 33. Comedian Melissa Villasenor (TV: "Saturday Night Live") is 29. Actor Tyler James Williams is 24. Country singer Scotty McCreery (TV: "American Idol") is 23.

Thought for Today: "There is nothing harder than the softness of indifference." — Clare Boothe Luce, American author, politician and diplomat (1903-1987).