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FEBRUARY 1, 2008

LENGTH-00:30 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER IS ACCUSED OF TERRORIZING HER SCHOOL. POLICE SAY SHE DID IT BECAUSE SHE WAS MAD SHE HAD BEEN ASSIGNED TO TEACH FOURTH GRADE AND NOT FIFTH GRADE. THE 45 YEAR OLD ALLEGEDLY MADE VIOLENT THREATS BACK IN OCTOBER. AND LEFT MORE THAN A DOZEN THREATENING NOTES INSIDE THE SCHOOL WHERE SHE TAUGHT. THOSE NOTES INCLUDED CHILD-LIKE CARTOONS. THE TEACHER'S ALSO ACCUSED OF LEAVING NAILS IN THE SCHOOL PARKING LOT AND PUTTING A PLASTIC BOTTLE MEANT TO LOOK LIKE AN EXPLOSIVE DEVICE INSIDE THE SCHOOL. SHE IS FREE ON BOND FOR NOW.

FEBRUARY 2, 2008

LENGTH-00:38 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-EARLY

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES IS ARRESTED ... ON CHILD PORNOGRAPHY CHARGES. AL ZIMMERMAN IS CHARGED WITH EIGHT COUNTS ...OF USING A CHILD IN A SEXUAL PERFORMANCE. AUTHORITIES SAY ZIMMERMAN SOLICITED AT LEAST TWO CHILDREN ... BETWEEN THE AGES OF 16 AND 17 ....FOR CHILD PORNOGRAPHY. D-C-F SECRETARY BOB BUTTERWORTH ... IS NOW ASKING THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT ...TO INVESTIGATE WHETHER ANY CHILD IN THE STATE'S CARE ..HAS BEEN VICTIMIZED. ZIMMERMAN HAS BEEN FIRED. HE WAS WITH THE THE AGENCY FOR NEARLY TWO YEARS. HE NOW FACES UP TO 120 YEARS IN PRISON ... IF HE'S CONVICTED OF ALL CHARGES.

LENGTH-00:48 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-EARLY

POLICE RESPONDING TO A 9-1-1 CALL ARRIVED AT THE SCENE AROUND 10-45 THIS MORNING. RESPONDING UNITS ENTERED THE STORE AND DISCOVERED MULTIPLE VICTIMS WHO HAD BEEN SHOT AND KILLED." FIVE PEOPLE WERE SHOT AND KILLED. THE VICTIMS RANGE IN AGE FROM AGE 22, TO 37. ALL ARE RESIDENTS OF THE SUBURBAN CHICAGO AREA. POLICE CLOSED DOWN THE AREA THINKING THE KILLER MIGHT BE AT LARGE - EVERY STORE IN THE AREA WAS IMMEDIATELY CANVASSED... IT APPEARS THAT THE OFFENDER HAS LEFT THE AREA. POLICE HAVE A DESCRIPTION OF THE SHOOTER, BUT SAY THEY HAVE NO MOTIVE FOR THE SHOOTINGS. THEY BELIEVE THE SHOOTER FLED THE AREA, AND THROUGH THE AFTERNOON THEY CONTINUED SEARCHING IN SURROUNDING NEIGHBORHOODS. I KNOW THAT THEY WERE STOPPING BUSES. THEY WERE STOPPING ANY MODE OF TRANSPORTATION. THEY SEARCHED THE STORE UP AND DOWN, AND THEY LEFT. AND A LITTLE BIT

LATER, THEY WERE WALKING UP AND DOWN THE STRIP MALL WITH THE CANINES, SEARCHING THE CARS."

FEBRUARY 3, 2008

LENGTH-00:47 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-EARLY

A SARASOTA POLICE OFFICER IS ON LEAVE TONIGHT ... AFTER AN ATTEMPTED SUICIDE LEADS TO A SHOOTING. AROUND 11 LAST NIGHT OFFICERS RESPONDED TO A HOME ON THE 22 HUNDRED BLOCK OF IXORA AVENUE. SARASOTA POLICE TELL US THEY WERE CALLED ... WHEN RESIDENTS FOUND A FRIEND PARKED IN HIS DRIVEWAY...WITH A HOSE RUNNING FROM THE EXHAUST PIPE ...INTO THE CAR'S WINDOW. WHEN POLICE TRIED TO STOP THE MAN... HE BACKED HIS CAR UP... MOST RUNNING OVER A POLICEMAN. THAT'S WHEN ONE OF THE OFFICERS FIRED AT THE MAN. HE WAS AIRLIFTED TO BAYFRONT MEDICAL CENTER ... UNDER A BAKER ACT. THIS AFTERNOON HE WAS RELEASED... AND TAKEN TO SARASOTA COUNTY JAIL. HE FACES 3 COUNTS OF AGGRAVATED ASSAULT ...AND ONE FOR AGGRAVATED BATTERY. NEITHER HIS NAME ...OR THE OFFICER ON LEAVE ... ARE BEING RELEASED AT THIS TIME.

LENGTH-00:31 ISSUE-CRIME 11 SHOW TIME-EARLY

SARASOTA COUNTY SHERIFFS DEPUTIES ARE LOOKING FOR A MAN WHO ROBBED A GAS STATION EMPLOYEE AT KNIFE POINT. IT HAPPENED LATE LAST NIGHT ...AT THE SUNOCO STATION ON THE 41 HUNDRED BLOCK OF BEE RIDGE ROAD..DEPUTIES SAY A MIDDLE AGED MAN ... ARMED WITH A KNIFE ...WALKED UP TO THE CLERK AND DEMANDED MONEY. AFTER THE CLERK HANDED IT OVER...THE ROBBER TOOK OFF. DEPUTIES USED A HELICOPTER AND K-9'S TO TRACK THE MAN DOWN... BUT HE GOT AWAY.

FEBRUARY 4, 2008

LENGTH-01:17 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

ALL OF A SUDDEN - LIKE A MOVIE, ALL THE THINGS SHE DID. SHAKING? YEAH, SO I WAS LIKE, F**K, WHAT'S ALL THIS? IN THE DOCUMENTARY JORAN VAN DER SLOOT EASILY OFFERS DETAILS ABOUT THE NIGHT NATALIE HOLLOWAY DIED. DID YOU TRY CPR?OF COURSE, I TRIED EVERYTHING, I WAS SHAKING THE B***H. HE SAYS THEY WERE ON THE BEACH AND NATALIE WAS VERY DRUNK. WHEN SHE PASSED OUT HE CALLED *NOT* THE POLICE, BUT A FRIEND WHO CAME WITH A BOAT. BUT WHERE IS SHE?SHE'LL NEVER BE FOUND. MOST CHILLING IS HIS ADMISSION SHE MAY HAVE

BEEN IN A COMA, BUT THEY AGREED TO DUMP HER BODY INTO THE SEA. THE REVELATIONS ARE PART OF AN INVESTIGATION BY DUTCH JOURNALIST PETER DE VRIES. BUT IT WAS PATRICK VAN DER EEM, WHO IS NOT A REPORTER OR POLICEMAN, WHO WENT UNDERCOVER TO BEFRIEND JORAN. "WHY DID I WANT THIS? IT'S OBVIOUS, EVERYONE WANTED THE TRUTH." PERHAPS NO ONE MORE SO THAN NATALIE'S MOTHER. UPSOUND BETH TWITTY AND PATRICK BT: PATRICK YOU UNDID MY NIGHTMARE. I AM HAPPY. YOU, UNDID MY NIGHTMARE. VAN DER SLOOT'S ATTORNEY MAINTAINS HIS CLIENT LIED TO IMPRESS THE MAN HE THOUGHT WAS HIS FRIEND. THERE ARE INHERENT PROBLEMS WITH THIS TAPE. MANY OF THE FACTS ARE EASILY DISPROVABLE." ARUBAN AUTHORITIES SAY THEY NOW WANT TO QUESTION VAN DER SLOTE AGAIN. JORAN VAN DER SLOOT HAS NOT BEEN ARRESTED AND HE WAS NEVER CHARGED WITH A CRIME. HE IS NOW SAYING HE WAS JUST SHOWING OFF, AND TELLING PATRICK WHAT HE THOUGHT HE WANTED TO HEAR.

LENGTH-00:31 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

DETECTIVES SAY A SARASOTA BANKER IS ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH A FRAUD CASE INVOLVING AN ELDERLY VICTIM. DETECTIVES BELIEVE 43-YEAR OLD MILTON LOWRY HAGELBERGER FRAUDULENTLY USED AN ATM CARD TO STEAL MONEY FROM AN 86-YEAR OLD BRADENTON MAN. A REPORT SAYS THE THEFTS HAPPENED FROM MARCH 2007 UNTIL JANUARY 2008.BANK RECORDS SHOW 130 UNAUTHORIZED ATM WITHDRAWALS TOTALING ABOUT $82,000. HAGELBERGER IS BEING CHARGED WITH EXPLOITATION OF THE ELDERLY, SCHEMING TO DEFRAUD AND 27 COUNTS OF FRAUDULENT USE OF A CREDIT CARD. HE'S BEING HELD IN THE SARASOTA COUNTY JAIL ON $1,150,000 BOND.

LENGTH-00:54 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

PHTHALATES ARE CHEMICALS ADDED TO PLASTIC TO MAKE IT FLEXIBLE. THEY'RE ALSO USED AS SOLVENTS IN MANY PERSONAL CARE PRODUCTS, FROM NAIL POLISH TO SHAMPOOS. PHTHALATES HAVE BEEN AROUND FOR DECADES, BUT RECENTLY SOME EXPERTS HAVE STARTED TO QUESTION THE SAFETY OF THESE CHEMICALS. A NEW STUDY ON 163 INFANTS FOUND THAT MOST TESTED POSITIVE FOR PHTHALATE DERIVATIVES. RESEARCHERS SAY BABIES ARE EXPOSED TO THE CHEMICALS THROUGH THE USE OF LOTION, SHAMPOOS, AND POWDERS. WHETHER THE INFANTS ARE HARMED FROM PHTHALATES IS A SOURCE OF CURRENT CONTROVERSY. EVIDENCE FROM ANIMAL STUDIES SUGGESTS THAT PHTHALATES CAN DISRUPT HORMONES AND AFFECT REPRODUCTIVE FUNCTION. THE UNITED STATES FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION PREVIOUSLY REVIEWED THE EVIDENCE ON PHTHALATES AND FOUND INSUFFICIENT PROOF OF HARM TO HUMANS, THOUGH THEY CONTINUE TO MONITOR THE SITUATION.BUT SOME FEEL THAT, WHERE THERE IS DOUBT, INFANTS IN PARTICULAR SHOULD BE PROTECTED. EXPERTS RECOMMEND THAT PARENTS WHO WISH TO LIMIT THEIR CHILDREN'S EXPOSURE TO PHTHALATES SHOULD REDUCE BABIES' USE OF COSMETIC PRODUCTS TO THE MINIMUM NEEDED FOR PROPER HYGIENE.

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

SOME NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS FANS ARE CAUGHT ACTING VERY UN-PATRIOTIC.. IT HAPPENED IN AMHERST AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS.CAMPUS POLICE THERE ARRESTED EIGHT PEOPLE AFTER LAST NIGHT'S GAME. THEY SAY A GROUP OF FANS GOT TOO ROWDY, AND ONE PERSON CHARGED AT POLICE. HE WAS CHARGED WITH ASSAULT AND BATTERY ON A POLICE OFFICER. AND ONE DORM HALL HAD TO BE EVACUATED AFTER SOMEONE PULLED A FIRE ALARM.

FEBRUARY 5, 2008

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

POLICE CONTINUE TO INVESTIGATE LAST NIGHT'S DEADLY SHOOTING AT A CONVENIENCE STORE IN SARASOTA. IT HAPPENED JUST AFTER NINE O' CLOCK AT THE KWIK MART IN THE 34-HUNDRED BLOCK OF U-S 41 NEAR MYRTLE STREET. POLICE SAY TWO MEN GOT INTO AN ARGUMENT INSIDE THE STORE AND EXCHANGED GUNFIRE. ONE MAN WAS PRONOUNCED DEAD AT THE SCENE. THE OTHER TAKEN TO SARASOTA MEMORIAL FOR TREATMENT OF HIS WOUNDS. INVESTIGATORS ARE HOPING STORE SURVEILLANCE VIDEO WILL PROVIDE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION INTO WHAT HAPPENED. SO FAR, NO CHARGES HAVE BEEN FILED.

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

LOCAL POLICE ARE ON THE LOOKOUT THIS MORNING FOR A MALE SUSPECT INVOLVED IN THE FATAL STABBING OF A WOMAN. POLICE AND DEPUTIES WERE CALLED TO THE 16-HUNDRED BLOCK OF 36TH STREET AROUND TEN THIRTY LAST NIGHT. INSIDE THE HOME THEY FOUND THE BODY OF A WOMAN WHO HAD BEEN STABBED TO THE UPPER PART OF HER BODY. AUTHORITIES ARE LOOKING FOR 47-YEAR-OLD MORRIS (MORE-ESE) CRENSHAW WHO WAS SEEN LEAVING THE AREA. POLICE SAY THE MAN SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

LENGTH-00:05 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

HIGHLY COMPETITIVE... ALSO, BENEFICIAL...WE'VE TOLD YOU ABOUT HOW IT'S HELPING SENIOR CITIZENS GET ACTIVE... <OOOOOOHHH!!!... BUT WITH THE GOOD, COMES THE BAD... WE'VE BEEN SEEING MORE AND MORE, A LOT MORE INJURIES BECAUSE OF THIS GAMING SYSTEM IN FACT, THEY'VE SEEN SO MANY INJURIES, THEY HAVE 2 MEDICAL TERMS FOR IT.... .-"WII SYNDROME" OR "WII-ITIS." THEY'RE SWINGING THEIR CONTROLLERS, HITTING CEILING FANS, HITTING OTHER PEOPLE, YOU KNOW CUTTING THEIR HANDS UP, ALL SORTS OF POTENTIALLY DEVASTATING TYPE INJURIES. THERE'S EVEN WEBSITES--WII-INJURIES.COM AND WIIHAVEAPROBLEM.COM THAT CHRONICLE PEOPLE'S WII-MISFORTUNES. I LIKE THE WII CAUSE IT'S EASY AND IT'S JUST FUN. UT-TYLER FRESHMAN ASHLEY PROPES KNOWS ALL ABOUT WII-

INDUCED INJURIES...SHE CONSIDERS HERSELF A HIGHLY COMPETITIVE WII-ER. ALL OF THE MY FRIENDS HAVE IT AT THEIR HOUSE SO JUST GOING OVER TO STUDY ENDS UP TURNING INTO PLAYING WII SO I USUALLY PLAY AT LEAST ONCE A WEEK. AND NOW SOMETIMES, THAT INCLUDES PLAYING WITH THIS BRACE ON. I WAS GETTING REALLY COMPETITIVE AND GETTING REALLY INTO IT AND I HEARD THIS POP IN MY WRIST HER WRIST SWELLED SO BAD, SHE SAYS SHE COULDN'T EVEN TAKE NOTES AT SCHOOL. LET'S GET YOU SET UP WITH THIS.> THEY NEED TO TREAT IT AS IT'S ANY PHYSICAL ACTIVITY, THEY NEED TO STRETCH BEFORE THEY WII, CLEAR THEIR ENVIRONMENT BEFORE, WATCH YOU WHERE YOU WII, CLEAR THE ENVIRONMENT SO YOU AVOID HITTING THEMSELVES, STRIKING THE SOFA, STRIKING OTHER PLAYERS. SOUND ADVICE FROM A DOCTOR WHO'S SEEN IT ALL, ADVICE...HE SAYS ALL YOU WII- ERS OUT THERE SHOULD TAKE THAT WAY..."WII" WON'T SEE ANYMORE WII PROBLEMS.

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

THE FLORIDA HIGHWAY PATROL IS LOOKING FOR AN SUV DRIVER WHO HIT A 61 YEAR-OLD BRADENTON MAN ON HIS BICYCLE.THE CRASH HAPPENED SATURDAY MORNING ALONG US 41 JUST NORTH OF 60TH AVENUE WEST IN MANATEE COUNTY. TROOPERS SAY A BLACK SUV HIT JONATHAN SEMINATORE AS HE CROSSED US 41. THEY SAY THE SUV TOOK OFF.NO WORD ON SEMINATORE'S CONDITION TONIGHT. ANYONE WITH INFORMATION IS ASKED TO CALL THE FLORIDA HIGHWAY PATROL.

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

A KEY PROSECUTION WITNESS HAS TAKEN THE STAND IN THE MURDER TRIAL OF A FORMER OHIO POLICE OFFICER ACCUSED OF STRANGLING A PREGNANT WOMAN. MYISHA FERRELL SAYS HER LONGTIME FRIEND BOBBY CUTTS JUNIOR PICKED HER UP ONE MORNING LAST SUMMER AND TOLD HER THE BODY OF HIS SON'S PREGNANT MOTHER WAS IN THE BACK OF THE TRUCK THEY WERE RIDING IN. SHE TESTIFIED THAT SHE ASKED CUTTS WHAT HAPPENED, AND HE SAID HE "KIND OF USED HIS ARM." THEN SHE HELD UP HER RIGHT ARM AT THE LEVEL OF HER NECK, RE-ENACTING WHAT SHE SAID CUTTS DEMONSTRATED FOR HER.

LENGTH-00:43 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

GUM DISEASE IS ONE OF THE MOST COMMON CHRONIC INFECTIONS IN ADULTS. THE INFLAMMATION CAN REACH DEEP INTO TEETH, CAUSING THEM TO BECOME LOOSE AND POTENTIALLY FALL OUT. CIGARETTE SMOKING IS ONE OF THE BIGGEST CAUSES OF GUM DISEASE, BUT A NEW STUDY FINDS MARIJUANA USERS ARE AT HIGH RISK AS WELL. RESEARCHERS FROM NEW ZEALAND FOLLOWED 900 YOUNG PEOPLE FROM AGE 18 TO 32, ASKING THEM PERIODICALLY ABOUT MARIJUANA USE, WHILE DENTISTS ASSESSED THEIR ORAL HEALTH. THEY FOUND THAT PEOPLE WHO SMOKED THE MOST MARIJUANA WERE 60 PERCENT MORE LIKELY TO HAVE MODERATE SIGNS OF GUM DISEASE AND 300 PERCENT MORE LIKELY TO HAVE SERIOUS GUM DISEASE THAN THOSE WHO DID NOT USE THE DRUG. THE INCREASED RISK HELD TRUE EVEN FOR THOSE WHO DID NOT SMOKE TOBACCO. RESEARCHERS SUSPECT THAT COMPOUNDS

IN MARIJUANA - LIKE THOSE IN TOBACCO SMOKE - HINDER THE BODY'S IMMUNE SYSTEM AND MAKE IT MORE DIFFICULT TO REPAIR INJURED GUMS.

LENGTH-00:34 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES IN ST. JOHN'S COUNTY SAY THEY ARRESTED A WOMAN WHO TOOK THE TIME TO BUCKLE IN HER CASE OF BEER... BUT LEFT HER BABY GIRL IN THE BACK SEAT WITHOUT A SEAT BELT OR CAR SEAT. DEPUTIES SAY THEY STOPPED 46-YEAR-OLD TINA WILLIAMS BECAUSE SHE WAS SWERVING. WHEN THEY LOOKED INSIDE HER CAR, THEY SAY THEY SMELLED ALCOHOL AND SAW THE BEER BUCKLED UP IN THE FRONT SEAT AND THE LITTLE GIRL BOUNCING AROUND IN THE BACK. WHEN ASKED WHY HER CHILD WASN'T RESTRAINED, POLICE SAY WILLIAMS TOLD THE OFFICER SHE DIDN'T KNOW. SHE'S CHARGED WITH DRIVING UNDER INFLUENCE, FELONY CHILD ABUSE AND POSSESSION OF DRUG PARAPHERNALIA.

LENGTH-00:48 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

HAFER ASKED SEVERAL TIMES TO REPLACE PUBLIC DEFENDER DOUG CRICKMER. I'M TELLING YOU THIS AIN'T WORKIN'. I CAN FIND, I'D RATHER HAVE THE PROSECUTOR BE MY ATTORNEY THAN HIM. HE'D PROBABLY GIVE ME A BETTER TRIAL. AND WHEN THE JUDGE SAID "NO..." I JUST HIT HIM. THAT'S PRETTY MUCH IT. I JUST KNOCKED HIM OUT. THEN, I KINDA JUST WENT INTO A RAGE AND DIDN'T REALLY REALIZE WHAT I WAS DOING UNTIL...I WAS ON THE GROUND WHEN THEY GRABBED ME. HAFER FINDS HIMSELF IN A WORLD OF TROUBLE. NOT ONLY DID HE SOCK HIS ATTORNEY IN THE FACE, HE WAS ALREADY IN JAIL -- ALLEGEDLY FOR RAPELLING INTO THE GEORGETOWN K-MART AFTER CLOSING TIME, TO STEAL JEWELRY. NO. THEM ARE JUST ACCUSATIONS. THEY DON'T HAVE NO PHYSICAL EVIDENCE WHATSOEVER JUST SOME GUY THEY GOT CAUGHT UP ACCUSING ME OF BEING THERE AND THEY DON'T HAVE NOTHING ELSE. BUT THIS TIME AROUND, THERE IS EVIDENCE OF A VIOLENT CRIME THAT HAFER SAYS HE JUST COULDN'T CONTROL. YOU JUST PUSH A PERSON IN THE CORNER SO MUCH, YOU REALLY AIN'T GOT A WHOLE MUCH TO LOSE IN HERE. YOU ALREADY DONE LOST EVERYTHING, SO IT'S PRETTY EASY JUST TO LOSE IT SOMETIMES.

FEBRUARY 6, 2008

LENGTH-01:17 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

"YOU'VE ALREADY SPENT TIME IN THE EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT. THEN YOU HAVE TO FIND THE PHARMACY GET IT FILLED AND THAT MIGHT TAKE A COUPLE HOURS." IT PROMISES TO HELP SICK PATIENTS FEEL BETTER QUICKER...ALL THE WHILE MAKING IT CONVENIENT "ALL THE MEDICATIONS THAT WE DISPENSE ARE A VERY LIMITED QUANTITIES SO THAT THEY CAN GET TO THEIR PRIMARY CARE PHYSICIAN AND TO A PHARMACISTS LATER ON." THE INSTYMEDS PRESCRIPTION MEDICATION DISPENSER ALSO HELPING THOSE WHO MAY NOT HAVE INSURANCE....THAT BECAUSE THE

MACHINE IS STOCKED WITH GENERIC VERSIONS OF POPULAR MEDICATIONS. "IT'S STOCKED WITH ABOUT 89 COMMONLY PRESCRIBED MEDICATIONS FROM THE EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT....SO IT CAN TREAT YOU KNOW FOR BREATHING PROBLEMS ...CERTAIN PAIN MEDICATION...ANTIBIOTICS...WE ALSO HAVE CHILDREN'S ANTIBIOTICS." "NOW, THE MACHINE IS ONLY AVAILABLE FOR PATIENTS DISCHARGED FROM VALLEY'S EMERGENCY ROOM - AND UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED BY THE DR. ONCE YOU'VE FILLED YOUR PRESCRIPTION THAT'S IT....IF YOU TRY AND FILL IT UP AGAIN...YOU'LL GET." AND IF YOU DON'T USE WITHIN 24 HOURS...THE PRESCRIPTION BECOMES VOID...SO THE MACHINE'S NOT ONLY CONVENIENT BUT ALSO SAFE. "BESIDES A WEBCAM INSIDE...WATCHING VENDING PRESCRIPTION..TRIPLE CHECK CHECKS MEDICATION FIRST...CHECKS FIRST PATIENTS ID..CHECKS IT ONE MORE TIME WHEN IT DISPENSES." IMPRESSED...WE DECIDED TO PUT IT TO THE TEST. "THEY ACTUALLY GET A CAR WASH CODE THAT'S PRINTED OUT AND THEY ENTER THE CODE ALONG WITH OTHER INFORMATION AND STARTS THE PROCESS OF DISPENSING." AND AS PROMISED...AFTER JUST A FEW MINUTES....MY PRESCRIPTION WAS FILLED. "BREATHE MINTS THAT'S WHAT I'M GETTING TODAY...NOT TODAY...WE'D BE HAPPY TO SEE YOU THOUGH."

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

A PUNTA GORDA MAN IS IN JAIL FOR SEXUALLY ASSAULTING A DISABLED WOMAN. INVESTIGATORS SAY JON BENDA THREATENED TO KILL THE CHILDREN OF WHEELCHAIR BOUND WOMAN UNLESS SHE PERFORMED A SEX ACT ON HIM.
THE VICITM DIDN'T REPORT THE INCIDENT UNTIL JAN. 25 AFTER SHE WAS TREATED AT A HOSPITAL FOR AN INFECTED "HUMAN BITE" TO HER BREAST. THE VICTIM SAYS SHE WAS TOO TERRIFIED TO TELL ANYONE ABOUT THE ATTACK.

LENGTH-00:11 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

AN ATTACK AT A BRADENTON GAS STATION.. LEAVES THE VICTIM WITHOUT HIS SHOES. IT HAPPENED AT THE SHELL ON 1ST STREET IN BRADENTON. INVESTIGATORS SAY TWO STRANGERS WITH A KNIFE HELD UP A MAN AT THE GAS STATION.. THEN PUSHED HIM TO THE GROUND AND STOLE HIS SNEAKERS.

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES ARE OFFERING A CASH REWARD FOR HELP CATCHING A PERFUME THIEF. THEY SAY THIS MAN WENT TO THE CVS ON 1ST STREET IN BRADENTON, FILLED A BASKET WITH 600 DOLLARS WORTH OF PERFUME AND COLOGNE, AND LEFT. HE WAS SEEN IN WHAT APPEARED TO BE A 1995 WHITE TOYOTA TACOMA FOUR DOOR TRUCK.

LENGTH-00:55 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

TYPE 2 DIABETES, A DISEASE COMMONLY CAUSED BY OBESITY OR AGING, ROUGHLY DOUBLES A PERSON'S RISK OF DEATH - FROM KIDNEY DISEASE, STROKE, AND HEART ATTACK. BUT A NEW STUDY FINDS PATIENTS WITH DIABETES CAN DRAMATICALLY DECREASE THEIR CHANCE OF DEATH BY TREATING BOTH THE DIABETES AND ITS ASSOCIATED HEART RISK FACTORS. DOCTORS FROM DENMARK RANDOMLY ASSIGNED 160 PEOPLE WITH DIABETES TO RECEIVE EITHER REGULAR TREATMENT OR AN AGGRESSIVE APPROACH INVOLVING MULTIPLE MEDICATIONS. PATIENTS RECEIVING AGGRESSIVE THERAPY TOOK DRUGS TO KEEP THEIR BLOOD SUGAR LEVELS DOWN, AS WELL AS MEDICATIONS TO LOWER THEIR BLOOD PRESSURE AND CHOLESTEROL. THESE TREATMENTS DECREASED PATIENTS' RISK FACTORS FOR HEART DISEASE EVEN FURTHER THAN LEVELS RECOMMENDED BY THE AMERICAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION - AND THE RESULTS PAID OFF. PEOPLE UNDERGOING INTENSIVE THERAPY HAD A 46 PER CENT LOWER RISK OF DEATH THAN THOSE RECEIVING CONVENTIONAL TREATMENT, INCLUDING A 57 PER CENT REDUCED CHANCE OF DEATH FROM HEART DISEASE. RESEARCHERS SAY IT'S CRITICAL FOR PATIENTS WITH DIABETES TO GET THOROUGH TREATMENT - AND THE EARLIER IT'S STARTED, THE BETTER THE RESULTS.

LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A MANATEE COUNTY MAN.. WITH A HEROIN ADDICTION.. FINDS A CREATIVE WAY TO GET CLEAN.. SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES SAY 34-YEAR OLD CHRISTOPHER LUCYK WENT TO CODY'S RESTAURANT ON CORTEZ ROAD IN BRADENTON. THEN REFUSED TO PAY HIS 34-DOLLAR BILL.. HE TOLD THE SERVER TO CALL LAW ENFORCEMENT.. SO HE COULD GO TO JAIL.. AND KICK HIS 14-HUNDRED DOLLAR A DAY HEROIN ADDICTION. TONIGHT HE'S IN THE MANATEE COUNTY JAIL.

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A VIRGINIA MAN IS ACCUSED OF STEALING BRICKS. POLICE SAY HERBERT JOHNSON WAS TAKING THE BRICKS FROM A SIDEWALK.. OUTSIDE A RICHMOND CEMETARY. THEY SAY HE NABBED 20-THOUSAND OF THEM OVER A SIX WEEK PERIOD... AND WAS SELLING THEM AT AN ANTIQUE GALLERY NOT FAR AWAY. THE BRICKS COST 40-THOUSAND DOLLARS.

FEBRUARY 7, 2008

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

THE MAN AUTHORITIES SUSPECT OF ROBBING SEVEN BANKS HERE ON THE SUNCOAST IS BEHIND BARS THIS AFTERNOON . A DEPUTY SPOTTED 42 YEAR OLD GREGORY JACKSON'S RED CHEVY TAHOE TUESDAY NIGHT. THEY THINK IT'S THE

SAME S-U-V USED IN A ROBBERY AT THE R-B-C BANK ON CLARK ROAD. THIS IS A SURVEILLANCE PICTURE FROM THE BANK. JACKSON'S VEHICLE WAS PARKED AT A MOTEL WHERE DEPUTIES BELIEVE HE HAD BEEN STAYING. ALONG WITH THE BANK ROBBERIES HE'S ALSO CHARGED WITH WEAPONS VIOLATIONS ON AN OUTSTANDING WARRANT FROM TENNESSEE.

LENGTH-01:47 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

SMOKING MARIJUANA COULD BE LEADING TO SERIOUS GUM DISEASE BUT ACCORDING TO PERIODONTIST, DR. PETER CABRERA, YOU MAY NOT KNOW IT UNTIL IT'S TOO LATE. "BECAUSE THE SMOKING WILL DESTROY CIRCULATION IN ESSENCE IT'S MAKING THE PROBLEM WORSE AND IT'S HIDING IT FROM YOU AT THE SAME TIME." B-ROLL RESEARCH AT TABLE PICTURES GUM DISEASE DR MURRAY THOMSON AND HIS COLLEAGUES AT SIR JOHN WALSH RESEARCH INSTITUTE SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY IN NEW ZEALAND COMPARED MARIJUANA SMOKING AND GUM DISEASE IN ABOUT 900 YOUNG ADULTS BETWEEN THE AGES OF EIGHTEEN AND THIRTY- TWO. "WHEN WE WERE LOOKING AT THE NEW CASES OF GUM DISEASE BETWEEN TWENTY-SIX AND THIRTY-TWO, FULLY ONE THIRD OF THOSE NEW CASES WERE DUE TO CANNABIS SMOKING. THAT REALLY SURPRISED US. " SOME NEVER SMOKED CIGARETTES COVER HEAVY SMOKERS, THOSE WHO SMOKED MARIJUANA AT LEAST ONCE A WEEK, WERE THREE TIMES MORE LIKELY TO DEVELOP GUM DISEASE THAN THOSE WHO NEVER SMOKED POT. IT'S IMPORTANT TO POINT OUT THAT SOME OF THESE HEAVY MARIJUANA SMOKERS NEVER SMOKED CIGARETTES. THE FINDINGS APPEAR THIS WEEK IN JAMA, JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION. "IT'S NOT THE EFFECT OF THE SMOKE DIRECTLY ON THE GUMS, IT'S THE EFFECT OF THE TOXINS BEING ABSORBED FROM THE SMOKE THAT'S SUCKED DOWN INTO THE LUNGS" B-ROLL PICTURES OF GUMS AND TEETH PICTURE OF MOUTH WITH SOME TEETH MISSING THOSE TOXINS BREAK DOWN THE GUMS' ABILITY TO HEAL, LEADING TO INFECTION, GUM AND BONE LOSS, AND EVENTUALLY YOU'LL BEGIN TO LOSE TEETH. "YOU'VE LOST HALF THE BONE SUPPORT OF THAT TOOTH AT A YOUNG AGE SO BY THE TIME YOU'RE IN YOUR FORTIES AND FIFTIES YOU'RE LIKELY TO HAVE LOST A SIGNIFICANT NUMBER OF YOUR TEETH." B-ROLL RESEARCHER LOOKS AT BOOK THEN WALKS TIGHT OF MOUTH PERIODONTIST WORKING ON PATIENT RESEARCHERS HOPE THE FINDINGS WILL ENCOURAGE MARIJUANA USERS TO STOP SMOKING, POINTING OUT THAT PROLONGED GUM DISEASE, IF LEFT UNTREATED, CAN LEAD TO EVEN MORE SERIOUS HEALTH PROBLEMS.

LENGGTH-00:13 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

HE JUST ROBBED THE PLACE A FEW WEEKS AGO. THIS MORNING THE SAME ROBBER SHOWED UP WITH A PARTNER TO HOLD UP THE XTC SUPER CENTER ON CORTEZ ROAD WEST. THE MEN AIMED A GUN AT THE CLERK AND GOT AWAY WITH 400 DOLLARS. K9 UNITS COULDN'T FIND THE PAIR. THE CLERK RECOGNIZED THE ONE ROBBER FROM A HOLD UP LAST MONTH.

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-5:00

TWO WOMEN, BEHIND BARS.. AND ONE SWAT OFFICER, NURSING A DOG BITE AFTER A DRUG RAID IN CHARLOTEE COUNTY. SWAT MEMBERS RAIDED THE HOME OF HOLLY MARIE GOCK.. AND AMBER BATTLE. ONE SWAT MEMBER WAS ATTACKED BY A PIT BULL. DETECTIVES FOUND A COCAINE STASH AND 35,000 DOLLARS. NOW BOTH WOMEN ARE IN JAIL, AND ANIMAL CONTROL IS LOOKING FOR THE DOG THAT BIT THE SWAT TEAM MEMBER.

LENGTH-01:01 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

THIS IS NATIONAL BLACK HIV AND AIDS AWARENESS DAY. THIS YEAR'S THEME.. PREVENTION IS POWER. STATE HEALTH OFFICIALS SAY AS OF 2005, 1 IN 70 BLACK PEOPLE IN MANATEE COUNTY WERE REPORTED TO BE LIVING WITH HIV OR AIDS. THE MANATEE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT IS WORKING ON PLANS TO HOLD A FREE HIV AND STD TESTING SITE THIS SATURDAY. COMMUNITY ACTIVIST RAPHEAL (RAY-FEE-EL) ALLEN SAYS BLACKS MAKE UP ABOUT 10 PERCENT OF THE POPULATION IN MANATEE COUNTY, AND HEALTH OFFICIALS SAY ALMOST 45 PERCENT OF THE PEOPLE WITH HIV IN THE COUNTY ARE BLACK. ALLEN HOPES THIS SATURDAY'S HEALTH FAIR WILL EDUCATE PEOPLE AND GET THEM INVOLVED. ANYTHING THAT WE CAN DO TO KEEP THIS TALKED ABOUT AND UNDERSTOOD IT HAS TO BE DONE BECAUSE IF YOU DON'T TALK ABOUT A SITUATION PEOPLE SEEMS TO FORGET THAT IT EXISTS."THE WINTER HEALTH AND SPORTS FAIR IS THIS SATURDAY AT THE PALMETTO BOY'S AND GIRL'S CLUB.. IT WILL LAST FROM FROM 9 - 2, BUT THE QUARTER MILE AWARENESS MARCH STARTS AT 8:15 AT SUTTON PARK. THERE WILL BE FREE VISION SCREENINGS, DOOR PRIZES, FOOD AND A BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT. IT WILL TAKE ABOUT 20 MINUTES TO GET HIV TEST RESULTS.

LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

A SCHOOL SHOOTING IN OHIO.. POLICE SAY A MAN WALKED INTO HIS WIFE'S CLASSROOM.. THEN STABBED AND SHOT THE TEACHER.. IN FRONT OF HER STUDENTS.. POLICE IN PORTSMOUTH, OHIO, SAY THE MAN WAS LATER FOUND DEAD AT HIS HOME.. POLICE SAY THE MAN APPARENTLY SHOT HIMSELF AFTER SWAT TEAMS SURROUNDED HIS HOUSE NEAR THE SCHOOL. NO CHILDREN WERE HURT.. THE TEACHER IS IN CRITICAL CONDITION TONIGHT..

LENGTH-00:49 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

IN THE FIRST-EVER GLOBAL REPORT ON TOBACCO CONTROL, THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION REVEALS TOBACCO USE IS STILL THE WORLD'S NUMBER ONE CAUSE OF PREVENTABLE DEATH, RESPONSIBLE FOR MORE THAN 5 MILLION DEATHS EACH YEAR. BUT FEW GOVERNMENTS ARE DOING MUCH TO FIX THE PROBLEM. JUST 5 PER CENT OF PEOPLE WORLDWIDE ARE PROTECTED BY NATIONAL SMOKE-FREE LAWS THAT BAN TOBACCO USE IN MOST PUBLIC PLACES - AND 40 PER CENT OF COUNTRIES STILL ALLOW SMOKING IN SCHOOLS AND HOSPITALS. ONLY 9 COUNTRIES

HAVE FULLY AVAILABLE SERVICES TO HELP SMOKERS QUIT. THE REPORT FINDS THAT MONEY IS PART OF THE PROBLEM - GOVERNMENTS RECEIVE 500 TIMES AS MUCH MONEY FROM TOBACCO TAXES AS THEY SPEND ON EFFORTS TO REDUCE SMOKING. EXPERTS LIST 6 STEPS COUNTRIES SHOULD BE TAKING TO FIGHT TOBACCO, WHICH ARE -- MONITORING TOBACCO USE AMONG THEIR CITIZENS -- PROTECTING PEOPLE FROM TOBACCO SMOKE -- HELPING SMOKERS TO QUIT -- WARNING PEOPLE ABOUT HEALTH DANGERS -- ENFORCING BANS ON TOBACCO ADVERTISING, AND -- RAISING TAXES ON TOBACCO PRODUCTS.

LENGTH-02:17 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

THIS IS SURVEILLANCE VIDEO..OBTAINED BY 7 UNCOVERS FROM THE GOODWILL DONATION CENTER AT THE CORNER OF BEE RIDGE ROAD AND SHADE IN SARASOTA. WATCH THIS FANCY S-U-V WITH THE SPINNER WHEELS..THE DRIVER PULLS UP... BACKS UP...TO HIDE THE LICENSE PLATE..AND THEN STARTS LOADING UP.. IT'S EVEN A FAMILY OPERATION..PICKING UP BAGS OF DONATIONS...THERE GOES A SCOOTER.. THAT'S A BIKE...AND THEY JUST ROLLED BY WITH ANOTHER ONE.."WE SEE PEOPLE IN EXPENSIVE CARS ACTUALLY COMING IN AND FILLING UP THEIR TRUNKS REPEATEDLY I'M NOT SURE IT'S BORN OF NEED, I SUSPECT IT'S BORN OF GREED." DONATIONS ARE THE OIL THAT KEEPS THE GOODWILL MACHINE RUNNING ON THE SUNCOAST. LAST YEAR 560-THOUSAND DONATIONS ROLLED THROUGH. THAT'S 16 MILLION DOLLARS WORTH."HERE ARE SOME MORE CLOTHES" DONATIONS FROM FAMILIES LIKE THE LEWIS'. THEY DONATE UP TO TEN TIMES A YEAR TO THE GOODWILL.. THEY SAY IF PEOPLE ARE DESPERATE ENOUGH TO STEAL DONATIONS..MAYBE THEY NEED IT. "IF THEY NEEDED IT THAT BADLY WE WOULDN'T MIND AT ALL. WHAT IF THEY DIDN'T NEED IT? THAT DEFINITELY WOULD UPSET US." TO TRY AND STOP THIEVES..LAST YEAR GOODWILL EXPANDED THE HOURS OF IT'S HIGH VOLUME DROP OFF CENTERS. NOW OPEN FROM 8 IN THE MORNING UNTIL 8 AT NIGHT. AFTER THAT A TRUCK MAKES ROUNDS, PICKING UP WHAT PEOPLE DROP OFF..PLUS THEY USE SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS..AND PROMISE TO PROSECUTE. BUT YOU CAN HELP THE MOST. THE BIGGEST THING DONORS CAN DO TO HELP US IS TO NOT DONATE WHEN WE ARE CLOSED. IT IS AN INVITATION FOR PEOPLE TO COME OUT OF THE WOODS, SORT THROUGH THE DONATIONS AND TAKE WHAT THEY WANT" LIKE THESE PEOPLE... THEY STOLE DONATIONS..LEFT FOR A WHILE..SORTED THROUGH THEM.. THEN *REDONATED* WHAT THEY DIDN'T WANT...AND STOLE SOME MORE."IT WAS KINDA A DAY LONG SHOPPING ESCAPADE FOR THAT GROUP" GOODWILL OFFICIALS THINK MANY TIMES...THESE PEOPLE ARE STEALING DONATIONS TO RESELL...AT GARAGE SALES OR ON THE INTERNET. PEOPLE PREYING ON YOUR CHARITY.. SO THEY CAN CASH IN.

FEBRUARY 8, 2008

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

MANATEE COUNTY SHERRIF'S DEPUTIES ARE ASKING FOR THE PUBLIC'S HELP IN SOLVING A FATAL SHOOTING IT HAPPENED LAST NIGHT OUTSIDE THE RUBONIA SOCIAL CLUB IN THE 7200 BLOCK OF BAYSHORE ROAD. THE VICTIM, IDENTIFIED AS

NIKITA WILLIAMS, WAS FOUND UNCONCIOUS BEHIND THE CLUB SUFFERING FROM A GUNSHOT WOUND TO THE CHEST. HE WAS TAKEN TO MANTEE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL WHERE HE WAS PRONIOUNCED DEAD. NO ARRESTS HAVE BEEN MADE.

LENGTH-01:13 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

ZOCOR, A DRUG THAT LOWERS CHOLESTEROL----AND VIOXX--ONCE USED TO TREAT THE PAIN OF ARTHRITIS---HELPED MAKE THE DRUG GIANT MERCK---BILLIONS OF DOLLARS. TODAY PROSECUTORS SAID THE COMPANY HAD BEEN BILKING THE GOVERNMENT OF MILLIONS AND BRIBING DOCTORS TO DOMINATE THE MARKET. PATRICK MEEHAN, US ATTORNEY "THEY'VE GOT TO PLAY BY THE RULES. AND THE RULES REQUIRE THAT THEY GIVE THE GOVERNMENT THE SAME PRICE THEY GIVE ANYBODY ELSE" INVESTIGATORS CLAIM MERCK ENTERED INTO SECRET, ILLEGAL AGREEMENTS WITH HOSPITALS, GIVING THEM DEEP DISCOUNTS IN EXCHANGE FOR DROPPING THE DRUGS OF COMPETITORS. PIERRE THOMAS BRIDGE BUT THOSE SAME DISCOUNTS WERE NEVER PASSED ON TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT'S MEDICAID SYSTEM--WHICH PAID A LOT MORE FOR THE DRUGS AND --THAT---ACCORDING TO PROSECUTORS---WAS A VIOLATION OF THE LAW. ACCORDING TO THE GOVERNMENT AND INDUSTRY ANALYSTS, SOME DOCTORS WHO PRESCRIBED MERCK PRODUCTS---- WERE GIVEN MILLIONS OF DOLLARS IN ILLEGAL KICKBACKS--" CASH, AND TRIPS DISGUISED AS FEES FOR "TRAINING AND CONSULTATION". A MERCK EMPLOYEE FINALLY BLEW THE WHISTLE---HIS LAWYER SAYS IT WAS ALL PART OF COMPANY STRATEGY: SOT MARK KLEIMAN "DRUG COMPANIES THAT TAKE ADVANTAGE OF GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS LIKE THIS--FORCE PEOPLE TO CHOOSE BETWEEN MEDICINE AND HEAT, MEDICINE AND FOOD FOR THEIR FAMILIES. " (GFX) THE WHISTLEBLOSER STANDS TO MAKE MORE THAN 60 MILLION DOLLARS FROM THE SETTLEMENT. MERCK OFFICIALS TODAY ADMITTED NO WRONG DOING, TELLING ABC NEWS THEY THOUGHT THEY WERE PLAYING BY THE RULES. EVEN SO, IT COST THEM MORE THAN A HALF BILLION DOLLARS.

LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

AN ATTEMPTED ESCAPE FROM THE SARASOTA COUNTY JAIL LAST NIGHT ENDS WITH THE SUSPECT GETTING STUCK INSIDE THE WALLS. SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES SAY CARLOS GUTIERREZ GOT OUT OF HIS CELL BY REMOVING A PLUMBING ACCESS PANEL. BUT WHEN GUARDS NOTICED HE WAS MISSING, THEY EVENTUALLY FOUND GUTIERREZ STUCK BETWEEN PIPES IN THE CEILING. HE WAS ALREADY IN JAIL FOR GUN AND MARIJUANA POSSESSSION BY A CONVICTED FELON. NOW GUTIERREZ FACES ATTEMPTED ESCAPE CHARGES AS WELL.

LENGTH-00:49 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-5:00

DOCTORS GENERALLY RECOMMENDED THAT WOMEN GAIN BETWEEN 25 AND 35 POUNDS DURING PREGNANCY WHEN THEY'RE EXPECTING A SINGLE BABY. TOO LITTLE WEIGHT GAIN CAN PUT THE BABY AT RISK FOR MALNUTRITION AND SMALL SIZE, WHILE TOO MUCH WEIGHT INCREASES HEALTH PROBLEMS FOR THE MOTHER. BUT NEW GOVERNMENT RESEARCH FINDS THAT AMERICAN WOMEN ARE INCREASINGLY GAINING MORE THAN 40 POUNDS - SOMETHING THAT DOCTORS RARELY ADVISE. THAT'S BECAUSE WOMEN WHO GAIN SUCH EXCESS WEIGHT ARE AT GREATER RISK FOR PREGNANCY-RELATED DIABETES AND HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE. THEY ALSO ARE MORE LIKELY TO SUFFER COMPLICATIONS DURING BIRTH. THE NEW STATISTICS SHOW THAT IN 2005, 20 PER CENT OF WOMEN GAINED MORE THAN 40 POUNDS DURING PREGNANCY, COMPARED TO 15 PER CENT OF PREGNANT WOMEN IN 1990. WHITE WOMEN WERE MORE LIKELY TO GAIN EXCESS WEIGHT THAN BLACK OR HISPANIC WOMEN. DOCTORS ADVISE PREGNANT WOMEN TO EAT A HEALTHY DIET WITHOUT TOO MUCH SATURATED FAT, SODA, OR DESSERTS. BUT THEY ALSO SAY WOMEN SHOULD NOT DIET DURING PREGNANCY BECAUSE CONSUMING TOO FEW CALORIES CAN HARM THE BABY'S DEVELOPMENT.

LENGTH—00:24 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:30

YOUR CHANCE OF GETTING THE FLU...COULD BE GOING UP. FLORIDA'S FLU SEASON IS EXPECTED TO PEAK THIS MONTH. THE FLU CAN EVEN SURFACE INTO APRIL AND MAY. SO LEADERS AT THE SARASOTA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT SAY IT'S STILL NOT TOO LATE TO GET YOUR FLU SHOT. THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT HAS PLENTY OF CHILDREN'S VACCINE THIS YEAR.. AND THERE ARE SEVERAL PLACES YOU CAN GET A FLU SHOT. FOR A LIST JUST GO TO OUR WEBSITE...MYSUNCOAST.COM AND CLICK ON LINKS WE MENTIONED.

LENGTH-00:35 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A FLORIDA MAN IS DEAD.. -- SHOT TO DEATH FOLLOWING A FIGHT WITH HIS NEIGHBOR OVER THE CONDITION OF HIS LAWN. THE FIGHT INVOLVED A 49-YEAR OLD MAN AND HIS 51-YEAR OLD NEIGHBOR. ONE NEIGHBOR DIDN'T LIKE THE WAY THE OTHER NEIGHBOR WAS CUTTING HIS GRASS, LEAVING A LINE WHERE THEIR FRONT LAWNS CONNECTED. WITNESSES TOLD DEPUTIES THE NEIGHBOR WHO WAS FATALLY SHOT CHARGED OUT OF HIS HOUSE AND TRIED TO WRESTLE-AWAY THE OTHER NEIGHBOR'S LAWNMOWER. THE NEIGHBOR WITH THE LAWNMOWER PULLED A GUN OUT OF HIS WAISTBAND.EACH AND EVERYDAY THEY'RE TERRORIZING THIS MAN, HE JUST COULDN'T TAKE IT NO MORE." 49-YEAR OLD LEE MACON IS CHARGED WITH FIRST-DEGREE MURDER.

LENGTH—00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

A SARASOTA MAN IS ACCUSED OF ABUSING A CHILD BECAUSE SHE WET THE BED. 20 YEAR OLD SHANNON PIKE WAS BABYSITTING THE THREE YEAR OLD GIRL WHILE HER MOTHER WAS AT WORK. THE MOTHER NOTICED THE GIRL HAD BRUSIES AND ASKED

PIKE WHAT HAPPENED. INVESTIGATORS SAY PIKE CLAIMED THE CHILD WAS JUMPING ON A BED, FELL AND HIT HER HEAD ON A DRESSER. DOCTORS LATER FOUND THE CHILD HAD TWO SKULL FRACTURES AND INTERNAL BLEEDING. PIKE FACES AGGRAVATED CHILD ABUSE CHARGES.

LENGTH-00:33 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

A GOVERNMENT WARNING TONIGHT ABOUT POTENTIALLY DEADLY SIDE-EFFECTS FROM BOTOX. THE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION SAYS BOTOX AND THE SIMILAR PRODUCT MYOBLOC HAVE BEEN LINKED IN SOME CASES TO ADVERSE REACTIONS, INCLUDING RESPIRATORY FAILURE AND DEATH. BOTOX IS PRIMARILY USED AS AN INJECTABLE COSMETIC DRUG TO REMOVE WRINKLES, BUT IS FDA-APPROVED FOR OTHER USES, LIKE UNDERARM SWEATING AND CERTAIN NEUROLOGICAL CONDITIONS. THE F-D-A SAYS, THE MOST SEVERE ADVERSE EFFECTS WERE FOUND IN CHILDREN TREATED FOR A CONDITION ASSOCIATED WITH CEREBRAL PALSY. THE F-D-A SAID BOTOX WAS NOT APPROVED FOR THIS USE.

FEBRUARY 9, 2008

LENGTH-01:56 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-EARLY

WOMEN VETERANS HONORED AND SALUTED ON THE SUNCOAST FOR THEIR SERVICE AT A LUNCHEON IN BRADENTON. "EVENTS LIKE THIS ARE EXTREMELY IMPORTANT BECAUSE WOMEN HAVEN'T RECEIVED CREDIT THEY DESERVE FOR THEIR SERVICE." KEYNOTE SPEAKER RETIRED AIR FORCE BRIGADIER GENERAL WILMA VAUGHT SPEAKING TO THE LARGE CROWD. WHEN SHE ENLISTED IN 1957, VAUGHT SAYS IT WENT AGAINST WHAT WOMEN DID BACK THEN."IN THE 1950S WOMEN WERE EXPECTED TO BE SCHOOL TEACHERS, NURSES, SECRETARIES, OR GET MARRIED AND I DIDN'T WANT TO DO ANY OF THOSE THINGS." VAUGHT WHO COMPLETED THREE TOURS OF DUTY IN VIETNAM AND WHO HAS RECEIVED MULTIPLE MILITARY HONORS SPOKE ABOUT WOMEN'S PROGRESS IN THE MILITARY. SHE SAYS AT ONE POINT WOMEN WERE DISCHARGED IF PREGNANT. THAT'S NO LONGER TRUE AND TODAY THEY'RE ALLOWED TO CARRY ARMS."WHEN YOU LOOK AT WHAT WOMEN ARE DOING TODAY IN AFGHANISTAN AND IRAQ CARRYING WEAPONS, USING THEM WHEN NEEDED." HUNDREDS OF WOMEN VETERANS IN ATTENDANCE, EACH WITH THEIR OWN UNIQUE STORY. THEY SAY THEY'RE PROUD TO HAVE SERVED THEIR COUNTRY. BEACHUM/"YOU HAD TO BE 21 WHEN I JOINED, AND I WAS 21 AND I JOINED IN 1943." CROSBY/"WOMEN HAVE A PLACE IN THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES AND EVEN IN THE PAST THAT WE HAVE MADE HISTORY." A LAKEWOOD RANCH STUDENT HOPING TO FOLLOW IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF THOSE SHE NOW LOOKS UP TO."ITS JUST AMAZING TO SEE ALL THESE PEOPLE WHO HAVE SERVED AND THEY'VE DONE SOMETHING GOOD AND THAT'S JUST WHAT I WANT TO DO."

LENGTH-00:37 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-LATE

MANATEE COUNTY DEPUTIES ARRESTED 3 PEOPLE FOR BREAKING INTO CARS IN LAKEWOOD RANCH THIS AFTERNOON. THEY SAY THE 3 ARE ALLEGED GANG MEMBERS. AROUND 4 O'CLOCK TODAY ... A RESIDENT IN A GATED COMMUNITY NEAR WHITE CLOVER CIRCLE AND HOLY BUSH TERRACE TOLD DEPUTIES HE HAD SPOTTED A VEHICLE BURGLARY IN PROGRESS.. A DEPUTY THEN SAW A SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE SPEED OFF LEAVING THE AREA...WHEN HE PULLED THE CAR OVER ... SEVERAL ITEMS WERE FOUND INSIDE... FROM THE CARS IN LAKEWOOD RANCH. . TWO MEN AND A WOMAN IN WERE ARRESTED. OFFICIALS SAY THE 3 SUSPECTS WERE ABLE TO GET INTO THE GATED COMMUNITY ...BY WORKING AS NEWSPAPER CARRIERS.

FEBRUARY 10, 2008

LENGTH-01:00 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-EARLY

THIS IS WHAT'S LEFT OF FELICIA RAYMOND'S HOME. SHE LIVED HERE WITH HER TWO DAUGHTERS AND TWO GRANDCHILDREN BUT INVESTIGATORS SAY IT WAS DESTROYED AFTER TWO FIRE BOMBS WERE THROWN INSIDE THE DUPLEX.
I GOT CALL AT 5:30 THIS MORNING SHE SAID SOMEONE IS TRYING TO KILL HER AND HER KIDS." THE FAMILY OF FIVE TRIED TO ESCAPE THE FIRE THAT SPREAD QUICKLY THROUGH THEIR HOUSE BUT RELATIVES SAY WHEN THEY WENT OUTSIDE THEY WERE GREETING BY TWO MEN WHO OPENED FIRE ON THE FAMILY. SIMMONS/"NANISE ISN'T A SCARED PERSON SHE CAME OUT FIRST, TRYING TO GET HER MOM OUT BECAUSE HER MOM WAS HANDICAP. SHE COULDN'T GET OUT OF THERE JUST LIKE THAT." ACCORDING TO THE MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, 21 YEAR OLD NANISE RAYMOND WAS SHOT WHILE TRYING TO GET OUT OF HER HOUSE. RELATIVES AND NEIGHBORS SAY THE WRONG HOUSE WAS TARGETED AND INVESTIGATORS NOW BELIEVE THAT THE ATTACK MAY HAVE BEEN IN RETALIATION FOR ANOTHER CRIME. SO THEY WERE TRYING TO MAYBE GET BACK AT SOMEONE ELSE AND THEY HIT THE WRONG HOUSE."

FEBRUARY 11, 2008

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

WHILE ONE SUSPECT IS CAUGHT ANOTHER IS ON THE LOOSE. THIS MORNING MANATEE COUNTY DEPUTIES ARE LOOKING FOR THE MAN THEY SAY ATTACKED A WOMAN IN THE HOME DEPOT PARKING LOT AND STOLE HER CAR. IT HAPPENED AT THE BRADENTON STORE IN THE 2300 BLOCK OF CORTEZ ROAD WEST. OFFICIALS SAY THE MAN APPROACHED THE WOMAN ASKING HER FOR MONEY. AFTER SHE GAVE HIM SOME CHANGE HE GRABBED HER, ASSAULTED HER THEN GOT INTO HER CAR AND TOOK OFF. THE MAN IS STILL ON THE RUN THIS MORNING.

LENGTH-00:51 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

IF YOU'RE LOOKING TO BRIGHTEN YOUR SMILE, SOME EXPERTS SUGGEST YOU MIGHT START WITH WHAT YOU EAT AND DRINK. BEVERAGES LIKE COFFEE, TEA, RED WINE, DARK SYRUPY SODAS TEND TO STAIN YOUR TEETH PRETTY QUICKLY. IT MAY NOT ALWAYS BE PRACTICAL, BUT DR. ADA COOPER RECOMMENDS A SIMPLE WAY TO MINIMIZE STAINING. SOMETIMES DRINKING THROUGH A STRAW ALLOWS THAT BEVERAGE TO GO RIGHT BACK INTO YOUR THROAT, BYPASSING YOUR TEETH ALTOGETHER. THE AMERICAN ACADEMY OF COSMETIC DENTISTRY TOUTS EATING RAW VEGETABLES AS A NATURAL WAY TO WHITEN TEETH...BUT SOME HEALTHY FOODS CAN HAVE THE OPPOSITE EFFECT. FOOD SOMETIMES LIKE BLUEBERRIES, RASPBERRIES -- THINGS THAT WOULD STAIN A WHITE SHIRT -- OFTEN TEND TO STAIN YOUR TEETH PRETTY QUICKLY AS WELL. DR. COOPER SAYS MANY PATIENTS DON'T NEED EXPENSIVE WHITENING PROCEDURES TO REMOVE SOME FOOD STAINS. THOSE TYPES OF SURFACE STAINS CAN SOMETIMES BE REMOVED JUST BY USING A WHITENING TOOTHPASTE. SHE CAUTIONS PATIENTS AGAINST TRYING TO BRIGHTEN THEIR TEETH BY USING PURE BAKING SODA, WHICH IS A MILD ABRASIVE, OR LEMONS, WHICH CAN ERODE ENAMEL.

LENGTH—01:25 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

THEY LOOK ALIKE, THEY TALK ALIKE....THEY EVEN VOTE ALIKE. I'D SAY IM PROBABLY PRETTY LIBERAL. YOU COULD PROBABLY PAINT US WITH THE SAME BRUSH. IDENTICAL TWINS, JOHN AND CHARLES ROBINSON SAY THEY HAVE PRETTY MUCH VOTED FOR THE SAME CANDIDATES IN EVERY ELECTION SINCE 1984. ARE THEIR POLITICAL VIEWS SIMILAR BECAUSE THEY GREW UP TOGETHER IN THE SAME HOUSEHOLD, AND WENT TO THE SAME SCHOOLS? FOR YEARS, THAT'S WHAT POLITICAL SCIENTISTS THOUGHT: THAT OUR POLITICAL VIEWS ARE SHAPED ENTIRELY BY THE WORLD AROUND US. BUT NOW THEY'RE FINDING OUR POLITICAL VIEWS...MIGHT BE ROOTED IN SOMETHING DEEPER: OUR DNA. NATURE, IN SOME CASES, IS JUST AS IMPORTANT AS NURTURE WHEN IT COMES TO POLITICAL BEHAVIOR. SO WHAT'S THE SCIENTIFIC EVIDENCE? FIRST, STUDIES ON NEARLY 20 THOUSAND TWINS FOUND THAT IDENTICAL TWINS -- WHO SHARE ALL THEIR GENES -- TEND TO SHARE POLITICAL VIEWS MUCH MORE SO THAN FRATERNAL TWINS, WHO SHARE ONLY HALF THEIR GENES. ANOTHER STUDY DONE AT NEW YORK UNIVERSITY AND UCLA SHOWS LIBERALS AND CONSERVATIVES PROCESSED INFORMATION DIFFERENTLY WHEN PLAYING A COMPUTER GAME... AND HOW OUR BRAINS WORK IS, TO SOME EXTENT, GOVERNED BY OUR GENES. WE ARE FINDING SUPRISINGLY STRONG RESULTS FOR THE INFLUENCE OF GENES AND JAMES FOWLER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO, HAS FOUND GENES MAY PLAY A ROLE IN WHETHER OR NOT YOU VOTE. HE'S JUST COMPLETED RESEARCH SUGGESTING PEOPLE WHO VOTE TEND TO HAVE A SPECIFIC VARIATION OF TWO GENES...A DIFFERENT VARIATION THAN FOLKS WHO DON'T VOTE. NOT EVERYONE AGREES WITH THESE FINDINGS...SOME EXPERTS CALL IT SOFT SCIENCE... BUT OTHERS SAY THESE STUDIES SHOW THAT TO A GREAT EXTENT, OUR POLITICAL BELIEFS ARE HARD WIRED INTO OUR BRAINS. SCIENTISTS SAY THEY'RE NEVER GOING TO FIND A REPUBLICAN GENE OR A DEMOCRAT GENE, ...RATHER, THERE ARE PROBABLY HUNDREDS OF GENES THAT INFLUENCE OUR POLITICAL LEANINGS.

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

FOUR TEENS ARE BUSTED FOR TEARING UP A CHARLOTTE COUNTY GOLF COURSE.. SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES SAY THE TEENAGERS CAUSED 25-THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DAMAGE TO THE LONG MARSH GOLF CLUB IN ROTUNDA DURING TWO SEPARATE INCIDENTS..DEPUTIES SAY THE TEENS DROVE A VEHICLE THROUGH THE GOLF COURSE AND STOLE THREE GOLF CARTS. ALL FOUR BOYS ARE BEING CHARGED WITH FELONY MISCHIEF AND GRAND THEFT.

LENGTH-01:05 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

MORE THAN 6 YEARS AFTER THE 9/11 ATTACKS, VICTIMS FINALLY HAVE WHAT THE CIA DIRECTOR CALLS A CRUCIAL MILESTONE ON THE ROAD TO JUSTICE... BRIG. GEN. THOMAS W. HARTMANN "THESE CHARGES ALLEGE A LONG TERM, HIGHLY SOPHISTICATED, ORGANIZED PLAN BY AL-QAIDA TO ATTACK THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. THE PENTAGON HAS CHARGED SIX GUANTANAMO BAY DETAINEES WITH 169 CHARGES IN CONNECTION WITH THE ATTACKS THAT KILLED NEARLY 3 THOUSAND PEOPLE, INCLUDING CONSPIRACY AND MURDER IN VIOLATION OF THE LAW OF WAR. MILITARY PROSECUTORS ARE SEEKING THE DEATH PENALTY FOR THE SUSPECTS, INCLUDING KHALID SHAIKH MOHAMMED, THE SUSPECTED MASTERMIND OF THE ATTACKS. BUT THE GOVERNMENT'S POLICIES MAY BE PUT ON TRIAL AS WELL. ANTHONY ROMERO, ACLU, IT'S CLEAR THAT THE ISSUES OF WATER BOARDING, OF TORTURE, OF SECRET PRISONS ARE GONNA BE FRONT AND CENTER IN THESE CASES. HARTMANN "WE ARE A NATION OF LAW AND NOT OF MEN AND THE QUESTION OF WHAT EVIDENCE WILL BE ADMITTED WHETHER OR WATERBOARDING OR OTHERWISE WILL BE DECIDED IN THE COURT." THE MEN WILL BE TRIED IN THE MILITARY TRIBUNAL SYSTEM, WHICH HAS COME UNDER ATTACK AS WELL. BEN WITTES, BROOKINGS: "IF YOU LOOK AT THE LIST OF THINGS THAT THE MILITARY COMMISIONS WERE DESIGNED TO ACHIEVE IT'S VERY HARD TO ARGUE THAT THEY'VE ACHIEVED REALLY ANYTHING AT THIS POINT." THE GUANTANAMO TRIBUNALS WERE ESTABLISHED AFTER 9/11 AND ARE THE FIRST U.S. WAR CRIME TRIBUNALS SINCE WORLD WAR TWO.

LENGTH-00:49 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-5:00

STUDIES SHOW THAT MORE THAN 40% OF WOMEN WITH BREAST CANCER TURN TO THE INTERNET FOR INFORMATION. BUT DOCTORS FROM THE M.D. ANDERSON CANCER CENTER TODAY ARE WARNING WOMEN TO BE SKEPTICAL OF MEDICAL NEWS ON THE WORLD WIDE WEB. THEY USED POPULAR SEARCH ENGINES SUCH AS GOOGLE AND YAHOO TO LOCATE 343 UNIQUE WEB SITES COVERING BREAST CANCER INFORMATION. MOST SITES OFFERED VALUABLE GUIDANCE, BUT 1 IN 20 CONTAINED SERIOUS INACCURACIES. WEB PAGES THAT CONTAINED INFORMATION ABOUT COMPLEMENTARY OR ALTERNATIVE MEDICINE WERE 15 TIMES MORE LIKELY TO CONTAIN FALSE INFORMATION THAN THOSE DEVOTED TO CONVENTIONAL TREATMENTS - OFTEN EMPHASIZING THE USE OF HERBS WITH LITTLE TO NO

SUPPORTING EVIDENCE. RESEARCHERS SAY THAT WOMEN CAN OFTEN SPOT A SUSPECT WEBSITE BY PAYING ATTENTION TO WHO IS SPONSORING IT - PAGES THAT ARE TRYING TO SELL YOU SOMETHING ARE NOT THE BEST SOURCE OF RELIABLE INFORMATION. ALSO, EXPERTS RECOMMEND CHECKING TO SEE WHEN THE SITE WAS LAST UPDATED, AS TREATMENTS FOR BREAST CANCER ARE OFTEN CHANGING.

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

STATE AGENTS SAY TWO MANATEE COUNTY GANG MEMBERS ARE GOING TO PRISON. FOR A LONG TIME. THEY'RE ACCUSED OF LOAN SHARKING, COCAINE TRAFFICKING, EXTORTION AND ARSON. AGENTS SAY 46-YEAR-OLD JOSEPH UNGARELLI, WAS A MEMBER OF THE RENEGADES OUTLAW MOTORCYCLE GANG.. A JUDGE SENTENCED HIM TO 20 YEARS IN PRISON.. HIS CO-DEFENDANT, 27-YEAR-OLD SHAWN LEE WAS SENTENCED TO MORE THAN 7 YEARS IN FEDERAL PRISON. AGENTS SAY HE WAS A MEMBER OF THE "NORTE 14" STREET GANG.

LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A POLK COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTY IS ARRESTED FOR BATTERING HER EX-GIRLFRIEND. 27-YEAR-OLD LARA DIX WAS ARRESTED TODAY. ACCORDING TO AN AFFIDAVIT* THE VICTIM'S HOME IN LAKE WALES WAS RANSACKED. DIX ADMITTED TO DOING IT. WHEN THE WOMEN MET UP...THEY ARGUED AND THEN THE FIGHT TURNED PHYSICAL. DIX WORKS AS A DEPUTY IN THE JAIL IN POLK COUNTY. SHE WILL HAVE A TERMINATION PROCEDURE SOON.

LENGTH-00:29 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

WE HAVE SURVEILLANCE VIDEO OF AN ORLANDO WOMAN WHO ROBBED A BANK OVER THE WEEKEND. SHE CLAIMED HER CHILDREN WERE BEING HELD HOSTAGE. OFFICERS SAY THE WOMAN WALKED INTO A WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK AND GAVE THE TELLER A NOTE STATING SHE HAD A BOMB. THE NOTE ALSO SAID THAT SOMEONE WAS HOLDING HER CHILDREN HOSTAGE. POLICE SAY THE WOMAN LEFT BEHIND A SUSPICIOUS BAG, WHICH SHE INDICATED WAS THE BOMB. OFFICERS LATER DETERMINED IT WAS NOT A BOMB. WITNESSES TOLD POLICE THE WOMAN APPEARED TO BE UPSET AND HAD DARK CIRCLES UNDER HER EYES.

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

DESPITE MORE THAN A DOZEN COUNTS OF ANIMAL CRUELTY AGAINST HIM, A SARASOTA MAN IS FIGHTING TO GET SOME OF HIS DOGS BACK.THOMAS SPANN HAS REQUESTED A CIVIL HEARING TO GET BACK TWO PITBULL PUPPIES. POLICE RAIDED SPANN'S HOME ON CENTRAL AVENUE AND FOUND 14 PIT BULLS LIVING AMONG DOG

FECES, FLIES, FLEAS AND A DECAYING RAT.POLICE SAY OTHER ITEMS IN THE YARD INDICATE THAT SPANN WAS TRAINING HIS DOGS TO FIGHT. HE'S CHARGED WITH FIGHTING ANIMALS AND 15 COUNTS OF ANIMAL CRUELTY. HE'S OUT ON BOND TONIGHT.

LENGTH-00:30 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

POLICE SAY A WOMAN WHO WAS SMOKING CRACK SET OFF A SERIES OF CRASHES. THEY SAY THE WOMAN RAN SEVERAL RED LIGHTS LAST NIGHT THEN CRASHED INTO AN S-U-V WITH A MOTHER AND HER TWO SONS INSIDE. THE S-U-V FLIPPED OVER AND HIT A TOYOTA. THE TOYOTA HIT ANOTHER CAR...THAT SLAMMED INTO TWO OTHER CARS. THE MOTHER IN THE SUV AND HER TWO SONS WERE NOT HURT, BUT SOMEONE STOLE THE MOTHER'S PURSE, WHILE SHE WAS TRYING TO GET TO HER SONS OUT OF THE SUV. FOUR PEOPLE WERE TAKEN TO THE HOSPITAL. CHARGES ARE PENDING AGAINST THE WOMAN ACCUSED OF SMOKING CRACK.

FEBRUARY 12, 2008

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

TOPPING OUR HEALTH NEWS THIS MORNING, THE GOVERNMENT IS WARNING BOTOX AND ITS COMPETITOR HAVE BEEN LINKED TO DANGEROUS BOTULISM SYMPTOMS IN SOME USERS SOME OF THE CASES HAVE BEEN SO BAD THAT A FEW CHILDREN GIVEN THE DRUGS FOR MUSCLE SPASMS HAVE DIED. THE F-D-A'S WARNING INCLUDES BOTOX, A WRINKLE-SPECIFIC VERSION CALLED BOTOX COSMETIC, AND COMPETITOR MYOBLOC. THE DRUGS USE A TOXIN TO BLOCK NERVE IMPULSES, CAUSING THEM TO RELAX.

LENGTH-01:53 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

LILLIAN THIEMANN HAS SURVIVED AIDS FOR 19 YEARS THANKS TO COCKTAILS OF MULTIPLE ANTI-H-I-V DRUGS. "I HAVE TO SAY THAT THE SIDE EFFECTS INITIALLY FOR ME WERE PRETTY STARTLING. BUT THEN, YOU KNOW THE BODY IS AN AMAZING THING, YOU CAN GET USED TO ANYTHING OVER TIME." IMAGE: HIV BURSTING OUT OF CELL THE H-I-V VIRUS IS HARD TO STOP BECAUSE IT MUTATES, AND DRUGS EVENTUALLY STOP WORKING. HARVARD RESEARCHER STEVE ELLEDGE SAYS THOSE TREATMENTS TARGET THE VIRUS' PROTEINS, AND THAT STRATEGY OFTEN FAILS. "IT MAKES ONLY 15 PROTEINS. AND THAT'S NOT ENOUGH TO ALLOW IT TO MULTIPLY, SO IT HAS TO TAKE ADVANTAGE AND HIJACK THE HUMAN PROTEINS AND MAKE THEM DO ITS BIDDING." ELLEDGE WANTS TO OUTWIT THE VIRUS BY BLOCKING THOSE HUMAN PROTEINS BEFORE THE VIRUS CAN USE THEM. HE AND COLLEAGUE ABE BRASS USED A NEW GENETICS TECHNIQUE TO BLOCK EACH PROTEIN ONE AT A TIME IN HUMAN

CELLS IN THE LAB. THEN THEY TESTED WHETHER H-I-V COULD MULTIPLY IN THE CELLS. AS THEY WROTE IN THE JOURNAL "SCIENCE," THEY IDENTIFIED 273 HUMAN PROTEINS THAT THE VIRUS NEEDS TO MULTIPLY. SO BLOCKING ANY ONE OF THEM SHOULD DISABLE THE VIRUS IN PEOPLE. "WE NOW HAVE 15 TIMES AS MANY POSSIBLE TARGETS AND SO I THINK THERE'S HOPE OUT THERE THAT THERE WILL BE SOME TARGETS THAT ARE GOING TO BE EVEN BETTER THAN THE DRUGS THAT ARE CURRENTLY USED." THIEMANN TALKING ON CELL PHONE THIEMANN WALKING ON STREET THIEMANN'S EXPERIENCE LED HER TO START AN H-I-V MEDICAL EDUCATION COMPANY, SO SHE KNOWS SUCH DRUGS COULD BE A DECADE AWAY. "I'LL KEEP MY EYE ON THE RESEARCH AND HOPEFULLY A CURE WILL COME DOWN THE LINE AND I WILL BE ONE OF THE FIRST IN LINE FOR IT." THIEMANN ENTERING A BUILDING MEANWHILE, SHE SAYS SHE TAKES CARE OF HERSELF ONE DAY AT A TIME.

LENGTH-01:21 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

IT IS ONE OF THE GREAT IRONIES. AT A TIME WHEN MORE AND MORE FOODS AND DRINKS CONTAIN CALORIE-FREE SWEETENERS, AMERICANS ... ARE HEAVIER THAN EVER . "IT'S TEMPTING TO THINK THAT BY SIMPLY CONSUMING A FOOD THAT HAS FEWER CALORIES, THAT BODY WEIGHT GAIN AND FOOD INTAKE ARE AUTOMATICALLY GOING DOWN. OUR DATA SUGGEST THE OPPOSITE MIGHT HAPPEN." THE RESEARCH, FUNDED BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, TOOK TWO GROUPS OF RATS THEY'RE A LOT EASIER TO CONTROL THAN PEOPLE. BOTH GROUPS GOT THEIR REGULAR CHOW. IN ADDITION, HALF WERE GIVEN YOGURT SWEETENED WITH SUGAR-FREE "SACCHARIN". THE OTHER HALF GOT YOGURT... SWEETENED WITH SUGAR. AFTER FIVE WEEKS... THE RATS GETTING THE SUGAR FREE YOGURT HAD ACTUALLY GAINED 20% MORE WEIGHT SO WHAT HAPPENED? THE RESEARCHERS SAY THAT WHEN FOOD TASTES SWEET, THE BODY EXPECTS TO RECEIVE A CORRESPONDING NUMBER OF CALORIES. IN THIS CASE... .. WHEN THEY GOT A SWEET TASTING FOOD THAT DIDN'T DELIVER THOSE CALORIES THEY WENT AND OVERINDULGED IN THEIR REGULAR FOOD AS A CONSEQUENCE." RAISING THE TANTALIZING QUESTION... ARE SUGAR-FREE FOODS, SUGAR-FREE SODAS, CAUSING SOME PEOPLE TO OVEREAT? THE COUNTRY'S DIET SODA COMPANIES TODAY SAID... NOT SO FAST. THERE'S A BIG DIFFERENCE BETWEEN RATS AND PEOPLE. "THE BOTTOM LINE IS WE ARE NOT RATS...YOU CANNOT EXTRAPOLATE HUMAN RESUTLS FROM RAT STUDIES" BUT PRELIMINARY "HUMAN" STUDIES HAVE SHOWN A LINK BETWEEN DIET SODA AND A GREATER RISK OF OBESITY AND HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE. SOME RESEARCHERS THIS EVENING ARE CALLING FOR MORE STUDIES WITH PEOPLE... TO SEE IF INDEED ARTIFICIAL SWEETENERS ARE TRIGGERING SOME TO OVEREAT... TO CHOW DOWN MORE FOOD AND CALORIES THAN THEY OTHERWISE WOULD.

LENGTH-00:59 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

3 OTHER WOMEN WHO TOOK THIS WHO ARE PROESSIONAL MODELS OVER IN EUROPE THEY SAID IT WAS AMAZING THAT'S WHEN FORMER MODEL ANANDA WHATLEY DECIDED TO START TAKING HUMAN GROWTH HORMONE. SHE LEARNED TO GIVE HERSELF THE SHOTS WHICH SHE BELIEVES WILL HELP HER LOSE WEIGHT. AMANDA WHATLEY TAKES HGH SHOTS-AT THIS POINT I'M ON THE CUSP OF WATCHING MYSELF

GO SWISH. AFTER A FEW WEEKS SHE SAYS: I JUST FEEL SO MUCH BETTER AND MY SKIN, MY SKIN GLOWS. THE REALLY DRAMATIC IMPROVEMNTS ARE FAT REDUCTION, REDUCTION IN THE MOUNT OF FAT BECAUSE IT HELPS METABOLIZE FAT. HE PRESCRIBES GROWTH HORMONE FOR ANTI-AGING. THE WHOLE STUDY OF ANTI-AGING IS BASED ON TRYING TO MAINTAIN HORMONES IN OUR BODY THAT KEEP US YOUTHFUL AS LONG AS WE DON'T OVERDO THE DOSAGES. BUT THE FDA DOESN NOT INCLUDE ANTI-AGING ON IT'S LIST OF APPROVED USES FOR HUMAN GROWTH HORMONE. HGH IS FDA APPROVED FOR : CHILDREN WHO A DEFICIENCY, PEOPLE WITH PITUITARY TUMORS OR OTHER SPECIFIC DISEASES, AND AIDS PATIENTS. (SOT) ((DR NEAL REISMAN, MD, JD/- GIVE ME PILL, AND IT HAS TO BE A SMALL PILL, AND I HAVE TO TAKE IT ONLY ONCE AND IT HAS TO HAVE NO SIDE EFFECTS, AND EVERYONE IS LOOKING FOR THE MAGIC SOMETHING.)) REISMAN IS ST LUKE'S INTERMIM CHIEF OF PLASTIC SURGERY... AND A LAWYER. HE' S ALSO ON THE BOARD OF A COMPANY THAT MAKES HGH: BUT HE SAYS HGH IS NO FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH. AND CAN EVEN BE HARMFUL IF IT'S MISUSED. I KNOW PEOPLE WHO HAVE DEVELOPED CANCERS, DIABETES, JOINT SWELLINGS, MOER SIGNS OF AGING FROM INAPPROPRIATE USE OF GROWTH HORMONE. AND DR REISMAN IS ALSO RAISING QUESTIONS ABOUT THE LEGALITY OF HGH FOR ANTI- AGING. THE FOOD AND DRUG ACT SAYS IT IS ILLEGAL TO DISTRIBUTE HGH QUOTE: " I DON'T KNOW THAT ANYONE HAS ACTUALLY FOR ANY USE IN HUMANS OTHER THAN THE TREATMENT OF A DISEASE OR OTHER RECOGNIZED MEDICAL CONDITION. " THERE IS SOMETHING I FOUND THAT LOOKS LIKE AN OFF-LABEL USE MIGHT BE A CONCERN. COME OUT AND SAID THEY'RE GONNA THAT WE'RE IN VIOLATION OF THIS AND THEY'RE GONNA COME AFTER THE DOCTORS THAT DO THIS. IN MY OPINION AS LONG AS WE'RE NOT ABUSING IT AND WE'RE KEEPING THINGS WITHIN A PHYSIOLOGIC LEVEL AS A PRESCRIBING PHYSICIAN I THINK WE'RE OK WITH THAT.)) AGUILAR WHO IS A RESPECTED PLASTIC SURGEON HERE, SAYS HE PRESCRIBES HGH FOR LESS THAN 1% OF HIS PATIENTS AND THAT IT IS SAFE WHEN USED AS DIRECTED. IF YOU LOOK AT THE DOCTORS WHO RUN ANTIAGING CLINICS THERE ARE NUMEROUS CLINICS IN HOUSTON THAT USE THIS A LOT, THEY'RE THE ONES THAT HAVE TO BE REALLY CAREFUL OF WHAT THE FDA MAY OR MAY NOT DO. TO PROVE SOMEONE HAS AN HGH DEFICIENCY, YOU NEED TO TEST FOR THE GROWTH HORMONE LEVEL. AGUILAR SAYS HE DOES TEST HIS PATIENTS. WE'VE BEEN USING IT SPARINGLY OVER THE PAST 5 YEASR AND THE PEOPLE WHO'VE BEEN ON IT HAVE REALLY ENJOYED IT AND HAVE A RENEWED SENSE OF ENERGY AND HAD IMPROVEMENT IN SOME OF THE MINOR ACHES AND PAINS. IS IT A PANACEA FOR EVERYTHING? NO. BUT REISMAN CAUTIONS: I THINK PATIENTS AND PHYSICIANS NEED TO BE VERY CAREFUL.

LENGTH-00:27 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A MANATEE COUNTY TEENAGER IS GOING TO PRISON FOR HER ROLE IN THE MURDER OF A 9-YEAR-OLD BOY. ASHLEY RIOS PLEADED NO CONTEST IN COURT TODAY. SHE WAS SENTENCED TO 4 YEARS IN PRISON FOR HER ROLE IN THE MURDER OF 9-YEAR OLD STACY WILLIAMS. ACCORDING TO HER ATTORNEY, RIOS' MUST TESTIFY AS A STATE WITNESS IN THE TRIAL OF ORLANDO VALENZUELA, THE ACCUSED SHOOTER. THAT TRIAL IS SET FOR LATE JUNE. SHERIFF'S INVESTIGATORS SAY WILLIAMS WAS SHOT AS THREE TEENAGERS WERE CHASING AND SHOOTING AT ANOTHER CAR..

LENGTH-00:32 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:30

THIS VALENTINES DAY... THE AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION IS MAKING A SPECIAL REQUEST....LOVE YOUR HEART.THE AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION IS USING VALENTINE'S DAY AS A REMINDER THAT IT'S NOT ALL ABOUT FLOWERS AND CANDY: IT'S ABOUT FINDING TIME EACH DAY TO EXERCISE THAT LEADS TO A STRONG HEART. THE ASSOCIATION SUGGESTS THAT CAN INCLUDE MORE TRIPS TO THE WATER COOLER IF YOU'RE AT WORK AND USING THE STAIRS MORE. RUNNING ERRANDS: PARK FARTHER FROM THE STORE WHENEVER IT'S SAFE SO THAT YOU CAN DO MORE WALKING. MYSUNCOAST-DOT-COM HAS MORE VALENTINE DAY ADVICE FOR HEALTH HEARTS. CLICK ON LINKS WE MENTIONED. THIS VALENTINES DAY...THE AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION IS MAKING A SPECIAL REQUEST....LOVE YOUR HEART. THE AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION IS USING VALENTINE'S DAY AS A REMINDER THAT IT'S NOT ALL ABOUT FLOWERS AND CANDY: IT'S ABOUT FINDING TIME EACH DAY TO EXERCISE THAT LEADS TO A STRONG HEART. THE ASSOCIATION SUGGESTS THAT CAN INCLUDE MORE TRIPS TO THE WATER COOLER IF YOU'RE AT WORK AND USING THE STAIRS MORE. RUNNING ERRANDS: PARK FARTHER FROM THE STORE WHENEVER IT'S SAFE SO THAT YOU CAN DO MORE WALKING.

FEBRUARY 13, 2008

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

POLICE IN NEW YORK CITY ARE LOOKING FOR A MAN THEY SAY STABBED A PSYCHOLOGIST TO DEATH WITH A MEAT CLEAVER. SURVEILLANCE VIDEO CAUGHT THE MAN ROLLING A SUITCASE INTO THE DOCTOR'S OFFICE. HE'S ALSO SEEN LEAVING THE BUILDING. HE LEFT TWO SUITCASES BEHIND AFTER STABBING THE GERIATRIC PSYCHOLOGIST TO DEATH. WHEN A COLLEAGUE CAME TO HELP.. HE ATTACKED HER TOO.. BUT SHE SURVIVED.. POLICE SAY THEY FOUND ADULT DIAPERS, WOMEN'S CLOTHING AND KNIVES INSIDE THE TWO SUITCASES..

LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A ROBBER WITH A ROMANTIC STREAK. POLICE IN KANSAS SAY A WOMAN CARRYING FLOWERS AND A BOX OF CANDY WALKED INTO A SUPER TARGET. SHE HEADED STRAIGHT FOR A BANK INSIDE. AND TOLD THE TELLER THE BOX CONTAINED AN EXPLOSIVE. THE TELLER GAVE HER MONEY, AND SHE TOOK OFF. THE STORE WAS EVACUATED. WHEN THE BOMB SQUAD ARRIVED, THEY FOUND THE BOX WAS FILLED WITH CHOCOLATES AND SOME HARMLESS WIRES.

LENGTH-00:17 ISSUECRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A 15-YEAR-OLD BOY SHOT AT HIS CALIFORNIA JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL YESTERDAY . THE SHOOTING HAPPENED IN A CLASS WITH MORE THAN 20 OTHER STUDENTS.

WITNESSES SAY THERE WAS A FIGHT IN A COMPUTER LAB, THEN A STUDENT PULLED OUT A GUN AND SHOT. A 14-YEAR-OLD WAS ARRESTED. THE BOY COULD FACE CHARGES OF MURDER AND USE OF A FIREARM,

FEBRUARY 14, 2008

LENGTH-00:29 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THE VIOLENT SEXUAL PREDATOR WHO ESCAPED A DESOTO COUNTY HOLDING FACILITY LATE LAST WEEK SAYS HE GOT OUT USING A WRENCH. INVESTIGATORS SAY BRUCE YOUNG LOOSENED BOLTS NEAR THE MAIN INTAKE AREA OF THE FLORIDA CIVIL COMMITMENT CENTER AND MANAGED TO ESCAPE WITHOUT SETTING OFF ANY ALARMS. YOUNG WAS ON THE RUN FOR TWO DAYS BEFORE BEING PICKED UP BY POLICE ONLY A FEW MILES AWAY. YOUNG TOLD INVESTIGATORS HIS DORM MATE WORKED ON THE MAINTENANCE PROGRAM AND KNEW WHERE THE SOFT SECURITY AREAS WERE LOCATED. BOTH YOUNG AND THE MAN WHO DEPUTIES SAY HELPED WITH THE BREAK OUT, ARE BEHIND BARS AT THE DESOTO COUNTY JAIL.... BOTH CHARGED WITH ESCAPE.

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

A CONVICTED KILLER IS BACK ON THE SUNCOAST. JACQUELINE POSTMA WAS FOUND GUILTY OF SECOND DEGREE MURDER BACK IN 2001 AND GIVEN A LIFE SENTENCE. THE CRIME... LURING HER HUSBAND TO A DUETTE CONVENIENCE STORE WHERE HE WAS KILLED. SINCE THEN, SHE HAS BEEN HOUSED IN THE HOMESTEAD CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION. ACCORDING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS, POSTMA IS OUT OF THEIR CUSTODY BY COURT ORDER AND BACK IN THE MANATEE COUNTY JAIL. DOCUMENTS SHOW POSTMA IS BACK ON THE SUNCOAST FOR AN APPEAL.

LENGTH-01:49 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

BRUCE WILSON LOVES RESTORING OLD CARS BUT PERSISTENT PAIN FROM A RUPTURED DISK IN HIS BACK AND DEGENERATIVE JOINT DISEASE MAKE IT DIFFICULT TO ENJOY HIS HOBBY. "I JUST CAN'T SIT, STAND OR WALK FOR ANY KIND OF EXTENDED PERIOD OF TIME." B-ROLL WALKS INTO OFFICE PATIENT WORKING AT DESK AFTER 5 SURGURIES AND NEARLY 270 THOUSAND DOLLARS IN MEDICAL BILLS BRUCE CAN NO LONGER WORK AND IS STILL IN PAIN TODAY. NEW RESEARCH SUGGESTS HE'S NOT ALONE. "WE'RE SPENDING A LOT MORE MONEY AS A SOCIETY ON TREATMENT AND DIAGNOSIS OF BACK PROBLEMS BUT WE'RE NOT GETTING CLEAR CUT RESULTS FROM IT." 9 BILLION DOLLARS IN 2005 PHYSICAL LIMITATIONS: FROM 21% TO 25 % RESEARCHER BROOK MARTIN AND HIS COLLEAGUES AT THE UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON ANALYZED DATA FROM NATIONAL HEALTHCARE SURVEYS FROM 1997 THROUGH 2005. THEY FOUND COSTS FOR TREATING SPINE PROBLEMS HAD INCREASED ROUGHLY 65 PERCENT. AMERICANS SPENT AN ESTIMATED 85.9 BILLION DOLLARS ON SPINE CARE IN 2005 AND THE PROPORTION OF ADULTS REPORTING

LIMITATIONS IN PHYSICAL FUNCTION INCREASED FROM 21 PERCENT IN 1997 TO 25 PERCENT IN 2005. "WE NEED TO LOOK MORE CAREFULLY AT NEWER TECHNOLOGIES AND NEWER PROCEDURES THAT COST MORE AND SEE IF THEY REALLY MAKE A MEANINGFUL DIFFERENCE FOR PATIENTS" PATIENT GETTING MRI DRUG VIDEO GFX/JAMA COVER OUTPATIENT VISITS AND EXPENSIVE PRESCRIPTION DRUGS CONTRIBUTED TO THE INCREASE IN COST. THE FINDINGS APPEAR THIS WEEK IN JAMA, JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION. "THAT'S ALARMING THAT WE MAY BE OVER PRESCRIBING, OVER UTILIZING AND OVER TREATING PEOPLE WITH BACK PROBLEMS." "I USED TO BE ABLE TO DO SO MUCH." B-ROLL PATIENT IN HOME AT DESK RESEARCHER LOOKS AT SPINE ON COMPUTER TIGHT OF SPINE XRAY PATIENT WALKING AWAY DOWN THE STAIRS BRUCE WILSON DID NOT HAVE THE OUTCOME HE EXPECTED. WHILE THAT IS NOT THE CASE FOR EVERYONE, RESEARCHERS HOPE THE FINDINGS WILL PROMPT PATIENTS TO ASK MORE QUESTIONS IN ORDER TO MAKE THE MOST INFORMED DECISION POSSIBLE.

FEBRUARY 15, 2008

LENGTH-00:27 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

POLICE ARE SEARCHING FOR A MAN THEY SAY FIRED SEVERAL SHOTS AT A WOMAN WHILE SHE WAS DRIVING.IT HAPPENED LAST NIGHT ON US 301 BETWEEN 53RD AVENUE AND 63RD AVENUE IN BRADENTON. PILAAR JONES SAYS A CAR DESCRIBED AS A BLUE MERCURY MARQUIS BEGAN FLASHING THEIR LIGHTS AT HER AND TAILGATING HER. WHEN SHE PULLED OVER, THE DRIVER GOT OUT AND FIRED TWO SHOTS AT THE CAR, MISSING THE VEHICLE. THAT'S WHEN JONES SAYS SHE HEARD THE PASSENGER OF THE CAR TELL THE DRIVER THEY WERE SHOOTING AT THE WRONG PERSON. THAT'S WHEN THEY TOOK OFF. JONES WAS IN THE CAR WITH HER CHILDREN, NO ONE WAS INJURED.

LENGTH-00:49 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

HEAVIER, SHORTER PEOPLE WITH LIGHTER SKIN HAVE AN ADVANTAGE DURING LONG COLD WINTERS - THEY'RE MORE ABLE BURN ENERGY AND RETAIN HEAT. BUT NEW RESEARCH SHOWS THAT THE GENETIC CHANGES WHICH ALLOWED PEOPLE TO ADAPT TO COLDER CLIMATES ALSO INFLUENCE OUR RISK FOR HEART DISEASE. SCIENTISTS STUDIED THE GENES OF PEOPLE FROM 54 DIFFERENT WORLD POPULATIONS. THOSE WHO LIVED IN COLD CLIMATES TENDED TO HAVE GENES FOR A HIGHER BASE METABOLISM RATE - THIS HELPS THEM KEEP WARM AND REDUCES THEIR RISK OF HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE. BUT OTHER GENES WERE NOT AS HELPFUL. PEOPLE IN COLDER REGIONS WERE ALSO MORE LIKELY TO HAVE GENES LINKED TO OBESITY AND HIGH BLOOD SUGAR. EXTRA FAT CAN PROTECT AGAINST CHILLY TEMPERATURES AND BLOOD SUGAR PROVIDES ENERGY, BUT THESE TURN INTO DISADVANTAGES WHEN THEY LEAD TO HEART DISEASE AND DIABETES. GENES CHANGE SLOWLY, OVER THOUSANDS OF YEARS, SO EXPERTS SAY WE HAVE WORK WITH THE ONES WE'VE GOT - TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE GOOD PARTS AND MAINTAINING A HEALTHY LIFESTYLE SO WE REDUCE THE INFLUENCE OF THE BAD.

LENGTH-00:30 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

AN ORLANDO MAN IS BEHIND BARS AFTER OFFICALS SAY HE LEFT HIS BABY AT A CAR CRASH. POLICE SAY A 19-YEAR-OLD MAN CRASHED INTO ANOTHER CAR WEDNESDAY NIGHT..AND LEFT HIS BABY BEHIND. OFFICERS FOUND THE LITTLE GIRL CRYING AND WEDGED BETWEEN THE SEAT AND SPEAKERS OF THE CRASHED CAR. THEY CAUGHT UP WITH HER DAD AT A NEARBY MCDONALD'S. INVESTIGATORS SAY THE MAN FLED BECAUSE HE WAS AFRAID OF GOING BACK TO JAIL FOR A PROBATION VIOLATION. HE NOW FACES THREE FELONY CHARGES, INCLUDING CHILD ABUSE. AS FOR THE BABY, SHE WAS RUSHED TO THE HOSPITAL TO GET CHECKED OUT.

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-6:00

FLU SEASON IS GETTING WORSE. U.S.HEALTH OFFICIALS SAY IT'S BECAUSE THE FLU VACCINE DOESN'T MATCH MOST OF THE CIRCULATING VIRUSES. INFECTIONS FROM AN UNEXPECTED FLU STRAIN HAVE BEEN BOOMING. SCIENTISTS AT THE U.S. CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION SAY THE CURRENT VACCINE IS A GOOD MATCH FOR ONLY ABOUT 40 PERCENT OF THE FLU VIRUSES SPREADING RIGHT NOW. THIS WEEK, 44 STATES REPORTED WIDESPREAD FLU ACTIVITY. THAT'S UP FROM 31 LAST WEEK.

LENGTH-00:40 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

NEW YORK POLICE ARE STILL LOOKING FOR THE MAN WHO HACKED A PSYCHOLOGIST TO DEATH WITH A MEAT CLEVER. INVESTIGATORS SPENT MORE THAN EIGHT HOURS QUESTIONING A PENNSYLVANIA MAN.. THE TWO MET AT A GUITAR CAMP SEVERAL YEARS AGO.. AND HAD BEEN CORRESPONDING THROUGH E-MAIL RECENTLY. BUT INVESTIGATORS RELEASED THE MAN, SAYING HE IS NOT A SUSPECT. NOW, THEY'RE HOPING SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS NEAR THE SCENE OF THE CRIME WILL HELP SOLVE IT. "WE ARE IN THE PROCESS OF CHECKING CAMERAS, WE CHECK CAMERAS OF THE ENTIRE AREA, 77TH STREET, NORTH INTO THE 80'S...IN THE PROCESS OF IDENTIFYING...STILL LOOKING AT CAMERAS IN THAT GENERAL AREA." THE PSYCHOLOGIST WAS KILLED IN HER NEW YORK OFFICE TUESDAY NIGHT. ANOTHER PSYCHOLOGIST WAS INJURED IN THE ATTACK.

FEBRUARY 16, 2008

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FEBRUARY 17, 2008

LENGTH-01:06 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-LATE

THE SCENES ARE SHOCKING IN THEIR CRUELTY ... COWS TOO SICK TO STAND ... BEING SHOVED WITH FORKLIFTS OR DRAGGED WITH CHAINS ACROSS A CEMENT FLOOR. THE ABUSE, UNCOVERED AND VIDEOTAPED BY THE HUMANE SOCIETY, LED TO CRIMINAL CHARGES FRIDAY AGAINST TWO WORKERS AT THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SLAUGHTERHOUSE . NOW IT'S RESULTED IN THE LARGEST BEEF RECALL IN US HISTORY ... 143 MILLION POUNDS. THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE SAID THE RECALL WAS PROMPTED BY EVIDENCE SHOWING THE COMPANY HAD FAILED TO CONTACT THE USDA VETERINARIAN, AS REQUIRED , WHEN CATTLE BECAME UNABLE TO WALK. (GRAPHIC) BECAUSE THE CATTLE DID NOT RECEIVE COMPLETE AND PROPER INSPECTION, IT SAID, HAS DETERMINED THEM TO BE UNFIT FOR HUMAN FOOD.... FEDERAL REGULATIONS STATE THAT CATTLE UNABLE TO WALK MUST BE KEPT OUT OF THE FOOD SUPPLY BECAUSE THEY HAVE A HIGHER RISK OF CONTAMINATION FROM E COLI, SALMONELLA, AND MAD COW DISEASE... ALTHOUGH IN THIS CASE, THE USDA STRESSES THAT THEY BELIEVE THE HEALTH RISK TO THE PUBLIC IS LOW. BEEF AFFECTED BY THE RECALL DATES FROM FEBUARY 1, 2006 TO FEBRUARY 2, 2008. THE HALLMARK/WESTLAND MEAT PACKING COMPANY SUPPLIES BEEF TO THE NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM, AS WELL AS SOME MAJOR FAST-FOOD CHAINS. (O/C CLOSE) OFFICIALS ESTIMATE ABOUT 37 MILLION POUNDS OF THE RECALLED BEEF HAS GONE TO SCHOOLS, AND MOST HAS PROBABLY ALREADY BEEN EATEN. SO FAR, THERE HAVE BEEN NO CASES OF REPORTED ILLNESSES LINKED TO THE BEEF.

FEBRUARY18, 2008

LENGTH-0:21 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

A CHARLOTTE COUNTY MAN IS BEHIND BARS AFTER LEADING AUTHORITIES ON A FOOT CHASE WHEN THEY TRIED TO MAKE A TRAFFIC STOP. CHARLOTTE COUNTY DEPUTIES SAY 20 YEAR OLD ZACHARY WALN WAS DRIVING ERRATICALLY IN THE PARKING LOT OF A PORT CHARLOTTE BOWLING ALLEY. WHEN THEY TRIED TO STOP HIM, HE TOOK OFF. WALN REPORTEDLY SCALED A NINE FOOT WALL BEFORE LEAPING INTO A CANAL TO GET AWAY FROM THE OFFICERS. HE WAS LATER CAUGHT, AND TAKEN TO THE CHARLOTTE COUNTY JAIL.

LENGTH-00:15 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

A PALMETTO TEENAGER IS CHARGED WITH FIRING A GUN IN PUBLIC.. DEPUTIES SAY 18-YEAR OLD AUGUSTIN ZUNIGA IS A GANG MEMBER.. DEPUTIES HEARD SEVERAL SHOTS FIRED INTO THE AIR SATURDAY NIGHT IN PALMETTO.. THEY SAY THEY FOUND A HANDGUN, ASSAULT RIFLE AND AMMUNITION IN A CAR HE WAS RIDING IN.

LENGTH-00:53 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

TIRED OF THAT PAIN IN YOUR NECK? WE'RE NOT TALKING ABOUT A PERSON HERE, BUT REAL NECK PAIN, THE RESULT OF A BAD DISC IN YOUR UPPER SPINE OR A PINCHED NERVE FROM A BONE SPUR. YOU DON'T HAVE TO UNDERGO DIFFICULT SURGERY. NOW YOU CAN JUST GET THAT DISC REPLACED!IT'S SIMILAR TO KNEE AND HIP IMPLANTS... A FIRST OF ITS KIND NECK PROCEDURE THAT'S NOW ON THE SUNCOAST, AT DOCTORS HOSPITAL. NORMALLY DOCTORS WOULD HAVE TO REMOVE A BAD DISC AND FUSE THE UPPER SPINE TOGETHER. BUT FOR THE LAST 2 WEEKS,, DR. RYAN GLASSER HAS BEEN REPLACING THE TROUBLED DISC WITH A NEW STAINLESS STEEL IMPLANT.I WAS ABLE TO TALK TO HIM DURING SURGERY AND LEARNED.. PATIENTS HAVE LESS NECK PAIN AFTER SURGERY, THEY DON'T HAVE TO WEAR A NECK BRACE, AND THEY CAN GET BACK TO ACTIVITIES FASTER. SURGERY TAKES ABOUT AN HOUR AND A HALF WE DO KEEP THEM OVERNIGHT BUT THEY DON'T HAVE TO WEAR A NECK BRACE WE REMOVE IT RIGHT AWAY AND THEY HAVE VERY LITTLE LIMITATIONS. MOVING THEIR NECK IN A DAY OR TWO." GLASSER SAYS THE DISC REPLACEMENT IS GREAT FOR A YOUNGER PERSON WITH A RUPTURED DISC IN THE NECK

LENGTH-00:29 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

THREE WOMEN ARE ARRESTED.. CHARGED WITH SCAMMING THE SUNCOAST SCHOOLS FEDERAL CREDIT UNION OUT OF MORE THAN 90-THOUSAND DOLLARS. STATE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENTS SAY 19-YEAR-OLD PRECIOUS DAY, 18-YEAR-OLD TEQUILA FERGUSON AND 26-YEAR-OLD FARRAH STURGIS TRIED TO DEPOSIT FAKE OR STOLEN CHECKS. THEN THEY'RE ACCUSED OF TRYING TO WITHDRAW THE MONEY QUICKLY OR BUY THINGS BEFORE THE FAKE CHECKS CLEARED THE BANK. F-D-L-E AGENTS SAY MANY TIMES THE WOMEN USED PEOPLE'S DEBIT CARDS AT A-T-M MACHINES...AND GOT THE MONEY THAT WAY TOO.

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A TIP FROM A VIEWER WHO WATCHED AMERICA'S MOST WANTED THIS WEEKEND LEADS TO THE ARREST OF A TAMPA MAN. HE WAS WANTED FOR SEXUAL BATTERY IN MARYLAND. ACCORDING TO THE SHOW'S WEBSITE...U-S MARSHALS HAD 28-YEAR-OLD JACOB GORDON IN HANDCUFFS WITHIN FIVE HOURS OF HIS TV DEBUT. THAT'S ONE OF THE FASTEST CAPTURES IN THE TV SHOW'S HISTORY. POLICE HELPED ARREST GORDON AT HIS TAMPA APARTMENT EARLY YESTERDAY MORNING. MARYLAND STATE POLICE WERE SEARCHING FOR GORDON, WHO THEY SAY BRUTALLY RAPED A WOMAN SEVEN YEARS AGO.

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-5:30

FEDERAL AGENTS SAY DRUG SMUGGLERS ARE ALWAYS COMING UP WITH NEW WAYS TO GET THEIR PRODUCTS TO THE STREETS. THE LATEST SCHEME INVOLVES SUBMARINES. GOVERNMENT AGENTS IN FLORIDA TRACKED AND CAPTURED A ONE-OF-A KIND DRUG SUB THAT MADE IT TO THE US. IT LOOKS LIKE A BOAT SKIMMING THE WAVES. BUT IT'S REALLY A SUBMARINE. THIS ONE WAS LOADED WITH MORE THAN 4 TONS OF PURE COCAINE,

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LENGTH-01:22 ISSUE-HEALTH SHOW TIME-EARLY

A FLORIDA POLICE OFFICER WITH THREE KIDNEYS HOPES HIS RARE KIDNEY COUNT WILL MAKE HIM THE PERFECT DONOR FOR A MAN IN NEED OF A NEW ONE. UP UNTIL TWO AND A HALF YEARS AGO RICKY WILLIAMS HAD A PRETTY NORMAL LIFE. A WIFE OF 21 YEARS, TWO CHILDREN AND A SECURE GOOD PAYING JOB. BUT HIS WORLD WAS TURNED UPSIDE DOWN AFTER A ROUTINE PHYSICAL. THE DIAGNOSIS.. RENAL KIDNEY FAILURE. IT WAS PRETTY SHOCKING AT THE ONE TIME CAUSE I NEVER THOUGHT LIKE THAT CAUSE I'VE BEEN PRETTY HEALTHY AND EVERYTHING AND THIS WAS A TERRIBLE BLOW TO ME NOW. WILLIAMS NEEDS A NEW KIDNEY HE'S ONE OF 98-THOUSAND PEOPLE ON THE KIDNEY DONOR LIST. THAT'S THE SAME AMOUNT OF CARS THAT TRAVEL ON THIS STRETCH OF I-95 EACH DAY. AS A FORT PIERCE POLICE OFFICER.. DEAN OVSHAK IS USED TO HELPING PEOPLE IN NEED. HE SAW OUR REPORT ON WPBF NEWS 25, HEARD WILLIAMS TALK ABOUT HIS BLOOD TYPE AND REACHED OUT. I NOTICED THAT HE WAS AN O POSITIVE BLOOD TYPE AND I 'M O POSITIVE AND SO I THOUGHT I'D EMAIL YOU AND SEE IF I WAS A POSSIBLE CANDIDATE FOR KIDNEY DONATION. OFFICER OVSHAK IS A RARE BREED.. IN MORE WAYS THAN ONE. I WAS IN THE HOSPITAL AT ONE TIME AND THE DOCTORS HAD MENTIONED THAT I HAD A THIRD KIDNEY. THAT'S RIGHT.. 3 KIDNEYS... IT'S RARE.. BUT NOT IMPOSSIBLE. SO I THOUGHT IF I GOT THREE I CAN EASILY SPARE ONE. EVEN IF I HAD TWO I WOULD BE WILLING TO DO IT IF WE WERE A MATCH. THE WILLIAMS HAVE TWO CHILDREN WHO BOTH ATTEND FLORIDA A&M UNIVERSITY. THEIR SON BRIAN MAJORS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE... THEIR DAUGHTER ROQUITTA IS WORKING ON A DEGREE IN SOCIOLOGY. THEIR FATHER'S WISH.. I DEFINITELY WANT TO SEE THEM GRADUATE AND I WANT TO SEE THEM HAVE KIDS THERE. A WISH OVSHAK HOPES TO FULFILL. WELL IF I'M COMPATIBLE HOPEFULLY IT WILL HELP HIM OUT AND GIVE HIM A BETTER CHANCE TO LIVE A LITTLE BIT LONGER AND SPEND MORE TIME WITH HIS FAMILY.

LENGTH-01:05 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

AS HE TOURED A MALARIA HOSPITAL "THIS MORNING", THE PRESIDENT WAS WELCOMED AS A HERO. NAT: SINGING/HUGGING A WARM RECEPTION FOR GOOD REASON. THE 1.5 BILLION DOLLAR ANTI-MALARIA PROGRAM MR. BUSH LAUNCHED IN 2005 HAS SHOWN DRAMATIC RESULTS. THE PROGRAM HAS REDUCED DEATHS IN 15 AFRICAN NATIONS...AND IN SOME COUNTRIES DEATHS HAVE BEEN CUT BY MORE THAN HALF. SOT: THE SUFFERING CAUSED BY MALARIA IS NEEDLESS. AND EVERY DEATH CAUSED BY MALARIA IS UNACCEPTABLE. THE US PROGRAM HAS BROUGHT LIFESAVING DRUGS TO THOSE ALREADY AFFECTED AND FOR OTHERS..INSECTICIDE-TREATED NETS, AND RESIDENTIAL SPRAYING TO WARD OFF MALARIA CARRYING MOSQUITOES. TODAY, WHILE THE PRESIDENT TOURED THE LARGEST MANUFACTURER OF THOSE BED NETS , WE WERE OUT IN ONE OF THE DISTRICTS RECEIVING THEM. NATS CLINIC IN THE LAST YEAR ALONE, NEARLY HALF THE POPULATION OF 200,000 CONTRACTED MALARIA. DURING THE HEIGHT OF MALARIA SEASON, WHICH WILL BE IN ANOTHER COUPLE OF MONTHS, ALL OF THESE BEDS WILL BE FILLEDSOMETIMES WITH TWO OR THREE CHILDREN PER BED. BUT AS BAD AS THAT IS, DOCTORS HERE SAY THE NEW BED NETS ARE BEGINNING TO MAKE A REAL DIFFERENCE. SO THIS HAS BEEN A REAL LIVE-SAVING PROGRAM? A: IT IS A REAL LIFE-SAVING PROGRAM. ASIA ABDALA SHOWED US THE BED NET SHE WAS GIVEN FOR HER SON'S ROOM IN THEIR SMALL MUD HUT...A SIMPLE, FIVE-DOLLAR NET THAT HAS TRULY KEPT CHILDREN ALIVE

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

AN ALERT FOR THIRTY AND FORTY SOMETHINGS. OUR AGE GROUP IS AMONG A GROWING NUMBER OF YOUNGER HEART ATATCK PATIENTS. NEW NUMBERS SHOW... OF THE MILLION PLUS MEN AND WOMEN WHO SUFFER HEART ATTACKS EVERY YEAR IN OUR COUNTRY..40,000 ARE BETWEEN THE AGES OF 35 AND 44. THE BEST SOLUTION TO PREVENT HEART ATTACK IS REGULAR EXERCISE AND A HEALTHY DIET. IF YOU DO SUFFER AN ATTACK, GETTING MEDICAL HELP QUICKLY IS KEY TO SURVIVAL.

LENGTH-00:41 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

TWO MORE! NO FANCY MACHINES AND NO SPECIAL SKILL LEVEL ARE NEEDED IN THIS FITNESS CLASS...JUST THE DESIRE TO GET MOVING. IT'S NOT A DANCE COMPETITION. YOU'RE NOT AUDITIONING FOR A MUSIC VIDEO. YOU'RE JUST HERE TO HAVE A GOOD TIME AND DANCE. AND DANCE IS WHAT GROUP GROOVE IS ALL ABOUT...ONE HOUR OF LATIN, URBAN AND CLUB MOVES THAT WORK UP QUITE A SWEAT. IT'S A CARDIOVASCULAR WORKOUT, SO THAT MEANS YOUR HEART RATE GETS ELEVATED AND THAT'S FAT BURNING. INSTRUCTOR NOEL MILLER SAYS NO DANCE TRAINING IS REQUIRED. IF YOU CAN WALK, IF YOU CAN MARCH, IF YOU CAN DO SOMETHING LIKE A STEP-TOUCH LIKE THAT, YOU CAN DO THE CLASS BECAUSE THOSE ARE THE FOUNDATIONAL MOVEMENTS. KRISTYE ADDISON USES THE CLASS AS A WAY TO RELIEVE STRESS. NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS DURING THE DAY YOU CAN JUST LET IT GO. AND, THAT IS THE BEST PART ABOUT THIS CLASS. IT'S A STRESS REDUCER. 4, 3, 2,...GO!

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-5:30

A NARCOTICS BUST IN VENICE LANDS FOUR PEOPLE BEHIND BARS. POLICE SAY THEIR UNDERCOVER INVESTIGATION INTO DRUG ACTIVITY IN THE NORTH GROVE TERRACE HOUSING DEVELOPMENT LED TO THE ARREST OF 41-YEAR-OLD PATRICK ENONCOURT, 25-YEAR-OLD ERICA MORRIS, 20-YEAR-OLD TYREE LAMAR MANNINGS, AND 38-YEAR-OLD DARREN THOMAS. THE FOUR FACE MULTIPLE CHARGES INCLUDING POSSESSION AND TRAFFICKING OF COCAINE AND MARIJUANA.

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A MAN WANTED BY POLICE IN NEW YORK SURRENDERED TO AUTHORITIES ON THE SUNCOAST. VENICE POLICE SAY WILLIAM BUTLER TOLD THEM HE WAS TIRED OF RUNNING. HE'D BEEN LIVING IN VENICE WITH HIS GIRLFRIEND. BUTLER IS WANTED BY NEW YORK AUTHORITIES. HE'S ACCUSED OF CRIMINAL POSSESSION OF STOLEN PROPERTY.

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:30

A STATE HOUSE COMMITTEE IS DISCUSSING HOW TO BRING HEALTH CARE TO MORE PEOPLE. A PLAN BY GOVERNOR CRIST AIMS TO CREATE LESS EXPENSIVE COMPANY HEALTH INSURANCE BY ALLOWING COMPANIES TO CHOOSE WHICH AILMENTS COMPANY INSURANCE WOULD COVER. THE GOVERNOR'S PLAN ALSO PROPOSES EXPANDING THE STATE'S POPULAR KIDCARE SUBSIDIZED HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM..AND EASIER LICENSING AND BETTER MONEY FOR DENTISTS IN OTHER STATES WISHING TO CARE FOR MEDICAID RECIPIENTS IN FLORIDA.

LENGTH-01:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

NINE O'CLOCK AT NIGHT... A SARASOTA WOMAN...HEADING SOUTH ON 301... SAW FLASHING LIGHTS IN HER REARVIEW MIRROR...DOING THE RIGHT THING, SHE PULLED OVER. SHE DIDN'T KNOW WHAT WOULD HAPPEN NEXT.. WOULD SHAKE HER TRUST IN POLICE OFFICERS AND LEAVE HER IN FEAR..THE OFFICER... WEARING A RED FLANNEL SHIRT.. WALKED UP TO HER CAR... TOLD HER HE BELIEVED HER CAR WAS STOLEN. "SHE TRIED TO EXPLAIN TO HIM THAT IT WAS HER CAR, AND SHE WAS THE OWNER." "HE ASKED HER TO STEP OUT AND PUT HER HANDS ON THE CAR.""SHE DID THAT, AND HE TOLD HER NOT TO MOVE AND HE WENT BACK TO HIS VEHICLE." THE WOMAN CALLED 9-1-1. THE OPERATOR TOLD HER THERE WERE NO OFFICERS IN THAT AREA.

"WE TOLD HER TO GET BACK IN THE CAR AND LOCK HER DOOR." LT. LESALTATO SAYS THE WOMAN DID THE RIGHT THING... AND GOT AWAY SAFELY.. IF YOU GET PULLED OVER BY AN UNMARKED CAR.. AND FEEL SOMETHING MAY NOT BE RIGHT.. DEPUTIES OFFER THIS ADVICE..FIRST, MAINTAIN THE SPEED LIMIT. PUT YOUR RIGHT SIGNAL ON... TO LET HIM KNOW YOU SEE HIM AND WILL PULL OVER. BUT BE SURE TO GET TO A WELL-LIT, WELL-POPULATED AREA."IF YOU'RE IN AN AREA THAT DOESN'T HAVE THAT, WHAT YOU CAN DO IS CALL 911 AND ASK IF THEY DO HAVE A POLICE OFFICER THAT'S PULLING YOU OVER." AND IF YOU'VE BEEN PULLED OVER BY SOMEONE NOT IN A UNIFORM.. KEEP YOUR DOORS LOCKED. CRACK YOUR WINDOW SO YOU CAN HEAR ASK TO SEE AN ID AND A BADGE..IF YOU DOUBT IT'S REAL.. CALL 911 A LEGITIMATE OFFICER WILL UNDERSTAND YOUR CONCERN..."YOUR TRUST IS BUILT UP TO TRUST POLICE OFFICERS, AND THERE'S NO TELLING WHAT COULD HAPPEN AT THAT POINT, IF IT'S NOT A POLICE OFFICER."

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

TWO NEIGHBORS GET INTO A FIGHT... AND IT ENDS WITH A STABBING. IT HAPPENED ON BIKINI ROAD IN SARASOTA AROUND 6 TONIGHT. DEPUTIES SAY THE NEIGHBORS WERE ARGUING, ONE PULLED OUT A KNIFE AND STABBED THE OTHER. DAVID HARVEE WAS ARRESTED. THE VICTIM WAS TAKEN TO BAYFRONT MEDICAL CENTER. HE'S EXPECTED TO BE O-K.

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A CALIFORNIA WOMAN IS ATTACKED WITH PEPPER SPRAY AND SUFFERS A STROKE. NOW SHE'S ON LIFE SUPPORT WHILE POLICE SEARCH FOR HER ATTACKER. THE 50-YEAR OLD WAS IN THE PARKING LOT OUTSIDE HER APARTMENT WHEN ANOTHER WOMAN CAME UP AND ATTACKED HER WITH PEPPER SPRAY THEN GRABBED HER BAG. IT WASN'T HER PURSE.. BUT A LUNCH BAG.. THE VICTIM MADE IT BACK TO HER APARTMENT.. THEN COLLAPSED.. SHE WAS RUSHED TO A HOSPITAL WHERE DOCTORS FOUND SHE HAD A BRAIN ANEURYSM. SHE'S NOW ON LIFE SUPPORT.

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A MIDDLE SCHOOL TEACHER APOLOGIZES IN COURT TO THE VICTIMS SHE SEXUALLY ASSAULTED. THE 24 YEAR OLD SOUTH CAROLINA WOMAN ADMITTED TO SEXUALLY ASSAULTING FIVE STUDENTS. THE ALLEGATIONS CAME TO LIGHT AFTER SCHOOL OFFICIALS SAW A NOTE SHE WROTE TO A MALE STUDENT. TODAY SHE WAS SENTENCED TO SIX YEARS IN PRISON. A PSYCHIATRIST WHO EVALUATED HER SAID SHE HAS A SEXUAL DISORDER.. BUT IS NOT A PEDOPHILE.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

FROM PENNSYLVANIA.. AN ANGRY PREGNANT WOMAN ATTACKS A BARTENDER.. POLICE SAY THE WOMAN.. WHO'S SIX MONTHS PREGNANT.. SMASHED A BEER BOTTLE AGAINST THE BARTENDER'S HEAD.. AFTER HE REFUSED TO SERVE HER MORE DRINKS.. HIS EAR WAS PARTIALLY DETACHED, AND HAD TO BE REATTACHED BY A SURGEON. THE WOMAN PLEADED GUILTY AND WAS SENTENCED TO SIX MONTHS PROBATION..

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LENGTH-00:31 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

AUTHORITIES IN SARASOTA ARE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR A MAN THEY BELIEVE TO BE IMPERSONATING A POLICE OFFICER. A WOMAN SAYS SHE WAS HEADING SOUTH ON US 301 FRIDAY WHEN SHE WAS PULLED OVER NEAR UNIVERSITY PARKWAY BY A CAR WITH RED AND BLUE FLASHING LIGHTS. SHE SAYS SHE WAS THEN APPROACHED BY A MAN IN A RED FLANNEL SHIRT WHO TOLD TO GET OUT OF HER CAR. THE WOMAN CALLED 911 AND WAS ABLE TO GET AWAY.THIS IMPERSANATOR IS DESCRIBED AS A WHITE MALE, SIX FOOT ONE TO SIX FOOT THREE INCHES TALL, IN HIS 30'S TO 40'S, WITH DARK HAIR AND A DARK MUSTACHE.DEPUTIES BELIEVE HE MAY BE DRIVING AN OLDER MODEL BLUE SEDAN.

LENGTH-02:02 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

THE TWO MOST IMPORTANT THINGS ABOUT SURVIVING A CARDIAC ARREST IS IDENTIFYING AN ABNORMAL RHYTHM QUICKLY AND THEN DELIVERING THE APPROPRIATE THERAPY." ACCORDING TO A STUDY THIS WEEK IN JAMA, JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, THERE IS CAUSE FOR CONCERN AT MANY U.S. HOSPITALS. PATIENTS WHO GO INTO CARDIAC ARREST WHILE HOSPITALIZED MAY BE LESS LIKELY TO SURVIVE. "WE WERE ABLE TO DETERMINE THAT SURVIVAL FROM CARDIAC ARREST WAS SIGNIFICANTLY LOWER WHEN THE ARREST OCCURRED DURING THE NIGHT OR ON THE WEEKEND COMPARED TO DURING WEEKDAYS." CARDIAC ARREST SURVIVAL RATES NIGHT: 15% SURVIVAL RATE DAY: 20% SURVIVAL RATE WEEKDAY WEEKEND 20% 17% DR. MARY ANN PEBERDY AND HER COLLEAGUES AT VIRGINIA COMMONWEALTH UNIVERSITY ANALYZED DATA FROM ABOUT EIGHTY-SIX THOUSAND INCIDENTS OF CARDIAC ARREST AT ROUGHLY FIVE HUNDRED U.S. HOSPITALS AND MEDICAL CENTERS. THEY FOUND PATIENTS WHO WENT INTO CARDIAC ARREST DURING THE NIGHT HAD ONLY A FIFTEEN PER CENT SURVIVAL RATE COMPARED TO A TWENTY PER CENT SURVIVAL RATE DURING THE DAY. DURING WEEKENDS THE LIKELIHOOD OF SURVIVAL ALSO DECREASED. "IT MAY BE A PHYSIOLOGICAL DIFFERENCE IN PATIENTS THAT ACCOUNTS FOR THIS STUDY, IT MAY BE THAT HOSPITAL STAFFING PATTERNS ARE DIFFERENT. BROLL STAFF WALKING IN HALL STAFF RUN DOWN HALL LOWER PATIENT SURVIVAL RATES WERE FOUND IN ALL AREAS OF THE HOSPITALS EXCEPT THE EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT. "THE EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT IS ONE OF THE ONLY AREAS IN THE HOSPITAL THAT HAS CONSISTENT STAFFING TWENTY-FOUR HOURS A DAY AND SEVEN DAYS A WEEK."

"LET'S SHOCK AGAIN" BROLL RESUSCITATION DRILL VIDEO THE STUDY RECOMMENDS HOSPITALWIDE RESUSCITATION TRAINING LIKE THIS AT ALL U .S. HOSPITALS WITH AN EMPHASIS ON NIGHT AND WEEKENDS. "IT'S IMPERATIVE THAT WE GO TO THE MEASURES IT WILL TAKE TO ADDRESS THIS ISSUE." L MANY HOSPITAL STAFF RESPOND TO ONE CARDIAC ARREST OR LESS A YEAR. ADDITIONAL TRAINING COULD HELP THEM RETAIN NECESSARY SKILLS AND IMPROVE PATIENT SAFETY IN THE PROCESS.

LENGTH-00:45 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

CANCER DEATH RATES HAVE BEEN DECREASING IN THE UNITED STATES SINCE THE EARLY 1990S. RATES HAVE DECLINED BY 18 PER CENT AMONG MEN AND MORE THAN 10 PER CENT AMONG WOMEN, THANKS TO WIDER USE OF SCREENING AND BETTER TREATMENTS FOR MANY CANCERS. IN THE NEW REPORT, RESEARCHERS FROM THE AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY ESTIMATE THAT THE GAINS MADE IN FIGHTING CANCER OVER THE LAST TWO DECADES HAVE SAVED WELL OVER 500,000 LIVES. BUT THE BATTLE IS NOT YET WON. THE REPORT ALSO FINDS THAT 1 IN 4 DEATHS IS STILL CAUSED BY CANCER, AND A HALF MILLION PEOPLE WILL DIE OF THE DISEASE THIS YEAR ALONE. AND UNLIKE THE PREVIOUS TWO YEARS, THE LATEST STATISTICS DO NOT SHOW A DECREASE IN ACTUAL CANCER DEATHS. RESEARCHERS SAY THIS IS BECAUSE THE AGING POPULATION CREATES NEW CASES OF CANCER FASTER THAN DOCTORS CAN FIND NEW WAYS TO TREAT IT. HOWEVER, THEY EMPHASIZE THE NEWS IS STILL MOSTLY GOOD - AMONG BOTH MEN AND WOMEN DEATH RATES ARE DOWN FOR ESSENTIALLY ALL CANCERS.

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:30

FOOD CONTAINING BEEF WILL RETURN TO MANATEE COUNTY SCHOOLS FRIDAY.
A SPOKESPERSON FOR THE SCHOOLS SAY THE MANATEE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT IS USING A NEW BEEF SUPPLIER. IT'S THROWING OUT 250-CASES OF BEEF THAT CAME FROM HALLMARK/WESTLAND MEAT PACKING COMPANY. THAT'S THE CALIFORNIA MEAT PACKING COMPANY NOW AT THE CENTER OF A SCANDAL THAT INVOLVED PROCESSING SICK CATTLE.

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-5:30

A CHARLOTTE COUNTY MAN WAS SAVING UP SOME MONEY IN A PIGGY BANK SHAPED LIKE A BABY BOTTLE..DEPUTIES SAY IT WAS DRUG MONEY. DEPUTIES RAIDED AN APARTMENT ON MURDOCK CIRCLE IN PORT CHARLOTTE THIS MORNING. THEY SAY THEY FOUND CRACK COCAINE AND 2-THOUSAND DOLLARS STASHED IN A MONEY JAR SHAPED LIKE A BABY BOTTLE. 23-YEAR OLD EMMANUEL CLARKE FACES DRUG-RELATED CHARGES. HIS 11-MONTH OLD DAUGHTER WAS IN THE APARTMENT TOO.

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

SHE ORDERED 250 PHOTOS OF HERSELF...THEN DEPUTIES SAY.. SHE STOLE THEM. THIS WOMAN IS ACCUSED OF STEALING THE PHOTOS FROM A CHARLOTTE COUNTY CVS STORE. THE PHOTOS COST 83-DOLLARS.. BUT SHE FORGOT THE PHOTOS WERE STILL IN THE PHOTO MACHINE COMPUTER MEMORY. THE STORE MANAGER PRINTED THE PHOTOS AND GAVE THEM TO SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES.. THE WOMAN WAS ALSO CAUGHT STEALING THE PHOTOS IN A SURVEILLANCE VIDEO.

LENGTH-01:48 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

IF YOU DON'T KNOW HANNAH LOGAN YET... CHANCES ARE YOU WILL ONE DAY. IN JUST THE PAST FEW MONTHS, THE 17 YEAR OLD HAS MANAGED HIGH SCHOOL, APPLYING TO 12 COLLEGES, TRAINING FOR A MARATHON, WORKING A PART-TIME JOB, *AND* BEING THE ONLY STUDENT TO EVER GET TO ORGANIZE THE NEW GATE SCHOOL'S LARGEST ANNUAL FUNDRAISING EVENT..."PLANNING EVERY LAST DETAIL OF IT BECAUSE THERE'S SO MUCH THAT GOES INTO IT LIKE SO MANY THINGS, LISTS AND LISTS, LIKE EVERYDAY. SO MUCH STUFF TO DO EVERY TIME." BUT SHE DOES IT ALL WITH A SMILE...EVEN AFTER WHAT'S HAPPENED. FOR MONTHS, LOGAN AND HER TEAM HELPED COLLECT ITEMS TO AUCTION OFF AT THE FUNDRAISING EVENT.."THIS ROOM WAS FILLED. THERE WASN'T ROOM ON THE GROUND ANYMORE." THE EVENT.. ATTENDED BY NEARLY 300 PARENTS AND STAFF... RAISES AN AVERAGE OF 130-THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR THE SCHOOL."SILENT AUCTION, LIVE AUCTION, DINNER, DANCE, RAFFLE. IT'S LIKE THE WHOLE THING." BUT WITH LESS THAN TWO WEEKS TO GO... SOMEONE BROKE INTO THE STORAGE SHED..."YOU WALK IN AND IT'S GONE, GONE." NEARLY ALL THE COLLECTED AUCTION ITEMS... STOLEN...IT'S MORE SHOCK THAN ANYTHING ELSE.. WHO WOULD DO THIS?""IT'S HEART RENDERING. IT'S SO DISTRESSING THAT SOMEONE WOULD DO THIS."SOME OF THE AUCTION ITEMS STOLEN... A TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING VIP TICKET PACKAGE...A LOU PINIELLA AUTOGRAPHED BASEBALL GIFT BASKETS D-V-R'S GIFT CERTIFICATES AND JEWELRY...WE HAD TO CALL PEOPLE AND SAY YOU WON'T BELIEVE WHAT HAPPENED. THEIR RESPONSE - YOU'VE GOT TO BE KIDDING." LOGAN IS ALSO UPSET... BUT THE TEEN IS BACK AT WORK TO SEE HOW SHE CAN SALVAGE THE BIG EVENT... AND SHE'S DOING IT WITH A SMILE OF COURSE..."NOW ALL THERE IS FOR US TO GET THROUGH IT AND GET AS MANY PEOPLE TO HELP OUT AS WE CAN."

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LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A NORTH PORT WOMAN IS TASERED AFTER SHE TRIES TO STEAL SHOES FROM AN AREA WALMART. ACCORDING TO OUR COVERAGE PARTNERS AT THE SUN HERALD... SECURITY GUARDS AT THE NORTH PORT WALMART SAY THEY SAW 21-YEAR-OLD BRITTANY SMITH OF SARASOTA AND A FRIEND TRY ON SHOES AND THEN TRY TO

WALK OUT OF THE STORE WITH THEM ON. OFFICERS SAY AS THEY WERE ESCORTING SMITH TO THEIR POLICE CAR SHE TRIED TO RUN AND WAS ABLE TO SLIP OUT OF THE HANDCUFFS...THAT'S WHEN POLICE TASED HER.SMITH IS ACCUSED OF STEALING ABOUT 60 DOLLARS WORTH OF ITEMS.

LENGTH-00:35 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

WHAT IF YOU COULD GO TO THE DOCTOR'S OFFICE AND HAVE A SERIES OF TESTS WITHOUT HAVING TO GIVE SO MUCH AS A DROP OF BLOOD? SOME SCIENTISTS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO-BOULDER MAY HAVE FOUND A WAY TO DETECT DISEASES BY TESTING JUST YOUR BREATH. THESE SCIENTISTS SAY BY USING A LASER, THEY HAVE FOUND A WAY TO TEST YOUR BREATH FOR DISEASES LIKE ASTHMA AND CANCER. THE SCIENTIST HAVE VOLUNTEERS BREATHE INTO WHAT IS CALLED A DETECTION CHAMBER. THEN USING A TECHNIQUE THEY CAN BLAST BREATH WITH LASER PULSES THAT CAN RECOGNIZE INDIVIDUAL MOLECULES. SCIENTISTS SAY THE LASER AND COMPUTERS CAN DETECT DISEASES LIKE ASTHMA AND ULCERS BECAUSE OF THE PRESENCE OF CERTAIN GASES. RESEARCHERS SAY THE WORK LOOKS VERY PROMISING AND THAT IT COULD EVENTUALLY RESULT IN CHEAPER HEALTH CARE SCREENINGS.

LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-ELDERLY 7 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A NEW STUDY SHOWS 44-PER CENT OF ALL AMERICANS WON'T BE ABLE TO MAINTAIN THEIR STANDARD OF LIVING ONCE THEY STOP WORKING. THE CENTER FOR RETIREMENT RESEARCH AT BOSTON COLLEGE SAYS ONE IN THREE BABYBOOMERS AND ONE IN *TWO* GENERATION X'ers WILL RUN OUT OF MONEY IN RETIREMENT BECAUSE THEY'RE NOT SAVING NOW. FINANCIAL EXPERTS SAY THE ONLY WAY TO MAKE SURE YOU HAVE ENOUGH FOR YOUR RETIREMENT YEARS IS PLAN AHEAD, AND SAVE AGGRESSIVELY OVER A LONG PERIOD OF TIME.

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A ROBBER IN VOLUSIA COUNTY LEARNED HIS LESSON ABOUT STEALING.TAKE A LOOK AT THIS. DRAMATIC SURVEILLANCE VIDEO OF A ROBBERY THAT DIDN'T GO AS THE ROBBER HAD PLANNED. POLICE SAY RICHARD PARRIS TRIED TO ROB A KANGAROO CONVENIENCE STORE , BUT A GROUP OF CUSTOMERS ATTACKED HIM INSTEAD. WHEN HE REACHED FOR THE REGISTER IN A KANGAROO STORE... THE CLERK PUNCHED HIM IN THE FACE. A TEENAGED CUSTOMER THEN HIT HIM WITH A SKATEBOARD. THEY HELD PARRIS DOWN UNTIL POLICE ARRIVED.

LENGTH-01:29 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

LEROY HUBLEY IS IN MOURNING. HIS WIFE AND SON BOTH DIED IN THE PAST TWO MONTHS -- HE BLAMES THE BLOOD THINNER HEPARIN, WHICH THEY RECEIVED DURING DIALYSIS. HE'S SUING THE MANUFACTURER. I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO SAY, I'M SO DAMN MAD. THERE'S NOTHING I CAN DO ABOUT IT . THE HEPARIN THAT'S CAUSING CONCERN WAS SOLD BY AN AMERICAN COMPANY, BUT THE ACTIVE INGREDIENT CAME FROM A PLANT IN CHINA - A PLANT THE FDA ADMITS IT NEVER INSPECTED - BECAUSE - AMAZINGLY- THE AGENCY CONFUSED THE FACILITY WITH ANOTHER ONE WITH A SIMILAR SOUNDING NAME. THIS IS AN AGENCY THAT IS CHARGED WITH SAFEGUARDING THE PUBLIC HEALTH, BUT IT'S BEING RUN LIKE THE KEYSTONE COPS, THAT IS UNACCEPTABLE. IT'S NOT YET CLEAR IF THE PROBLEM WITH THE HEPARIN ORIGINATED IN THE CHINESE PLANT - BUT THE CASE UNDERSCORES THE REALITY OF THE DRUGS WE USE TODAY. ROUGHLY 80% OF WHAT WE CALL ACTIVE PHARMACEUTICAL INGREDIENTS// ARE MADE OUTSIDE OUR COUNTRY. THE ACTIVE INGREDIENT FOUND IN CHOLESTEROL LOWERING DRUGS SUCH AS ZOCOR AND LIPITOR, FOR EXAMPLE COME FROM A HOST OF COUNTRIES, INCLUDING CHINA.AND INDIA. THERE ARE THOUSANDS OF OVERSEAS MANUFACTURERS - BUT THE FDA DOESN'T KNOW FOR SURE HOW MANY SUPPLY DRUGS HERE. IF THEY HAD AN ABSOLUTELY PERFECT LIST AND IF IT WAS ALL COMPUTERIZED, THEY STILL DON'T HAVE THE MONEY AND PERSONNEL TO DO WHAT WE EXPECT THEM TO DO. WHAT WE EXPECT-ARE INSPECTIONS. THE FDA IS REQUIRED TO VISIT U.S. DRUG PLANTS EVERY TWO YEARS, NOT SO FOREIGN PLANTS- BY ONE ESTIMATE THEY'RE REACHING JUST 7% OF OVERSEAS PLANTS A YEAR. WE NEED TO DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE THAT WE CAN TO ASSURE AMERICANS THAT THE DRUGS THAT THEY'RE GETTING FROM ANYWHERE ARE SAFE. BUT WITHOUT MORE RESOURCES AND INSPECTORS, LITTLE WILL CHANGE. AS ONE DOCTOR PUT IT, WHEN IT COMES TO FOREIGN DRUGS - THE FDA APPEARS TO BE ASLEEP AT THE WHEEL.

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

LOS ANGELES POLICE ARE GOING AFTER THE EVER PRESENT GROUP OF PHOTOGRAPHERS TRAILING TABLOID QUEEN BRITNEY SPEARS. TWO WERE ARRESTED OUTSIDE THE SALON WHERE SHE WAS GETTING HER HAIR DONE...ANOTHER FOUR WHO WERE TRAILING LINDSAY LOHAN WERE TAKEN INTO CUSTODY OUTSIDE A NIGHTCLUB.

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

PALMETTO POLICE ARE LOOKING FOR A MAN ACCUSED OF SETTING HIS EX-GIRLFRIEND'S HOME ON FIRE.. THE PALMETTO TRACE APARTMENT ON 7TH STREET DRIVE WEST BURNED TUESDAY NIGHT.. INVESTIGATORS 27-YEAR OLD BARTOLO GARCIA WAS SEEN BREAKING A WINDOW OF THE APARTMENT.. JUST BEFORE THE FIRE STARTED. POLICE SAY GARCIA IS NOW WANTED FOR ARSON AND BURGLARY.

LENGTH-00:54 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

MANY PEOPLE DO NOT RECOGNIZE THE WARNING SYTOMS FOR STROKE AND INSTEAD CALL THEIR REGULAR DOCTOR TO COMPLAIN ABOUT WEAKNESS ON ONE SIDE OF THE BODY , BLURRED VISION, OR TROUBLE TALKING. THIS PHONE CALL WASTES VALUABLE TIME, ACCORDING TO NEW STUDIES. RESEARCHERS FROM WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY CALLED UP LOCAL DOCTORS' OFFICES AND ASKED WHAT ADVICE THEY WOULD GIVE TO PATIENTS SUFFERING FROM A VARIETY OF SYMPTOMS. RECEPTIONISTS CORRECTLY SENT PEOPLE TO THE EMERGENCY ROOM FOR HEART ATTACK SYMPTOMS, BUT ONE-THIRD MISSED THE DANGER SIGNS FOR STROKE. INSTEAD, THEY SAID THEY WOULD ADVISE PATIENTS TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT LATER IN THE DAY - LONG AFTER THE WINDOW FOR OPTIMAL STROKE TREATMENT HAD CLOSED. IN A SECOND STUDY FROM AUSTRALIA, RESEARCHERS FOUND THAT STROKE PATIENTS WHO CALLED THEIR FAMILY DOCTORS WAITED MORE THAN SIX HOURS LONGER FOR TREATMENT THAN THOSE WHO CALLED AN AMBULANCE DIRECTLY. STROKE SYMPTOMS MEAN THE BRAIN IS STARVED FOR OXYGEN AND TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE - SO KNOW THE WARNING SIGNS AND ALWAYS CALL 9-1-1 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

LENGTH-00:43 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-5:30

WHEN IT COMES TO FINDING RENTERS ACE HOLLAND HASN'T HAD VERY GOOD LUCK. HE SAYS AFTER KICKING OUT THREE TENANTS BECAUSE OF DRUG USE HE WAS GOING TO MAKE IT CLEAR TO FUTURE RENTERS...IF YOU USE DRUGS, HE WON'T BE RENTING TO YOU.THEY CAN AFFORD TO DO THEIR DRUGS BUT THEY CAN'T AFFORD TO PAY THEIR RENT.SO HOLLAND DIDN'T JUST PUT UP AN ORDINARY FOR RENT SIGN... HE MADE ONE OF HIS OWN.IF YOU WANT TO RENT HIS PLACE...YOU HAVE TO BE WILLING TO TAKE AND PASS A DRUG TEST.I JUST CAME UP WITH AN IDEA MAYBE TO KEEP THE "DRUGGERS" OUT OF HERE AND MAYBE SOME PEOPLE WHO REALLY WANT TO LIVE IN A CLEAN SPOT WILL KNOW WHERE ITS AT.AND AFTER ONLY TWO DAYS UP... HOLLAND HAS ALREADY FOUND A RENTER.WHEN I SAW IT TO BE HONEST I LAUGHED FIRST, BUT THEN I WAS LIKE IT'S GOOD CAUSE I KNOW FOR A FACT THAT THERE IS NO DRUG USE AT ALL.

LENGTH-01:07 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

11-YEAR-OLD ELVIS GARCIA LIVES ALONG A BUSY BRADENTON ROAD. IT'S NARROW AND CARS GO FAST. HE USUALLY KEEPS AWAY FROM IT. HE KNOWS HOW DANGEROUS IT CAN BE. "MY MOM ALWAYS SAYS PLAY IN THE BACKYARD BECAUSE YOU MIGHT GET RUN OVER OR STUFF" THAT'S WHAT HAPPENED..AN 11-YEAR-OLD GIRL WAS RIDING HER BICYCLE ON THE SIDEWALK...ALONG THAT ROAD. A WOMAN.. WHO HAS THREE CHILDREN OF HER OWN WAS TRYING TO MAKE A LEFT HAND TURN TO GET HOME. "SHE STATED IN THE INTERVIEW SHE DID SEE HER BUT THOUGHT SHE WAS GOING TO STOP. THE LITTLE GIRL DIDN'T AND SUBSEQUENTLY THEY STRUCK." THE LITTLE GIRL'S BIKE WAS COMPLETELY UNDER THE S-U-V. THE DRIVER.. WAS CHARGED WITH DRIVING WITH AN EXPIRED DRIVER'S LICENSE AND CARELESS DRIVING. SHE WAS ARRESTED AND TAKEN TO THE MANATEE COUNTY JAIL.

"IF YOU SEE A CHILD DON'T ANTICIPATE WHAT THEIR MOVES ARE GOING TO BE. YOU SHOULD ANTICIPATE THEY ARE GOING TO PULL OUT IN FRONT OF YOU CAUSE 9 TIMES OUT 10 THAT IS WHAT THE END RESULT IS GOING TO BE."

FEBRUARY 22, 2008

LENGTH-00:27 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

TOPPING OUR HEALTH NEWS THIS MORNING, RESEARCHERS SAY THE NUMBER OF STROKES IN MIDDLE-AGED WOMEN ARE INCREASING...RESEARCHER BLAME IT ON OBESITY. THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA STUDY SAYS NEARLY TWO PERCENT OF WOMEN AGES 35 TO 54 REPORTED SUFFERING A STROKE BETWEEN 1999 AND 2004, COMPARED TO JUST HALF A PERCENT BETWEEN 1988 AND 1994. THE NEAR TRIPLING IN THE NUMBER OF STROKES COINCIDES WITH AN INCREASE IN WOMEN'S WAISTLINES AND BLOOD SUGAR LEVELS OVER THE PAST DECADE. RESEARCHERS SAY THE STROKE RATE HAS SPIKED IN MIDDLE-AGED WOMEN BUT STAYED ABOUT THE SAME IN MIDDLE-AGED MEN

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

A BRADENTON MAN IS BEHIND BARS THIS AFTERNOON FACING NUMEROUS SEX CHARGES INVOLVING A CHILD. ACCORDING TO THE ARREST REPORT, 40-YEAR OLD KELLEY MCDERMID IS CHARGED WITH MORE THAN A DOZEN COUNTS OF SEXUAL BATTERY. ACCORDING TO THE CHILD, THE INCIDENTS OCCURRED OVER A PERIOD OF FOUR YEARS BEGINNING WHEN SHE WAS JUST EIGHT YEARS OLD. SHE'S NOW 12. MCDERMID IS BEING HELD WITHOUT BOND IN THE MANATEE COUNTY JAIL.

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

IN MIAMI THIS AFTERNOON, POLICE ARE LOOKING FOR TWO MEN IN A SHOOTING AT LEFT ONE PERSON DEAD AND SIX OTHERS WOUNDED -- INCLUDING A TWO YEAR OLD CHILD. IT HAPPENED YESTERDAY IN THE LIBERTY CITY AREA... ONE OF THE WOUNDED IS IN CRITICAL CONDITION. THE OTHERS, INCLUDING THE TODDLER, ARE IN GOOD CONDITION. POLICE SAY SEVERAL GUNS WERE USED BASED ON THE BULLETS FOUND ON THE SCENE BUT NONE OF THE WEAPONS HAS BEEN FOUND. AT THIS POINT POLICE HAVE NO SUSPECTS.

LENGTH-01:16 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

THIS IS LIEUTENANT FRANK WEISSER, CALL SIGN: WALLEYE ONE OF THE NATION'S FINEST PILOTS AND THIS IS HIS PLANE THE BLUE ANGELS NUMBER SEVEN JET - IT'S THE ONLY TWO SEATER IN THE SQUADRON. YEP, HE WILL BE FLYING I'LL BE RIDING ALONG UP TO 1200 MILES AN HOUR. GRAVITY DEFYING MANEUVERS ARE SECOND NATURE FOR THE BLUE ANGELS. BUT TO PERFORM THE HIGH SPEED TURNS, ROLLS, CLIMBS, LOOPS, THE PILOTS NEED TO FIGHT GRAVITY AND PHYSIOLOGY... PRIORITY ONE: THEY NEED TO MAKE SURE THEIR BRAIN IS GETTING ENOUGH BLOOD AND OXYGEN. MAKE NO MISTAKE PILOTS ARE ATHLETES PUTTING THEIR PLANES TO WORK IN THE AIR MEANS THEIR BODIES WORK HARD IN THE GYM AND, HERE IS SOMETHING MAYBE YOU DIDN'T KNOW BLUE ANGEL PILOTS DON'T WEAR G SUITS OR GRAVITATIONAL SUITS INSTEAD, THEY RELY ON SOME SIMPLE TECHNIQUES. SOT WEISSER "FIRST AND FOREMOST YOU NEED TO LEARN AN AGSM - ANTI G STRAINING MANEUVER. WHAT THAT ENTAILS IS STRAINING YOUR LEGS, YOUR BUTTOCKS AND YOUR STOMACH TO KEEP THE BLOOD IN YOUR HEAD." PILOTS ALSO USE A SPECIAL BREATHING TECHNIQUE "IT SOUNDS SOMETHING HICK HICK HICK." BLUE ANGELS - LIKE OTHER MILITARY PILOTS - NEED TO WITHSTAND MORE THAN SEVEN GS. THAT'S MORE THAN SEVEN TIMES THE FORCE OF GRAVITY. AT 4G, BLOOD FLOW BECOMES A TRICKLE, AND YOUR VISION DIMS 4 AND A HALF G, YOU TEMPORARILY GO BLIND AT 8G, SIMPLY MOVING YOUR ARMS BECOMES IMPOSSIBLE. YOUR LUNGS START TO COLLAPSE, YOUR BP DROPS AND THE BLOOD IN YOUR LEGS START TO POOL. AND YES YOU CAN PASS OUT. OH, AND YES THERE'S MOTION SICKNESS WHEN YOUR BRAIN GETS CONFLICTING SIGNALS FROM YOUR EYES AND YOUR EARS. CONSIDERING I GET SICK IN THE BACK OF NEW YORK TAXI RIDES, THIS SHOULD BE QUITE A RIDE.

LENGTH-00:45 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

O'NEILL IS CURRENTLY SITTING IN THE SARASOTA COUNTY JAIL AFTER TURNING HERSELF OVER TO VENICE POLICE LAST NIGHT. SHE'S CHARGED WITH FOUR COUNTS OF AGGRAVATED CHILD ABUSE, TORTURE, AND MALICIOUS PUNISHMENT. THE VENICE POLICE DEPARTMENT AND THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES HAS BEEN INVESTIGATING DURING THE PAST FEW WEEKS. SOME OF INCIDENTS LISTED IN THE REPORT INVOLVE.....STRIKING AN 11-YEAR OLD STUDENT IN A WHEELCHAIR WITH A CATALOG. STRIKING AN 8-YEAR OLD STUDENT WITH DOWN SYNDROME WITH SEVERAL ITEMS INCLUDING A THREE RING BINDER. A TEACHER'S AIDE ALSO REPORTED SEEING O'NEILL TWIST A STUDENT'S ARM TO THE POINT OF MAKING HIM CRY. ANOTHER INSTANCES INVOLVING PUSHING STUDENTS TO THE GROUND. EVEN BEING SO VIOLENT TO CAUSE A STUDENT'S TOOTH TO COME OUT, GIVING BLOODY LIPS, AND HITTING CHILDREN WITH HEAD INJURIES IN THE AREA WHERE THOSE INJURIES WERE. THE VENICE POLICE DEPARTMENT SAYS THEY CAN'T REMEMBER ANYTHING THIS VIOLENT AGAINST STUDENTS IN THIS AREA."RIGHT NOW THE ALLEGATIONS WOULD LEND YOU TO BELIEVE IT WAS CALCULATED, IT WAS ONGOING, AND IT WAS PAINFUL FOR THESE CHILDREN."

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-5:00

YOU KNOW MAMMOGRAMS ARE USED TO DETECT CANCER. BUT STROKE? NEW RESEARCH FINDS, WOMEN WHOSE MAMMOGRAMS REVEAL A BUILD UP OF CALCIUM... COULD BE AT RISK FOR THE BRAIN ATTACK.. RESEARCHERS STUDIED 8000 WOMEN.

AMONG THOSE WHO SUFFERED STROKES, MORE THAN HALF HAD EVIDENCE OF CALCIUM ON THEIR MAMMOGRAMS, YET NO PREVIOUS SIGNS OF HEART DISEASE. DOCTORS SAY THIS MAKES ROUTINE EXAMS EVEN MORE IMPORTANT.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

AN ARGUMENT OVER WHO WAS SOBRE-ENOUGH TO DRIVE: A HUSBAND IS JAILED FOR DRIVING OVER HIS WIFE. MERRITT ISLAND POLICE SAY THE COUPLE'S DRUNKEN ARGUMENT IN A RESTAURANT PARKING LOT ENDED WITH RICHARD ZUBOWICZ RUNNING OVER HIS WIFE WITH THEIR S-U-V. SHE'S IN THE HOSPITAL IN CRITICAL CONDITION. ZUBOWICZ IS CHARGED WITH DRUNK DRIVING AND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.

FEBRUARY 23, 2008

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-EARLY

MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S ARE LOOKING FOR ROBBERS THEY SAY STOLE EQUIPMENT FROM TEO MODEL HOMES. IT HAPPENED SOMETIME BETWEEN 3 IN THE AFTERNOON FRIDAY ...AND EARLY THIS MORNING. OFFICIALS SAY THE THIEVES BROKE INTO THE HOMES IN THE FOREST CREEK SUBDIVISION ...NEAR US 301 IN PARRISH. THEY MADE AWAY WITH SEVERAL THOUSAND DOLLARS IN ELECTRONICS EQUIPMENT.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-EARLY

FORT LAUDERDALE POLICE ARE INVESTIGATING ... IF A 17-YEAR-OLD BOY WAS KILLED THIS WEEK ...BECAUSE HE WAS GAY. SIMMIE WILLIAMS JUNIOR WAS KILLED EARLY FRIDAY MORNING. OFFICIALS SAY THE AREA WHERE WILLIAMS WAS FOUND ...IS A POPULAR HANGOUT FOR TRANSGENDERS... WILLIAMS' MOTHER SAYS ...THE BOY PLANNED TO GO TO CULINARY SCHOOL.

FEBRUARY 24, 2008

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-EARLY

A MANATEE COUNTY MAN IS BUSTED FOR WALKING THROUGH THE BACKYARDS OF A BRADENTON NEIGHBORHOOD.. BUCK NAKED.. SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES ARRESTED 65-YEAR-OLD DUNCAN KIRK LAST NIGHT ON WAGON WHEEL CIRCLE. DEPUTIES SAY KIRK TRIED TO RUN OFF WHEN THEY APPROACHED.. THEN RESISTED AS DEPUTIES

TRIED TO HANDCUFF HIM..KIRK IS CHARGED WITH LOITERING, PROWLING, AND RESISTING ARREST.

FEBRUARY 25, 2008

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

DETECTIVES HAVE MADE ANOTHER ARREST IN CONNECTION WITH THE JANUARY SHOOTING DEATH OF 16 YEAR OLD JAMES HOLDERNESS. 22 YEAR OLD MICHAEL HECKERMAN WAS ARRESTED LAST NIGHT NEAR HIS HOME IN SOUTHERN MANATEE COUNTY. SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES HAD ORIGINALLY ARRESTED MATTHEW LAMBETH FOR THE SHOOTING BUT SAY FURTHER INVESTIGATION LED TO EVIDENCE INDICATING HECKERMAN WAS THE SHOOTER. THE STATE ATTORNEY OFFICE IS DROPPING THE MURDER CHARGE AGAINST LAMBETH

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-ELDERLY 7 SHOW TIME-12:00

A CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANT IN PINELLAS COUNTY FACES UP TO FIVE-YEARS IN PRISON. 27-YEAR OLD DANA MAJEWSKI IS CHARGED WITH BREAKING THE FINGER OF AN 84-YEAR OLD RESIDENT OF HEALTHSOUTH REHABILITATION HOSPITAL IN LARGO. WITNESSES TOLD INVESTIGATORS MAJEWSKI BECAME ANGRY WITH THE VICTIM WHILE TRYING TO PREPARE HER BREAKFAST. THE HOSPITAL FIRED MAJEWSKI. SHE'S CHARGED WITH THIRD-DEGREE FELONY BATTERY ON AN ELDERLY PERSON.

LENGTH-01:08 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

PACKED EMERGENCY ROOMS, EMPTY CLASSROOMS, AND BUSTLING COLLEGE INFIRMARIES.. THEY'RE ALL SIGNS WE'RE GOING THROUGH A MISERABLE FLU SEASON "IT THINK ITS BEEN WORSE THIS YEAR THAN PRIOR YEARS" IT HAS BEEN. THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL SAYS THE FLU IS NOW TEARING THROUGH 49 OUT OF 50 STATESUP FROM 44 STATES LAST WEEK. "WE DO HAVE A STRAIN THAT IS NOT COVERED IN THIS YEAR'S FLU VACCINE." ONE OF THE REASONS? THIS YEAR'S FLU SHOT HASN'T BEEN WORKING.. IT DOESN'T MATCH TWO OF THE THREE MAIN FLU BUGS KNOCKING PEOPLE DOWN. NORMALLY THE VACCINE ELIMINATES MORE THAN 70% OF POTENTIAL CASES. .. THIS YEAR IT'S ABOUT 40 PERCENT. IT'S NOT A GREAT VACCINE THIS YEAR, IT IS NOT VERY EFFECTIVE." THAT'S BECAUSE SCIENTISTS HAVE TO FIGURE OUT WHICH FLU STRAINS ARE GOING TO BE DOMINANT ABOUT NINE MONTHS IN ADVANCE TO GIVE TIME TO PRODUCE THE VACCINE . THIS YEAR THEY GUESSED WRONG.. " IN THE PAST COUPLE OF DECADES WE'VE BEEN RIGHT MOST YEARS NOT ALL YEARS FOR SURE. THIS YEAR IT WAS NOT RIGHT. THE MISTAKE DOESN'T JUST LEAD TO COUGHING AND SNEEZINGAN ESTIMATED 36000 AMERICANS DIE EACH YEAR FROM INFLUENZA. DOCTORS STILL RECOMMEND GETTING THE FLU

VACCINE EVEN IF IT DOESN'T PREVENT YOU FROM GETTING SICK.... BECAUSE IT WILL PROTECT AGAINST MORE SERIOUS COMPLICATIONS.. SO IT'S WORTH THE SHOT IN THE ARM..

LENGTH-01:01 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

NEW HOPE FOR HIGH RISK HEART PATIENTS. IT'S A NEW DEVICE FOR PEOPLE WHOSE HEARTS ARE TOO WEAK TO WITHSTAND A CATHETER PROCEDURE TO OPEN BLOCKED ARTERIES. AND NOW IT'S COME TO SARASOTA. CARDIOLOGISTS AT SARASOTA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL REROUTE BLOOD FROM THE HEART TO AN EXTERNAL PUMP CALLED THE TANDEM HEART. I TALKED TO DR. STEVE CULP ABOUT IT IN THE CATH LAB LAST WEEK. HE EXPLAINED.. THE PUMP TAKES OVER THE HEART'S JOB... SO *IT* WON'T BE OVER- STRESSED DURING ANGIOPLASTY. AND IT'S MAKING A BIG DIFFERENCE FOR PATIENTS WHOSE HEARTS OTHERWISE WOULDN'T BE STRONG ENOUGH TO BE FIXED. THIS IS AWESOME FOR MANY PATIENTS BECAUSE WE HAVE PATIENTS WHO REALLY HAVE RUN OUT OF OPTIONS AND ALL OF A SUDDEN THERE'S A NEW OPTION ON THE TABLE."" I FEEL NORMAL NOW. I DON'T HAVE THE PAIN, THE CHEST PAIN, I THINK THESE DOCTORS CURED THAT PROBLEM." THAT'S DON DENNEN, THE FIRST PATIENT IN OUR AREA TO BENEFIT FROM THE TANDEM HEART. HIS CARDIOLOGIST PREMALA RAJA IS CREDITED WITH RECOGNIZING THAT NO ONE ELSE BUT CULP COULD HELP HIM, AND THAT THE NEW DEVICE AT MEMORIAL WAS HIS LAST HOPE.

LENGTH-00:58 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

ELMO ROWE CAME HOME MONDAY AFTERNOON TO FIND HIS HOUSE PART OF A CRIME SCENE. YELLOW TAPE BLOCKED HIM FROM GETTING INSIDE."IT DO MAKE YOU NERVOUS. IT MAKES YOU WONDER WHAT WILL HAPPEN NEXT." SARASOTA POLICE SAY JUST BEFORE 1:30, SOMEONE WITH A GUN SHOT A MAN SEVERAL TIMES. IT HAPPEND IN THE BACKYARD OF THIS HOME ON THE 27-HUNDRED BLOCK OF GOODRICH AVENUE IN NEWTOWN. THE VICTIM, FOUND SHOT IN THE BACKYARD WHEN POLICE ARRIVED. "WHAT WE BELIEVE IS THAT THE VICTIM WHO WAS INSIDE THE GOODRICH HOME CAME OUT, SHOT IN THE BACKYARD AND SOME OF THE BULLET FRAGMENTS WENT INTO THIS HOUSE. SO THAT'S PART OF THE CRIME SCENE." POLICE SAY THE BULLETS PIERCED THIS WOODEN FENCE AND SOME HIT THIS HOME. FORENSICS TEAMS SEARCHED FOR EVIDENCE AROUND THE HOME. THE SHOOTER GOT AWAY. ROWE TELLS ME HE IS GLAD HE WASN'T HOME WHEN THE BULLETS STARTED FLYING."IT COULD HAVE HAPPENED TO ME. I WAS WALKING AROUND THE YARD OUT THERE AND IT COULD HAVE BEEN ME. THAT'S WHAT'S MAKES YOU NERVOUS... YOU DON'T KNOW IF YOU WANT TO STAY OR WANT TO LEAVE HERE." THE SHOOTING COMES JUST DAYS AFTER TWO COMMUNITY MEETINGS WERE HELD TO HELP BETTER NEWTOWN. THE VICTIM IS AT BAYFRONT MEDICAL CENTER WITH NON LIFE THREATENING INJURIES.

LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

A SARASOTA WOMAN IS CHARGED WITH GRAND THEFT AFTER STEALING A BIRD FROM A PET STORE. DEPUTIES SAY 39-YEAR OLD TAMMY JOSLIN WENT INTO THE PETLAND ON FRUITVILLE ROAD ON VALENTINES DAY. THE STORE'S SURVEILLANCE CAMERA CAUGHT HER PUTTING A ROSE BREASTED COCKATOO INSIDE HER SHIRT AND THEN INTO HER PURSE. LAST WEEK DEPUTIES SAYS JOSLIN ADMITTED TO STEALING THE 25-HUNDRED DOLLAR BIRD.

LENGTH-00:31 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

HE APOLOGIZED TODAY FOR KILLING HIS PREGNANT LOVER AND THEIR UNBORN CHILD. AND BEGGED A JURY TO SPARE HIS LIFE. FORMER POLICE OFFICER BOBBY CUTTS WAS CONVICTED OF THE CRIMES. A JURY IN CANTON, OHIO IS STILL DECIDING WHETHER TO RECOMMEND THE DEATH SENTENCE OR LIFE IN PRISON. CUTTS APOLOGIZED TO JESSIE DAVIS'S FAMILY AND SAID HE PRAYS THAT THEY FIND PEACE AND EVENTUALLY ROOM FOR FORGIVENESS. HE SAID HE NEVER INTENDED TO TO HURT DAVIS AND THEIR UNBORN BABY. HE CLAIMS HE ACCIDENTALLY KILLED HER WITH A BLOW TO THE THROAT...PANICKED AND THEN DUMPED HER BODY IN A PARK.

FEBRUARY 26, 2008

LENGTH-01:33 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

FLOYD FOSTER'S CARIBBEAN BAR IS THE NEW FRONT LINE IN THE COLA WARS. THIS IS THE UNDA DA BRIDGE RAW FOSTER'S CLUB - ONE OF A FEW TO GLOBALLY LAUNCH PEPSI RAW. PEPSI SAYS ITS MADE FROM NATURAL INGREDIENTS - NO ARTIFICIAL PRESERVATIVES, COLORS, OR FLAVORINGS. FOSTER MIXES IT IN COCKTAILS. THIS DRINK IS ACTUALLY A PERFECT DRINK , I MEAN, FOR ADDING TO RUMS. RAW IS FLAVORED WITH SUGAR CANE, APPLE AND CARAMEL EXTRACTS. SOME WONDER IF IT CAN DENT COCA-COLA'S LEAD IN THE U-K'S REPORTED 12-BILLION-DOLLAR A YEAR COLA MARKET. RAW WON'T REPLACE REGULAR PEPSI...THAT'S SOMETHING COKE LEARNED THE HARD WAY WITH "NEW COKE" IN THE 80S. HE NEW TASTE OF COCA-COLA. BETTER THAN EVER BEFORE. TOO MANY SAID WASN'T. INSTEAD, COLA MARKET WATCHERS SAY, RAW DIVERSIFIES PEPSI'S PORTFOLIO - BUT THAT HASN'T ALWAYS WORKED EITHER. REMEMBER CRYSTAL PEPSI? 19-93'S CLEAR COLA WITH THE VAN HALEN TRACK? EXACTLY. EXPERTS SAY PEPSI'S PITCHING RAW AS A HIGHER PRICE NATURAL DRINK - MIGHT JUST WORK. IT IS NO SURPRISE THAT THEY DECIDED TO LAUNCH THIS IN THE U-K, BECAUSE I THINK THE U-K MARKET IS REALLY KEEN ON SORT OF A SLIGHTLY HEALTHIER OPTIONS AND - BUT, WHAT THEY WANT ARE HEALTHIER OPTIONS WITHOUT NECESSARILY GIVING UP THE TASTE. PEPSI MAKES IT CLEAR THEY RAW IS A NATURAL DRINK... NOT NECESSARILY HEALTHIER. WE WANTED TO BRING THE PRODUCT, TO THE PEOPLE. SO WE ASKED PEPSI TO SET UP THEIR OWN

TABLE - SERVE PEPSI RAW LIKE THEY WANT IT TO BE SERVED. AND SEE WHAT THE PEOPLE THINK. THESE GUYS SKEPTICALLY DRANK IT UP. EVERYBODY IS TURNING HEALTHY AND GLOBAL WARMING AND THIS - ITS - ITS JUST ALL TO DO WITH THE GREEN THING. AND THIS IS JUST JUMPING ON THE BANDWAGON. IT IS QUITE NICE. BUT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY MORE FOR IT? UH, IT DEPENDS. IT TASTES LIKE GRASS. DON'T YOU THINK? ITS QUITE FRUITY IF I WAS GOING TO PUT ALCOHOL IN IT, I WOULD PROBABLY USE REGULAR COKE BECAUSE IT IS CHEAPER. IN A FRAGILE BRITISH ECONOMY, PAYING PREMIUM FOR A PEPSI PRODUCT MAY SEEM TOO MUCH TO ASK. BUT AS THE COLA WARS GO, THERE MAY BE NO ACCOUNTING FOR GOOD TASTE.

LENGTH-000:49 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

ADULT STEM CELLS ARE THOSE FOUND IN BLOOD AND BONE MARROW. THEY ARE LIMITED IN NUMBER AND IN THE TYPES OF OTHER CELLS THEY CAN PRODUCE, BUT NEW RESEARCH SUGGESTS ADULT STEM CELLS DO HAVE GREAT POTENTIAL FOR TREATING - EVEN CURING - HUMAN DISEASE. DOCTORS FROM NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY REVIEWED MEDICAL STUDIES ON AROUND 2500 PATIENTS WHO WERE TREATED WITH ADULT STEM CELLS - SOME FOR HEART DISEASE, OTHER FOR IMMUNE SYSTEM DISORDERS SUCH AS TYPE ONE DIABETES OR MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS. RESULTS SHOWED THAT PATIENTS WHO RECEIVED STEM CELLS AFTER A HEART ATTACK HAD SOME MODERATE IMPROVEMENTS IN HEART FUNCTION. SOME PATIENTS WITH IMMUNE DISORDERS EVEN WENT INTO REMISSION AFTER CELLULAR TREATMENT, INCLUDING BARRY GROUDY, WHO WAS TREATED WITH ADULT STEM CELLS FOR HIS MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS. THE NEW CELLS HELPED REBUILD BARRY'S DAMAGED IMMUNE SYSTEM. RESEARCHERS SAY THAT MANY ILLNESSES COULD BENEFIT FROM ADULT STEM CELLS, BUT MUCH MORE STUDY IS NEEDED TO DETERMINE THE BEST TYPES OF CELLS TO USE AND WHEN TO GIVE THEM.

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOOW TIME-11:00

LIFE IMITATING ART IN A CALIFORNIA MOVIE THEATER.. TWO MEN WERE ATTACKED WHILE WATCHING A *HORROR* MOVIE CALLED "THE SIGNAL".. THE ATTACKER PUNCHED ONE MAN...THEN STABBED THE OTHER IN THE ARM AND CHEST. WORKERS AT THE THEATER HAD KICKED THE ATTACKER OUT EARLIER IN THE DAY AFTER HE TRIED TO BRING ALCOHOL INSIDE AND WAS ACTING STRANGELY.. IT APPEARS TO BE A RANDOM CRIME.

FEBRUARY 27, 2008

LENGTH-01:58 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

BARRY GOUDY WAS DIAGNOSED WITH MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS IN 1995. HE BEGAN LOSING FEELING IN HIS LEFT LEG AND AS TROUBLE WITH HIS CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM PROGRESSED HE STARTED TO LOSE HIS VISION. "YOU SIT AND YOU CRY AND YOU WONDER WHY YOU AND THEN I WENT BACK TO MY NEUROLOGIST AND SAID TELL ME HOW I CAN FIGHT THIS." BARRY ENROLLED IN A CLINICAL TRIAL IN 2003. AFTER FIVE DAYS OF CHEMOTHERAPY TO DESTROY HIS IMMUNE CELLS, DOCTORS USED HIS OWN STEM CELLS TO REBUILD HIS IMMUNE SYSTEM. "I HAVE NO SYMPTOMS OF MS. I DO NO TREATMENT FOR MS, I DO NO SHOTS." RICHARD BURT AND HIS COLLEAGUES AT NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY FEINBERG SCHOOL OF MEDICINE REVIEWED THE OUTCOMES OF ABOUT TWENTY-FIVE HUNDRED PATIENTS WHO HAD STEM CELL TRANSPLANTS. THEY FOUND THE CELLS APPEAR TO BE PUTTING SOME PATIENTS WITH AUTOIMMUNE DISEASES IN REMISSION AND ARE OFFERING SOME IMPROVEMENT IN HEART FUNCTION TO PATIENTS WHO HAVE SUFFERED HEART ATTACKS. "IT'S A WHOLE NEW APPROACH TO THESE DISEASES. RATHER THAN JUST SURGERY OR DRUGS THAT YOU CAN USE, A CELLULAR APPROACH THAT SEEMS IN MANY DIFFERENT STUDIES TO BE BENEFITTING THE PATIENT." THE REVIEW APPEARS THIS WEEK IN JAMA, JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION. UNLIKE EMBRYONIC STEM CELLS THAT RESULT IN THE DESTRUCTION OF AN EMBRYO, ADULT STEM CELLS COME FROM YOUR OWN BLOOD OR BONE MARROW OR SOMEONE ELSE'S. THE TRANSPLANT APPEARS TO BE SAFE. "THERE'S VERY LOW RISK. LESS THAN ONE PER CENT MORTALITY FROM THE PROCEDURE. " BARRY NOW LEADS AN ACTIVE LIFESTYLE. HERE HE IS WITH THE ICE HOCKEY TEAM HE COACHES. "I'VE HAD FIVE YEARS OF GOOD LIFE. FIVE YEARS. IF I DIDN'T DO THE TRANSPLANT I WOULD PROBABLY BE IN A WHEELCHAIR TODAY." HE KNOWS THERE ARE NO GUARANTEES HOW LONG HIS REMISSION MIGHT LAST BUT HE SAYS HE'S LIVING PROOF STEM CELL TRANSPLANTS DO WORK.

LENGTH-00:21 ISSUEE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

SARASOTA POLICE ARE LOOKING FOR THIS MAN.. THEY SAY HE COULD BE CONNECTED TO THE SHOOTING....DEANDRE TUNSTALL IS CURRENTLY WANTED ON SEVERAL OTHER COUNTS OF ARMED ROBBERY AND AGGRAVATED ASSAULT..

LENGTH-00:51 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

POLK COUNTY DEPUTIES WORKING WITH U.S. MARSHALS SAY THEY HAVE CAUGHT A MAN ACCUSED OF MORE THAN 80 COUNTS OF SEXUAL ASSAULT ON CHILDREN. THIRTY YEAR OLD ISRAEL TREJO WAS ARRESTED IN HAINES CITY LAST NIGHT FEDERAL INVESTIGATORS SAY HE FLED TO POLK COUNTY FROM ONSLOW COUNTY IN NORTH CAROLINA. ON TOP OF THE RAPE CHARGES, AUTHORITIES SAY TREJO IS IN THE COUNTRY ILLEGALLY.

FEBRUARY 28, 2008

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A FORMER SARASOTA COUNTY ATTORNEY WON'T BE GOING TO JAIL FOR ADMITTING TO MISUSING TAX PAYERS MONEY. ACCORDING TO OUR COVERAGE PARTNERS AT THE PELICAN PRESS... JORGE FERNANDEZ HAS PLEADED GUILTY TO MISUSING A CITY EXPENSE ACCOUNT. FOR 13-YEARS HE ADVISED COUNTY COMMISSIONERS..AND REPRESENTED SARASOTA COUNTY ON LEGAL MATTERS. HE LEFT IN 2004 TO BECOME THE CITY OF MIAMI'S ATTORNEY. FERNANDEZ HAS NOW RESIGNED FROM THAT JOB HE WILL AVOID JAIL TIME...BUT WAS PUT ON ONE YEAR PROBATION AND HAS TO REPAY MORE THAN THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

LENGTH-00:15 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

THE SARASOTA SHERIFF'S OFFICE HAS RELEASED SURVEILANCE PICTURES OF A MAN WHO HAS DEFRAUDED VARIOUS AREA SANDWICH SHOPS - - DETECTIVES SAY HE OVERPAYS FOR LARGE CATERING ORDERS WITH BOGUS CASHIERS CHECKS AND THEN POCKETS THE DIFFERENCE.

LENGTH-01:11 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

THE NUMBER OF PRESCRIPTIONS FOR ANTIDEPRESSANTS IS STAGGERING. 118-MILLION EACH YEAR, IN THE LATEST COUNT.. THAT'S ONE PRESCRIPTION FOR EVERY 2-AND-A- HALF AMERICANS. BUT THERE'S NEW EVIDENCE THIS MORNING THAT ANTIDEPRESSANTS BENEFIT ONLY THOSE PATIENTS WHO ARE VERY SEVERELY DEPRESSED. RESEARCHERS REVIEWED STUDIES OF FOUR COMMONLY PRESCRIBED ANTIDEPRESSANTS - PROZAC, PAXIL, EFFEXOR AND SERZONE - AND THEIR CONCLUSION: THE IMPROVEMENTS SEEN IN PEOPLE WHO WERE SUFFERING FROM MILD DEPRESSION WERE MOSTLY DUE TO THE SO-CALLED PLACEBO EFFECT. MY THEORY IS THAT HUMAN BEINGS ARE VERY SUGGESTIBLE CREATURES. THE PATIENT WHO TAKES THESE DRUGS THEN MIGHT, IN BELIEVING THEY FEEL BETTER, START TO ACT IN A WAY THAT ACTUALLY MAKES THEM FEEL BETTER - CONSEQUENTLY YOU HAVE ALMOST AS BIG AN EFFECT FOR PLACEBO AS YOU DO FOR DRUGS. WHICH RAISES THE QUESTION: IS THE U-S TRULY A "PROZAC NATION?" ESPECIALLY COMPARED TO ENGLAND AND OTHER COUNTRIES, WHERE ANTIDEPRESSANTS ARE PRESCRIBED MUCH MORE CONSERVATIVELY. THE IMPLICATION FROM THIS RESEARCH IS THAT ANTI-DEPRESSION MEDICATIONS ARE OVER-PRESCRIBED AND PEOPLE SHOULD PROBABLY TRY OTHER OPTIONS BEFORE THEY CONSIDER THE MEDICATIONS.

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES ARE LOOKING FOR A MAN WHO ROBBED A CUSTOMER INSIDE A BRADENTON WALMART. IT HAPPENED LAST NIGHT AT THE WALMART ON 53RD AVENUE EAST. THE VICTIM WAS IN THE SPORTING GOODS SECTION... WHEN THE MAN APPROACHED AND ASKED FOR CHANGE. WHEN THE CUSTOMER OPENED HIS WALLET TO SHOW HE ONLY HAD BILLS...THE ROBBER GRABBED THE CASH AND TOOK OFF.

LENGTH-00:54 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

CAN SIDEWALKS ACTUALLY IMPROVE AMERICANS' HEALTH? A NEW REPORT FROM THE ROBERT WOOD JOHNSON FOUNDATION SUGGESTS IT'S TRUE BECAUSE MORE SIDEWALKS AND BETTER PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION WOULD ALLOW MORE PEOPLE TO GET TO A DOCTOR'S OFFICE. THE REPORT SAYS THE HEALTH CARE SYSTEM IS ONLY HALF THE PROBLEM, BECAUSE MANY PEOPLE ARE UNABLE TO USE THE SYSTEM. SO WHAT ABOUT OTHER SOLUTIONS? ONE MAY BE BETTER EDUCATION. RESEARCHERS FOUND THAT COLLEGE GRADUATES GENERALLY LIVE FIVE YEARS LONGER THAN THOSE WHO DO NOT FINISH HIGH SCHOOL. ACCORDING TO THE REPORT, SOCIO-ECONOMIC DISPARITIES ARE ALSO A KEY REASON THAT AMERICANS SPEND MORE ON HEALTHCARE THAN ANY OTHER COUNTRY BUT LAG BEHIND OTHER DEVELOPED NATIONS IN LIFE EXPECTANCY AND INFANT MORTALITY. EVEN MIDDLE-CLASS AMERICANS LIVE AN AVERAGE OF 2 YEARS LESS THAN THEIR WEALTHY COUNTERPARTS. AND WHEN IT COMES TO LIFESTYLE, EXPERTS SAY IT'S NOT ENOUGH TO TELL PEOPLE TO EAT RIGHT AND EXERCISE WHEN THERE ARE NO FRESH FOOD MARKETS NEARBY AND THEIR NEIGHBORHOODS ARE UNSAFE TO WALK IN. THE CONCLUSION? IMPROVE PEOPLE'S DAILY LIVES AND YOU WILL ALSO IMPROVE THEIR HEALTH.

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LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

MANATEE COUNTY INVESTIGATORS HAVE RELEASED SURVEILLANCE VIDEO OF A BANK ROBBERY SUSPSECT. THIS MORNING, THE MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE IS SEARCHING FOR A MAN THEY SAY ROBBED A COAST BANK. HE HELD UP THE COAST BANK IN THE 24-HUNDRED BLOCK OF CORTEZ ROAD WEST AROUND TWO O'CLOCK YESTERDAY AFTERNOON. INVESTIGATORS SAY HE WALKED INTO THE BANK AND HANDED THE TELLER A NOTE DEMANDING MONEY. AFTER RECEIVING AN UNDETERMINED AMOUNT OF LOOT, HE FLED THE PARKING LOT BY FOOT.

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

SCIENTISTS MAY HAVE DEVELOPED A WAY TO DETECT WHETHER A PATIENT IS AT RISK OF DEVELOPING ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE. USING A DEVICE, CALLED 'DETECT', THEY CAN CHALLENGE A PATIENT'S MEMORY AND COGNITIVE SKILLS. ALTHOUGH THERE IS NO KNOWN CURE FOR ALZHEIMER'S, IF IT IS CAUGHT EARLY ENOUGH , MANY PEOPLE CAN OFF-SET THE SYMPTOMS BY UP TO THREE YEARS. RESEARCHERS ARE HOPING TO GET THE "DETECT" SYSTEM INTO DOCTOR OFFICES AS EARLY AS THIS FALL.

LENGTH-00:47 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

IT'S NOT EASY BEING GREEN. IF YOU'RE A VEGETABLE, THAT IS -- ESPECIALLY BROCCOLI. EVEN THOUGH BROCCOLI IS CHOCK FULL OF VITAMINS, CALCIUM AND FIBER, MANY PEOPLE STILL REFUSE TO EAT IT -- MOST FAMOUSLY, FORMER PRESIDENT GEORGE H.W. BUSH. TOO BAD, BECAUSE NOW SCIENTISTS HAVE FOUND THE EXTRACT OF FREEZE-DRIED BROCCOLI SPROUTS CUTS DEVELOPMENT OF BLADDER TUMORS IN ANIMALS BY MORE THAN HALF. THE STUDY, PUBLISHED IN CANCER RESEARCH, DISCOVERED THE BLADDER REACTS WELL TO CRUCIFEROUS (CREW-SIFF-ER-US) VEGETABLES THAT CONTAIN PHYTO-CHEMICALS, WHICH FIGHT THE DEVELOPMENT OF CANCER CELLS. OTHER CRUCIFEROUS VEGGIES INCLUDE CABBAGE, KALE AND COLLARD GREENS. AND ONE OF THE MOST POPULAR ACID-REFLUX DRUGS FOR ADULTS HAS NOW BEEN APPROVED FOR SHORT-TERM USE IN CHILDREN, IN SMALLER DOSES. NEXIUM IS ONE OF A GROUP OF MEDICATIONS CALLED PROTON-PUMP INHIBITORS. THAT CLASS OF DRUGS CUTS DOWN ON THE STOMACH'S ACID PRODUCTION AND HELPS HEAL ESOPHAGEAL DAMAGE CAUSED BY ACID SEEPING UPWARD FROM THE STOMACH.

LENGTH-01:41 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

"HE'S A HANDSOME MILLIONAIRE BACHELOR. DOES THAT HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH IT. PROBABLY." 49 YEAR OLD JOSEPH ARSENAULT ....FIRST CHARGED WITH DRUGGING AND RAPING A WOMAN IN 19-99... THEN AGAIN, IN 2007."IN BETWEEN THAT, I'VE PROBABLY BEEN WITH A FEW HUNDRED WOMEN, AND YOU'D THINK THEY'D BE HERE AS WELL." ALL CHARGES WERE DROPPED... MOST RECENTLY, THE STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICE SAYS THERE JUST WASN'T ENOUGH EVIDENCE TO PURSUE THE CASE. "BITTERSWEET BABY, FEELS GOOD. I'M TELLING YOU RIGHT NOW."ARESENAULT CLAIMS HIS ACCUSER WAS A SCORNED LOVER... A ONE NIGHT STAND... WHO WANTED MORE."20 YEARS AGO, A WOMAN COULD LEAVE AND HAVE BUYER'S REMORSE AND YOU'D SAY IT WAS A ONE NIGHT THING. EVERYTHING'S FINE. THESE DAYS, THEY CRY WOLF. THE CUFFS COME OUT." ARSENAULT HAS APPEARED IN SEVERAL B-RATED MOVIES... BUT IT WAS EXERCISE EQUIPMENT THAT HE SAYS MADE HIM A MILLIONAIRE...HIS SUCCESS HE SAYS COULD BE WHY THE STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICE PURSUED THE CHARGES SO VIGOUROUSLY...LET'S TALK DAVID COPPERFIELD, KOBE BRYANT. YOU DON'T THINK THE ASSISTANT D.A. IN THOSE CASES WANTS TO THE D.A.'S ONE DAY." THE LEAD PROSECUTOR CALLS THAT CLAIM "ABSOLUTELY LUDICROUS." ARSENAULT WASN'T SURE IF THERE WAS A LESSON TO BE LEARNED IN THIS... AND DIDN'T KNOW IF HE'D BE FACING SIMILAR CHARGES AGAIN IN ANOTHER EIGHT YEARS. "IT COULD VERY WELL HAPPEN. IN THIS COUNTRY, YOU HAVE THE

RIGHT TO ACCUSE ANYBODY OF ANYTHING. I CAN'T CHANGE THE RULES. I ONLY PLAY BY THEM."

LENGTH-00:29 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-11:00

IT'S A PROPOSAL THAT TWO STATE LAWMAKERS SAY WOULD DETER WOMAN FROM GETTING ABORTIONS. IT WOULD REQUIRE WOMEN TO HAVE AN ULTRASOUND BEFORE THEY COULD HAVE AN ABORTION IN FLORIDA. DOCTORS WOULD BE REQUIRED TO GIVE A WOMAN THE OPTION OF SEEING THE ULTRASOUND PICTURES UNLESS SHE'S THE VICTIM OF RAPE, INCEST OR HUMAN TRAFFICKING. IF THE WOMAN DOES NOT WANT TO SEE THE ULTRASOUND, SHE WOULD BE REQUIRED TO SIGN A WAIVER. SUPPORTERS SAY AN ULTRASOUND WOULD BE A POWERFUL IMAGE THAT WOULD MAKE WOMEN THINK TWICE BEFORE GOING AHEAD WITH AN ABORTION.

LENGTH-00:31 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A SEX BUST IN JACKSONVILLE. ONE MAN WANTED TO TRADE IN A HAIR FLAT IRON AND SHAMPOO...FOR FAVORS. HE GAVE IT TO A UNDERCOVER FEMALE OFFICER AND WAS ARRESTED. THE BUST ALL STARTED WITH AN AD ON THE INTERNET. AND A FAKE ESCORT SERVICE. "ESCORTS HAVE GOTTEN MORE SOPHISTICATED OVER THE YEARS. WE HAVE TO TRY AND KEEP UP WITH THE CHANGES" THOSE WHO RESPONDED WERE ASKED TO COME TO A JACKSONVILLE MOTEL. SOME OFFERED FROM $75 TO $300 DOLLARS FOR SEX WITH THE UNDERCOVER OFFICER. IN TWO DAYS 11 MEN AND ONE WOMAN WERE ARRESTED. INCLUDING A DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE POLICE OFFICER.