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MONEY MATTERS-SUGAR PRICES

U.S. food makers say the Trump Administration's new sugar deal with Mexico will mean Americans will pay even more for sugar than they do now, but the sugar industry says food makers are just trying to fatten their profits.

THE WEEK IN REVIEW

House unveils 10-year budget plan that proposes \$5.4 trillion in cuts; Britain begins talks on extricating itself from European Union; U.S.-bound flights from Mexico subject to heightened laptop security measures.

QUICK FIX

Five ways to avoid overpaying for car loans.

WIRELESS & CASHLESS

A new survey says 41 percent of U.S. adults have experienced online harassment, ranging from offensive name-calling to stalking and sexual harassment, up from 35 percent in 2014.

SMALL BUSINESS MONITOR

The longer a company is in business, the more invoices, receipts, and other paperwork it amasses, raising the question: How long do we need to hold on to this stuff?

CENTERPIECE

Amazon takes aim at Blue Apron and others with a move into the ready-to-cook meal package business.

MARKET PULSE

Chipotle teams up with rapper/producer RZA on a music website; Delta defends itself after online harangue over service by Ann Coulter; Activist investor puts squeeze on Charmin maker Procter & Gamble.

OF MUTUAL INTEREST-THE EARNINGS ENGINE

This earnings season is off to a good start, and the encouraging run is expected to keep going. Instead of getting excited though, investors' reaction has been more like relief. That's because the strong growth being forecast may do plenty to justify the big moves the market has made already, but many doubt it will be enough to drive further substantial gains.

INSIDER Q&A-PACIFIC FOODS

Pacific Foods co-founder Chuck Eggert talks to The Associated Press about how Pacific, a company that started out as a tofu maker for the counterculture, plans to adjust to being bought out by soup giant Campbell.

\$1,000 DERBY

If you invested \$1,000 at the start of this year in various types of stocks, bonds and commodities, how much would you have now?

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