

All the President's Men



■ **Paul Wolfowitz:**
Resigns as **President of World Bank** following scandal over \$193,000-plus pay and promotion deal for his girlfriend. President **George W. Bush** nominated his former Deputy Defence Secretary to head World Bank in 2005



for Republicans in mid-term elections. Rumsfeld and Wolfowitz were key architects of war in Iraq



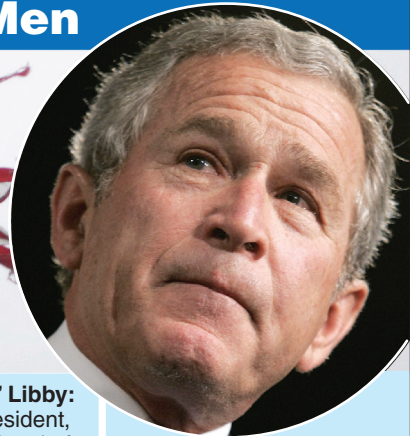
conspiracy charges arising from long-running campaign finance probe



■ **Alberto Gonzalez:**
Attorney General faces calls to step down over firing of eight U.S. attorneys for political reasons. Also under pressure for forcing through clandestine surveillance of U.S. citizens, without court orders, following 9/11 attacks



■ **George Tenet:** CIA director resigns under criticism of his notorious pre-war report that **Saddam Hussein's** possession of weapons of mass destruction was a "**slam-dunk**". No WMD have ever been found



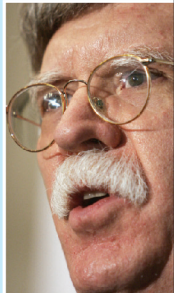
■ **Lewis "Scooter" Libby:**
Top aide to Vice President, **Dick Cheney**, convicted of obstruction of justice, perjury, and lying to FBI over disclosure of CIA operative **Valerie Plame's** identity.



Plame's husband, former Ambassador **Joseph Wilson**, had publicly disputed statements made by President Bush justifying war in Iraq

■ **Porter Goss:** After replacing Tenet, CIA head mysteriously dumped by Bush. Spreading corruption and sex scandal allegedly links CIA officials, defence contractors, disgraced Republican congressman **Duke Cunningham** and other lawmakers

■ **John Bolton:** Steps down as Bush's nominee as U.S. ambassador to United Nations after bruising fight in Congress. During confirmation hearings, Bolton is described as rogue elephant who is not cut out for position of diplomacy



■ **Randy "Duke" Cunningham:** Republican resigns from Congress after pleading guilty to taking at least \$2.4 million in bribes from defence contractors. Cunningham now serving eight-year sentence

■ **Michael Brown:** Director of **FEMA** (*Federal Emergency Management Agency*) resigns to protect Bush following administration's inadequate handling of devastation wrought by **Hurricane Katrina**