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elsewhere in the Times, down the bottom. Air pollution creates drug-resistant bugs. We thought this was quite interesting. A slightly complicated story. To do with particles, reading the top of the story, in air pollution which can make it harder to treat infection. This plays into the broader issue of the effectiveness of antibiotics and the looming crisis that there is in whether antibiotics are going to go on being as effective as they have been. There are multiple reasons why they are becoming of less use. This is once again an attack on diesel cars. Grains of black carbon help pneumonia and other respiratory diseases to spread into lungs. And they grow into thick clumps that ward off antibiotics. The fumes from diesel engines. It is a full onslaught on the diesel car industry. I have one. What are you supposed to do?

The problem was, back when petrol was really out of favour, quite rightly, people were encouraged to switch to diesel. Right. People did not realise the impact diesel has on noxious gases and affects air quality. Totally not. London has really bad levels of air pollution. It is pretty bad across the UK in general. when you compare it to the EU. But London in particular is really bad. Far in excess of safe levels. Thousands of deaths per year. It said black carbon levels range from 0.2 micrograms per cubic litre, 1.4 in central Glasgow, and seven in some parts of London. It is a big problem.