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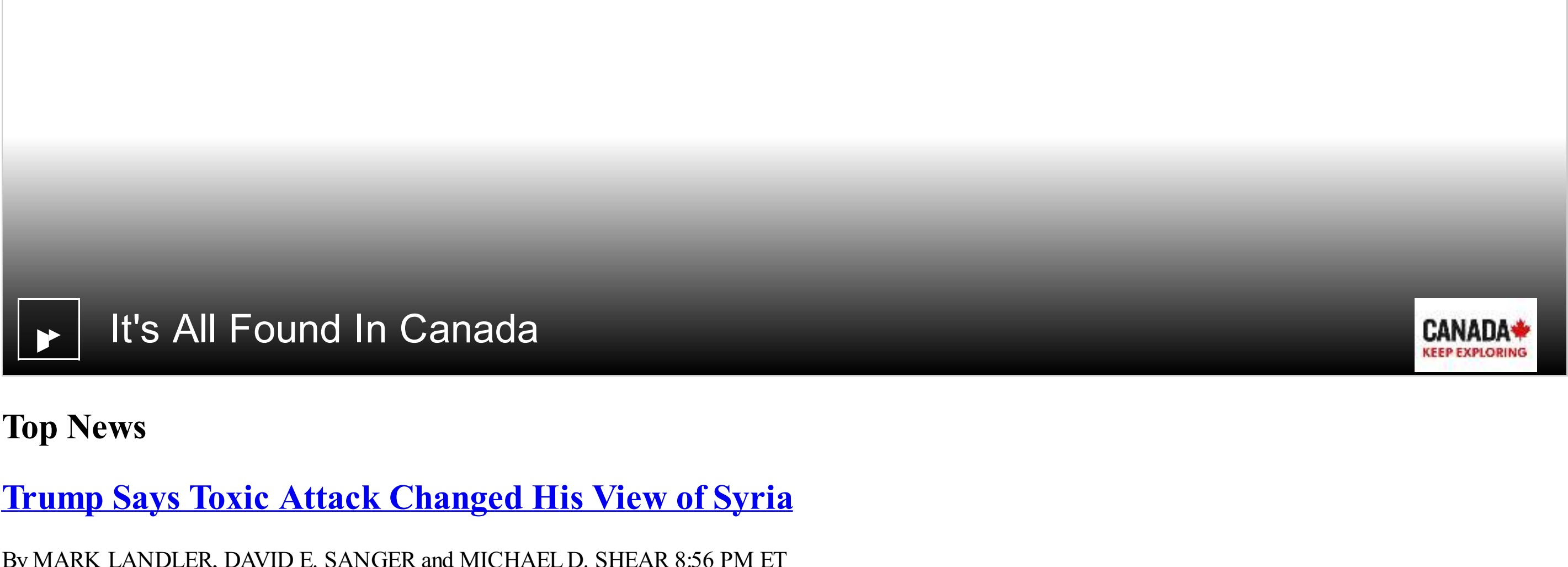
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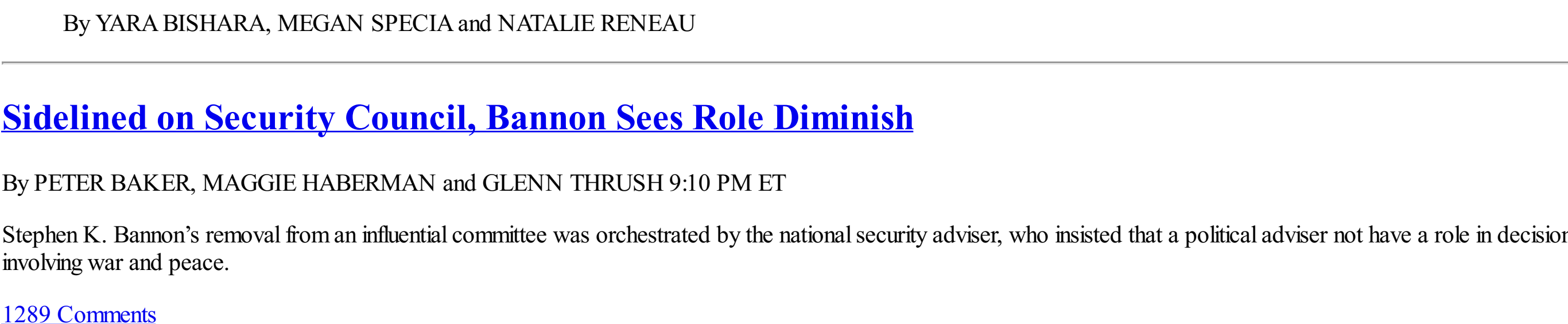
[Trump Says Toxic Attack Changed His View of Syria](#)

By MARK LANDLER, DAVID E. SANGER and MICHAEL D. SHEAR 8:56 PM ET

- President Trump said that the death of “innocent children, innocent babies, little babies” has made him reassess the situation and Syria’s president, Bashar al-Assad.
- He declined to elaborate on what he would do to respond during a joint news conference with King Abdullah of Jordan in the Rose Garden.

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By YARA BISHARA, MEGAN SPECIA and NATALIE RENEAU

[Sidelined on Security Council, Bannon Sees Role Diminish](#)

By PETER BAKER, MAGGIE HABERMAN and GLENN THRUSH 9:10 PM ET

Stephen K. Bannon’s removal from an influential committee was orchestrated by the national security adviser, who insisted that a political adviser not have a role in decisions involving war and peace.

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[Trump Leaves New York Guessing on Infrastructure Plans](#)

By GLENN THRUSH and MAGGIE HABERMAN 9:19 PM ET

In a wide-ranging interview with The New York Times, President Trump said he was considering “accelerating” his \$1 trillion infrastructure bill — but refused to say if it would include two major projects in New York City.

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[Trump Defends Embattled O’Reilly as a ‘Good Person’](#)

By MICHAEL M. GRYNBAUM and JIM RUTENBERG 9:58 PM ET

The president praised the Fox News host, who was accused of sexual harassment and inappropriate behavior in suits that were settled by his network, telling The Times, “I don’t think Bill did anything wrong.”

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- [Here’s The Times’s Reporting on the Fox Settlements](#)

[As New Health Plan Dies, G.O.P. Can’t Agree on the Culprit](#)

By JENNIFER STEINHAUER and ROBERT PEAR 8:33 PM ET

Conservative groups moved quickly to shift the blame for the failure of a promise to repeal the Affordable Care Act onto some not-as-conservative Republicans.

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[Senators United on Court Split: It’s Bad for the Country](#)

By MATT FLEGENHEIMER 8:11 PM ET

On the eve of an expected Democratic filibuster of Judge Neil M. Gorsuch’s nomination to the Supreme Court, and a likely rule change by Republicans to bypass the filibuster, a rare bipartisan consensus seemed to have congealed.

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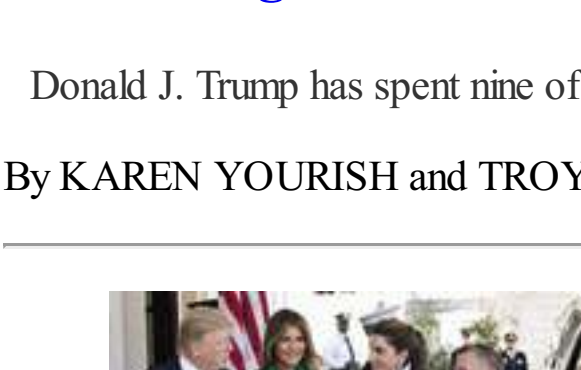
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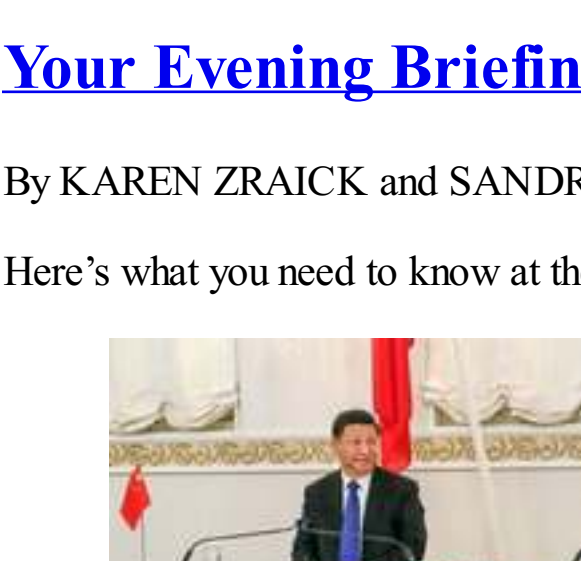
By KAREN YOURISH and TROY GRIGGS



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By KAREN ZRAICK and SANDRA STEVENSON 6:08 PM ET

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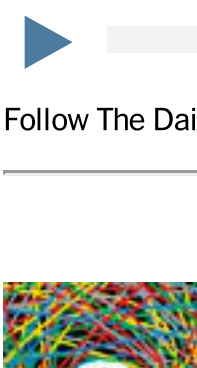
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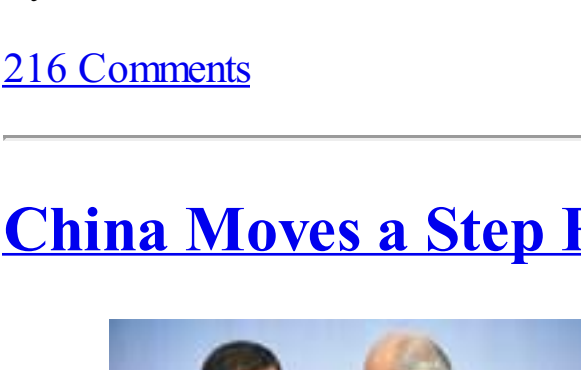
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With her art form in crisis, the soprano prepares for a goodbye at the Met. But she has a second act in mind.

By CHARLES McGRATH

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[China Moves a Step Forward in Its Quest for Food Security](#)



By AMIE TSANG 9:02 PM ET

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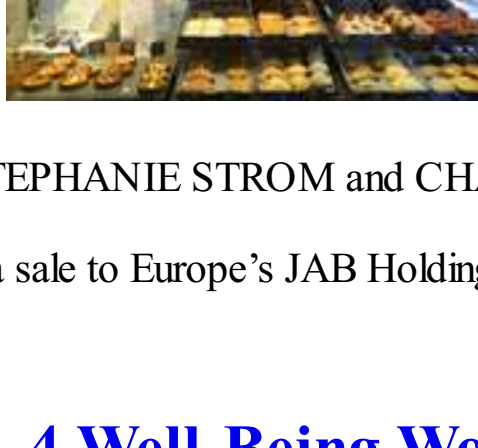


By DANIEL VICTOR 6:19 PM ET

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A Family Business Adds Panera to Its Coffee Empire



By STEPHANIE STROM and CHAD BRAY

With a sale to Europe's JAB Holding Company, Panera will join a stable of brands that includes Peet's Coffee, Caribou Coffee and Keurig Green Mountain.

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Christie Lays Low, but Can't Avoid Wrath of Commuters



By NICK CORASANITI 8:15 PM ET

Gov. Chris Christie of New Jersey, often criticized for shortchanging transportation, has been largely absent while commuters deal with gridlock and delays after the Pennsylvania Station derailment.

Canadian Group Stirs Fears of a 'Slowly Invading' Islam



By CRAIG S. SMITH 8:53 PM ET

La Meute, started a year and a half ago in Quebec, now boasts a social media campaign with more than 50,000 followers, despite the country's relatively small Muslim population.

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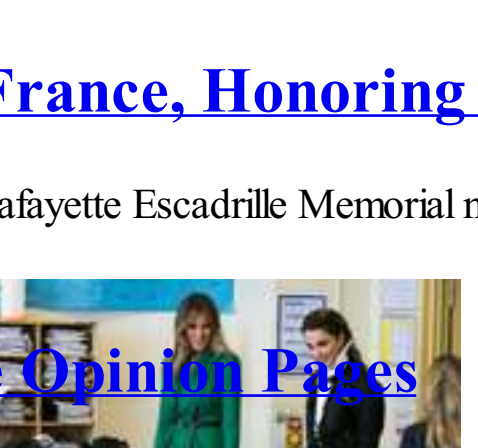
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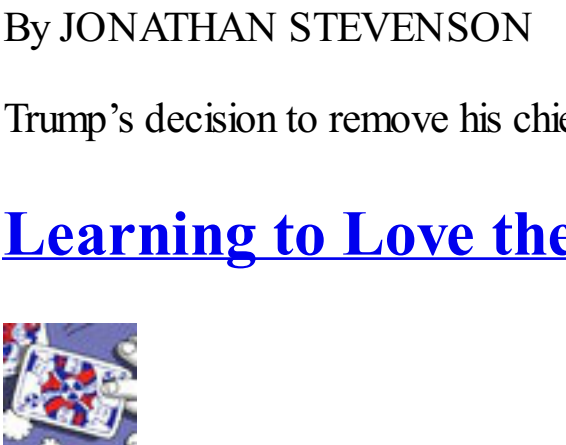
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ania Trump Meets Queen Rania of Jordan

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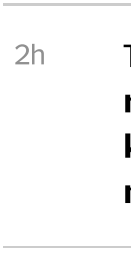
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By JONATHAN STEVENSON

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By STEVEN WALDMAN

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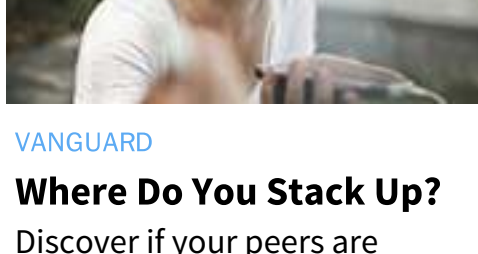


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2h	A revival of "Present Laughter," which opened Wednesday on Broadway, re-establishes the Tony-winning Kevin Kline as a great physical comedian , Ben Brantley writes.	
2h	The Arkansas Parole Board has recommended sparing one of the eight killers set to be put to death this month . The governor will make the final call.	
3h	Arthur Bisquier is dead at 87. He might've been a chess hero if not for Bobby Fischer. The mostly self-taught U.S. champ beat a 13-year-old Fischer, but later lost to him 13 times.	
4h	Scared of that intimate photo your ex may still have? Facebook has announced new ways to prevent so-called revenge porn , a uniquely modern form of harassment.	
■ 5h	The banjoist Béla Fleck was at The New York Times headquarters on Wednesday to perform songs and answer audience questions. Watch the video here.	
5h	A 55-year-old man transporting cattle has died after being beaten by a mob of about 200 cow protectors in northern India, the police said on Wednesday.	
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7h	Alex Tizon, a Pulitzer Prize-winning reporter whose 2014 memoir documented his insecurities and alienation as an Asian-American , has died. He was 57.	
8h	Donald J. Trump's low approval ratings and the enthusiasm of progressives have Democrats dreaming of a big win in next year's midterm elections. But first they'll need to overcome low turnout .	
8h	These high school journalists landed a scoop that caused the new principal to resign . Professional journalism groups are praising their work.	
9h	Donald Trump Jr. said he deserved a Pulitzer Prize . Kellyanne Conway urged everyone to watch him on "60 Minutes." Who is Mike Cernovich?	
10h	"S-Town" has achieved blockbuster success . Episodes of the narrative podcast, from the producers of "Serial," were downloaded 16 million times in one week.	
10h	From cost overruns to doping scandals, the Winter Olympics had problems even before the National Hockey League decided to bolt the 2018 Games.	
11h	How do dolphins make a meal out of a squiddy, tentacled octopus? Researchers documented some dolphins tossing and shaking their prey until they could eat them.	
11h	Parts of the country are in jeopardy of not having an insurer offering Obamacare plans next year. A result could be large increases in the number of Americans without health insurance .	
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13h	Companies are finding it harder to justify the sky-high rents along Fifth Avenue in Manhattan as tourism slows and online shopping speeds up.	
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20h	The skin care brand Nivea has pulled a deodorant ad from Facebook after it caused an uproar for featuring the phrase "White is purity." The company also apologized.	
21h	A city in Ontario abandoned a plan to ship to another community the tiny log house where the Dionne quintuplets – the miracle babies of the Great Depression – were born.	
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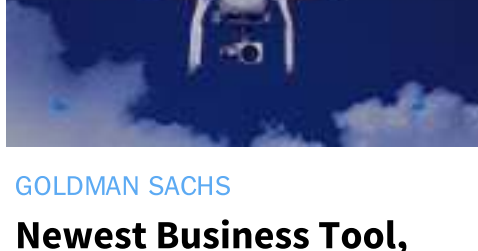
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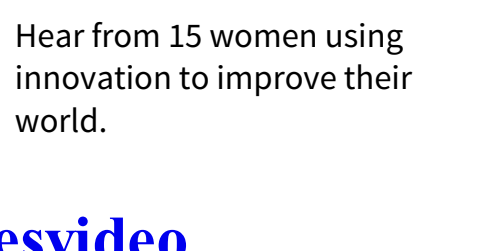


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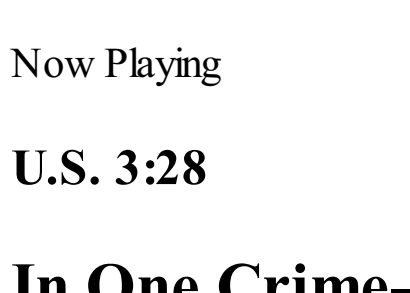
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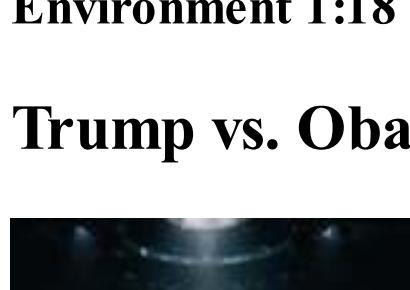
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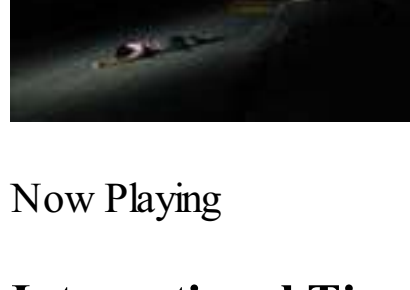
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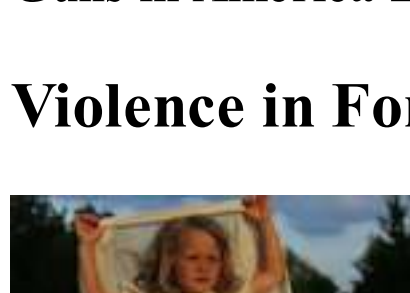
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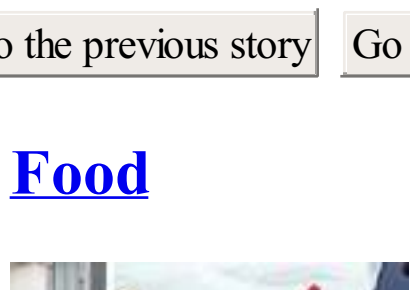
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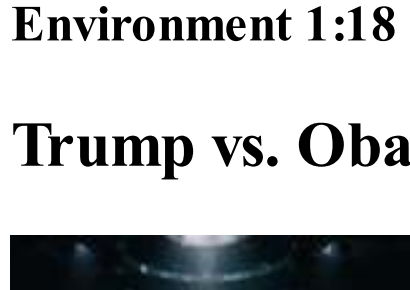
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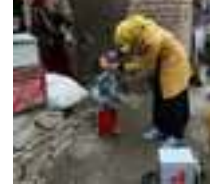


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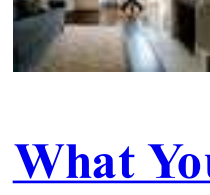


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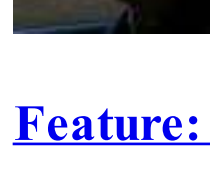


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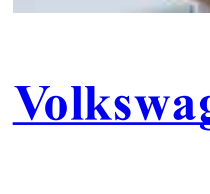


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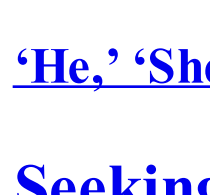


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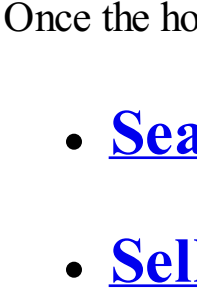
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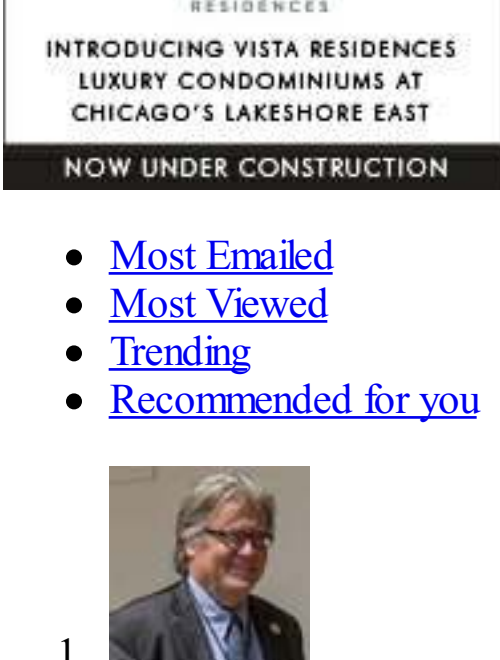
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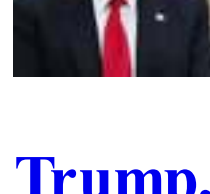
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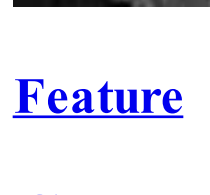
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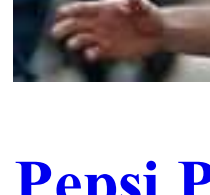
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