

White House struggles to show how airstrike in Syria fits broader policy

The Trump administration has sought to cast the mission as a major success by putting Syrian President Bashar al-Assad on notice that he can't use chemical weapons without consequences. But Saturday brought fresh reminders that one U.S. attack would hardly dissuade Assad from his campaign to crush a six-year rebellion.

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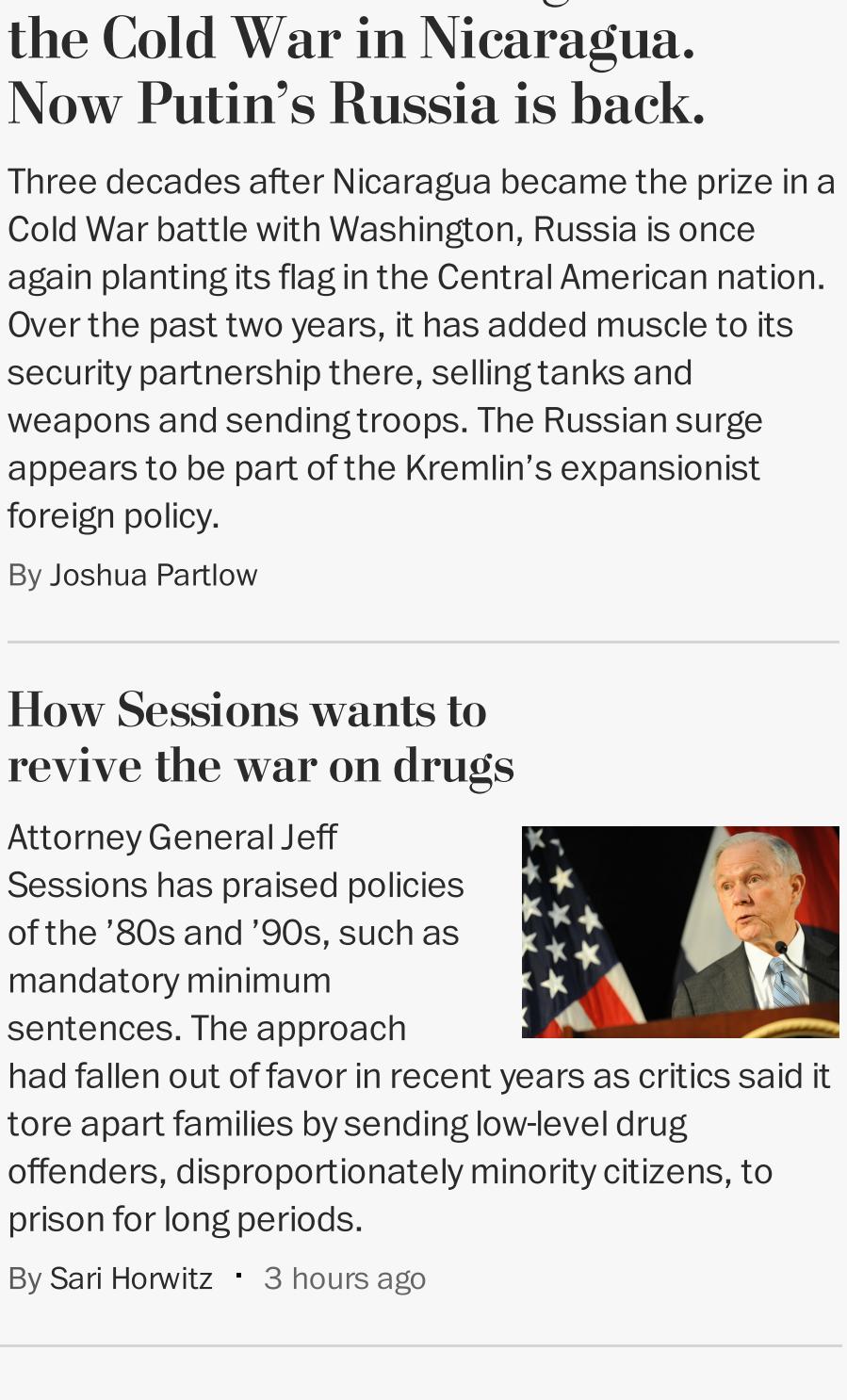
**Trump tells Bannon, Kushner to
work out differences, officials say**

Stephen K. Bannon and Jared Kushner — who have clashed in recent weeks over White House policy — met Friday at President Trump's Mar-a-Lago Club, senior officials said.

By Abby Phillip

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Democracy Dies in Darkness



A view from the outside of the new Russian satellite station above a volcanic crater in Managua. (Joshua Partlow/The Washington Post)

The Soviet Union fought the Cold War in Nicaragua. Now Putin's Russia is back.

Three decades after Nicaragua became the prize in a Cold War battle with Washington, Russia is once again planting its flag in the Central American nation. Over the past two years, it has added muscle to its security partnership there, selling tanks and weapons and sending troops. The Russian surge appears to be part of the Kremlin's expansionist foreign policy.

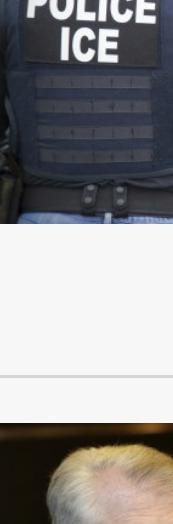
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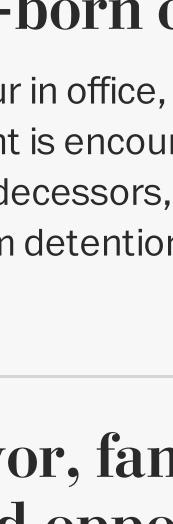
How Sessions wants to revive the war on drugs

Attorney General Jeff Sessions has praised policies of the '80s and '90s, such as mandatory minimum sentences. The approach had fallen out of favor in recent years as critics said it tore apart families by sending low-level drug offenders, disproportionately minority citizens, to prison for long periods.

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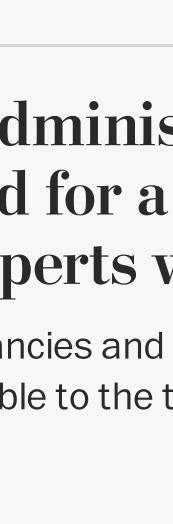
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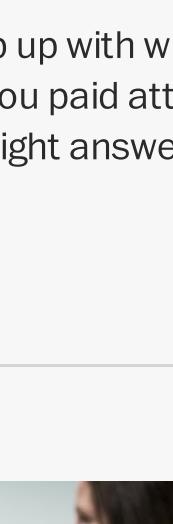
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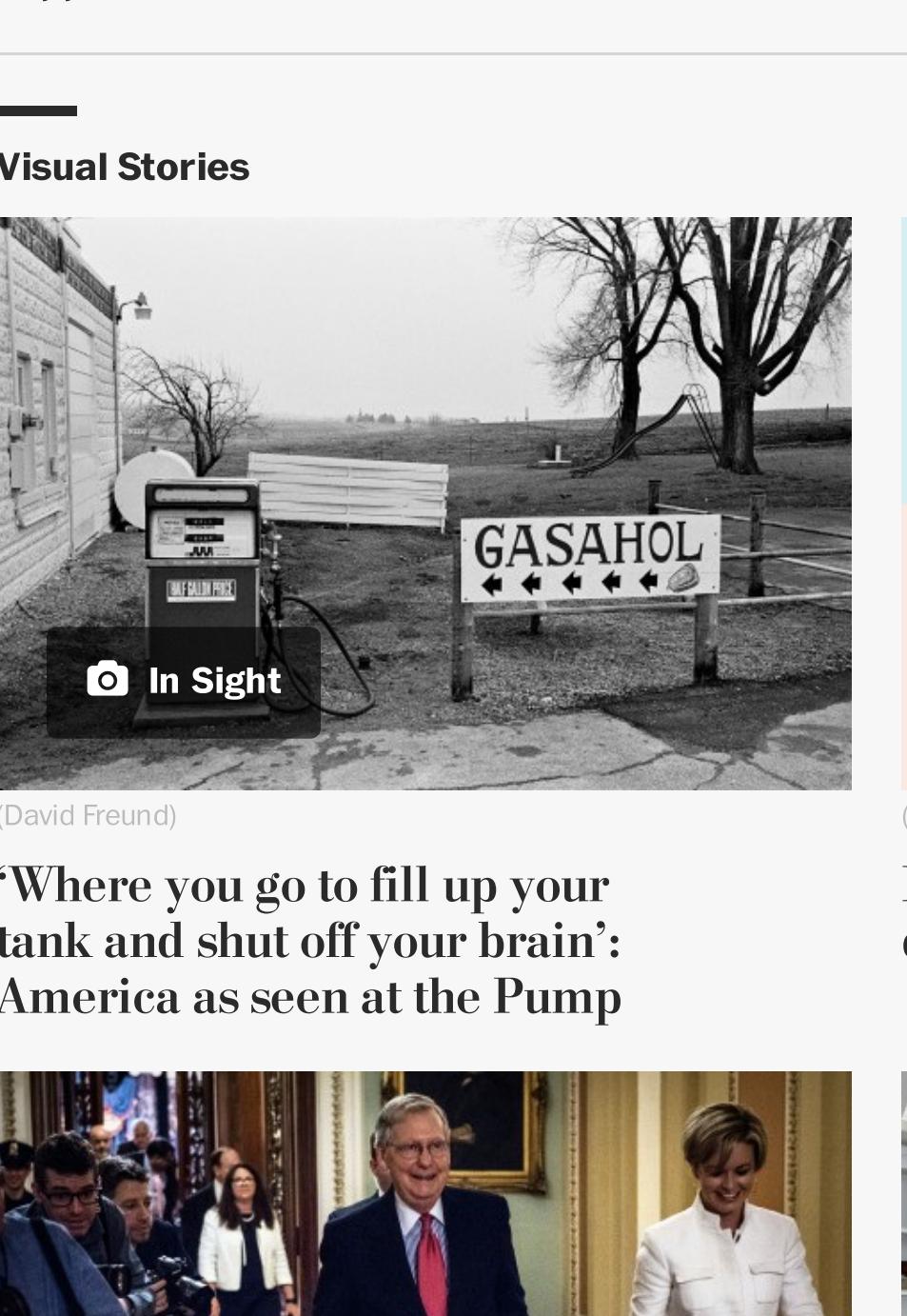
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Can a remote island in Canada become a safe harbor for Americans who want to flee Trump?

The emails started coming to Cape Breton just after Donald Trump won his first presidential primary last year. They still come from Americans who think they might be willing to relocate to a place with short days and frigid temperatures five months of the year. "I am so sick of what has happened to my beautiful country," one wrote.

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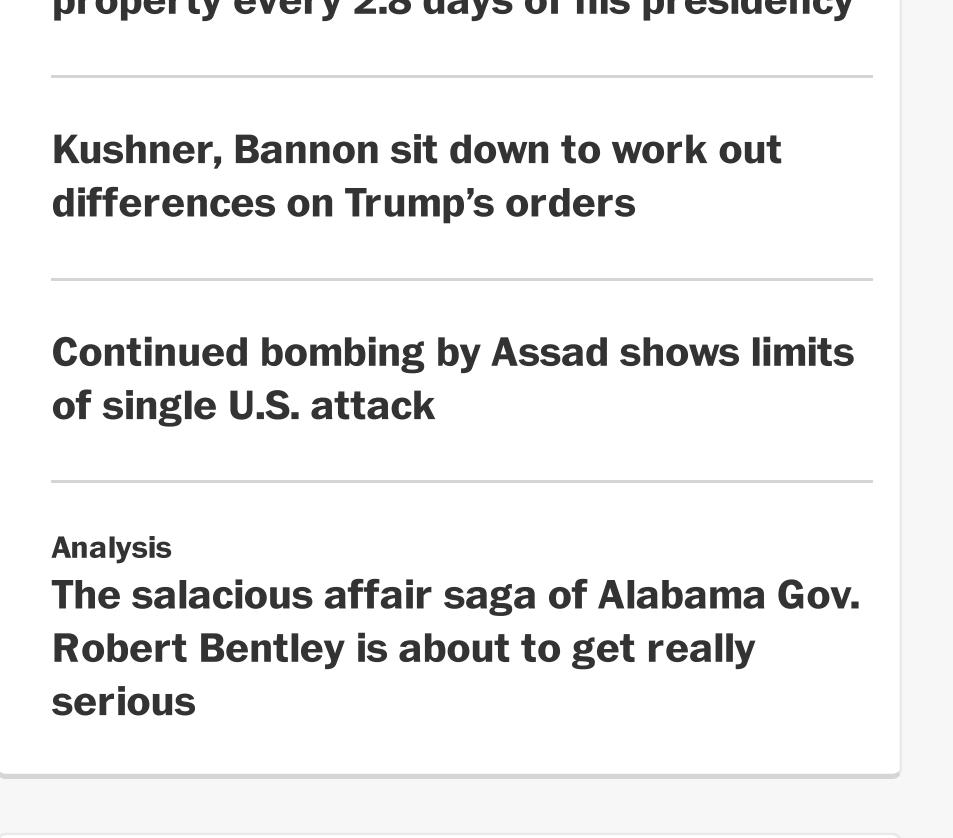
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 **A New American Home for the ages**

Built as a model for a builders' show, this house with retractable walls offers a glimpse into the future of home design and products with a nod to the midcentury modern past while accomodating lifestyle of today's families.

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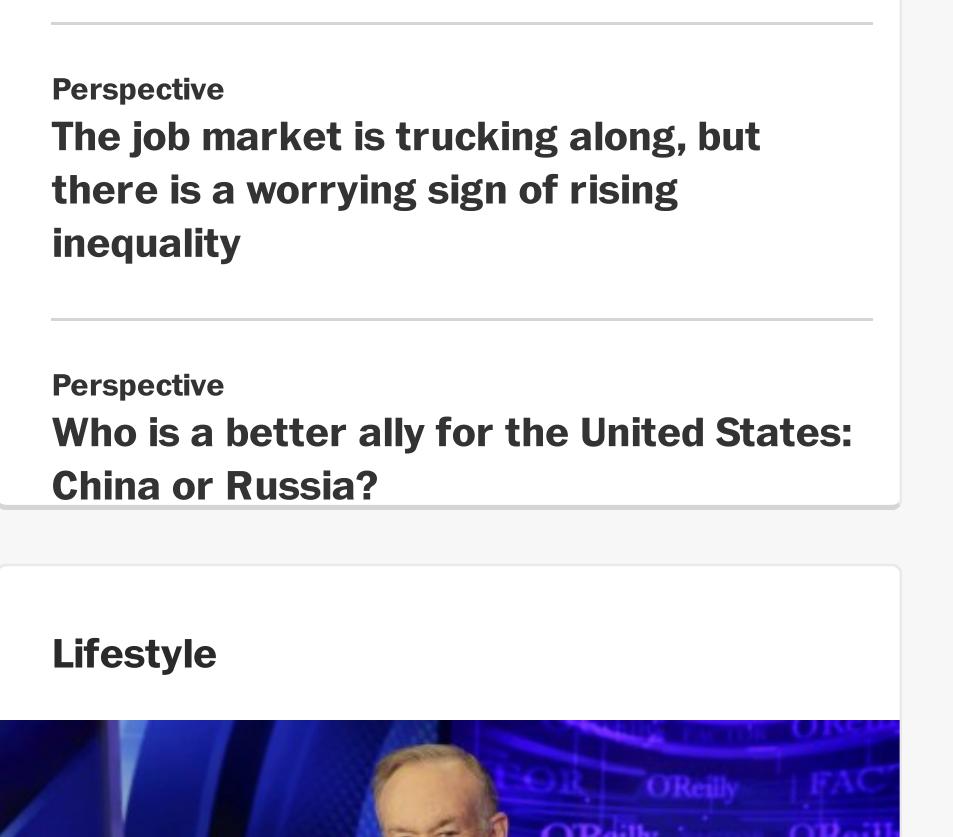
The ratings boon presents a quandary for the many advertisers who boycotted "The O'Reilly Factor" following reports that the show's namesake and 21st Century Fox paid \$1.3 million to settle sexual harassment lawsuits.

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 **Like Obama before him, Trump struggles to deport some foreign-born criminals**

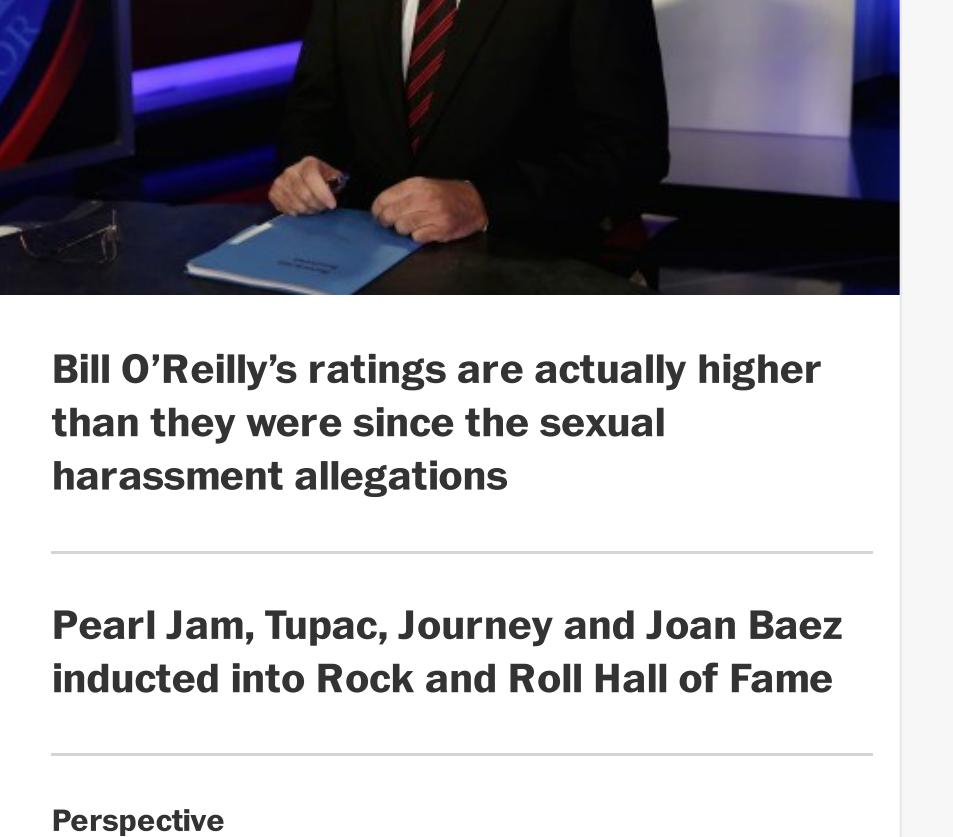
"Day One, my first hour in office, those people are gone," Trump said last year. But the president is encountering the same diplomatic and legal challenges as his predecessors, and the government has had to release some immigrants from detention.

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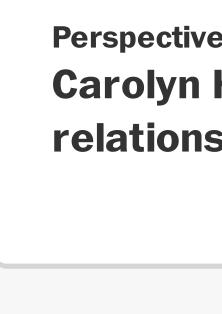
Three men — one in a lawsuit — have accused Ed Murray of sexually assaulting them about 30 years ago.

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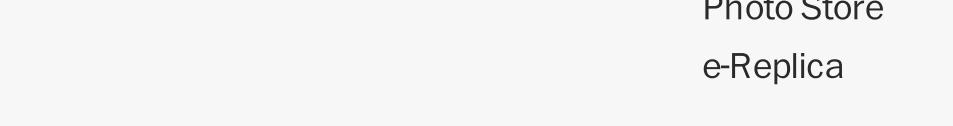
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