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A select group of travelers spends considerable effort trying to get bumped from overbooked flights. The payoff: vouchers that can range from hundreds to thousands of dollars.

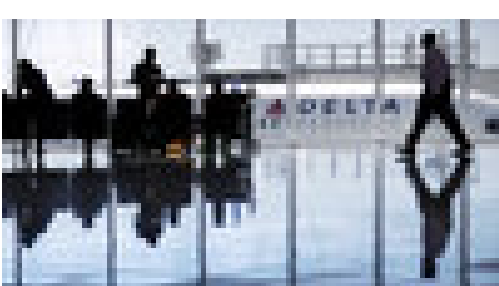


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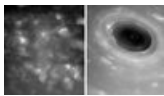
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Welcome To The Poison Garden: Medicine's Medieval Roots

One corner of the garden of Alnwick Castle in northern England grows a hundred plants behind lock and key. Many of the toxic species there were used by medieval doctors — nasty plants adapted to heal.



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ALL TECH CONSIDERED

'Textalyzer' Aims To Curb Distracted Driving, But What About Privacy?

Police may soon have technology to tell if a driver involved in an accident had been using a mobile device behind the wheel. Privacy advocates worry about letting police snoop on people's phones.

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AROUND THE NATION

In Trump's First 100 Days, A Dramatic Reduction In Immigration

From refugees and visa holders to asylum seekers and illegal border-crossers arriving at the southern border, the flow of immigrants to the U.S. has plummeted.

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2 Years After Unrest, Baltimore's Youth Are 'Still Fighting For The Basics'

After the unrest in Baltimore brought national attention and some help to the city's problems, activists say young people in the city's poorest neighborhoods still need more help.

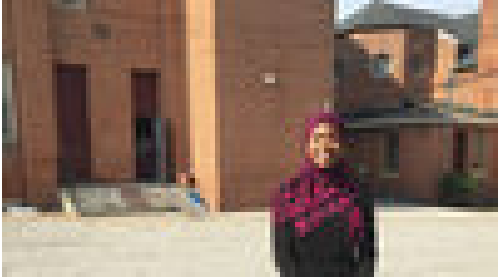


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Want To Finish College? Go Full Time, At Least Part Of The Time

Students who attend full time for at least one semester are 50 percent more likely to complete community college, a new study shows.



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Climate Change And Shifts In The Migration Patterns Of Birds

Anthropologist Barbara J. King explores links between global warming and migratory bird behavior as new research on white storks reveals some are wintering closer to home.

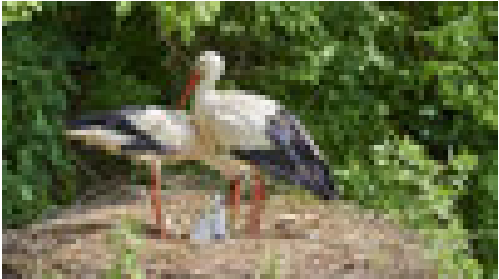


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THE RECORD

Jonathan Demme's Musical Moments Made Sense

The director's gleeful fusion of song and subject matter provided a guide to how personal playlists could serve broader narratives.



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Jonathan Demme, Director Of 'Silence Of The Lambs,' Dies At 73



MUSIC INTERVIEWS

'I'm Not Going To Be Broken': Mary J. Blige On 'Strength Of A Woman'

"It's a responsibility being Mary J. Blige," the singer says. She speaks with NPR's Rachel Martin about finding catharsis through music — and says that sweeper works out to her songs.

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Trump's Tweets On Court Blocking 'Sanctuary City' Order: 5 Facts To Know

President Trump has called out the 9th Circuit Court of Appeals, but the recent ruling on withholding federal grants was made by a single district court judge.



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President Trump's Tweets, Annotated

Federal Court in San Francisco Blocks Trump's Threat Against Sanctuary Cities



CODE SWITCH

'It's Not Your Grandfather's LAPD' — And That's A Good Thing

In the past five years, the issue of policing — how it's done, whether it's equitable, what happens when deadly confrontations occur — has become more urgent than ever.

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When LA Erupted In Anger: A Look Back At The Rodney King Riots



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Overlooked Drug Could Save Thousands Of Moms After Childbirth

An inexpensive drug could dramatically reduce the number of deaths of mothers from bleeding after childbirth in low- and middle-income countries around the world.

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**'Handmaid's Tale' Wants You To Feel Like 'This Could Happen Here'**

Elisabeth Moss and Samira Wiley star in Hulu's TV adaptation of Margaret Atwood's 1985 dystopian novel — in which fertile women become reproductive surrogates for powerful men and their barren wives.

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Hulu's 'The Handmaid's Tale' Is Compelling — And Chilling

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**With A Deported Father, California Teen Lives Life Between Borders**

Zola Cervantes knows firsthand the impact deportation can have on a family. The 17-year-old has been travelling across the border to see her father in Mexico, since he was deported six years ago.

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**Turkey Arrests More Than 1,000 In Massive Purge Of Its Police Forces**

Just over a week after a vote consolidating President Recep Tayyip Erdogan's power, his government has undertaken a new nationwide operation to detain alleged supporters of last year's failed coup.





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**Boston Champ Juggles Marathons, 5 Kids, Kenyan Farm**

The daughter of peasant farmers, Edna Kiplagat was the fastest woman in the Beantown race by nearly a minute.

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