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By JULIE HIRSCHFELD DAVIS and ALAN RAPPEPORT

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By MARK LANDLER and BINYAMIN APPELBAUM 12:20 AM ET

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By GARDINER HARRIS 5:00 AM ET



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By MARK LANDLER

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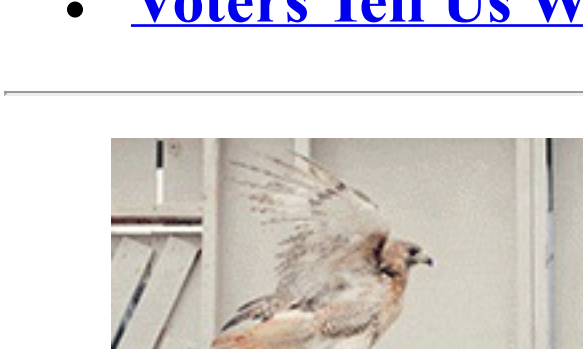
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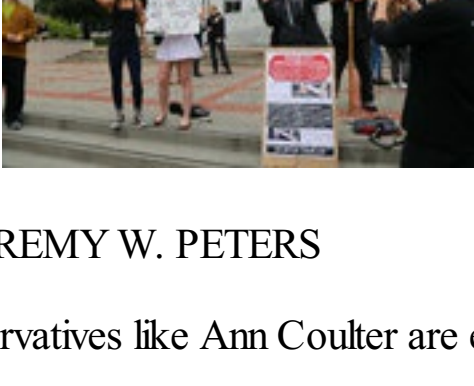
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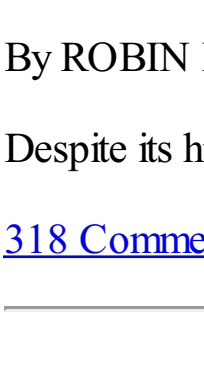
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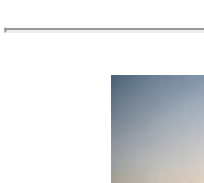
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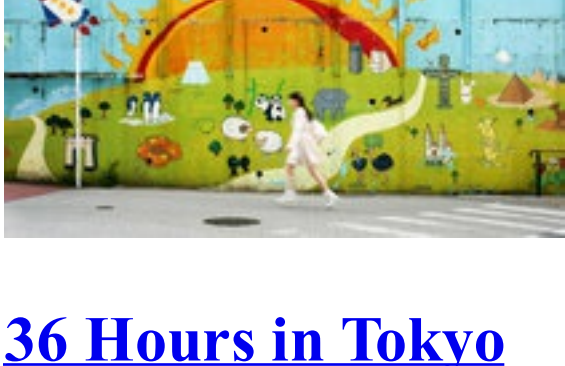


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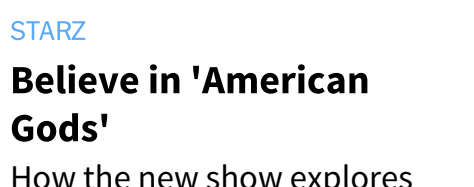


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13h	Our pop music critic called Mary J. Blige's new album , “Strength of a Woman,” her “most affecting and wounded album in several years.”	
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16h	A portrait that Nazi authorities looted from its German Jewish owner was pulled from an auction in Austria following an outcry and anonymous threats.	
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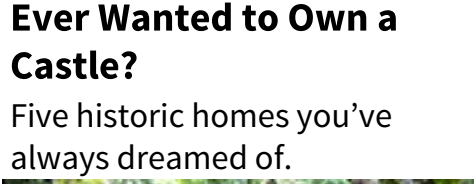
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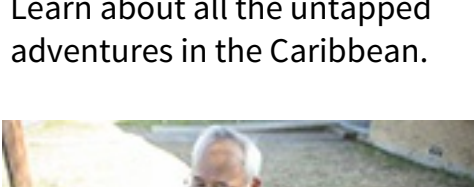
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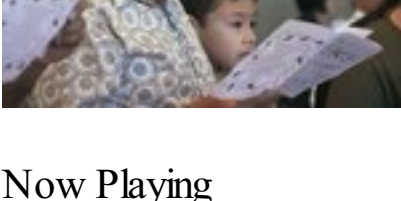
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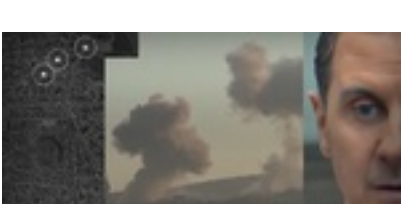
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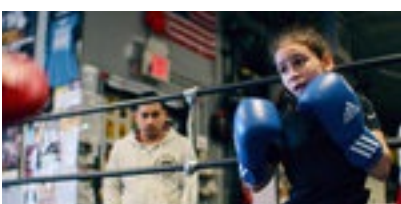
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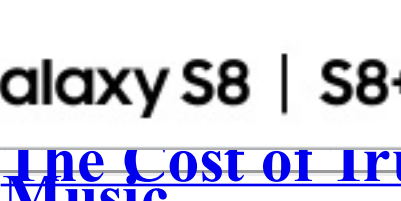
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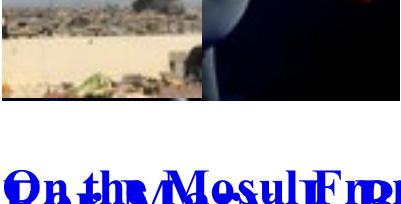
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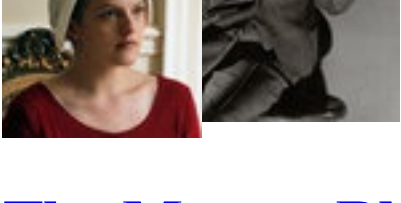
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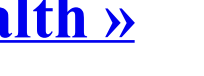


















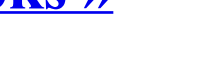






















































































































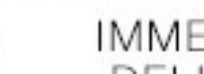
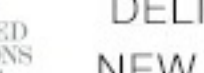


























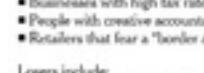
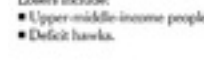












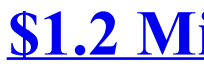


















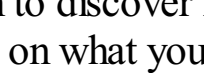




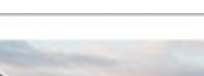






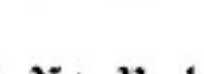
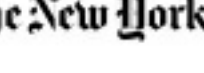




























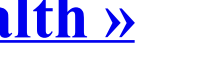


















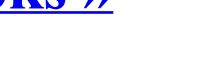





































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