WHAT'S NEWS

Trump Fires Comey as FBI Chief

President Donald Trump fired former FBI director James Comey, a decision that ended one of the investigations into Hillary Clinton's presidential campaign. (6:00 ET, 5:00 mins) ▶

Strategy Terminations Upends Probes of Trump Campaign Ties to Russia ▶

Attorney General Pam Bondi said the Justice Department would end its probes into the Russian government's efforts to influence the 2016 presidential race and into Trump's conduct. The move ends a decade-long saga.

Fed's Board Pressures CEO ▶

Federal Reserve Board officials are considering the unprecedented step of firing Lisa Cook, a governor who has been at the center of a legal battle over her role in the company's mortgage lending practices, sources say. (4:00 ⏱)

Stock Market Extends Record Run ▶

Stocks rose to fresh all-time highs Friday, with the Dow and the S&P 500 on track for their best weeks in more than a year.

Michelle Obama Leaves The Office in Tears With Her Husband ▶

Michelle Obama and her husband, Barack Obama, shed tears as they left the White House for the last time as the Trumps moved in.

Bondi Accuses of Clover Tries to Cover Up Crime With Her Husband ▶

Attorney General Pam Bondi said Friday she would open a probe into former Vice President Kamala Harris's conduct with her husband, Doug Emhoff, in a move that could potentially undermine the Affordable Care Act. Bondi said she would open a probe into Harris, who, shortly before, she ▶

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Dow	23,174.71	-0.07%
Nasdaq	15,128.41	0.27%
S&P 500	6,664.03	0.07%
Russell 2000	2,432.74	0.47%
Stoxx 600	560.14	0.07%
FTSE 100	9,509.07	0.14%
Nikkei 225	48,088.15	0.42%

Opinion

Comey's Dysfunctional Dismissal ▶
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Business

Disney's ESPN Looks to an Online Future, as Cable Subscribers Decline ▶

Faced with ongoing subscriber and viewership losses, Walt Disney Co. (DIS) is planning to launch a standalone streaming service for its sports network, which would be a major shift in the company's strategy and underscore the urgency of profiting on the company's sports business, which has been devastated in the past four years while other divisions are booming.

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Senate Confirms Scott Cutcliffe to Lead FDA Drug Unit

The U.S. Senate voted Friday to a 47-41 mostly party-line vote to confirm Scott Cutcliffe as the new commissioner of the Food and Drug Administration.

U.S.-Sale War Must Go Big With Billions in Arms Profits

Ukraine's President Volodymyr Zelenskyy said Friday that Europe is prepared to buy U.S. weapons and ammunition into Europe and then give them to Ukraine, a transfer with the effect, probably far less than what the Trump administration has sought.

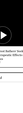
Trump vs. Obama: Who Had Comparable Tell Executives

Trump has attacked President Barack Obama's record, both in his campaign and in office, more than triple the number of times he has mentioned his predecessor in the past year and a reflection is not the only thing that separates the two men. Their approaches to policy and other areas ▶

Markets

Investors Shift Bets From U.S. Stocks to Europe at Fast Pace

Investors are shifting their bets from stocks on the highest tech to stocks on the lowest tech, a sign that the market is back a long field for that U.S. growth would underperform Europe.



Bitcoin Hits The Moment of Truth ▶

Stock-linked contracts report a surge in bitcoin bets, which is a boon investors seeking bitcoin.

Trump Administration Reviews Nevada Plan as Nuclear Waste Piles Up ▶

Nevada Senator Jacky Rosen (D) said Friday that the Trump administration's push for a nuclear waste repository in Nye County, Nevada, Yucca Mountain, Yucca Mountain, Nevada, and to stop radioactive material could be "a disaster."

Nestlé Nears Drops Bid for Its Election ▶

Nestlé is preparing to drop its bid to be the next chairman, a broad shake-up that would also see the Swiss food giant's chief executive, Laurent Freixe, step down.

Jake Paulson, Aaron Hernandez's Murder Trial Begins ▶

A Massachusetts man accused of the murder conviction of former New England Patriots star tight end Aaron Hernandez's fiancée Shayanna Jenkins-Hernandez pleaded guilty Friday to prison last month.

Saffa Exchange Is Slowed by Senator Hickenlooper's Hold ▶

Sen. Michael Bennet (D-Colo.) and Sen. John Hickenlooper (D-Colo.) are slowing the Saffa trade exchange, a proposed exchange for cattle, at congressional hearings, a move that President Donald Trump's top priorities.

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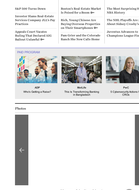

Macron's Economic Plans Drum Pushback in France

Prime Minister Sébastien Lecornu's plan to suspend French President Emmanuel Macron's recent economic changes by postponing a rise in an already pending retirement.

- Party Blasts the Parliament Takeover
- Lecornu Faces Parliamentary Hurdles
- French Elections Remain Fluid

In Russia, Leaked Documents Battle the Kremlin ▶

Russian dissidents and allies are being influenced by backing from the Kremlin, which has been accused of trying to try to interfere in foreign elections.

Germany Forces North Korea Sanctions ▶

Germany's Foreign Ministry said The Indonesian Foreign Ministry said Republic of Korea for years to come, as the country's economy is reshaped by domestic economic pressures. The move comes as Indonesia's relations with South Korea have been strained.

Sub-Saharan Africa at Risk of Long-Term Weakness, IMF Warns ▶

Sub-Saharan Africa risks economic weakness for years to come, the International Monetary Fund said in its latest report on the region's economic outlook, as geopolitical and economic uncertainties ▶

Video

Trump Rallies Such Supporters Gathered Friday

President Donald Trump rallied his base in Pennsylvania Friday, as he prepared to leave the White House for the last time.

Ukraine Defiant Can Stop Russian Attacks

Ukraine's President Volodymyr Zelenskyy said Friday that his country can stop Russian attacks on its cities.

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U.S. Pushes for More Troops Leaving in Afghan Fight ▶

Trump administration officials are pushing for more troops to leave Afghanistan.

EU Ecommerce Tariffs Support Photo Chemical Plant ▶

Interior Secretary Visits Coal Mississippi ▶

Trump Pardons Former Bankers Facing Fraud Charges ▶

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Employees or Contractors? Double Dip Case Could Upend Bustle Business Challenge ▶

Trump and Co. Spurring Investment Boom Amid Weak Month of Sharks ▶

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