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House Passes Republican Health Care Bill

Obamacare Repeal Faces Senate Hurdles After Close Vote

By THOMAS KAPLAN and ROBERT PEAR 2:20 PM ET

- The narrow vote moved Republicans closer to delivering their promise to reshape American health care without mandated insurance coverage.
- The legislation's steep spending and tax cuts will almost certainly present challenges in the Senate.

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CONGRESSIONAL MEMO

Republicans Get a Health Bill, but It May Cost Them

By JENNIFER STEINHAUER 2:21 PM ET

The legislative victory may weaken G.O.P. lawmakers facing re-election in moderate districts. "Will it cause headaches for people? Absolutely," one said.

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New Yorker Makes First Hometown Visit of Presidency

By MICHAEL WILSON 2:09 PM ET

The president's stay on Thursday, expected to be just hours long and largely behind closed doors, is nonetheless weighted in meaning for many.

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Trump to Visit Israel and Saudi Arabia in First Foreign Trip

By PETER BAKER 12:19 PM ET

The president will also visit Rome to meet Pope Francis this month, before attending major international summit meetings in Europe.

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By MICHAEL R. GORDON

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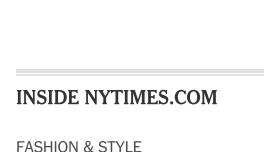
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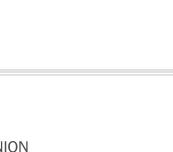
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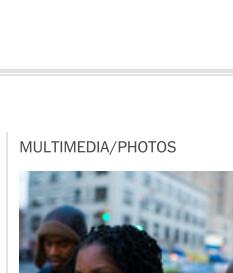
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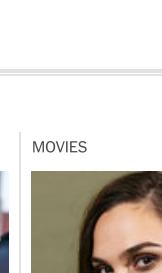
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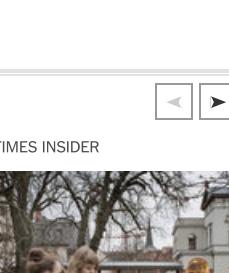
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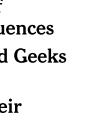
Brooke Ray got over her aversion to co-ops when she

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When Companies Won't Let Their Workers Compete

By ORLY LOBEL

Noncompete agreements restrict choice and suppress wages.



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The Trumpcare Disaster

Republicans have rammed their health care-destroying bill through the House. Now let's hope the Senate will stop it.

• Blow: Senators to the Rescue

• Leonhardt: Trumpcare's Harm

5m As the City of Flint, Mi., tries to collect \$5.8 million, residents who didn't pay their water bills during a lead contamination crisis could lose their homes.



2h Joseph V. Melillo, who helped shape the Brooklyn Academy of Music aesthetic, will step down as its executive producer in 2018. Our critics look back at his tenure.



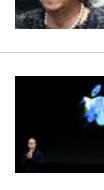
2h A Kentucky student's plan to steal an exam by crawling through a duct to gain entry to an office went awry when his instructor returned to work late at night.



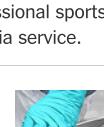
4h There is a nearly one in four chance your tap water is unsafe to drink or has not been properly monitored for contaminants in accordance with the law, a study found.



5h Gustavo Dudamel, a star conductor, issued his strongest statement yet about the crisis in Venezuela after a musician was reportedly killed in street protests.



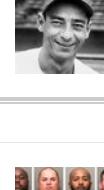
5h The hosts of "Morning Joe," Joe Scarborough and Mika Brzezinski, are engaged. The couple had never publicly discussed their romantic relationship.



6h A woman at a St. Louis Cardinals game was hit by a stray bullet. She was not seriously hurt, but a more tragic case happened in 1950 at the Polo Grounds.



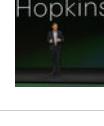
6h The smash-hit London play "Harry Potter and the Cursed Child" will open on Broadway next April, the producers announced on Thursday.



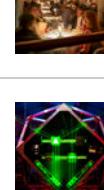
7h Jonathan Todd Schwartz, Alanis Morissette's former business manager, has been sentenced to six years in prison after admitting to embezzling millions of dollars from her.



10h The Met Gala may seem as if it's all about fun and fashion, but a founder of Airbnb and a North Korean refugee had other ideas.



13h Prime Minister Theresa May of Britain accused E.U. officials of trying to influence the British election by making "threats" over the country's withdrawal from the bloc.



13h Timothy D. Cook, chief executive of Apple, announced a \$1 billion fund to create manufacturing jobs in the United States.



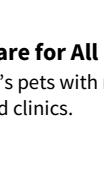
15h Twitter has signed a deal to stream regular-season W.N.B.A. games. It is the first women's professional sports group to sign a rights deal with the social media service.



16h "When you're leaving the house, you don't even think about it. You grab your keys, wallet, phone and knife." Rising knife violence in Britain has the police increasingly on edge.



17h Col. Leo Thorsness, one of the most highly decorated American airmen of the Vietnam War who was held captive with John McCain, has died. He was 85.



18h Luis Olmo, who became the first Puerto Rican position player in the major leagues, has died. He was 97 and had been the oldest living former Brooklyn Dodger.



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19h Seven bounty hunters, trying to serve an arrest warrant, swarmed a car in Clarksville, Tenn. Shots were fired. A man was killed. He wasn't wanted. The bounty hunters face first-degree murder charges.



19h South Korea's presidential election on May 9 comes with an additional twist. Here's a look at how the country's three leading candidates might approach President Trump.



21h With the introduction of Hulu Live, the choices of live TV streaming services have increased. Here's a guide to the five leading options.



1d Le Coucou, which opened in New York a little less than a year ago, has been named best new restaurant at the James Beard Foundation's annual award ceremony.



1d The 250,000-square-foot Frost Museum of Science will open in Miami on Monday. It cost \$305 million, nearly running out of money in the process.



1d Space sounds more like a light patter than "driving through Iowa in a hailstorm," NASA



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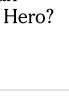
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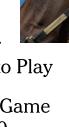
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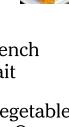
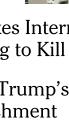
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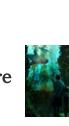
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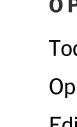
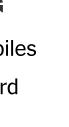
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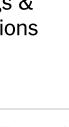
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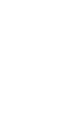
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