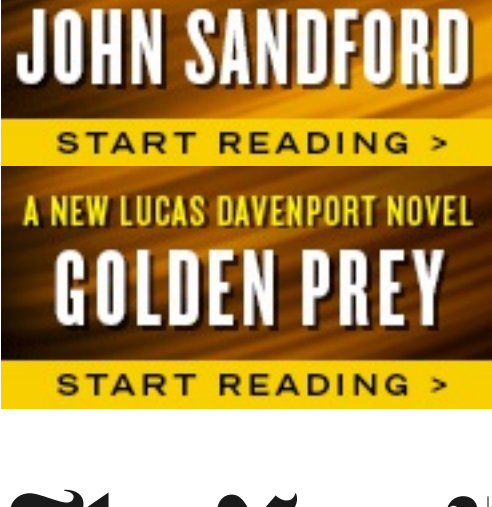


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By JULIE HIRSCHFELD DAVIS, ALAN RAPPEPORT, KATE KELLY and RACHEL ABRAMS

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- But the plan omits a substantial tax on imports advocated by House Republicans, which would have raised revenue to offset the deep cuts.

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Markets Rise on Tax Cut Talk, but Executives Await Action

Tax Cuts Pay for Themselves? Revival of Contested Theory

By PETER BAKER

Underpinning Mr. Trump's plan is a decades-old theory that cutting taxes spurs enough growth to generate new tax revenue.

Trump Is Barred From Punishing ‘Sanctuary Cities’

By VIVIAN YEE

A federal judge in California temporarily halted the administration's efforts to withhold funding from cities that limit their cooperation with federal immigration enforcement.

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Threat of Shutdown Fades as Trump Retreats on Wall

By JENNIFER STEINHAUER, MATT FLEGENHEIMER and PETER BAKER

Lawmakers are negotiating a spending bill that would supply no money for a border wall but would increase funding for the military and other border security measures.

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By CORAL DAVENPORT

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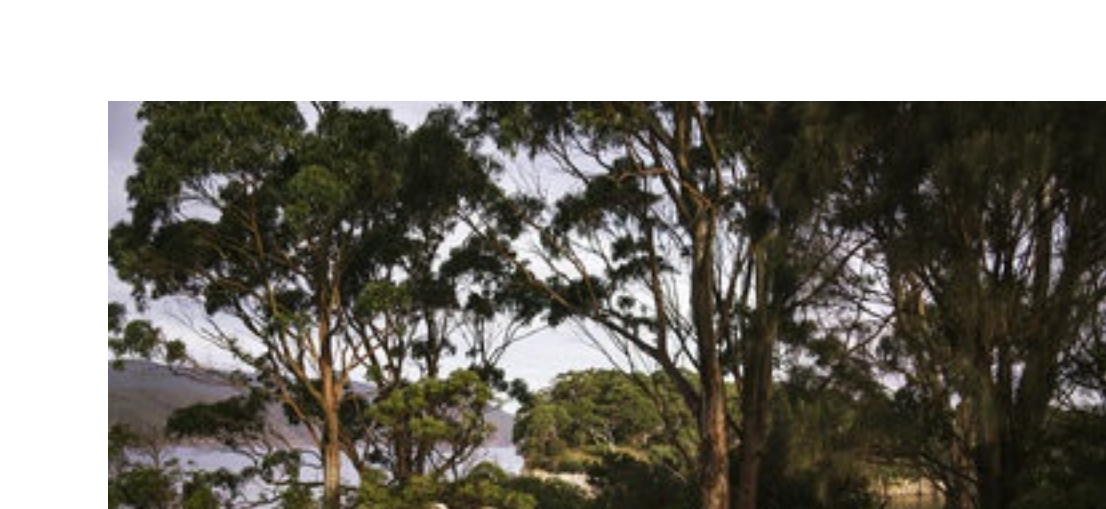
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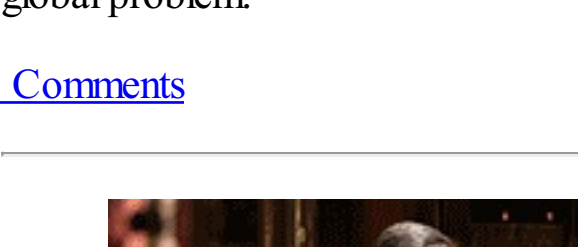
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Rising Seas Are Putting Historic Sites at Risk

By JUSTIN GILLIS 3:00 AM ET

Eroding shorelines have damaged Port Arthur, the famous prison in Tasmania that housed the British Empire's toughest convicts in the 19th century. It is but one example of a global problem.

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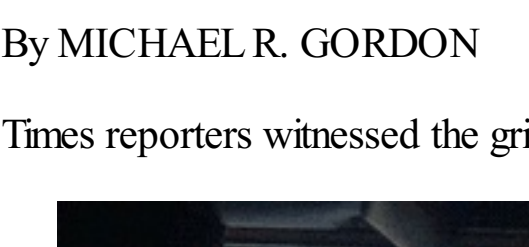
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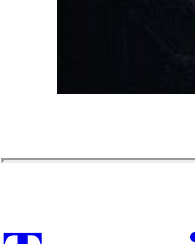
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By MICHAEL R. GORDON

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By MARK LANDLER

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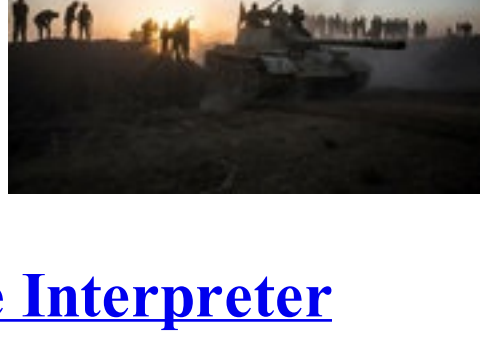


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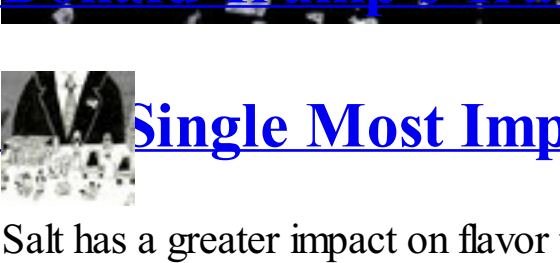
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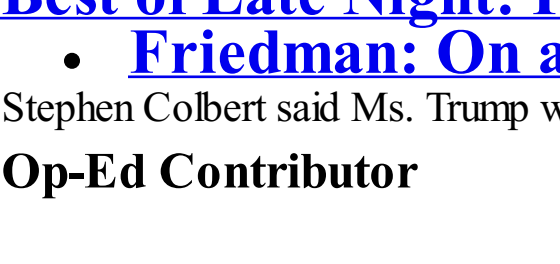


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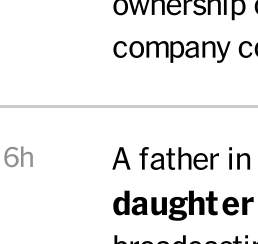


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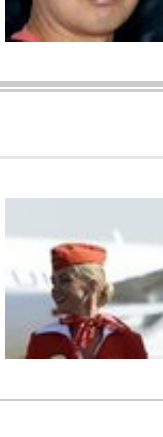
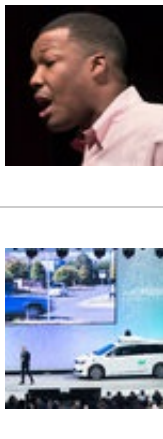
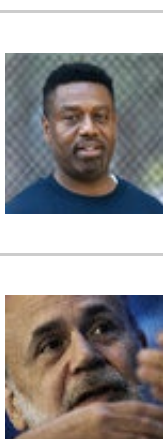



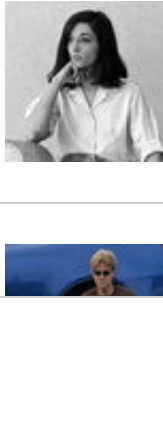







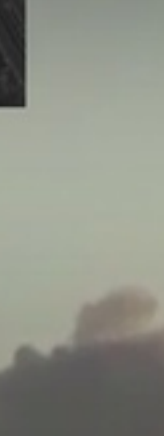
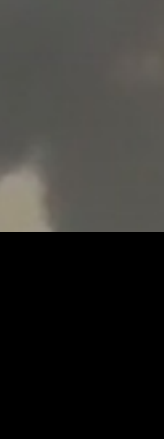




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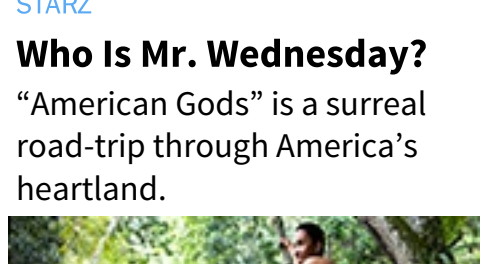
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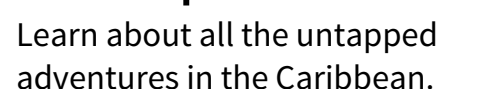
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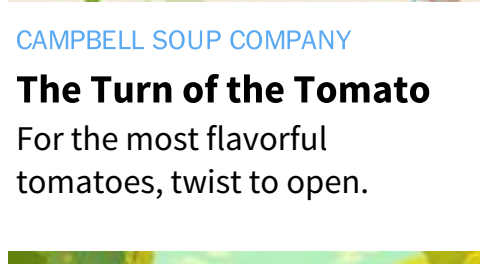
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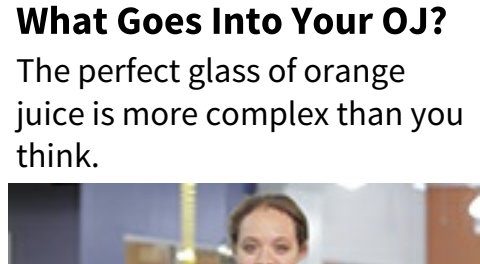
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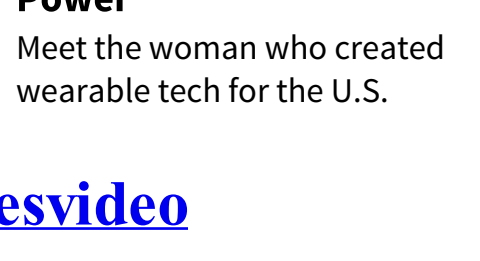
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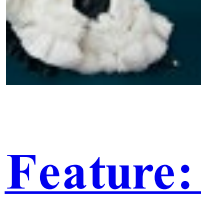
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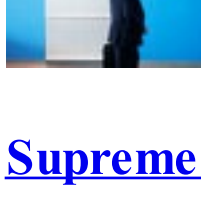
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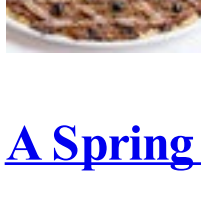
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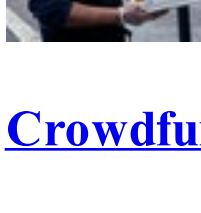
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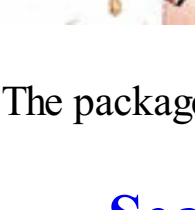
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By RONDA KAYSEN



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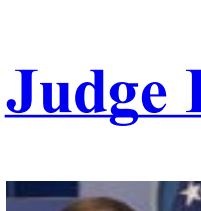
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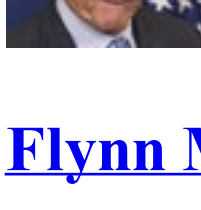
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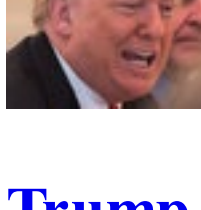
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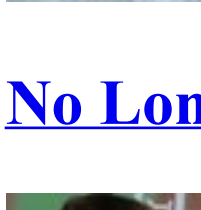
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