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

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By PETER BAKER 9:14 AM ET

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By SYDNEY EMBER

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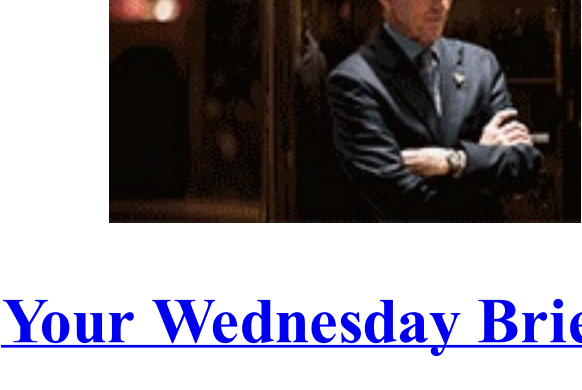
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By MICHAEL R. GORDON

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By CHRIS BUCKLEY 27 minutes ago

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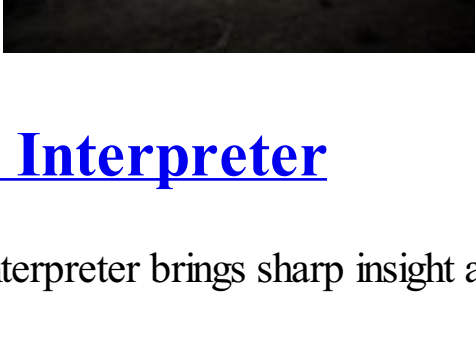


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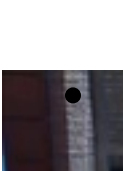


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By JORGE G. CASTANEDA

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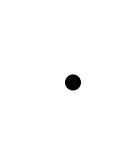
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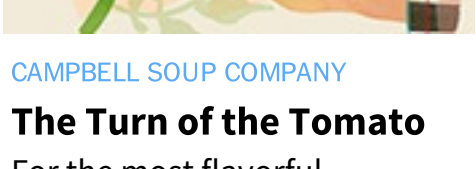


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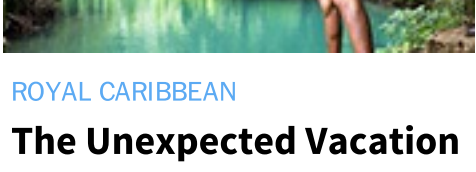


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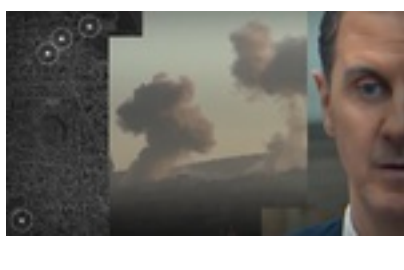
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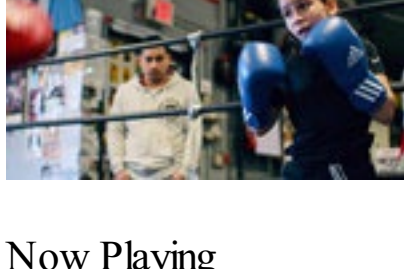
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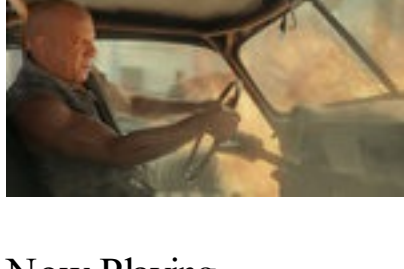
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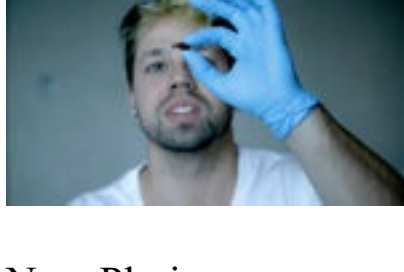
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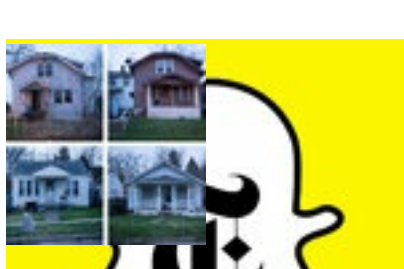
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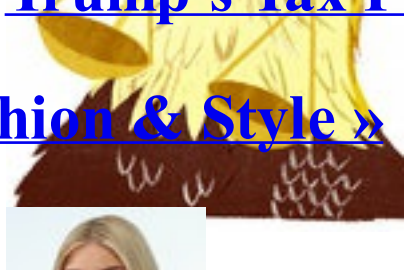
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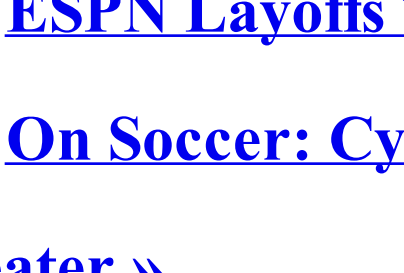


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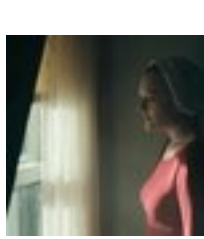


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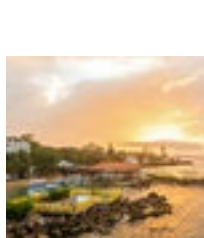


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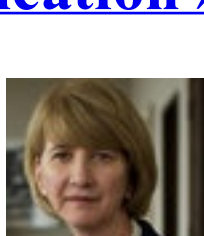


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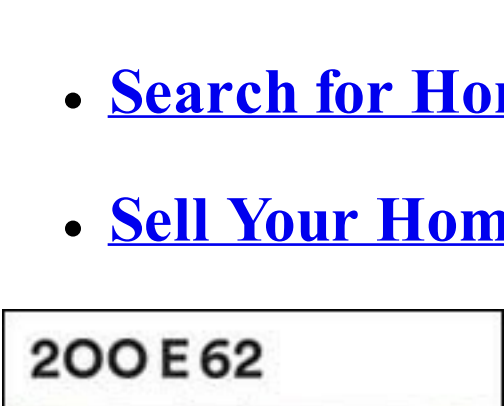
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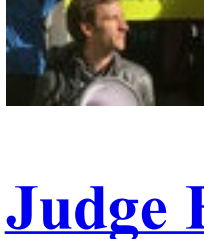
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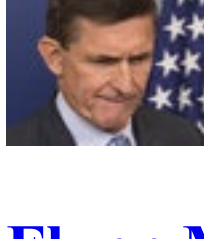
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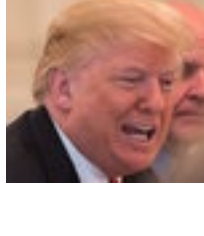
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