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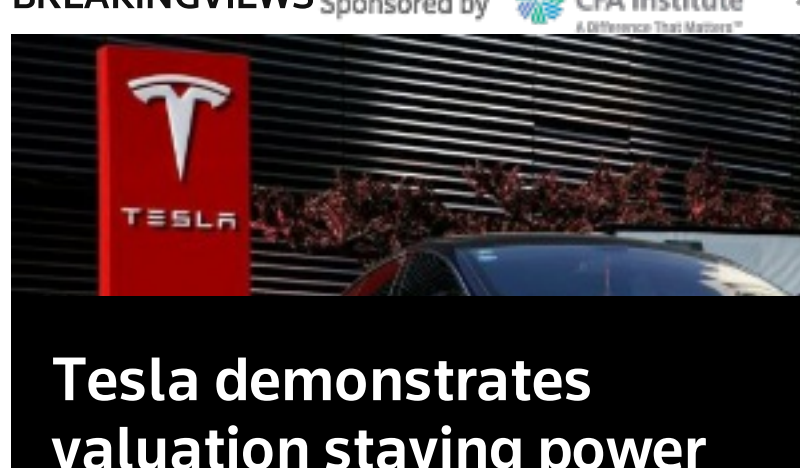


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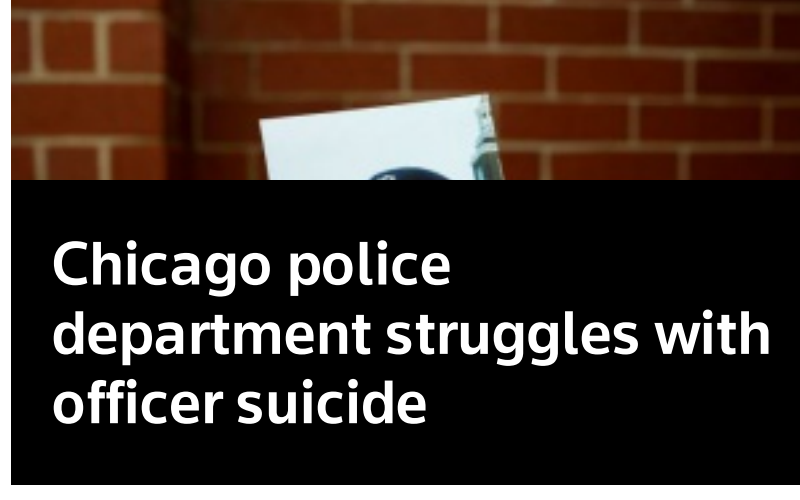
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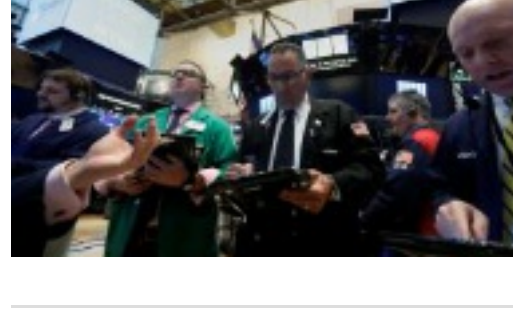
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U.S. labor market tightening; productivity weakens in first-quarter

New applications for U.S. jobless benefits fell sharply last week and the number of Americans on unemployment rolls hit a 17-year low, pointing to a tightening labor market that could allow the Federal Reserve to raise interest rates next month.

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Tech, energy stocks weigh on Wall Street

U.S. stocks were little changed on Thursday as a decline in energy and technology stocks erased some of the early gains following the Federal Reserve's upbeat comments about the economy.

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Chicago aviation chief apologizes for United passenger removal

Chicago Aviation Commissioner Ginger Evans apologized Thursday for city employees' forced removal of a United Airlines passenger that prompted international condemnation.

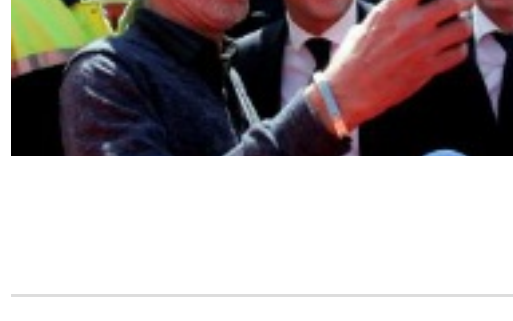
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Former warlord Hekmatyar calls for peace with Afghan Taliban

Former Afghan warlord Gulbuddin Hekmatyar returned to Kabul on Thursday after two decades in hiding, calling for peace with Taliban insurgents and criticizing the Western-backed government, which he said was not working.

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France's Macron accuses Le Pen of spreading lies about him

The French prosecutor's office launched an inquiry on Thursday into suspicions of fake news being spread to influence Sunday's presidential vote after far-right leader Marine Le Pen implied her rival Emmanuel Macron held an offshore account.

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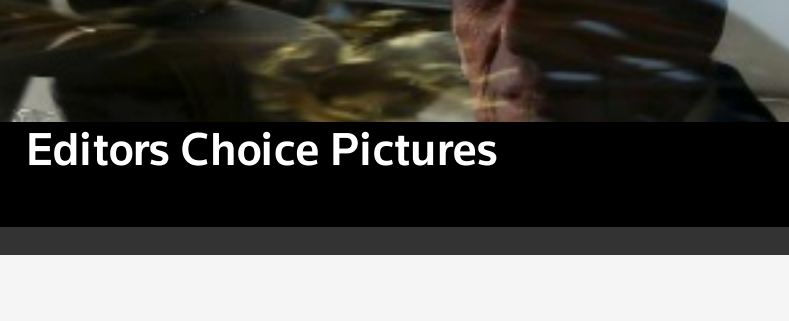
Britain's looming negotiations with the European Union on exiting the bloc are already very tough and will become "impossible" if emotions are allowed to run unchecked, the chairman of EU summits said on Thursday.

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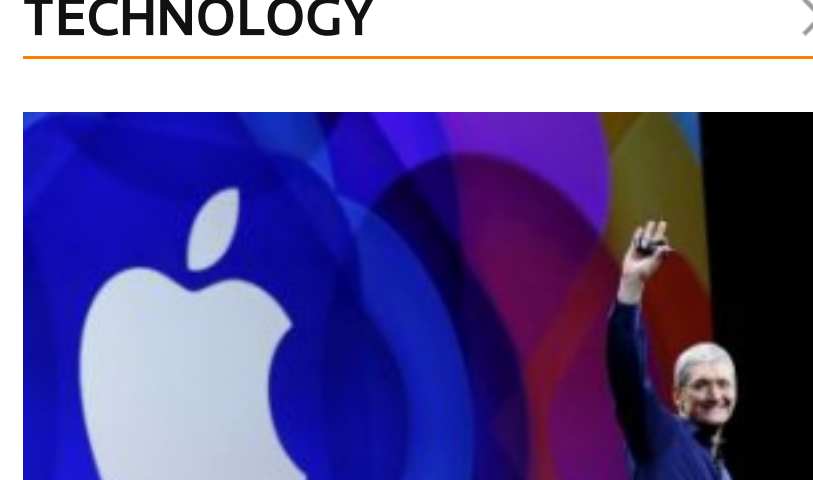
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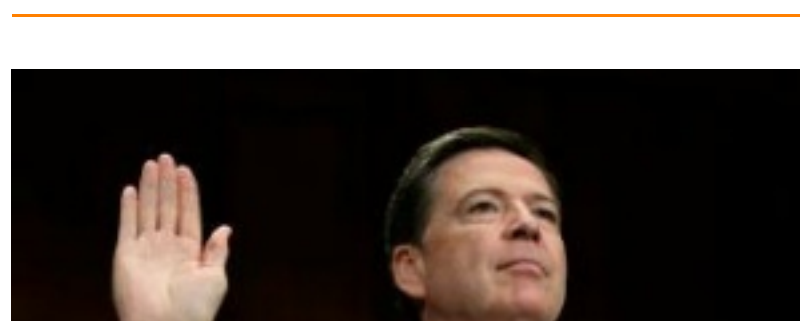


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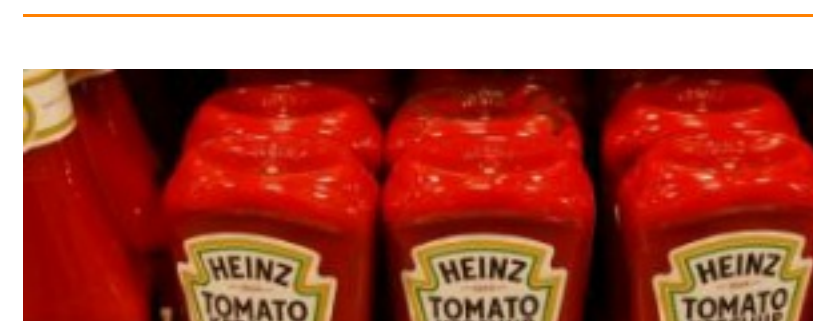


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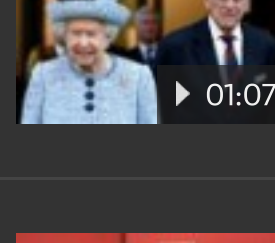
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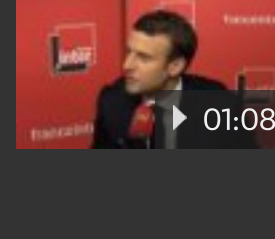
Trump takes Manhattan - then splits for Jersey

President Donald Trump returns to his hometown for a rare trip outside of his presidential 'bubble' - opting to sleep in his New Jersey country home instead of Trump Tower.

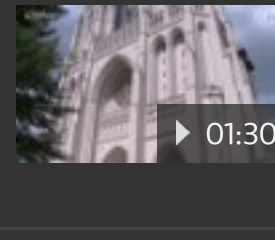
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