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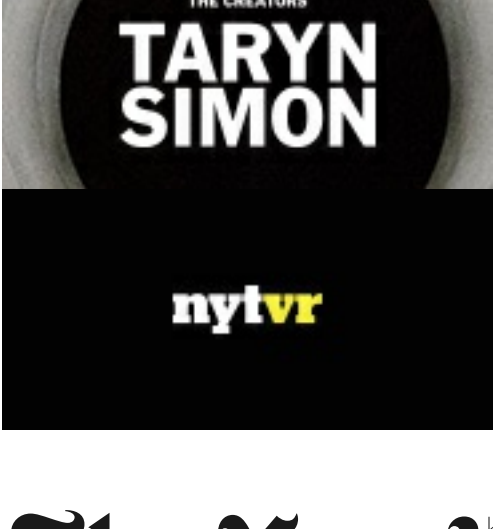
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By MARK LANDLER 3:26 PM ET

- In a “very friendly conversation,” President Trump invited President Rodrigo Duterte of the Philippines to visit the White House.

• The administration is bracing for an avalanche of criticism over Mr. Trump’s embrace of the authoritarian leader, who has been accused of ordering extrajudicial killings.

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By PETER S. GOODMAN

The president’s threat to pull the United States out of the North American Free Trade Agreement would hurt the very workers he says he aims to help.

Florida Deal Would Undo Key Part of Medicaid Expansion

By ROBERT PEAR

With a new deal in Florida, the Trump administration appears to have scrapped a tool the Obama administration used to encourage states to expand coverage.

For Journalists, Annual Dinner Serves Up Catharsis

By MICHAEL M. GRYNBAUM

Even as Mr. Trump heckled the proceedings in real time in Pennsylvania, guests said the often-frivolous dinner felt oddly profound.

- Fact Check: Trump’s Account of His First 100 Days

As Economy Grows, North Korea’s Grip on Society Is Tested

By CHOE SANG-HUN

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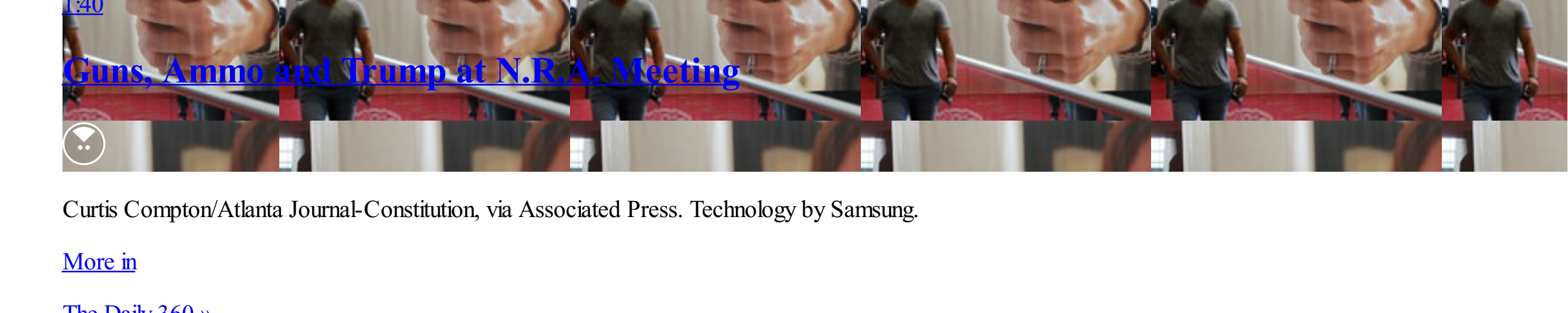
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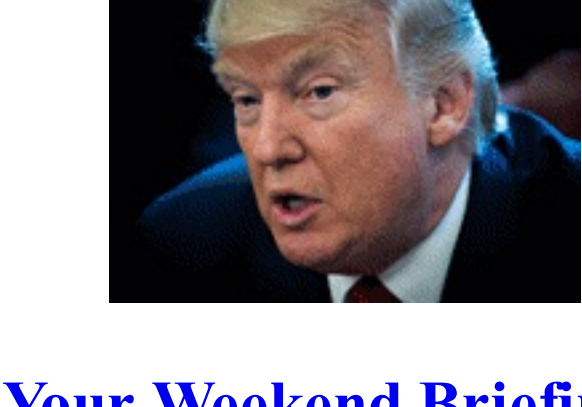
Globalization silenced the historic looms of Calais; blue-collar voters there represent the forces powering the far right.

By LIZ ALDERMAN

French Race May Turn on Voters Who Shun the Polls

By ALISSA J. RUBIN and LILIA BLAISE 7:00 PM ET

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By DANIEL VICTOR and HEATHER CASEY

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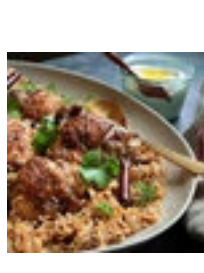
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Lawmakers Seek Harsher Penalties for Hate Crimes



By AUDRA D.S. BURCH

A wave of hateful incidents have been reported across the country in recent months. The response in at least a half-dozen states has been new legislation and expanding definitions.

Turkey Purges 4,000 More Officials, and Blocks Wikipedia



By PATRICK KINGSLEY

A total of 3,974 civil servants were fired on Saturday, and internet users woke up to find that they no longer had access to the free online encyclopedia.

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Next on Amazon’s Hit List: Apparel Retailers



By NICK WINGFIELD 7:13 PM ET

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A Story in Three Choreographers

New York City Ballet’s Here/Now Festival begins with programs focusing on the work of Christopher Wheeldon, Alexei Ratmansky and Justin Peck.

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By MICHAEL KINSLEY

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The singer-songwriter Mac DeMarco, who is soon to release a new album, has acquired a devoted following by offering up almost full access to his slacker life.

By ERICA J. BOOTHBY

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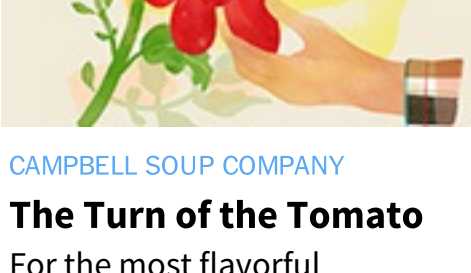
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1d	A hacker, or group of hackers, have demanded ransom after stealing 10 episodes of the next season of "Orange Is the New Black."	
1d	Jean-Gabriel Pageau, Ottawa's one-man wrecking crew, shattered the Rangers' defense in a double-overtime win. The Senators lead the series, 2-0.	
1d	A Delta pilot was captured on video hitting a woman who was engaged in a fight at the Atlanta airport. The airline found that the pilot helped "de-escalate" the situation.	
1d	In the latest chapter of a continuing standoff, Pakistan's prime minister, Nawaz Sharif, ousted two top officials over a news article that had infuriated the military.	
1d	Maria Sharapova, the former world No. 1 , lost in the semifinals of her first tournament since returning to tennis from a 15-month doping ban.	
1d	After more than a half-century, Florida's State Senate has apologized to the families of four black men convicted of raping a white woman, saying they were "victims of racial hatred."	
1d	A London craft beer produced from recycled bread is now being made at a New York brewery with plans to be sold in stores, restaurants and bars this summer.	
1d	Pete Souza, a chief photographer in the Obama White House, has gained 1 million followers on Instagram who follow his commentary on President Trump .	
2d	It's been 25 years since the Los Angeles riots after the beating of Rodney King by the police, but many residents believe more unrest is likely.	
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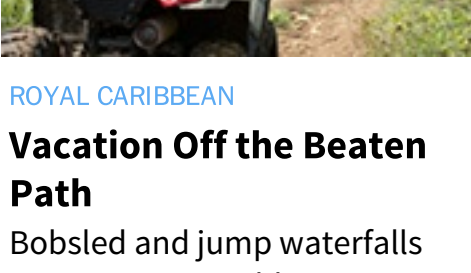
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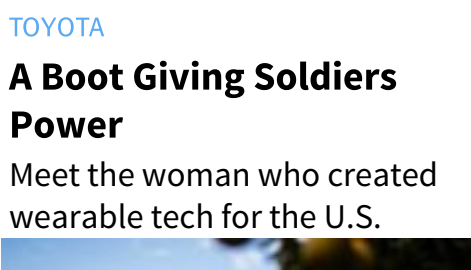
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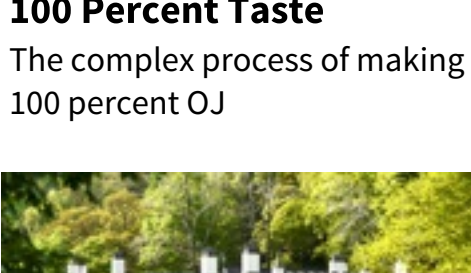
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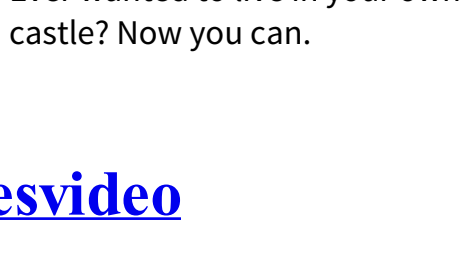
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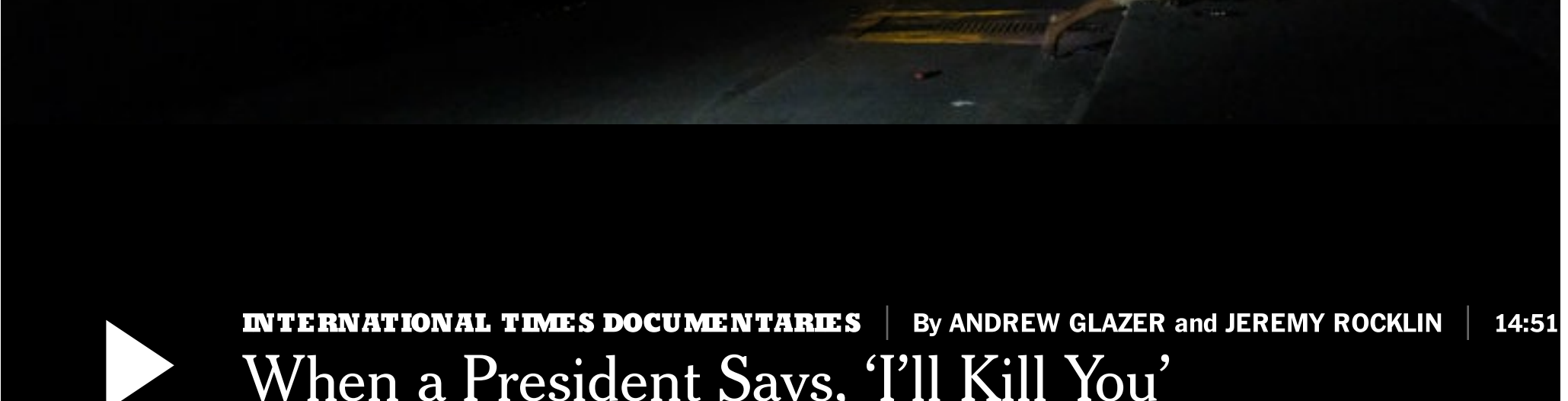
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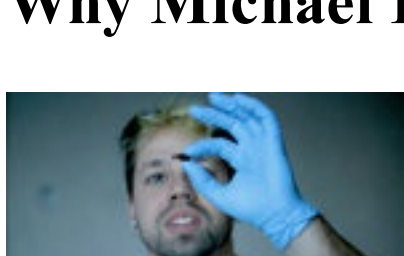
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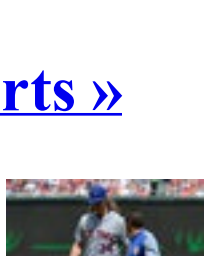
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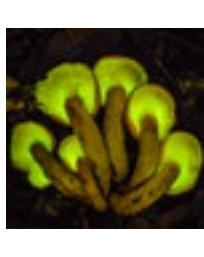


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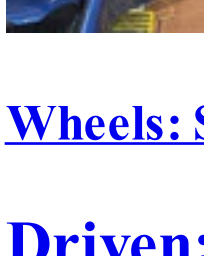


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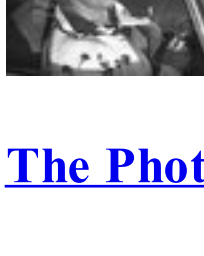


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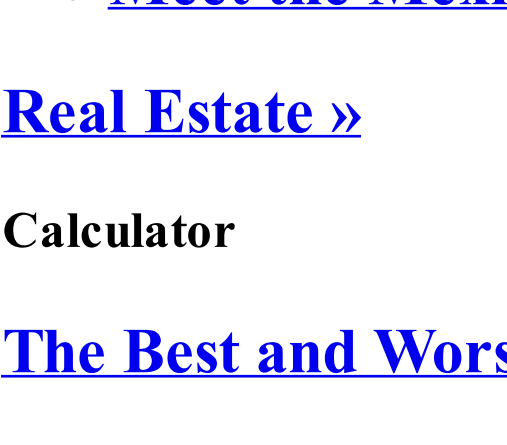
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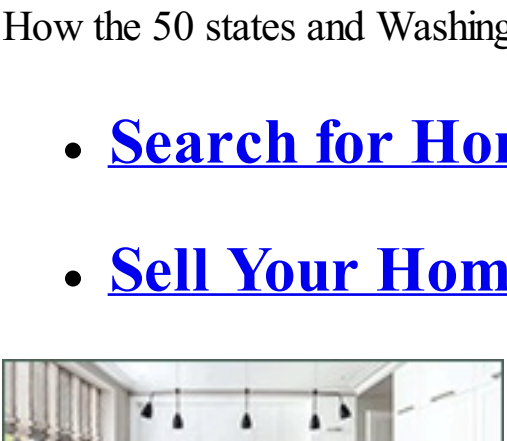
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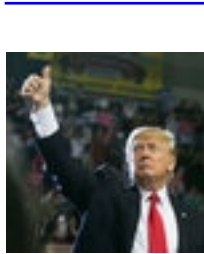
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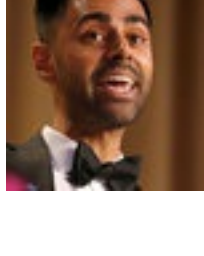
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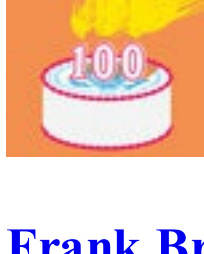
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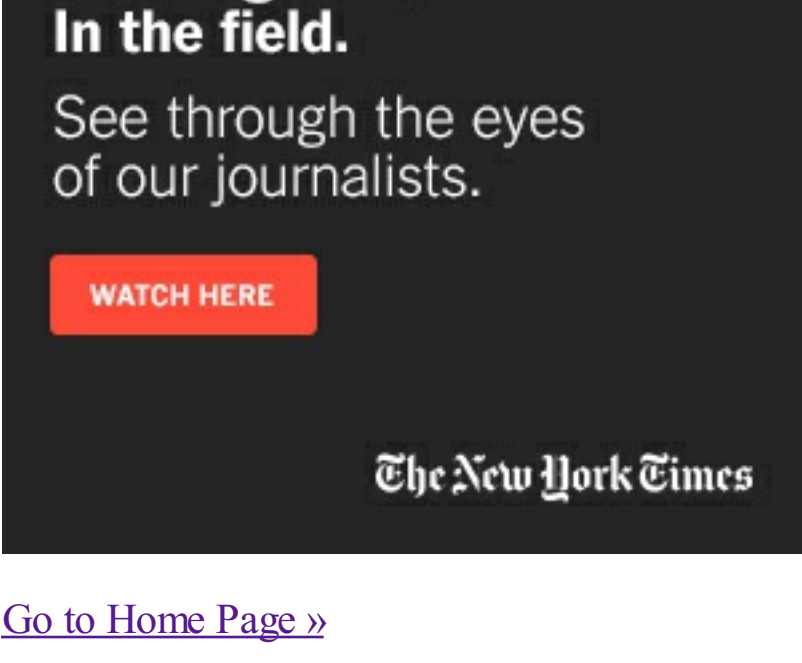
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