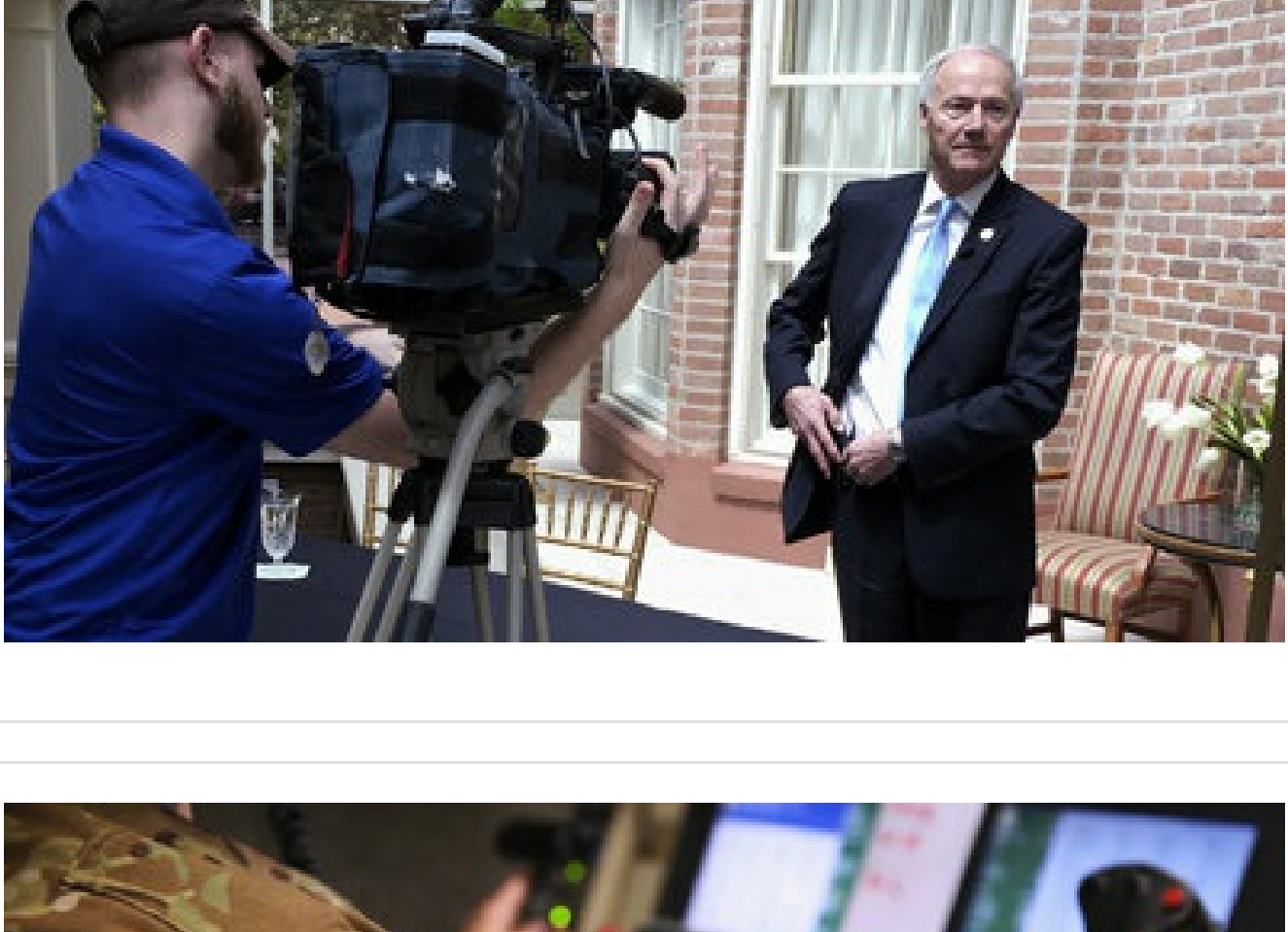


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Arkansas Carries Out First Double Execution In U.S. Since 2000

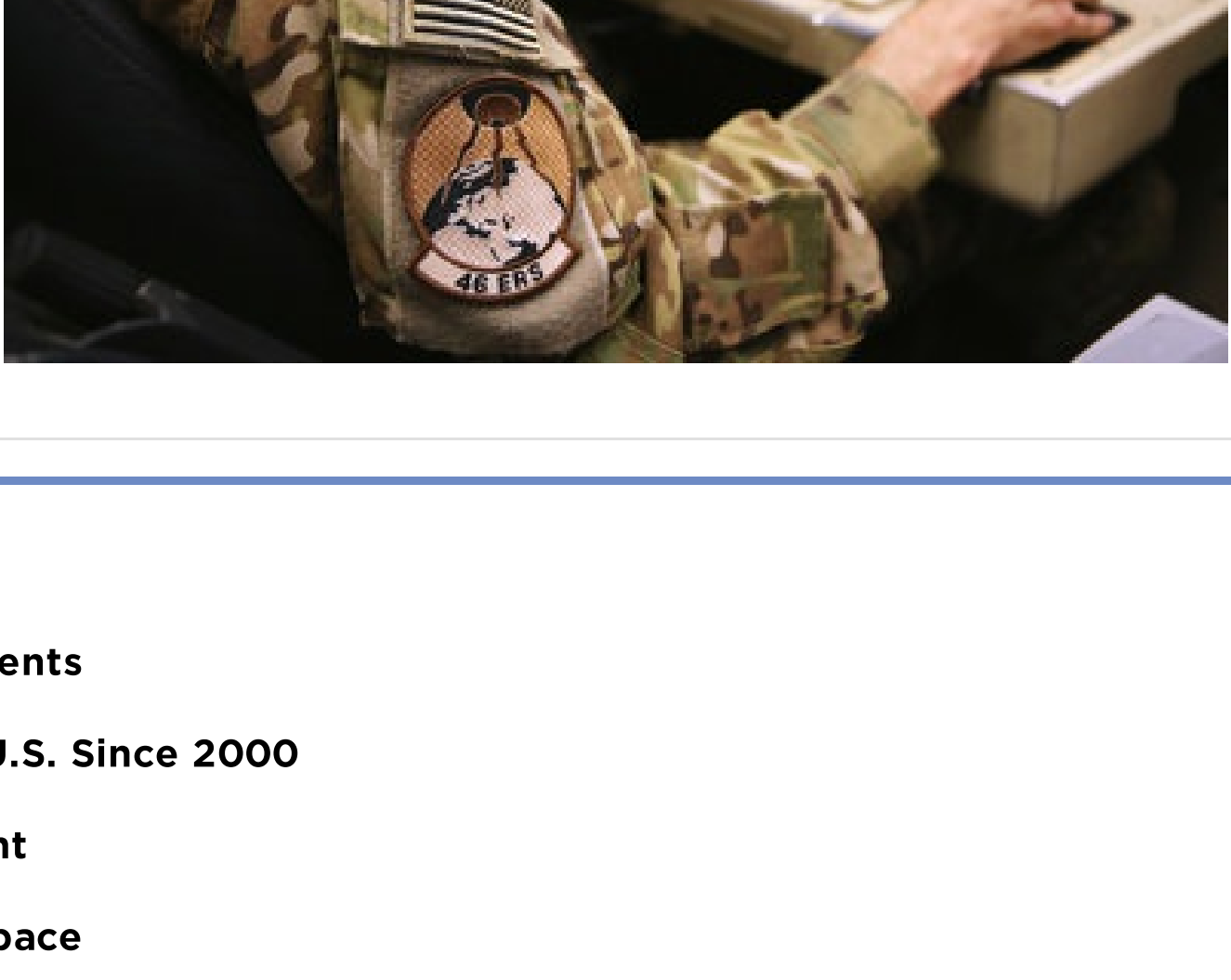
Jack Jones Jr. and Marcel Williams were executed hours apart Monday night, the second and third of six inmates slated to get the death penalty in the state in an 11-day span. Arkansas' supply of lethal injection drugs is set to expire at the end of the month.



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Pilots and the intelligence analysts who work with them may not be in physical danger themselves but "no doubt are war fighters" who experience psychological stress, says the Air Force.



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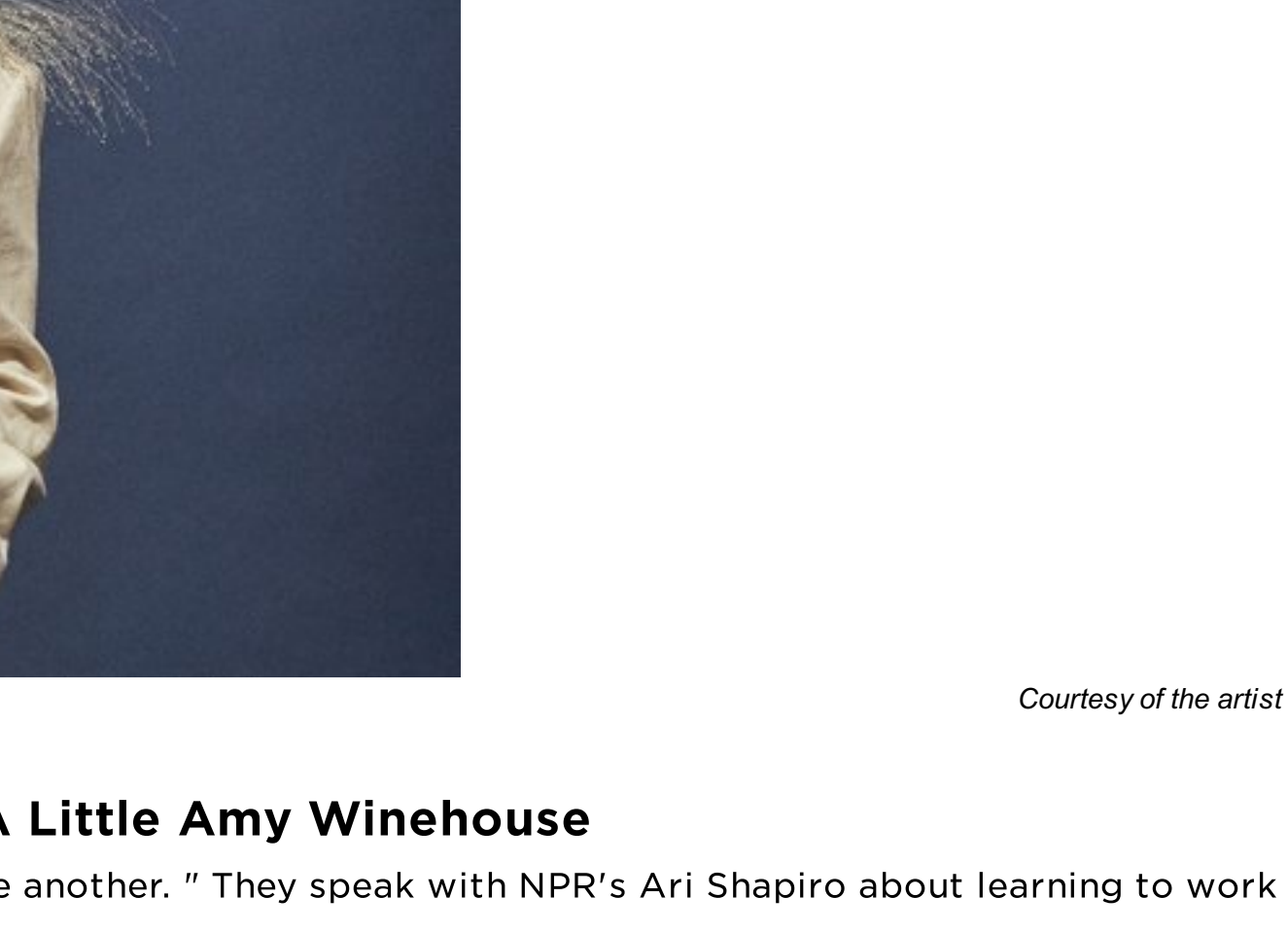
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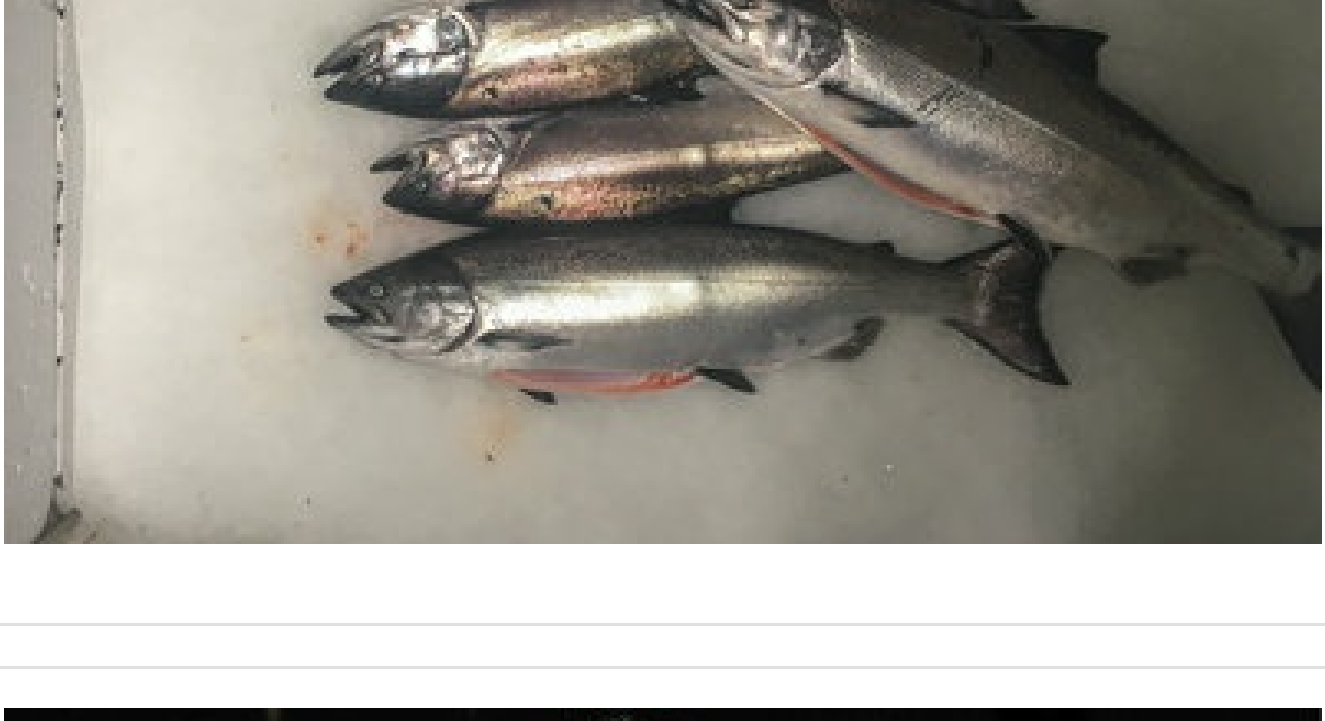
Zen was published by William Morrow in 1974, after being rejected by 121 publishing houses. The book has endured as a work of popular philosophy, and inspired many a road trip across the West.

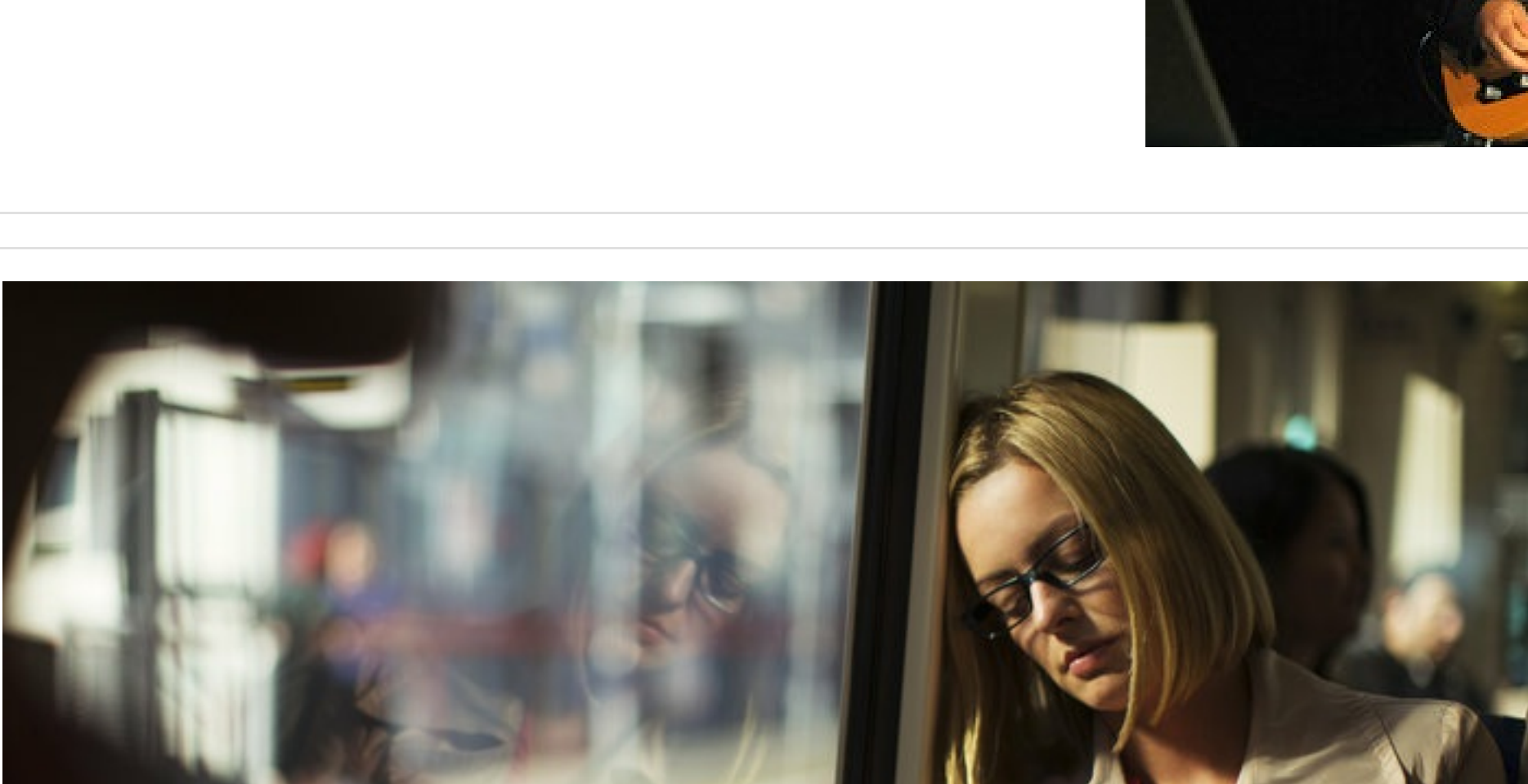


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Obama Returns To Public Stage, Encouraging Next Generation To 'Take Up The Baton'

The former president didn't directly address the turmoil surrounding his successor, but he did bemoan the political divisions that continue to plague the country.





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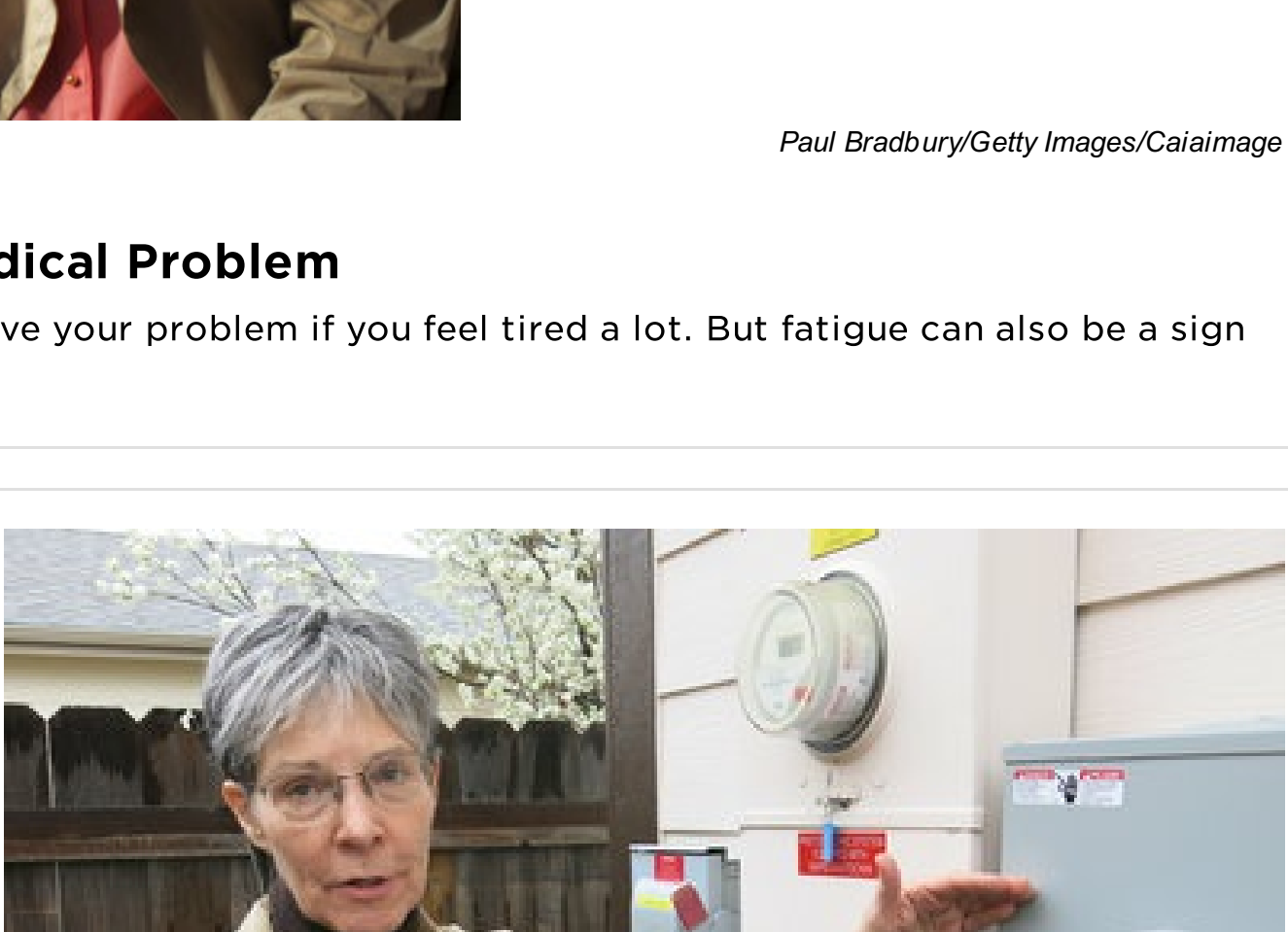
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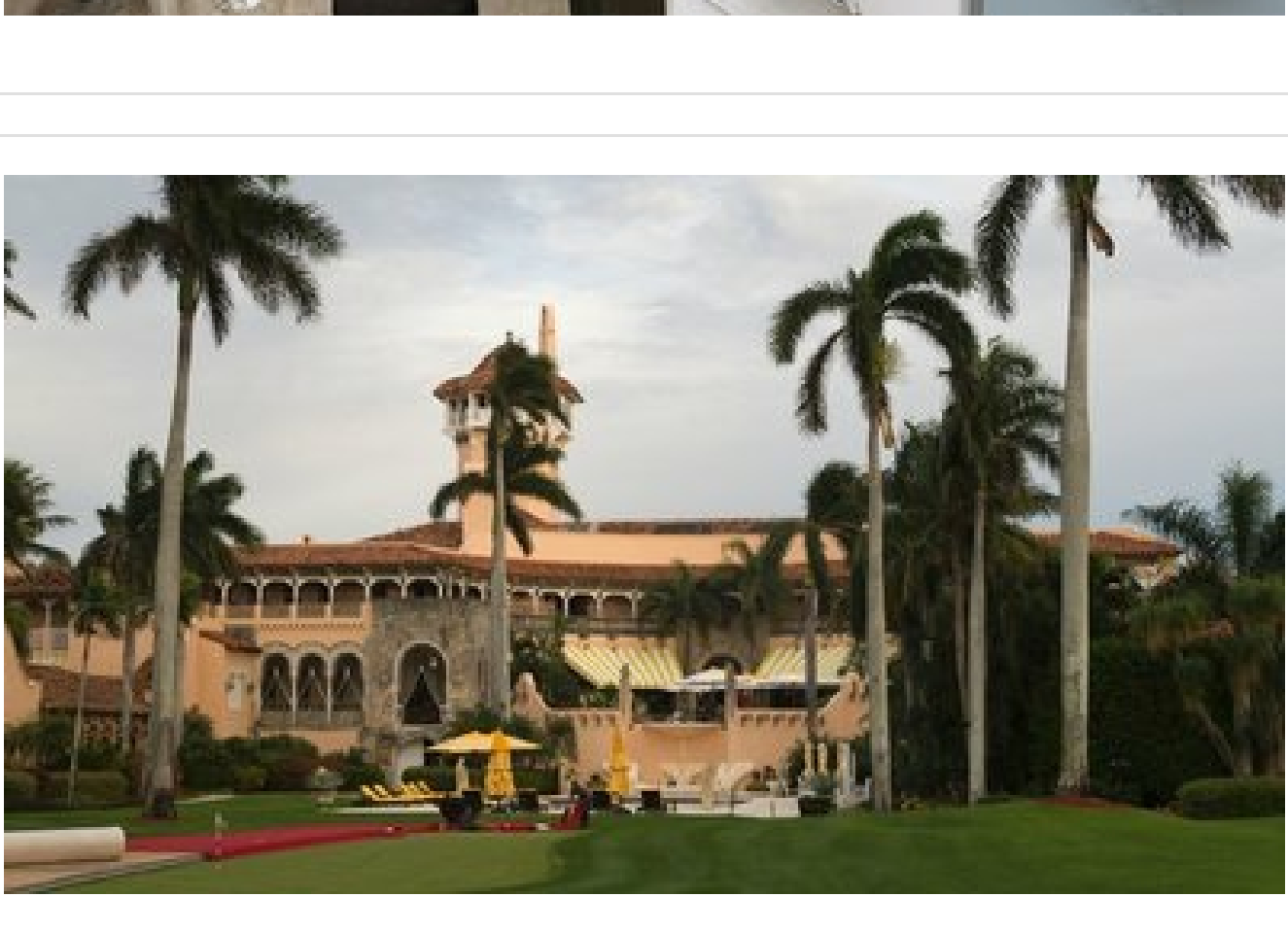
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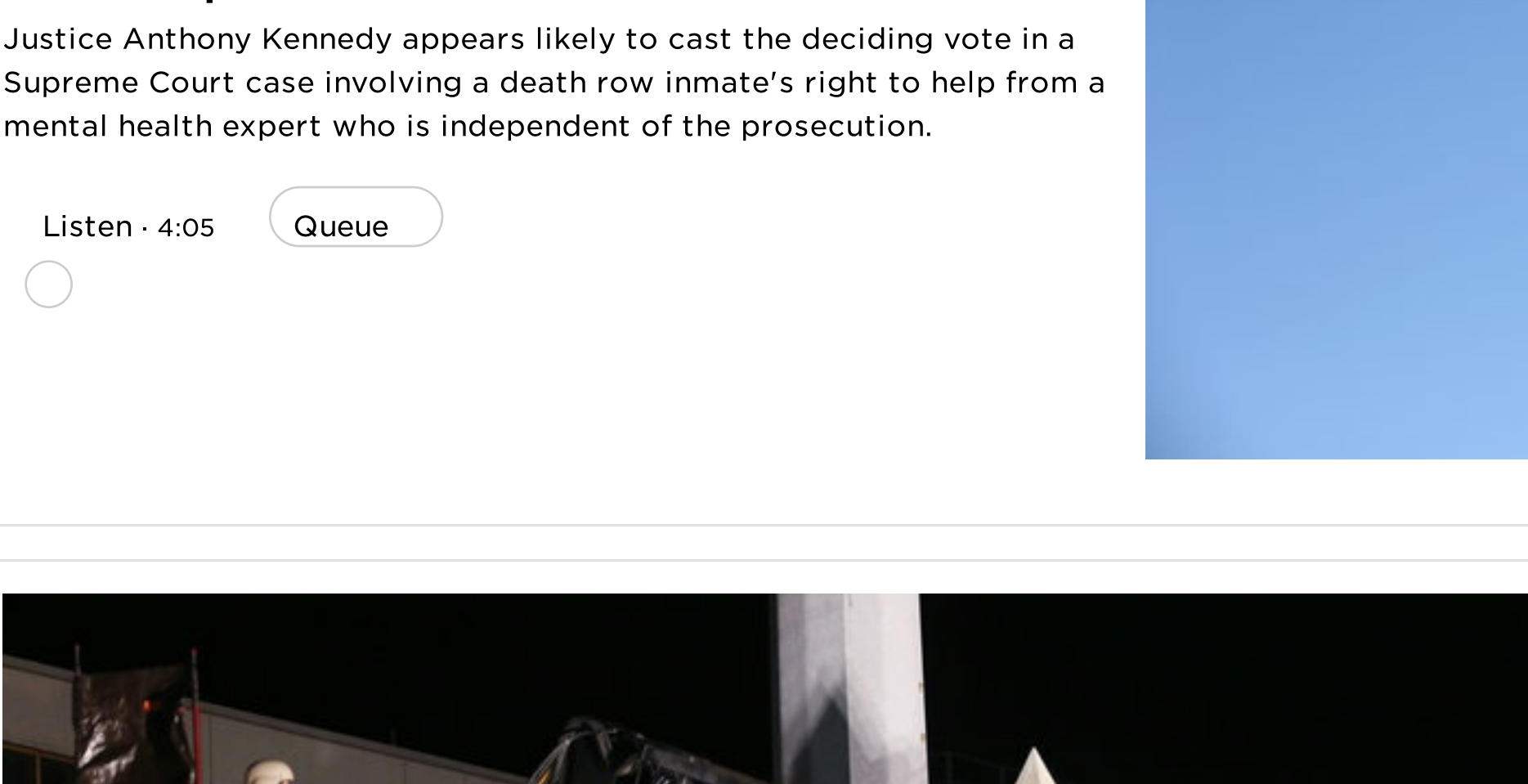
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We're All Tired, But Sometimes Fatigue Signals A Medical Problem

Avoiding your phone and TV at night and setting a firm bedtime might solve your problem if you feel tired a lot. But fatigue can also be a sign of disease.

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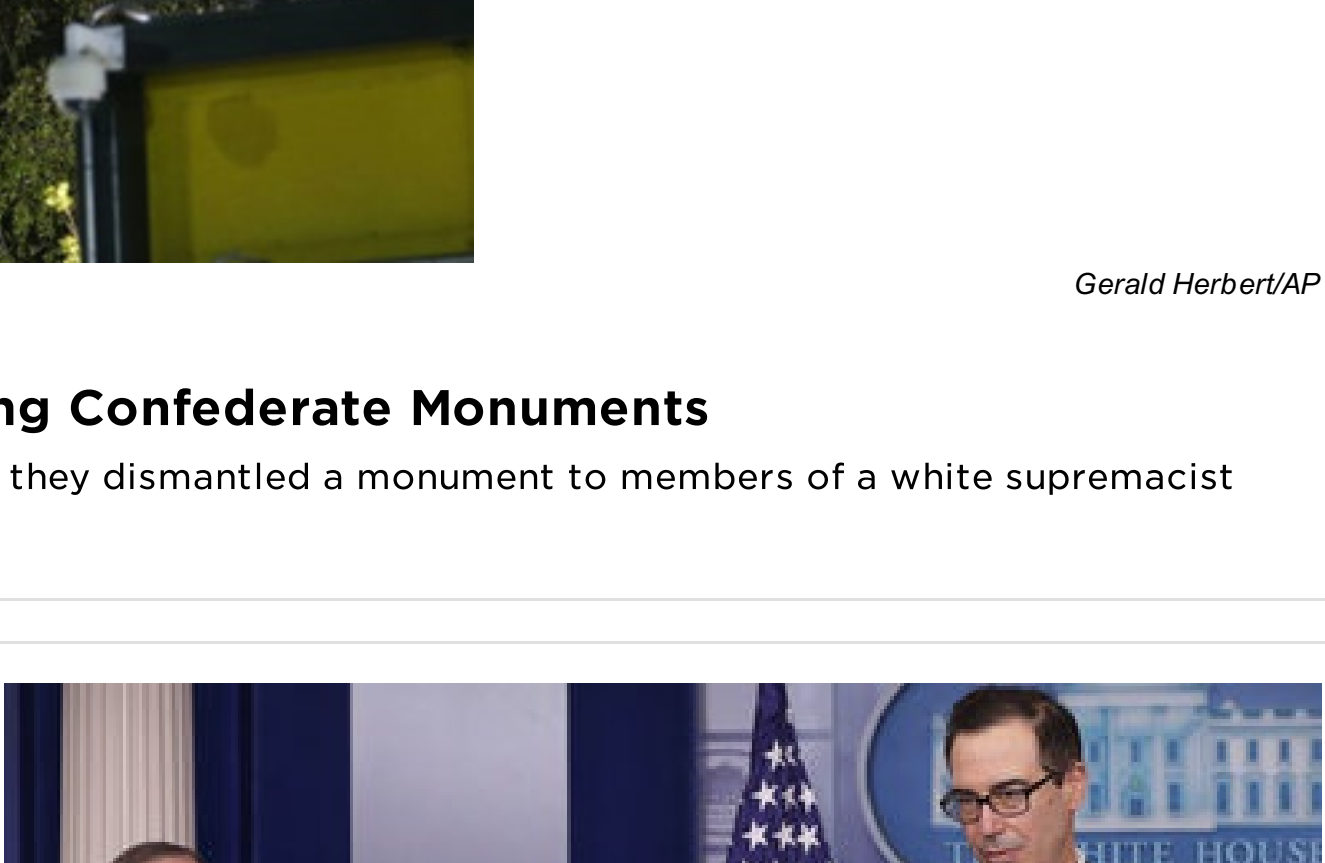
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After criticism from those who thought the page was an inappropriate use of taxpayer funds, a State Department official said that the intention was to inform and that "we regret any misperception."



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Justices Split Over Defendants' Right To Mental Health Expert Witnesses

Justice Anthony Kennedy appears likely to cast the deciding vote in a Supreme Court case involving a death row inmate's right to help from a mental health expert who is independent of the prosecution.

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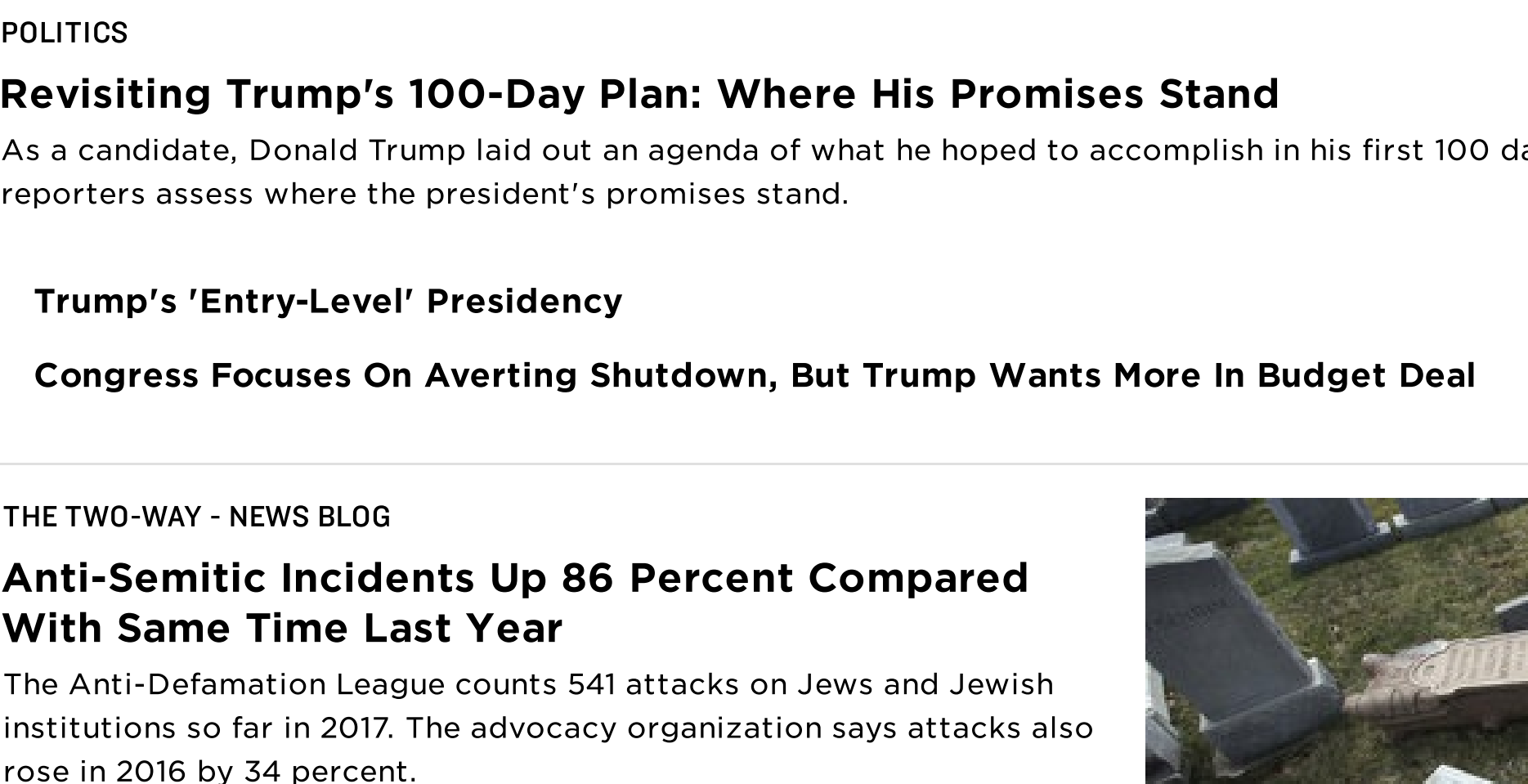
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Under Cover Of Night, New Orleans Begins Dismantling Confederate Monuments

Following death threats, the contractors wore flak jackets and helmets as they dismantled a monument to members of a white supremacist group who attacked the city's racially integrated police force.

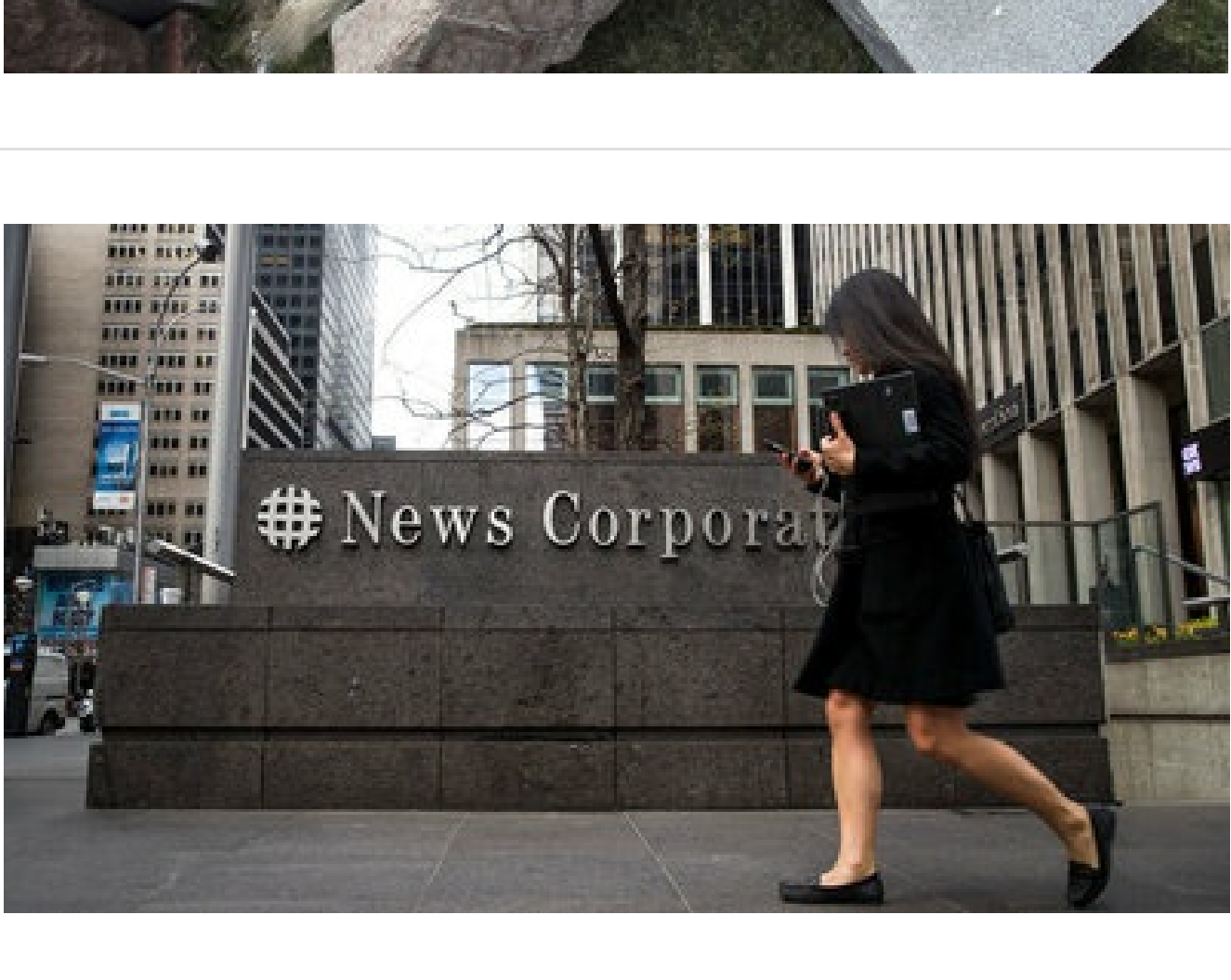


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U.S. Announces Sanctions On 271 Syrians Over April 4 Chemical Attack

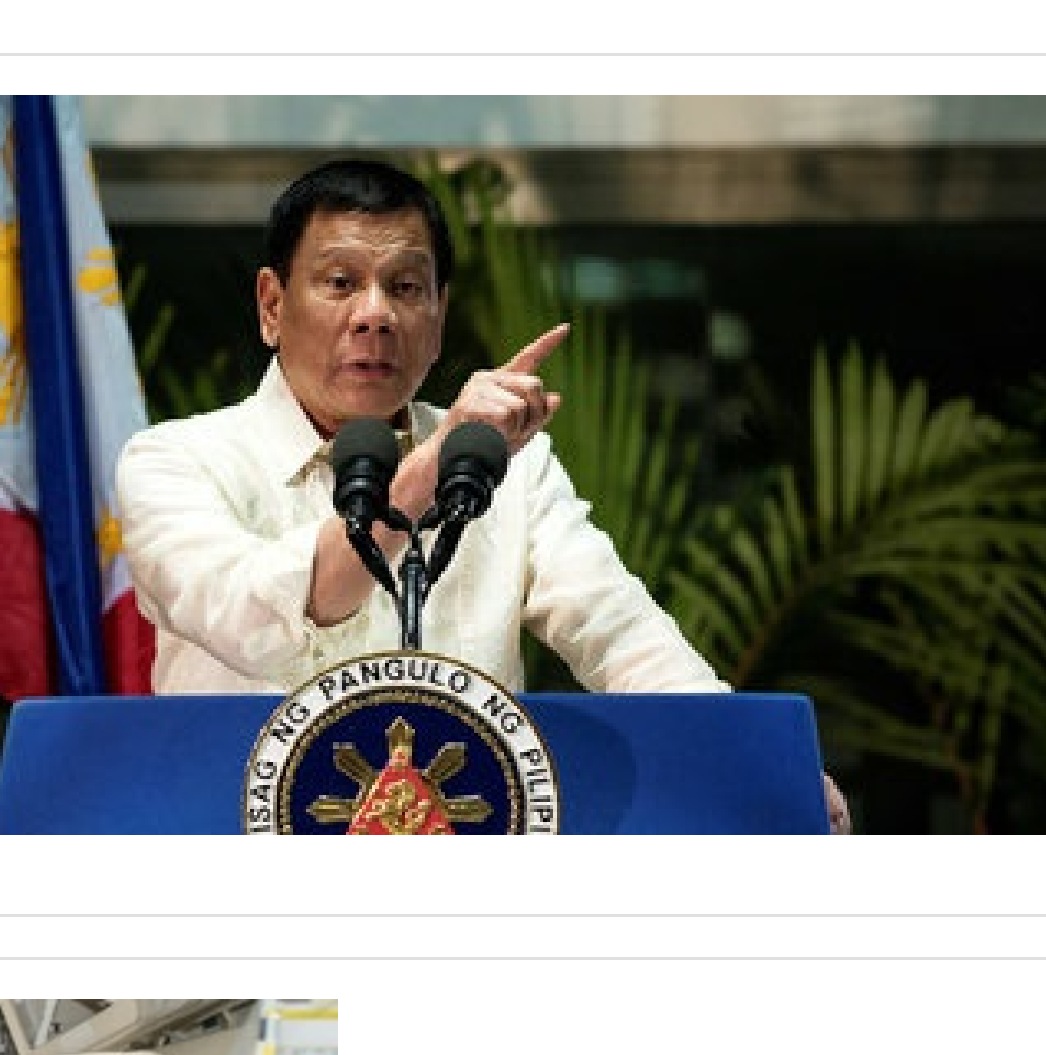
The blacklisted people work on weapons development for Syria, the administration says. Treasury Secretary Steven Mnuchin says the sanctions "target the scientific support center" for the attack.



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Malaria Wiped Out In U.S. But Still Plagues U.S. Hospitals

Transmission was eliminated in the United States in the early 1950s. But a new report sees a surprising trend.



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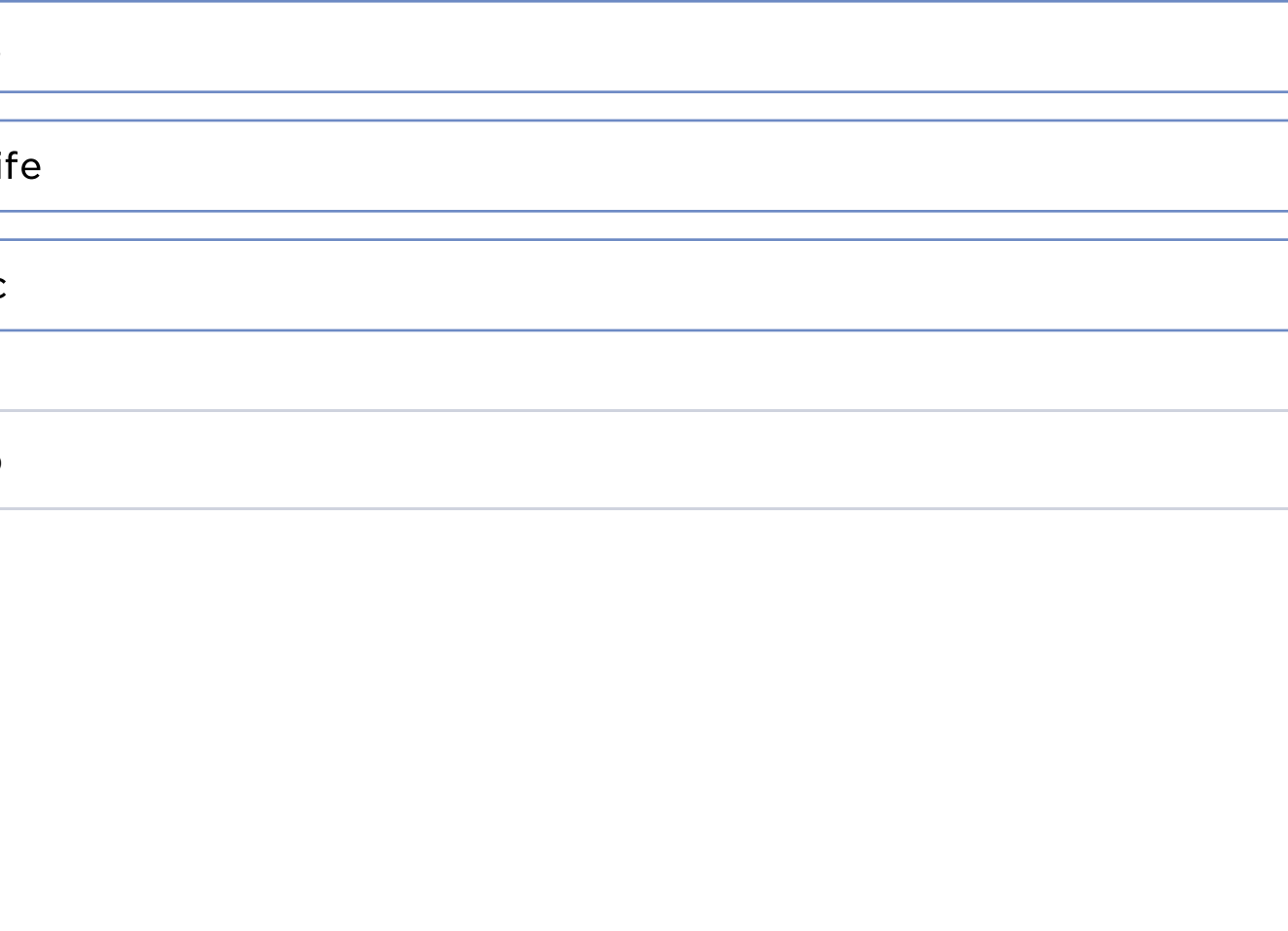


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Anti-Semitic Incidents Up 86 Percent Compared With Same Time Last Year

The Anti-Defamation League counts 541 attacks on Jews and Jewish institutions so far in 2017. The advocacy organization says attacks also rose in 2016 by 34 percent.



BUSINESS

Beyond Sexual Harassment, Lesser Known Scandals Could Cost The Murdochs A \$14B Deal

For the Murdochs, who control Fox News as part of a larger media empire, getting rid of Bill O'Reilly is a move to regain full control of the European broadcasting giant Sky in a \$14.6 billion deal.



Ailes Accuser Says Fox News Execs Ordered Eavesdropping On Her Digital Devices

Bill O'Reilly Out At Fox News After Sexual Harassment Allegations

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Lawyer In Philippines Accuses President Duterte Of Crimes Against Humanity

Jude Sabio, who represents an admitted assassin who has testified against President Rodrigo Duterte, has filed a complaint against Duterte with the International Criminal Court at the Hague.

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Astronaut Peggy Whitson Sets NASA Record For Most Days In Space

Peggy Whitson is a biochemist who has twice commanded the International Space Station. When she comes back down to Earth this year, she'll have logged more than 656 days in space.

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