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Trump goes big on tax overhaul plan that would affect most Americans

The president's one-page outline for changes to the tax code would reduce the current seven income tax brackets to three, cut the corporate tax rate by more than 50 percent and abolish the alternative-minimum tax and estate tax. Trump administration officials didn't address how much the plan would reduce federal revenue or grow the debt.

By Damian Paletta

- How Trump's tax proposal could benefit his own business empire

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In new tax plan, Trump promises to do what Reagan couldn't

The president's advisers touted the proposed tax cuts as the start of an economic renaissance, but economists were very skeptical that the plan could deliver the level of growth Trump promised.

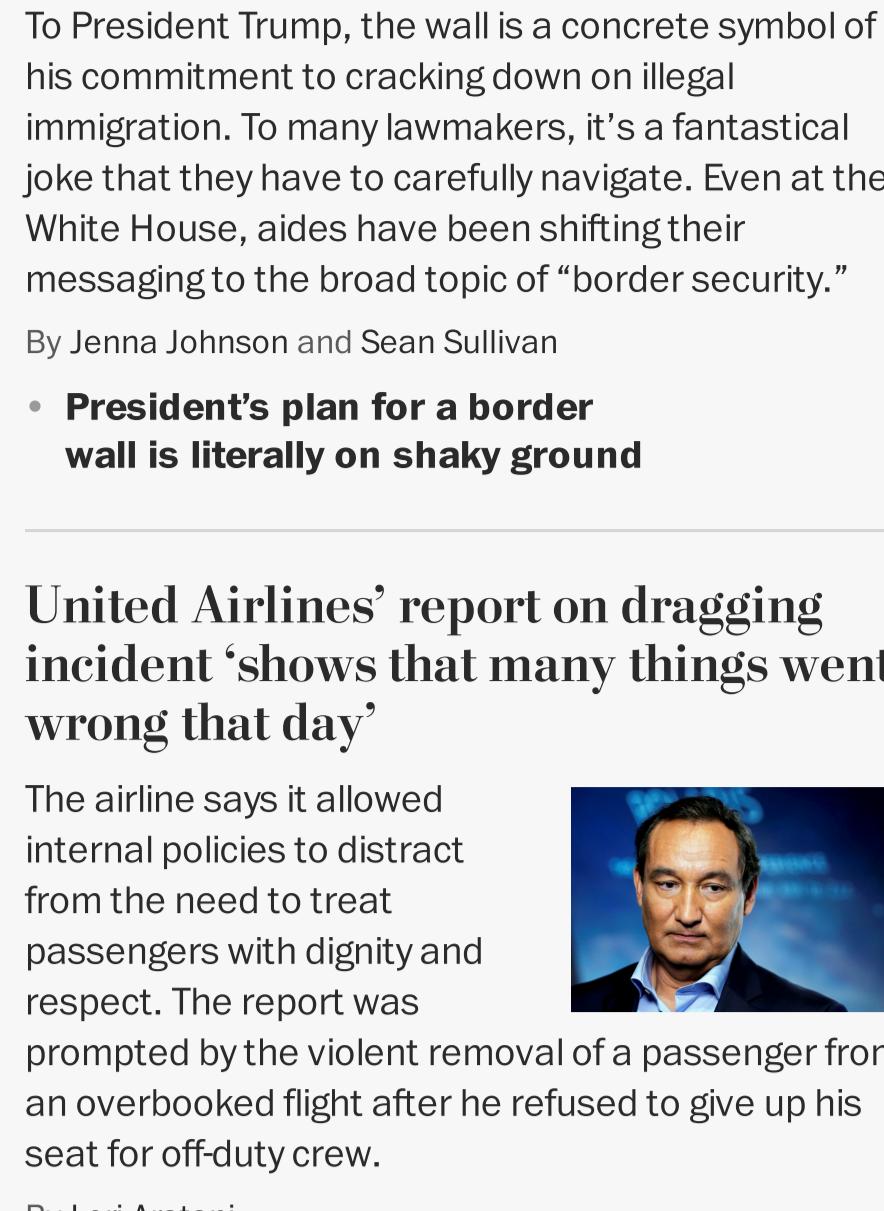
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- Six ways the plan could affect ordinary taxpayers

House Republicans introduce one-week spending bill to continue budget talks

The measure would keep the lights on in federal agencies until May 5 while negotiators continue on an agreement that would authorize spending through the end of the September.

By Kelsey Snell • 1 hour ago



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'Build that wall?': Joke to some, this vivid campaign promise now carries real political risk for Trump

To President Trump, the wall is a concrete symbol of his commitment to cracking down on illegal immigration. To many lawmakers, it's a fantastical joke that they have to carefully navigate. Even at the White House, aides have been shifting their messaging to the broad topic of "border security."

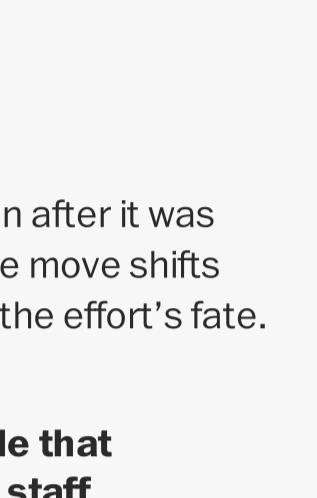
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- President's plan for a border wall is literally on shaky ground

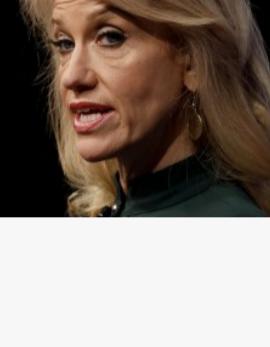
United Airlines' report on dragging incident 'shows that many things went wrong that day'

The airline says it allowed internal policies to distract from the need to treat passengers with dignity and respect. The report was prompted by the violent removal of a passenger from an overbooked flight after he refused to give up his seat for off-duty crew.

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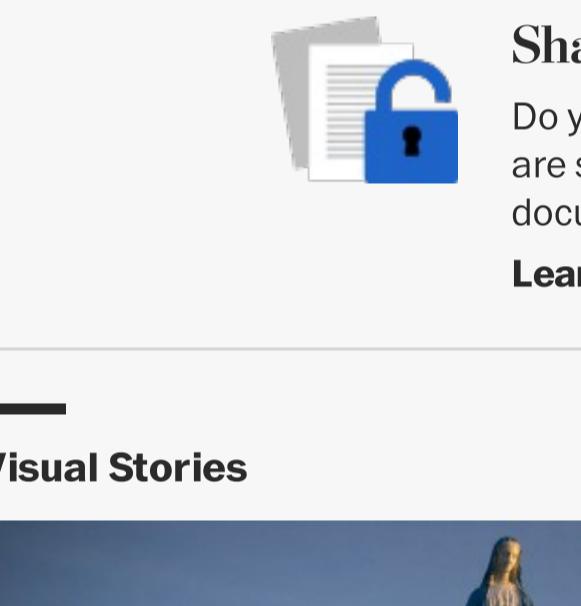
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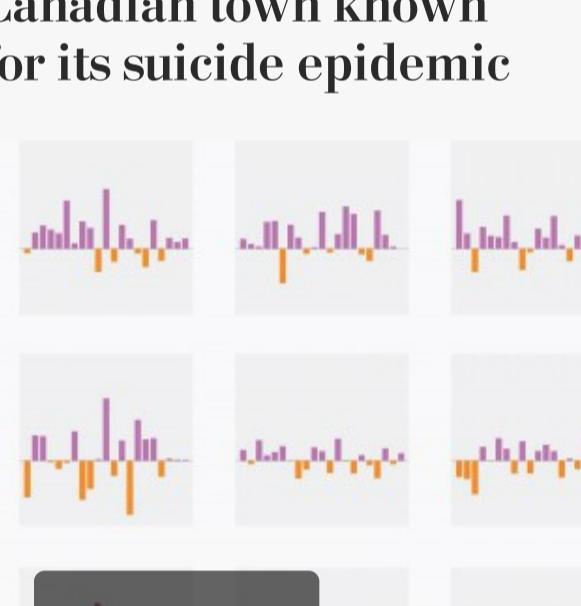
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The White House said the president spoke with Mexican President Enrique Peña Nieto and Canadian Prime Minister Justin Trudeau, who both "agreed to proceed swiftly, according to their required internal procedures, to enable the renegotiation" of the trade deal.

By Damian Paletta and Todd C. Frankel

**North Korea puts out new video showing the White House in crosshairs and carriers exploding**

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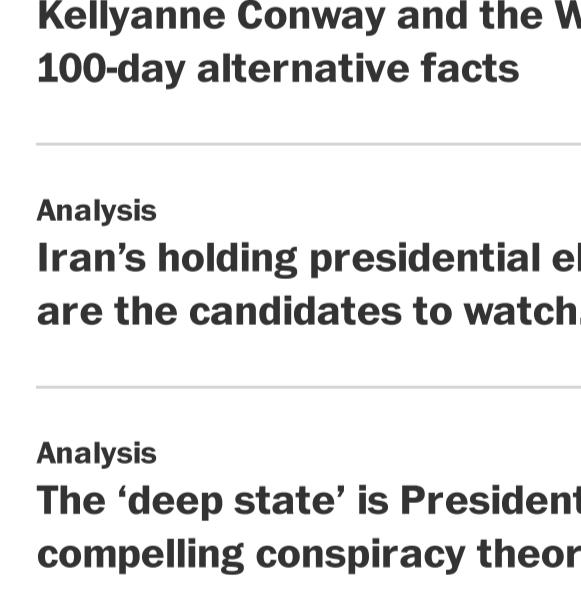
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The influential Freedom Caucus rallied behind the plan after it was endorsed by three conservative advocacy groups. The move shifts political pressure onto GOP moderates to determine the effort's fate.

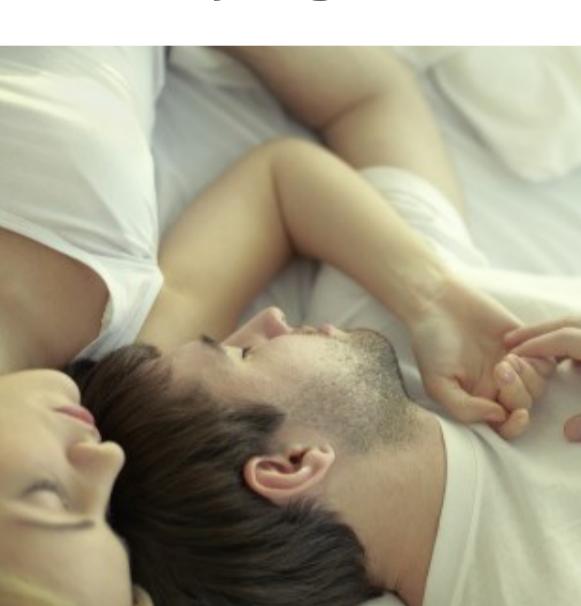
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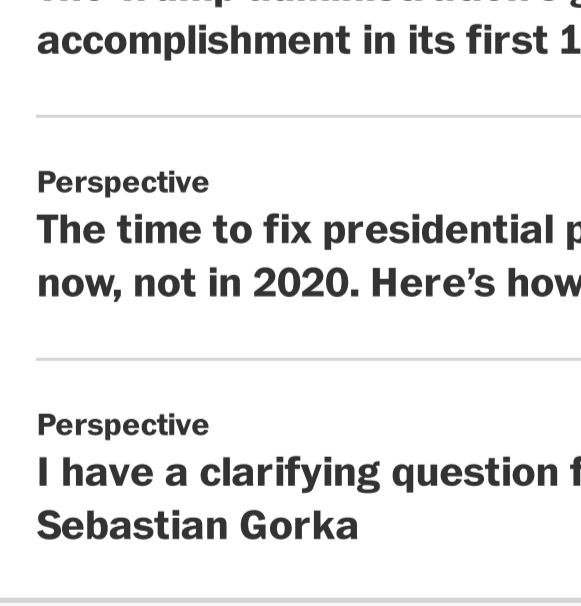
The president's daughter highlights an important issue. But she would be on more solid ground if she focused on families with young children.

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**The Fix Analysis: Kellyanne Conway and her 100-days alternative fact**

Conway says the significance of a Supreme Court confirmation within this time period should not be lost. But the significance should be lost, because it's basically nil. It's a claim that sounds impressive and means next to nothing.

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**House Democrats know they will lose the fight for Trump to release his taxes. Here's why they are still doing it.**

Democrats plan to force a floor fight with Republicans today over legislation that would require President Trump to disclose information about his business holdings, ethics waivers, and visitors to the White House and his vacation properties.

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**Marine Le Pen's narrow path to French victory: Get opponents to stay home**

With opinion polls indicating she is up to 20 points behind centrist Emmanuel Macron in the race to become France's next president, Marine Le Pen is pulling a page from Donald Trump's improbable victory playbook: encouraging disillusioned left-wing voters to stay home.

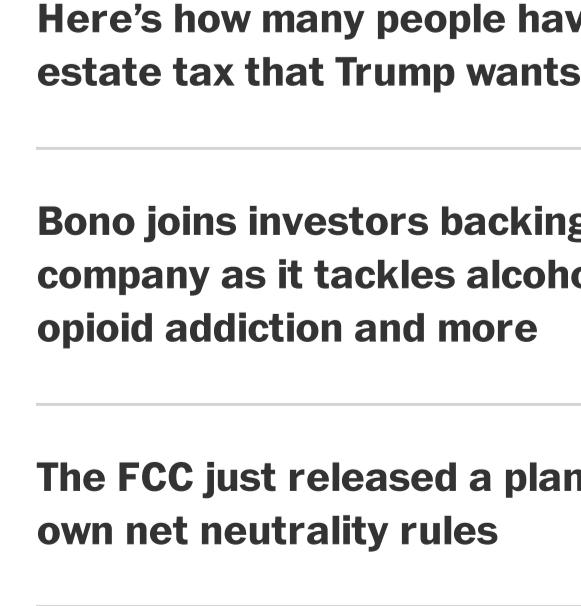
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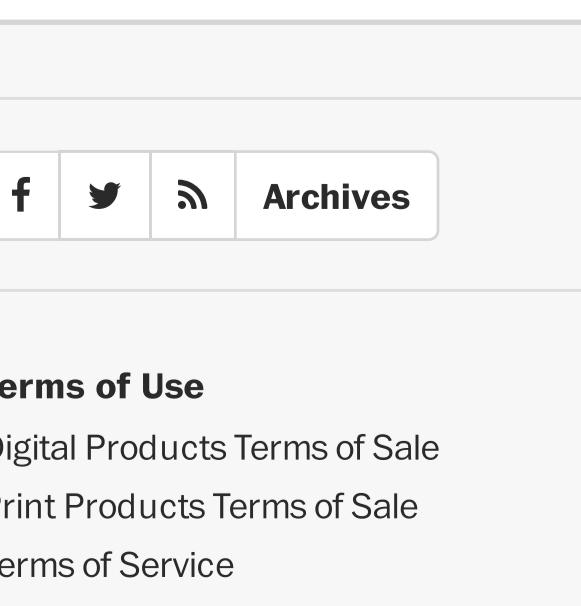
Advocates see such services as a way to overcome legal hurdles erected by antiabortion lawmakers, but opponents say the drugs are dangerous and need accompanying medical care.

By Sandhya Somashekhar

**Breast-feeding mom told to cover up at Va. church to not make men, teens 'uncomfortable'**

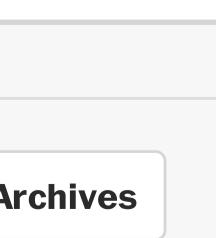
She was asked to move to a private room or cover up, which violates a Virginia law that says women have the right to breast-feed anywhere they have a legal right to be.

By Michael Alison Chandler and Laura Vozzella

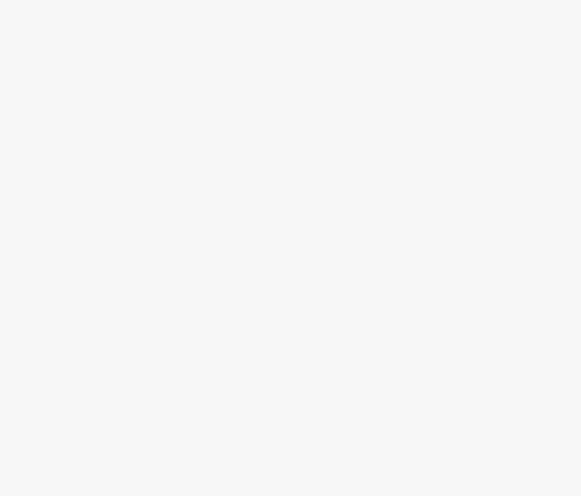
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