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GOP backs off a health-care push that threatened deal to avert shutdown

Under pressure from the White House, House Republican leaders appeared to be gauging support for a vote on health care as early as Friday but ultimately determined they didn't have enough support. The move had alarmed key Democrats, who said they would pull their support from an agreement to keep the government open past midnight Friday if Republicans brought the health-care bill to a vote.

By Kelsey Snell and Paul Kane

In an apparent shift, Tillerson says U.S. is willing to hold direct talks with North Korea

The secretary of state will lead U.N. Security Council discussion on Pyongyang's nuclear threat on Friday, and in interviews with news outlets Thursday, he began to sketch a diplomatic approach focused on international pressure.

By Anne Gearan

The Obamas face the paid-speaking circuit — and all the questions that come with it

The former president and first lady, who both made their first appearances as speakers-for-hire on Thursday, could quickly earn millions, following a well-worn path from the White House — but one that poses risks to a personal and political brand rooted in their middle-class backgrounds.

By Krissah Thompson

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We set a low bar for Trump. He still failed to meet it.

By Michael Gerson



First 100 Days Trump's first 100 days give conservatives a lot to celebrate

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Michael Flynn's fall tells a much bigger story

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The dumbest part of Trump's dumb tax plan

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First 100 Days Three huge failures that will haunt Trump's presidency

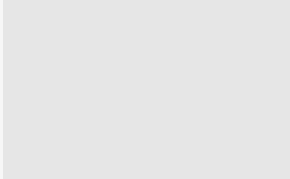
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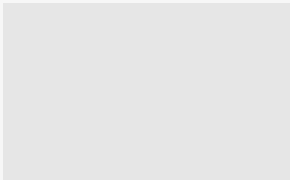


Arkansas executes 4th inmate in eight days, capping frantic lethal injection schedule

After the Supreme Court denied stay requests for Kenneth Williams, Arkansas on Thursday concluded an aggressive scheduled of executions that state officials said was needed because one of their deadly drugs will expire soon.

By Mark Berman

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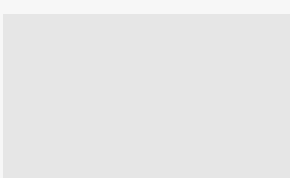
100 days in, is Trump in violation of his contract with American voters?

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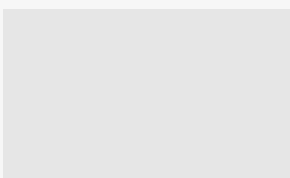
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Breitbart sees potential to expand in Europe amid French, German elections

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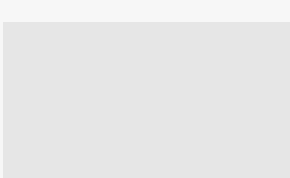
By Kevin Sullivan and James McAuley



NFL draft starts as expected as Garrett goes to Browns. Then it gets nutty.

The surprises came in the form of three blockbuster trades among the first 12 selections, all between teams wishing to stockpile picks and teams willing to sacrifice them for a potential franchise quarterback.

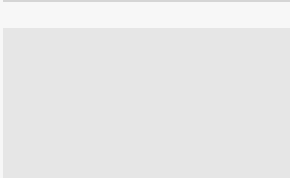
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Congress soon could make it harder for rich people to move to the U.S.

An investor visa program criticized as "green cards for cash" will expire this week unless lawmakers reauthorize it. Proponents say it provides capital for development. Critics say it's a two-tier that favors wealthy immigrants.

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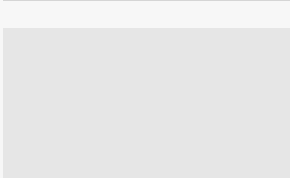


'I tried to hold it': Flyer says Delta kicked him off plane for restroom use

A Wisconsin man said he was removed from a flight because he left his seat for a restroom run. A fellow passenger called it "the most outrageous treatment of a paying customer that I have seen in my two decades of flying."

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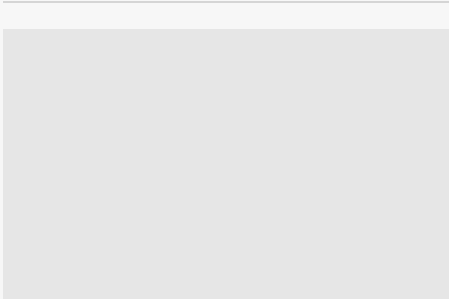
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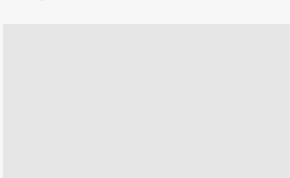
China builds a \$100 million garden to make a bold statement in Washington

The Chinese government hopes the garden in the U.S. National Arboretum will be as much of a landmark in the American capital as Japan's cherry trees.

By Adrian Higgins



Clockwise: "Insecure," "Better Call Saul," "Late Show with Stephen Colbert" and "Bob's Burgers." (HBO, AMC, FOX, CBS)



Interactive Cutting the cord: Which streaming service fits you best?

Everyone seems to have a streaming option these days — AT&T, Dish, even Google. But which saves you the most money? Use this calculator to build your ideal TV package and match it against what's available, based on an analysis of each service's channel lineup.

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'Other: Mixed Race in America'

How multiracial Americans reflect the broader state of U.S. race relations

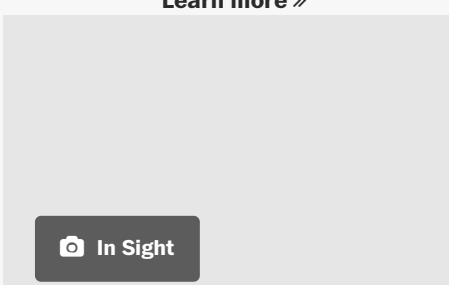
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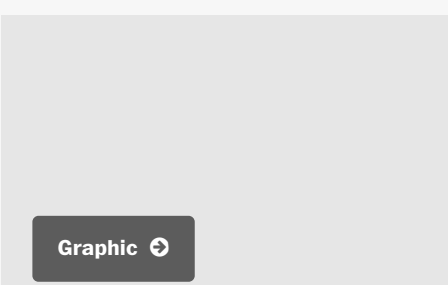
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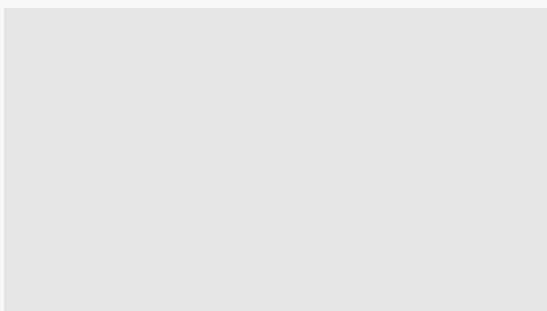
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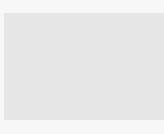
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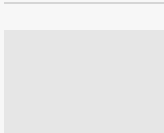
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A noncriminal mother of four was deported. Now in Mexico, she fears for her safety.

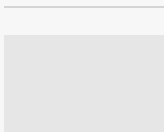
By Samantha Schmidt



'We didn't elect her': Alex Jones laments the 'beautiful' Ivanka Trump's sympathy for refugees



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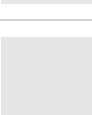
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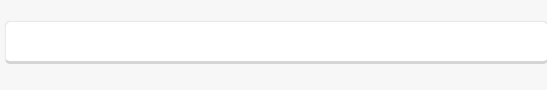
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In February 2016, presidential candidate Donald Trump promised \$6 million in donations, including \$1 million from his own pocket, to charities along his campaign trail. Months later, he had donated far less than he pledged. Post reporter David A. Fahrenthold went in search of the missing money and found a bigger story than he ever expected.

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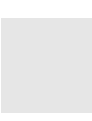
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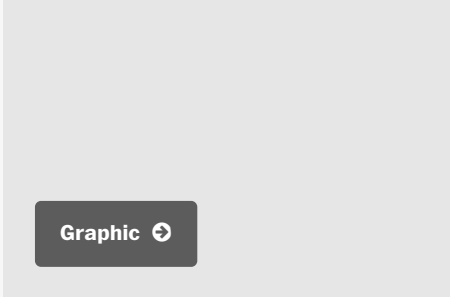
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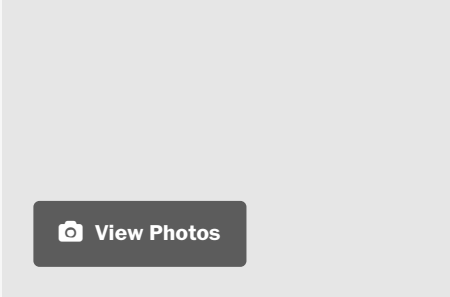
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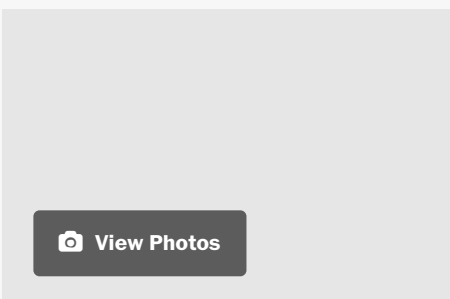
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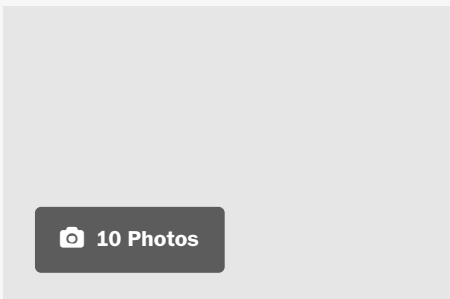
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Trump now says he would check with China before another call with Taiwan’s president

Marine Le Pen rarely mentions gender issues, unless she’s talking about Muslims

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