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Negotiators have reached an agreement on a spending package, alleviating fears of a government shutdown later this week, said several congressional aides. Congress is expected to vote early this week on a bipartisan deal that includes increased spending for the military and border security, a priority for GOP leaders.

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Labour Party leader Jeremy Corbyn speaks at a teachers conference Sunday. (Reuters)

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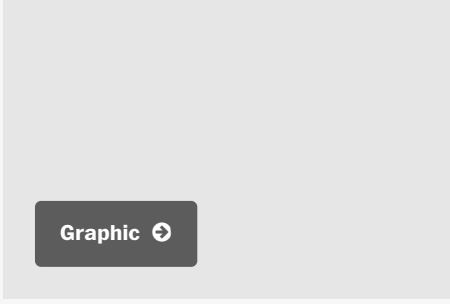
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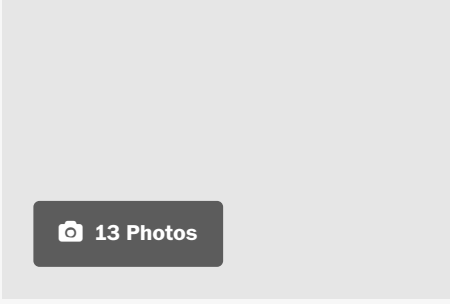
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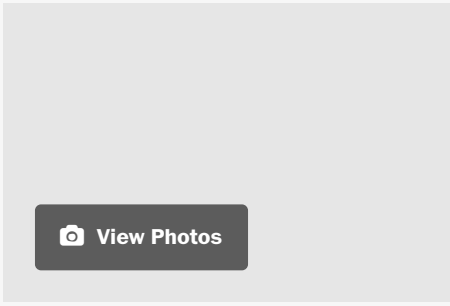
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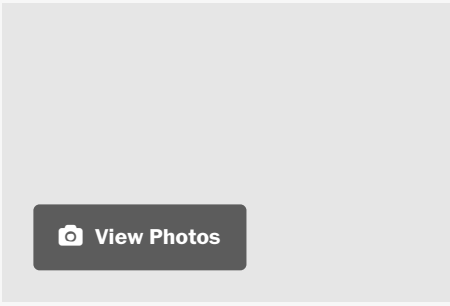
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