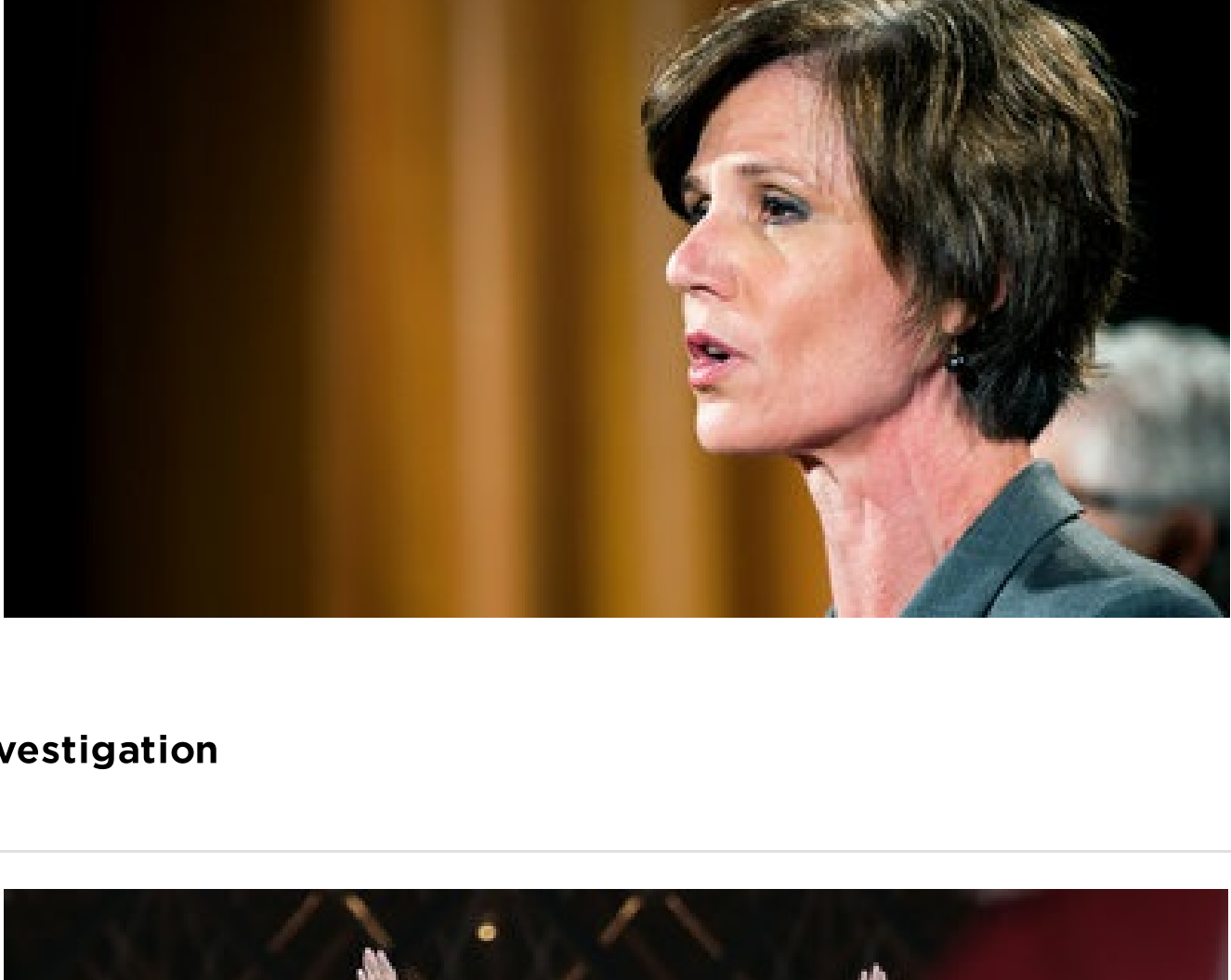


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A Senate subcommittee is scheduled to hear testimony from the former acting U.S. attorney general and former U.S. spy boss James Clapper. But former national security adviser Rice declined to appear.

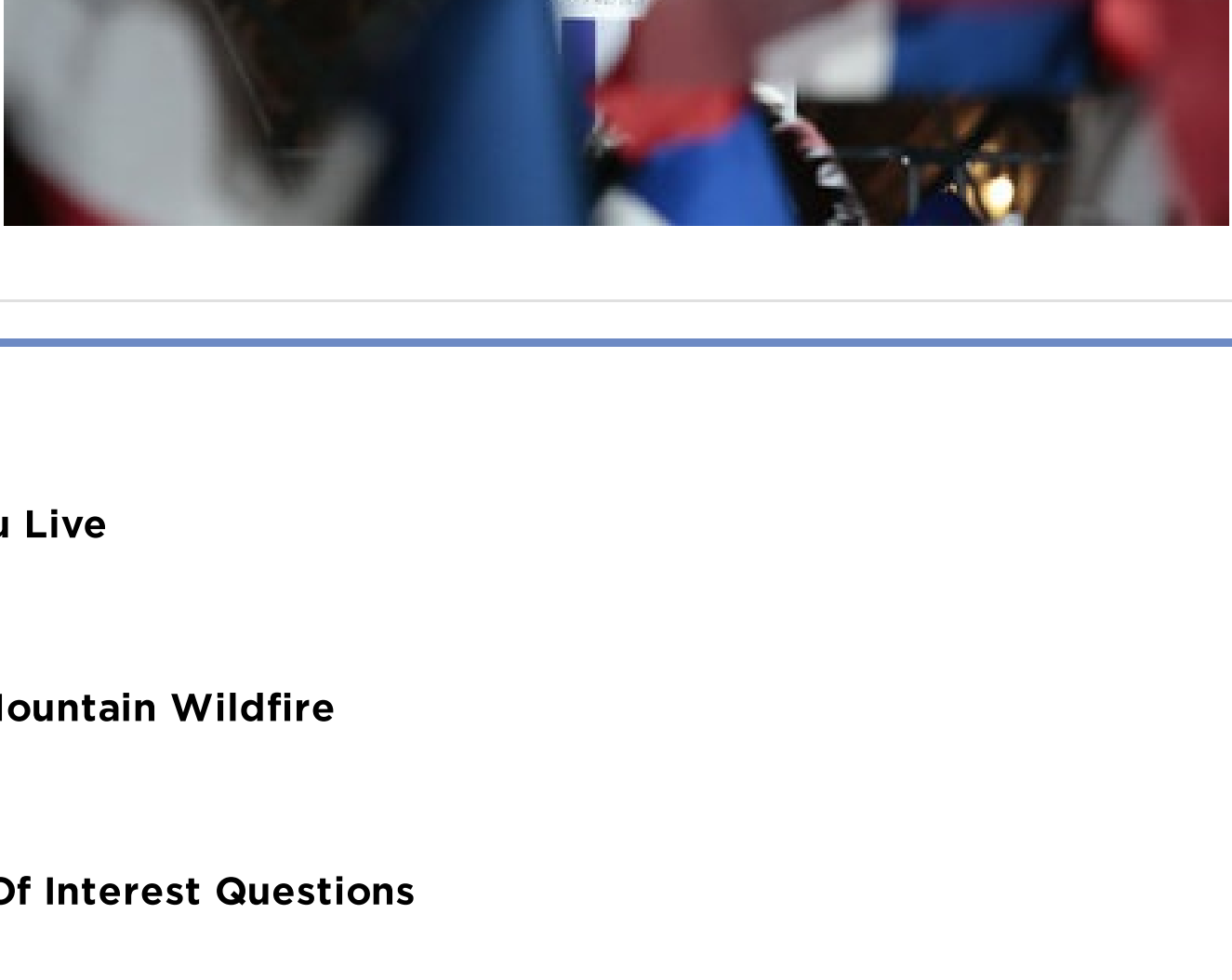


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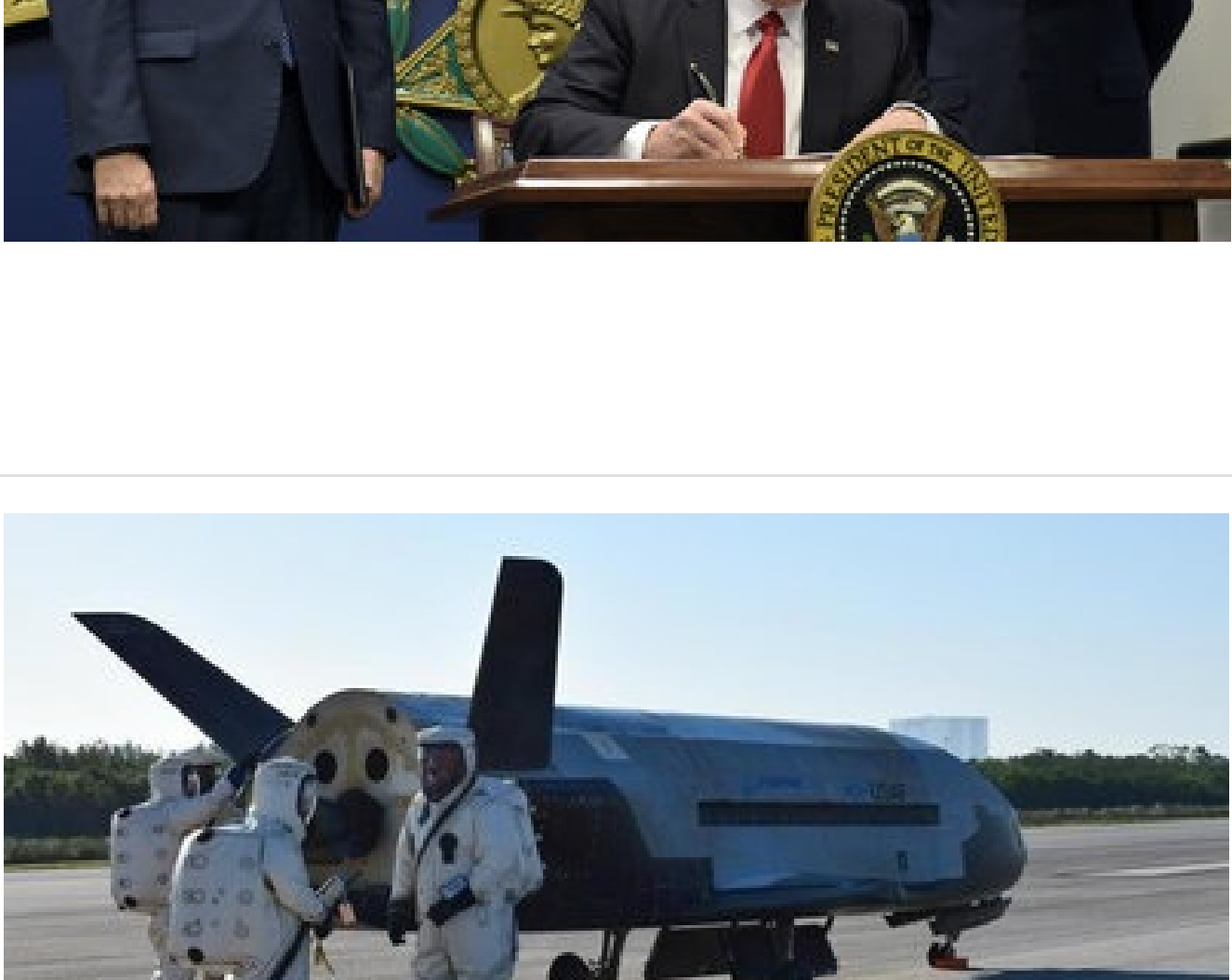
Receiving the John F. Kennedy Profile in Courage Award for his own work on health care, the former president said, "It actually doesn't take a lot of courage to aid those who are already powerful."

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Geographic inequality in lifespan is growing in the United States, with people in some counties living more than 20 years longer than those in others.



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LAW

Trump Travel Ban Returns To Court, With His Own Words At The Center

A federal appeals court in Richmond, Va., is preparing to hear arguments about the legality of President Trump's revised travel ban. Immigrant advocates argue it discriminates against Muslims.

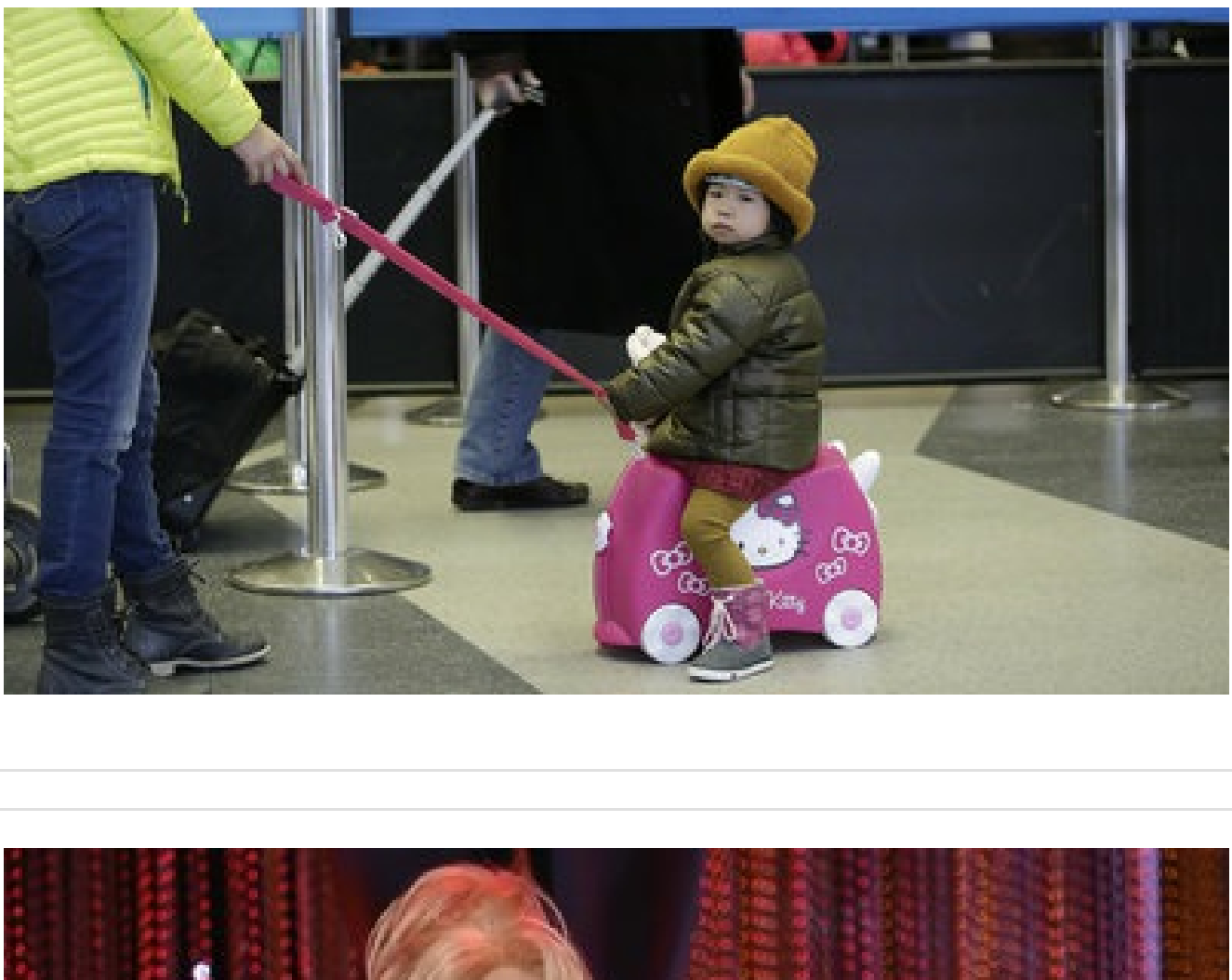


Full Text: Trump's New Executive Order On Travel, Annotated

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Secret U.S. Space Plane Lands With A Boom In Florida

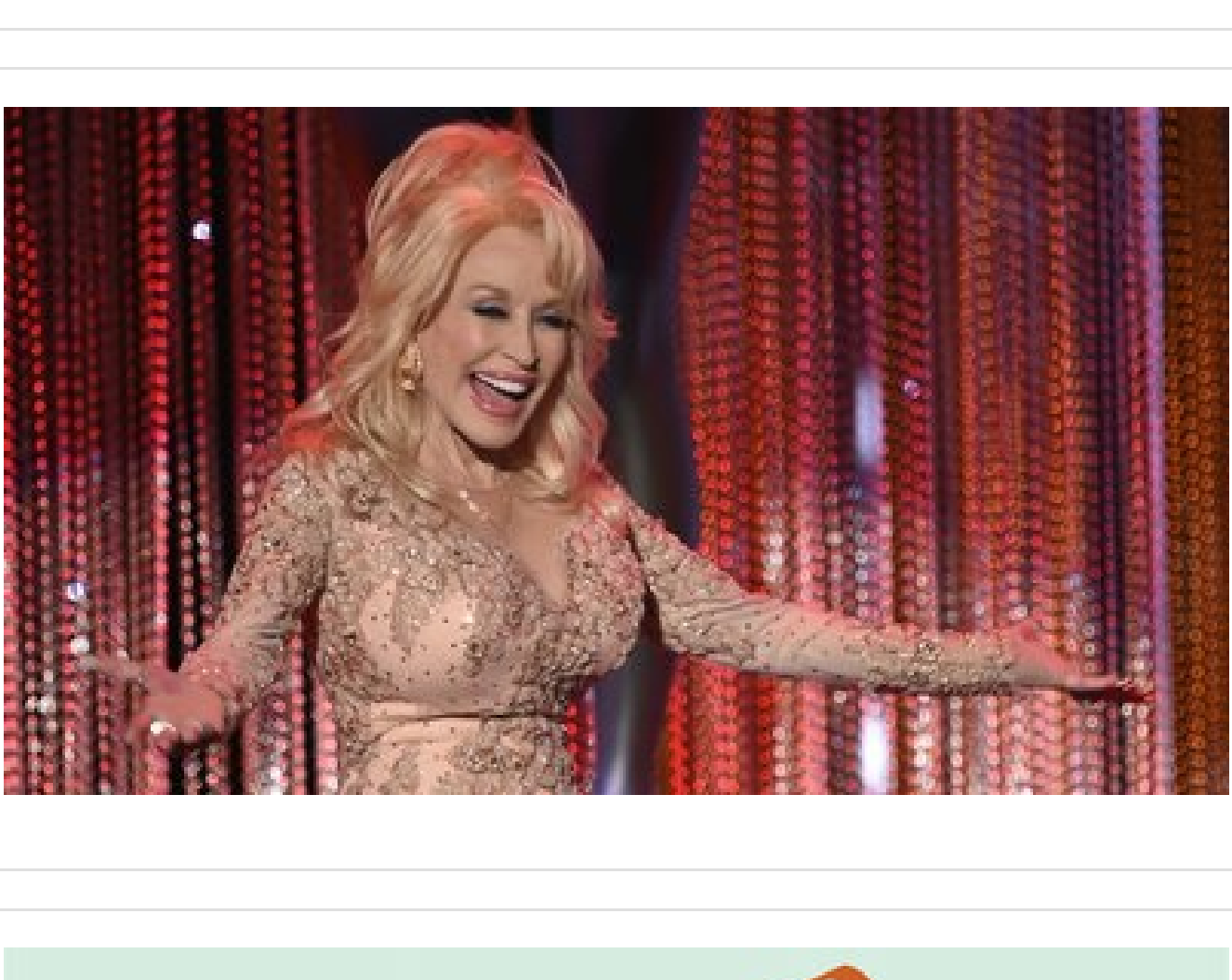
For a secret aircraft, the X-37B wasn't very stealthy about its return to Earth. The space plane was launched in 2015.



AROUND THE NATION

Google Moves In And Wants To Pump 1.5 Million Gallons Of Water Per Day

The company says it needs that much water to cool its servers at a South Carolina data center. Now, community leaders are having to balance economic benefits with environmental impact.



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TINY DESK

Aimee Mann: Tiny Desk Concert

"This song is called 'You Never Loved Me' — it's another cheery, optimistic number," says Aimee Mann, introducing the second of four songs in this Tiny Desk Concert.

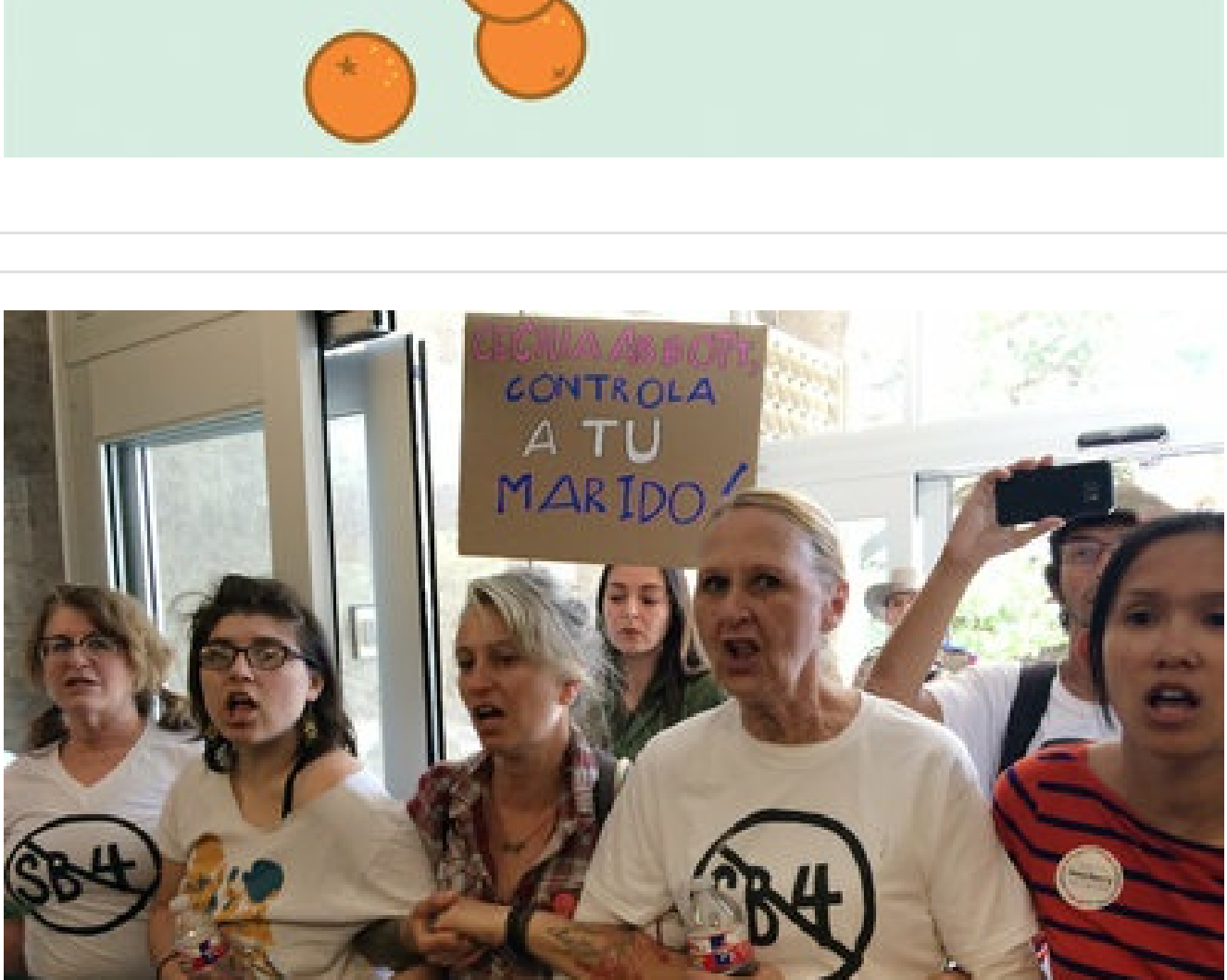
BUSINESS

Have The 'Miserable' Airlines Finally Reached A Tipping Point?

"We're a bunch of tuna crammed into a can and it's miserable," said one traveler. Now, airlines hope they can get past the perception that they put profit over passenger comfort.

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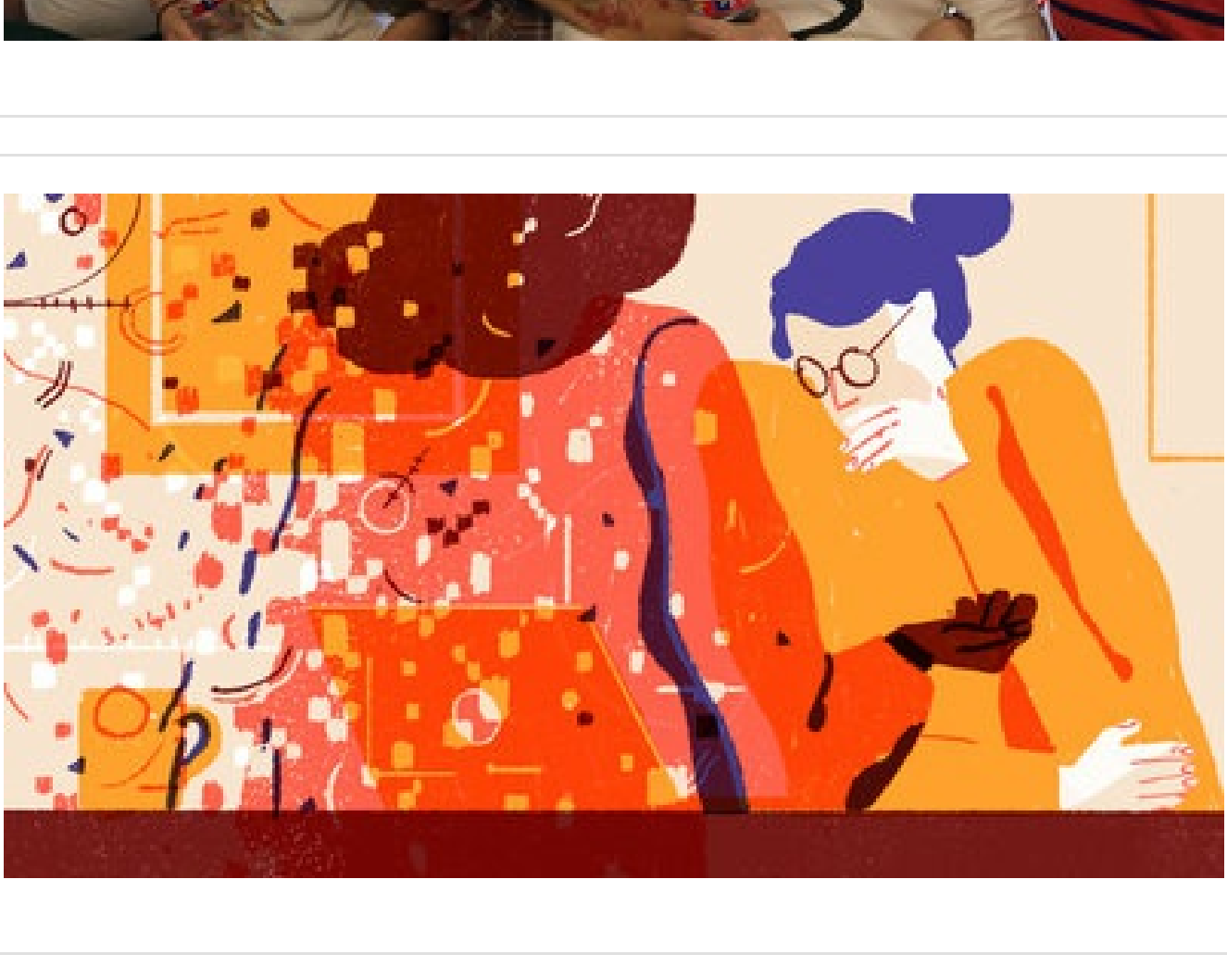
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THE RECORD

Dolly Parton Issues Final Checks To Those Displaced By Smoky Mountain Wildfire

Parton set up the fund hours after the wildfire had ravaged her home state.



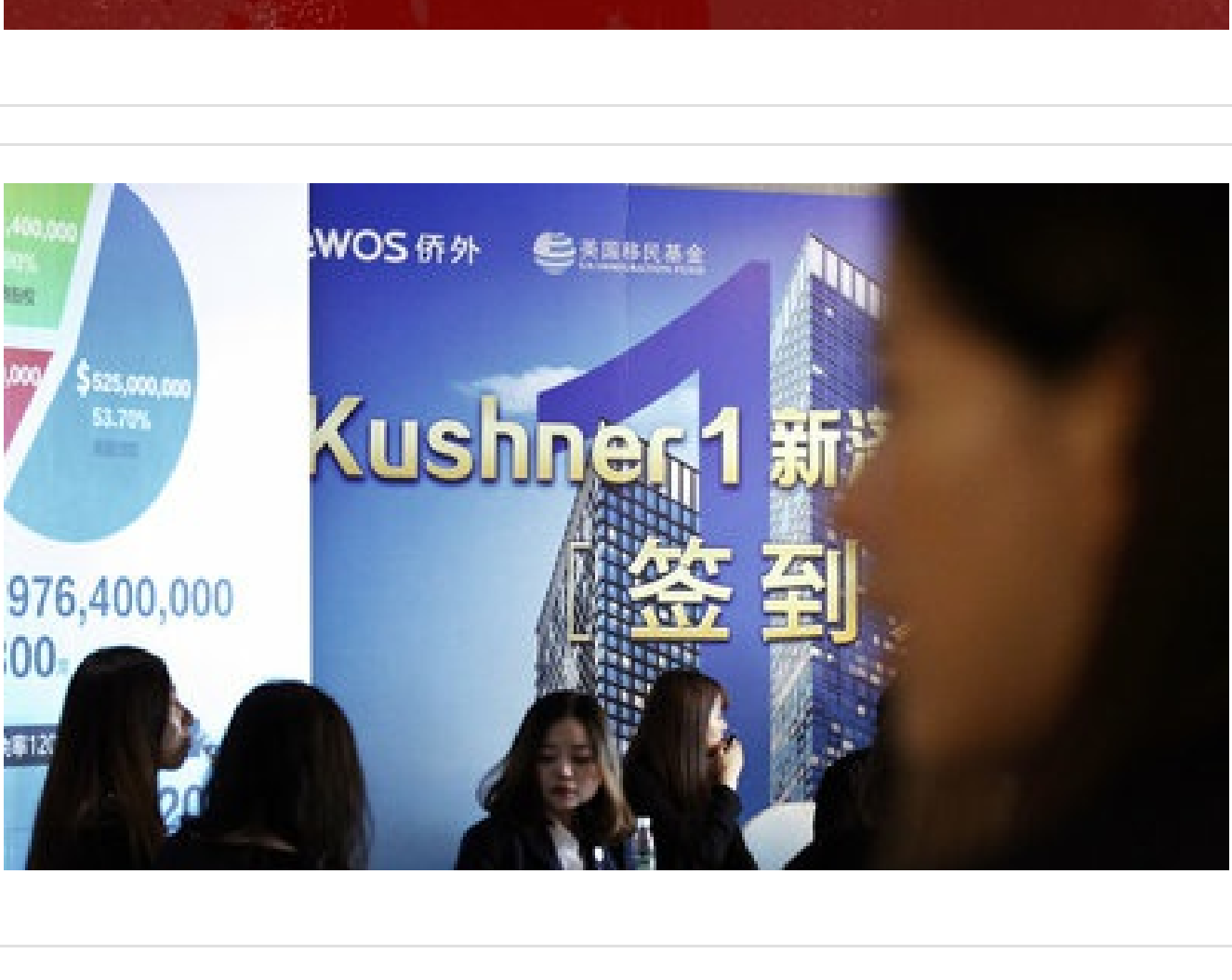
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Fresh Food By Prescription: This Health Care Firm Is Trimming Costs — And Waistlines

The rising prevalence and cost of Type 2 diabetes has doctors at Geisinger Health System turning to food as a form of medicine. They're prescribing free, fresh food to low-income patients.

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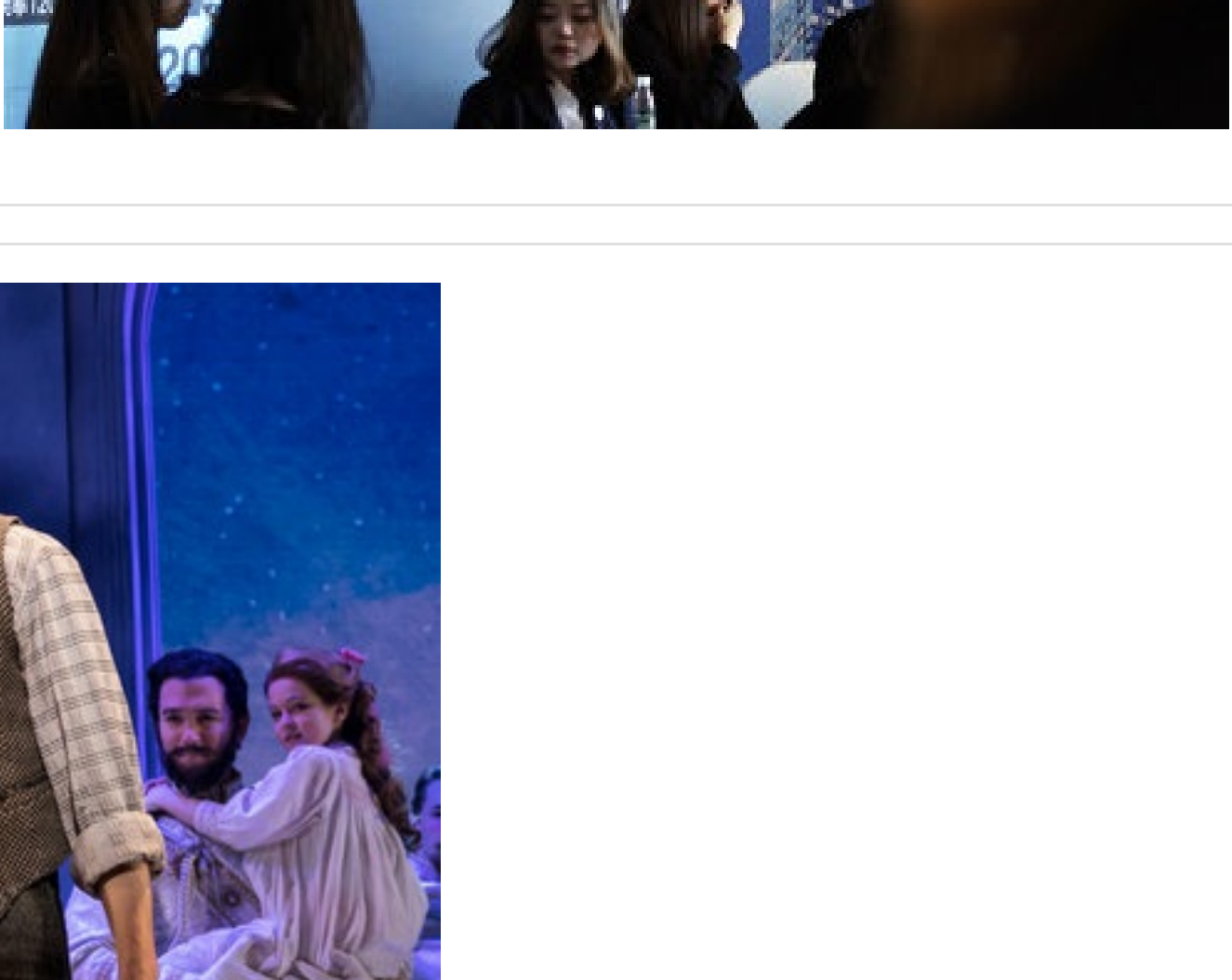
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Texas Gov. Abbott Signs Measure Targeting 'Sanctuary Cities'

The law, effective Sept. 1, allows police to ask during routine stops if someone is in the country legally and threatens sheriffs with jail if they don't cooperate with immigration agents.



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When You're Not Quite Sure If Your Teacher Is Human

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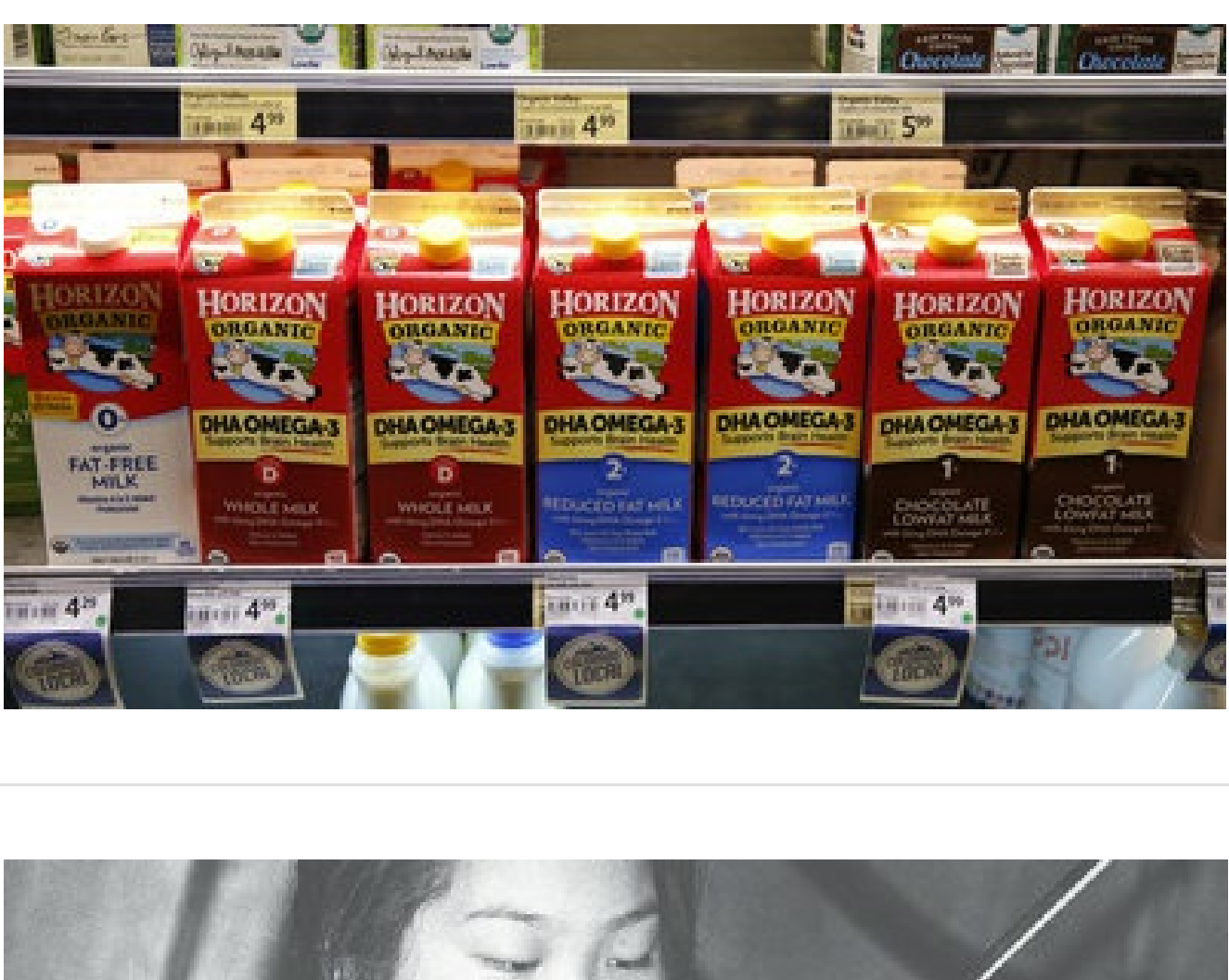
When this computer science professor became overwhelmed with the number of questions students were asking, he recruited artificial intelligence to help serve up some answers.

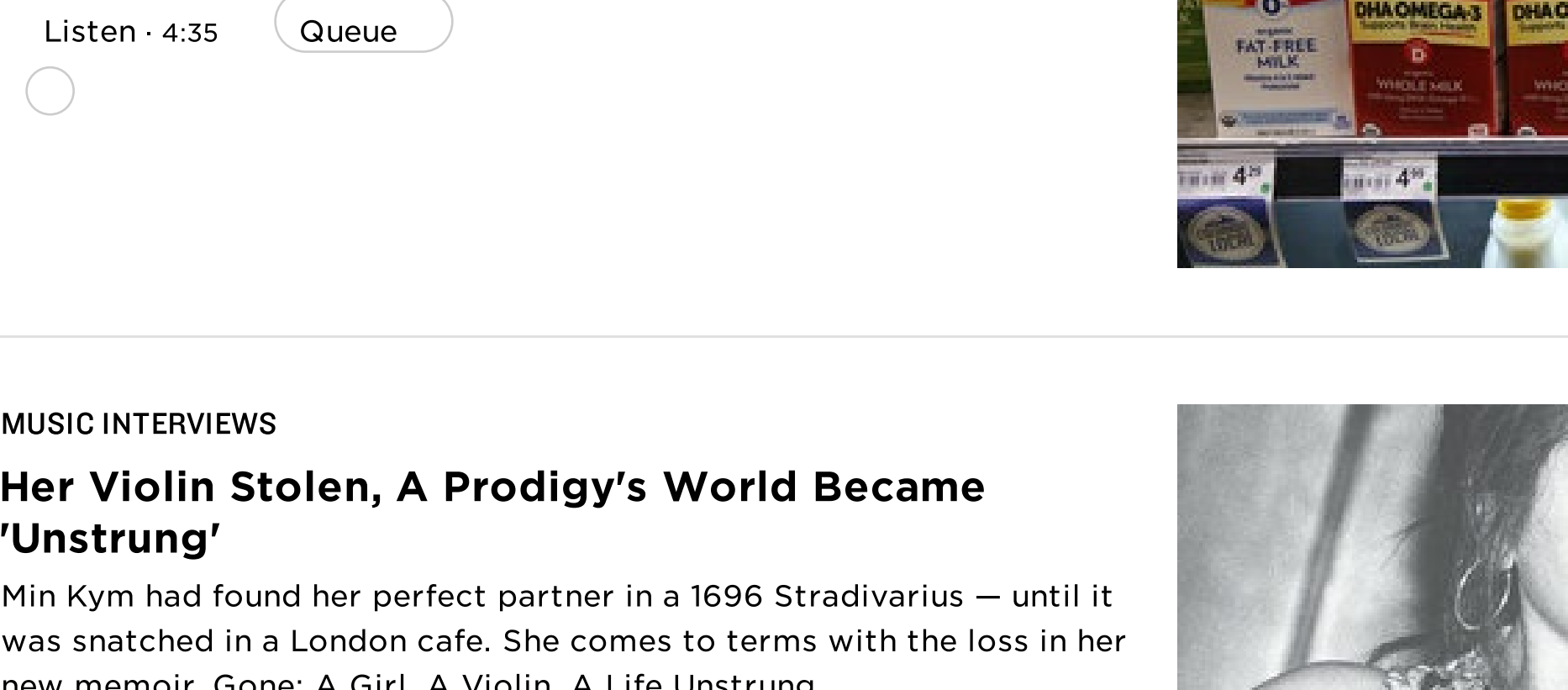


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Kushner Companies' Pitch To Chinese Investors Raises Conflict Of Interest Questions

The sister of President Trump's son-in-law, Jared Kushner, highlighted her powerful brother as she sought financing for the family firm's real estate project in New Jersey to Chinese investors.





THEATER

When It Comes To Family Musicals, Kids' Opinions Matter More Than Critics'

Normally, critical reviews can kill a Broadway show, but not so for kid-focused musicals. Anastasia and Charlie and the Chocolate Factory are currently on Broadway, vying for the kid seal of approval.

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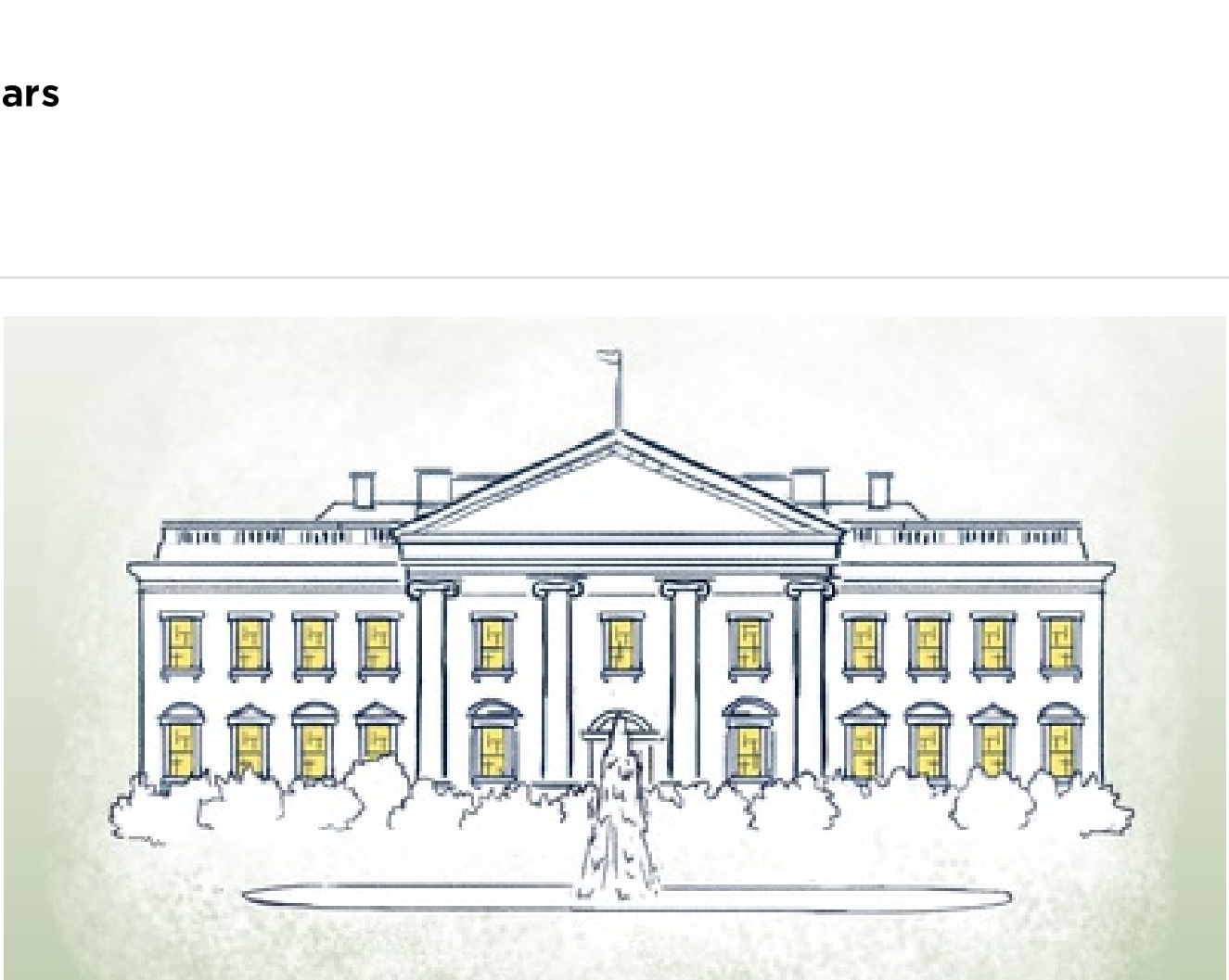
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Just How Organic Is Your Milk? Well, It Depends On The Dairy It Came From

Is there a difference between organic milk bought in a grocery store and milk bought straight from farmers? Washington Post reporter Peter Whoriskey talks with NPR's Scott Simon about his findings.

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MUSIC INTERVIEWS

Her Violin Stolen, A Prodigy's World Became 'Unstrung'

Min Kym had found her perfect partner in a 1696 Stradivarius — until it was snatched in a London cafe. She comes to terms with the loss in her new memoir, Gone: A Girl, A Violin, A Life Unstrung.

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A Rarity Reclaimed: Stolen Stradivarius Recovered After 35 Years

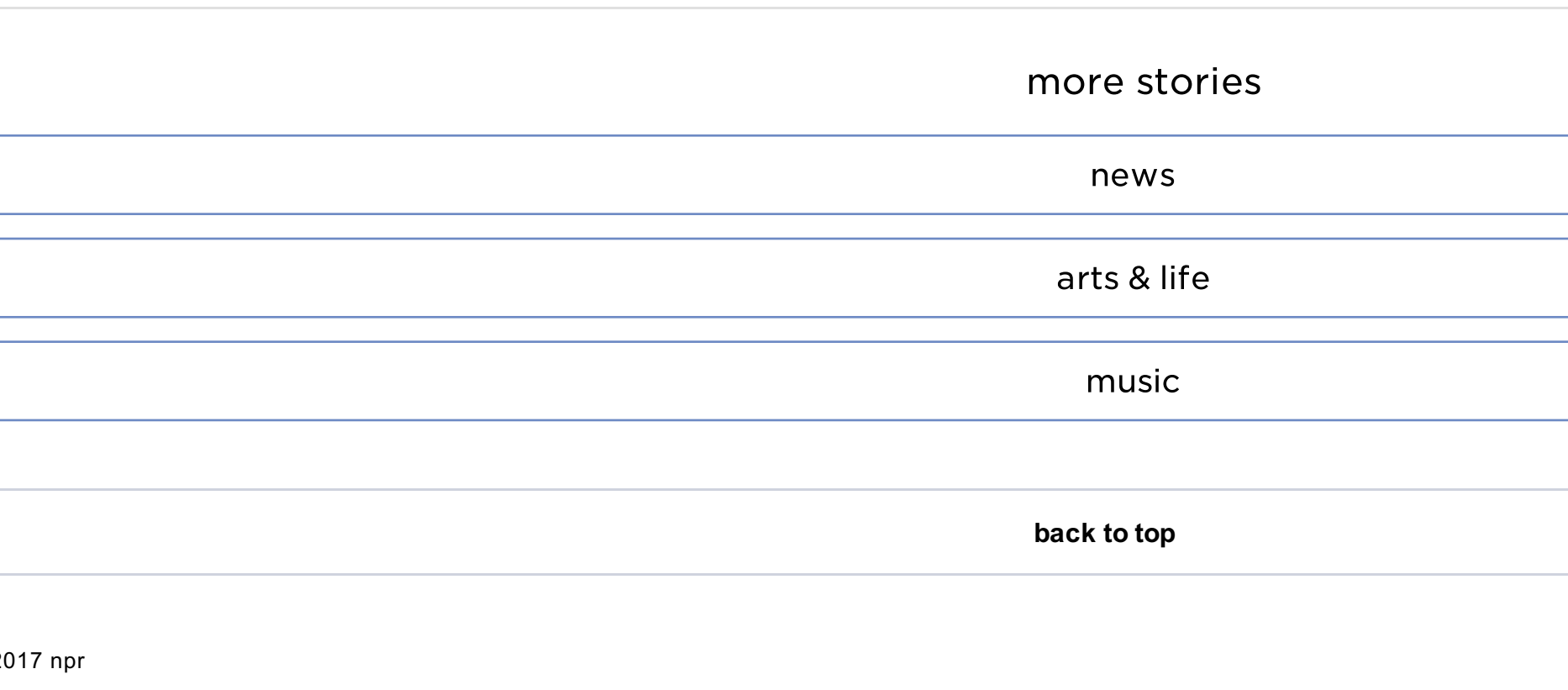
A Stolen, Then Recovered, Stradivarius Returns To The Stage

ANALYSIS

Say It Ain't So: 129 People Have Already Filed To Run For President In 2020

Already 129 people have filed to run for president in 2020. Among them: Donald Trump. Prominent people are considering it, but these elections receive outside attention compared to office's power.





GOATS AND SODA

Quest For Beauty In Colombia Sometimes Ends In Tragedy

A mishap in Colombia highlights the dark side of cosmetic work in a country that is a hot spot for body rehabbing. Each year, hundreds of thousands of procedures are performed on locals and tourists.