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By THOMAS KAPLAN and MATT FLEGENHEIMER 12:00 AM ET

A bipartisan agreement will keep the government funded through September, congressional aides said, effectively ending the threat of a government shutdown.

The deal, which still must be voted on, is said to include increased spending for the military and for border security, but does not include money for a wall.

## Trump Asks Duterte to Visit; Aides Brace for the Backlash

By MARK LANDLER

The administration is preparing for an avalanche of criticism after President Trump embraced President Rodrigo Duterte of the Philippines, who has led a deadly crackdown on drugs.

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## Florida Deal Would Undo Key Part of Medicaid Expansion

By ROBERT PEAR

With a new deal in Florida, the Trump administration appears to have scrapped a tool the Obama administration used to encourage states to expand coverage.

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## Fox and Blackstone Said to Mull Offer for Tribune Media

By MICHAEL J. de la MERCED and EMILY STEEL 11:21 PM ET

Recent changes at the F.C.C. governing station ownership would allow 21st Century Fox and Blackstone Group to vie for 42 television stations, valued at about \$3.2 billion.

## As Economy Grows, North Korea's Grip on Society Is Tested

By CHOE SANG-HUN

The sign of life is a double-edged sword for Kim Jong-un, the nation's leader, because information is seeping in along with foreign goods to marketplaces.

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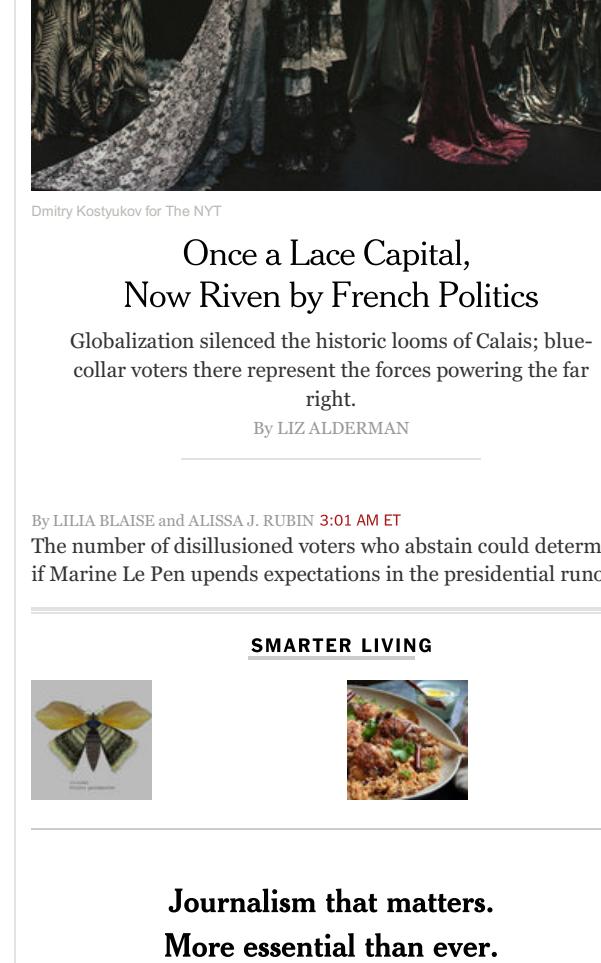
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Dmitry Kostyukov for The New York Times

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Globalization silenced the historic looms of Calais; blue-collar voters there represent the forces powering the far right.

By LIZ ALDERMAN

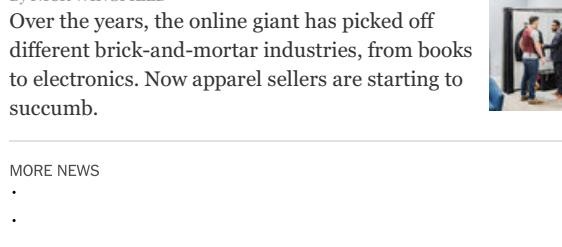
By LILIA BLAISE and ALISSA J. RUBIN 3:01 AM ET  
The number of disillusioned voters who abstain could determine if Marine Le Pen upends expectations in the presidential runoff.

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By EMMA G. FITZSIMMONS

By BETTINA ELIAS SIEGEL

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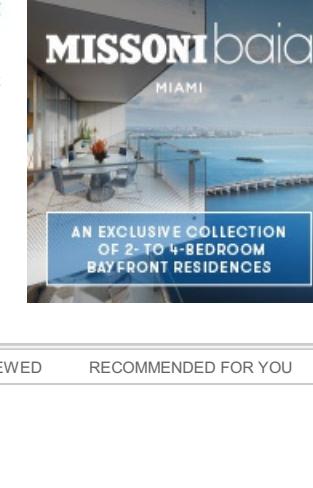
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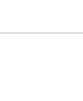


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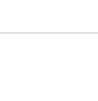
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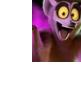
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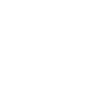
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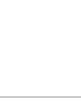
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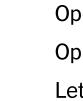
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