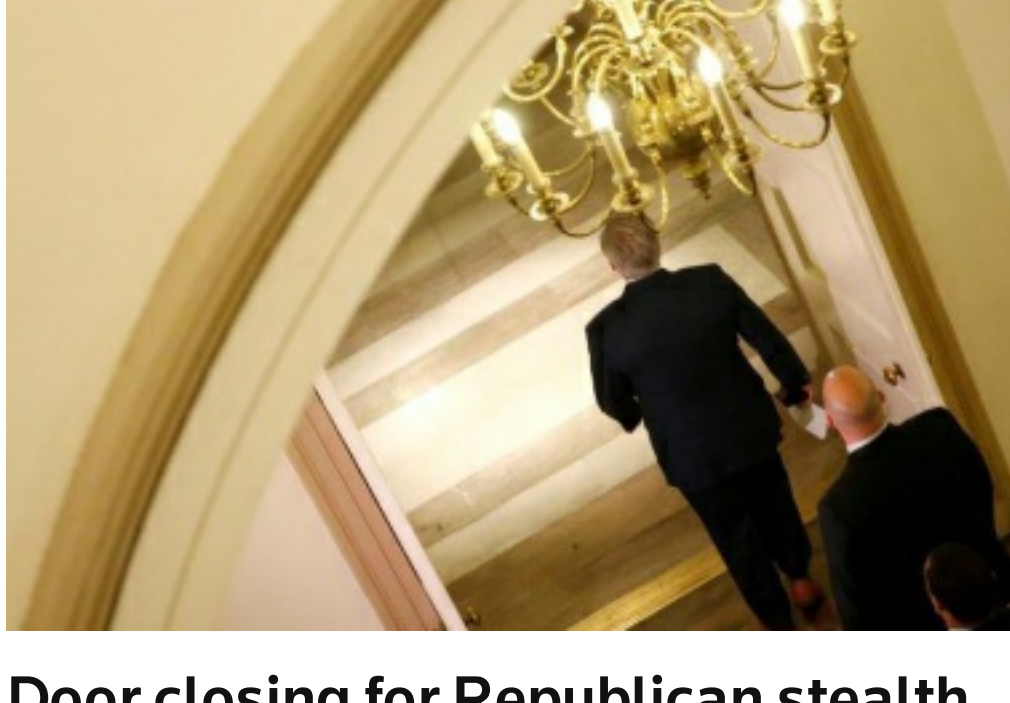




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WASHINGTON - The clock began running out this week on a strategy that has provided Republicans in Congress with their only notable legislative successes this year: aggressive use of an obscure law known as the Congressional Review Act.

- Factbox: Republicans kill Obama-era regulations
- McConnell starts clock ticking to Gorsuch showdown

## Fed's Lacker leaves central bank over leak of market-sensitive news

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## BMW, Allstate pull ads from 'O'Reilly Factor' after harassment report

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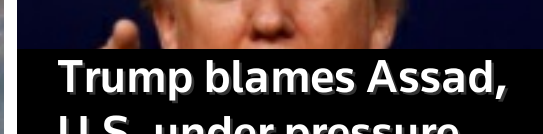
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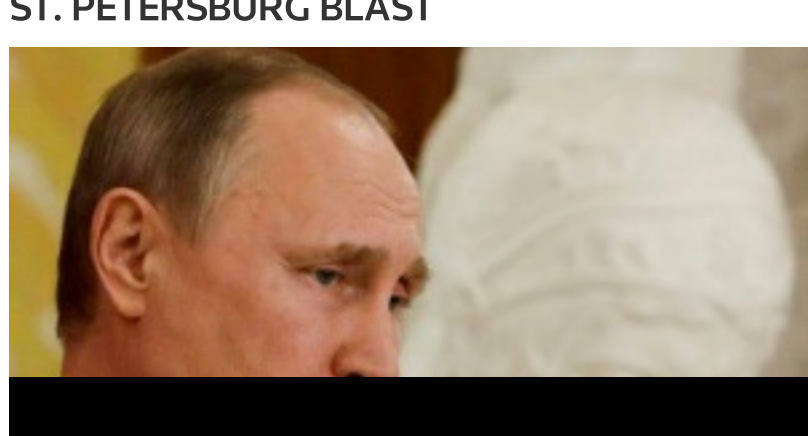


## Trump blames Assad, U.S. under pressure



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## Putin's Syria policy tested

- Metro bomb suspect a Muslim born in central Asia
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- Berlin refuses to light Brandenburg Gate in Russian colors, sparking anger

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## Iraq reopens hot springs spa amid Mosul war chaos

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## House Democrats expect to see intelligence documents soon

Congressional intelligence committee Democrats said on Tuesday they would soon be allowed to view documents at the center of a political firestorm surrounding the investigation of possible links between President Donald Trump's campaign and Russia.

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## Most Americans unwilling to give up privacy to thwart attacks: Reuters/Ipsos poll

A majority of Americans are unwilling to share their personal emails, text messages, phone calls and records of online activity with U.S. counter-terrorism investigators - even to help foil terror plots, according to a Reuters/Ipsos opinion poll released on Tuesday.

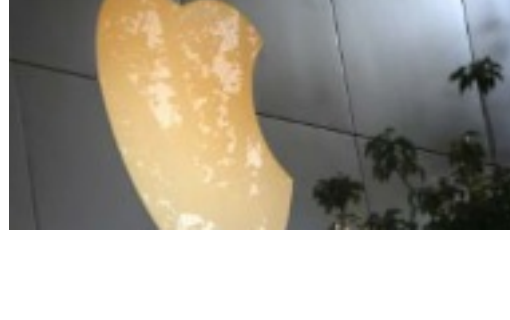
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## Ryan plays down hopes for quick revival of U.S. healthcare overhaul

President Donald Trump and Republicans in Congress lurched between repealing Obamacare or rewriting the U.S. tax code as their top priority, with House of Representatives Speaker Paul Ryan on Tuesday dampening White House hopes for a quick vote on healthcare legislation.

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## Apple aims for more control, less cost as it accelerates in chip design

Apple Inc's decision to stop licensing graphics chips from Imagination Technologies Group Plc is the clearest example yet of the iPhone maker's determination to take greater control of the core technologies in its products - both to guard its hefty margins and to position it for future innovations, especially in so-called augmented reality.

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## France's Macron clashes with Le Pen, poll sees him as having best program

Centrist Emmanuel Macron kept his position as favorite to win France's presidential election after a televised debate on Tuesday night in which he clashed sharply with his main rival, Marine Le Pen, over Europe, just 19 days before the election.

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## Venezuela security forces battle anti-Maduro protesters

Venezuelan security forces quelled masked protesters with tear gas, water cannons and pepper spray in Caracas on Tuesday after blocking an opposition rally against socialist President Nicolas Maduro.

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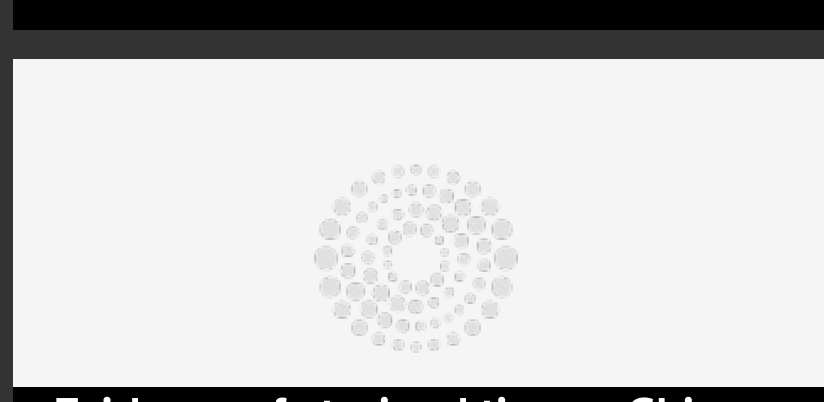
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## Evidence of strained ties on China-North Korea border

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## Asian stocks drift sideways as Trump-Xi meeting approaches

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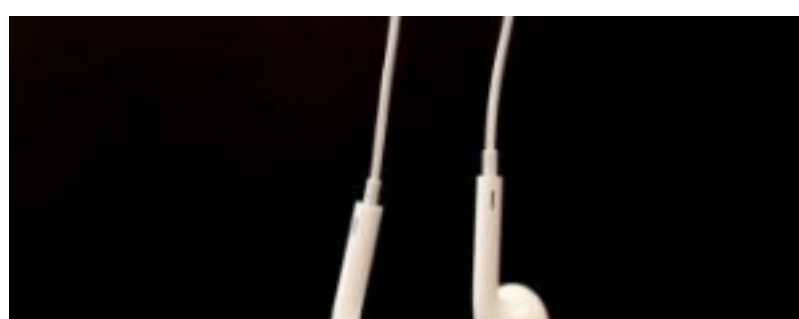


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White House official says North Korea is test for U.S.-China relations

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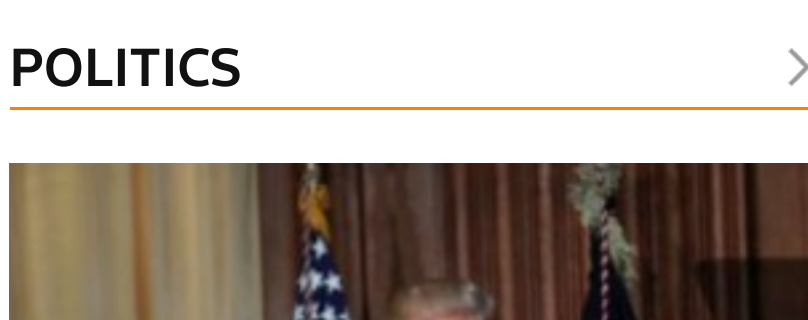


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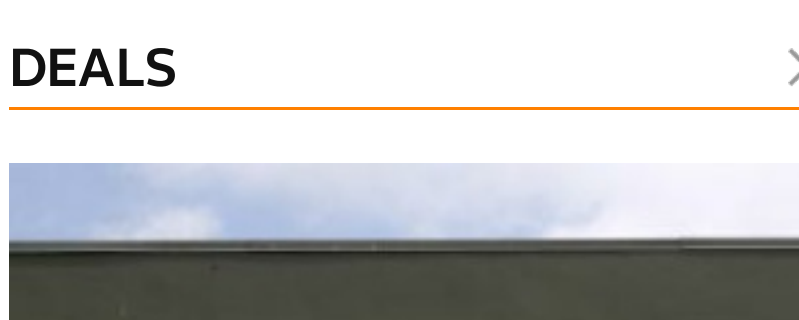


## U.S. would slash EPA vehicle testing budget under Trump plan

U.S. coal companies ask Trump to stick with Paris climate deal

In Iraq, Trump's son-in-law, Jared Kushner, upbeat on Mosul

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## JAB Holdings in advanced talks to buy Panera Bread: source

ChemChina, Syngenta win U.S. antitrust approval for deal

Shoe retailer Payless files for U.S. bankruptcy, to close 400 stores

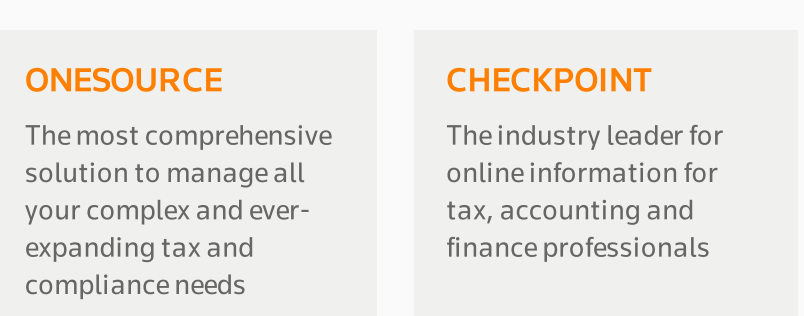
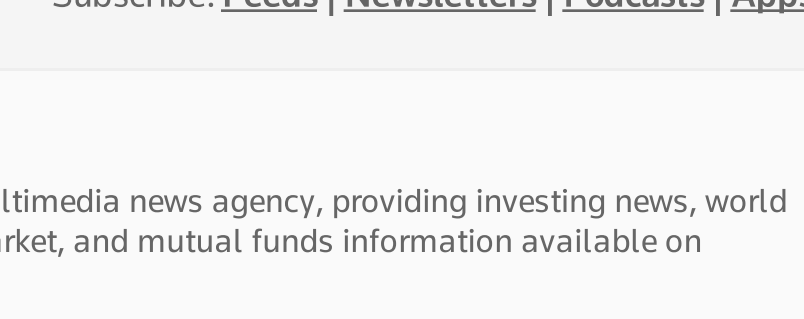
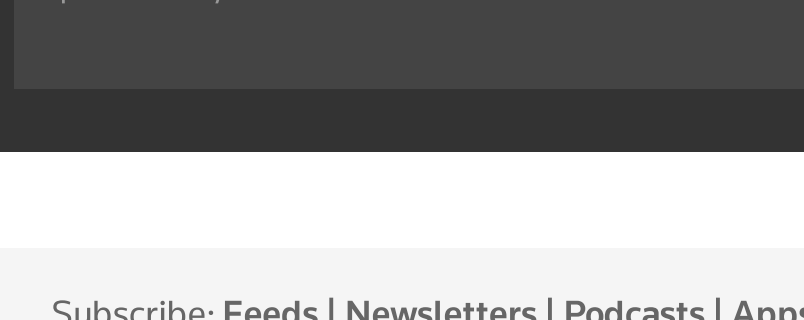
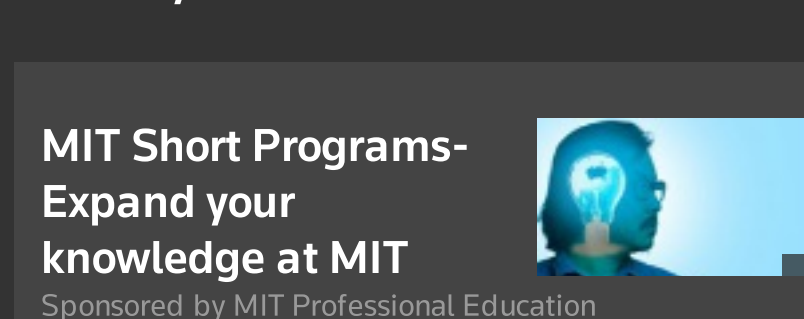
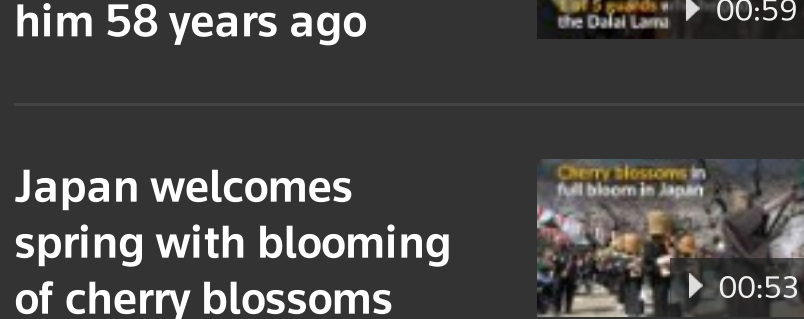
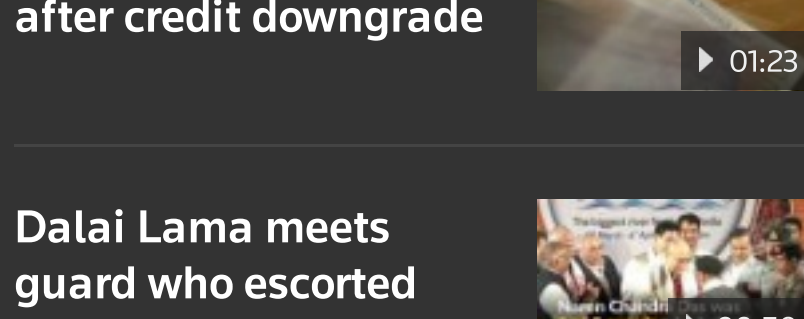
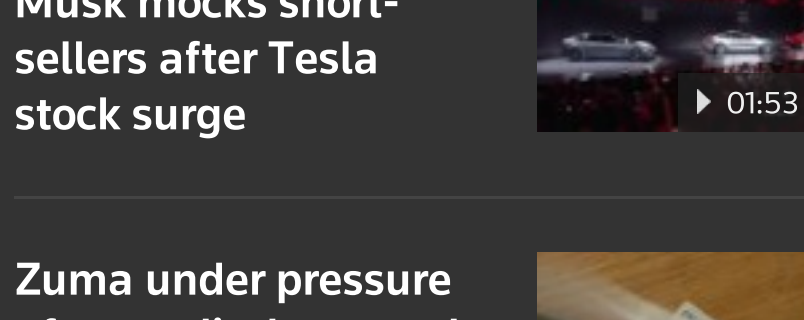
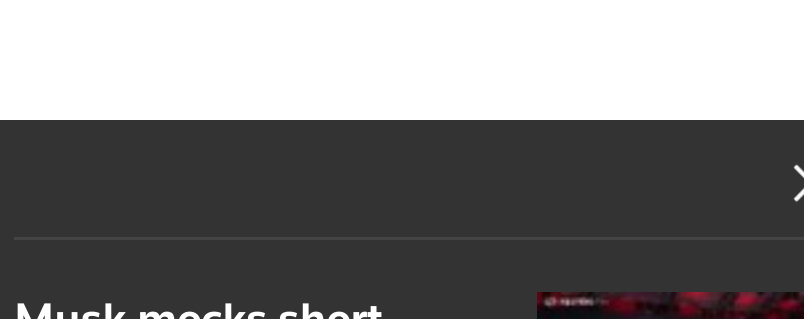
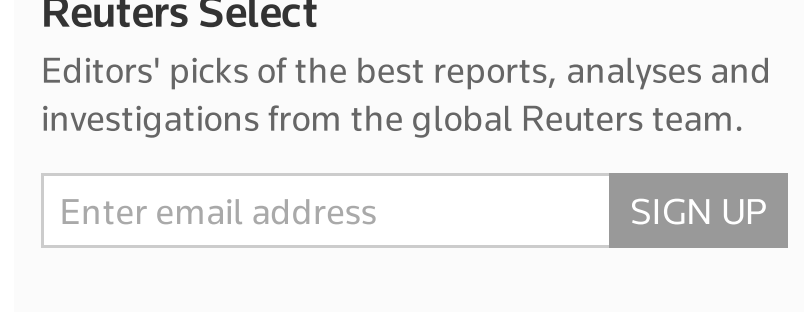
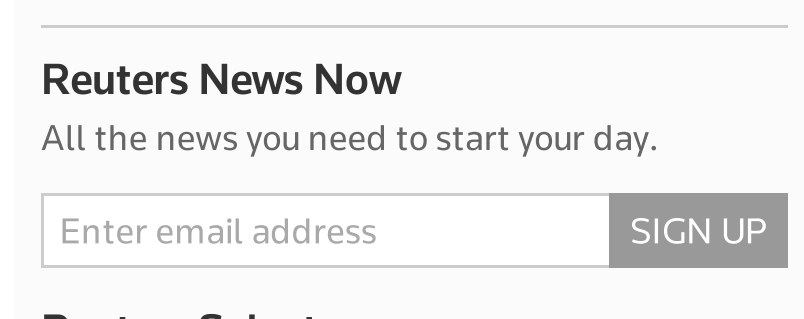
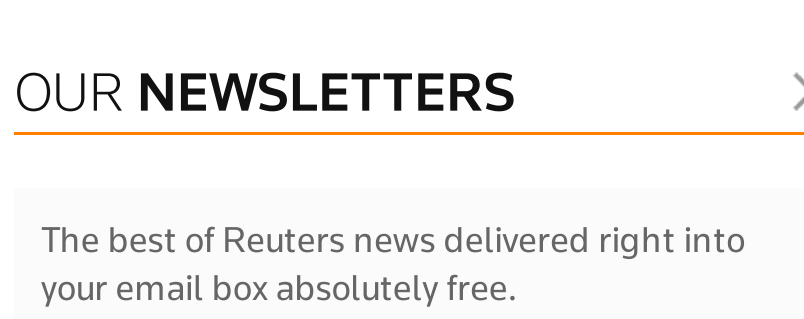
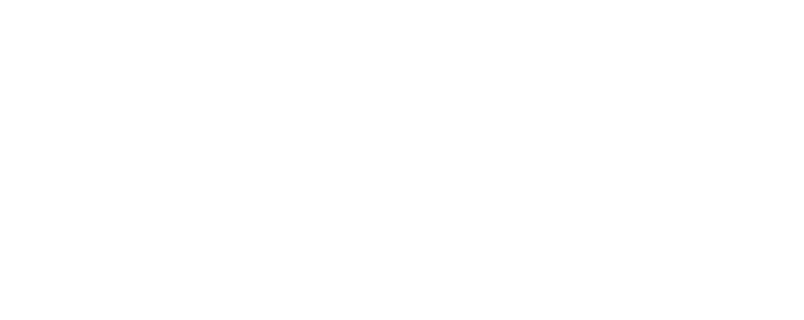
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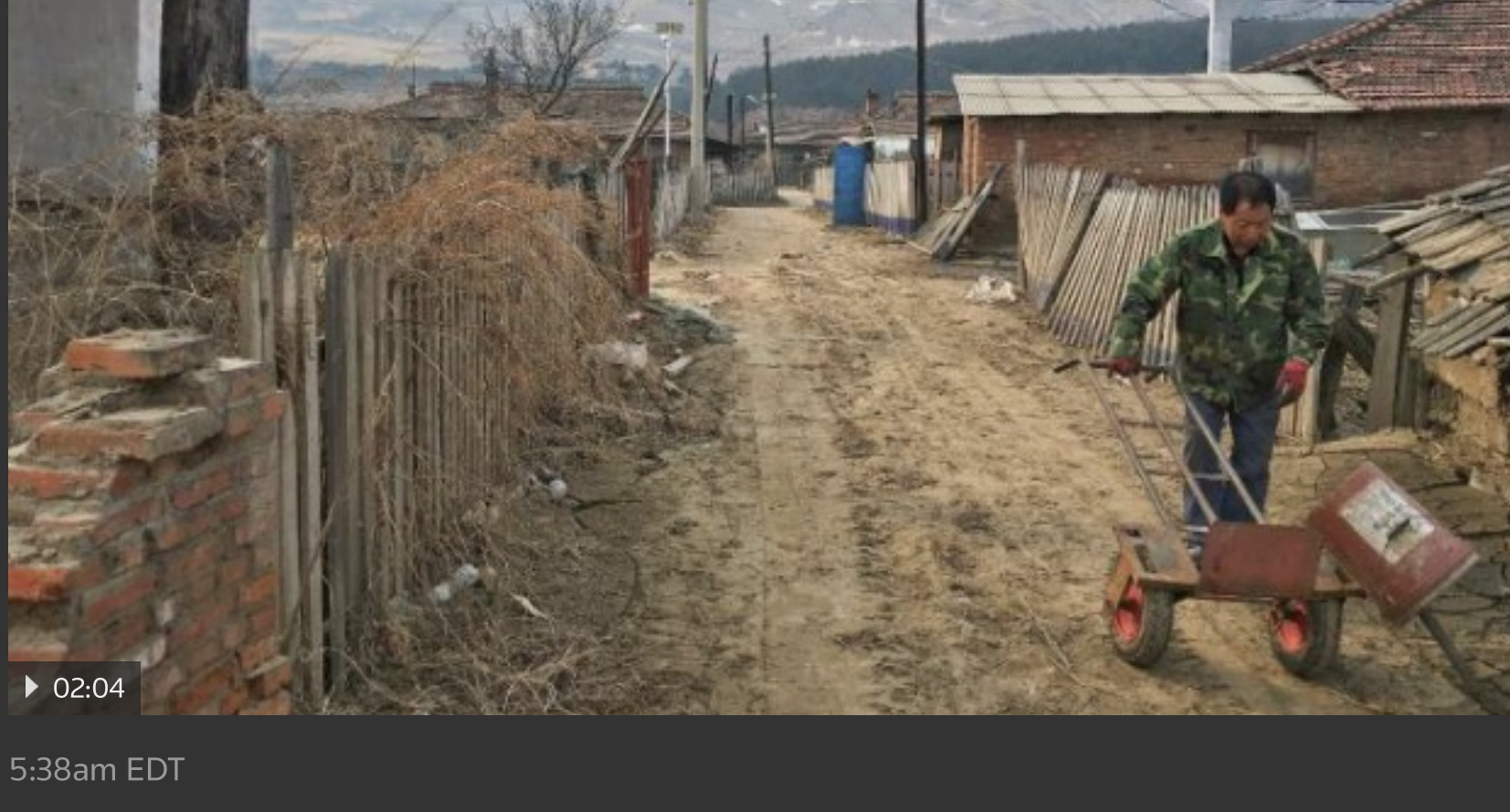
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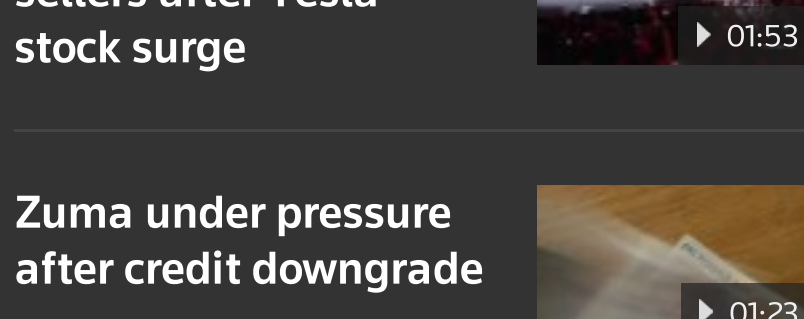
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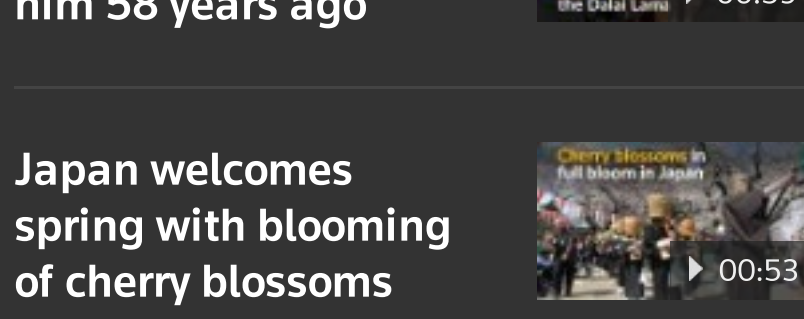
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## China squeezes North Korea as Trump-Xi meeting looms

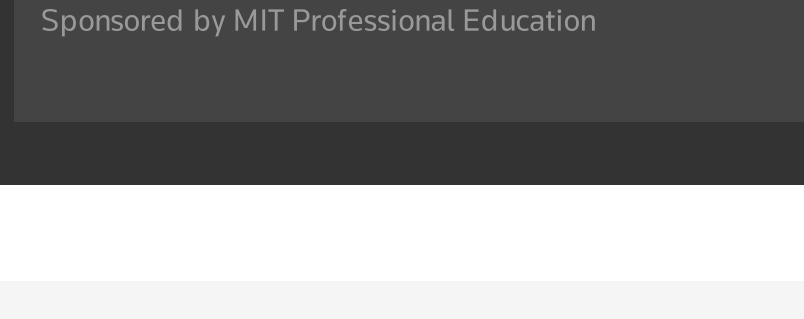
Ahead of Donald Trump's meeting with Xi Jinping, there are signs that China is strongly squeezing North Korea's economy on the countries' shared border.



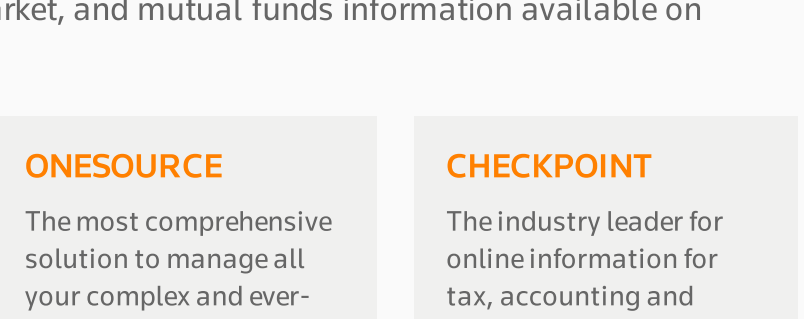
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