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Lead poisoning afflicts hundreds of areas across Los Angeles County, from affluent hubs to low income or gentrifying areas, some at rates higher than Flint, Michigan.

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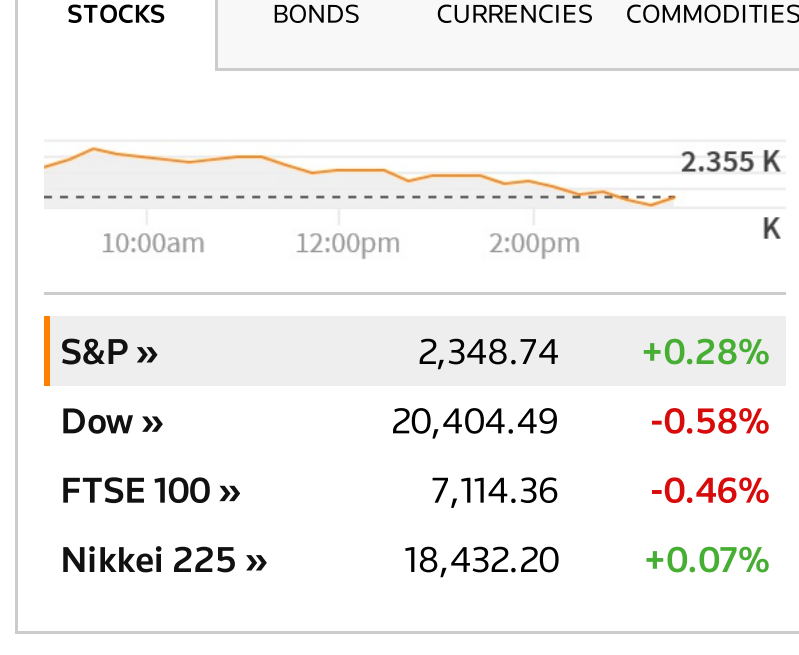
U.S. weekly jobless claims up; continuing claims hit 17-year low

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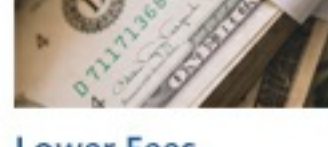
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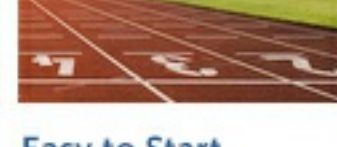
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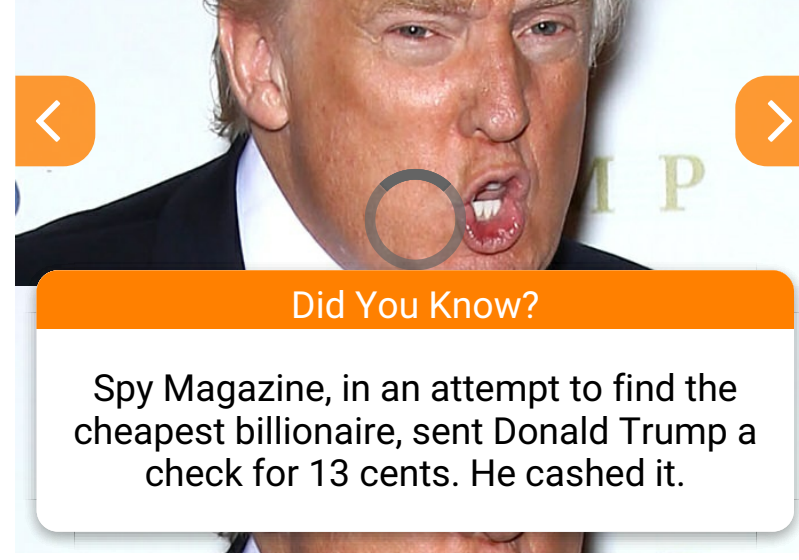


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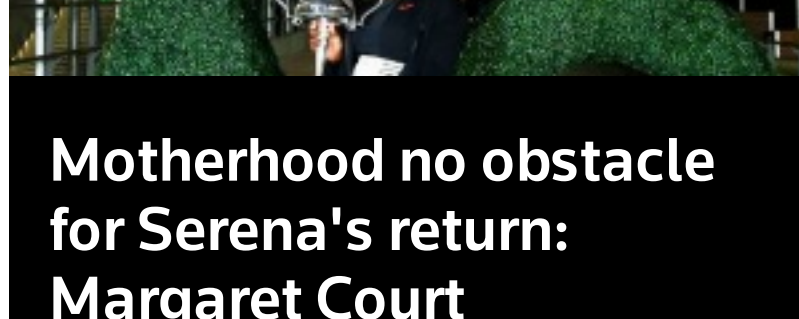
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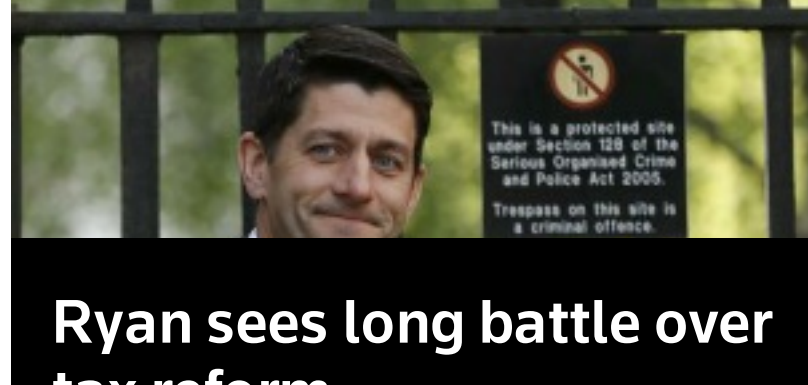


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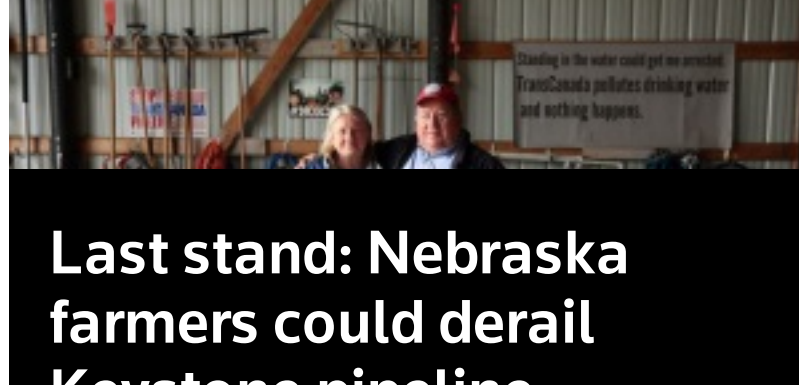
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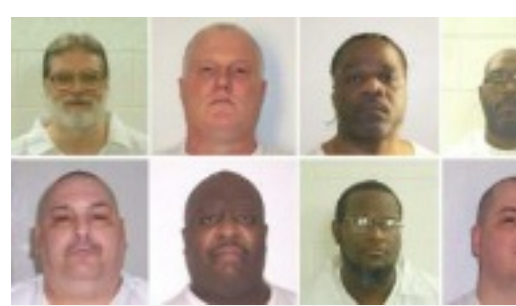
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U.S.-Russian crew blasts off for space station with one empty seat

A scaled-down, two-man U.S.-Russian crew blasted off from the Baikonur Cosmodrome in Kazakhstan on Thursday for a six-hour ride to the International Space Station, a NASA TV broadcast showed.

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Arkansas determined to fight legal challenges to executions

Arkansas has said it will appeal a court ruling that bars the U.S. state's use of a lethal injection drug and effectively puts a stop to its plans to execute eight prisoners in 11 days.

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Bill O'Reilly out at Fox after harassment allegations

Twenty-First Century Fox Inc has parted ways with star cable news host Bill O'Reilly following allegations of sexual harassment, the company said on Wednesday.

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Chasing pair Fillon, Melenchon level as French election nears

Hard-left presidential challenger Jean-Luc Melenchon and conservative Francois Fillon were neck-and-neck behind the frontrunners in an opinion poll on Thursday, as candidates made last-ditch appeals to undecided voters.

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Duterte's office rejects drug-war allegations as 'movie scenes'

Philippine President Rodrigo Duterte's office rejected allegations on Thursday by two senior police officers in a Reuters report that police received cash rewards for executing drug suspects, while the most high-profile critic of the president backed the officers' claims.

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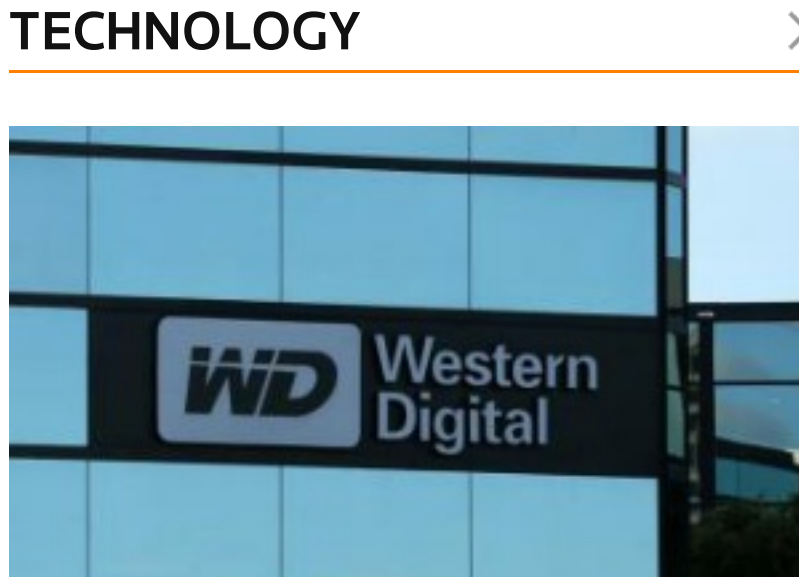
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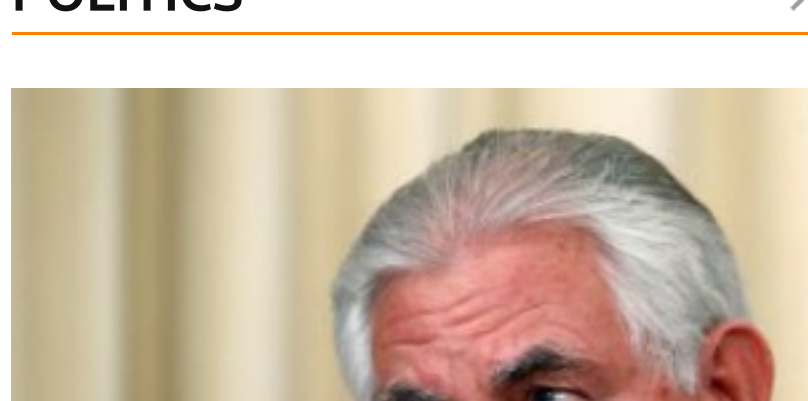


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U.S. 'armada' was far from North Korea during tension

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