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Ex-Arconic CEO Sent Vague Threat to Hedge-Fund Boss

The letter that cost Klaus Kleinfeld his job as CEO of aerospace-parts maker Arconic contained a vague threat toward the billionaire whose hedge fund had been campaigning for Mr. Kleinfeld's ouster.

Read Klaus Kleinfeld's Letter

Insurers Offer Early Sign of ACA Exchange Plans for 2018

Anthem made preliminary filings indicating it will offer plans on the Affordable Care Act marketplaces in Virginia and Kentucky next year. Cigna and Aetna also made similar filings in Virginia.



Exxon Seeks U.S. Waiver to Resume Russia Oil Venture

Exxon Mobil has applied to the

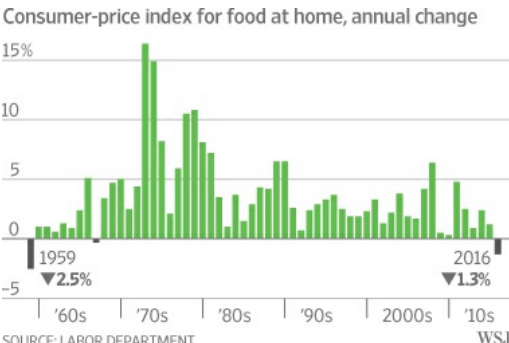


Treasury Department for a waiver from U.S. sanctions on Russia in a bid to resume its venture with state oil giant Rosneft forged in 2012 by then-CEO Rex Tillerson. 239

- A Treasury Office's Outsize Role in Sanctions

China Shakes Up Financial Regulators in Scramble for Stability

Trying to ensure financial-system stability as a pivotal party gathering nears, Beijing has removed three of its four top financial-industry regulators over the past year or so as it also tightens the reins on banks, brokerages and insurers.



Lower Prices at Wal-Mart: Good for Shoppers, Bad for Grocers

Wal-Mart's fight to defend its low-cost reputation is helping to extend the longest food-price decline in decades. The world's biggest retailer is investing heavily to lower prices in its U.S. stores, as competition heats up against Amazon.com. But the price war is hurting the nation's biggest grocers.

Le Pen Rise Before French Vote Fueled by Industrial Malaise

Far-right nationalist Marine Le Pen has surged in industrial cities like Amiens, where Whirlpool's decision to close a factory has helped the candidate tap into voter anger with the European Union and political elite.



- French, German Candidates Try Full Embrace of EU
- Voices From the French Election
- Macron Lays Out Economic Agenda
- Far-Left Crusader Mélenchon in the Mix
- Can France's Marine Le Pen Win the Election?

Housing Crunch Threatens Reno's Tech Boom

During the recession, Reno was a poster child for the risks of overbuilding. Now, the city is facing a looming housing crisis after enticing tech companies to open manufacturing facilities.



Bill O'Reilly Won't Return to Fox News, Company Says



Google Plans Ad-Blocking Feature in Chrome Browser



Many Poor Venezuelans Are Too Hungry to Protest



Arkansas Execution Plan Dealt Setback by Rulings

THE DAILY SHOT
The Smell of Bloated Gasoline Inventories Sends Traders for the Exits

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A majority of new cars in Japan are equipped with technology like automatic braking where the vehicles control themselves in certain cases. It's a contrast with the U.S., where those features have yet to go mainstream.

In Japan, a Self-Driving Technology Helps Seniors Hit the Brakes, Not the Gas

Japan is taking the lead on adopting some of the world's newest driving technologies, largely because it has to accommodate some of the world's oldest drivers.

Verizon, for First Time, Loses Core Wireless Customers

Verizon Communications posted its first ever quarterly net loss of wireless subscribers, though its highly publicized launch of unlimited wireless plans helped curb the losses.

A \$3.5 Billion Startup Exposed Hospital's Data Without Permission

Cybersecurity firm Tanium spent years pitching its software by showing it working in a client's network—something the client, a California hospital, says Tanium never had permission to do. 87

Unilever and Nestlé Struggle with Cautious U.S. Consumers

Unilever and Nestlé reported first-quarter sales that were weighed down by cautious spending in the U.S. and Western Europe, forcing both companies to rely on emerging markets for growth.

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BlackRock Offers Vote of Confidence to China's Stock Markets

Big fund managers are for the first time saying they are comfortable with including domestic Chinese equities in key global indexes, a sign that the mainland's large stock markets may finally be coming of age.

- Heard on the Street: Too Soon for MSCI to Give Chinese Stocks Its Blessing



Abu Dhabi Sovereign Fund Finds New Cash Source as Oil Prices Slump

Abu Dhabi sovereign wealth fund Mubadala has agreed to invest in private equity on behalf of another firm for the first time in a deal worth as much as \$750 million with Paris-based Ardian, say people familiar with the matter.

Global Stocks Climb as Corporates Report

Global stocks mostly inched higher as oil prices steadied and investors digested a slate of corporate results.



After Tax in Vancouver, Home Price Boom Migrates to Toronto

Home prices are surging in Toronto after a clampdown on foreign buyers on the other side of the country, in the latest example of how relentless overseas demand is outrunning policy makers' efforts to tame buying.



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MIDDLE EAST CROSSROADS
Centrist 'Backlash' Propels Former TV Anchor Lapid in Israeli Polls

Once dismissed as a passing fad, Yair Lapid, a 53-year-old former TV anchor, has emerged as the most serious political rival to Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu.

White House Says It Didn't Mislead With Ship Location

The White House shrugged off any blame for miscommunication about the USS Carl Vinson and said it didn't mislead U.S. allies about the aircraft carrier's destination amid a backlash. 195

Turkish Board Upholds Vote Expanding Erdogan's Powers

Turkey's electoral commission rejected petitions submitted by three political parties to annul the results of Sunday's constitutional referendum.

Pakistan Supreme Court Orders Corruption Probe of Prime Minister Sharif

In a 3-2 ruling in which the two dissenters voted for his expulsion, Pakistan's Supreme Court ordered a criminal investigation into Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif over corruption allegations arising from the Panama Papers leak.

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Publicity Over Dispute by Former Trump Partners Could Tarnish President, One Warns

Two former business partners of President Donald Trump are in a nasty dispute that has one suggesting he could publicize the other's controversial past—and warning that the bad headlines could tarnish the president.

Trump to Revive 1962 Law to Explore New Barriers on Steel Imports

President Donald Trump is ramping up his tougher "America First" trade policy with plans to revive a rarely used law to explore imposing new barriers on steel imports.

Trump Signals Provide Comfort to Central Bankers, Finance Ministers

The Trump administration appears unlikely to upend decades of global financial cooperation by scorning the International Monetary Fund and World Bank, a source of

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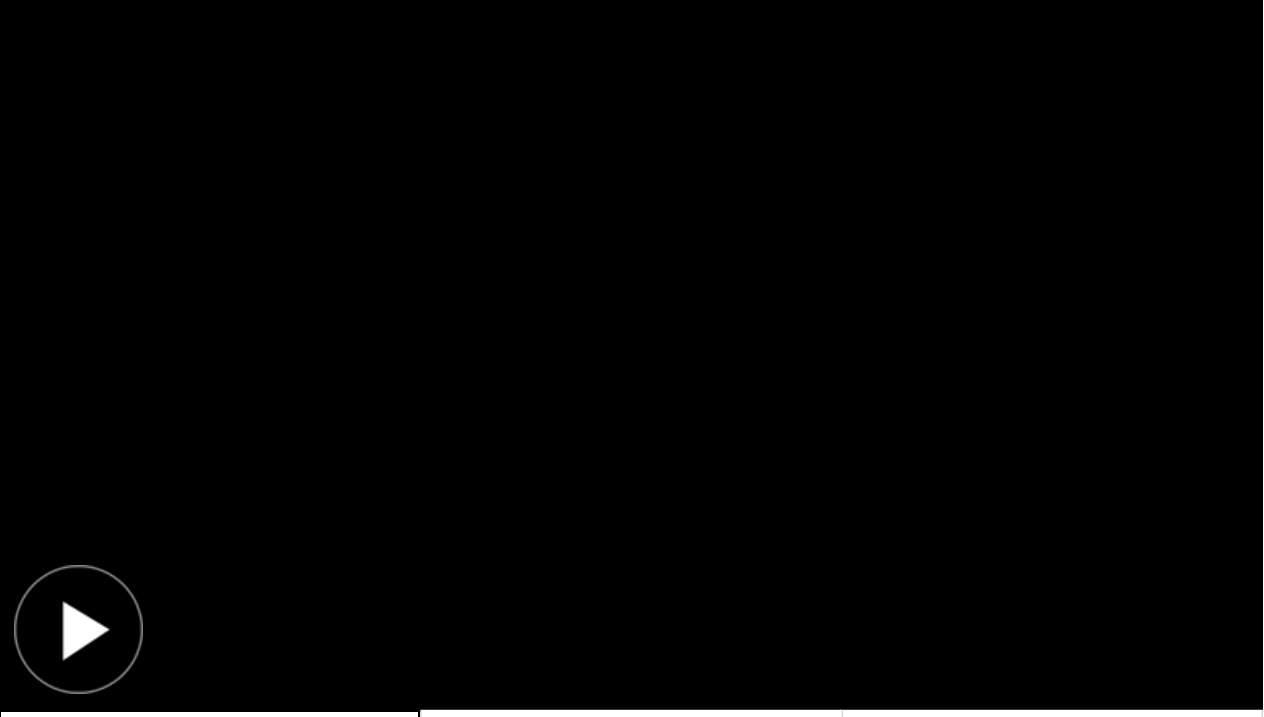
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A Fitness Empire Quietly Rises on YouTube

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Cuba’s Most Authentic Experience is Far From Havana

In Cuba’s post-Fidel era, a lost artisanal heritage is slowly being reborn—not in its capital city but in the island’s more distant reaches.

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Virtual Reality Films Push Into the Mainstream

Kathryn Bigelow, Alejandro G. Iñárritu and Megan Ellison are behind a wave of new virtual-reality projects, as the entertainment industry dedicates new levels of talent, money and time to VR. There is a premium on original stories, award-worthy performances, Hollywood production values and a pinch of celebrity.

‘Making Space’ at MoMA Without Enough Room

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