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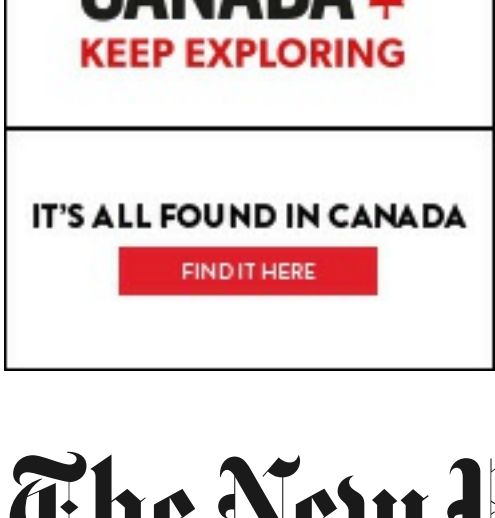
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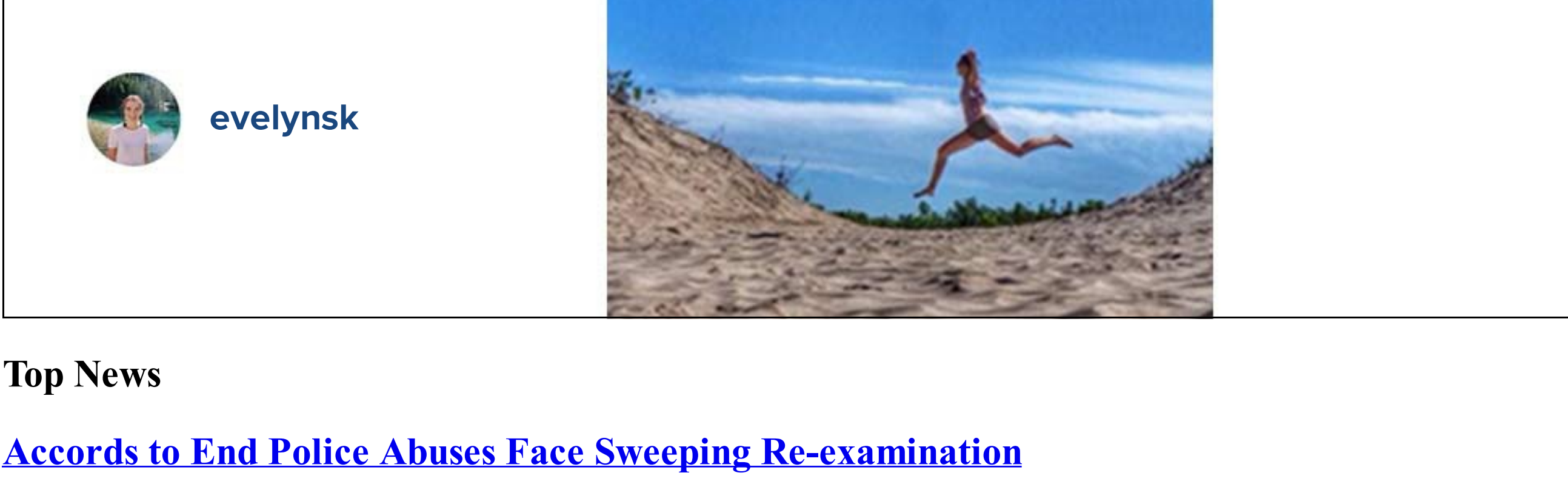
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By SHERYL GAY STOLBERG and ERIC LICHTBLAU

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• The examination, which reflects President Trump's emphasis on law and order and reducing violent crime, could lead to a further retreat on consent decrees nationwide.

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Debate in Gorsuch Battle: Use Filibuster Now or Later?

By CHARLIE SAVAGE 5:00 AM ET

Deploying the filibuster now to stall the appointment of Judge Neil M. Gorsuch might please an energized liberal base, but Democrats could lose a weapon that would be more potent in a future Supreme Court fight.

- Democrats Gain Enough Votes for a Filibuster on Gorsuch

The Senate Filibuster, Explained

White House Pitches New Health Bill Plan to Freedom Caucus

By MARGOT SANGER-KATZ

Under the proposal, states could opt out of requiring insurers to cover a minimum benefits package and could do away with a rule forcing them to charge the same price to everyone who is the same age.

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Syrians Say Dozens Die in Gas Attack by Government



By ANNE BARNARD 47 minutes ago

The European Union and Turkey condemned Syria for what appeared to be the largest and most toxic chemical attack in Syria since August 2013.

Right and Left: Partisan Writing You Shouldn't Miss

By ANNA DUBENKO 3:00 AM ET



A case for (and against) a Democratic filibuster, Vice President Mike Pence's dinner rule, and why a dystopian '80s movie is newly relevant.

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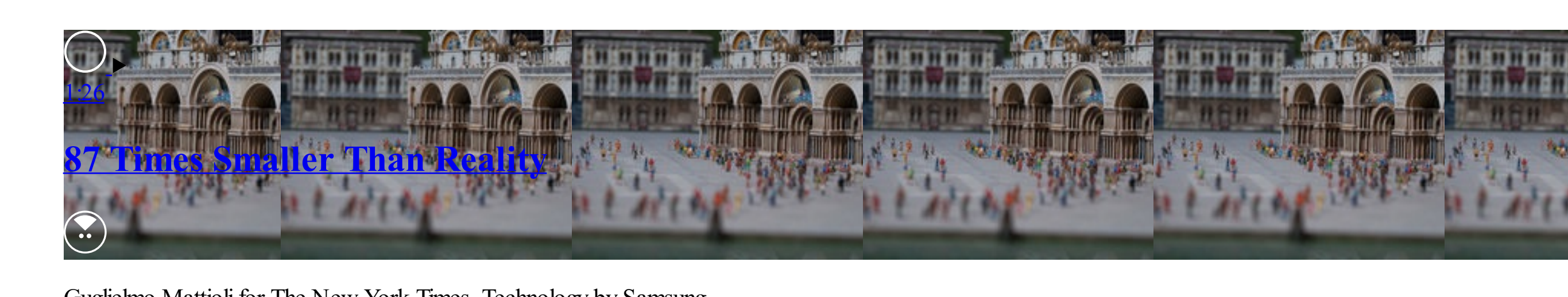
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A year after a heartbreaking loss in the final, North Carolina came from behind at the half to beat Gonzaga, 71-65, in the national title game.

By ZACH SCHONBRUN

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By CHRIS STANFORD 6:26 AM ET

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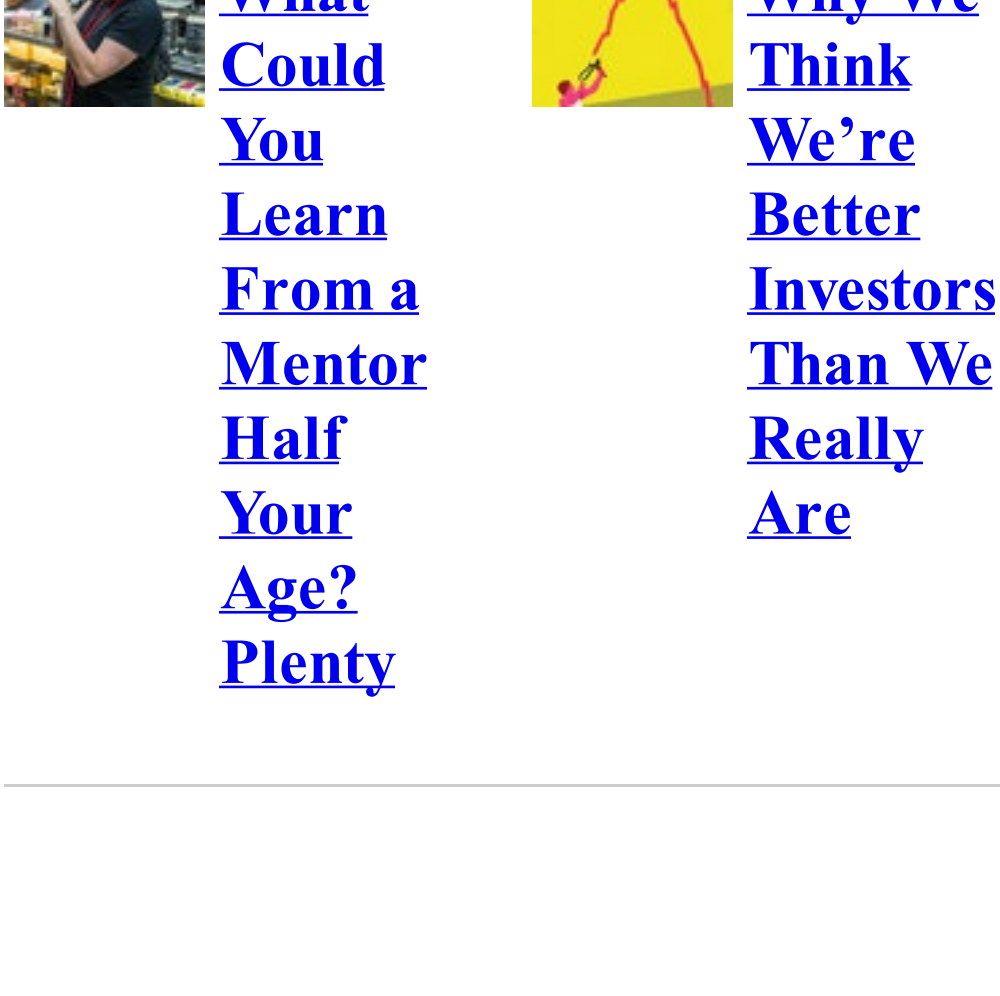
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Computational thinking — approaching problems the way a programmer would — is captivating educators, from kindergarten teachers to college professors.

By LAURA PAPPANO

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O'Reilly Loses Two Sponsors as Scandal Buffets Fox News



By EMILY STEEL and MICHAEL S. SCHMIDT

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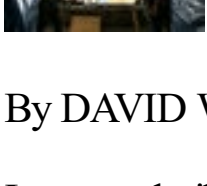


'Duop, Can You Hear Me?' A Child Soldier Tries to Go Home Again

By JEFFREY GETTLEMAN 5:00 AM ET

The teenage boy had seen things no child should ever witness. Now he would see his mother for the first time in six years.

Lessons in Building Design, From Hurricane Sandy



By DAVID W. DUNLAP 5:00 AM ET

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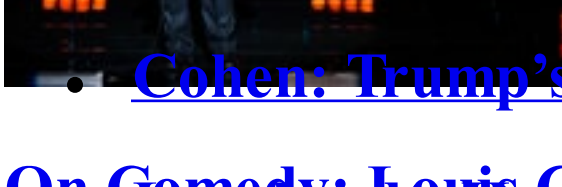
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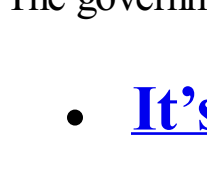
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On Comedy: Louis C.K.'s New Special

In his Netflix special "2017," Louis C.K. examines extremes before landing somewhere in between, whether the subject is abortion or sexual attraction.

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By OWEN JONES

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| 6h | Five people have been charged in London in the beating of a teenage Kurdish-Iranian asylum seeker , which the police are treating as a suspected hate crime. | |
| 8h | How is President Trump's throwing arm these days? He kept us in suspense, hosting Egypt's president at the White House instead of tossing a ceremonial pitch on opening day. | |
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| 10h | A judge denied Roman Polanski's request to resolve his sex abuse case in his absence. The director fled the U.S. in 1978, refusing to return without clarity on his sentence. | |
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| 12h | Keeping things in its basketball-crazed family, Georgetown hired Patrick Ewing to coach men's basketball. Ewing led the team to three Final Fours and its lone national title in 1984. | |
| 13h | Verizon announced its acquisitions of AOL and Yahoo would exist under a division named Oath . The name did not exactly endear itself to Twitter users. | |
| 15h | Children born to women in their late 30s did significantly better on cognitive testing than those of younger mothers, researchers found. | |
| 16h | Big news for fans of pro wrestling : John Cena got on one knee to propose to Nikki Bella in the ring, and the Undertaker has one foot in the grave. | |
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| 17h | A homeowner in Mason County, Wash., was arrested and could be charged in the fatal shooting of a stranger he found in his shower . | |
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| 17h | Astronomers recorded an intense burst of X-rays from a galaxy almost 11 billion light years from Earth. Then the flash died out. They do not know what caused it. | |
| 18h | Jack Ziegler, a longtime cartoonist for The New Yorker, died at 74 . His satirical, silly and observational style enlivened more than 1,600 cartoons at the magazine. | |
| 19h | The Mexican newspaper Norte has shut down , saying it was too dangerous to continue publishing after the recent killings of three reporters. | |
| 19h | A commission released its recommendations for closing the troubled Rikers Island jail complex , two days after Mayor Bill de Blasio of New York reversed course to back the plan. | |
| 20h | A legal team that includes Rudolph Giuliani has sought to meet with Trump administration officials to discuss a high-profile Iran sanctions case . | |
| 21h | At least one person was injured when a New Jersey Transit train derailed at Penn Station , the authorities said. It was the second derailment in two weeks at the station. | |
| 1d | The theme song that defines March Madness coverage on CBS was inspired by the tournament's percussive heartbeat: a dribbling basketball. | |
| 1d | The custodian of a shrine in Pakistan was arrested after 20 followers of a self-described mystic were given an intoxicating drink and then hacked and beaten to death . | |
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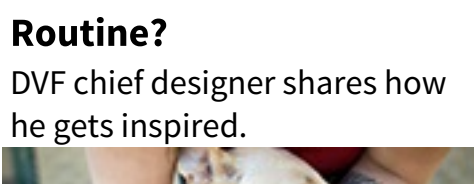
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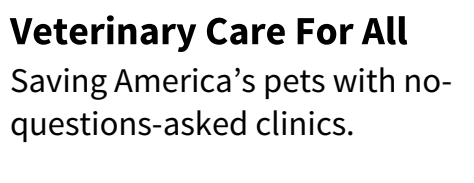
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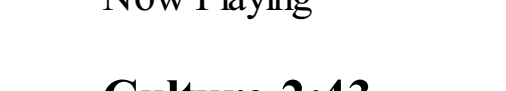


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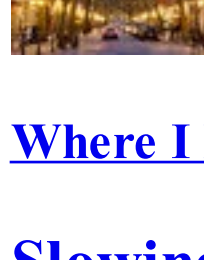
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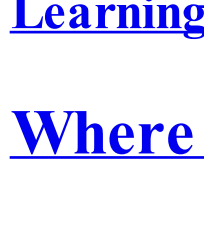
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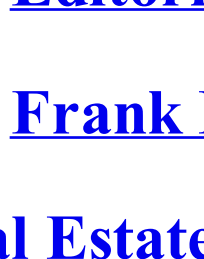
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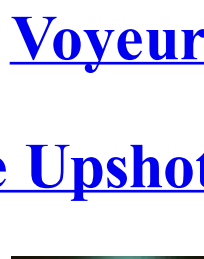
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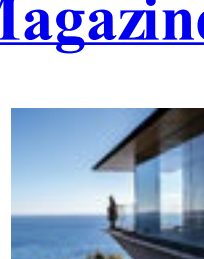
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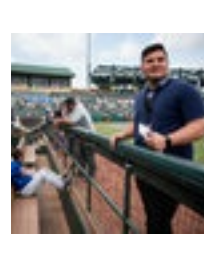
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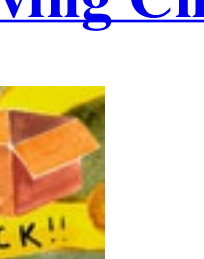
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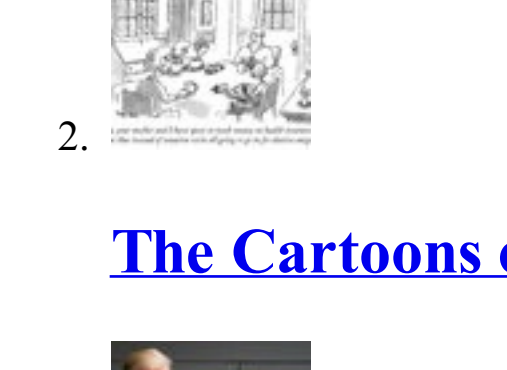
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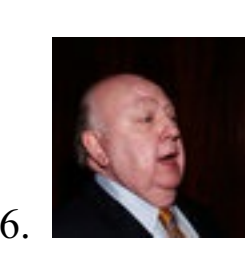
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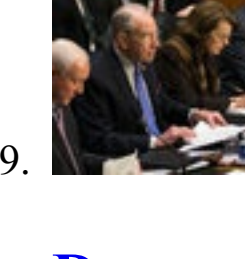


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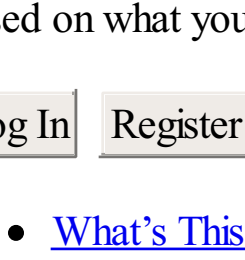
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