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- ◆ Didi's American denositary receipts China's cybers ceipts plunged after ecurity regu tor delivered a second blow to the ride-hailing giant two days after launching a re-view of its data security. **B1**
- 6 Median pay changed by 5% or less either way at about a third of S&P 500 companies during pandemic-disrupted 2020, a Journal analysis of data from MyLogIQ found. B1
- ◆ The S&P 500 and Dow fell 0.2% and 0.6%, respect tively, retreating from re-cords last week. The Nas-daq inched up 0.2%. **B13**
- ◆ Toyota's decision to build a stockpile of chips for its cars paid off by lifting it above perennial top dog GM in the U.S. for the first time. B1
- ◆ Nextdoor is merging with a blank-check company to go public in a deal valuing the social-media network at roughly \$4.3 billion. B2
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- ◆ Pentagon officials ter-minated the massive JEDI cloud-computing contract and said they would start fresh with a new project, capping a yearslong initia-tive that had become mired in literation for the property in litigation from Amazon and a barrage of objec-tions from Congress. A1
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  ◆ The Delta variant is hardening a divide between people who are fully vaccinated against Covid-19 and those who aren't, prompting hospitals to brace for new case surges and health authorities to redouble vaccination efforts. A3

  ◆ Data from Israel suggest Pfizer's vaccine is less effective at protecting against infections caused by the Delta variant of Covid-19 but retains its potency to prevent severe illness. A3

  ◆ Search teams found
- Search teams found four more bodies at the Search teams found four more bodies at the site of the collapsed con-dominium building in Surf-side, Fla., bringing the number of confirmed dead to 36, with as many as 109 people unaccounted for. A3
- Peace talks between the Taliban and Kabul risk beranda and kabul risk be-coming a mechanism through which the insur-gents could legitimize their recent military victories, gaining international ap-proval for an eventual take-over, Afghan government representatives warn. A6
- \*\*Eric Adams, Brooklyn
  Borough president and a
  former police officer who
  made public safety the centerpiece of his campaign,
  won New York City's Democratic mayoral primary. A3



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#### Bomb Blast Kills Two in Afghanistan Amid Rising Tensions



DIRE ATTACKS: Afghan security officials inspect the scene of a bomb blast in Kandahar, Afghanistan, on Tuesday, after a car bomb exploded near a police center, killing at least two police and injuring 24 others. Violence in the country has increased as the withdrawal of American troops nears completion and the Taliban expand their influence. A6

### Wall Street Split on Forcing **Bankers to Return to Office**

There is a growing divide on Wall Street: firms calling employees back and firms telling people they can work from home.

Titans like Goldman Sachs Group Inc. and JPMorgan Chase & Co. are taking a hard-line approach, beefing up in-person staff five days a week in New York even though it might mean losing talent. Rivals including Citigroup Inc. are touting flexibility, betting that a softer approach will help them poach top

traders and deal makers.

While businesses across America are struggling with whether and how to have staff return full time, the issue has been particularly thorny at large U.S. banks, where leaders like Jamie Dimon and David Solomon have voiced strong opinions.

Culture is at the heart of the debate. Some say the trading floor is the last bastion of Wall Street, where interns and young

Hoor is the last bastion of Wali Street, where interns and young employees learn by osmosis. Others think record results in a remote-work year prove that the trading floor and the office alike have lost their relevance.

JPMorgan's investment-bank-ing staff had to be back in the office by Tuesday, including communications, technology and communications, technology and operations teams. Sales, trading and research staff members were told to return full time in June. Many sales and trading staffers have already been in the office throughout much of the past year.

office throughout much of the past year.
Goldman staff members returned on June 14. Mr. Solomon, the CEO, said in February that working from home isn't the new normal: "It's an aberration that we're going to correct as soon as possible."

Leaders at both banks say be-ng in the office leads to better collaboration and idea genera-tion, and they have complained that employees are less produc

that employees are less productive at home.

Morgan Stanley CEO James Gorman said at a conference last month that he would "be very disappointed if people haven't found their way into the office" by Labor Day.

"If you want to get paid New York rates, you work in New Please turn to page A4

### China to Tighten Rules for Overseas Listings

Directives come as regulators intensify their scrutiny of tech firms, including Didi

China said it would tighten rules for companies listed over-seas or seeking to sell shares abroad, moves that could hin-der attempts by homegrown firms to raise money in the U.S.

By Keith Zhai in Singapore and Jing Yang in Hong Kong

in Hong Kong

The shift comes as Chinese regulators intensify scrutiny into technology companies, including Didi Global Inc., that recently listed in the U.S.

Wall Street has long been a bridge between China's economic miracle and the U.S. Blockbuster listings of firms like Alibaba Group Holding I.d. in New York emphasized China's rising economic clout while letting American investors profit from their growth. Now, China's move toward restricting such listings highlights the diverging visions in Beijing and Washington of the future of technology, data protection and security. With a widening gulf of distrust on a range of issues, both Chinese and American companies could get caught in the middle.

Turnoil around Didi foreshadowed the latest move. The Please turn to page A6

- ◆ Beijing pressures new IPO

### Hospitals Often Bill Uninsured The Highest Prices

Insurers negotiate lower rates for same treatment, new data show

Raul Macias was rushed to an emergency with pain shooting fro his back to his legs. His breathing was shallow Doctors at Avera St. Luke's Hospital in Aber

By Melanie Evans, Anna Wilde Mathev and Tom McGinty

deen, S.D., discovered a potentially life-threat-ening tear in the lining of his largest artery. They moved him to Avera Health's heart hospi-tal, where he stayed for three days. Avera then billed Mr. Macias, who was unin-sured, some of the highest prices the hospitals

charge to any payer, the Wall Street Journal

charge to any payer, the Wall Street Journal found in an analysis of Avera's previously confidential hospital price data.

A Journal study of thousands of prices at hundreds of hospitals revealed that many charge top prices to patients like Mr. Macias, who must pay cash out of pocket, compared with the prices the hospitals have negotiated with insurance companies.

The 32-year-old's abdominal and pelvic scan at Avera St. Luke's cost \$6,422, the highest out of a wide range of rates the Avera hospital charges for that service based on the new data. The price billed to Mr. Macias was roughly Please turn to page A8

### Crude-oil futures prices this year



OPEC **Bickers** Oil prices slid on Tuesday, erasing an earlier advance, as traders grappled with uncertainty

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DPEC carea raised the possibility of some members producing more crude in the coming months. B1

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Grocers are stocking up before prices climb. squeezing the food supply chain. **B1** 

### New York City's Exclusive Clubs Have Gone to the Dogs

Humans shell out fees for private pooch paradise, with swimming pools and rules

What may be New York City's strangest private club lies on an odd-angled lot wedged between Bus Ramp 99 from the Port Authority Bus Terminal and a vehicular entrance to the Lincoln Tunnel in Manhattan. Here, members relax under a pergola with hanging baskets of petunias, sipping filtered water and gnawing tennis balls. Sometimes they wrestle in the gravel.

"It's a place to get away, just a fun little place," says longtime member and volunteer Tim Ousey, visiting on a recent morning with his 12-year-old beagles, Betty and Judy.

Welcome to Astro's

Dog Run, founded in 1994, as legend has it, by an eponymous German shepherd from Pasadena, Calif. The membersonly mini park reopened last month following a repair job on the bus-ramp railing, and canines in the surrounding Hell's Kitchen neighborhood couldn't be happier.

While the New York City Department of Parks & Recreation maintains 84 public dog runs—featuring amenities ranging from spray hydrants to climbing mounds—some of the city's fussier

mounds—some of the city's fussier furred residents prefer a members-only situation, and Astro's is one of a andful in the metrop-

olis.
Like most member-ship runs, Astro's ad-Please turn to page A2

### Pentagon Scraps JEDI In Blow to Microsoft

By JOHN D. McKINNON

WASHINGTON—Pentagon officials on Tuesday termi-nated the massive JEDI cloudcomputing contract and said they would start fresh with a

computing contract and said they would start fresh with a new project, capping a years-long initiative that had become mired in litigation from Amazon.com Inc. and a barrage of objections from Congress.

In terminating the contract with Microsoft Corp., Defense bepartment officials focused largely on technical reasons, saying advances in cloud computing and the Pentagon's own evolving needs had made the Joint Enterprise Defense Infrastructure scheme obsolete.

"The evolving landscape is what has driven our thinking," said John Sherman, the Pentagon's acting chief information officer. "IEDI was the right approach at the time," he added, but with changing circumstances, "we're in a different place."

The decision will open up the new cloud project—rebranded as Joint Warfighter Cloud Capability—to all qualified bidders, Pentagon officials said. Microsoft and Amazon will be invited to bid, officials said. In addition, officials will consider whether to include Alphabet Inc.'s Google, Oracle Corp. and International Business Machines Corp. in the bidding. Bidders are expected to be identified by about October, the officials said, with the new contract expected to be awarded in spring 2022. The new contract will run for no more than five years, the Pentagon said. Its value wasn't immediately determined, although officials said it would be worth billions of dollars. Microsoft said it accepted the decision. "The DoD faced a difficult choice: Continue with what could be a yearslong litigation battle or find another path

### Pyrrhic Brexit

UK is wounded but EU solidarity is strengthened — MARTIN WOLF, PAGE 15

### Hard bargain

Rush to buy Big Oil's cast-off assets threatens climate goals — PAGE 1:



### The fearful game

England must defeat their anxiety to beat Denmark — simon kuper, page 3

### Mask out **England risks** soaring cases

People wearing face masks pass through Oxford Circus Underground station in London at the weekend. Pears escalated yesterday that up to 2m people in England were at risk of contracting coronavirus or being asked to self-isolate each week once restrictions ease on July 19. People will no longer be required to socially distance or wear masks in public spaces, or on transport systems, which could lead to a sharp rise in the spread of infection. Sajid Javid, the UK's new health secretary, admitted yesterday there could be a record 100,000 new Covid-19 cases a day—far exceeding the 61,240 UK peak recorded on January 1. Report page 2



## Didi shares hammered as Beijing watchdog unveils investigation

Ride-hailer's price plunges ◆ China to tighten foreign listing rules ◆ Threat to Wall St fees

Didi lost a quarter of its market value yesterday after Chinese regulators announced an investigation into the ride-halling app that last week raised more than \$40n in a New York/PO.

more than \$4 bn in a New York IPO.
China sparked investor unease in New
York before the start of trading when it
said it would tighten restrictions on
overseas listings, endangering the lucrative pipeline of Chinese companies keen
to raise capital on Wall Street.
China's top government body, the
State Council, said it would act to strengthen the protection of sensitive data
related to overseas listings and "consolidate the information security responsibilities of overseas listed companies".

"This is direction from the highest

level," said Bruce Pang, research head at investment bank China Renaissance. "The landscape of not only china's mar-ket but also its regulatory framework could see dramatic changes." He added that the new rules might impose long waiting periods on compa-nies hoping to list abroad, which "will bit invitor contained decreases."

nies noping to list abroad, which "will hit investor sentiment, depress valua-tions for IPOs in the US and make it more difficult to raise funds in New

York". Thirty-four Chinese companies raised a record \$12.4bn in New York in the first half of 2021, according to data from Dealogic. Wall Street investment banks netted a record windfall of nearly \$460m in fees during the period.
Didl led the fall in Chinese shares in New York; touching a low of \$11.58 in

early trading after closing on Friday at \$15.53. On its opening day, Didi's shares touched \$18.00 before falling back. With markets closed on Monday because of the July 4 holiday, vester-day's session was the first chance for investors to react to demands from the Cyberspace Administration of China on Sunday that Tulli research is one form ınday that Didi remove its app from

e Chinese market. The CAC alleged that Didi had vio-

The CAC alleged that Didl had vio-lated laws around the collection and use of personal data. The CAC also opened an investigation into Full Truck Alliance, another Chi-nese company to list recently in the US. FTA's shares dropped 19 per cent and Baidu and JD.com both fell 5 per cent, while Alibaha was down 2 per cent. Didl said it would "strive to rectify any



Didi led the fall in Chinese

Thirty-four of them raised a record \$12.4bn

problems [and] protect users' privacy and data security".

The CAC had recommended in the weeks before the US listing that the company delay its IPO until it had conducted a review of its data security, said a person close to Didi.

The company said on Monday it had "no knowledge" of the decksion by regulators to intervene until after its IPO. Bankers on the deal said they would not have proceeded had they known of the regulator's dernands.

The company and its banks had assurances from Chinese lawyers that "it was fully complaint", said an executive at one of the Wall Street banks running the process.

Additional reporting by Sun Yu and Christian Shepherd in Beijing

- KKR team homes in on British targets The private equity group has said will set up a team of five dealmakers to focus on buying in the UK, Inflaming debate on the role of the buyout industry in the country's economy.— PAGE 5, LEX, PAGE 18
- ► Labour shortages cool US services
  The Institute for Supply Management's index has
  shown that growth in the sector abated in June from
  a record pace the month before, as businesses
  endure higher prices and staff shortages,— PAGE 3
- Maharashtra reimposes Covid curbs Restrictions have returned as the rise in cases in Restrictions have returned as the rise in cases in th Indian state that contains Mumbai are fuelling fear of a third wave of infections amid warnings of a dangerous Delta Plus coronavirus variant. - PAGE 4
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- ► Hyperlocal site Nextdoor in Spac deal The social media network that creates online space for neighbours to discuss local events has agreed to go public through a merger with a "blank cheque" company, claiming a \$4.3bn valuation. PAGE S
- Teneo turns to former Xerox boss The PR firm has named Ursula Burns chair as it seeks to reassure its Fortune 500 clients after the resignation of longtime leader Declan Kelly, who has been embroiled in misconduct claims.— PAGE 6
- ➤ Warning over rising use of bioresources A report from coalition including BP, Shell and HSBC has warned that rising use of trees and crops for energy will lead to competition for land for food production and a loss of biodiversity.— PAGE 4

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### China's space age prestige

China's recent space advances have over an alleged attack on two top scientists by aerospace executive and party official Zhang Tao. Said to be party official Zhang Tao. Said to be upset that the pair falled to back him for membership of an eminent scientific body, he is reported to have quarrelled with them over dinner before cornering them in a lift. He the attacked one; the other was knocked down trying to defend her colleague. Report > PAGE 4

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### South Africa police delay Zuma arrest after ex-president launches legal cases

South Africa's police have sought to hold back from arresting Jacob Zuma, the former president, until he has exhausted legal challenges against his prison sentence.

A letter to South Africa's constitutional court from the minister of police and police commissioner has fuelled concerns that the governing African National Congress is reluctant to jail its former leader. Protests at his planned arrest erupted in his home state at the

weekend.
The constitutional court ruled last
week that Zuma should go to jail for
defying an order to attend an inquiry
into corruption. Civil society activists
hailed the decision as a moment for
South African democracy and a confirmation of the judiciary's independence.

Zuma, whose nine-year presidency was marred by allegations of corruption and economic stagnation, failed to turn himself in by a court deadline of Sunday. The constitutional court made clear that the police must take Zuma to prison by the end of today.

But 79-year-old Zuma, who denies all wrongdoing and says the accusations are politically motivated, has launched two leval challenges. Claiming that

are politically motivated, has launched two legal challenges, claiming that "sending me to jail during the height of a pandemic at my age is the same as sentencing me to death".

The minister and national commissioner overseeing South Africa's police words to the court on Monday saying the police "will, out of respect of the unfolding litigation, hold further actions they are expected to take . . . pending finalisation of the litigation", or direction from the court, the letter said.

The police minister appeared to back-track yesterday, saying that police would proceed with the arrest if the court did not direct otherwise. "We have put the onus on the court to give us direction," Bheld Cele, the police minis-ter, told South African television.

er, tool south African television. Legal analysts have said that Zuma's court challenges were unlikely to suc-ceed and that there was no reason in law

ceed and that there was no reason in law for the police not to arrest him.

The court's order to the police was clear, and Zuma's legal challenges were "completely irrelevant", said Dan Mafora, research officer at the Council for the Advancement of the South African Constitution, a legal watchdog, "It is obviously damaging to the ANC government to have to arrest a former president . . . they are trying to pass the buck as long as they can," he added.

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#### World Markets

	Jul 6	prev	%chg		Jul 6	prev		Jul 6	prev		price	yield	chg
S&P 500	4326.20	4352.34	-0.60	S per €	1.183	1.186	£ per \$	0.724	0.723	US Gov 10 yr	148.00	1.37	-0.05
Nasdaq Composite	14613.27	14639.33	-0.18	\$ per £	1.381	1.384	€per£	1.167	1.167	UK Gov 10 yr		0.63	-0.08
Dow Jones Ind	34454.40	34786.35	-0.95	£ per €	0.857	0.857	¥ per €	130.798	131.598	Ger Gov 10 yr		-0.27	-0.05
FTSEurofirst 300	1758.10	1768.20	-0.57	¥ per \$	110.565	110.945	£ index	81.832	81.620	Jpn Gov 10 yr	117.21	0.04	0.01
Euro Stoux 50	4046.15	4087.37	-1.01	¥ per £	152.685	153.558	SFr per £	1.276	1.276	US Gov 30 yr	113.64	1.99	-0.05
FTSE 100	7100.88	7164.91	-0.89	SFr per €	1.093	1.094				Ger Gev 2 yr	105.76	-0.68	-0.01
FTSE All-Share	4060.82	4033.99	-0.81	€ per \$	0.845	0.843							
CAC 40	6507.48	6507.48	0.00										
Xetra Dax	15511.38	15661.97	-0.96	соммо	OTTIES						price	prev	chg
Nikkei	28643.21	28598.19	0.16							Fed Funds Eff	0.06	0.07	-0.01
Hang Seng	28072.86	28143.50	-0.25				Jul 6	prev	%chg	US 3m Billis	0.05	0.05	0.00
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He Declares Victory

From Top Rivals

By KATIE GLUECK

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Eric L. Adams, who rose from poverty to become an iconoclastic police captain and the borough president of Brooklyn, declared victory in the Democratic nomination for mayor of New York City on Decound the second Black mayor in the history of the nation's largest city.

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### NEW YORK MAYORAL PRIMARY CALLED FOR ADAMS

#### Twin Hackings Tied to Russia. In Test of Biden

Defiance of Limits Set at Putin Meeting

By NICOLE PERLROTH and DAVID E. SANGER

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Russian hackers are accused of
breaching a contractor for the Republican National Committee last
week, around the same time that
Russian cybercriminals launched
the single largest global ransomware attack on record, incidents that are testing the red lines
set by President Biden during his
high-stakes summit with President Vladimir V. Putin of Russia

dent Vladimir V. Putin of Russia last month.

The R.N.C. said in a statement on Tuesday that one of its technol-ogy providers, Synnex, had been hacked. While the extent of the at-tempted breach remained un-clear, the committee said none of its data had been accessed.

Early indications were that the culprit was Russia's S.V.R. intelli-rence agency, according to inves-

that penetrated more than a half-dozen government agencies and many of the largest U.S. corpora-



President Vladimir V. Putin with President Biden in June.

become public in the last few days, and it was unclear late Tuesday whether the two were related. On School of the state o

Mr. Biden just three weeks after he, in his first meeting as presi-dent with Mr. Putin, demanded that the Russian leader rein in Continued on Page A9



The city's Board of Elections counted an additional 118,000 absentee ballots this week to reach the updated results

#### Biden Resists Call to Support Vaccine Edicts

By MICHAEL D. SHEAR and NOAH WEILAND

and NOAH WEILAND
WASHINGTON — Faced with a
steep decline in vaccination rates,
President Biden said on Tuesday
that his administration would
send people door to door, set up
clinics at workplaces and urge
employers to offer paid time off as
part of a renewed push to reach
tens of millions of unvaccinated
Americans.

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But top health experts say that it is simply not enough, and that the president needs to take the potentially unpopular step of encouraging states, employers and colleges and universities to require vaccinations to slow the spread of the coronavirus.

Instead, in a speech on Tuesday, Mr. Biden doubled down on coaxing people to get vaccinated, a voluntary approach that appears to have hit its limit for a large number of Americans who say they have no intention of taking the Stockers of the property of the pro

shot.
"Please get vaccinated now. It works. It's free," Mr. Biden said at the White House. "It's never been easier, and it's never been more important. Do it now for yourself and the people you care about, for your neighborhood, for your country. It sounds corny, but it's a patriotic thing to do."
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### Safety Fears Rattle Florida's Hot Condo Market

and SOPHIE KASAKOVE

SURFSIDE, Fila. — Ines Mason bought the 14th-floor condo in a building perched on an island in Biscayne Bay five years ago as a getaway, lured by the captivating the sun rises, you can see that," she said. "It's amazing."

But after seeing another high-rise similar to her own collapse nearly two weeks ago in nearby Surfiside, suddenly her Florida escape turned into a source of anxiety. She became concerned about the structural integrity of her building, which is about 30 years old. She also worried about the financial return on her investment;

After Collapse, Buyers Reconsider the Lure of Older Buildings

her family had recently contemplated putting the condo on the market and buying a townhouse.

"Should we sell it?" said Ms. Mason, a project manager who lives in Northern Virginia and travels to South Florida several times a year. "Should we not sell it? What should we do? We're kind of just holding on tight and waiting to see."

The partial collapse on June 24

of Champlain Towers South in Surfside has led some owners and potential to the surfside has led some owners and potential to the surfside owners and high-rise buildings in the area, creating uncertainty in an otherwise scorching housing market in South Florida.

Real estate agents across the region are already seeing ripple effects from the disaster.

"No one ever asked about a 40-year recertification before," Ines Hegedus-Garcia, a real estate agent with Avanti Way Realty in Continued on Page A12

ing site, rescue workers learn to save lives in the rubble. PAGE A13

in the history of the nation's largest tily.

The contest, which was called by The Associated Press on Tuesday night, was seen as one of the city's most critical elections in a generation, with the winner expected to help set New York on a recovery course from the economic devastation of Covid-19 and from the longstanding racial and socioeconomic inequalities that the pandemic deepened.

But as the pandemic deepened.

But as the pandemic entered its final months, a spike in shootings and homicides frove public safety and crime to the forefront of voters' minds, and Mr. Adams — the only leading candidate with a law enforcement background — moved urgently to demonstrate authority on the issue.

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Mr. Adams held an 8,400-vote Mr. Adams held and selected and an adams of the selected and selected and an adams of the selected and an adams

offering brief statements that vaguely alluded to their next steps.

The results came after the city's Board of Elections counted an additional 118,000 absentee ballots and then deployed a ranked-choice elimination system — the first time New York has used it in a mayoral election.

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#### Rising Gas Prices Pose Obstacle For Biden's Policies on Economy

By BEN CASSELMAN and CLIFFORD KRAUSS

As the U.S. economy struggles to emerge from its pandemic-in-duced hibernation, consumers and businesses have encountered product shortages, hiring difficul-ties and often conflicting public health guidance, among other

familiar foe: rising oil and gaso-line prices.

West Texas Intermediate, the
U.S. oil-price benchmark, hit
\$76.98 a barrel on Tuesday, its
highest level in six years, as
OPEC, Russia and their allies
again failed to agree on production increases. Prices moderated
later in the day but remained

nearly \$10 a barrel higher than in mid-May.

Reflecting the increase in crude prices, the average price of a galion of regular gasoline in the United States has risen to \$3.13, according to AAA, up from \$3.05 a month ago. A year ago, as the coronavirus kept people home, gas cost just \$2.18 a gallon on average. The auto club said on Tuesday that it expected prices to increase and her 10 to 50 cents through the electronic Aluginary and the properties of the properties of the continued on the U.S. economy, which was already experi
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After Covid Spring, Life in Limbo

Sumit Chaurasia, left, is working again at the Taj Mahal, but nothing is back to normal. Page A4.



### Pastor's Borrowed Words Expose Shortcut in the Preaching Life

By RUTH GRAHAM

The similarities in the sermons are unmistakable.
"I don't hink I've given you this before," the pastor in North Carolina tells his congregation. He goes on to list "five selfs" that signify hostility to God: self-will, self-glory, self-gratification, self-right-eousness and self-sufficiency. Cut

to an older pastor in Alabama, at a lectern a year later: "Let me give you five selfs," he says. He rattles of the visual selfs, the says. He rattles of the visual selfs, the says. He rattles of the visual selfs with the says that year the says has racked up thousands of views online in recent days, partly because the two men are not just any church leaders: The first, who delivered his sermon in 2019, is J. D. Greear, the departing president of the Southern Baptist Con-

Plagiarism Accusations Fuel Wider Debate

vention. The other is Ed Litton, who was elected as Mr. Greear's successor just a couple of weeks ago by a thin margin at an unusu-ally contentious meeting. His ser-

mon was delivered in 2020 and did not credit Mr. Greear.
Mr. Litro's crites are calling it "sermongate."
And the dust-up has revealed a dirty little secret of the preaching life: Many pastors borrow from one another in the pulpit, and the norms around the practice are fuzzy at best.
Over the past week, anonymous Continued on Page A12



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The Carters' 75-Year Bond

Through wins, losses and a presidency, Jimmy and Rosalynn Carter's marriage has been a constant. PAGE A8

#### New York Acts on Shootings

Gov. Andrew M. Cuomo declared gun violence an emergency and committed almost \$139 million to fight it. PAGE A10

Backlash to U.K. Migrant Plan

Immigrant rights advocates in Britain swiftly condemned a plan to house asylum seekers offshore, which they say violates international law and is impossible to carry out.

#### Militant Acts in Hong Kong

activists say Beijing's crackdown on dissent is fueling radical ideas. PAGE A6

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omen are distilling, blending and shaping the industry. Above, Marlene Holmes and Heather Greene with the Milam & Greene distillery. PAGE DI



#### REMAINS OF THE U.S. INVASION

A woman and child in Kandahar, Afghanistan, pray in May at the graves of some of those killed when the U.S. led the initial attack on the Taliban-ruled country in 2001. Two decades later, Afghanistan is a sore spot for President Biden. **PERSPECTIVES, A2** 

'You can't widen freeways forever.... At the end of the day, what do you want society to look like?

### O.C. streetcar named Desire? Not so much

Following decades of resistance, a light-rail project is slated for completion in 2023.

By Hannah Fry

As metropolitan areas ound California were around California were building urban rail systems over the last few decades, one was a notable holdout: Orange County. San Jose, Sacramento, San Diego and even the North Bay constructed rail

San Diego and even the North Bay constructed rall lines, adding to bigger systems in the Bay Area and Los Angeles County. But Orange County stuck by the car, constructing an extensive network of toll roads through the booming east and south county areas. Proposals for urban rall systems came and went, falling to generate much support and demonized by critics as a waste of taxpayer money.

But with traffic worsening and rail gaining trac-

tion — particularly among young people — the county is finally about to take a ride, albeit a short one. The OC Streetcar sys-

albeit size and to a the albeit size OC Streetcar system, a \$423-million project slated for completion in 2023, will comprise only six light-rail vehicles and will cover a bit more than four miles, linking the Santa Ana Regional Transportation Center to strip-mall-lined streets near Little Saigon.

While OC Streetcar's development is a milestone, the public's acceptance of it is largely due to its small footprint, experts say. The track is significantly shorter than those of previously proposed light-rail projects. And it's being built in a largely dense and working-class area, away from the county's upscale neighborhoods.

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PRESIDENT BIDEN joins Sen. Rob Portman (R-Ohio), left, and other senators in infrastructure talks outside the White House last month.

### Balancing left and right, Biden walks a high wire

By Janet Hook and Eli Stokols

WASHINGTON — When Joe Biden was running for the Democratic president manufacture of the Democratic president and the manufacture of the Democratic president and the president was a manufacture of the presidency, it is hard to imagine any Democrat better able to walk the political tightrope between the White House and Capitol Hill.

Biden has needed every bit of his experience, policy expertise and personal connections to pursue an audacious two-track approach to advancing

his legislative agenda, negotiating with Republicans while holding his party together in a Congress that Democrats barely control.

It's not clear that Biden will keep his footing. His strategy for advancing both a bipartisan infrastructure bill and a sweeping package of progressive policies that Republicans have vowed to oppose—including family assistance and climate change measures—may collapse, leaving him and his party empty-handed as they head into next year's midterm election.

The maneuvering in the coming weeks and months will test not just Biden's legislative agil-

President's vaccine push
The U.S. enlists doctors' help in boosting COVID vaccinations. NATION, A6

### Britain takes COVID gamble

Nearly all restrictions will be lifted in Eng-land on July 19, but not everyone is celebrat-ing. WORLD, A3

### A Capitol Police office in S.F.

Threats against members of Congres prompt the new out post. NATION, A6

Triple-digit heat to bake region Temperatures could reach 112 degrees in spots this weekend. CALIFORNIA, B1

Weather Partly sunny. L.A. Basin: 85/68. Be



### AN AMERICAN HERO IN IRAN

Long after his death, Nebraskan is still revered for his role in nation's revolution

By Omid Khazani and Nabih Bulos

TABRIZ, Iran — Fervent cries of "Death to America," endless castigations of the "Great Satan" and frequent comparisons to dogs and pigs — Iran's leaders rarely have a good word for the U.S. But there's one American who to this day is revered in the Islamic Republic, and who even has his own statue in this northwestern Iranian city: Howard C. Baskerville.

He was a young idealist from Nebraska who came here to teach and ended up fighting — and dying — in Iran's first revolution, an uprising against an oppressive monarchy that he found similar to America's own



SAAYA HEIDARI'S brand of knives honors Howard C. Baskerville, "the American Lafayette of Iran."

nation's revolution
quest for independence.
More than a century later,
many still call Baskerville
"the American Lafayette of
Iran" and invoke his name in
hopes of a return to a time
when their country and the
U.S. were friends, not foes.

"His popularity never
stops growing," says Mohsen Rahimi Qazani, a
teacher and a Baskerville
fan in Tabriz.
"In the hearts and minds
of our people, he's a true
saint with all the virtues a
classic Persian hero should
have: standing up to oppress
being outnumbered by the
nemy."
That image has made
Baskerville an icon that has
survived the tumult of mod[See Iran, A4]

### **GUNS FUEL DEADLY SURGE** IN L.A.

A violent weekend continues a rise in homicides and shootings in 2021.

By Richard Winton and Priscella Vega

A bloody Fourth of July weekend that left a dozen people dead across Los Angeles accelerated an already troubling increase in homicides and shootings in 2021, with some of the city's poorest communities suffering the heaviest toll.

Homicides are up 25% so far this year across Los Angeles, although the brunt of the increase has been felt in Soilt Los Angeles, and the same time last year. Shootings a same time last year. Shootings to the same time last year. Shootings citywide, meanwhile, have spiked by half this year. Police and community activists are bracing for tough months ahead as the summer traditionally brings with it a rise in bloodshed.

As with the COVID-19 pandemic, the rise in violence has not been spread evenly in Los Angeles, Watts, Westmont, downtown Los Angeles, Westlake and other largely poor neighborhoods have endured much of the upheaval, though there have been some exceptions. The Los Angeles Police Departing last year. It now has at least 10.

"Black and Latino communities are suffering." said

time last year. It now man wheast 10.

"Black and Latino communities are suffering," said Najee Ali, a community activist.

The worrisome trend is playing out in cities other [See Homicides, A8]

### Mapping county's language diversity

Locator highlights Indigenous residents often wrongly viewed as Spanish-speaking.

By Leila Miller

It's not the kind of Los Angeles County map people expect to see.

Instead of geographic markers, it shows languages.

The Pico-Union and Weight and the people are areas light up with red and green dots for households that speak Oaxacan Zapotec and Mayan Kiche'. Blue dots pepper Long Beach for Chinantec speakers, also from Oaxaca.

CIELO, a local organization whose Spanish acronym stands for Indigenous Communities in Leadership, collected the data during the COVID-19 pandemic to try to bring greater attention to Latin American Indigenous Communities in Leadership, collected the data during the COVID-19 pandemic to try to bring greater attention to Latin American Indigenous Communities in Leadership, collected the data during the COVID-19 pandemic to try to bring greater attention to Latin American Indigenous Communication to these language barriers because miscommunication, or failing to provide an interpreter, can have dire consequences.

"We do exist," said Odilia Romero, co-founder of CIELO, who came to L.A. at

BUSINESS INSIDE: Pentagon cancels a cloud-computing contract with Microsoft. A10

### Howard tops UNC for '1619' iournalist

Nikole Hannah-Jones, Ta-Nehisi Coates accept posts in big recruiting win

### BY LAUREN LUMPKIN AND NICK ANDERSON

Journalist Nikole Hannah-Jones said Tuesday she would join the faculty of Howard Uni-versity, turning down an offer to teach at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill after a long and remarkably contentious effort to recruit her there. In another recruiting win, Howard also announced that au-thor and alumnus Ta-Nehisi Coates would join the faculty of the prominent historically Black

Coates would join the faculty of the prominent historically Black institution in the nation's capital. The announcements came less than a week after trustees for UNC-Chapel Hill voted to award tenure to Hannah-Jones. Initially, the public university hired her as a professor without the job-protection status. But its board of trustees approved tenure for her last Wednesday, after faculty members and students at Chapel Hill protested that she had been mistreated.

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In an interview Tuesday on "CRS This Morning," Hannah-Jones said declining to join the UNC faculty was "not a decision I wanted to make." The Pulitzer Prize winner said she believed a decision about tenure was delayed decision about tenure was delayed.



Ta-Nehisi

Teachers union chief: Will defend teaching "honest history." A24





### Fighting covid-19 and disbelief

ABINGDON, VA. — The hospital executives at the lectern called her a hero, and the struggle that had earned Emily Boucher that distinction showed on her face: in the pallor acquired over 12-hour shifts in the intensive care unit, the rings beneath eyes that watched almost every day as covid-19 patients gasped for their final breaths.

The pandemic had hit late but hard in the Appalachian highlands — the mountainous region that includes Southwest Virginia and Northeast Tennessee — and over the winter many of its victims had ended up on ventilators tended by Boucher and her fellow nurses at Johnston Memorial Hospital.

They were enduring the traumas known to ICU workers across the world: days filled with death, night suined by dreams in which they found themselves at infected patients' bed-sides without masks. But they were also enduring a trauma that many doctors and nurses elsewhere were not: the

When many saw the virus as a hoax, an Appalachian community's ICU nurses had to wage a two-front war



nthony Church, top, ends a visit to his aughter, Hannah Church, 25, above, o daugnter, Hannan Church, 25, above, on June 16 as she recovers from covid-19 at Johnston Memorial Hospital in Abingdon, Va. ICU nurse Emily Boucher assists Hannah.

suspicion and derision of those they risked their lives to protect.

Conspiracy theories about the pandemic and lies recited on social media — or at White House news conferences — had penetrated deep into their community. When refrigerated trailers were brought in to relieve local hospitals' overflowing morgues, people said they were stage props. Agitated and unmasked relatives stood outside the ICU insisting that their intubated relatives only had the flu. Many believed the doctors and nurses who elsewhere were praised for their sacrifices were in fact conspiring to make money by falsifying covid-19 diagnoses.

Boucher and her colleagues were

covid-19 diagnoses.

Boucher and her colleagues were pained by those attacks — and infuriated by them. Unlike their exhaustion, that anger rarely showed on their faces, but they often felt it: as they scrolled Facebook to see local ministers saying God was greater than any virus, or stood in line with unmasked grocery shoppers who joked loudly about the SEE NURSES ON AS

### Square one for JEDI contract

### AMAZON OBJECTED TO MICROSOFT DEAL

Further delays in cloud computing for military

BY AARON GREGO AND JAY GREENE

AND JAY GREENE

The Pentagon scuttled its massive cloud-computing contract on Tuesday, opting to restart a process Microsoft won twice rather than be drawn any further into a years-long legal drama with Amazon that had no end in sight.

In canceling and replacing the 10-year, \$10 billion contract, the Defense Department will move away from the winner-take-all guidelines that drew protests from such rivals as Oracle and IBM as early as 2018, before the bids were due. A new contract will be started from scratch, on which both Microsoft and Amazon can bid.

The reversal ends a tortuous

The reversal ends a tortuous legal battle over the 2019 contract replete with allegations of interference by President Donald Trump. Amazon alleged that he improperly influenced the outcome to retailate against its founder, Jeff Bezos, who owns The Washington Poot and the Washington Foot Though it leads the world in weapons development, surveillance technology and the like, it has long lagged the private sector in the computing realm. The result is that innovations built on eloud computing — available to the smallest businesses or anyone with a smartphone— are anyone with a smartphone—

able to the smallest businesses or anyone with a smartphone — are not being fully realized by an institution that spends more than \$700 billion a year in taxpayer funding to ensure it has the most SEE CONTRACT ON A17

### The office is back. But it may never be the same.

BY ELI ROSENBERG

LOS ANGELES — Just past the ping-pong table, in front of the kombucha tap and around the ful-ly stocked snack bar, an executive bounds over to a couple of people who have just set foot in an office for the first time in more than a

year.

"Are you shaking?" he asks. The visitors are confused. His outstretched hand solves the mystery. Handshakes are back from the dead, against all odds. Hugging, too. And small talk, about the weather — Is humidity good for curls?— or the snacks. Is blue or yellow Gatorade better? — is thriviter.

This is office life in summer 2021, the sort-of-maybe-hopeful-ly-but-probably-not-ending stage of the pandemic, at least here at the headquarters of Wpromote, a SEE RETURN ON A18





As workers have returned to Wpromote's Los Angeles-area office, they are finding some pandemicera time capsules — such as calendars untouched and plants un-watered since March 2020.

### Police scrutinized after rough boardwalk arrests

AND OVETTA WIGGINS

OCEAN CITY — A year before video of the violent arrests of six Black teenagers in this Maryland resort town went viral, spurring calls for reform and demands for an investigation, a police lieutenant grabbed a White man who was shouting insults at officers and punched him in the face.

The Ocean City Police Department said the lieutenant's actions were "within policy" that day on the crowded boardwalk, where the population swells with nearly 8 million visitors each year and officers on foot and bicycle are charged with maintaining a "family friendly atmosphere."

But on many summer days and nights, the atmosphere is decidedly unfriendly, with police —

some veterans, some freshly trained — enduring taunts and name-calling from beachgoers and sometimes resorting to violence in confrontations over in-fractions like drinking in the street, trespassing or vaping on

lence in confrontations over infractions like drinking in the street, trespassing or vaping on the boardwalk.

Records released by the department show its officers use force a couple hundred times a year during arrests that are concentrated in the summer season. Policing experts say such confrontations illustrate the importance of descalation techniques, especially in today's charged law enforcement environment. While limited, publicly available data shows the violent arrests in Ocean City have involved Black and White civilians, with a disproportionate percentage of use-of-force incipercentage of use-of-force in

### IN THE NEWS



Need for speed D.C. remote-control racing enthusiasts have found a course and a community during the pandemic. B1

Weather woes Wind and rain from Hurricane Elsa made search efforts increasingly difficult at the collapse site in Surfside, Fla. A3

THE NATION Smugglers are taking Smugglers are taking advantage of uneven enforcement policies to convert sections of the U.S. border into designated entry lanes for specific nationalities and demographic groups, data shows. A4

House Democrats war, erats warv

of a Senate bill to combat economic and national curity threats from China are taking their China are taking their own approach. A5 Eric Adams, who aimed his appeal at blue-collar workers, was projected the winner in the New York City Democratic mayoral primary. A24

### THE WORLD In its first big test, Isra-

In its first big test, Israel's diverse coalition fractured in a vote on extending a law on Palestinian families. All Beijing is painting a rosier picture of the prospects of a stalled E.U.-China investment pact that fell apart this year over the treatment of Uyghurs. Al2

An American corporate An American corporate

An American corporate lawyer was sentenced to prison in Hong Kong for assaulting a police officer in 2019 during prodemocracy protests. A12 A second Indian activist accused of plotting against the government

was found to be the vic tim of a hacker who planted evidence. A14

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newsletter platform ex
emplifies a strategy so
critics think should be illegal — purposefully losing money to crush rivals. A16

With the Federal Re-With the Federal Re-serve poised to raise rates sooner than expected, economists worry about how it will affect the developing world. Als The software firm at the center of a major ransomware attack said the back affected be-

en 800 and 1,500 small business

### THE REGION

Charges were dropped against six who recruited linguists for work in Af-ghanistan and had been accused of helping them cheat on skills exams. B1 Completion of the Silver Line to Washington

ver Line to Washington Dulles International Airport may miss a Labor Day deadline, officials said. B!

The Maryland gubernatorial primary race could be one of the most expensive in state history, analysts say. B!

A 76-year-old woman whom officials accused of violating a condition of her release from federal prison by failing to return phone calls was orturn phone calls was or-dered released. B3

### INSIDE



Be a supper star There are a lot of cooking techniques to master, but these tips and tricks will have you broiling, braising, frying and more in no time. **E1** 

#### Phoning it in

We are in the era of the no-effort filibuster, far from the swashbuckling efforts of yesteryear. **C1** 

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### Europa también busca su campeón: Italia, finalista

Una fabulosa definición de Jorginho (foto) cerró la serie de penales con la que Italia derrotó a España; el duelo por la Euro será ante Inglaterra o Dinamarca, que juegan hoy. Deportes, página 4



#### CULTURA POP. DE PATRICIO REY AL CERDO DE PINK FLOYD

—espectáculos

Mascotas, imágenes y figuras que se volvieron tan célebres como los grupos de rock que las impusieron y siguen teniendo vigencia.

### FUNDACIÓN PROA, UNA MUESTRA VISUAL DESTINADA AL OÍDO

-cultur

Desde mañana se podrá visitar una exposición que, tanto en su contenido como en su armado, tiene características inéditas y originales. Página 21

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## El Gobierno anunció que ahora avanzará contra el grupo de empresas de Macri

EMBESTIDA. Lo confirmó el procurador Zannini, tras la quiebra de Correo Argentino

El Gobierno anunció que tras la declaración de quiebra del Correo avanzará ahora sobre el grupo Socma, que es el holding empresario de la familia Macri. El expresidente Mauricio Macri había denunciado que el Gobierno buscaba "venganza" y dañarlo a través de sus hijos, que fueron accionistas de Socma.

que fueron accionistas de Socma. El anuncio de la embestida contra la empresa de la familia Macri corrió por cuenta del ideólogo de la estrategia jurídica del kirchnerismo, Carlos Zannini, procurador del Tesoro.

El funcionario, quien acompañó a Cristina Kirchner como secretario legal y técnico, dijo ayer que luego de que la Justicia Comercial decretó la quiebra de la empresa Correo Argentino ahora pedirán extender ese proceso al controlante de la firma, que es el grupo Socma, de la familia Macri.

El holding había ofrecido pagar el total de la deuda acreditada en la Justicia, pero el Gobierno lo rechazóy pidió la quiebra. "Noes justicia, es persecución y venganza", escribió Macri el fin de semana y, al día siguiente, la jueza Marta Cirulli dispuso la quiebra de Correo Argentino. Página 12

#### **EL ANÁLISIS**

La Justicia, al servicio de la persecución

Joaquín Morales Solá

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### Por el cepo a la carne, prevén una caída en la producción

RESTRICCIONES. Esperan también una merma en las exportaciones

Elcepoalacarnevacuna impuesto por el Gobierno reduciria la oferta neta de carne un 5,6% en 2021 con relación al año pasado, según estimaciones del sector ganadero. En tanto, por las restricciones impulsadas con el objetivo de frenar la inflación, se perderían US\$556 millones en divisas en momentos de necesidad de reservas internacionales. Página 17

### Martínez, el héroe que llevó a la Argentina a la final

-deportes

Los tres penales que atajó Emiliano Martínez en la definición del partido, tras un sufrido empate 1-1 con Colombia, llevaron a la Argentina a la final de la Copa América. Será el sábado, en Río, ante Brasil.



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### El régimen de Ortega detuvo al sexto candidato

NICARAGUA. Es el líder campesino Medardo Mairena

CARACAS (Para la Nacion).— El régimen de Daniel Ortega continuó ayer la ola de represión sostenida que mantiene desde hace meses en Nicaragua. Estavez fue la detención delsexto precandidato presidencial para los comicios de noviembre,

Medardo Mairena, y de varios líderes estudiantiles que encabezaron las protestas de 2018 contra el gobierno. La Casa Blanca condenó los arrestos y la Unión Europea evaluará hoy nuevas sanciones contra Managua. Página 9

### Vuelos: evalúan subir el cupo de pasajeros por día

VARADOS. Ampliarían el límite de 600 ingresos

El Gobierno mantendrá las restricciones a los vuelos internacionales, aunque evalúa aumentar el cupo de 600 pasajeros diarios que impuso el último decreto de necesidad y urgencia. Ayer, el primer encuentro entre el Gobierno y la

Asociación de Transporte Aéreo Internacional (IATA, por sus siglas en inglés) por las restricciones resultó fallido y terminó sin acuerdo. La reunión solo duró 10 minutos y no estuvieron los máximos responsables. Página 2

### Aplicaron en junio segundas dosis llegadas en enero y febrero

Sucedió con el componente 2 de Sputnik V, sobre el que hay alta demanda

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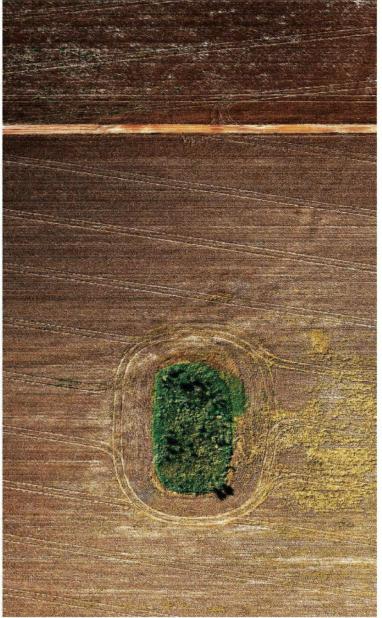


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da Copa América contra o Brasil

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Crocs deixa de ser meme e se torna um icone fashion em meio à pandemia

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#### População com 18 anos ou mais\*

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### **EDITORIAIS A2**

Fiéis na corte Sobre indicação de Bolsonaro para vaga no STF.

Custoso anacronismo Acerca de pensões vitalíci-as para filhas de militares.

Folha errou ao não

ligar vacina vencida

a falha no sistema

Reportagem que apontou a aplicação de milhares de doses vencidas de vacina

falhou ao desconsiderar possíveis erros de dados no sistema. Desde então, algumas cidades constata-

ram o uso de imunizante

expirado, e outras, proble-mas de registro. saúde B2

Gregorio Duvivier

Homem comum,

presidente gosta

de crime comum

Ilustrada B14

## SP tem indício de transmissão local da variante delta

Homem infectado com cepa mais temida do coronavírus diz não ter viajado, o que indica contágio comunitário

O homem de 45 anos que se tornou, anteontem, o pri-meiro caso confirmado em São Paulo de infecção pela variante delta, a mais conta-giosa do novo coronavírus, diz não ter deixado o país. Com isso, a Coordenado.

Com isso, a Coordenadoria de Vigilância em Saúde da prefeitura declara ter in-dícios de que já ocorra a chamada transmissão comunitária da variante na cidade. O caso é investigado.

"Segundo avaliações pre-liminares, ficou constatado que existem indícios de que se trata de uma transmissão comunitária, que é caracte-rizada na impossibilidade de identificar a origem da infecção", afirma o órgão.

O paciente estava traba-lhando em casa, não viajou ao exterior e alega não ter mantido contato com ninguém que tenha estado re-centemente fora do Brasil.

Ele buscou atendimento em 19 de junho com sin-tomas leves. Sintomáticos, mulher, filho e enteado que vivem com o paciente tam-bém são monitorados. A transmissão comunitá-

ria, se confirmada, aponta para disseminação maior do que o suposto. saúde BI

Vinicius Torres Freire Aceleração com só 1 dose gera controvérsia A16

#### Bolsonaro fala em indicar Mendonça ao Supremo

Jair Bolsonaro declarou ontem durante reunião ontem durante reunião ministerial que pretende indicar André Mendonça, chefe da AGU (Advocacia-Geral da União), para a vaga no Supremo Tribunal Federal a ser aberta com a aposentadoria do ministro Marco Aurélia Mella pue appolera lio Mello, que completa a idade limite de 75 anos em 12 de julho. Poder AS

#### Pantanal é alvo de ameaça tripla além do fogo

PANTANAL SITIADO

Com um terço destruído por incêndios no ano pas-sado, o Pantanal não es-tá acossado apenas pelas chamas. O bioma é alvo de um tripé de ameaças, for-mado por hidrelétricas, desmatamento e agrotó-XICOS. Ambiente B4 e B5

### Barros é acusado de simulação financeira para ocultar R\$ 2 mi

A Receita Federal acusa Ri-cardo Barros (PP-PR), líder do governo na Câmara, de ter montado "engenharia" com empresas para simu-lar operações financeiras e não ter comprovado origem de depósitos bancários que somam R\$ 2,2 milhões. O Fisco impôs ao deputa-do uma multa de 150% sobre o valor do imposto devido. Alvo da CPI da Covid, ele ne-ga irregularidades. Poder A4

Saúde cita enganação por sócia da Precisa na gestão do agora deputado AS



Não há nenhum fato novo que justifique, que tenha alguma ligação direta com o presidente

Arthur Lira (PP-AL) sobre pedidos de impeachment Poder A8

#### País vê 4,3 mi a mais vivendo com até R\$ 275 ao mês

Brasileiros que vivem com Brasileiros que vivem com renda domiciliar per capi-ta do trabalho de até 25% de salario mínimo em regi-ões metropolitanas foram de 20,2 milhões para 24,5 milhões em um ano, indi-ca estudo PUC-RS com Ob-servatório das Metrópoles o Ped/ODS AI servatorio. e RedODSAL, Mercado A16

#### Plano do governo prevê venda de 100% dos Correios

O plano elaborado pelo Ministério da Economia para nistério da Economía para a privatização dos Correios prevê a venda de 100% da estatal, afirmou o secretário da pasta Diogo Mac Cord. A Câmara deve 
votar até agosto o projeto 
que quebra o monopólio 
da empresa. Mercado A14



#### EM CANNES, SPIKE LEE CHAMA BOLSONARO DE GÂNGSTER

Cineasta americano (no centro), que preside o júri do festival, com os demais membros, inclu-indo Kleber Mendonça Filho (à dir.), durante a cerimônia de abertura do evento Ilustrada B13

Câmara quer vetar a divulgação de pesquisa eleitoral

Espanha tem atos após morte de gay nascido no Brasil

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# Fears 10 million may face summer isolation as Covid-19 cases surge

Alarm grows over risk to health and economy as restrictions are scrapped

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Two million people could get Covid-19 this summer, potentially meaning 10 million isolating in a period of six weeks, a Guardian analysis shows, prompting alarm over risks to health and disruption to the economy.

Sajid Javid, the health secretary,

said yesterday that England was entering "uncharted territory" in its wholesale scrapping of lockdown rules from 19 July. New infections could easily rise above 100,000 a day over the summer, he said, more than at any point in the pandemic.

Javid announced that anyone who had been double-vaccinated would not have to isolate after coming into contact with a confirmed Covid-19 case from 16 August, with under-18s also exempt. The rule for adults applies at least 10 days after their second dose. Anyone who has caught Covid must still isolate by law.

The Guardian understands

ministers were warned that waiving the requirement for contacts to isolate immediately on 19 July would result in cases being up to 25% higher than waiting another four weeks.

But the decision to wait before dropping the self-isolation rule, combined with soaring cases amid further unlocking, has triggered growing concerns over the toll of long Covid and chaos for businesses forced to close by staff absences.

A decision on travel rules is set to be made today, with ministers reportedly favouring a policy that would take effect before August to waive quarantine rules for

The government is hell-bent on ditching restrictions in one go'

Munira Wilson Lib Dem health spokesperson

double-vaccinated passengers from

amber-list countries to England. UK Hospitality called for extra measures to protect a sector where 60% of workers are aged 16-34 meaning many will not have been double-vaccinated by mid-August.

causing "carnage" even at existing infection rates, the trade body said.

Ministers accept a rise in cases is inevitable as the country unlocks but argue the pace of vaccination means it will not be accompanied by significant hospitalisations or deaths. The latest official data show the number of people who are in hospital with Covid has increased by 38% in the past week to 1,988 - the fastest rate of increase since last October, however.

Downing Street also regards a summer reopening as less potentially risky than delaying until the autumn when it could



▲ Bibaa Henry, 46, and Nicole Smallman, 27, in a still taken from footage found on Bibaa's phone. It shows the sisters in Fryent Country Park in Wembley where they were stabbed to death in June 2020 by Danyal Hussein, 19. He will be sentenced at the Old Bailey in September PHOTOGRAPH: METROPOLITAN POLICE/PA

ered Hussein underwent "a form of radicalisation" in terms of exposure to occult material on the so-called dark web.

They also believe he would have gone on to kill more women if he had not injured his hand when he murdered the sisters,