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- Biden hailed the "unity and resilience" of the American people as he commemorated the 20-yea anniversary of Sept. 11. A3
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- Senate Democrats proposed tighter tax rules on partnerships and an excise tax on stock buybacks, as lawmakers look to plug gaps in their healthcare, education and climate legislation. A4
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- A Facebook's WhatsApp said it would extend encryp-tion on the messaging ser-vice to backups of chats shared on the platform when they are stored on Apple and Google's cloud services. B1
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- ◆ Brian Robbins, the head of ViacomCBS's Nickel-odeon, is expected to take over as chairman and CEO of the company's Para-mount movie studio. B3
- ◆ Yahoo said it named digital-media veteran Jim Lanzone as its new chief executive. B3
- ◆ Disney said the remainder of its films set to be released this year will be shown ex-clusively in theaters first. B12
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9/11 Victims Honored With Tribute of Light on Attacks' 20th Anniversary



rer Manhattan on Friday to mark the 20th anniversary of the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attacks. President Bio

Biden Defends Vaccine Stance As Businesses Digest Mandate

WASHINGTON-President WASHINGTON—President Biden defended his sweeping new vaccination mandates to deal with the Covid-19 pan-demic, as businesses worked to understand the rules and Republicans attacked them as

Republicans attacked them as overreach.
Mr. Biden and first lady Jill Biden traveled Friday morning to Brookland Middle School, 4 miles northeast of the White House. Responding to GOP

criticism, he said scientists supported his plans and that Republicans who have fought against mask rules and other pandemic restrictions were being "cavalier" with the health of children and their communities. "We're playing for real here. This isn't a grame" Mr. Biden said.

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eral contractors. The rules would apply to roughly 100 million workers, or two-thirds of all workers in the U.S. As of Friday, nearly 65% of the U.S. adult population was fully vaccinated.

Mr. Biden's six-part plan, which also includes efforts to improve access to testing and make Covid-19 treatments more widely available, comes amid a surge in infections and an increase in hospitalizations and deaths, the vast majority of them among the unvacci-

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nated.
The coronavirus has killed more than 655,000 Americans, according to data from Johns Hopkins University, with the recent seven-day average of reported deaths about 1,500 a day, according to a Wall Street Journal analysis of Johns Hopkins data.

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kins data.
The White House had previously shied away from vaccine
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Change in Covid-19 cases pe 100,000, by age group, end of August from end of July

50 100 150 cases

Ordered To Relax **Payment** Rules

Apple

In mixed verdict, judge gives developers new ways to get paid but leaves App Store intact

By TIM HIGGINS

Apple Inc. must loosen its restrictions on how developers can seek payment within their apps, a federal judge ruled Friday, but she left the tech giant's powerful App Store in place as the only way to download programs to iPhones and iPads.

U.S. District Judge Yvonne Gonzalez Rogers rejected efforts by Epic Games Inc. to force Apple to let programs be downloaded outside of the confines of the App Store.

Instead, she gave the "Fortnite" videogame maker a partial victory, saying Apple can't block developers from sending users outside the App Store to make payments related to apps. Apple had already begun to loosen those rules due to a separate class-action suit and an antitrust probe in Japan.

"The Court does not find that Apple is an antitrust mo-Please turn to page A4

Schools Rewrite Virus Policies on the Fly

Delta variant prompts new strategies; 'It's as chaotic as you can get.'

In Dallas public schools, mandatory tem-

In Dallas public schools, mandatory temperature checks are out, while mask requirements are in. Seattle added more options for students to eat lunch together to promote so-calization. And on Thursday, Los Angeles decided its eligible public-school students must be vaccinated for in-person classes.

Last year, Covid-19 shut down schools around the nation, forcing a largely failed experiment in remote learning and angry stand-offs among teachers and parents over returning to schools. Now, the majority of the country's 51 million school-age children are returning to class in the midst of a coronavirus resurgence, compelling districts to re-

think their strategies. Schools are writing and rewriting pandemic policies for faculty and students from the moment they walk in the door, including where and how they interact, requirements for masking and testing, and the best ways to support students' mental health.

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health.

For the most part, districts are left to come up with their own rules—a challenge that has grown trickier with the spread of the Delta variant. Pediatric Covid-19 hospitalizations have grown sharply since July, and doctors are bracing for more cases. Some school districts are also contending with state mandates that require masks, or that ban mask requirements. Vaccines aren't approved for Please turn to page AII

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After a complaint, Colorado high school agrees to call island a province of China

CAR TROUBLE he auto dealership faces new trends in buying and selling vehicles. **B1**

Trying to give students a taste of students a taste of foreign affairs, Colorado's Regis Jesuit High School applied for creden-tials to attend the United Nations United Nations
Commission on the
Status of Women.
This spring, the
U.N. committee that accredits

The U.N. logo

such groups emailed the school. It said there was a hiccup: Regis Jesuit's website used incorrect terminology for Taiwan, the democratically governed island. The committee suggested saying "Taiwan, Province of China."

Beijing has long Please turn to page AII

Bullish Mood Wanes, Stocks Drop for Week

The S&P 500 index slumped to its worst weekly showing since February, with a broad pullback Friday highlighting investor concerns about a volatile fall ahead.

Stocks remain close to record highs but have retreated in September after steadily climbing for much of the summer. Many investors say they are closely watching the Federal Reserve's plan to slow its bond purchases later this year as the central bank scales

down the easy-money policies that helped drive the S&P 500 to more than 50 fresh highs

that neped arrive the SSET 300 to more than 50 fresh highs this year.

After a blockbuster earnings season and speedy economic recovery this year, some analysts have said that the peak in economic growth may have passed. The latest jobs report showed that U.S. hiring slowed sharply in August as the surging belta variant hampered the economic recovery. Many businesses have curtailed travel, and a measure of consumer senti
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Inside the cult of crypto

How the world of digital currency diehards really works



Epic victory deals payment blow to Apple

- App Store fee is 'anti-competitive' Fortnite creator decries '30% tax'
- PATRICK MCGEE SAN ERANCISCO

Apple's iron grip on its App Store has been loosened by a US federal Judge who has ordered the IPhone maker to stop interfering with apps that wished to take payments outside of its store. The tech group, which charges a 15-30 per cent fee on payments it processes, has forbidden apps from including links, or even informing their customers, that they can subscribe or buy digital items outside the App Store, for example through a website. Youne González Rogers, US district Judge, said its conduct was "anti-competitive" and "permanently" injuncted Apple from stoopping apps

competitive" and "permanently" injuncted Apple from stopping apps from including "buttons, external links or other calls to action that direct cus-

or other calls to action that direct customers to purchasing mechanisms, in addition to in-app purchasing."

Apple shares fell 2.5 per cent.

The ruling came in response to a law-suit filed by Epic Games, the maker of Fortnite, last year. Epic had introduced changes to Fortnite to bypass the App Store payment system, prompting Apple to block the game.

Tim Sweeney, Epic's chief executive, called Apple a monopolist and told CNBC that "if every developer could accept their own payments and avoid the 30 per cent tax by Apple and Google

we could pass the savings along to all our

we could pass the savings along to all our consumers and players". But the judge said she could not conclude that Apple was a monopolist. she said it would not be impossible to demonstrate that Apple operated an Illegal monopoly, but "Epic Games failed in its burden to demonstrate" this. She said that while the \$100bn gaming market was "ripe for economic exploitation", Epic had "over-reached". She also rejected Epic's demand that customers could bypass the App Store by sideloading apps, and said she did not find that Apple's commissions were a violation of competition law.

Sweeney said after the verdict that it was not a victory for developers or consumers. He said Formite would return to the IPhone when "Epic can offer in app

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the IP-hone when "Epic can offer in-app
payment in fair competition with Apple
in-app payment". Apple this month
offered a concession to developers of
"reader apps" such as Netflix and Spotify, letting them include links to their
own websites to bypass App Store fees.
But gaming apps — roughly three-quarters of App Store revenue — were conspicuously absent from the new deal.
Apple, which welcomed the judge's
comment that "success is not illegal",
did not say whether it would appeal
against the verdict.

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The Tribute In Light shines into the sky from Lower Manhattan, two decades after the 9/11 terrorist attacks on the US. FT View & Notebook, page 6

Women's style special



Olaf Scholz

Merkel's would-be heir OPINION



Jancis Robinson Cool Catalans

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Travel writer Colin Thubron has Lunch with the FT

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K-pop band is latest to feel heat from Chinese crusade

A recent Belling clampdown on fans of a member of Korean boy band BTS is a member of Korean boy band BTS is part of a crusade that has targeted several key entertainers and includes a broadside against the supposed refeminate fashion choices of men. But experts contend that the authorities' chief fear is the fain groups' propensity for effective social action as China embarks on a reassertion of party and state control across the technological, business and cultural landscape.
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Washington risks Beijing anger over proposal to rename Taiwan's US office

DEMETRI SEVASTOPULO — WASHINGTON KATHRIN HILLE — TAIPEI

The Biden administration is moving towards allowing Taipei to change the name of its representative office in Washington to include the word "Taiwan", a move likely to trigger an angry response from Beijing.

response from Beljing.

Multiple people briefed on US discussions sald/Washington was seriously considering a request from Talwan to change the name of its mission in the US capital from "Taipel Economic and Cultural Representative Office". Crearly to "Talwan Representative Office".

Kurt Campbell, White House Asia adviser, has backed the change, according to two people with knowledge of the talks. One sald the request had support inside the National Security Council and from state department Asia officials. A

final decision has not been made and would require President Joe Biden to sign an executive order. Changing the name of the office would anger China, which views Talwan as part of its sovereign territory, and pile more pressure on fraught relations between Washington and Beiling. The US and Talwanses governments did not comment on Taiwan's request. But the Chinese embasse; in Washington

But the Chinese embassy in Washington said that it "firmly opposes" any US offi-cial interaction with Taiwan.

dal interaction with Talwan.

In July, Taiwan opened an office in
Lithuania called the "Taiwanese Representative Office". China recalled its
ambassador to Vilnius and told Lithuania to recall its ambassador to Beijing.
Biden on Thursday held his second
call with Chinese leader XJ Jinping since
becoming president in an effort to break
an impasse in the Sino-US relationship.

The White House said that the two leaders had a "broad, strategic discussion" and that Biden had "underscored the United States" enduring interest in peace, stability and prosperity in the Indo-Pacific and the world.

Taiwanis a source of tension between the two powers. One person involved with the request to change the name of Taiwan's mission in Washington said Taipei made a formal request to the Biden administration in March.

Senior US and Taiwanese officials

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Senior US and Talwanese officials were set to hold a round of sensitive talks known as the "Special Channel" in Maryland yesterday.

The meeting, which has been kept under wraps to avoid antagonising Beijing, will mark the first time that the Biden team has engaged in high-level, in-person talks with Taiwan.

Biden calls XI page 2

World Markets

STOCK MARKETS				CURREN	CIES					INTEREST RATES			
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S&P 500	4483.55	4493.28	-0.22	\$ per €	1.183	1.182	£per\$	0.722	0.722	US Gov 10 yr	149.45	1.34	0.02
Nasdaq Composite	15222.55	15248.25	-0.17	\$ per £	1.386	1.385	€per£	1.171	1.172	UK Gov 10 yr		0.66	0.02
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After the death of U.S. troops last month, 13 new flags were added at the Global War on Terror Memorial near Shanksville, V

A WAR RAGES ON IN THE SHADOWS

Afghan Exit Didn't End Fight With Extremists

By MARK LANDLER
When President Biden told an
exhausted nation on Aug. 31 that
the last C-17 cargo plane had left
Taliban-controlled Kabul, ending
two decades of American military
misadventure in Afghanistan, he
defended the frantic, bloodstained
exit with a simple statement. "I
was not going to extend this forever war."

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And yet the war grinds on.

As Mr. Biden drew the curtain on Afghanistan, the C.I.A. was quietly expanding a secret base deep
drone flights to monitor Al Qaeda
and Islamic State militants in Libya, as well as extremists in Niger,
Chad and Mali. The military's Africa Command resumed drone
strikes against the Shabab, a
Qaeda-linked group in Somalia.
The Pentagon is weighing
whether to send dozens of Special
Forces trainers back to Somalia to
have been a send of the send of the
Even in Rabul tiseff, a fiery
drone strike on men believed to be
Islamic State plotters targeting
the airport portended a future of
military operations there. The attack, which the Pentagon called a
"righteous strike" to avert another deadly suicide bombing,
showcased America's "over-thehorizon" capabilities, to use anfamily members denied that the
men being targeted were militants and said the strike killed 10
people, seven of them children.
Twenty years after the terrorist
attacks of September 2001, the socalled war on terror shows no sign
of winding down. It waxes and
wanes, largely in the shadows and
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In Shanksville, a Field of Flags for All the Fallen

By CAMPBELL ROBERTSON

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SHANKSVILLE, Pa. — When
the plane crashed in the empty
field north of town, the schools let
out early. Katlin Rodriguez, 11 at
the time, waited in a cafeteria full
of crying and shocked classmates
for her mother and stepfather to
come and take her home. When
they showed up, they had brought
along a family friend. "Don't
worry," said the friend, a teenager
who announced he had just enlisted. "We're going to get them.
We're going to get them.
We're going to get to ones who
did this."
On a muggy Friday morning 20

did this."

On a muggy Friday morning 20 years later, Ms. Rodriguez, now the wife of a Marine and the mother of a 6-year-old girl, was planting American flags in a small field not far from where Flight 93

Where Flight 93 Went Down, Memorials Beyond 9/11

went down outside Shanksville,
Pa. About a dozen people were
with her, each flag they planted
research had died in
the wars that were waged since
that late summer morning in 2001.
"Alot of the kids! went to school
with, they enlisted," Ms. Rodriguez said, looking out across the
field. "It made a lot of us feel more
connected to the larger world."
By the time that the plane went

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By the time that the plane went
own in Pennsylvania, the larger
orld was already reeling. The

streets of downtown Manhattan were filled with dust clouds and terror, as the South Tower of the World Trade Center had just collapsed. In Washington, federal officials and city residents were bracing for more attacks as flames the Pentagon. People across the country sat in shock in front of their televisions, waiting to hear what institution might be hit next. Unlike the Pentagon or the World Trade Center, Somerset Country, Pa., was not a target on Sept. II, only a place that Flight 93 was passing over on the way to the strength of the World Trade Center, Somerset Country, Pa., was not a target on Sept. II, only a place that Flight 93 was passing over on the way to the strength of the World Trade Center, Somerset Country, Pa., was not a target on Sept. II, only a place that Flight 93 was passing over on the way to the strength of the World Parket of Sept. Predens of Shanksville, a tiny town without a traffic light, because they wanted to be near the levers of global Continued on Page A12



Emma Raducanu, 18, left, and Leylah Fernandez, 19, will meet for the U.S. Open title. Page B11.

Evidence Disputes U.S. Claim of ISIS Bomb in Kabul Drone Strike

This article is by Matthieu Aikins, Christoph Koettl, Evan Hill and Eric Schmitt.

Schmitt.

KABUL, Afghanistan — It was
the last known missile fired by the
United States in its 20-year war in
Afghanistan, and the military
called it a "righteous strike" — a
drone attack after hours of surveillance on Aug. 29 against a vehicle that American officials
thought contained an ISIS bomb

and posed an imminent threat to troops at Kabul's airport.

But a New York Times investigation of video evidence, along with interviews with more than a dozen of the driver's co-workers and family members in Kabul, raises doubts about the U.S. version of events, including whether explosives were present in the vehicle, whether the driver had a connection to ISIS, and whether there was a second explosion after

Analysis of Video Casts Doubts About Events

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the missile struck the car.
Military officials said they did
not know the identity of the car's
driver when the drone fired, but
deemed him suspicious because
of how they interpreted his activities that day, saying that he possi-

bly visited an ISIS safe house at one point, loaded what thought could be explosive

thought could be expiosives mu-the car.

Times reporting has identified the driver as Zemari Ahmadi, a longtime worker for a U.S. aid group. The evidence, including ex-tensive interviews with family members, co-workers and wit-nesses, suggests that his travels that day actually involved trans-Continued on Page A6

Biden's Orders Deepen Conflicts Over Vaccines: G.O.P. Vows Legal Fight

Die Without Shots

By APOORVA MANDAVILLI and RONI CARYN RABIN Just a day after President Biden issued broad mandates aimed at encouraging American workers to get vaccinated against the coronavirus, federal health officials released new data showing that unvaccinated Americans are 11 times as likely as vaccinated people to die of Covid-19.

Three large studies, published on Friday by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, also highlighted the effectiveness of the shots at preventing infection and hospitalizations with the virus.

highlighted the effectiveness of the shots at preventing infection and hospitalizations with the viruse. Research underscored a deep conviction among scientists that vaccine hesitancy and refusal have prolonged the pandemic. The administration's new plan should stem the flood of infections and return the country to some semblance of normalcy in the long term, several experts said in interviews.

"It's going to fundamentally shift the arc of the current surge," said Dr. Ashish Jha, dean of Brown University School of Public Health. "It's exactly what's said Dr. Ashish Jha, dean of Brown University School of Public Health. "It's exactly what's considered the said of the sa

times as likely to die of Covid.
The cumulative data have made
it clear that the nation cannot
hope to end the pandemic with
some 37 percent of Americans not
having received a single dose of
Covid vaccine, researchers said.
Cases and hospitalizations are
only expected to rise as Americans move indoors into homes,
schools and offices in the fall.
That is why scientists generally
welcomed the Biden administraContinued on Page 417

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11 Times as Likely to | President Tells Rivals to 'Have at It'

This article is by Jack Healy, Richard Fausset and J. David Goodman. President Biden's orders pushing millions of workers to get vaccinated were aimed at turning the tide on a pandemic that has killed 650,000 Americans. But on Friday, the mandates immediately deephe

he mandates immediately deep-ened the nation's political divi-sions over coronavirus vaccina-tions and government power.

Some employers and business groups welcomed the sweeping new requirements, which affect most federal employees and con-tractors, health care workers, and companies with 100 or more em-ployees. Labor unions represent-ing millions of workers expressed a mix of support and reservations. ing millions of workers expressed a mix of support and reservations. And Republican leaders issued outright condemnations, calling the mandates a big-government attack on personal freedoms and private business.

private business.

News of the mandates
prompted Gov. Henry McMaster
of South Carolina to say he would
fight Mr. Biden and his party "to



Gov. Kristi Noem of South Dakota pledged a challenge

Dakota pledged a chairenge.

the gates of hell."

Several Republican governors vowed to go to court to challenge the constitutionality of the rules that affect two-thirds of American workers, setting the stage for one of the nation's most consequential legal battles over public health since Republicans sued to overturn the Affordable Care Act.

"@JoeBiden see you in court," Gov. Kristi Noem of South Dakota wrote on Twitter.

The triple of the department of the properties of the set of the peat threats as he visited a Washington middle school to urge parents to get shots for their vaccine-eligible children. "Have at it," he said.

The mandates represented an aggressive change of posture for the administration, which had re
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Ruling Loosens Apple's Grip On Billions From App Store

By JACK NICAS and KELLEN BROWNING

By JACK NICAS and I
A federal judge on Friday
struck a serious blow to Apple's
control of its App Store, giving
companies a way to avoid handing
Apple a cut of their app sales and
potentially upending a \$100 billion
online market.

Apple counts on revenue from
its App Store to fuel its expansive
profits, and the decision could eat
away at that money. It was a damaging loss for the company, which
is facing increasingly pointed
questions from regulators and politicians around the world about
its business.

Over the last month, regulators
in Japan and South Korea have

in Japan and South Korea have forced Apple to tweak how it man-ages the App Store. In the United States, the Justice Department has opened an antitrust investiga-

tion into the business. The Senate introduced antitrust legislation aimed at promoting app store competition after a House committee said last year that "Apple exerts monoply power in the moest competition after a House committee said last year that "Apple exerts monoply power in the moest competition of the said and the said in the said in



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Buffalo Soldier in Bronze

West Point unveiled a statue of a Black soldier riding a stallion, a tribute to the famed Black cavalry. PAGE A20

Power Plan Didn't Pan Out

A plant built to quickly restore electrici-ty in New Orleans after a storm didn't perform as some expected. PAGE A18

Lebanon Forms a Government The billionaire Najib Mikati's new cabinet is the country's first in more than a year. It faces the immediate challenge of a collapsing economy. PAGE AS

Israel Captures 2 of 6 Fugitives

The inmate escape this week was seen as a rare humiliation of the country's security establishment. PAGE A8

National Spirit

The post-9/11 patriotism at sporting events can be a source of division, but leagues want it to stay. PAGE B8



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Met Opera Hums With Activity

More Turmoil at MOCA

Klaus Biesenbach, the artistic director of the Museum of Contemporary Art in Los Angeles, is leaving for Berlin. PAGE C5

Pay Problem for Google

The tech giant realized months ago that it could be running afoul of the laws on wages for temp workers, but internal documents show that it has been slow to fix the problem.

It Finally Pays to Be on Time

For decades, regular payments to a landlord haven't counted for much for many tenants trying to get a mortgag Fannie Mae aims to change that, our PAGE B1

Charles M. Blow





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9/11: 20 YEARS LATER



For Pentagon burn survivors, pain and thankfulness endure

t the Pentagon that Tuesday morning, many stopped what they were doing to watch television coverage from New York — the astounding sight of one plane, then another, exploding into the twin towers World Trade Center. It was shocking and

But they did not have long to dwell on it But they did not have long to dwell on it.
Just minutes later, at 9:37a.m., American Airlines
Flight 77 barreled into the west side of the Pentagon.
One hundred eighty-four people were killed, along
with five hijackers. Scores were injured. Among the
casualties were seven men and women with burns
that scorched much of their bodies and left them
suffering in the intensive-care burn unit of Washington Hospital Center.

One died within days. The others underwent surgery after surgery. They lost patches of hair, whole fingers, parts of ears, swaths of skin. When they emerged from a blur of agony and treatment, their lives were changed — physically, emotionally, practically — as the nation itself was transformed by the terrorist attacks that left nearly 3,000 people dead in New York, Pennsylvania and Northern Virginia. Four of the burn survivors, interviewed by The Washington Post for this story, have each charted a distinct course, holding up against seizing pain, physical limitations and debilitating trauma. They have marked 20 years.

Louise Rogers, 69, seen at home in Rome, N.Y., on Aug. 24 with her dog, Millie, suffered grave burns at the Pentagon on Sept. 11, 2001, her second day working there.

Beneath NYC's terrible smoke, a flash of bright yellow

After the shroud rolled over the day, I remember just one dash of color in the pall, a smear of bright yellow. It was an old Schwinn steel-frame racing bicycle, and it moved like a canary in the smoke. The bike, like all bikes, was an escape, the ability to get somewhere under your own power, fast, to carve turns and pick your own lane through obstacles. But it represented something else too, that bike, as indefinably sweet as a wildflower growing in the sidewalk.

The first tower was hit at 8:46 a.m., and had I not worn the spouse's sandals and forgotten where I put them, we would have been near the foot of it. Instead, the shoe argument made us late coming back from a long weekend, and we hit heavy traffic on an expressway. We came around a curve, and I said, "What the hell are those chimneys burning?"



Biden's arc on war: From enthusiastic supporter after 9/11 to strident critic in recent years. A15 Due process: Judge in major 9/11 trial says terrorists should be tried in U.S. civilian court. B1

Vaccine mandate sharpens covid's dividing lines

BUSINESS COMMUNITY'S REACTION IS MIXED

Biden responds to GOP lawsuit threats: 'Have at it'

BY RACHEL SIEGEL. ELI ROSENBERG, HAMZA SHABAN AND ANNABELLE TIMSIT

The Biden administration's at-

The Biden administration's attempt to compel private companies to require vaccinations or rigorous testing drew stern rebukes from conservatives Friday, split the business community and raised new questions about the federal government's ability to carry out such a massive mandate.

Republican governors from Texas to Missouri to Georgia have threatened to fight back against the move to force companies with more than 100 employees to require coronavirus vaccinations or regular testing. Texas Gw. Greg Abbott (R) called the mandates "an assault on private businesses" and said the state is "already working to halt this power grab."

The employer mandates, which the White House estimates could reach as many as 80 million people, or two-thirds of U.S. workers, would be the most extensive government intervention into private companies and employer practices since the pandemic began. The plan, announced Thursday, comes as the highly contagious delta variant of the coronavirus has led to a surge of more than 150,000 new cases a day, mostly among the unvaccinated, while also weighing on the economy.

Companies that ignore the policy could face penalties of up to \$14,000 for each violation, according to a senior administration official. Also, companies would be required to give workers paid time off to get vaccinated.

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Federal workers: Confusion over how mandate will be enforced. A6

Biden shifts strategy when persuasion fails

BY ANNIE LINSKEY

President Biden's initial ap-proach to the pandemic did not include widespread vaccine man-dates, a policy that some advisers and public health officials wanted but that was viewed as a step too

Bit that was but far.

Biden instead tried to persuade people hesitant to get a coronavirus vaccine, making reasoned arguments and emotional pleas to try to win them over while embracing requirements in limited circumstances.

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circumstances.
His aides said the government's
role was to advocate for vaccinations, not mandate them, as they
maintained hope that the vaccine
skepticism stoked by misinformation on social media, conservative
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3 CDC studies underline shots' efficacy

BY LENA H. SUN AND JOEL ACHENBACH

People who were not fully vacci-nated this spring and summer-were more than 10 times more likely to be hospitalized, and 11 times more likely to die of covid-19, than those who were fully vac-cinated, according to one of three major studies published Friday by the Centers for Disease Control and Provention that highlight the

the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention that highlight the continued efficacy of all three vaccines amid the spread of the high-lycontagious delta variant.

A second study showed that the Moderna coronavirus vaccine was more effective in preventing hospitalizations than its counterparts from Pfizer-BioNTech and Johnson & Johnson. That assessment

Federal judge orders change in Apple App Store practices

Landmark ruling allowing rival payment options may spread antitrust ripples

BY REED ALBERGOTTI

A federal judge fundamentally altered Apple's App Store business model on Friday in a landmark ruling that accused the iPhone maker of illegal anticompetitive behavior and is likely to have ripple effects across the U.S. antitrust landscape.

landscape. In a decision on an antitrus. landscape. In a decision on an antitrus: lawsuit brought by Fortnite maker lawsuit brought by Fortnite maker Fortnite Games, U.S. District Judge Wome-Gorzalez Rogers ruled that Apple must a decision and payment of the to steer customers to alternative to the tech giant's payment pro-cessing service, which collects a 30

percent fee on most digital trans-actions. That was previously not allowed by the company, and marks a major victory for develop-ers, which have long complained of the tight grip the tech giant main-tains on its App Store in the rough-ly one billion iPhones currently in

use. Onzalez Rogers also found that Apple was in violation of California state competition laws because of the way it forces developers into using Apple's payment processing service without allowing them to tell customers there are alternatives, which are often cheaper. She stopped short of ruling in fawor of Epic's claims that Apple is a monopolist, although she left the door open by suggesting more evidence could have changed her decision.

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The best of the season's offerings in classical music, pop music, art, theater and dance. But with uncertainty already playing a role, our preview is as much wish list as A-list. Arts & Style



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Guedes admite que barulho de Bolsonaro prejudica economia

Indagado por investidores internacionais sobre crises, ministro diz que ações não cruzaram limites, só palavras

Oministro Paulo Guedes ad-Oministro Paulo Guedes ad-mitiu, no fim de uma sema-na de queda nos mercados brasileiros, que a forma co-mo o presidente Jair Bolso-naro alimenta constante-mente uma crise institucio-nal pode a crise institucional pode ter efeito daninho

sobre a economia do país.
"Isso pode produzir muito barulho, desacelerar o crescimento", afirmou a investi-dores internacionais, acres-centando que não mudará o rumo da política econômica.

Guedes, que vinha mini-mizando o impacto das de-clarações golpistas do chefe do Executivo, fez a afirma-ção ao ser indagado a res-peito do efeito da instabili-dade sobre os investidores.

Reconheceu que o nível de "ruído" está alto e disse que o presidente "pode ter passa-do dos limites com palavras, mas não com ações". Defen-deu, ainda, que a carta à na-ção emitida na véspera põe "tudo de volta aos trilhos".

Apesar dos alertas de ana-listas e investidores sobre Bolsonaro, que nesta semana ameaçou desobedecer o Supremo Tribunal Federal, o ministro tem relutado em reconhecer a deterioração.

Projeções de crescimento foram revisadas para baixo, e as de inflação, para cima. Os discursos desta semana derrubaram a Bolsa e elevaram o dólar, além de porem em xeque a agenda econô-mica do governo. Mercado p. 1

Na falta de AstraZeneca, SP terá Pfizer na 2ª dose

Governo diz que dará o imunizante da Pfizer, que chegou a faltar ontem na capital, a quem deveria tomar AstraZeneca de 1º a 15 de setembro. saúde B2

Com avanço da delta, SP teme alta de internações

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Cristiano Ronaldo faz até sol brilhar em Manchester B6

Um em 7 alunos de 13 a 17 anos relata violência sexual

Pesquisa do IBGE aponta que um em cada sete estu-dantes (ou 14,6% dos alu-nos) de 13 a 17 anos já so-freu alguma forma de vi-olência sexual. Os dados, que se referem a 2010 in. que se referem a 2019, in-dicam que a agressão atin-ge 20,1% das meninas e 9% dos meninos. Cotidiano B4

ENTREVISTA Arminio Fraga Presidente é

'fera ferida e acuada' e não vai parar

Para Arminio Fraga, diante dos baixos índices de apro-vação, Jair Bolsonaro deve tornar constantes os ata-ques à democracia, o que tende a afetar a recupera ção da economia, retrain-do investidores, elevando taxas de juros e pressio-nando o dólar e a inflação.

"Do ponto de vista eco-nômico, é absolutamente paralisante", afirma o economista, ex-presidente do Banco Central. Mercado p. 4

Medo de perder aliados motivou nota de Bolsonaro

Segundo assessores do Planalto, o temor de per-der o apoio de partidos ali-ados no Congresso foi cru-cial para que Jair Bolsona-ro buscasse o ex-presiden-te Michel Temer (MDB) e publicasse o "Declaração à publicasse a "Declaração à Nação", que irritou apoia-dores de sua base. Poder A4

Sinto que é coisa do passado Michel Temer sobre ataques do presidente ao STF A10

O que Bolsonaro disse 'no calor do momento' Poder A12

Ou o chefe desse Poder [Fux] enquadra o seu [ministro] ou esse Poder pode sofrer aquilo que nós não queremos em 7.set.2021 a apoiadores em Brasília

Alexandre de Moraes, esse presidente não mais cumprirá. [...] Sai, Alexandre de Moraes, deixa de ser canalha, deixa de oprimir o povo brasileiro em 7.set.2021 a apoiadores na av. Paulista, em SP





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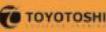
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Les prix du gaz n'en finissent pas de grimper

La forte reprise en Asie a provoqué une hausse de la demande et des prix du gaz, qui ont plus que triplé en dix-huit mois. Avec une reprise plus tardive, l'Europe a eu du mal à retrouver sa place dans le circuit des livraisons. Ce phénomène se répercute sur les prix payés par les consommateurs. PAGES 20 ET 21



Xavier Bertrand cherche à rassurer Les Républicains

Le président des Hauts-de-France a passé un grand oral devant les députés LR réunis à Nîmes. Ex-LR, candidat à l'élection présidentielle, il a proposé à son ancien parti un pacte de «dialogue» et de «respect», même s'il refuse toujours de se plier à une primaire. PAGE 11

Dans le secret des résidences présidentielles

Élysée, Brégançon, la Lanterne : pour la première fois, un beau livre permet d'entrer dans l'intimité de ces demeures réservées au président de la République. Lieux de travail, de réception, de repost de vie tout simplement, elles reflètent aussi le goût de leurs prestigieux occupants. PAGE 28

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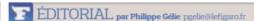


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11 Septembre: en vingt ans, la menace djihadiste a-t-elle reculé?

PASCAL GUYOT/AFP



Ground Zero

e nouveau millénaire n'en était qu'à ses balbutiements quand, traçant une ligne de sang et de cendre dans un ciel d'été indien, dix-neuf pirates de l'air ont fait basculer l'Amérique et le monde dans une nouvelle guerre. Une guerre planétaire contre l'idéologie islamiste, barbarie maquillée en mission divine et qui en veut à l'humanité entière, musulmans compris. Une guerre sans fin contre des terroristes impossibles à vaincre tant qu'il s'en trouve un pour reprendre le couteau ou la ceinture explosive de l'autre. Mais nous sommes tout aussi invincibles qu'eux, car aucun de leurs assauts, même les plus terribles, n'a d'impact sur nos convictions et nos valeurs. Sinistre et vain combat qui prendra fin un jour, peut-être, de guerre lasse...

En attendant, il nous est interdit de baisser la garde. Vingt ans après le 11 septembre 2001,

and un jour, peur-etre, de guerre lasses. En attendant, il nous est interdit de baisser la garde. Vingt ans après le 11 septembre 2001, alors que les àmes bienveillantes se recueillent dans le souvenir poignant de l'effondrement des tours jumelles de New York, nous sommes toujours confrontés au même mal. Après deux invasions, un califat tortion-naire finalement anéanti, l'élimination de Ben Laden et d'al-Baghdadi et la métastatisa-

tion des conflits du Moyen-Orient à l'Afrique, le monde en est exactement au même point - Ground Zero. Les talibans reprennent le pouvoir à Kaboul, l'Amérique épuisée se retire du champ de bataille et, en France, «tous les voyants sont au rouge», disent les responsables de l'antiterrorisme. Que la justice passe, comme au procès des auteurs de la L'Amérique tuerie du 13 novembre 2015 à Paris, ou qu'elle

L'Amérique épuisée se retire du champ de bataille tuerie du 13 novembre 2015 à Paris, ou qu'elle s'enlise dans les oubliettes de Guantanamo, cela ne change rien pour ces soldats de la haine. Ils sont en guerre contre ce que

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guerre contre ce que
nous sommes, nos actes importent peu.
Leur glorieux «djihad» contre des civils innocents a certes révélé nos vulnérabilités, mais aussi nos forces. Il nous plonge dans un choc des civilisations qu'il ne saurait être question de
perdre. En vingt ans, nous avons appris que nos
sociétés sont assez puissantes pour affronter le
virus islamiste, à l'intérieur comme à l'extérieur,
pour peu qu'elles acceptent le combat. Nos seules
défaites sont celles que nous nous infligeons à
nous-mêmes, par faiblesse ou par inconstance.

COMMUNIQUÉ

11 Septembre 2001.

Il y a peu de dates qui ont un tel pouvoir, tristement créateur d'une communauté de souvenirs au-delà des frontières et des âges.

Le 11 septembre est de ces dates-là.

Coïncidence de l'Histoire, débutait il y a quelques jours en France le procès des attentats du 13 novembre. Comme un appel à la vigilance, un rappel que la victoire du combat contre l'obscurantisme mené depuis vingt ans est loin d'être acquise.

Lorsque j'ai relancé Les Entretiens de Royaumont il y a dix-huit ans, notre souhait était d'en faire un haut-lieu de la liberté de penser, de s'exprimer, de s'arrêter et réfléchir, de partager, de débattre, d'être en désaccord, de chercher la contradiction, de ne pas craindre la complexité.

C'est pourquoi Les Entretiens de Royaumont tiennent aujourd'hui à rendre hommage aux victimes du World Trade Center et à toutes les victimes du terrorisme, ainsi qu'à toutes celles et ceux qui s'élèvent contre l'uniformisation de la pensée et contre les menaces aux libertés; et font résonner les mots de Victor Hugo

« Je ne fléchirai pas! [...] Liberté, mon drapeau! [...] Je serai, sous le sac de cendre qui me couvre, La voix qui dit: malheur! la bouche qui dit: non! [...] Si l'on n'est plus que mille, eh bien, j'en suis! Si même Ils ne sont plus que cent, je brave encore Sylla; S'il en demeure dix, je serai le dixième; Et s'il n'en reste qu'un, je serai celui-là! »

> Jérôme Chartier Président des Entretiens de Royaumont

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GPs 'struggling to guarantee safe care'

Exclusive

Andrew Gregory Health editor

GPs are "finding it increasingly hard to guarantee safe care" for millions of patients as a shortage of medics means they are unable to cope with

soaring demand, Britain's top family doctor has warned.

Amid a debate over access to faceto-face appointments, Prof Martin Marshall, chair of the Royal College of GPs (RCGP), defended the growing use of remote consultations during the pandemic. He said a 4.5% fall in GPs across England was to blame for the crisis in primary care and warned it was leading to the risk of mistakes.

In 2015, the government vowed to hire 5,000 more GPs within five years. Instead, the figure has fallen. The number of family doctors working the equivalent of full-time hours fell by 1,307 to 28,096 between September 2015 and March 2021, according to an analysis of NHS data by the RCGP, with growing numbers quitting because of burnout early and late in their careers.

At the same time a growing and ageing population with complex conditions, in addition to an overall increase in demand for care, means GPs are cracking under the pressure of unsustainable workloads, Marshall said. As a result, overworked family doctors are fearful of making serious mistakes or missing crucial signs of potentially life-threatening conditions.



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