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World-Wide

After 100 days, the war being waged by Russia against Ukraine is turning into a bloody slog with no end in sight, causing moun ing devastation in Ukraine and prolonged costs around the world. A1, A8

- **Federal prosecutors charged Peter Navarro with contempt of Congress for defying a subpoena from the Jan. 6 panel, as the DOJ said it wouldn't bring similar charges against two other former Trump advisers. A4
- ◆ Former hedge fund executive David McCormick conceded to celebrity doctor Mehmet Oz in Pennsylvania's GOP Senate primary. A4
- ◆ A bipartisan group of House and Senate leaders announced broad agreement on establishing online-pri-vacy rights for Americans, in a big step forward for the long-delayed legislation. A4
- A Chinese-owned company bought an obscure chip fac-tory in Britain last year. Af-ter the U.S. made it clear it opposed the purchase, the U.K. initiated a probe that could unwind the deal. A9
- Novavax's vaccine was 90% effective at preventing Covid-19 in its pivotal trial, but the performance came before the emergence of the Omicron variant that has eluded. vaccines more than earlier strains, the FDA said. A3

Business & Finance

- ◆ U.S. job growth cooled slightly in May, adding to signs the economy is start-ing to lose some steam af ing to lose some steam af-ter its rapid recovery last year. Employers added 390,000 jobs, a robust in-crease but down from a gain of 436,000 in April and below the monthly average pace of growth last year. AI, A7
- U.S. stocks dropped in the wake of the jobs report, with the S&P 500, Nasdaq and Dow losing 1.6%, 2.5% and 1%, respectively. All three indexes declined 0.9% or more for the week. B1
- ◆ Amazon's consumer CEO, Dave Clark, disclosed plans to leave the company, bringing an end to the tenure of a key executive behind a massive warehouse and logistics expan-sion during the pandemic. B3
- Supply-chain problems
 led Boeing to recently
 pause production of its
 737 MAX aircraft for about
 10 days, people familiar
 with the matter said. B3
- The Stellantis unit for-merly known as Chrysler is merly known as Chrysler is paying \$300 million for conspiring to defraud fed-eral regulators and custom-ers about vehicle emissions U.S. authorities said. B3
- Bristol-Myers Squibb said it would acquire biotech company Turning Point Ther-apeutics for \$4.1 billion. **B3**

NOONAN The Uvalde Police Scandal A15





se in the village of Andriivka in Ukraine's Kyiv region on Friday. After 100 days

After 100 Days of War, Ukraine Girds for a Long, Bloody Grind

on Ukraine is turning into a bloody slog with no end in sight, causing mounting devas-tation in Ukraine and prolonged

By Marcus Walker, Daniel Michaels and Michael R. Gordon

costs world-wide.

The biggest conflict between European states since World War II has undergone swings of fortune that offer a reminder of war's unpredictability. The failure of Russia's early blitzkrieg fueled Ukrainian confidence

that is ebbing as Russia con-centrates its firepower on a narrower, grinding advance.

On Friday, Russian forces were on the move behind heavy artillery barrages in eastern Ukraine's Donbas region, where they have slowly gained ground, sending tens of thou-sands of civilians fleeing.

Ukrainian President Vo-lodymir Zelensky marked 100 days of war with a somber but defiant video message: "The armed forces of Ukraine are here. Most importantly, our people—the people of our na-

defending our country for 100 days already. Victory will be ours! Glory to Ukraine!"
Many Western governments fear a destructive stalemate looms, with Russian President Vladimir Putin and Ukraine's defenders locked in a struggle they both view as existential. Around 6.9 million Ukrainians have left the country since the war began, according to the United Nations, with Poland alone receiving 3.7 million, although some are returning home. Millions more Ukrainians have been displaced internally by the Russian onslaught. The

invasion has devastated cities in Ukraine's east, including Mariupol, where at least 22,000 residents were killed during the weekslong Russian siege, according to local officials.

Ukrainian and international investigators are gathering evidence of possible war crimes in areas where Russian troops killed and mistreated civilians. Kyiv has accused Moscow of Please turn to page 48

Josh Zumbrun: Ukraine faces staggering population loss.. A2 Last trains leave with Donbas

Growth In Jobs Market Extends Streak

Slower pace of gains suggest economy may be cooling off; wages rose 5.2% in May

EXCHANGE



Rivian's great expectations meet the harsh reality of manufacturing. **B1**

CEOs Gauge the Warnings As Economic Winds Shift

Over the past week, busi-ness leaders have laid out in the starkest terms yet that a period of universal strength in the U.S. economy has given

By Chip Cutter, Nick Timiraos and Sam Goldfarb

way to a muddled outlook in which a labor shortage, soar-ing stock markets and a healthy consumer are no lon-ger givens. Technology companies from Facebook parent Meta Plat-

forms Inc. to Uber Technologies Inc. have sharply slowed hiring in recent weeks, and Elon Musk told staff at Tesla Inc. this past week that he plans to cut 10% of its salaried jobs.

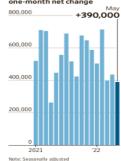
Retailers such as Walmart Inc. and Target Corp., whose profits soared in the pandemic, reported that higher costs had begun to eat into earnings and that some shoppers were beginning to curtail spending. In recent weeks, stores that struggled with too little inventory last year because of supply bottlenecks

have reported that they are carrying more apparel, appli-ances and furniture than con-

ances and furniture than consumers want.

"That hurricane is right out there down the road coming our way," JPMorgan Chase & Co. Chief Executive Officer Jamie Dimon said this past week.
"We just don't know if it's a mi-

"We just don't know it it's a mi-nor one or superstorm Sandy. You have to brace yourself." At the same conference, Bank of America Corp. CEO Brian Moynihan had a more tempered outlook, saying his Please turn to page A6



'Wizard of Oz' Dress Is Not In Kansas, It's in Federal Court

Dispute over Dorothy's gingham frock has university and donor's heir in a twist

My pretty

Colleges take in plenty of notable donations from prominent benefactors. A big check here. An art collection there. The delivery of a culturally significant dress to Catholic University in Washington, D.C., though, has turned into a major wardrobe malfunction.

The donation, one of the blue-and-white gingham costumes donned by

Judy Garland in the 1939 classic
"The Wizard of Oz," is off to see
a federal courthouse, in
a legal dispute that also
involves a deceased
priest, his niece and the
auction house Bonhams.
The battle centers on
who can fairly claim
ownership of the frock,
and whether Catholic
University and Bonhams
should be allowed to
auction it. The feuding
parties are set to face
off in court next week.
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Russian Sanctions Signal End Of Free Trade in Energy

Geopolitical calculations are starting to rule market, raising costs

Russia's attack on Ukraine is redrawing the world's energy map, ushering in a new era in which the flow of fossil fuels is influ-enced by geopolitical rivalries as much as supply and demand.

By Christopher M. Matthews in Houston, Summer Said in Dubai and Benoit Faucon in London

Over the past half-century, oil and natural gas have moved with relative freedom to the markets where they commanded the highest prices around the world. That ended abruptly when Russian tanks rumbled across the Ukraine border on Feb. 24, triggering a

barrage of trade sanctions by the U.S. and Europe targeting Russia that have plunged global commerce into disarray.

This week, the European Union agreed to its toughest sanctions yet on Russia, banning imports of its oil and blocking insurers from covering its cargoes of crude.

Whatever new order emerges won't be fully clear for years. But traders, diplomats and other experts in energy geopolitics generally agree that it will be more Balkanized, and less free-flowing, than what the world has seen since the end of the Cold War.

Three likely axes of energy influence are emerging: the U.S. and other Western na-Please turn to page A12

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A view of London's St Paul's Cathedral during the jubilee service

US jobs growth beats expectations

Biden cheers 'historic' gains
 Retail sector is sole laggard
 Inflation remains a threat

COLBY SMITH - WASHINGTON

The US economy registered solid jobs growth in May, despite employers grap-pling with a historically tight labour market and policymakers' efforts to cool demand.

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Employers in the world's largest economy added 390,000 jobs during the month, less than the upwardly revised 436,000 positions created during the previous period but more than economists had expected.

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mists had expected.
The jobless rate steadied at 3.6 per
cent, which was only 0.1 percentage
point above the level it stood at in February 2020 before the pandemic spread
globally.
President Joe Biden yesterday touted
the historic nature of the jobs bounce,
with 8.7mn jobs recovered since the

beginning of his administration last year. But he acknowledged the toll imposed by the highest inflation in four decades.

"We've laid an economic foundation that's historically strong, and now we're moving forward to a new moment where we can build on that foundation . . . so we can bring down inflation without sacrificing all the historic gains

without sacrificing all the historic gains we've made," he said.

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, leisure and hospitality was among the sectors to see "notable" gains. More than 80,000 positions were added in May, with an additional 75,000 professional and business-services jobs created. The only sector to see losses was retail, with the number of jobs declining by 61,000.

"This was a very good, Goldilocks

report that so far is consistent with a soft landing," said Ellen Gaske, an econo-mist at PGIM Fixed Income. "These job gains are coming alongside decelerating average hourly earnings, so that sug-gests potentially the economic expan-sion could turn out to be fairly robust."

But top business leaders have warned of a darkening economic outlook. Jamie Dimon, JPMorgan Chase's chief, warned

Dimon, JPMorgan Chase's chief, warned investors this week to brace for an economic "hurricane" owing to the war in Ukraine and rising interest rates.

Yesterday Elon Musik was reported by Reuters to have ordered a hiring freeze and a 10 per cent cut in staff salaries at Tesla, his electric-car group, owing to a "super bad feeling" about the economy. Biden brushed Musik's comment aside when asked, saying that other carmakers were hiring more workers for their



Despite the brighter news for the labour

electric operations. "Lots of luck on his trip to the moon," Biden quipped. "Thanks Mr President," Musk replied on Twitter, pointing to a story about how Nasa had awarded his company SpaceX a \$2.9bn contract to land Ameri-cans on the moon.

The data from the BLS yesterday did The data from the BLS yesterday did show the labour force increasing by \$30,000, but the share of Americans either employed or looking for work, known as the labour force participation rate, was little changed. Economists believe labour-supply issues are starting to ease, helping to explain the moderate pick-up in monthly wage growth.

Average hourly earnings in May rose 0.5 per cent, in line with last month's increase.

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The dark heart of elite dining LIFE & ARTS



steps down from Facebook

When Sheryl Sandberg resigns this autumn as Facebook's chief operating officer she will leave behind a mixed legacy. During her ¼ years ax Mark Zuckerberg's right-hand woman she became one of Silicon Valley's most polarising figures. While she built an image as a female role model who helped grow a \$558bm grow, she is also accused of attempting to conceal controversies over moderation and privacy after the 2016 US election. Entering a new era > PAGE 10

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Defiant Zelensky claims 'victory is ours' 100 days after Putin's invasion of Ukraine

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Ukraine's president Volodymyr Zelen-sky has hailed the survival of his coun-try 100 days into a Russian invasion that has devastated the nation, claimed thousands of lives and threatened global food supplies.

In a defiant video that echoed his rallying cry to the country shortly after Moscow launched an all-out assault on February 24 that at the time targeted

February 24 that at the time targeted him, his government and Kyiv, Zelensky spoke from outside his office in the capital with top aldes at his side.

"The president is here, the armed forces of Ukraine are here. And, most importantly, our people are here," he declared. "We have been defending Ukraine for 100 days. Victory is ours."

His bravado in part reflected fresh

supplies of heavier and longer-range weaponry from the US and European countries. When Russia launched the invasion of Ukraine, western leaders expected the capital to fall within days. While millions of Ukrainians have become refugees and casualties have risen, Zelensky remains in control of the coast-al. But the countries is head for

apital. But the country is braced for a

drawn-out war.
Russia now occupies 20 per cent of
Ukrainian territory in the east and
south of the country, up from
7 per cent previously, and is pressing on
with its proclaimed aim of capturing all
of the eastern Dombas region.
The Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Pielbs, said westerday.

sioner for Human Rights said yesterday that it had recorded 4,183 civilian deaths but warned that "actual figures are considerably higher". This figure does not include combatant casualties.

Zelensky has in recent days said that his country is losing up to 100 soldiers per day. His army estimates more than 30,000 Russian soldiers have been killed, a figure that Russian officials have not confirmed and which could not be independently verified.

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The contrict between the two large agricultural exporters has rocked global grain and vegetable-oil markets. Ukraine accounts for about 10 per cent of global wheat exports and the Russian naval blockade of Ukraine's Black Sea ports has all but halted grain shipme

ports has all but halted grain shipments. Amin Awad, a UN crisis co-ordinator, said yesterday that the conflict risked triggering starvation globally. "Fallure to open those ports will result in famine, destabilisation and mass migration around the world," he said. Russla's 'atroctly factory' page 2 Lawrence Freedman page 7

World Markets

STOCK MARKETS	CURRENCIES								GOVERNMENT BONDS				
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Euro Stoxx 50	3779.00	3795.13	-0.43	¥/E	163,695	162.878	£ index	80.277	90.273	UK 10 yr	2.16	2.16	0.00
FTSE 100	7532.95	7607.66	-0.98	SFr/€	1.032	1.029	SFt/E	1.205	1.294	UK 30 yr	2.41	2.41	0.00
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Nikkei	27761.57	27413.88	1.27	Ethereum		1753		R32.51	-4.29	GER 2 yr	0.64	0.61	0.00
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The New Hork Cimes Late Edition Today, mostly sunny, seasonable, low humidity, high 77. Tonight, clear to partly cloudy, low 60. Tomerrow, unshine and patchy clouds, ligh 78. Weather map appears on Page A26.

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Trumpets, Strings and Solace

of mariachis like Juan Ortiz traveled together from San Antonio to Uvalde, Texas, last week on a musical mission. Page 16.

In Rural Town, Parents and Students Clash Over Mental Health

By ELLEN BARRY

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KILLINGIJ. Conn. — One
evening in March, a high school
senior named Sydney Zicolella
stood before the school board in
this rural, blue-collar Connecticut
town and described her psychiatric history, beginning in the sixth
grade, when she was "by definition, clinically depressed."
Ms. Zicolella, 17, who wore her
dark, curly hair pulled back, is the
third of four children in a devout
Christian family, and the editor of
the newspaper at Killingly High

Shadow Group

For Putin Gets Rich in Sudan

By DECLAN WALSH

AL-IBEDIYYJA, Sudan — In a scorched, gold-rich area 200 miles north of the Sudanese capital, where fortunes spring from desert-hewn rock, a mysterious foreign operator dominates the business. By DECLAN WALSH

Locals call it "the Russian Company" — a tightly guarded plant with shining towers, deep in the desert, that processes mounds of dusty ore into bars of semirefined

School. Many students there were struggling, she told the board. She had seen kids "walked, carried and cradled out of counseling, hysterical, not wanting to go to the hospital, but also not wanting to be sad anymore."

It was not uncommon, she said, for friends to "disappear for It was not uncommon, she said, for friends to a time to be said, for friends to the said, for friends to proposed to be a said to be a said

Tension Over Proposal for Clinic in School

dramatically expand access to care for teenagers.
Convincing the board was a long shot, she knew that. Her own mother, Lisa, 49, who, by her own account, grew up in "the generation of toughing things out," didn't support the clinic.
It wasn't that Lisa entirely disapproved of therapy — when Syd-

ney was in crisis, she scoured northeastern Connecticut in search of a therapist who would take her insurance — but she feared school-based therapists would end up advising teens on matters like gender identity or birth control, which she felt before the shoot of the properties.

." s debate has di gly, and its families, Continued on Page 20

"I do personally believe there's a lot of agendas out there," Lisa said. "And children are very mal-leable." Ukraine Farmer divided Feeds a Village

By CARLOTTA GALL

As Bombs Fall

By CARLOTTA GALL

SIVERSK DISTRICT, Ukraine

One of the few civilians still driving on a road leading toward the battle front, Oleksandr Chaptorism, on a road leading toward the battle front, Oleksandr Chaptorism out the car window to swap information with a villager.

He was taking supplies back to bis village, one of a handful still in Ukrainian hands that lie in the path of the Russian advance.

"We are surrounded on all sides," said Mr. Chaplik, 55, a dairy and livestock farmer. "It is the seconwater, without gas, without communication, without the internet, without news. Basically, horror."

"But people need to eat," he said. "I am a businessman. So I am doing my job."

Mr. Chaplik owns about 75 acres of land near the city of Sievierodonetsk, where Russian and Ukrainian troops have been and Ukrainian troops have been fighting in recent days. The countryside around his farm is under almost constant bombardment by Russian forces trying to encircle the easternmost Ukrainian forces and lay siege to Sievierodonetsk and Lysychansk.

The roar of multiple rocket launcher systems being firedsows and doors of his home.

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4 Laws Might Have Saved Lives in 35 Mass Shootings

Measures in Congress Could Have Thwarted Gunmen, a Times Analysis Finds

This article is by Quoctrung Bui, Alicia Parlapiano and Margot Sanger-Katz.

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If the key gun control proposals now being considered in Congress had been law since 1999, four gunmen younger than 21 wouldn't have been able to legally buy the rifles they used in mass shootings. At least four other assailants would have been subject to a required background check, instead of slipping through a loophole. Ten might have been unable to stead of slipping through a loophole. Ten might have been unable to stead to require or encourage safer gun storage. And 20 might not have been allowed to legally purchase the large-capacity magazines they used to upgrade their guns, helping them kill, on average, 16 people each.

Taken together, those four measures might have changed the course of at least 35 mass shootings — a third of such episodes in the United States since the massar had been under the united States since the massar Colorado, a New York Times analysis has found. Those 35 shootings killed a combined 446 people.

But in a nation awash with guns, the majority of mass killings might have been unaffected — either because assailants obtained their guns illegally or because they were older adults using weapons that wouldn't have been subject to any proposed restrictions.

Congress banned the sale of such guns in 1994, but the law expired 10 years later, and the weapons have since surged in popularity. Weapons covered under the expired ban were used in 30 percenting nearly 400 deaths. In a speech Thursday, President Biden asked Congress to renew the ban.

No law would be guaranteed to stop any one shooting, and America already has more guns than people, leaving a motivated individual with numerous paths to violence. But after recent massacres in Texas and New York Statemitted by 18-year-old men who legally bought military-style rifles, Democrats have made emotional appeals to advance gun-control legislation. "It's time to act," Mr. Biden said Thursday.

Republican leaders have dismissed many of the proposals as unifair or unconstitutional curtailments of law-abiding gun owners they would improve public safety. "We all want to keep children safe in school, but this bill wouldn't do that," the ranking member of the House Judiciary Committee, Jim Jordan of Ohio, said during a hearing on Thursday.

Researchers who study gun violence said that deterring a third of mass shootings would be a subtion's widespread gun ownership." There's no such thing as a perfect, 100 percent effective policy or suite of policies," said Garen Wintender of the House fundicies, said Garen Wintender of the Pourcent effective policy or suite of policies," said Garen Wintender of the Pour of the Pour of the House fundicies, said Garen Wintender of the Pour of the Pour of the House fundicies, said Garen Wintender of the Pour of the Pour of the Pour of the Pour of the House fundicies, said Garen Wintender of the House fundicies of t

Is Casino Plan A Bet to Regret For New York?

By NICOLE HONG

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Before too long, New Yorkers
and the millions of tourists who
visit the city every year may have
a new way to test their luck — and
part with their money — amid the
bright lights and skyscrapers of
Mictown Manhattan: hands of
blackjack or spins of the roulette
the trappings of Las Vegas, down
to the incessant ringing and fluorescent flashing of a sea of slot to the incessant ringing and fluo-rescent flashing of a sea of slot machines.

But whether the city and state ever realize the economic windfall that has been promised is far from certain. Evidence from other urban areas suggests that the tax revenue projections of casino companies often prove to be overstated, and that the economic benefits of casinos fade over time.

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A gold miner in Sudan, where the Kremlin-backed Wagner Group is expanding its operations.

dusty ore into bars of semiretinea gold.

"The Russians pay the best," said Ammar al-Amir, a miner and community leader in al-Ibediyya, a hardscrabble mining town 10 miles from the plant. "Otherwise, we don't know much about them."

In fact, Sudamese company and government records show, the Wagner Group, an opaque network of Russian mercenaries, mining companies and political influence operations — controlled by a close ally for President Vladimir V. Putin of Russia. — that is expanding aggressively across a swath of Africa. Best known as a supplier of hired guns, Wagner has in recent years evolved into a far broader and more sophisticated tool of Kremlin power, according to experts and Western officials tracking its expansion. Rather than a single entity, Wagner has come to describe interlinked war-fighting, moneymaking and influence-ped-

dling operations, low-cost and de-niable, that serve Mr. Putin's am-bitions on a continent where sup-port for Russia is relatively high. Wagner emerged in 2014 as a band of Kremlin-backed merce-naries that supported Mr. Putin's first foray into eastern Ukraine, and that later deployed to Syria. In recent months, at least 1,000 of

The linchpin of Wagner's opera-tions, according to Western offi-cials, is Yevgeny V. Prigozhin, a Russian oligarch known as "Putin's chef" who was indicted in the United States on charges of

INTERNATIONAL 4-15

panding aggressively acrosswath of Africa.

Party Without Guest of Honor

Queen Elizabeth II has been absent at some events of her four-day jubilee, a metaphor for the twilight of Britain's second Elizabethan Age. Prince Charles, her heir, has been standing in for her more frequently. PAGE

Flexing for Trophies in Gaza

Bodybuilding is increasingly popular among Palestinians in the Gaza Strip. But travel restrictions and other obsta-cles as a result of the Israeli blockade make competing a struggle. PAGE

Ridding New Zealand of Rats

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Broadening the G.O.P. Appeal Republicans are recruiting more di-verse candidates to try to reach beyond their core political base in hopes of capturing the House. PAGE 18

SUNDAY STYLES

A Bachelorette Party Bonanza

Clubs, pools and restaurants in Scotts-dale, Ariz., have begun crawling with groups of women belting out songs and only occasionally throwing up. PAGE 8

Art on Top of the World

Shuvinai Ashoona, a star of the Venice Biennale, and other Inuit artists near the Arctic Circle refuse to let isolation stand in their way. PAGE





Swiatek Wins French Open

Iga Swiatek continued her dominance of the women's tennis tour by defeating Coco Gauff in straight sets. PAGE 31

SUNDAY BUSINESS

Twilight of the NIMBY

How a two-decade struggle over the construction of 20 townhomes explains California's housing crisis. PAGE 1

An Unsafe Child at Home

When autistic teens become violent, where should they live? PAGE I





Biden struggles to pilot multiple crises

A president who ran on competency faces doubts as he wrestles with major challenges.

By Eli Stokols and Courtney Subramanian

WASHINGTON — President Biden's virtual meeting last week with industry executives in the South Court Auditorium, a soundstage in the hulking office building adjacent to the White House to the ongoing infant formula shortage.

But it backfired. The scripted event ended up highlighting just how slow the White House was to recognize the problem and underscoring persistent questions about how such a veteran administration has mismanaged major crises, not to mention the president's public appearances.

Whether it is the last-minute scramble to avoid a diplomatically embarrass-ing boycott at this week's Summit of the Americas in Los Angeles or its faulty projections about Inflation and [See Biden, Ali]

COLUMN ONE

Cat-andmouse game of sextortion

FBI agent set out to capture an Israeli who preyed on girls online.

By Michael Finnegan

he target was a 29-year-old recluse who shared a two-bedroom apart-ment in Jerusalem with his mother.

ment in Jerusalem with his mother.

FBI agent Tanaz Korami had been chasing him down for months. If all went as planned, he would soon be locked up in an Israeli jail.

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Photographs by CHRISTINA HOUSE LOS Angeles Time

DEVELOPER Rick Caruso and Rep. Karen Bass, shown at City Hall, both appear unlikely to surpass 50% of the vote on Tuesday to avoid a November runoff in the Los Angeles mayor's race, according to a new poll.

Could a Boudin loss deter reform?

Some fear fate of San Francisco D.A. could set back progressive justice movement.

By Laura J. Nelson, James Queally and Hannah Wiley

SAN FRANCISCO—
Hours after winning election as San Francisco district attorney in 2019. Chesa Boudin stood, beaming, inside a packed dive bar in the Mission District.

"What comes next is critical," said the then-39-year-old public defender, part of the nationwide movement to elect district attorneys who seek to reimagine public safety and redefine the role of a prosecutor. "In many ways, getting here to day was the easy part."

Those words may have proved grimly prophetic for the said of the



MAXWHITTAKER FOR THE TIME
MARKLEEVILLE is the seat of tiny Alpine County, an unusual speck of
Democratic blue on the largely Republican eastern edge of the state.

Blue outlier in the Sierra

Alpine County votes more like California's big cities than its GOP-leaning neighbors. Why?

MARK Z. BARABAK
REPORTING FROM MARKLEEVILLE, CALIF.



Alpine County, perched like an emerald on the second secon

ket, fast-food restaurant or shopping mall anywhere in its 743 square miles. The only stoplight is temporary, put in place for a bridge repair.

And yet if all goes as expected in Tuesday's primary election, Alpine County will vote along the same lines as Los Angeles, Sacramento, San Francisco and other urbanized blue bas-

cisco and other an other titions.

Rural usually means Republican.
But Alpine County, set in the far eastern reaches of the state, is a notable exception — a Democratic speck bobbing alone in a sea of red. [See Alpine, A6]

RUNOFF IN THE **CARDS** FOR BASS. **CARUSO**

Neither of the top two L.A. mayoral hopefuls appears likely to win outright in primary.

By Benjamin Oreskes

Days before Los Angeles' first open mayoral primary in nearly a decade, Rep. Karen Bass and Rick Caruso, the billionaire developer, appear headed toward a November runoff, with Bass building a small edge as the campaign moves toward a close.

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Bass has support of 38% of likely voters in the poll, which was conducted May be a conducted May

Apathy, cynicism swallow voters

In the run-up to crucis local elections, L.A. is a bad mood, Steve Lop writes. CALIFORNIA, BI

How to vote in primary election

Our voter guide shows you how to register and how to cast a ballot on Tuesday. CALIFORNIA, B3

Trump backers sought to enlist armed con-tractors to take 2020 voting machines, a letter says. NATION, A5

Hollywood Bowl marks 100 years Iconic venue (real age: 101) is honoring its past while looking to future. CALENDAR, E1

Weather Low clouds clearing. L.A. Basin: 77/62. **B12**

Russia's attempt to

seize Kyiv failed, but its relentless artillery takes toll in Donbas

By Patrick J. McDonnell and Nabih Bulos

KRAMATORSK.
Ukraine — Haggard faces stare blankly from inside minivans ferrying survivors from towns and villages bludgeoned by Russian armor. Ukrainian ambulances carry the wounded and dead



War's momentum shifts in east Ukraine

MARCUS YAM Los Angeles Tim

A CHILD says goodbye as he and his family evacuate
from Pokrovsk in eastern Ukraine's Donbas region.

from the battlefield, sharing the road with rumbling tanks.
Detonations sound in the distance as lost souls adrift in this ghost city line up for giveaways of food and medi-cine.

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Sending U.S. outlaws back north

We now he's probably armed," he told comembers of his team. a parking lot near the common team and the common team of the commo

guns modes in the jeans.

If anyone asked, they were just friends on their way to the beach on a cloudless morning. But behind their sunglasses, morning but behind their sunglasses, pects. They were searching — as always for an American.

for an American.
"Another guy who thinks he can create a
new life in Mexico," Ivan said.
Information had trickled in from the
U.S. Marshals Service in the case of Damion Salinas, a 21-year-old accused of Isilina
a man after a traffic accident in Fresno,

Calif.

But the intelligence was weak. Salinas appeared to have crossed the border into Mexico. He might be working as a barber in

The Gringo Hunters, a Baja California police unit, track down American fugitives who think they can escape to Mexico

BY KEVIN SIEFF

Moises, with the Baja California International Liaison Unit, stands on a beach in the village of San Felipe, Mexico, while searching for a fugitive American couple in October.

Ensenada. Or he might be in Tijuana. Or in any of the expat hideouts in between along the rocky coastline. Authorities had lost track of him more than a year earlier.

The cops knew this feeling well. Their cases almost always began the same way—with a sense that the gringos could be anywhere.

There are a lot of them: Americans on the hard prom U.S. law enforcement who have slipped into northern Mexico. They include fugitives on the FBIs "Ten Most Wanted" list, serial killers, billionaires accused of securities fraud.

Here in Baja California, there's one small unit of state police — 10 men and two women — assigned to catch them. Officially, they're the International Liaison Unit. But they're known by another name: the Gringo Hunters, when the punchline of an unwritten joke, a xenophobic stereotype in reverse.

SEE MEXICO ON A16

Jan. 6 committee set to take its case to prime time

HEARINGS MARK END OF YEAR-LONG INQUIRY

Questions remain over the impact they will have

BY JACQUELINE ALEMANY, JOSH DAWSEY AND AMY GARDNER

Almost a year after the forma-tion of the House select commit-tee investigating the Jan. 6, 2021, attack on the U.S. Capitol, law-makers are set to take their case

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On Thursday night, Chairman Bennie G. Thompson (D-Miss.) and Vice Chairwoman Liz Cheney (R-Wyo.) will launch a curring a combination of live witnesses, pretaped interviews with figures that include Trump family members and previously unseen video footage.

The hearings mark the culmination of an inquiry that has involved more than 1,000 interviews and reviews of more than

125,000 records. Taken together 125,000 records. Iaken together, the work represents the most comprehensive record yet of the deadly assault, and which panel members have come to believe stands out as only the most visible evidence of a broader plot to undermine American democracy — one that emanated from the White House.

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To tell that story, the committee will draw on testimony from administration insiders, including a previously obscure aide who has previously obscure aide who has reconstruction of meetings and movements in the West Wing. The committee also has video recordings of interviews with Trump's daughter Ivanka and her husband, Jared Kushner, that some inside the process believe will make for gripping television.

SEE COMMITTEE ON A10

Biden's long quest to ban assault weapons

BY MATT VISER AND MIKE DEBONIS

Then-senator Joe Biden's signa-ture crime bill had ground its way through Congress after months of tedious effort. But after an unex-pected flare-up over guns raised the threat of a filibuster, the law-maker from Delaware took the Senate floor for an impassioned plea.

Senate floor for an impassioned plea.

"We can vote to keep these deadly military-style assault weapons on the streets, where we know they have one purpose and one purpose only — killing other human beings," Biden said that evening in November 1993. "Or we can vote to take these deadly military-style assault weapons of our streets. The choice is that simple. The choice is that simple. Later that night, after a vote

showed a majority of senators wanted to add an assault weapons ban to the bill, he looked at his Republican colleagues and offered a modest taunt: "Why not loos gracefully weapons ban eventually passed, ushering in a drematic change in the nation's firearms laws and punctuating a years-long effort from Biden to enact gun control legislation. It would prove to be a seminal moment in his long legislative career, and would help cement his views of how the halting machinery of Congress can address the toughest problems of American society.

But nearly three decades later,

Economy shows resilience despite gloomy predictions

If there is a recession brewing in the United States, it would be news to Doug Johnson.

The president of Marion Manufacturing Co. in Cheshire, Conn., Johnson is enjoying some of the best times in his company's 76-year history. Sure, he's heard the negative chatter about rising prices, sinking stocks and mounting risks from trouble overseas. And he's seen the polls showing that most Americans think the economy is headed for a tumble.

But as Johnson looks out over his 30,000-square-foot operation, all he sees are busy workers racing to keep up with new orders for a variety of vital steel and copper components, including those used in elevision and the sees are busy workers and used in elevision. His biggest problem is finding enough labor to handle all the metal-bending work that is coming his way.

"There's so much pent-up de-

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"There's so much pent-up demand, and everybody I talk to—our suppliers and our customers—says the same," he said. "We're up 40 percent over last year and climbing. This month, we were up 100 percent over last year. It's

incredible."

Johnson's upbeat view stands in stark contrast to more prominent figures' deepening gloom. On Wednesday, Jamie Dimon, chief executive of PpMorgan-Chase, warned that "a hurricane" is bearing down on the U.S. economy.

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What's left behind in Uvalde

From early in the morning until late at night, people from around the country have visited Uvalde, Tex. Many come bearing flowers, candles and other tributes to the 19 children and two teachers shot and killed last month at Robb Elementary School. Thousands of stuffed animals — along with specific items like a poster for Amerie Jo Garza and a football for Rojelio Torres — have been left outside the school, in the town square and at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, where funerals began last week. Story and photos, A6

Extreme heat fuels cooling. comfort crisis in schools

BY LAURA MECKLER AND ANNA PHILLIPS

Temperatures kept rising in Philadelphia and Baltimore. Finally, it was just too hot to keep students in classrooms without air conditioning. On Tuesday, both systems let students out early. For Principal Richard M. Gordon IV, it was just another early-summer day in the halls of his West Philadelphia high school, where sweltering temperatures, high humdity and a lack of ventilation made classrooms so uncomfortable that students could barely sit still. "Can I honestly say effective learning is happening in my building? I can't, said Gordon, the principal of Paul Robeson High Charles of Paul Robeson Climate change poese a growing threat to American schools. Regions where extreme heat was once rare — from the Northeast to the Pacific Northwest — now periodically find their buildings SEE SCHOOLS ON AS

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El retiro de un ídolo

Tevez le cerró la puerta a su regreso como jugador

Tras 20 años de carrera y 30 copas, anunció que no volverá a las canchas; ahora quiere dirigir. Página 8



Iga Swiatek, la gran campeona de Roland Garros

La Nº 1, de 21 años, se consagró por segunda vez en París; fue su 35º victoria consecutiva y se perfila para ocupar un vacío tras la era de Serena Williams.

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Crisis en el Gobierno: Cristina hizo echar a Kulfas y lo reemplaza Scioli

TENSIÓN. La vicepresidenta reaccionó por una crítica a La Cámpora sobre la licitación del gasoducto; Fernández le dio la razón

Se escribió ayer un nuevo capítulo de la delicada crisis interna en el seno del Gobierno. El presidente Alberto Fernández sevio forzado por la vicepresidenta Cristina Kirchner a echar a uno de sus ministros de mayor confianza, el titular de la cartera de Desarrollo Productivo, Matías Kulfas. Lo reemplazará el exgobernador bonaerense y actual embajador en Brasil, Daniel Scioli.

La nueva crisis se desató por una

declaración off the record distribuida entre periodistas por el equipo de Kulfas. Después de que la vicepresidenta le reclamó a Fernández que "use la lapicera" ante los empresarios (en una directa alusión a Techint), en la declaración en off atribuida a Kulfas se afirmó: "Los que están usando incorrectamente la lapicera son los funcionarios de Cristina", en referencia a las condiciones negociadas con Techint. La vicepresidenta, en Twitter, lo consideró "un ataque injusto y doloroso, sin dar la cara, mintiendo y utilizando periodistas". El Presidente le dio la razón y echó a un ministro que formaba parte de su círculo íntimo desde hace muchos años. Página 12

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La lapicera contra sí mismo

Martín Rodríguez Yebra

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Al final, la lapicera la usó contra sí mismo. Alberto Fernández ejecutó sin piedad a Matías Kulfas, el ministro que mejor representa su visión de la economía y que lo acompañaba desde los días en que ni soñaba en convertirse en presidente. Continúa en lapágina 16

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Última rendición del Presidente

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¿Importa si se hablan o si se detestan? ¿Vale la pena detenerse en los trascendidos deguerras inminentes o de treguas probables entre ellos? Esas preguntas tienen sentido porque ayer el Presidente le entregó a su vicepresidenta la cabeza de Matías Kulfas, Continúa en la página 39

el berlinés.

A tres meses del fuego, Corrientes resurge de las cenizas

Gracias a las lluvias, se pudo recuperar la biodiversidad en los Esteros del Iberá; se regeneraron los ecosistemas

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MAYO. Yacarés en su hábitat natural: arroyos en la reserva Don Luis

Falta de gasoil. Más penurias para los productores del norte

En el campo se atrasan las cosechas de caña de azúcar, maíz y té por la escasez de combustible; hay largas filas de camiones y también sobreprecios La escasez de gasoil se convirtió en un drama para los productores del norte del país. Según diversos testimonios, en las estaciones de servicio del NOA, el NEA y el norte de Santa Fe se repiten las escenas de largas colas de camiones para cargar combustible, con cupos y sobreprecios que ya popularizaron una nueva categoría: el "ossoil blue"

Los cultivos afectados en las úl-

timas semanas son claves para las provincias. Entre ellos, se encuentran la caña de azúcar, el limón y los porotos; el maiz, el té, la forestación y el girasol. Así lo advirtieron productores de distintos puntos del norte argentino consultados por la NACION. "Noduermo de noche porque no tengo combustible para seguir con mi trabajo", se lamentó Roberto Palomo, un productor de soja de Tucumán. Página 22

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Levantamento do Datafolha a partir de respostas sobre temas que separam direita e esquerda —como armas, criminalidade e impostos— mostra que o total de brasi-leiros que se identifica com leiros que se identifica com a esquerda subiu para 49%.

Datafolha A6

Apoio a receber migrantes pobres cresce para 76%

ENTREVISTA Marcelo Queiroga Gastamos uma fortuna com vacinação contra a Covid

O ministro da Saúde, Mar-celo Queiroga, disse à Fo-lha que o governo já gas-tou uma "fortuna" para promover a vacinação con-tra a Covid e minimizou a estagnação da campanha. Queiroga se esquivou de falar sobre o papel do pre-sidente Jair Bolsonaro (PL) em desestimular a imuni-zação. "Ele é contra forçar as pessoas a tomarem a vacina, e concordo," saúde B1

Pandemia muda hábitos e impacta transporte em SP

O transporte em SP
O transporte público da
Grande São Paulo sentiu
o efeito da pandemia. Menos gente usa trens e ônibus do que em 2019, último ano sem Covid. Não há
estudos consolidados, mas
analistas anontam fatores analistas apontam fatores como teletrabalho e compras online. Mercado A18

Ana Paula Vescovi

Não existe combate sem dor à inflação

A recessão será tão menos aguda e mais passageira quanto mais convencidos estivermos de que não há combate à inflação indolor. Evitar uma correção mais custosa depende das esco-lhas públicas. Mercado A24

Cúpula nos EUA dá a Bolsonaro chance de não se isolar

Jair Bolsonaro (PL) chega aos Estados Unidos ne ta semana para o primei-ro encontro com o presi-dente Joe Biden, na Cúpu-la das Américas. A reunião é vista como uma opor-tunidade para o brasileiro amenizar a imagem de isolamento, Mundo A15

Engenheiro se torna o segundo brasileiro a ir para o espaço

Em 2017, quando foi feita a pesquisa anterior, 41% se identificavam com a esquerda e 40%, com a direita. Na mais recente, que ouviu 2.556 pessoas em 25 e 26 de maio, 34% se alinham à direita, e 17% ficam no centro.

Parcela contrária

sobe de 55% a 61%

à pena de morte

Aclassificação ideológica foi feita pela soma da pontuação das respostas de cada entrevistado, em uma escala que inclui esquerda, centro-esquerda, centro, centro-direita e di-reita. A margem de erro é de dois pontos percentuais.

79% dizem que a homossexualidade deve ser aceita

Defesa a punição de jovens como adultos cai a 65%

Na economia, o alinha-mento à esquerda subiu 6 pontos, de 44% para 50% (o

maior da série), e a adesão às pautas de direita caiu de 28% para 25%. Das 6 questões nes-

se campo, porém, 2 indicam avanço do ideário da direita.

Ainda assim, foi tímido: os que defendem que empresas privadas são as majores responsáveis por investir no pa-is foram de 20% para 24%. Já a parcela que diz preferir pagar mais impostos para ter ser-viços subiu de 43% para 48%.

Em temas comportamentais, evocados com frequência na campanha eleitoral pelo presidente Jair Bolsonaro (PL) e por apoiadores à direi-ta, a esquerda saltou de 31% a 42%; a direita encolheu de 47% para 39%. Política A4 a A7

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A procura pela vacina contra a Covid foi baixa nas duas farmácias que passaram a vender o produto em São Paulo; só pode pagar e ser vacinado quem está apto para receber o imunizante nos postos de saúde, de forma gratuita Saúde B1



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Crise des vocations, échecs aux concours, démissions... L'Éducation nationale fait face à une situation très critique pour recruter ses professeurs. Un défi de taille pour le nouveau ministre.

Ce sera la première tâche et l'immense défi du nouveau ministre de l'Éducation, Pap Ndiaye : enrayer la crise du recrutement des enseignants. Attractivité en berne, salaires bas... Les vocations s'évanouissent, les démissions se multiplient, et le nombre de candidats admissibles aux concours du Capes est inférieur, dans certaines disciplines, au nombre de postes proposés. Une situation très critique, notamment en mathématiques. Même chose pour le concours de professeur des écoles. Le privé comme le public s'escriment à colmater les brèches, au moyen d'initiatives inattendues : « job dating », création de « brigades numériques de remplacement »... Les syndicats enseignants, qui prédisent un scénario noir pour la rentrée 2022, réclament une «revalorisation inconditionnelle» des salaires.

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Les grands mammifères marins sont capables de plonger plusieurs fois par jour à plus de 500 mètres de profondeur. Équipés de balises, ils réalisent des mesures de l'océan dans des endroits totalement inaccessibles à l'homme. PAGE II

Ukraine: Poutine sous pression pour lever le blocus maritime

Depuis le début de la guerre, la marine de Vladimir Poutine a pris le contrôle du nord de la mer Noire, avec au moins une cinquantaine de bâtiments en mer. D'intenses efforts diplomatiques sont en cours pour éviter une crise alimentaire mondiale. Avec une certaine ironie, Moscou s'est dit prêt à autoriser «des corridors» pour permettre le transit de bateaux céréaliers à condition que l'Ukraine assure au préalable le déminage de son port d'Odessa. PAGES 8 ET 9

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L'école aux urgences

a langue, d'abord. «Mission Flash» pour les urgences à l'hôpital, «l'éco-le du futur» pour l'Éducation nationale. Un sabir techno-managérial qu'il éloigne de la politique autant qu'il éloigne de la réalité. Il accentue aussi un phénomène ancien (qui précède de loin Emmanuel Macron), celui du gouffre entre l'ambition du discours et l'expérience vécue. Dans les mots, on célèbre les grands piliers de l'État; dans les faits, la grande transhumance du public vers le privé, à l'école comme à l'hôpital, est irrésistible. Sur l'estrade: «Vive Jules Ferry!»; en coulisse: «Vous n'aurez pas l'École alsacienne!»

Pour seule réponse, on propose une vision budgétaire modulée selon la vigueur des revendications. Les mots usés - mobilité, flexibilité, adaptation - habillent de leur modernité supposée la force d'inertie d'une bureaucratie boulimique. Ajoutez à cela une insécurité physique grandissante, quelques coupes financières tatillonnes (à pression fiscale constante) et l'omniprésence d'une idéologie du nivellement par le bas, Bourdieu plus Bruxelles, vous obtenez l'Education nationale. Lucides, les jeunes diplomés ne s'y pressent plus. Une suite de « job dating » n'y changera rien.

S'il faut beaucoup mieux payer les professeurs, c'est entendu, l'essentiel pour espérer sauver nos services publics, et l'école en particulier, est de restaurer ce qui les constitue: l'État et le métier. Définir clairement le champ d'action de l'État lui-même. Il n'est ni une entreprise ni une administration, mais cette chose ancienne érodée par nos sociétés liquides que l'on appelle institution. Elle oblige celui qui la sert. Préfets, diplomates en sont de fiers représentants:

La grande transhumance du public vers le privé

on leur demande de faire place aux managers... Le métier? C'est le contraire du job multiple et changeant. Un

savoir-faire que l'on apprend, que l'on transmet et qui peut combler de satisfaction. Du professeur, on disait qu'il exerçait le plus beau métier du monde. Il reposait sur l'autorité et la transmission. La première est bafouée à tous les niveaux de la société, la seconde surveillée comme le véhicule d'une domination sournoise. Comment s'étonner que « l'école du présent » pointe aux urgences ? ■



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