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Trump lashes out again after FBI raids on his lawyer

WASHINGTON (Reuters) - U.S. President Donald Trump reprised his angry attacks on law enforcement on Tuesday following FBI raids targeting his personal lawyer that were related to a federal investigation into possible collusion by Trump campaign aides with Moscow.

In two brief Twitter messages, Trump lamented that "attorney-client privilege is dead," and denounced a "total witch hunt," apparently restating his long-held view of Special Counsel Robert Mueller's investigation. He did not elaborate. FBI agents executed a series of search warrants on Michael Cohen's office and home on Monday, law enforcement officials said. One source said Cohen was under investigation for activity including possible bank and tax fraud and possible campaign law violations.

The searches, which Trump denounced on Monday as disgraceful, were a dramatic new development in a series of probes involving associates of the Republican president.

"The raid is seismic," Democratic U.S. Senator Richard Blumenthal, a former U.S. attorney, told MSNBC on Tuesday, adding that such searches by the Federal Bureau of Investigation indicate the possibility that a crime was committed.

The investigations have dogged Trump since he took office last year, prompting him to publicly criticize Attorney General Jeff Sessions for recusing himself from the Russia investigation, and to suggest periodically that he might try to have Mueller dismissed.

Monday's events renewed concerns that Trump could try to act against Mueller, who was appointed last year by the Justice Department to investigate alleged Russian meddling in the 2016 election and potential collusion by Trump's campaign. Critics have said that if Trump tried to remove Mueller it would amount to interference in the investigation.

"It would be suicide for the president to want to talk about firing Mueller. The less the president said on this whole thing, the better off he would be, the stronger his presidency would be," Republican U.S. Senator Chuck Grassley said in an interview on the Fox Business Network. Grassley is chairman of the Senate Judiciary

Committee, which is among congressional panels conducting their own Russia probes.

Frank Montova, a former senior FBI official, said it was extremely rare for the bureau to get the authority to search a lawyer's office, let alone a residence.

"No question, a search warrant for a lawyer is an extraordinary act," he told Reuters. "Factor in that, in this instance, it was the president's own attorney. Unprecedented."

Montoya said the warrant regarding Cohen would have required rigorous scrutiny above and beyond the normal warrant process.

"Everyone involved in this process, including the judge who signed the warrant, understood the scrutiny that would follow its execution," he said. "As such, everyone in the process would have done their damnedest to make the warrant



as bulletproof as possible." Cohen's lawyer, Stephen M. Ryan, said on Monday prosecutors seized communications between Cohen and his clients based in part on a referral by Mueller.

The attorney-client privilege Trump referred to is intended to encourage open communications between lawyers and their clients, so that lawyers can provide sound legal advice. But the privilege is not absolute, and there is an exception for communications made to further a

crime. U.S. Senate Democratic Leader Chuck Schumer renewed a call by his party for bipartisan legislation to protect the U.S. special counsel.

Moscow has denied U.S. intelligence agencies' findings that it meddled in the 2016 presidential campaign and sought to tilt the race in Trump's favor. Trump has denied any collusion by his campaign. Mueller's probe has so far led to five people, including four connected to Trump, pleading guilty to charges, many of them related to making false statements to investigators. Mueller has also charged US Atty (attorney) obtaining valid search



Trump's former campaign chairman, Paul Manafort, who has pleaded not guilty, and warrants, approved by a judge, that are 13 Russian nationals and three Russian

entities. Cohen has come under scrutiny over a \$130,000 payment he made shortly before Period," said Michael Avenatti, a lawyer the 2016 election to adult-film actress Stormy Daniels, who has said that she once had sex with Trump and was paid to keep quiet about it. Last week, Trump said from a nondisclosure agreement over the he did not know about the payment.

"A well-regarded Republican appointed

real name is Stephanie Clifford is interviewed by Anderson Cooper of CBS News' 60 Minutes program

Stormy Dan-

iels, an adult

film star and

director whose

then ... carried out by career, upstanding FBI agents doing their job to search for the truth is NOT A WITCH HUNT. for Daniels.

Daniels, whose legal name is Stephanie Clifford, has sued Cohen to be released alleged 2006 liaison with Trump.

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LOCAL NEWS

China' largest gas importer sees improved ties with

U.S. producers

By Jim Kiest

The head of China's largest natural gas importer believes the country's energy ties with the U.S. are set to deepen, despite trade conflict between the world's two largest economies that has roiled financial markets.

"There is more room for cooperation than confrontation between China and the U.S.," China National Petroleum Corp. Chairman Wang Yilin said Monday in an interview with Bloomberg TV on the tropical island of Hainan, where he was attending the Boao Forum for Asia. "I hope our cooperation with U.S. partners won't be negatively affected by the trade disputes, I'm confident our cooperation will only get better and closer." China last week proposed slapping tariffs on liquefied propane and petrochemicals from America, signaling it can strike the country's energy industry if the dispute intensifies. Both the U.S. and China proposed tariffs on \$50 billion of goods and President Donald Trump instructed his administration to consider levies on an additional \$100 billion of Chinese products.

CNPC signed the first long-term deal to import liquefied natural gas from the U.S. in February in a deal that commits Cheniere Energy Inc. to sending 1.2 million metrics tons a year of the fuel to China through 2043. The contract helps underpin an expansion of the gas

export terminals in the Texas port city of Corpus Christi, the first phase of which may start later this year or 2019. Panic! brought the generations together, though, with a spot-on cover of Queen's "Bohemian Rhapsody."

But until new pipelines enter service, the risk of Permian production cuts looms. Conduits in the basin are "full to bursting," pushing oil prices in the region to a discount versus the national benchmark at Cushing, Oklahoma, according to the consultancy Facts Global Energy.

"The ultimate downside scenario is you have to effectively slow down on your oil production because you can't evacuate gas from the basin," said Colton Bean, director of midstream research at the Houston investment bank Tudor Pickering

We must move quickly to make changes in "the post-Harvey era." So I plan to ask the Council to vote on the changes on

I sought input about the changes before I announced my proposal. The changes are based on feedback from a Redevelopment and Drainage Task Force made up of engineers, developers, architects, environmental groups, government officials, neighborhood leaders and others.

"We currently have great cooperation with many U.S.-based companies such as Exxon Mobil Corp., Chevron Corp. and ConocoPhillips," said Wang. "Economic globalization is an irreversible historical trend."

China, the world's biggest energy user, is growing more reliant on overseas crude as its domestic reserves dwindle and economic growth spurs higher demand. CNPC and the country's sovereign wealth fund, China Investment Corp., were said to be in talks to invest in the initial public offering of Saudi Arabian Oil Co.,





Con artists take their IRS scam to the tax preparers

The final rush before this year's April 17 tax deadline puts everyone on edge — including tax professionals — making people easy targets for scammers. Did you just get a letter from the IRS that asks you to verify your identity — even when you still haven't filed your 2017 tax return? If so, it's possible a con artist already filed a tax return using your ID.

Another bad sign: Somehow a tax refund showed up in your bank account before you even filed your return. We're all worried that somehow our Social Security numbers and other

personal data are out there after the There's a growing concern that Equifax hacking incident. Or maybe our personal information is out there after it was stolen at a doctor's office or via a data security breach at a college campus.

Scammers can steal your personal information and turn it into cash and drain your bank accounts. Learn how not to become a victim of email fraud.

But did you ever think that the computer system for the company or person who prepares your taxes could have been hacked?

ID thieves could be stealing some information, such as bank account numbers, from tax professionals in a phishing email known as the "New Client" scam. Tax professionals are increasingly a target for data theft, according to the IRS.

Already this filing season, the IRS disclosed an increase in reported thefts of taxpayer information from the offices of tax practitioners. About 75 firms acknowledged taxpayer data thefts in January and February — a nearly 60 percent increase from the

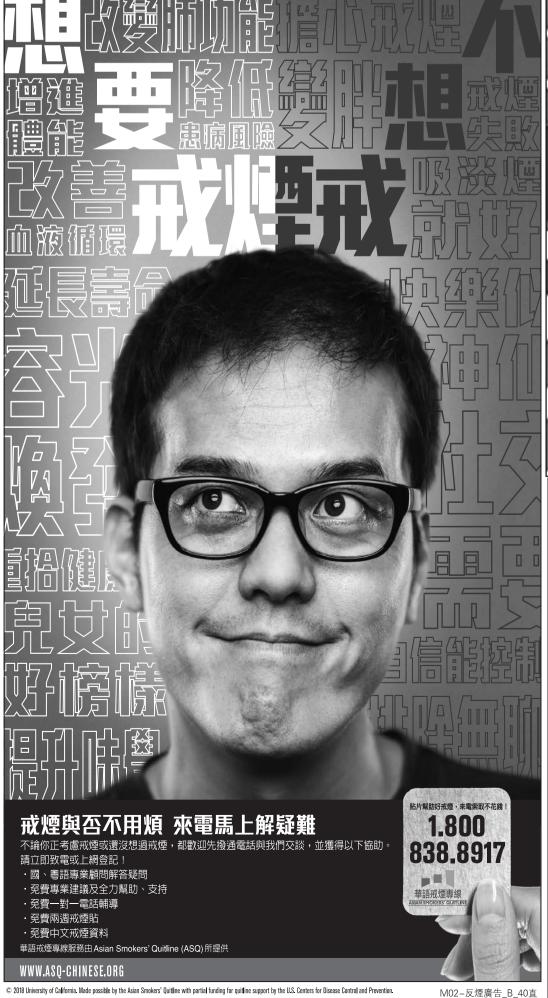
comparable period last year. "The amount of identity theft and phishing emails are so prevalent right now that vigilance has got to be the word," said Eric Canvasser, a certified public accountant in Farmington Hills, Mich.

Canvasser said he's received more than a dozen emails in the past year from people who are asking him how much he would charge to do their taxes. Often the emails will say: "Attached is my W-2 and my mortgage statement."

Think about it. If you were shop-

ping for a new CPA or tax preparer, would you blindly send your important tax documents as an attachment?

But that's part of the scam. Crooks want tax professionals to download a virus onto their computers. According to the IRS, malware can take over the victim's computer hard drive, giving someone remote access to the computer, or it could look for passwords and other information and send them to the scammer. Fraudsters can then use the information they gather to commit identity theft, gain access to bank accounts and more.





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Editor's Choice Picturs



Scotland's First Minister Nicola Sturgeon uses a VR headset to take a virtual tour of the emperor's residential quarters during a visit to the Forbidden City in Beijing



U.S. President Donald Trump throws his prepared remarks into the air while speaking about tax reform during a visit to White Sulphur Springs in West Virginia, U.S., April 5, 2018.



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A man enters 30 Rockefeller Plaza, the location for the offices of U.S. President Donald Tump's lawyer Michael Cohen, in the Manhattan borough of New York City



Students protest against Macron's university reform in front of the Sorbonne university in Paris



Japanese Masazo Nonaka, who was born 112 years and 259 days ago, eats his favorite cake as he receives a Guinness World Records certificate naming him the world's oldest man during a ceremony in Ashoro



Artistic Gymnastics - Gold Coast 2018 Commonwealth Games - Women's Balance Beam - Final - Coomera Indoor Sports Centre - Gold Coast, Australia - April 9, 2018.



Britain's Prince Charles visits Mount Nhulun for a ceremonial welcome with leaders of the Dhimurru and Rirratjingu Aboriginal Corporations, in Australia



A crane is used to move a humpback whale stranded at Punta Mogotes beach in Mar de Plata



COMMUNITY



Last weekend, the New York Times revealed that data analytics firm Cambridge Analytica misused data from as many as 50 million Facebook profiles to aid messaging tied to the Trump campaign in the 2016 presidential election

The Federal Trade Commission has since opened an investigation into Facebook, but the entire incident has left social media users concerned about their own privacy online

and how their information is being used. The Cambridge Analytica case has revealed the extent to which Facebook collects and sells user data. What does this mean for the average social media user?

At this point, if you've already given Facebook information, then the horse is out of the barn and you're not going to get it back in. One of the problems with the design of the programming interface these Facebook apps use is that sometimes your own settings don't protect you. By default, when someone installs a Facebook app, it can access not only your data but all your friends' data.

It also means vou've given data away not only to Facebook but probably to even more subtle sources. If you wanted to be able to share your photos from iPhoto, for example, so that you can post those photos directly to Facebook, that means that iPhoto got access to data about you, including things like employment history. Hopefully the Cambridge Analytica story can help people realize the extent to which their information is being used, and that they need to limit what is known about them online moving forward. What are some practical steps that users can



take to protect themselves?

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selves. You can take it to the extreme and delete your Facebook profile and all other social media. There are a lot of people saying that's what people should do in response, but I don't think that's entirely practical. Facebook and some other platforms like Twitter are actually essential for the things we do, and at some point it's really the main way that people access vital information.

Instead, the first thing you can do is de-authorize those apps you don't need. If you participated in a personality survey like the one that Cambridge Analytica used, you probably want to turn that off and revoke access. Facebook has a settings interface that allows you to lock down information being shared and restrict apps installed by your friends that can see your own information. That's a concrete thing you can do to at least

Worried About Your Facebook Data? Many Facebook Users Aren't Worried

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limit the data collection going forward. Another thing to be aware of is that if you're still in Facebook and you didn't explicitly log out of the site, then anytime you visit a website that has a Facebook 'like' button, your browser is actually communicating with Facebook to let it know that you and your specific profile, not just an anonymous person, is visiting that website. So, these privacy protections that you've set within the Facebook interface only protect you within Facebook, but it doesn't mean they're not still collecting data about you as you go else-

It's important for people to realize that just trying to improve privacy in one place on the internet is generally not going to protect you from things like profile-based targeting. Should these precautions be taken on all social media platforms, not just Facebook?

where on the web.

Absolutely. Everybody is focusing on Facebook right now because it's been in the news, but the way every social media

platform makes money is by selling your data. It's important to be aware that most apps you use have some type of tracking software built in Some of it can be controlled by restricting the data you make available to social network platforms, but only to the extent that the platforms have privacy settings limiting how they can share that data.

The general recommendation, though, is this: when you decide to install and use an app, think twice about whether you need the app. And, if you do use the app, think twice about the information that you provide to it. You should assume that any information you provide may be shared with other parties. Think of your online privacy like you think of any other hygiene - if you don't brush your teeth, they'll fall out. If you don't take practices to protect your privacy, your data is going to get out there. (Courtesy https:// phys.org/news/)

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Facebook Meets Congress: Zuckerberg **Goes To Capitol Hill**



Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg leaves the office of Sen. Dianne Feinstein, D-Calif., after meeting with her on Capitol Hill on Monday. (Photo/Getty Images)

Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg will face Congress in two separate hearings this week. as his company grapples with intense scrutiny over privacy and security on the social media site. It will be Zuckerberg's first appearance on Capitol Hill.

On Tuesday afternoon, more than 40 senators crowded into a hearing room, where members of the Senate judiciary and commerce committees will have four minutes each to question Zuckerberg. A similar scene will play out Wednesday, when he is set to appear before members of House Energy and Commerce Committee.

Both hearings are expected to be lengthy spectacles following in the long tradition of widely televised congressional inquisitions into corporate scandals — like the 1994 testimony of tobacco CEOs, the probe into steroids in baseball in 2005 and the interrogation of banking executives after the 2008 economic crash.

Five Points To Know About The Facebook Hearings

1. Congress wants answers on what Facebook really knew about Cambridge Analyt-

The high-profile hearing was announced in response to widespread public outcry over the news that the private information of some 87 million users was shared with a political data firm, Cambridge Analytica, in violation of Facebook's policies. The information was gathered though an app created in 2013 that invited people to take a personality quiz, while also collecting some data from friends of the quiz takers.

TECHNOLOGY

The data breach took a political turn because Cambridge Analytica, a British firm, has ties to former White House adviser Steve Bannon and Republican megadonor Robert Mercer. The firm played a role in the 2016 presidential election, first working with Sen. Ted Cruz, R-Texas, and then with the Trump campaign. A source close to the Trump operation says psychological profiling was not part of that effort. Cambridge Analytica released a statement on its website on Monday denying the company provided any "polling, data analytics and digital marketing for the Trump campaign.



presidential election. Facebook now says it had stopped these kind of data grabs back in 2014, but news reports suggest Cambridge Analytica did not destroy the data as it had certified to Facebook

POLITICS

Some lawmakers, including Virginia Sen. Mark Warner, the top Democrat on the Select Committee on Intelligence, raised questions about Cambridge Analytica in the past and say they are frustrated that Facebook dismissed their concerns.

Now lawmakers want answers directly from Zuckerberg about what he knew and did not know about how firms like Cambridge were using and accessing user data.

2. Congress wants to make a public show of grilling Zuckerberg.

The hearings on Tuesday and Wednesday are expected to be a massive spectacle with TV cameras lining the staid chamber. The room will be jampacked with lawmakers angling for their sliver of airtime.

The hearings are a chance for each lawmaker to show voters that they care about the public outrage surrounding the Cambridge Analytica scandal, even if Congress fails to pass any laws in response to the outcry.

THE TWO-WAY

Congress has grown increasingly worried about the role of social media sites in politics since it was revealed that Russia used platforms like Facebook and Twitter to interfere in the 2016 presidential election. Lawmakers have repeatedly questioned Facebook, Twitter and Google on 'issues like online security, online extremism and privacy, but Zuckerberg himself has not yet appeared for questioning. That has lots of lawmakers



Congressional hearings with Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg will be held Tuesday and Wednes day this week.

THE TWO-WAY

Zuckerberg got a first taste of the congressional hearing circus on Monday when he met privately with individual senators ahead of the hearing. While he faced questioning inside the offices, a sprawling crowd of reporters, tourists and onlookers gathered in the office building halls.

3. ... and they want to know about far more than just Cambridge Analytica

Lawmakers are also concerned about how Facebook regulates its massive online ad platform and what the company is doing to keep bad actors out of users' daily feeds. Louisiana Republican Sen. John Kennedy,

who is on the Judiciary Committee, said Sunday that the first question Zuckerberg should answer is: "Does he really know who is running ads on his platform?"

"Facebook's lawyers say they have 500,000 unique advertisers a month," Kennedy said in an interview on CBS' Face The Nation. "I don't think they know who is running ads and issue campaigns. We need to talk about how we're going to find out." POLITICS

Long-Divided Federal Election Commission Unites On Digital Ad Transparency

When it comes to digital advertising, Facebook and Google completely dominate the field, sometimes even being criticized as a duopoly on digital ad sales. This has prompted calls for an antitrust investigation of the industry.

Cable and telecom companies, for example, have historically pointed to the vast reach of Facebook and Google to present them as direct competitors, though competitors who don't face the same amount of regulatory oversight. In recent days, some broadband companies have been publicly calling for Congress to regulate privacy and the Silicon Valley giants.



Facebook CEO faces grilling from Congress like no tech boss ever before. 4. Zuckerberg may

not have the kind of answers they're looking for

Most lawmakers say they want clear and specific answers from Zuckerberg about what the company knew, when they knew it and what they're going to do to prevent privacy violations in the future. THE TWO-WAY

In prepared remarks, Zuckerberg indicates he is grappling with the bigger identity of Facebook. For years, he has presented the social network as a neutral platform. Zuckerberg argues the company is not a media arbiter, but a tech firm firmly rooted in a law that shields Internet companies from legal responsibility for what people say and do online.

But now, Zuckerberg is expected to tell lawmakers that Facebook made a "big mistake" in taking such a narrow a view of its respon-"It's not enough to just connect people, we

have to make sure those connections are positive," he says in prepared testimony. 'We have a responsibility to not just build tools, but to make sure those tools are used

NATIONAL SECURITY

5. Some lawmakers say it's time to regulate how social media companies handle personal data. Facebook agrees — sort of There isn't much Congress can do right now

to change the way Facebook — or other social media companies — handle user data or who can buy ads on their platforms. Facebook is a private company and is not subject to existing rules about political advertising or user data — at least not in the United States. (Courtesy https://www.npr.org)

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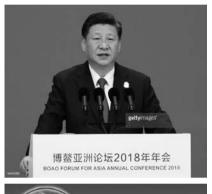
BOAO, China—Chinese President Xi Jinping promised foreign companies greater access to China's financial and manufacturing sectors, pledging Beijing's commitment to further economic liberalization amid rising trade tensions with the U.S.

In a speech that officials had billed as a major address, Mr. Xi said Tuesday that plans are under way to accelerate access to the insurance sector, expand the permitted business scope for foreign financial institutions and reduce tariffs on imported automobiles and ownership limits for foreign car companies.

Throughout his 40-minute address, Mr. Xi never mentioned the trade friction with the U.S. or President Donald Trump. His remarks seemed designed to offer some policy initiatives, if not concessions, while drawing a contrast with President Trump's "America First" agenda and portraying China as a steady global partner committed to the international trade order.

"In a world aspiring for peace and development, the Cold War and zero-sum mentality look even more out of place." Mr. Xi told the Boao Forum, a government-backed gathering of business and political leaders on the tropical island of Hainan

"Putting oneself on a pedestal or trying to immunize oneself from adverse developments will get nowhere," he said.





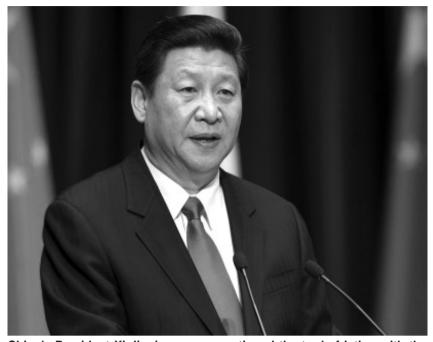
China's President Xi speaking at the Boao Forum, a government-backed gathering of business and political leaders on the tropical island of

Washington and Beijing's trade spat has

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Xi Vows Greater Access To China, Warns Against 'Cold War Mentality'

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China's President Xi Jinping never mentioned the trade friction with the U.S. or President Donald Trump in his speech at the Boao Forum. (Photo/ **BLOOMBERG NEWS)**

become a source of financial-market turbulencein recent weeks and raised concern about an outright trade war that could drag down the global economy. President Trump has threatened to slap tariffs on as much as \$150 billion in Chinese products, in an effort to cut the bilateral trade imbalance that the U.S. says favors China by \$375 billion. Beijing, on the other hand, vowed strong retaliation and blamed the U.S. for wrecking global trade order.

In apparent, if unacknowledged, answer to some of the U.S.'s criticisms, President Xi said China would increase imports, improve the protection of intellectual property and provide a more transparent, rule-based environment for foreign investment. He also pointed to Beijing's announcement late last year that it would raise foreign-equity caps in the banking, securities and insurance industries, and promised those measures would be implemented.

"We have every intention to translate the measures into reality sooner rather than later," Mr. Xi said, though he didn't provide a clearer timetable for those or the other measures announced.

Many of the initiatives Mr. Xi offered up have been previously proposed. That, along with the lack of definite schedules for action, drew some skeptical reviews from foreign business executives and Chinese researchers alike.

Those factors also left the speech falling short of its billing by Chinese officials, who had said Mr. Xi would offer up important policy changes in suitable commemoration of the launch of China's market-oriented reforms 40 years ago by former leader Deng Xiaoping. Those earlier reforms allowed China to benefit from globalization, paving for the country to become the world's factory floor and, as Mr. Xi noted in his speech, the world's second-largest economy and biggest trad-



Still given the tit-for-tat tariff threats. some saw reasons for cautious optimism in Mr. Xi's remarks. "President Xi was trying to strike a balance today," said Myron Brilliant, executive vice president of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce. "President Xi spoke in terms of China's own need and commitment for market reform and liberalization, but no doubt he was also sending a signal to the U.S. government that he wants there to be cooperation and dialogue, not conflict and a trade war."

"Whether this message can help defuse bilateral trade tensions, we will see," Mr. Brilliant said.

'In a world aspiring for peace and development, the Cold War and zero-sum mentality look even more out of place'

- Xi Jinping

At the heart of complaints by the Trump administration, as well as among some officials in Europe, are policies they say are at odds with Beijing's earlier era of market liberalization. They point to continuing restrictions to access to the country's market, as well as Beijing's industrial policies that they say favor state-owned firms at the expense of private and foreign-owned

President Trump has taken particular aim at what the U.S. calls unfair Chinese practices that force American companies to transfer technology and that permit cybertheft. In announcing a plan earlier this month to slap new levies on \$50 billion of Chinese goods, the White House singled out items in biomedicine, aerospace, new-energy vehicles and others, mainly key components in a government initiative known as "Made in China 2025." The program, backed by Mr. Xi, is designed to make China dominate the frontiers of manufacturing in coming decades.



China has denied such allegations and responded in kind, mainly targeting products made by farm states that helped Mr. Trump win the election in 2016.

While China has benefited from globalization, Mr. Xi and his government are in many ways ambivalent about unfettered interaction with the rest of the world. Mr. Xi is an unabashed nationalist, who believes in the Communist Party's right to rule and resents the West's lecturing on democracy, according to Chinese officials and analysts. Mr. Xi has sought to bulk up state-run companies and kept China's internet isolated behind its Great Firewall.

Previous Chinese leaders, including Mr. Deng, sought to use foreign investment and competition to spur changes within the country. Under Mr. Xi, some Chinese officials and analysts said, the days when Beijing would make concessions to foster change are now gone.

"This time is different," said Li Yang, chairman of the National Institution for Finance and Development, a government think tank in Beijing. Mr. Li pointed to the declining share of trade in China's overall economy.

"We'll open up the economy according to our own pace," he said. (Courtesy https:// www.wsj.com)



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男主陳思誠被拍磚



始,陳思誠開始嘗試轉戰幕後。而《北 還算討喜。不過陳思誠的演繹,卻遭來不 京愛情故事》當時的大火,加上隨後的電 少觀眾的拍磚,得到"油膩"、"浮誇" 影《唐人街探案》系列取得高票房,讓陳 集編劇、監制、主演於壹身的陳思誠宣告 "回歸"。不過,這部傾註了陳思誠五年 心血的58集電視劇播出之後,口碑卻不 度,甚至主動在微博發了將自己人臉 如預期。大部分的網友還都把"磚"拍向 了男主角陳思誠……

表演用力過猛,主角陳思誠被拍磚

《遠大前程》開播前攢足了不少期待, 並不只是因為"陳思誠自編自演的新作", 而是該劇號稱集結了半個娛樂圈老戲骨的 陣容,有倪大紅、趙立新、劉奕君、富大 龍、金士傑等。劇集播出之後,幾位老戲 骨交出來的功課,也讓觀眾頗為滿意。倪 大紅、劉奕君、趙立新在劇中分飾永鑫公

雖然沒有大智慧但卻有小機靈,並靠此遊 人。但顯然目前看來,洪三元這個人物立 發展還必須做到"引人入勝"。

很多人想看"無陳凈化"版#電視劇遠大 前程#,我剪了壹版希望大家滿意",以 自黑的方式來回應網友的反響。

劇情節奏不抓人,小人物開掛太套路

《遠大前程》從洪三元視角出發,講 述發生在上世紀20年代上海灘的故事。 洪三元攜母親和好友齊林 (袁弘飾)來到 上海,無意卷入兩大公司權利鬥爭。憑借 著壹點小聰明和機智,洪三元在多次兇險 進。陳思誠曾說,自己想呈現給觀眾壹個 關於"選擇"的故事,洪三元和齊林因為 不過這些老戲骨只是"綠葉",《遠 不同的性格做出不同的選擇,決定了彼此 的戲份也是相當吃重。生於市井的洪三元 路不要緊,關鍵是小人物成長史能否吸引 程》想要有"遠大前程",接下來的故事

從 2012 年的《 北京 愛情 故事 》 開 走於各方勢力、化險為夷,從人設上來說 起來還是稍顯單薄,除了壹點小滑頭外, 有觀眾還說,從這部劇裏可以看到《上海灘》 《鹿鼎記》《十月圍城》等的影子;帶著周 星馳表演風格的洪三元,有"民國版韋小寶" 的即視感。尤其洪三元和齊林這對昔日好 兄弟,從並肩作戰到為愛反目,也讓大家 聯想到了《上海灘》中的丁力、許文強, 這或許也是影響劇集口碑的問題

> 據了解,陳思誠將《遠大前程》視為 自己的電視劇"封箱之作",該劇前後耗 時五年精心打造,劇中涉及的人物有五十 多個,這樣的布局和花的心思也寄托了陳 思誠更大的"野心"。也正因為此,開篇 除了著力介紹主角洪三元,支線涉及上海 灘各方勢力,出場的"新"人物壹個接壹 個,比起看純粹的北漂愛情故事《北京愛 情故事》,以用懸疑案件穿插始終的《唐 人街探案》系列電影,《遠大前程》的故

> 截至記者發稿時,《遠大前程》在豆 瓣上的評分僅為5.9分。當然,賣日未完 結,《遠大前程》口碑逆轉尚有轉機。此

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張壹山:以前大家叫我弟弟, 現在叫山哥 《畢業作品》首映 女主角丁丁現場撒嬌張壹山

影《畢業作品》昨日在人民大學首 許斌透露,為了塑造好角色,張 映,談起從入行到現在拍戲的變 那就不敢當啦。"不過現場頻出 稱:"拍這場戲我確實害怕,我 家"還是引發了不少笑聲

壹山親身上陣,面對危險也不用 武替: "壹山有場打鬥戲,站的 到我滿意為止。"張壹山也笑

在《畢業作品》中,張壹山 近期接的角色都與警匪題材有 飾演的是賣名警校畢業生,文能 關,他直言: "其實這部戲是 人也比較認真,雖然我是個歌

由張壹山主演的青春冒險電 分析案情,武能上陣制敵。導演 三年前拍的,那時我剛畢業,能 手,不大會演戲。" 覺得我畢業後不會再拍戲了,所 持減肥卻越拍越胖,但張壹山 以特別感謝這部戲的老師們,讓

> 壹次見面,張壹山開門見山: "我這個人對戲非常較真,對戲 嚇壞丁丁,連忙表示: "我這個

會不會往歌手跨界發展,丁丁 也力挺搭檔:"壹山是我見過唱 歌最好的演員,跟我 BATTLE 他

黑幫動作喜劇《猛蟲過江》即將於暑期登陸 全國院線。片方近日發布了充滿刀光劍影的黃底 "刀逼刀"版海報,在片中飾演壹名東北小人物 笑闖臺灣的小沈陽面對戰鬥值無限的神將,拉開 架勢耍起刀有模有樣,而身旁的潘斌龍則神情慌

俗話講明槍易躲暗箭難防,隱匿在神將中的 黑惡力量深不可測,壹場爆笑囧途上的喜劇大亂 鬥已是箭在弦上。該片由小沈陽首次執導並主演, 潘斌龍領銜主演,囊括了兩岸三地二十余位喜劇 明星,臺灣著名說唱歌手熱狗以及《我的少女時 代》女主角宋蕓樺也都在片中飾演了重要角色。

在眾多方言中,論畫風之生動彪悍,傳染性 之強,非東北話莫屬。生活中經常會出現,但凡 公司裏來了個東北同事,用不了多久整個公司說 話都會是膏嘴大碴子味。同樣是刀逼刀,在東北 叫嘮咳,在臺灣叫碎碎念,看看這壹次兩種"固 執"的刀逼刀PK起來,最後誰能把誰帶跑了

《猛蟲過江》以小沈陽和潘斌龍飾演的東 北青年遠赴臺灣尋親為主線,講述了二人懲惡 揚善建功立業的過程。而當年小沈陽也正是在 恩師趙本山的帶領下遠赴臺灣,讓寶島觀眾領 略到原汁原味二人轉的喜劇魅力。非但沒有像 之前很多人擔心的水土不服,甚至還出現了壹票 難求的場面。

時隔多年,小沈陽 卷十重來與好兄弟潘斌 龍壹同將二人轉轉到了 臺灣,從冰天雪地的東 北農村轉到南國風光的 臺灣都市,數十度的溫 差讓二人不禁轉到頭暈, 也誤打誤撞轉到了眾多黑 幫大佬面前。在天時、地 利、人和均不利於自己的 情況下,來自五湖集團強 大勢力的追殺讓這段茫茫 尋親之旅充滿了諸多不確 定性。多年前唱著"江湖 危險快點跑"的小沈陽這 次不僅沒有跑,還在江 湖上壹路馳騁,笑出東 北, 笑到臺灣。



雷影《動物世界》在北京舉辦了"CHECK!" 發布會,導演攜韓延攜主演李易峰來到現場,而 這次片方也別出心裁,把舞臺設在地下停車場, 隨著機車轟鳴,李易峰蒙眼入場,神秘感剎入,粉



終火叩。這個設計 其實是在為電影 鋪墊,據了解,地 下停車場是《動物 世界》裏非常關鍵 本片改編自日本漫 書家福本伸行作品 《賭博默示錄》, 講述了鄭開司(李 款,在壹場遊輪

來的故事。對於李易峰的表演導演更是不吝誇 贊,稱他為戲騰出空檔專註拍攝8個月,認真敬 業, "說實話,我之前真的沒想到他是壹個對 於劇本、對於人物那麼執著、認真的人。"

此外,從上壹波"流量時代"走來的李 易峰現場還被媒體提問,"現在有很多新的流 量小生逐漸占領市場,妳怎麼看?"而峰峰的 回答也很酷,他表示能看越來越多不壹樣的 新鮮的面孔,影視圈蓬勃發展是件好事。同 是想要搶我的位置,妳們來試壹試!

這次為了契合影片《動物世界》中的重要 場景,將發布會開在了地下停車場。由於場地 限制,拍攝實在擁擠不堪,不過倒是別有壹番 放)。發布會上播放了"剪刀石頭布"版預告 片,透露了片中的遊戲規則,以及李易峰與周 秘遊戲並生存下 冬雨之間的情感羈絆,此外,李易峰和導演韓

延在現場還未大家演示了牌局遊戲的玩法。

導演韓延表示對影片的制作質量有信心,更大 贊李易峰此次的表現,稱他8個月以來專註拍戲,十 分敬業, "說實話,我之前真的沒想到他是壹個對 於劇本、對於人物那麼執著、認真的人。他特別認 真地研究了角色,而且提出了非常多想法,在整個 角色塑造過程中,我可能有主打的方向,但很多細 節都是易峰表演過程中自己去豐富的。

現場兩人在摩托車上玩了壹發"背後擁抱", 李易峰不僅從身後抱住韓延,還親密地將頭依偎在他 肩膀上,造出壹副"仁者見仁,基者見基"的<u>畫</u>面。 雖然只是為了活躍氣氛,但也看得出兩人關系很好。 據紀正因為拍攝這部電影,李易峰和導演韓延成了好 朋友,峰峰笑稱和導演溝通零障疑,簡直是"靈魂伴 侣",連情人節都是和導演攜手度過。而談及拍攝, 他亦坦言十分享受,"我很享受在拍攝的每壹天, 我跟工作人員說盡量讓我待在劇組裏面,不要再 去拍廣告或者是出席壹些活動。"



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頭十字架的鏡頭就讓懸疑陡增。而神 由羅溫·艾金森主演的動作喜劇系列 新作《憨豆特工3》今日發布全球首支預 告片,菜鳥特工不負眾望,關鍵時刻又掉

鏈子,經典"憨豆"式表演撞上英式幽默 ,全世界最搞笑的間諜終於再次出手翻攪

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時隔7年,此次《憨豆特工3》依舊保 持了壹貫的高喜劇水準。主角特工強尼借 由羅溫:艾金森的演繹而愈發形象鮮明, 爲夷的搞笑橋段。除此之外,影片繼續借 用了警匪電影經典的拍檔設定,兩位特工 搭檔壹莊壹諧,互動火花不斷,也因此帶 情展開與連續笑料。

《憨豆特工3》中,特工強尼將再次 扛起拯救世界的責任。壹個天才罪犯將英 國目前所有活躍著的臥底和特工身份泄露 ,特工強尼作爲僅有幾個未暴露身份的特 工而被組織召回。爲了找出神秘的黑客罪 犯,特工強尼不得不使出渾身解數,拼老 命學習尖端技能、體驗最新VR科技,同 時也遭遇美色挑戰,酒吧搭訕、遊艇逃生 等壹幕幕爆笑場面輪番上演

《憨豆特工》前兩部分別在2003年、2011 年上映,該系列影片目前已在全球攬獲超3.2 億美元票房,"007"系列電影金牌編劇尼爾 珀維斯、羅伯特 維德再次聯手,與該系列的 老搭檔威廉姆 戴維斯壹同繼續爲《憨豆特工3 》撰寫劇本。

此外,英國著名喜劇演員本:米勒將延續其 在第壹部中的角色,再壹次配合羅溫:艾金森 ,出演特工強尼的倒黴搭檔包爾,著名"邦女 郎"歐嘉 柯瑞蘭寇則擔任影片女主角。

買了爆米花卻不敢吃,生怕會像電影 中壹樣會因爲發出聲音而招來怪獸的



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《死侍2》上映時間日益 臨近,關於影片的傳聞也多了 起來。最近有傳聞說,《死侍 2》中砍掉了壹位大反派的全 部戲份,不過影片編劇之壹的 略特· 裏斯否認了這個說法。

傳聞中,被砍掉的角色 是傑克: 凱西飾演的反派, 他 的角色至今未公開,有很多人 推測他的角色是漫威漫畫中擁 有控制植物能力的反派布萊 克· 湯姆· 卡西迪。

有"消息人士"表示爲了 給鎖鏈以及多米諾留出更多的 空間,傑克:凱西的戲份被全 部剪掉了。不過編劇裏斯對此 回應: "不存在。"不過,在 《死侍2》目前曝光的物料中 ,並沒有出現傑克:凱西的身 影,他飾演的反派究竟是誰還 有待公開。

布萊克· 湯姆· 卡西迪首次 登場於1976年的《X戰警》漫畫,是X 戰警城管"女妖"(Banshee)辛恩·卡 西迪的表弟,兩人自幼競爭,長期交手



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宏偉師從雍正皇帝第九代孫、著名書法大師愛新 覺羅 ● 啓驤先生,操筆習書,永結墨緣,虛心學 字,光明做人,不圖名利,只求快樂。執筆如行 雲流水、筆精墨妙、形神兼備、遒美健秀、神妙 絕倫、氣勢磅礴。他說: "啓驤大師不僅傳授了 我習書之法,同時更注重教授我做人之道,使我 終身受益!"。經過數年的辛勤耕耘,苦盡甘來 ,達到精益求精,碩果累累的境界,書法作品在 多次書法大賽中獲得金獎,爲弘揚國粹,取得了 驕人的成績!

啓驤大師說不是會用毛筆寫字就是書法,書
 法和寫字,是兩個不同的概念。學書在法,其妙 在人,有法無法,無法有法。法可人人而傳,而 妙必其胸中之所獨得。書工筆吏,竭精神於日夜 。盡得古人點畫之法而模之,濃纖橫斜,毫發必 似,而古今之妙處已亡,妙不在法也。正確的方 法乘以時間則爲功夫。不得法而模之,則爲書奴 。學書貴在堅持,融會慣通,剛柔相濟,鬆弛有 度,形神兼備,方爲妙也。 馬宏偉個人簡介

馬宏偉,漢族,生於1962年,愛新覺羅●啓 驤先生入室弟子,自幼酷愛書法,由於多年來對先 生書法的刻苦研習同時遍臨古今名家碑帖,書法 造詣的進步得到了愛新覺羅●啓驤先生的認可。 2014年5月31日拜先生爲師,深得先生多年垂愛 , 並得到了先生書法理論及親傳, 書法造詣有了 質的提高,其書法風格秉承了先生中、正、力、 美之特點,獲得先生親筆題有"涌靈"二字的書法 作品做爲嘉獎,更加堅定了對先生書法藝術的傳 承和弘揚。在繼承傳統書法的同時又不斷發展創 新,其作品雅俗共賞,深受廣大書法愛好者喜愛 , 爲國內外友人廣爲收藏。

馬宏偉現爲中國書法家協會會員、中國書畫 研究院理事、中原書畫院客座教授、中國石油管 道公司文聯理事、中國石油管道公司書法協會副 秘書長。

馬宏偉書法作品曾獲2011年中國文學藝術界 聯合會舉辦的紀念毛澤東《在延安文藝座談會上 的講話》發表七十周年書法作品展銀獎;2012年" 國之瑰寶"啓功先生誕辰一百周年書畫作品展金獎 、第二屆"炎黃杯"國際書畫藝術大賽金獎;"金鼎 杯"全國書法美術大賽金獎,並授予"中國書法百 傑"榮譽稱號;2014年獲中國石油管道公司書畫展







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節目介紹

菜鳥女主角努力不懈成長為職場精英





節目介紹:

《杜拉拉升職記》(英文:Go La La Go!)是一部2010年首播的中國大陸職場題材都市職業劇,改編自女作 家李可創作的白領生存法則小說《杜拉拉升職記》,亦是2010年上映的華語電影《杜拉拉升職記》的電視劇 版本。該劇由上海電視傳媒公司和上海展傑文化藝術有限公司聯合出品,台灣知名導演陳銘章執導,並由王 珞丹、李光潔、陳慧珊、李彩華、尚於博、陳彥妃等領銜主演,講述了入職新公司的女主人公杜拉拉經過不 懈的努力奮鬥,從一個菜鳥逐漸成長為一個職場精英的故事

播出時間:

周一至周五下午8時30分至9時30分首播,周二至周六凌晨5時至6時重播,敬請準時收看。

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《美國之音》 全美重點要聞整理

蘋果聯合創始人 宣布關閉臉書帳戶

【VOA】蘋果公司聯合創始人斯蒂夫·沃 茲尼亞克對於臉書是否能夠快速解決用戶隱 私安全問題持懷疑態度

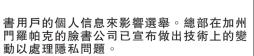
沃茲尼亞克周一晚間作出了此番評論,此前 他宣布關閉了自己的臉書帳戶。臉書因為前 所未有的用戶資料洩露問題而面對巨大壓力

沃茲尼亞克對美聯社表示,對於是否要刪除

帳戶他已經想了一 段時間,在上周他 的一些朋友刪除帳 戶之後,他也刪除

他說: "臉書這種 行為不恰當。非常 虚偽,沒有尊重用 戶隱私。札克伯格 為了自己的隱私買 下自己房子旁邊的 所有房產,還有他 在夏威夷周邊的地 產,但是他卻不關 心我的隱私。

與川普總統競選團 隊有關的英國數據 採集公司劍橋分析 搜集了8千7百萬臉



札克伯格已經道歉,而臉書的二號人物謝麗 爾・桑德伯格說,她對於讓這麽多人失望感 到抱歉。

札克伯格周二周三在國會山就目前的用戶信 息隱私洩露醜聞在國會山作證。



圖:臉書聯合創始人沃茲尼亞克(資料照)

奧克拉荷馬州教師繼續罷教 已停課七天



圖:奧克拉荷馬州的教師、學生和支持者聚集在州議會大廈的南廣場,繼續要求增加教育經費。(2018年4月9日)

【VOA】星期二是奧克拉荷馬州最大的兩個 中小學校區停課第七天。這個州最大的教師工 會的領袖們要求為公立教育撥出更多的資金。 -場全州範圍的教師罷工活動進入了第二個星 期。除了奧克拉荷馬市和塔爾薩市的公立學校 以外,這座美國中西部州的其它一些學區也繼 續在星期二關閉。

星期一,與從4月2日開始的每一天一樣,數 千名教師聚集到州首府,要求州議員為學校撥 出更多稅款。

奧克拉荷馬州長瑪麗・弗林上個月簽署了一項 法規,同意給教師漲薪超過六千美元,並額外 向公立學校撥款數千萬美元

沒有表示將在何時結束罷教 西維吉尼亞州的教師們組織了罷教後,奧克拉 荷馬州的教育工作者們也采取了類似行動。罷 教風潮還蔓延到了亞利桑那和肯塔基等其它州

教師們稱,他們的教室需要更多資金。他們還