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3 Germans Are Buying More Electric Cars but Not Teslas Drivers in Germany which is the largest car market in Europe are avoiding vehicles from Tesla which has seen a drop in sales in other countries as well A Tesla Gigafactory is in Grünheide Germany Registrations for new Tesla vehicles dropped more than a third in May from the prior year 2024 **Excerpts edited by RAWSEP for brevity and clarity and relationship to Residents Against Wood Smoke Emission Particulates a 501c3 nonprofit organization** The New York Times June 4 2025 Tesla sales in Germany dropped in May for the fifth month in a row as

demand for the electric vehicle maker continued to slide across much of Europe despite Elon Musk's efforts to turn his focus away from his U.S. government activities and back to his companies. Registrations of new Tesla cars in Germany, the largest car market in Europe, dropped more than a third from the same month last year. Tesla sales in other European countries have also remained depressed, falling more than 67 percent in France and 29 percent in Spain in May. Only Norway stood out as an exception with Tesla selling 2,600 cars in May, more than triple the number sold a year earlier. Sales were led by deliveries of the Tesla newly revamped version of its most popular vehicle, the Model Y. In neighboring Sweden, Volkswagen sold nearly twice as many of its latest electric model, the ID.7, as the new Model Y from Tesla, whose overall sales in the country dropped 53 percent. Musk has tried to downplay the extent of Tesla losses in Europe, saying the European car market is quite weak. But data from European markets does not support that claim. In Germany, sales of battery-powered cars grew nearly 45 percent in May compared with a year earlier. In Spain, overall sales of electric cars grew 72 percent while Tesla sales slid 19 percent. In Germany, demand for BYD, the Tesla main EV rival, rose ninefold, the strongest showing of an electric vehicle producer from China. The company BYD, which overtook Tesla as the top seller of electric cars in the world this year, has been making inroads in Europe despite facing tariffs of 17 percent imposed by the European Union in 2024. Although Musk has left his role at the White House, Tesla sales have been affected by his foray into politics. In April, the company reported that its vehicle sales fell 13 percent in the first quarter from a year earlier, as profit plunged to its lowest level in four years.

4 Eyes on Senate Republicans as Trump and Musk feud over tax and spend bill. Lawmakers still weighing whether to pass Big Beautiful Bill at root of rift between US president and tech boss. Musk calls for Trump to be impeached as extraordinary feud escalates. Chris Stein in Washington. Excerpts edited by RAWSEP for brevity and clarity and relationship to Residents Against Wood Smoke Emission Particulates a 501c3 nonprofit organization. The Guardian, June 5, 2025. As the simmering tensions between Trump and his once top adviser, the billionaire Elon Musk, erupted into public view on Thursday, eyes turned to the Republican lawmakers still weighing whether to pass the Trump so-called Big Beautiful Bill. It was approved by just a single vote in the House of Representatives with no Democratic support last month, and nonpartisan analysts have found the sweeping legislation could add a whopping 2 point 4 trillion dollars to 5 trillion dollars to the 36 point 2 trillion dollar US national debt and make deep cuts to Medicaid and food assistance programs. Seen as an outline of the Trump America first agenda, the bill would also extend tax cuts, fund beefed-up immigration enforcement, and impose new work requirements for enrollees of federal safety net programs. In a barrage of tweets over its cost, which Musk warned would undo the Doge efforts to save the government money by cancelling programs and pushing federal workers out of their jobs, the billionaire called on conservatives to withdraw their support for the bill. Along with personal barbs aimed at Trump, including trumpeting support for his impeachment and signaling Trump ties to child sex offender Jeffrey Epstein, Musk spent Thursday afternoon re-posting years-old quotes from the House speaker Mike Johnson and the Senate leader John Thune when the Republican lawmakers spoke critically of federal debt. The Musk intense withdrawal of support for the administration has magnified a rift in the Republican party that was already threatening the passage of the bill in the Senate. While the Senate Republican leaders have shown no indication that they share the Musk concerns, they are eyeing changes to some aspects of the measure that were the result of hard-fought negotiations in the House and could throw its prospects into jeopardy. Musk then pivoted to personal attacks on Trump, after praising him just days earlier in an Oval Office appearance to mark the end of his time leading Doge. Without me, Trump would have lost the election, Dems would control the House, and the Republicans would be 51-49 in the Senate, he said, responding to a video of Trump remarks. Such ingratitude.

5 Impeachment, Epstein, and bitter acrimony: Trump and Musk joust in astonishing social media duel. Tensions over the Republican spending bill burst into public view as the Trump relationship with his former adviser deteriorated. Tesla share plunge amid Trump feud, wipes 152 billion dollars off company.

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The Guardian June 5 2025 Elon Musk called for Trump impeachment and mocked his connections to the convicted sex offender Jeffrey Epstein as the US president threatened to cancel federal contracts and tax subsidies for the Musk companies in an extraordinary social media feud that erupted between the former allies on Thursday Musk said on X the reason Trump had not released the files into Epstein was because they implicated Trump He later quote tweeted a post calling for Trump to be impeached and removed and said Trump tariffs would cause a recession Time to drop the really big bomb Trump is in the Epstein files That is the real reason they have not been made public Have a nice day DJT! Musk wrote after Trump threatened to cut subsidies for the Musk companies as it would save billions Speaking in the Oval Office as the German chancellor Friedrich Merz looked on in bemusement Trump mocked the Musk recent black eye and questioned why he did not cover it up Musk fired off his Epstein tweet in effect accusing him of being part of an alleged child sexual abuse ring linked to Epstein using a dog whistle for the Maga movement to try to set them against the president In doing so Musk ignored his own connections to Epstein In 2014 like Trump Musk was photographed at a party with Ghislaine Maxwell a former Epstein girlfriend who was convicted in 2021 on charges that she helped the financier Epstein in sex trafficking activities Musk spent hundreds of millions of dollars on the Trump re election campaign through his specially created America Pac which shouldered a large portion of the Trump door knocking campaign although the actual impact of that ground game effort is unclear

6 Kyiv is under attack after Russia vowed retaliation for Ukraine striking Russian heavy bomber planes

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The Guardian June 5 2025 At least three wounded in missile and drone attack on Kyiv Russia attacked Ukraine with Russian ballistic missiles and drones during a nighttime attack early on Friday wounding at least three people officials said Multiple explosions were heard in Kyiv the capital and falling debris triggered fires across several districts as air defense systems tried to intercept incoming targets said the Kyiv head city administrator Tymur Tkachenko Authorities reported damage in several districts and rescue workers were responding at multiple locations Officials urged residents to seek shelter The attacks came after Russia accused Kyiv of state terrorism over its drone operation striking Russian heavy bomber planes at air bases in Siberia and the far north at the weekend and said it would respond as and when its military saw fit In the Friday Russian attacks a fire broke out in a 16 story residential building in the Kyiv Solomyanskyi district and emergency services evacuated three people from the apartment Rescue operations were continuing Another fire broke out in a metal warehouse A Shahed drone exploded near an apartment building in the Ukraine northern Chernihiv region shattering windows and doors the regional military administration chief said Explosions from ballistic missiles were also recorded on the outskirts of the city Dmytro Bryzhynskyi added Trump said that during a call with Vladimir Putin on Wednesday he urged the Russian president to refrain from retaliating but fully expected Moscow to strike back over the Ukraine assault on Russian heavy bomber planes

7 Elon Musk Tesla share plunge amid Trump feud wipes 152 billion off the Elon Musk company The shares of the car company dropped by 14 point 2 percent and net worth of its billionaire CEO reduced by 8 point 73 billion dollars Musk calls for Trump to be impeached as extraordinary feud escalates

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The Guardian June 5 2025 Tesla shares dropped by about 14 point 2 percent on Thursday at market close wiping roughly 152 billion dollars off the value of the company as a feud between Elon Musk and Trump erupted into public view The former political allies traded threats and insults through posts on their respective social media platforms throughout the afternoon as the Tesla price fell Trump suggested on Truth Social that he could cut the Musk government subsidies and contracts of which both Tesla and SpaceX have been immense beneficiaries Musk meanwhile threatened to decommission the SpaceX spacecraft that Nasa relies on for transport

missions called for Trump impeachment derided Trump signature tariffs and accused Trump of being affiliated with the notorious sex offender Jeffrey Epstein

8 Trump versus Musk The two worst people in the world are finally having a big beautiful breakup Excerpts edited by RAWSEP for brevity and clarity and relationship to Residents Against Wood Smoke Emission Particulates a 501c3 nonprofit organization The Guardian June 5 2025 Musk spent 277 million dollars to help get Trump elected If this happened somewhere else we would call it corruption and the US might invade the country to install democracy But this is the US we are talking about so it was fine After Musk donated all those quids and Trump provided the quo Musk got his Doge gig through which he weakened all the agencies that were regulating his businesses in the name of saving the US a load of money The Musk reputation started to tank Over the years the billionaire had managed to convince a depressingly large number of people that he was some sort of genius rocket man with anti establishment views Once he became part of the establishment however and started slashing federal jobs a lot of people started to get annoyed with how much influence he had over their lives Musk was destroying his brand Tesla shares were dropping So a week ago he did the sensible thing and announced that he was leaving his role with the Trump administration Rather more interestingly however the first buddy publicly criticized the Trump marquee tax bill On Thursday is when the ghost of Jeffrey Epstein entered the chat

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3 Canada Marc Garneau First Canadian in Space Dies at 76 His career took flight with a newspaper ad  
in Ottawa where he would later help steer the country as foreign minister under Justin Trudeau Marc  
Garneau in 2000 took his third trip to space **Excerpts edited by RAWSEP for brevity and clarity and  
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The New York Times June 6 2025 Marc Garneau a former military officer who became the first  
Canadian to fly into space before pursuing a career in federal politics under Prime Minister Justin Trudeau  
becoming the Canadian foreign minister has died He was 76 He had been treated for a brief illness  
He and his wife lived in Montreal Garneau a third generation military officer was stationed at the  
National Defense Headquarters in Ottawa leading its communications and electronic warfare section  
when one evening in 1983 a newspaper ad caught his eye Canada was looking for astronauts It set him  
on a path to space Garneau made his first voyage in 1984 on the U S space shuttle Challenger its sixth  
flight that year His duties included measuring atmospheric pollution and water vapor at specific points  
during the orbit of the Earth He flew to space twice more in 1996 and 2000 on the shuttle Endeavour He  
was appointed to lead the Canadian Space Agency in 2001 When his tenure ended in 2005 Garneau  
joined the Liberal Party of Canada He was elected to Parliament in 2008 representing a district in

Montreal He sought the Liberal Party leadership in 2013 but dropped out of the race when it became clear that he would lose to Trudeau the clear front runner After revitalizing the Liberal Party and bringing it to a resounding victory in 2015 Trudeau as prime minister brought Garneau into his cabinet as transport minister Garneau wrote his autobiography A Most Extraordinary Ride Space Politics and the Pursuit of a Canadian Dream which he published in 2024 Joseph Jean Pierre Marc Garneau was born on February 23 1949 in Quebec City one of four sons of a brigadier general who served in World War Two and a nurse who met her future husband while treating him in a hospital in Montreal before he left for battle His grandfather Gérard Garneau was a colonel who fought in World War One

4 Kentucky Doctors Were Preparing to Remove Their Organs Then They Woke Up A federal investigation found a Kentucky nonprofit pushed hospital workers toward surgery despite signs of revival in patients The investigation was spurred by the case of Anthony Thomas Hoover II who had an overdose in 2021 Excerpts edited by RAWSEP for brevity and clarity and relationship to Residents Against Wood Smoke Emission Particulates a 501c3 nonprofit organization The New York Times June 6 2025 Four years ago an unconscious Kentucky man began to awaken as he was about to be removed from life support so his organs could be donated Even though the man cried pulled his legs to his chest and shook his head officials still tried to move forward Now a federal investigation has found that officials at the nonprofit in charge of coordinating organ donations in Kentucky ignored signs of growing alertness not only in that patient but also in dozens of other potential donors The investigation examined about 350 cases in Kentucky over the past four years in which plans to remove organs were ultimately canceled It found that in 73 instances officials should have considered stopping sooner because the patients had high or improving levels of consciousness Although the surgeries did not happen the investigation said multiple patients showed signs of pain or distress while being readied for the procedure Most of the patients eventually died hours or days later But some recovered enough to leave the hospital according to an investigation by the federal Health Resources and Services Administration The investigation centered on an increasingly common practice called donation after circulatory death Unlike most organ donors who are brain dead patients in these cases have some brain function but are on life support and not expected to recover Often they are in a coma In December 2022 a 50 year old overdose victim began stirring less than an hour after being taken off life support and started looking around The retrieval attempt was not immediately ended nor was the patient given any explanation The patient had no idea what was going on but was becoming more aware by the minute records noted After 40 more minutes when the organs of the patient would no longer qualify for donation the attempt was called off and he was moved to an intensive care unit He later sat up and spoke with his family before dying three days later The federal inquiry began last fall after a congressional committee heard testimony about the Kentucky man Anthony Thomas Hoover the Second who had an overdose in 2021 He was unresponsive for two days before his family agreed to donate his organs Over the next two days the procurement organization moved toward surgery even as his neurological condition improved During one exam records show he was thrashing on the bed He was sedated to prevent further motion The hospital staff was extremely uncomfortable with the amount of reflexes patient is exhibiting Hospital staff kept stating that this was euthanasia A procurement organization coordinator assured them it was not When Hoover was taken for the retrieval records show he cried pulled his knees to his chest and shook his head A hospital doctor refused to withdraw life support Hoover eventually recovered Now 36 he has lingering neurological injuries Two former employees of the procurement organization said higher ups tried to pressure the doctor to continue the retrieval attempt If it had not been for that physician we absolutely 1000 percent would have moved forward said one of them who was in the room Three other former Kentucky employees said they had seen similar cases The investigation did not say if there was pressure on doctors who treated Hoover Network for Hope did not respond to a request for comment on that case The office of the Kentucky attorney general also launched an investigation into the Hoover case On Thursday the office said the review was ongoing

5 The Netherlands ASML How the Maker of the Most Complex Machine Humans Ever Created Is Navigating Trade Fights ASML the Dutch company that makes multimillion dollar tools to manufacture advanced semiconductors is grappling with the repercussions of a tech trade war The company makes complex lithography machines that are used to manufacture cutting edge chips Excerpts edited by RAWSEP for brevity and clarity and relationship to Residents Against Wood Smoke Emission Particulates a 501c3 nonprofit organization The New York Times June 5 2025 Last month President Trump announced 50 percent tariffs on European goods sold to the United States potentially raising some costs for the ASML lithography machines which are critical for producing advanced microchips Two days later Trump paused the tariffs Around the same time the foreign minister of the Netherlands was in Beijing partly to discuss lifting the rules that bar Chinese companies from buying the ASML equipment Then this week the Dutch government collapsed throwing any trade talks into question All of these events had the potential to disrupt ASML which is the only maker of complex lithography machines that can cost as much as \$400 million and be as big as a train car The tools are so coveted by nations such as China and the United States for making cutting edge chips that ASML has been turned into a geopolitical chess piece in trade battles with some of its products restricted for export to certain countries The tussling has made it an uncertain time for a 52 year old Frenchman who took over as chief executive of the \$300 billion company last year The ASML headquarters is in the small town of Veldhoven about 80 miles south of Amsterdam

6 Germany Trump scorns Angela Merkel legacy during the White House visit of the new German chancellor Friedrich Merz struggles to get word in as Trump focuses on the record of former German leader who left office in 2021 Excerpts edited by RAWSEP for brevity and clarity and relationship to Residents Against Wood Smoke Emission Particulates a 501c3 nonprofit organization The Guardian June 5 2025 The former chancellor Angela Merkel visited the White House in 2017 during the Trump first term of office when she was given a grilling by Trump over her so called open door policy which allowed around 1 million refugees mainly from Syria and Iraq into Germany The highly anticipated visit of current 2025 German Prime Minister Friedrich Merz been viewed with trepidation in Berlin amid fears that the German leader may face another Oval Office ambush such as those endured by Volodymyr Zelenskyy the president of Ukraine and the president of Cyril Ramaphosa the president of South Africa In the end all the criticism was levied at Merkel a former political rival of Merz Trump also made a dig about the enthusiasm of Merkel for the building of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline which brought gas from Russia to Europe During the 35 minute press conference Merz struggled to get a word in When he did manage to speak the former corporate lawyer mostly focused on Ukraine and the need to end the conflict in particular by bringing the Russian president Vladimir Putin to account Merz also pushed back several times on the Trump narrative that Ukraine and Russia were equally to blame for the war Trump says it may be better to let Ukraine and Russia fight for a while Friedrich Merz said I am here President to talk to you later on how we could contribute to that goal to end the war We are all looking for measures and for instruments to bring this terrible war to an end Merz compared the US role in ending the conflict with the positive part US troops played in defeating the Nazi dictatorship Merz noted that Friday will mark the 81st anniversary of D day in which tens of thousands of US troops joined allied troops in invading Normandy The US he said was again in the very strong position to do something about ending the war Trump he said was the key person in the world who could stop the war by putting pressure on Russia Trump praised Germany for having agreed to boost its defense spending to 5% of GDP after years long demands from Washington for it to do so Asked by a German journalist whether Berlin was doing enough on defense Trump said I know you Germany are spending more money on defense now Quite a bit more money That is a positive There some nervous laughter in the room Friedrich Merz prepared for the visit in part by talking to other leaders who have met Trump in recent months to gather tips about the best way to handle him Angela Merkel has said that she prepared for her first Trump visit when he was less well known as a politician by reading a 1980s interview with him in Playboy and watching

episodes of The Apprentice In 2025 Friedrich Merz was put up for the night in the official government guest house Blair House

7 Cancer Key takeaways from the largest cancer conference in the world in Chicago Experts announce findings on immunotherapy a breast cancer breakthrough and the value of exercise Excerpts edited by RAWSEP for brevity and clarity and relationship to Residents Against Wood Smoke Emission Particulates a 501c3 nonprofit organization The Guardian June 6 2025 Doctors scientists and researchers shared new findings on ways to tackle cancer at the 2025 American Society of Clinical Oncology annual meeting the largest cancer conference in the world The event in Chicago attended by about 44000 health professionals featured more than 200 sessions The 6 key studies 1 Immunotherapy An immunotherapy drug could help some cancer patients live years longer without the disease getting worse or coming back a trial found Pembrolizumab sold under the brand name Keytruda kept head and neck cancers at bay for five years compared with 30 months with standard care It also cut the risk of the disease returning in another part of the body 2 Car T cell therapy Car T cell therapy is a new form of immunotherapy in which the T cells a type of white blood cell of a patient are tweaked in a lab to target and kill cancer cells The designer cells are then infused back into their bloodstream to fight the disease One trial found cancer patients treated by Car T cell therapy could live 40% longer The therapy has already proved successful in treating blood cancers Now results from the first randomized controlled trial of Car T cell therapy in solid tumors in the world suggest it could be transformative in the fight against these cancers too Solid tumors represent about 90% of all cancers including breast lung and pancreatic cancer In the trial patients with advanced gastric or gastro esophageal junction GEJ cancer treated with Car T cell therapy lived on average about 40% longer than patients who received standard care A second Car T cell therapy shrank tumors in 62% of patients with recurrent glioblastoma 3 Liquid biopsies In a world first doctors announced at the conference that thousands of cancer patients in England would benefit from a DNA blood test that saves lives by fast tracking them on to personalized treatments The liquid biopsy looks for circulating tumor DNA ctDNA to find specific genetic variations of cancer The NHS will offer it to patients with lung and breast cancer two of the most common forms of the disease Rapid results pave the way for a new era of precision medicine 4 Exercise cuts the risk of death in cancer patients by more than a third a landmark trial found 5 Breast cancer Amid a series of breakthroughs aimed at tackling the most common cancer in women doctors were told a new drug could stop some breast cancer tumors before they grow A trial showed that camizestran stops cancer cells from using hormones to grow 6 Artificial intelligence Artificial intelligence could help end a postcode lottery for a life extending treatment for prostate cancer researchers said Abiraterone is a hormone therapy described as a gamechanger that works by blocking the production of testosterone which fuels prostate cancer growth

8 Ukraine He is a bulldog The man behind the success of the Ukraine Operation Spiderweb Vasyl Malyuk who hailed giving Russia a slap in the face has scored a series high profile successes as head of the Security Service of Ukraine SBU Excerpts edited by RAWSEP for brevity and clarity and relationship to Residents Against Wood Smoke Emission Particulates a 501c3 nonprofit organization The Guardian June 6 2025 It was unsurprising to those who know Vasyl Malyuk the head of the Security Service of Ukraine SBU that his statement announcing the success of Operation Spiderweb had a certain physicality to it The audacious drone attacks on distant bases hosting The Russian strategic bombers was a serious slap in the face to The Russian power said Malyuk age 42 a sometime boxer and weightlifter Our strikes will continue as long as Russia terrorizes Ukrainians with missiles and Shahed drones Sources inside the government said they did not believe it was the decision of Malyuk publicize the operations to this extent Zelenskyy is all about media attention he eats and drinks it said one government source Malyuk in contrast is said to keep his comments to the point when briefing ministers and expects a similar lack of verbosity from those within his service He gives his subordinates the time he thinks they need to complete their tasks Malyuk earned carte blanche