

'Genocidal taunts' will not end Iran: Zarif to US

TELLS TRUMP TO LOOK AT COUNTRY'S 'RESILIENT' HISTORY

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TEHRAN

Iranian Foreign Minister Mohammad Javad Zarif suggested Monday that U.S. President Donald Trump "try respect" instead of issuing threats. He was responding to a Twitter post Sunday in which Trump said: "If Iran wants to fight, that will be the official end of Iran. Never threaten the United States again!" Zarif said Trump, under pressure from a group that includes his National Security Adviser John Bolton and Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, is hoping to achieve what "other aggressors failed to do."



Trump "hopes to achieve what Alexander [the Great], Genghis [Khan] & other aggressors failed to do. Iranians have stood tall for millennia while aggressors all gone." Zarif wrote. "Economic terrorism and genocidal taunts won't end Iran." — Mohammad Javad Zarif, Iran Foreign Minister

dad, less than a kilometer from the U.S. embassy Sunday. No injuries or damage were reported. US Central Command spokesman Capt. Bill Urban said the Pentagon was aware of an explosion outside the embassy, adding, "There were no U.S. or coalition casualties, and Iraqi Security Forces are investigating the incident." A State Department spokesman says the U.S. will not tolerate such attacks and that it will hold Iran responsible "if any such attacks are conducted by its proxy militia forces." Saudi Arabia is blaming Iranian-backed Houthi rebels in Yemen for a drone attack on two Saudi oil-pumping stations last week. The US also suspects Iran was behind the sabotage of four oil tankers off the coast of the United Arab Emirates last week. Two of the damaged tankers were Saudi. The Saudis also say they will not tolerate Iranian aggression. "The kingdom of Saudi Arabia does not want war in the region and does not strive for that," foreign affairs minister Adel al-Jubeir said Sunday.

But there has been no apparent let up in the tensions between the United States, its regional allies and Iran. The State Department says a "low-grade rocket" fell inside the green zone in Bagh-

Egyptian security forces kill 12 militants after bus bombing

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CAIRO

Egyptian security forces have killed 12 suspected Islamist militants in Cairo, the Interior Ministry said on Monday, a day after an explosion targeting a tourist bus injured at least 12 people. A rudimentary device containing nails and pieces of metal detonated on the perimeter of the Grand Egyptian Museum near a bus carrying 25 South African tourists from the airport to the pyramids district. The Interior Ministry did not say whether the suspected militants were connected to Sunday's attack, but said its forces killed the suspects during raids on their hideouts in the 6th of October and Al Shorouk districts, where it said members of the militant group Hasn were planning a series of attacks in the country to create an "atmosphere of chaos." Egypt accuses the group, which emerged in 2016 and has claimed several attacks, of being a wing of the outlawed Muslim Brotherhood. Egypt's oldest Islamist movement denies this and says it seeks change through peaceful means only. The ministry did not elaborate on the suspects' identity.

High fives, selfies as Zelenskiy takes power in Ukraine

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KIEV

Television comedian Volodymyr Zelenskiy took the oath of office as Ukraine's new president on Monday, promising that as hard as he had worked in the past to make Ukrainians laugh, he would now work to keep them from crying. As his first act, he dismissed the parliament still dominated by loyalists of his defeated predecessor, setting up an election in two months in which his new party has a chance to win its first seats. The inauguration day was marked by informal moments that conveyed the outsider persona that helped carry the political novice to a landslide victory last month. He high-fived cheering supporters who held their arms outstretched outside the Soviet-era parliament building, and stopped for a selfie with the crowd. At one point he jumped up to kiss a man on the forehead. He later eschewed a motorcade to make his way to his new office on foot. "Dear people, during my life I tried to do everything to make Ukrainians smile," he said in his speech to parliament. "In the next five years,



Ukraine's President-elect Volodymyr Zelenskiy takes a selfie with his supporters as he walks to take the oath of office ahead of his inauguration ceremony in the parliament hall, in Kiev, Ukraine, on Monday.

I will do everything, Ukrainians, so that you do not cry." Zelenskiy grew to national fame playing the role of a schoolteacher who unexpectedly becomes president after a pupil films him making a foul-mouthed tirade against corrupt politicians and posts the video online. His campaign exploited the parallels with that fictional narrative, portraying him as an everyman who would stand up to a crooked political class. In his inauguration speech, he called on officials to take down the customary portraits of the president that hang in

their offices, and put up pictures of their children instead. Ukraine's most pressing issue is conflict with its neighbour Russia, which annexed its Crimea region in 2014 and backed separatists in a war in the east that has killed 13,000 people. Zelenskiy said his first task was to achieve a ceasefire, adding that dialogue could only happen after the return of Ukrainian territory and prisoners of war. Born in Ukraine's Russian-speaking east, Zelenskiy briefly switched from the Ukrainian language to Russian during his speech.

Eiffel Tower evacuated after man spotted climbing up

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PARIS

The Eiffel Tower has been closed after a man was seen climbing up its side. The company that operates the Parisian landmark confirmed that someone was scaling the building, and that it had been evacuated as a result. An official told AFP news agency that they were following "standard procedure", while police and specialist firefighters rushed to the scene. "A climber has been spotted," they said. "We have to stop the person, and in that case we evacuate the tower." The esplanade underneath the tower was also evacuated, while tourists were told to postpone their visits. Streets surrounding the landmark were also placed on lockdown. Police are said to have made contact with the unidentified climber. Images posted on social media show him close to the observation deck at the top of the tower. An Eiffel Tower spokeswoman told Reuters: "The man entered the tower normally and started to climb once he was on the second floor."

Brexit Party leader doused with milkshake

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NEWCASTLE

Nigel Farage, the leader of Britain's Brexit Party, was doused with milkshake by a pro-EU demonstrator on Monday, the latest anti-EU figure to be targeted during campaigning for the European parliament elections. Farage, one of the leading figures in the campaign for Britain to leave the European Union, was covered in the milkshake at an event in the northern English city of Newcastle. Shortly after addressing supporters he was hit by a shake thrown by a man in his early thirties, before being escorted away by aides and into a taxi, according to a Reuters witness. "Sadly some remainers have become radicalised, to the extent that normal campaigning is becoming impossible," Farage tweeted after the incident. "For a civilised democracy to work you need the losers consent, politicians not accepting the referendum result have led us to this."

CAMBODIA REMEMBERS



Students and teachers from the Royal Fine Arts School acted out killings in front of watching crowds in Cambodia as the country marked the National Day of Remembrance - known informally as the "Day of Anger". The day commemorates victims of the Khmer Rouge regime between 1975 and 1979.

32 dead in Tajikistan prison riot

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DUSHANBE

At least 32 people were killed in a prison riot in Tajikistan, including 19 members of the Islamic State jihadist group and three guards, authorities said Monday. Five inmates and the three guards were initially killed by prisoners in the violence that erupted on Sunday evening, and the others died in clashes with security forces trying to restore order, the justice ministry said in a statement. The prison in Vakhdat, 17 kilometres (11 miles) east of the capital Dushanbe, holds 1,500 inmates. The ministry said the rioters first stabbed to death three guards, and then five other inmates "in order to

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NOTICE

Board Meeting to consider the annual audited financial results for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 2019 will be held on Wednesday, 29th May, 2019. For Kore Foods Limited Jayashree Mishra Company Secretary-cum Compliance Officer Vision House, Tivim Industrial Estate, Mapusa, Goa 403 526 Dtd: 21/05/2019

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I, Sucorina Fernandes r/o H. No. 1/B, Ontir, Verna, Salcete - Goa has changed my name from Sucorina D Souza to Sucorina Fernandes. Hereafter in all my dealings and documents I will be known by the name Sucorina Fernandes.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the General Public that my client intends to purchase property, more particularly described in the Schedule 1 hereunder written from Mrs. VIOLET JOAN LOURDES Coutinho alias VIOLET JOAN LOURDES COELHO her husband Mr. ROMUALDO CASSIANO AUGUSTINHO COELHO, both residents of 36, Autum Close, Enfield, Middlesex, UK, EN1 4JX, Mrs. EFFIE RITA ROCHA, her husband Mr. SALIZINHO FRANCIS ROCHA, both residents of H. No. 22, Jonson Links way, Markham, ON L6E 1B5, Mrs. PRISCILLA MARIA ROCHA alias PRISCILLA MARIA PINTO and her husband Mr. BERNARD DAMASCENE PINTO. The above mentioned co owners are represented by their constituent attorney Mr. Clyde Pereira vide POA executed on 29/01/2010 before Notary Public Wendy Yuk Symon, 13, Ibsley Way, Cockfosters, Barnet, Hertfordshire EN4 9EY, United Kingdom and thereafter attested by Additional Collector of South Goa dated 23/03/2010.

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Right-to-die: Docs to end care for French patient

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STRASBOURG

Doctors treating French quadriplegic Vincent Lambert, who has been in a deep vegetative state for more than a decade, plan to stop feeding him this week, renewing a furious debate over the right-to-die that has split France and Lambert's family. Lambert, a former psychiatric nurse, has been completely paralysed since a motorcycle accident in 2008. He has almost no consciousness but is able to breathe without a respirator and occasionally moves his eyes. His wife Rachel supports ending his care and letting him die and is supported by several of Lambert's siblings. But Lambert's Catholic parents are adamant that he should be kept alive and are supported by other family members. Lambert's doctor, Vincent Sanchez, told the family on May 10 that he intended to stop providing treatment during the week of May 20, but it is not clear exactly when that reduction in care will take place and when it might lead to Lambert's death. Lambert, 42, is fed food and water through a gastric tube at a hospital in Reims, north-eastern France.

The case is the most high-profile in the right-to-die debate in France, with Rachel Lambert pursuing it to the European Court of Human Rights and the parents having appealed to French President Emmanuel Macron to intervene to keep Lambert alive. Euthanasia is illegal in France, but in 2016 a law was introduced giving terminally ill patients the right to be put into continuous deep sedation (CDS) by doctors until death. The law draws a distinction between euthanasia and CDS, making France the first country to legislate in such a way. Euthanasia is, however, permitted in various forms in the Netherlands, Belgium, Colombia, Luxembourg and Canada, while assisted suicide, which involves a doctor helping a patient to end their own lives, is permitted in several U.S. states. In 2015, the European Court of Human Rights ruled that French doctors could take Lambert off life-support, but the decision was not carried out. Lambert's parents have launched several legal appeals to try to block their son's sedation, including to the United Nations' Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, which has called on France to delay while it investigates further.

China trip, and son's wedding: Sri Lanka leader denounced after bombings

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COLOMBO

After coming under fire for not acting on warnings about Easter bombings that killed more than 250 people, Sri Lankan President Maithripala Sirisena is now facing criticism over his leadership in the aftermath of the Islamic State, which struck voters like 56-year-old construction worker Sunil, who voted for Sirisena in 2015 amid hopes the career politician would combat corruption but now feels the president has not focused on governing. "The president has no time for this because he is busy going all over the place," said Sunil on a recent morning in Colombo, vowing never to vote for Sirisena again. Sirisena's trip to China, where he met President Xi Jinping, was pre-planned and beneficial to the nation, coordinating secretary Shiral Lakhilaka told Reuters. Sirisena returned to Sri Lanka on Thursday and only addressed attacks on Muslim homes and shops on Friday, five days after the violence erupted. Some disgruntled Sri Lan-



churches and hotels. That leaves Sirisena in a weak position ahead of this year's presidential election, voters and analysts say, potentially paving the way for former wartime defence chief Gotabaya Rajapaksa to take over. Sirisena's allies say he did the best he could in a volatile situation, citing measures like temporarily shutting down social media and deploying the army to stem violence in the multi-ethnic, Buddhist-majority island. But that rings hollow to

kans were also frustrated that Sirisena's son's wedding went ahead. It was originally scheduled to be held in the Shangri-La, which was bombed, and ultimately celebrated at the Hilton Colombo. Sirisena, one user identified as @sankadon tweeted, "cant even postpone the extravagant wedding at least for the tears and blood of the people who lost their lives due to his inability". Spokesman Ekanayake pushed back at the criticism, saying the wedding was scaled down and that Sirisena did not attend all the festivities. The criticism comes on top of accusations that government paralysis due to a feud between Sirisena and PM Ranil Wickremesinghe prevented warnings about the attacks from being disseminated.

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