

Trump slams CNN for false Russia story

International News

U.S. President Donald Trump used the resignations of three CNN journalists involved in a retracted Russia-related story to resume his attack on the network's credibility on Tuesday. The story was about a supposed investigation into a pre-inaugural meeting between a Trump associate and the head of a Russian investment fund. CNN accepted the journalists' resignations on Monday. Mr. Trump wrote in a Tuesday morning tweet: "Wow, CNN had to retract big story on 'Russia,' with 3 employees forced to resign. What about all the other phony stories they do? FAKE NEWS!" A message seeking comment was left at CNN. The story was posted on the network's website on Thursday and was removed, with all links disabled, on Friday night. CNN immediately apologised to Anthony Scaramucci, the Trump transition team member who was reported to be involved in the meeting.

bombast

pompous speech

breach

a lapse, gap or break, as in a fortress wall. To break or break through.

'GST may make several household items cheaper'

Business News

Common man uses these goods, hence lower rate: Jaitley
The Goods and Services Tax will make several household commodities like soap cheaper, as well as keep small businesses with a turnover of less than Rs. 75 lakh out of the purview of the full-fledged indirect tax regime, Finance Minister Arun Jaitley said on Tuesday.

burgeon

to grow or flourish; a bud or new growth

buttress

to support. a support

National News

Humans may be able to self-heal heart cells in future

Scientists have discovered genetic interactions that may allow heart cells to regenerate, an advance that could lead to new therapies to treat cardiac diseases. Researchers from the University of Florida in the U.S. found genes known to form hearts cells in the gut of a muscle-less and heart-less sea anemone. The sea anemone can regenerate into a new animal if it is cut into many pieces. Researchers analysed the function of its "heart genes" and discovered a difference in the way these genes interact with one another, which may help explain its ability to regenerate, said scientist Mark Martindale.

cadge

to get something by taking advantage of someone

caprice

impulse