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US Autopsy Technician Reveals Bizarre Ways Patients Have Died, Shares 6 Things To Avoid An autopsy technician in

the US has warned elderly people to avoid eating steak due to the choking hazard it poses. According to her experience at a Colorado morgue, she has seen multiple cases where individuals have died from choking on meat. The technician attributes this to the difficulty older adults may have in chewing and swallowing properly, which can lead to fatal consequences.

"You can't chew anymore. You're going to choke and die, and then you end up in the morgue. And I have to retrieve it from your oesophagus. It is disgust-ing," Dolly told Newsweek. The autopsy technician also advised people to avoid

getting into physical alterca-tions, citing her experience with numerous cases where individuals have ended up dead after violent confrontations. She specifically warned against taunting oth-ers with phrases like "What are you gonna do? Stab me?" or "What are you gonna do? Shoot me?", as she has seen cases where those exact words became a grim reality, resulting in

fatal consequences. Dolly further shared that her patients have died in a wide range of unusual and tragic circumstances. Her experience includes performing autopsies on victims of steamrolling acci-dents, skydiving incidents, plane crashes, mining disasters, and even decapitations, showcasing the diverse and often unexpected nature of her work.

Her list highlights everyday behaviours that can have fatal consequences, serving as a warning to be more aware and cautious in daily life.

Provocative Avoid Phrases

Skip Steak in Old Age Don't Lean Into Washing Machines

Never Trust Cheap Car Jacks

Avoid Loose Clothing Near Machinery

Wear Proper Gear on Motorcycles

Her work spans both pri-vate autopsies and complex homicide cases. She now travels frequently, assisting with various cases, including forensic, hospital, and coronial matters.

"I've basically seen it all, but then something new pops up and surprises me. so fragile but so resilient... It's honestly mind-blowing," she said. Dolly shares her experi-

ences on social media to ssue warnings and help nor malise discussions around death, which she believes Western culture has stigmatised. By talking openly about death, she aims to make it less overwhelming for those who experience loss.

Of Secret Service Missteps: Report the Biden administration denied enhanced security to protect

Trump Assassination Attempt The Result

was not specific to the rally Secret Service

unaware.

"failed to implement security measures" that could have prevented the July 13, 2024, assassination attempt on US President Donald Trump, according to a newly released report by the Government Accountability Office (GAO). The report, requested by

Senate Judiciary Committee Chair Chuck Grassley, outlines a series of critical failures by the agency during Trump's campaign rally in Butler, Pennsylvania. It highlights poor planning, communication breakdowns, insufficient agent training, and a lack of clear

operational guidance. While senior senior Secret Service officials were reportedly aware of a potential threat to Trump ahead of the event, the report noted that the information

President Trump," he said. "Americans should be grateful that President Trump survived that day and was ultimately reelected to restore common sense to our country." The report also noted that several Secret Service officers experienced limited cellphone service during the rally, which may have impacted their ability to communicate effectively in real time.

The attack killed one person, rally attendee Corey Comperatore, and two injuries. Trump was grazed by a bullet. The gunman was killed on site by a

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the Secret Service as part of the newly passed One Big Beautiful Bill Act, saying it would be used to address the agency's shortcomings.

"I'm hopeful this significant injection of resources will go a long way in bring-ing the agency up to speed," Grassley added. Earlier, six Secret Service

agents were suspended for security failures linked to the assassination attempt. The suspensions, ranging from 10 to 42 days, involved personnel from both supervisory and line agent levels, according to Deputy Director Matt Ouinn.

Spiked Drinks And Stolen Plans: Chinese Employee Jailed **Over Bizarre Truth Serum Plot** A man in China has been

entenced to prison after ecretly drugging a col-eague with a so-called truth serum" in an attemp o steal his work-related plans, according to the South China Morning Post. The accused, identified by the surname Li, discovered the sedative during a business trip and was told by the seller that "just a few drops' vould make someone reveal the truth. Intrigued by the claim, Li decided to test the substance on his colleague Wang. He spiked Wang's drink on three different starting on occasions, August 29, 2022, during a dinner in Shanghai's Xuhui District. The "truth serum' vas mixed into alcoholic beverages like yellow wine and beer. Subsequent med-ical tests revealed the presence of central nervous sysem depressants in Wang' urine and hair. Authorities confirmed that the substances used were powerful sedatives. The court sen-tenced Li to prison for endangering public safety and violating workplace ethics. According to an SCMP report, Li drugged his colleague Wang three times in 2022 using a so-called "truth serum" mixed with drinks during dinners. Wang suffered dizziness, vomiting and unconsciousness. After

the third incident, he con-nected the episodes and suspected foul play, realising all symptoms followed meals shared with Li.

Children Fetching Water Among 43 Killed By Israeli Strikes In Gaza Amid Truce Talks Deadlock

JERUSALEM: At least 10 people, including eight children, were killed by an Israeli missile in central Gaza, while they were waiting in a queue at a water distribution point, emergency service offi-cials said. They were among 43 Palestinians killed in Israeli attacks on Sunday, as talks for a ceasefire between Hamas and the Benjamin Netanyahu government stalled.

Delegations from Israel and the Palestinian group have spent days trying to find middle ground on a US proposal for a 60-day ceasefire to halt 21 months of bitter fighting in the Gaza Strip. While US President Donald Trump was hoping for a breakthrough soon, negotiators from both sides accused the other of blocking agreement at the indirect talks in the Qatari capital,

Amid apparent dead-lock, Israel continued attacking Gaza, where most of the population of more than two million have been displaced at least once during the war.

Gaza's Civil Defence spokesman Mahmud Bassal said at least 43 people were killed in the latest Israeli strikes on Sunday, including 11



when a market in Gaza City was hit. Ten people backed aid distribution were also victims of a drone strike at a water point in the Nuseirat refugee camp, in central Gaza.

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system that the US says has resulted in 800 people killed in six weeks. Witnesses who spoke to news agency Reuters

described people being shot in the head and torso. "We woke up to the sound of two large explo-Seven UN agencies on Saturday warned that a sions...Our neighbour and his children were under the rubble," Khaled Rayyan fuel shortage had reached told news agency AFP after a house was flattened "critical levels", threatening aid operations, hospital care and already chronic food insecurity.

Israel's Claim

Another resident, Mahmud al-Shami, called But the Israeli military on the negotiators to secure an end to the war. claimed its troops had only "What happened to us fired warning shots, and has never happened in the that its review of the incientire history of humanity. Enough," he said. dent had found no evidence of anyone hurt by its

In southern Gaza, three soldiers' fire. people were killed when İsraeli jets hit a tent sheltering displaced Palestinians in the coastal displaced Al-Mawasi area, the civil defence spokesman said.

On Saturday, medics said 17 people, who were trying to get food aid, were killed when Israeli troops sniper positions, the military statement said. opened fire in a new mass

Israeli Military, in a statement on Sunday, said that in the past 24 hours, fighter jets "struck more than 150 terror targets throughout the Gaza Strip". The targets included militants, weapons storage sites, and anti-tank and

Pakistan's Nuclear Backtrack Weeks After "Full Spectrum" Threat To India

Pakistan Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif has said that the country's nuclear programme is intended strictly for "peaceful purposes and self-defence", drawing a contrast to earlier statements by senior Pakistani officials who had openly threatened nuclear retaliation in the event of conflict with India. Mr Sharif's delivered on remarks, Saturday while addressing a group of Pakistani students, come less than two months after a senior Pakistani diplomat explicitly warned of using "the full spectrum of power, both conventional and nuclear" in the context of rising tensions with New Delhi. The Pakistani Prime



would be an act of war," Mr The prime minister's statement, though made in a Jamali said. "It would be civilian context, directly responded to with full force of power, including full contradicts remarks made in May by Muhammad Khalid spectrum of power." Jamali, Pakistan's ambassa-dor to Russia. Speaking to

The remarks were widely interpreted as an official Russian state broadcaster Pakistani signal that nuclear RT, Mr Jamali warned of options were being kept on imminent Indian military the table in the event of strikes and vowed Pakistan escalation. India, for its would respond with the part, has stated unequivocally that it will not be Indian intelligence agen-cies attributed the April 22 attack in Pahalgam to Pakistan-based groups, Jaish-e-

including Mohammed (JeM), Lashkar-e-Taiba (LeT), and Hizbul Mujahideen. According to Indian securi-ty officials, over 100 terror-ists were killed during the strikes. "India will not tolerate any nuclear blackmail while acting against terror-

ism and its sponsor. Our response is calibrated, precise, and resolute," Prime Minister Narendra Modi said on May 13. India's Chief of Defence Staff General Anil Chauhan also weighed in publicly, noting that the era of nuclear deterrence was not an excuse for state-sponsored terrorism. "India has made it clear that it will not be deterred by



A woman living in the US for 36 years has self-deported to Mexico, having lived in the country since the age of 15, according to a report in People. Regina Higuera decided to return to her home country, fearing for her family members, as she did not have enough money to apply for documentation. The 51-year-old worked as a garment worker in Los Angeles, but her work permit had expired years ago.

Afraid of being interrogated or detained by the Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) officers at the Los Angeles International Airport, Ms Higuera and her family drove down to Tijuana, Mexico, and crossed the border to reach TIJ International Airport. From there, Ms Higuera flew into Mexico City and drove nearly five hours to Guerrero, Mexico.

"We were heartbroken that she felt so scared for her safety that she had to make this decision, but we were ultimately supportive," her daughter, Julie Ear, who has been documenting the ordeal on social



ther is also planning to move to Mexico with Ms Higuera very soon.

"She is trying to lean on family out there so she doesn't feel lonely, but she is having a hard time adjusting to the cultural differ-ences...they do things differently out there," Ms Ear said.

The Donald Trump administration has given orders to ICE to arrest 3,000 immigrants each day. Deporting illegals was one of the biggest planks of Mr Trump's election campaign, but the manner in which ICE has been going about its business has invited criticism.

According to a recent report by The Washington Post, ICE is now planning to deport migrants with as little as six hours of advance notice to countries that are not their own-- even without any guarantees of safety from the receiving nations.

or the gunman. Due to the agency's "siloed practice for sharing classified threat Secret Service sniper. Grassley highlighted a \$1.17 billion allocation to information," agents on the ground and local law enforcement were left "Making changes to Secret Service policies to

require it to proactively share threat information internally could help ensure its agents and partners will have information needed to provide effective protec-tion," the GAO recommended.

In a statement accompanying the report's release, Grassley said the failures were the result of "a series of bad decisions and bureaucratic handicaps."

"The Secret Service's failure on July 13th was the culmination of years of mismanagement and came after



Locals Narrate Ordeal

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'Bigg Boss' Fame Abdu **Rozik Arrested At Dubai Airport On Theft Allegations**

Tajikistani singer and social media influencer Abdu Rozik was arrested at Dubai International Airport on Saturday, the company managing Rozik confirmed to Khaleej Times.

Rozik was detained by authorities at around 5 am over the weekend, shortly after arriving in Dubai from Montenegro. However, the specific nature of the complaint has not been disclosed, and authorities have issued no official statement, the report said. "All we can say is that we are aware he has been taken into custody on allegations of theft," a company representative told Khaleej Times, declining to provide further details.

Rozik's popularity rose through his music, viral videos, and reality television appearances, including Bigg Boss 16. Rozik is a popular Tajikistani singer who sang various songs, including Ohi Dili Zor, Chaki Chaki Boron and Modar. In 2022, he was invited to attend the 22nd IIFA Awards ceremony in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates, where he sang the Hindi song "Ek Ladki Ko Dekha Toh Aisa Laga" from the 1994 film 1942: A Love Story. In 2024, he was also questioned by India's Enforcement Directorate in a money laundering investigation involving a hospitality firm.

Operation Sindoor, a military response by India to the April 22 terror attack Jammu and Kashmir's Pahalgam, which killed 26 people. "Pakistan's nuclear pro-

Minister's attempt to tone

down nuclear escalation

marks a shift following

gramme is solely for peaceful purposes and national defence, not for aggression," Mr Sharif said.

"full spectrum of power". heightened tensions due to He alleged that Islamabad had intelligence pointing to India's plans to target specific areas within Pakistan, adding that any such attack or disruption of Pakistan's water supply would invite

nuclear retaliation. "Any attempt to usurp the water of the lower riparian, or to stop it, or to divert it

deterred by nuclear threats. Sindoor, Operation launched on May 7 and continuing through mid-May, targeted nine terror-related infrastructure points in Pakistan and Pakistan-occupied Kashmir (PoK), in what Indian officials described as "pre-emptive precision strikes.

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nuclear blackmail," Mr Chauhan said at an Research Observer Foundation (ORF) event recently. "Operation Sindoor stands as an example of conflict engagement between two nuclear powers where conventional force was utilised decisivemedia, told the outlet.

Ms Higuera had originally planned to return home once she retired from the job but given the tense political climate, she decided to leave the country on her own terms. Ms Ear said her mother has no criminal record and is a hard-working taxpayer who has worked 12-hour shifts since

Ms Ear and her siblings are planning to visit their mother in August. Their stepfa-

In case of deportation to countries with no "diplomatic assurance", deportees will ideally receive a notice 24 hours in advance. However, in "exigent circumstances," removal can be carried out within only six hours

Michelin-Starred Restaurant In South Korea Serves Dish Topped With Ants, Lands In Legal Trouble

A two-star Michelin restaurant in Seoul's Gangnam district is under investigation for serving dishes topped with ants, violating South Korea's Food Sanitation Act. According to The Korea Times, the restaurant served a sorbet dish topped with ants, a signature offering at the fine dining venue known for its innovative Korean cuisine. The restaurant allegedly imported dried

ants from the US and Thailand and used them as a garnish in around 12,000 dishes, generating approxi-mately 120 million won (\$87,400) in revenue from

April 2021 to January 2025. While South Korea permits certain insects like locusts, grasshoppers, and mealworms as food, and silkworm pupae (beondegi) is a common street food, ants are not approved as an

edible ingredient. "To use ants as food, businesses must obtain temporary approval for standards and specifications under food safety regulations. We have shared the results of this investigation with the relevant local government and requested administrative action," a ministry official said.

The South Korean Ministry of Food and Drug Safety launched an investi-

gation into a restaurant after discovering social media and blog posts featuring the dish. The ant-topped dish has gained popularity among customers, with many describing it as an "upgraded experience". The restaurant's owner claims they were unaware that ants are not legally recognised as a food ingredient in South Korea.

The restaurant allegedly imported two types of ants from the US and Thailand via express mail between April 2021 and November 2024.

In various parts of the world, insects are valued as a nutritious and sustainable food source. For example, in Thailand, fried insects like crickets, ant eggs, grasshoppers, and termites are popular street foods. Similarly, in Mexico, chapulines (grasshoppers) and escamoles (ant larvae) are commonly used in tacos and sauces.

South Korea first approved insects as a food source in 2015. By 2021, the country's insect-farming industry had generated an estimated 44.6 billion won (\$32.5 million) in sales. Other countries, including the European Union, Singapore, have also

approved certain insect species for consumption.

Iran's President Was Injured In Israel's Nasrallah-Style Assassination Plot: Report



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nation of Hezbollah leader Hassan Nasrallah in Beirut. Six missiles targeted the building's entry and exit points to block escape The Iranian officials an emergency hatch was prepared in advance, and

the officials managed to escape through it after the attack, the Fars report said. Along with Pezeshkian, some other officials also sustained minor injuries while exiting. The Iranian authorities are now reportedly looking into the possibility of an infiltrator, given the accuracy of the infor-

mation used in the attack. Iranian President Pezeshkian had earlier accused Israel of trying to assassinate him. "They did try, yes...They acted accordingly, but they failed," he told Tucker Carlson in an interview.

According to an Iran International report, Israel attacked an area near Shahrak-e Gharb in western Tehran on June 16.

Over the course of the 12-day war, Israeli forces killed several top Iranian military leaders and nuclear scientists. Among them were-- IRCG commander Hossein Salami, Iranian Armed Forces Mohammad Chief Bagheri, IRGC air force commander Amir Ali Hajizadeh and other senior

IRGC air force officials. Earlier reports said that Israel planned to assassinate Iran's top leader, Ayatollah Ali Khamenei, during the 12-day war, but the right moment never came.

US Aid Cuts Halt HIV Vaccine Research In South Africa, With Global Impact

JOHANNESBURG: Just a week had remained before scientists in South Africa were to begin clinical trials of an HIV vaccine, and hopes were high for another step toward limiting one of history's deadliest pandemics. Then

the email arrived. Stop all work, it said. The United States under the Trump administration was withdrawing all its funding. The news devastated the researchers, who live and work in a region where more people live with HIV than anywhere else in the world. Their research project, called BRILLIAÑT, was meant to be the latest to draw on the region's genetic diversity and deep expertise in the hope of benefiting people everywhere. But the \$46 million from the U.S. for the project was disappearing, part of the dismantling of foreign aid by the world's biggest donor earlier this year as

President Donald Trump

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The country had been receiving about \$400 million a year via USAID and the HIV-focused PEP-FAR.

Now that's gone. Glenda Grey, who heads the Brilliant program, said the African continent has been vital to the development of HIV medication, and the U.S. cuts threaten its capability to do such work in the future.

Significant advances have included clinical trials for lenacapavir, the world's only twice-a-year shot to prevent HIV recently approved for use by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration. One study to show its efficacy involved young South Africans. "We do the trials better, faster and cheaper than anywhere else in the world, and so without South Africa as part of these programs, the world, in my opinion, is much poorer," Gray said. She noted that during

the urgency of the COVID-19 pandemic, announced a focus on pri-COVID-19 pandemic, South Africa played a cru-South Africa hit hard by cial role by testing the Johnson & Johnson and South Africa has been hard Novavax vaccines, and because of Trump's base-South African scientists' less claims about the targenomic surveillance led geting of the country's to the identification of an white Afrikaner minority. important variant.

the report said.

also attending the meeting, According to the report, the Israeli operation was modelled after the assassi-

Pezeshkian was lightly injured in an Israeli on June 16, Revolutionary Guard Corps (IRGC)-affiliated Fars News Agency Sunday. Pezeshkian sustained a leg injury when an Israeli mis-

routes and disrupt airflow. sile landed on a building in the western part of Tehran, were present on the lower where a meeting of Iran's Supreme National Security levels of the building. After the explosions, power to the floor was cut. However, Council was taking place. Apart from President