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It's Friday, Jan. 17.

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TOP STORIES

Israel's cabinet convened to discuss a Gaza ceasefire deal after last-minute disputes with Hamas. The truce, if approved by the wider Israeli government, could take effect Sunday.

THE WALL STREET JOURNAL °

Biden commuted the sentences of 2,500 nonviolent drug offenders in one of his final acts before he leaves office.

POLITICO °

L.A. wildfire evacuees were told to stay away from their homes for at least another week so that emergency responders can remove toxic waste and potential hazards.

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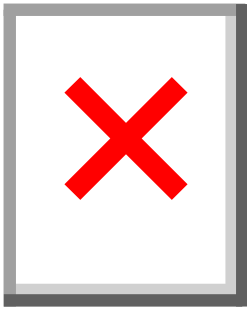
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THE ATLANTIC



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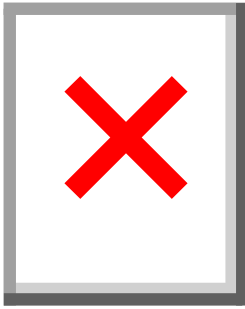
"They're drug-addicted rats. They're tough to deal with."

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