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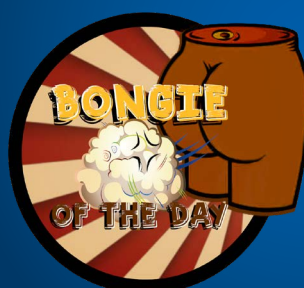
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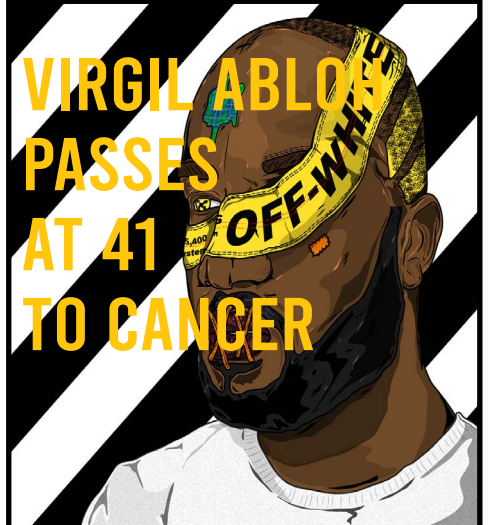
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BN Agent, M

The Ministry of Health has announced additional travel restrictions for eight southern African nations in light of the discovery of a novel COVID-19 strain known as omicron.

Botswana, Eswatini (previously Swaziland), Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Namibia, Zimbabwe, and South Africa are among them.

According to a statement issued yesterday by the ministry, non-Bahamian nationals and residents who have traveled to, through, or

from certain countries during the previous 14 days would be unable to enter The Bahamas as of November 29.

Meanwhile, Bahamian citizens, residents, and persons with work permits who return will be compelled to quarantine for 14 days at their own expense and will be subjected to ministry-mandated screening.

According to the statement, this caution applies to both vaccinated and unvaccinated persons.

On Wednesday, the World Health Organization (WHO) classified the new COVID-19 omicron strain as a potentially dangerous variety.

Early data shows that the variation, which was discovered in South Africa, may be associated with a greater risk of re-infection, however research is ongoing.

The omicron version has already been identified in at least a dozen countries around the world, including the United Kingdom, Australia, and Germany, with the

majority of cases being reported in visitors returning from the southern African area.

Other nations, including the European Union, Japan, Australia, the United States, and Canada, have issued travel bans from African countries in the aftermath of the finding. Concerned about the new variety, former Minister of Health Dr. Duane Sands cautioned Bahamians on Saturday to brace themselves for a fourth wave of COVID-19 cases.

He did warn, however, that if vaccination rates continue to rise and



Bahamians continue to follow all guidelines, the Bahamas might become a COVID-free tourist destination.

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There can be no query since the choice for Leader was made clear. and no one can deny

what Michael Pintard will bring to the FNM. His message is one of inclusion of the big tent and open arms to embrace as many who wish to return or join the Free National Movement. Pintard has promised to be collaborative and also to hold the Government's feet to the flame.

Social media buzzed and continues to buzzed with the news of Michael C. Pintard being elected as the new Leader. It could be heard in social media group and pockets the elations and hopes of many of being reignited because their political flames had gone out.

With Pintard already working with the various fractions of the Party he will do well for both the Free National Movement and the country at large once the opportunity is given.



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What is this showing us about the character of a man who was our country's Leader and Competent Authority? It is clear (Stevie can see it clearly) a lot of the outrage at the FNM lies sole at the feet of the now disgraced former Prime Minister Dr. Hubert Minnis. Equally so it can also be said that the división and defined fractioning within the Party can also be laid at the former Leader's feet.

A new Leader has been elected and unlike the former who publicly announced that his predecessor's error is over the newly elected Leader herald that he will be calling on Dr. Minnis. Just that announcement alone has indicated to many that while some choose to stand off... the FNM is ultimately in good hands.





BONGIE OF THE DAY IS AWARDED TO BIG BELLY RUM STEALER PLEAD GUILTY

BN Agent, V

A guy caught on video stealing two bottles of booze has been remanded in custody until his sentencing on November 29.

Cody Rahming was apprehended by police shortly after CCTV footage of the November 23 heist at Base Road Wholesale Bar went viral.

Before leaving the pub, Rahming shoved a 40-ounce bottle of Ciroc and a bottle of Jack Daniels inside his jeans.

At his hearing before Magistrate Kendra Kelly, Rahming pled

guilty to theft. He requested a second opportunity from the court. He said that he sold the stolen wine to pay for food.

Rahming stated that he remained at a hotel after being released from prison. He ended himself on the streets, though, since he couldn't pay for his lodging.

Rahming's actions were not justified, according to Magistrate Kelly.



SHOOTING LAST NIGHT

BN Agent X

A woman was shot as she sat on her porch in Elizabeth Estates.

According to police, the woman was at her home on Maura Crest on Sunday, November 28 when she heard gunshots. The woman took cover—but later realized that she'd been hit in the calf. The woman went to the Elizabeth Estates Police Station to report the matter. She was taken to hospital from there and is listed in stable condition. Police are investigating a second shooting that took place at the junction of Market Street and Robinson Road.

Police said a white Jeep pulled up around 2pm and a passenger shot the man multiple times. He was shot in the thigh and ankle and is listed in serious condition at hospital.



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A Bahamian national whiz kid has been jailed for his role in a million-dollar credit card fraud scheme.

US District judge, Alison J. Nathan sentenced 27-year-old Kevin Dion Rolle, Jr. to five years in prison for his role in the US\$1.2 million credit card scheme.

Rolle had pleaded guilty before Judge Nathan on August 5, this year to one count of wire fraud.

According to the documents filed in US federal court, as well as statements made in public court proceedings, from October 2015 to September 2020, Rolle participated in what is known by various credit card companies as a "bust-out" scheme, whereby the credit card user applies for a credit card and incurs numerous charges, with no intention of paying the balance.

"As part of his multi-year fraud scheme, Rolle submitted multiple credit card applications to American Express (Amex), which often included or were supported by documentation containing false identifying information," said United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York, Damian Williams, and the Assistant Director-in-Charge of

the New York Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), Michael J. Driscoll.

"Once Rolle received a credit card, he used the credit card for a short period of time to purchase luxury items, including, among other things, Cartier jewellery and a Bentley," they added.

Rolle is reported to have incurred US\$1,205,318.18 in Amex credit card charges that remain outstanding and collected US\$209,500 in insurance proceeds based on a claim for jewellery pieces purchased with the fraudulent Amex credit cards.

On the basis of multiple court filings, Williams and Driscoll said Rolle admitted in the terms of his plea agreement to obstructing justice.

"Rolle made numerous self-serving, false, and/or inconsistent statements to the court and the United States District Court for the District of Puerto Rico, where he was first arrested regarding his personal background, possession of foreign passports and his purported ties to New York," they said.

At the time of his arrest, the statement said Rolle presented an Irish passport, "which was later found to have been obtained with a fake United States passport.

"Additionally, Rolle purported to be the president of a particular college in the Bahamas—the existence of which was unable to be verified by the FBI," the statement said.

In addition to the prison term, Rolle was ordered to make restitution in the amount of US\$1,414,818.18 and forfeiture in the amount of US\$1,504,818.18.

With the Free National Movement's (FNM) leadership convention over and its February convention approaching, at least two former Cabinet ministers have declared their candidacy for party chairman.

Former Yamacraw MP Elsworth Johnson started his chairmanship candidacy during the party's one-day convention at the Holy Trinity Activities Centre.

Former Elizabeth MP Dr. Duane Sands announced his desire to seek for the position last week.

Carl Culmer, the party's current chairman, has not officially said if he intends to run for reelection.

On the margins of the conference on Saturday, Johnson told reporters, "the timing is perfect, and I am being directed by faith."

"I believe that the party is in need of the energy that has been sleeping in the party at this time; synergy, consultation, and communication may bring all of the forces together to perform what we have been appointed to do."

"I am thrilled, and it is my honor and pleasure, to offer to run for party leadership at this moment."

Johnson believes he can resurrect the party and turn it into "a loyal, brave, robust opposition, checking authority and ensuring that all Bahamians' rights are [kept]."

The former immigration minister stated that he is confident in his ability to defeat any opponent.

"I only fear God, who has the power to ruin both man and soul."

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YE SAYS I NEED TO BE BACK HOME WITH KIM



Kim Kardashian has moved on with Pete Davidson, but Kanye West wants her back.

Ye visited Skid Row on Thanksgiving Eve, where he told onlookers that **God wanted him back with Kim.**

"The narrative God wants is to see that we can be redeemed in all these relationships," said. "We've made mistakes. I've made mistakes. I've publically done things that were not acceptable as a husband, but right now today, for whatever reason — I didn't know I was going to be in front of this mic — but I'm here to change the narrative."

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Facts about COVID-19 vaccines:

- They will not give you COVID-19.
- They will not cause you to test positive on a COVID-19 test.
- Getting vaccinated will help keep you from getting sick with COVID-19.
- They will not alter your DNA.
- The vaccine itself will be free.
- They have not been linked to infertility or miscarriage.

- They do not have dangerous ingredients, fetal cells, eggs or preservatives.
- Immigration status will not be asked or considered.
- Everyone is, and will be, getting the *same, available, real* vaccines.
- You will still need to wear a mask after receiving the vaccine to protect those who aren't vaccinated yet.
- After COVID-19 vaccination, you may have some flu-like side effects. This is normal as your body builds protection against the real virus.

Benefits of getting a COVID-19 vaccine:

- It will help keep you from getting sick with COVID-19.
- Getting the COVID-19 vaccine is 100% effective in preventing you from hospitalization or death.
- It will be a safer way to build protection in our communities.
- People who have gotten sick with COVID-19 may still benefit from getting vaccinated.

The safety of COVID-19 vaccines is a top priority. The U.S. vaccine safety system ensures that all vaccines are as safe as possible. The CDC has developed a new tool, v-safe, as an additional layer of safety monitoring to increase our ability to rapidly detect any safety issues with COVID-19 vaccines. V-safe is a new smartphone-based, after-vaccination health checker for people who receive COVID-19 vaccines.

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VIRGIL ABLOH “OFF WHITE” DIES AT 41 TO CANCER



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Fashion's highest profile black designer, and the man behind some of the more renowned men's Louis Vuitton collection, Virgil Abloh died at the age of 41 on Sunday.

According to the French luxury goods giant, Abloh had been battling cancer privately for years.

Abloh was also the designer behind the ever-so-popular Off-white brand, which LVMH, bought a 60-percent stake in.

His style allowed for a mix between streetwear

and high-end fashion, with his influence including graffiti art, hip hop and skateboard culture.

This past July, LVMH expanded his role with the company, giving him a mandate to launch new brands and partner with existing ones, in a variety of sectors beyond just fashion.

The American fashion designer also worked as a DJ and a visual artist, and had been with Louis Vuitton since March 2018.

The announcement of his death, which was posted to his official Instagram page on Sunday afternoon, stated that for more

than two years he had privately "battled a rare, aggressive form of cancer, cardiac angiosarcoma."

"Through it all, his work ethic, infinite curiosity, and optimism never wavered. Virgil was driven by his dedication to his craft and to his mission to open doors for others and create pathways for greater equality in art and design," the statement read. "He often said, 'Everything I do is for the 17-year-old version of myself,' believing deeply in the power of art to inspire future generations."

Abloh was regarded as one of the most influential and powerful Black designers of his generation. An artis-

tic polymath, he also worked as a DJ who played festivals such as Chicago's Lollapalooza and opened for artists such as Travis Scott. He also served as a longtime creative director for rapper Kanye West, who told the New York Times that Abloh was "one of the smartest, fastest, most innovative people I've created with." In 2011, he earned a Grammy nomination for his art direction of West and Jay-Z's collaborative album, "Watch the Throne."

When he began breaking into the fashion world, he remembered feeling like an outsider. "We got into about 60 percent of the shows," he told W Magazine

about attending his first fashion shows in Paris with West. "We were a generation that was interested in fashion and weren't supposed to be there. We saw this as our chance to participate and make current culture. In a lot of ways, it felt like we were bringing more excitement than the industry was."

After launching Off-White in 2013, with clothing featuring bold diagonal stripes and his iconic "everything in quotes" philosophy (think: a black dress with "little black dress" or a scarf with "scarf" written on it in quotes), he quickly ascended to industry leader. Vox dubbed Off-White "the hottest fashion brand in

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