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IRELAND

SF holding us all to ransome

News Letter

Events in recent months, particularly recent days, raise grave questions about the prospects of stable government with Sinn Fein.

<http://www.newsletter.co.uk/sinn-fein-holding-us-all-to-ransom-1-7887134>

Adams influence not helping talks

News Letter

The influence of Gerry Adams, who has no direct electoral mandate in Northern Ireland, should be used to restore the power-sharing rather than allowing “internal issues” currently troubling Sinn Fein to jeopardise the institutions, Jeffrey Donaldson has said.

<http://www.newsletter.co.uk/adams-influence-not-helping-stormont-institutions-donaldson-1-7886352>

Halt MLAs' pay if they can't do a deal in three months, says salaries-setter

Belfast Telegraph

<http://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/northern-ireland/halt-mlas-pay-if-they-cant-do-a-deal-in-three-months-says-salariessetter-35570967.html>

Stormont crisis 'having massive healthcare effect'

BBC News

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-northern-ireland-39410979>

James Brokenshire to make Commons statement on Stormont

BBC News

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-northern-ireland-39410982>

Tánaiste to brief cabinet today on latest garda controversies with no-confidence vote looming

The Journal

Sinn Féin have called a no-confidence motion in Nóirín O'Sullivan to be voted on next week in the Dáil.

<http://www.thejournal.ie/cabinet-briefing-garda-3310305-Mar2017/>

Sharing Our Future.

Statement by Pádraig Ó Tuama, Leader of the Corrymeela Community

We are saddened today to hear that the talks process amongst our MLAs and political leaders has not resulted in the formation of a functioning government at Stormont.

<http://www.corrymeela.org/news/74/sharing-our-future>

Ulster missionary doctor left her mark on Manchuria

News Letter

Local historian Gordon Lucy marks the centenary of the death of Isabel Deane (Ida) Mitchell, a Presbyterian missionary in Manchuria and a nurse whose name was 'known and revered through all of China' according to an

elder who spoke at her funeral in 1917 after her death at the age of 38

<http://www.newsletter.co.uk/ulster-missionary-doctor-who-left-lasting-impression-in-manchuria-1-7885088>

GB

Newspaper headlines: May-Sturgeon 'stand-off' and 'choking' EU red tape

BBC News

The media's take on a "frosty" meeting between Theresa May and Nicola Sturgeon dominates Tuesday's newspaper front pages.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/blogs-the-papers-39413434>

Guard/Tel/Mail

Reports that the Church of England is creating a new bishop to reach out to black, Asian and minority ethnic people in Leicester, one of the UK's most diverse cities. The reports quote the Bishop of Leicester, Martyn Snow. The *Guardian* also quotes Rosemarie Davidson-Gotobed, the Church of England's first National Minority Ethnic Vocations Officer.

<https://www.theguardian.com/world/2017/mar/27/church-of-england-to-create-bishop-for-minority-ethnic-community>

<http://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/2017/03/27/church-england-creates-new-bishop-reach-ethnic-minorities-church/>

<http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-4355126/Church-England-appoints-new-bishop-reach-minorities.html>

Tel

Article on the 20 top UK tourist attractions according to visitor figures released by the Association of Leading Visitor Attractions. Westminster Abbey is ranked 14th and St Paul's Cathedral 19th on the list.

<http://www.telegraph.co.uk/travel/news/most-popular-attractions-in-britain-in-2016/>

Metro

Q and A style article on Easter and its meaning and why the date of Easter changes. The article tells readers they can visit their local church for its Easter sermon in response to the final question: 'how can I get involved?'

<http://metro.co.uk/2017/03/27/when-is-easter-weekend-and-why-does-it-change-every-year-6536441/>

Express

Article quoting the Chief Executive of the anti monarchy campaign group Republic Graham Smith who claims that it is a 'huge myth' that the monarchy unites the UK

<http://www.express.co.uk/news/uk/784489/Republic-uk-graham-smith-blasts-always-English-Queen-elizabeth-fail-to-unify-Britain>

Obituary

The Times

Rt Rev Douglas Milmine, the first Anglican Bishop of Paraguay who helped to obtain citizenship for thousands of indigenous people in South America.

<http://www.thetimes.co.uk/article/the-rt-reverend-douglas-milmine-gtj0z0d2z>

Comment

Huffington Post

Bishop Paul Bayes: 'For Carol's sake, for Christ's sake, we must look after the poor'.

http://www.huffingtonpost.co.uk/bishop-paul-bayes/uk-poverty-charity_b_15561714.html

Sun

Comment article first published in *The Times* yesterday on religion and extremism in which the

former Bishop of Rochester Michael Nazir-Ali is quoted.

<https://www.thesun.co.uk/news/3193250/we-must-be-able-to-criticise-islam-without-fear-of-being-branded-islamophobes/>

INTERNATIONAL

Russell Moore faces a challenging road ahead

His apology for being “unnecessarily harsh” toward Trump supporters was accepted by the Southern Baptist Convention, but Moore still faces a groundswell of grass-roots discontent. [More from Religion News Service](#)

Concerns after Texas school opens ‘prayer room’ that’s attracting Muslim students

The state attorney general has raised constitutional questions about a public school's move to establish a room to accommodate all students and their religions.

[More from NPR.org](#)

Despite some tensions, evangelical churches booming in Cuba

Pastors and worshippers say Cuba is in the middle of a boom in evangelical worship, with

tens of thousands of Cubans worshipping unmolested across the island each week.

[More from apnews.com](#)

Religion emerges in secular French politics as presidential campaign heats up

Secularism normally is taken so seriously in France that politicians rarely if ever mention their faith in public. But this election is not taking place in normal times.

[More from Religion News Service](#)

Like an invisibility cloak, Latina Muslims find the hijab hides their ethnicity – from Latinos

Latina Muslims are the fastest-growing ethnic group in Islam and at the intersection of three demographics spurned during President Trump's administration: women, Muslims and Mexicans.

[More from latimes.com](#)