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Agriculture

Category: Agriculture
Series Title: Prairie Pulse
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 7/31/2020 7:30:00 PM; 8/1/2020 6:30:00 PM
Service: Prairie Public
Format: Interview

John Harris interviews Walhalla, North Dakota, rancher Edwin Jonas and his ranch's contributions to the beef industry.

Category: Agriculture
Series Title: Prairie Pulse
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 8/7/2020 7:30:00 PM; 8/8/2020 6:30:00 PM
Service: Prairie Public
Format: Interview

John Harris interviews Megan Myrdal, co-founder of Food of the North, the Red River Market, and the Little Free Garden, about healthy eating and how people these days demand more from their food.

Category: Agriculture
Series Title: Prairie Pulse
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 8/14/2020 7:30:00 PM; 8/15/2020 6:30:00 PM
Service: Prairie Public
Format: Interview

John Harris interviews Mark Watne, president of North Dakota Farmers Union, about the rough year 2019 was for North Dakota farmers with tariffs, low crop prices, and an October snow storm.

Category: Agriculture
Series Title: Women Behind the Plow
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/10/2020 9:00:00 PM
Service: Prairie Public
Format: Documentary

"Women Behind the Plow" tells stories of the determined women who settled the North Dakota prairie and the new generations who continue to work on the farm.

Category: Agriculture
Series Title: Prairie Pulse
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 9/18/2020 7:30:00 PM; 9/19/2020 6:30:00 PM
Service: Prairie Public
Format: Interview

John Harris interviews Stephanie Blumhagen, Executive Director of FARRMS, the Foundation for Agricultural and Rural Resource Management, of Tuttle, North Dakota.

Economic Issues

Category: Economy
NOLA: MLNH 013002
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/2/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:06:36

The Labor Department's June jobs report seems to reflect a strengthening economy. After all, businesses across the country reopened during that month. But now coronavirus cases are soaring, raising questions about how we can have a functioning U.S. economy without adding fuel to the raging pandemic. Nobel Prize-winning economist Paul Romer joins Judy Woodruff to discuss the dilemma.

Category: Economy
NOLA: MLNH 013011
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/15/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:08:06

African Americans face immense disparities across a broad range of categories, including economic. That history of disadvantage is making the current problems of COVID-19 even worse. Economics correspondent Paul Solman reports.

Category: Economy
NOLA: APOC 003022
Series Title: Amanpour and Company
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/30/2020 10:00:00 PM
Service: PBS-PLUS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:56:46

The pandemic has finally brought the U.S. economy to its knees. Numbers released today show the U.S. economy contracted by nearly 33% from April to June, in its worst drop on record. To discuss this catastrophic downturn and its effect on global trade, Christiane speaks with the outgoing director-general of the World Trade Organization.

Category: Economy
NOLA: PNWE 001409
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Weekend
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 8/1/2020 5:30:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:05:23

As the emergency \$600-per-week unemployment benefit expired on July 31, officials expressed optimism for another relief package. The bill, being negotiated right now, would be the fifth since the pandemic hit and likely the last before the November elections. Diane Swonk, Chief Economist with Grant Thornton joins Hari Sreenivasan to discuss the economic effect of the pandemic.

Category: Economy
NOLA: FLMH 000406
Series Title: Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
Episode Title: Episode 6
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 8/8/2020 7:30:00 AM; 8/11/20 11:30:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:27:00

President Trump's top economic advisor Larry Kudlow discusses COVID-19's impact on the economy, jobs and businesses. He talks about what is next for federal stimulus spending, the massive deficit levels and his assessment of recovery.

Category: Economy
NOLA: MLNH 013036
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 8/19/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:05:54

With tens of millions of Americans reeling financially from the coronavirus pandemic, the future of the U.S. economy is on the minds of many. Both President Trump and Democratic challenger Joe Biden are seeking to convince voters they can revive the country. But what do their respective policies suggest? Paul Solman analyzes some of Biden's key economic proposals -- and how he would pay for them.

Category: Economy
NOLA: MLNH 013041
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 8/26/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:06:15

Throughout the Republican National Convention, supporters of President Trump have touted his economic record as a key reason they believe he should be reelected. But

what would a second-term policy agenda look like for Trump, as the coronavirus pandemic continues to limit economic growth and threaten American jobs? Paul Solman reports on Trump's record so far and proposals for the future.

Category: Economy
NOLA: MLNH 013048
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/4/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:06:27

The U.S. economy is continuing to climb back from its worst depths during the pandemic. The latest unemployment report contained good news about workers returning to the labor force, and about half of the 22 million jobs originally shed have been recovered. But how are average Americans faring financially? We hear from some of them, and economist Diane Swonk joins Judy Woodruff to discuss.

Category: Economy
NOLA: MLNH 013062
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/24/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:05:37

In our news wrap Thursday, Democrats at a Senate hearing pressed the Trump administration to negotiate a new pandemic relief package. But Treasury Secretary Steven Mnuchin said the country is already "in the midst of the fastest economic recovery from any crisis in U.S. history." Also, the president's niece, Mary Trump, accused him and his siblings of cheating her out of millions of dollars.

Education

Category: Education
NOLA: MLNH 013001
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/1/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:05:42

Millions of children and parents are desperate to know what the fall might look like in terms of school. Recently, a group of public health and pediatrics experts made the case that kids need to be in the classroom and not at home. William Brangham reports and talks to Sean O'Leary of the American Academy of Pediatrics about strategies for mitigating the risk of coronavirus spread in schools.

Category: Education
NOLA: MLNH 013010
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 7/14/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:07:19

How will the fall of 2020 look for students, families and schools as the pandemic reshapes the education landscape? Community colleges, which educate about 40 percent of U.S. undergraduates, were already stretched thin. Now, their enrollment is expected to increase as students and workers change their plans. Hari Sreenivasan reports on how Maryland's Montgomery College and its students are coping.

Category: Education
Series Title: More Than Just the Music
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/30/2020 9:00:00 PM
Service: Prairie Public
Format: Documentary

Since 2001, the Lincoln High School Concert Choir from Thief River Falls, Minnesota has performed a spring show to highlight social issues like diversity and humanitarianism through music, dance, art, and poetry. Led by vocal choir director Darcy Reese, this 60-minute documentary unveils the hard work and dedication that is required to become a successful choir.

Category: Education
NOLA: APOC 003023
Series Title: Amanpour and Company
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/31/2020 10:00:00 PM
Service: PBS-PLUS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Christiane speaks with Nobel Prize-winning economist Paul Krugman about the state of the U.S. economy. She also speaks with Russ Feingold and Paul Rosenzweig about Attorney General William Barr's testimony earlier this week. Walter Isaacson speaks with former Miami Dade college president Eduardo Padrón about why flexibility is needed to ensure every student can get an education.

Category: Education
NOLA: PNWE 001410
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Weekend
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 8/2/2020 5:30:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:05:40

The largest teacher's union in the U.S., the American Federation of Teachers, announced recently it would support any local chapters that strike due to their school's reopening without any safety measures. Randi Weingarten, the union's president, spoke with Hari Sreenivasan about safety concerns for teachers and what should be done about them.

Category: Education

NOLA: MLNH 013030
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 8/11/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:06:10

As the new academic year gets underway, college students, parents, administrators and faculty are deliberating over whether it will be safe to hold in-person classes and resume dorm life. And residents of the surrounding towns and cities worry about the risk that returning students could bring coronavirus back to campus with them. John Yang reports on one Massachusetts town's dilemma.

Category: Education
NOLA: MLNH 013034
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 8/17/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:03:15

In our news wrap Monday, the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill has returned to all-remote learning after an outbreak of the novel coronavirus. It was one of the largest schools in the country to bring students back to campus. Also, Afghanistan's government paused its freeing of the last batch of 320 Taliban prisoners, wanting the militant group to release more government soldiers first.

Category: Education
NOLA: MLNH 013049
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/7/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:03:21

As schools across the country resume, parents and educators are debating the relative merits of at-home and in-class learning. But what do the students themselves think? Our Student Reporting Labs program teamed up with Detroit Public Television for a series of video diaries to document this very unusual school year as it unfolds. Here are students' perspectives, in their own words.

Category: Education
NOLA: MLNH 013055
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Episode Title: Episode 55
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/15/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:11:06

After months of distance learning, students around the world are returning to the classroom -- even though many countries are bracing themselves for a second wave of coronavirus infections. What does the pandemic mean for children, parents and teachers this academic year? We take a global look, with special correspondents Olly Barratt, Lucy Hough, Patrick Hok and Michael Baleke reporting.

Category: Education
NOLA: AMDO 003309
Series Title: POV
Episode Title: In My Blood It Runs
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/21/2020 9:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Documentary
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Dujuan, age ten, is a child-healer and a good hunter and speaks three languages. Yet Dujuan is failing in school and facing increasing scrutiny from welfare authorities and the police. As he veers perilously close to incarceration, his family fights to give him a strong Arrernte education alongside his western education.

Category: Education
NOLA: MLNH 013065
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/29/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:09:40

The past few weeks have represented a back-to-school period like no other in recent memory. How are students, teachers, parents and administrators adapting to an academic year reshaped by the pandemic? We hear directly from some of them, and Daniel Domenech, executive director of the School Superintendents Association, joins Amna Nawaz to discuss the tough questions about reopening.

Environmental Issues

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters
NOLA: MLNH 013004
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/6/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:06:16

In our news wrap Monday, a federal judge has ordered the shutdown of the Dakota Access Pipeline pending an environmental review. The decision represents a major victory for the Standing Rock Sioux tribe. Also, Chicago suffered one of its bloodiest holiday weekends, with 17 people shot and killed -- including a 7-year-old girl and a 14-year-old boy. An additional 70 people were wounded by gunfire.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters
NOLA: PNWE 001413

Series Title: PBS NewsHour Weekend
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 8/15/2020 5:30:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:04:15

The Trump administration announced this week that it had finalized a rollback of an Obama-era climate rule on methane emissions – a move that was condemned by environmental groups. Tim Puko, who reports on energy policy for the Wall Street Journal, joins Hari Sreenivasan to explain the rule and its potential impact.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters
NOLA: MLNH 013037
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 8/20/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:04:55

In our news wrap Thursday, Greenland's ice sheet lost a record 586 billion tons of ice last year -- more than double the annual average. A new satellite study reported the finding, which researchers blame on a combination of climate change and an occasional weather effect that sends warmer air over Greenland. Also, Dr. Anthony Fauci had outpatient surgery to remove a polyp on his vocal cord.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters
NOLA: MLNH 013051
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/9/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:04:07

In our news wrap Wednesday, the United Nations is warning the warming globe could mean more natural disasters and extreme weather. A new report says the world is now nearly 2 degrees warmer than during pre-industrial times; the targeted ceiling set by the Paris Accord is 2.7 degrees. Also, Francis Collins of the National Institutes of Health insists a COVID-19 vaccine won't compromise safety.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters
NOLA: MLNH 013052
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/10/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:08:00

Jane Fonda is a Hollywood icon, with her Academy Award-winning acting career spanning decades. But she is also famous for her political activism. In a new book, Fonda describes her passion and protests advocating for stronger action on climate change.

She joins Judy Woodruff to discuss “What Can I Do? My Path from Climate Despair to Action” and how Americans can make a difference on the issue.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters
NOLA: MLNH 013063
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Episode Title: Episode 63
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/25/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:05:40

During his first term, President Trump has rolled back or weakened more than 100 environmental regulations. On Friday, his administration moved to open up the country’s largest national forest for development. Alaska’s Tongass National Forest has been called “America’s Amazon,” and it absorbs about 8 percent of U.S. carbon dioxide emissions. Amna Nawaz talks to The New York Times’ Coral Davenport.

Government/Politics

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: TTCY 002918
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 7/3/2020 11:30:00 PM; 7/4/2020 8:00:00 AM
Service: PBS-PLUS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:26:16

An in-depth interview with former panelist and The Root’s Editor-in-Chief, Danielle C. Belton. Belton gives us her view on cultural and racial issues, as well as insights into American politics and the 2020 elections.

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: PNWE 001402
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Weekend
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 7/5/2020 5:30:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:05:37

President Trump’s campaign will focus on claiming Trump is all that stands between America and the ‘un-American left wing forces’ trying to destroy the country’s cultural heritage, and paint Joe Biden as too weak to stop it, according to Special Correspondent Jeff Greenfield, who spoke with Hari Sreenivasan about the 2020 election.

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: CPOW 000000
Series Title: China: Power and Prosperity - PBS NewsHour Presents
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/8/2020 9:00:00 PM
Service: PBS

Format: Documentary
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Explore the future of China's relationship with the U.S., which will help determine the new international order, the dominant technology supporting the world's communications infrastructure, and the global economy.

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: MLNH 013012
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/16/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:03:55

As the pandemic continues to worsen, President Trump's poll numbers have declined -- and now he's shaking up his reelection bid in response. On Wednesday, Trump replaced campaign manager Brad Parscale with longtime GOP strategist Bill Stapien. The move came after Trump visited Georgia, where COVID-19 cases are rising -- along with a political battle over mask mandates. Lisa Desjardins reports.

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: MLNH 013016
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/22/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:04:59

On Tuesday, President Trump signed a memo aiming to bar undocumented immigrants from being included in the census count that determines how many members of Congress are allocated to each state. The census is conducted once in a decade, but it shapes funding, policy and power for years. Lisa Desjardins reports and talks to Hansi Lo Wang of NPR about what this and the pandemic mean for the census.

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: MLNH 013019
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/27/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:07:01

NPR's Tamara Keith and Amy Walter of the Cook Political Report join John Yang to discuss the latest political news, including what to make of poll numbers showing former Vice President Joe Biden with a substantial lead over President Trump, the political fallout of Trump's responses to the pandemic and protests over racism and what the upcoming conventions say about the two parties.

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: MLNH 013024
Series Title: PBS NewsHour

Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 8/3/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:13:17

With the election nearing and many parts of the U.S. in the grips of COVID-19, mail-in ballots have become a prominent issue. But President Trump has disparaged both the U.S. Postal Service and the integrity of voting by mail. What effect could his criticism have? William Brangham talks to Mark Dimondstein of the American Postal Workers Union and then Spencer Cox, lieutenant governor of Utah.

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: WWIR 006006
Series Title: Washington Week
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 8/7/2020 7:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:25:14

President Trump has been eager to project optimism about the COVID-19 pandemic but has faced scrutiny from reporters. In an interview aired this week with Jonathan Swan of Axios, the president responded to rises in death rates by saying “it is what it is,” while insisting the White House is doing everything it can to combat the virus. Meanwhile, in Congress, Democrats and the White House could not agree to a new round of stimulus or an expansion of the \$600 supplement to unemployed Americans that expired last week. The panel discussed the president’s response to the coronavirus crisis, the fate of a deal in Congress and the potential candidates to serve as Joe Biden’s vice-presidential pick.

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: MLNH 013031
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 8/12/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:06:58

With less than three months until Election Day, most of the nation’s attention has been focused on the presidential race. But more than 20 candidates who support a far-right conspiracy theory will be on the ballot for Congressional races in November. Amna Nawaz reports and talks to Travis View, co-host of the “QAnon Anonymous” podcast.

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: MLNH 013034
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 8/17/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:07:30

NPR's Tamara Keith and Amy Walter of the Cook Political Report join Judy Woodruff to discuss the latest political news, including the opening night of the Democratic National Convention, President Trump's counter-programming during a big week for former Vice President Joe Biden, Trump's efforts to undermine the U.S. Postal Service and how Congress might intervene in response.

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: PBCC 000604
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Convention Coverage
Episode Title: Democratic National Convention
Length: 180 minutes
Airdate: 8/20/2020 7:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 03:00:00

Coverage of the Fourth night of the Democratic National Convention. Joe Biden vowed to unite an America torn by crisis and contempt Thursday night, accepting the Democratic presidential nomination and achieving a pinnacle in an unfinished quest that has spanned three decades and been marred by personal tragedy, political stumbles and more dynamic rivals.

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: TTCY 002925
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 8/21/2020 11:30:00 PM; 8/22/20 8:00:00 AM
Service: PBS-PLUS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:26:16

Host Bonnie Erbe alongside Patrice Onwuka and Del. Eleanor Holmes Norton (D-DC) discuss former VP Joe Biden's nomination. Following the discussion, Sen. Tina Smith (D-MN) speaks on voting trends as well as her opinion on Biden's running mate, Sen. Kamala Harris (D-CA).

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: MLNH 013043
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 8/28/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:12:00

Syndicated columnist Mark Shields and New York Times columnist David Brooks join Judy Woodruff to discuss the week in politics, including their reactions to the Republican National Convention and President Trump's speech in particular, how the conventions could affect the presidential race and the public and political fallout of ongoing unrest over policing and racial injustice.

Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/2/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS

Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:05:38

Election season is in full swing, and President Trump and Democratic presidential nominee Joe Biden are both on the campaign trail. How have shifting demographics and an increasingly diverse voter base altered the electoral landscape since 2016? NPR's Domenico Montanaro joins Judy Woodruff to discuss population changes in competitive states and declining support for Trump among suburban voters.

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: MLNH 013049
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/7/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:09:30

NPR's Tamara Keith and Amy Walter of the Cook Political Report join Amna Nawaz to discuss the latest political news, including campaign messaging from President Trump and Democratic presidential nominee Joe Biden around the pandemic and the economy, whether Black voters could make the difference in key Midwestern states and the significance of voters casting ballots early by mail.

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: FLMH 000411
Series Title: Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
Episode Title: Episode 11
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 9/12/2020 7:30:00 AM; 9/15/2020 11:30:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:26:46

Sen. Bernie Sanders discusses supporting Biden's presidential bid despite policy differences and warns that Pres. Trump may refuse to leave office if he loses. Sanders says progressive ideas are gaining traction and discusses the movement's future.

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: MLNH 013054
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/14/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:07:42

NPR's Tamara Keith and Amy Walter of the Cook Political Report join Judy Woodruff to discuss the latest political news, including the differences between President Trump and former Vice President Joe Biden on climate change and what the Trump campaign's willingness to hold large indoor rallies says about Trump's perspective on the pandemic.

Category: National Politics/Government

NOLA: PNWE 001424
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Weekend
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 9/20/2020 5:30:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:03:21

President Trump announced he intends to nominate a woman for Justice Ginsburg's seat and several Republican Senators, who in 2016 opposed filling a SCOTUS seat in an election year, are supporting a vote. The contentious issue of the SCOTUS seat, which helped the Trump campaign in 2016, has galvanized the liberal base six weeks before the election. Jeff Greenfield joins Hari Sreenivasan to discuss.

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: MLNH 013062
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/24/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:05:28

Amid President Trump's refusal to commit to a peaceful transfer of power if he loses the election, new scrutiny is being applied to the security and integrity of American voting. Kathleen Hall Jamieson is director of the University of Pennsylvania's Annenberg Public Policy Center, and she joins Judy Woodruff to discuss Trump's "deeply problematic" statements and what they say about U.S. democracy

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: FLMH 000413
Series Title: Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
Episode Title: Episode 13
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 9/26/2020 7:30:00 AM; 9/29/2020 11:30:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:27:16

Congresswoman Val Demings (D-FL) discusses the Supreme Court vacancy, police reform, COVID and Florida's pivotal role in the presidential race. Demings was previously Orlando's first female police chief and on the short list to be Biden's VP.

Category: National Politics/Government
NOLA: DENR 000401
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Debates 2020
Episode Title: Presidential Debate
Length: 120 minutes
Airdate: 9/29/2020 8:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Event Coverage
Segment Length: 02:00:00

President Donald Trump (R) and Democratic presidential nominee Joe Biden participate in the first presidential debate at Case Western Reserve University on September 29, 2020 in Cleveland, Ohio.

Health & Healthcare

Category: Health/Health Care
NOLA: MLNH 013003
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/3/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:08:56

As the Fourth of July approaches, coronavirus cases are rising across the country, with businesses and public spaces again closing down as a result. Where does the U.S. stand in terms of managing this public health crisis? Judy Woodruff talks to top elected officials of two major metropolitan areas: Judge Lina Hidalgo of Harris County, Texas, and Mayor Carlos Gimenez of Miami-Dade County, Florida.

Category: Health/Health Care
NOLA: MLNH 013005
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/7/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:05:58

In our news wrap Tuesday, the Trump administration has officially notified Congress and the United Nations that the U.S. is withdrawing from the World Health Organization. The U.S. has previously contributed over \$400 million annually to the organization -- more than any other country. Also, one person has been hospitalized after a driver sped through a protest in Bloomington, Indiana, on Monday.

Category: Health/Health Care
NOLA: MLNH 013009
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/13/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:04:07

Hospitals across the U.S. are facing a widespread surge of coronavirus patients as new infection records continue to be set. Given the rising case numbers, some officials are calling for a return to more restrictions on residents and businesses. Meanwhile, the Trump administration is stepping up criticism of Dr. Anthony Fauci, the nation's top infectious disease expert. Yamiche Alcindor reports.

Category: Health/Health Care
NOLA: APOC 003010
Series Title: Amanpour and Company
Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 7/14/2020 11:00:00 PM
Service: PBS-PLUS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Epidemic expert Richard Hatchett gives an update on efforts to develop a COVID-19 vaccine. Khalil Gibran Muhammad discuss racism, mass incarceration and the war on drugs. Janet Napolitano, the president of the University of California, discusses the state of higher education amidst the pandemic.

Category: Health/Health Care
NOLA: FRON 003818
Series Title: Frontline
Episode Title: COVID's Hidden Toll
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/21/2020 9:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Documentary
Segment Length: 00:00:00

How the COVID crisis has hit vulnerable immigrants and undocumented workers.

Category: Health/Health Care
NOLA: MLNH 013018
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/24/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:08:18

In Alabama, doctors and nurses are seeing record numbers of hospitalizations associated with COVID-19. The state has reported more than 1,300 deaths since the pandemic began. But certain regions and populations within the state are faring far worse than others -- and huge health disparities among Black residents are causing even more dire results. Stephanie Sy reports on a tragic legacy.

Category: Health/Health Care
NOLA: FLMH 000405
Series Title: Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
Episode Title: Episode 5
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 8/1/2020 7:30:00 AM; 8/4/2020 11:30:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:26:46

Philanthropist Melinda Gates, who has committed more than \$300 million to fight COVID-19, discusses the race to develop vaccines, COVID-19's toll on women and the Trump administration's response to the pandemic.

Category: Health/Health Care
NOLA: MLNH 013031
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 8/12/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:07:07

Young people are making up a large proportion of the new coronavirus infections being seen across the U.S. In some states, such as Arizona and Florida, people under 45 account for more than half of all cases. Doctors are warning that young people need to take more precautions -- not only to keep from spreading the virus to older Americans, but for their own health as well. Stephanie Sy reports.

Category: Health/Health Care
NOLA: MLNH 013036
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 8/19/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:03:24

The pressure on doctors, nurses and other health care professionals has been constant throughout the coronavirus pandemic. Tara Rynders, a registered nurse in Colorado, has created an arts-based workshop designed to alleviate the stress and compassion fatigue that many medical providers experience. Rynders shares her Brief But Spectacular take on caring for those who care for us.

Category: Health/Health Care
Series Title: Prairie Pulse
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 8/21/2020 7:30:00 PM; 8/22/2020 6:30:00 PM
Service: Prairie Public
Format: Interview

John Harris interviews Melissa Markegard of Fargo Cass Public Health about the vaping crisis among young people.

Category: Health/Health Care
NOLA: MLNH 013039
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 8/24/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:03:29

In our news wrap Monday, the World Health Organization urged caution in treating COVID-19 patients with plasma from people who have had the virus. The U.S. Food and Drug Administration has authorized the treatment at President Trump's urging, but top WHO scientists reiterated it is still experimental. Also, doctors in Germany say tests indicate Russian dissident Alexei Navalny was poisoned.

Category: Health/Health Care
NOLA: MLNH 013044
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 8/31/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:12:23

The presidential election may determine the course of U.S. health care. America's health system is the most expensive in the world, brimming with innovation but also leaving more than 30 million people uninsured. How does it compare to services in other modern industrialized nations? William Brangham reports from Houston for the first in a new series, "The Best Health Care? America & the World."

Category: Health/Health Care
NOLA: MLNH 013046
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/2/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:09:42

Since the pandemic began, more Americans think U.S. health care is below average compared to other nations, and the possibility of moving to a system of universal coverage is up for debate. One potential model is Switzerland, which has achieved universal coverage while preserving the private marketplace. William Brangham reports as part of our series, The Best Health Care? America & the World.

Category: Health/Health Care
NOLA: MLNH 013052
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/10/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:08:44

For many Americans facing addiction, the pandemic has made life significantly harder. Across the country, overdoses have soared, with more than 40 states reporting increases in opioid-related mortality. But the coronavirus is also changing how addiction medicine can be provided, and some experts are saying that could be a silver lining in a devastating public health crisis. Stephanie Sy reports.

Category: Health/Health Care
NOLA: MLNH 013057
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/17/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:10:21

COVID-19 vaccine development continues to be the subject of political jostling, with President Trump contradicting top U.S. health officials regarding timeline and efficacy. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention say they expect to distribute vaccines publicly at no cost to the patient. But what will the government pay, and how much could drug companies profit? Paul Solman reports.

Category: Health/Health Care
NOLA: MLNH 013062
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/24/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:05:37

Amid coronavirus and Ruth Bader Ginsburg's death, health care is becoming an even more prominent issue in the presidential race. The Affordable Care Act's fate could be determined by the Supreme Court right after the election. Now, President Trump has issued two health-related executive orders. But do they have real impact? William Brangham talks to The Washington Post's Paige Winfield Cunningham.

Minorities/Civil Rights Issues

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights
Series Title: Prairie Pulse
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 7/3/2020 7:30:00 PM; 7/4/2020 6:30:00 PM
Service: Prairie Public
Format: Interview

John Harris interviews Dr. Donald Warne, director of the Indians Into Medicine program at the University of North Dakota.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights
NOLA: MLNH 013004
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/6/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:05:12

For months, it's been clear that the pandemic is taking a disproportionate toll on people of color. Now, new data quantifies the disparities, showing that African American and Latinx people are nearly three times as likely to contract COVID-19 as white Americans and twice as likely to die from it. Amna Nawaz talks to Dr. Kirsten Bibbins-Domingo of the University of California, San Francisco.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights
NOLA: AMEX 003209 Stacked
Series Title: Vote: American Experience; The
Length: 120 minutes
Airdate: 7/6/2020 8:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Documentary
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Explore how the challenges facing the women's suffrage movement, including internal debates over radical tactics and the place of African American women in the movement, shaped the battle in the crucial period from 1906-1915.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights
NOLA: AMEX 003211 Stacked
Series Title: Vote: American Experience; The
Length: 120 minutes
Airdate: 7/7/2020 8:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Documentary
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Explore the final four years, 1916-1920, of the campaign for the passage of the 19th Amendment and meet some of the unsung women whose tireless work would finally ban discrimination at American polls on the basis of sex.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights
Series Title: Basketball, Water and the Lost City of Elbowoods
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/9/2020 9:00:00 PM
Service: Prairie Public
Format: Documentary

"Basketball, Water, and the Lost City of Elbowoods" features the 1942 Elbowoods High School basketball team who made it to the North Dakota State Class B championship game, but lost in a bizarre twist that resulted in a 60-year effort to right a wrong.

Category: Women
NOLA: AMMS 003304
Series Title: American Masters
Episode Title: Unladylike2020
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/10/2020 8:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format:
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Explore the stories of pioneering women in American politics who advocated for suffrage and civil rights over 100 years ago, including the first women in the U.S. Congress and State Senate, and a co-founder of the NAACP.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights
NOLA: WEMA 000206
Series Title: We'll Meet Again
Episode Title: The Fight for Women's Rights
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 7/14/2020 7:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Documentary
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Join Ann Curry as two women search for friends and colleagues who fought for equal rights. One of the first female commercial pilots wants to thank her mentor, and an advocate hopes to find the woman who inspired her to join a movement.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights
NOLA: PNWE 001407
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Weekend
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 7/25/2020 5:30:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:03:53

Memorial services spread over six days starting Saturday will honor and celebrate the life and legacy of civil rights icon Rep. John Lewis who died after a battle with pancreatic cancer. The stops, across five cities, include Troy, Alabama, where he was born and Selma, where Lewis helped lead the voting rights march on "Bloody Sunday." Alabama Public Radio news director Pat Duggins joins to discuss.

Category: Disabilities
NOLA: PNWE 001408
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Weekend
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 7/26/2020 5:30:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:07:22

On the 30th anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act, we look at what the landmark civil rights law, which guarantees equal access to public resources and employment to disabled people has achieved and how much work remains. Dr. Oluwaferanmi Okanlami, assistant professor at the University of Michigan and a disabled person himself joins Hari Sreenivasan to discuss.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights
NOLA: MLNH 013026
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 8/5/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:07:46

The killing of George Floyd in Minneapolis in May prompted calls to change the policing structure there. On Wednesday night, the city's charter commission will decide whether to ask voters to begin the process of abolishing the police force -- and to clarify what would replace it. Special correspondent Fred de Sam Lazaro reports.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights
NOLA: PNWE 001412
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Weekend
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 8/9/2020 5:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:06:31

The killing of Michael Brown, a young unarmed Black man, by a police officer in Ferguson, Missouri, six years ago, sparked protests which changed the civil rights movement in the nation. Brittany Ferrell, an activist and organizer for the political advocacy group Black Futures Lab speaks with Ivette Feliciano about the ongoing Black Lives Matter protests and her experience in Ferguson.

Category: Women
NOLA: TTCY 002924
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 8/14/2020 11:30:00 PM; 8/15/2020 8:00:00 AM
Service: PBS-PLUS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:26:15

In a historic first, Joe Biden picked Kamala Harris as his running mate. She is the first African-American woman to be on a major presidential ticket. Former Rep. Katie Hill discusses her new memoir and whether she would run for office again. We discuss with Megan Beyer & Patrice Lee Onwuka.

Category: Women
NOLA: MLNH 013035
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 8/18/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:09:37

Tuesday marks a full century since the ratification of the 19th Amendment, which says that the right to vote "should not be denied or abridged" on the basis of sex. We look back to the path to that milestone, and Judy Woodruff talks to longtime activist and scholar Gloria Steinem about what challenges remain.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights
NOLA: PBCC 000603
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Convention Coverage
Episode Title: Democratic National Convention
Length: 180 minutes
Airdate: 8/19/2020 7:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 03:00:00

Coverage of the third night of the Democratic National Convention. The Democratic Party prepares to make history with Sen. Kamala Harris accepting the vice presidential nomination.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights
NOLA: MLNH 013039
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 8/24/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:05:43

Kenosha, Wisconsin, has become the latest flashpoint in ongoing national unrest over racism and police violence. Protests erupted Sunday night after an incident caught on video in which Jacob Blake, a Black man, appears to be shot by police, who said they had responded to a domestic disturbance. John Yang reports and talks to Zach Rodriguez, a member of the Kenosha County Board of Supervisors.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights
NOLA: MLNH 013043
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 8/28/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:10:14

Thousands of people gathered on the National Mall in Washington, D.C. on Friday to commemorate the iconic 1963 March on Washington -- and to communicate a message of their own, calling for an end to the killing of Black Americans at the hands of police. Yamiche Alcindor reports and talks to Jacob Blake Sr., father of Jacob Blake, whose shooting this week by Kenosha police sparked new outrage.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights
NOLA: MLNH 013048
Series Title: PBS NewsHour
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/4/2020 6:00:00 PM
Service: PBS
Format: News (live news only)
Segment Length: 00:02:24

In parts of the U.S., there continue to be protests and outrage over police conduct and responses to demonstrations. In Rochester, New York, the family of Daniel Prude is calling for officers involved in his March death to be fired and charged. And a self-identified anti-fascist suspected of killing a right-wing protester in Portland, Oregon, was killed by law enforcement. Amna Nawaz reports.

Category: Women
NOLA: TTCY 002917
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe
Length: 30 minutes
Airdate: 9/4/2020 11:30:00 PM; 9/5/2020 8:00:00 AM
Service: PBS-PLUS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:26:00

Host, Bonnie Erbe and the Director of the U.S. Department of Labor's Women's Bureau, Laurie Todd Smith discuss how far the U.S. has come in terms of women in the workplace and what more needs to be done. As the bureau celebrates its centennial, Smith speaks to what comes next. From public education to equal pay, this discourse shades light on what is needed to perfect the country's biggest concern.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights
NOLA: APOC 003049

Series Title: Amanpour and Company
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/7/2020 10:00:00 PM
Service: PBS-PLUS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Activists Aalayah Eastmond and Alicia Garza reflect on the role of young people in social movements like Black Lives Matter and the March for Our Lives. Author Lemn Sissay recounts his experiences of systemic racism growing up in Britain. Historians Annette Gordon-Reed and Jon Meacham discuss Thomas Jefferson's complicated legacy.

Category: Women
NOLA: PRBG 000000
Series Title: RBG: Her Legacy & The Court's Future, A PBS NewsHour Special
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/24/2020 7:00:00 PM
Service: PBS-NPS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg, a champion of women's rights and the Supreme Court's second female justice, died Sept. 18 at her home. Her work on sex discrimination cases early in her career helped accelerate gender equality in the U.S. Ginsburg was seen as a bastion for liberal values on the high court, where she authored a number of memorable opinions -- and became an unlikely pop culture icon.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights
NOLA: APOC 003062
Series Title: Amanpour and Company
Length: 60 minutes
Airdate: 9/24/2020 10:00:00 PM
Service: PBS-PLUS
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Black Lives Matter co-founder Patrisse Cullors reacts to the news that none of the officers involved in Breonna Taylor's death will be charged with her killing. Charles Ramsey joins the program to give his take. Novelist Robert Harris reflects on the passing of legendary journalist Sir Harold Evans. BuzzFeed Media Editor Craig Silverman analyzes recent allegations against Facebook.