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1. Woke up this afternoon to see countless Liberal Bourgeois around the world getting their knickers in a twist about what USA has been promoting in other countries around the world for generations, and insulting the great tradition of Historical Anarchism while they are at it.

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Smash and grab: Armed cops stop mob at chamber doors while a woman is treated after being shot (above) AP/WIDEWORLD



ANARCHY IN THE US



Fist of fury: Trump's salute to supporters at rally in Washington REUTERS

■ TRUMP SUPPORTERS STORM CONGRESS AS LAST BID TO OVERTURN ELECTION FAILS

■ BOMB FOUND IN GROUNDS OF CAPITOL AND WOMAN 'CRITICAL' AFTER BEING SHOT

FAR-RIGHT Donald Trump supporters stormed the US Capitol last night in a last-ditch bid to thwart Joe Biden's presidential election victory.

Congress was suspended and a curfew imposed in Washington DC as demonstrators - some of them armed - pushed past police and smashed doors and windows to get into the building.

Reports emerged that a woman was 'critical' after being shot in the chest.

Politicians including vice president Mike Pence were moved to secure loca-

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tions, while officers fired tear gas as clashes broke out. A pipe bomb was found on the Capitol grounds and removed, authorities said.

Some protesters managed to get into the Senate and House chambers while thousands surrounded the building.

It came only hours after Mr Trump told a rally of supporters outside the



Surge: Trump followers swarm Capitol AP/WIDEWORLD

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2. Some more of the same nonsense

ANARCHY IN THE USA

One shot and many injured as Trump supporters storm US Capitol

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Armed Capitol police inside the House Chamber, protesters in the Rotunda, and a shooting victim is taken away, right

VACCINE: THE BIG PUSH STARTS TODAY

By **Sam Lister** Deputy Political Editor

FAMILY doctors will vaccinate patients with the Oxford coronavirus jab from today in a major step forward to protect the most vulnerable.

First batches of the newly-approved drug will be given to care home residents in a ramped-up drive to save lives. Some

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CIA: Overthrowing Democratically-Elected Governments Since 1946



- China: 1949 to early 1960s
- Iran: 1953
- Guatemala: 1954
- Costa Rica: mid-1950s, 1970-71
- Syria: 1957-58, 2011 to present
- Egypt: 1957
- Indonesia: 1957-58, 1965
- British Guiana, 1953-1964
- Iraq: 1963, 1991, 2003 to present
- North Vietnam: 1945-1973
- Cambodia: 1955-1970
- Laos: 1958-59, 1960
- Ecuador: 1960-63, 2000
- Congo: 1960
- Brazil: 1962-64
- Dominican Republic: 1963
- Cuba: 1959 to present
- Bolivia: 1964, 1971
- Ghana: 1966
- Angola: 1975, 1980s
- Zaire: 1975
- Jamaica: 1976, 1980
- Turkey: 1980, 2016 (the failed coup attempt)
- Chad: 1981-82
- Grenada: 1983
- South Yemen: 1982-84
- Suriname: 1982-84
- Fiji: 1987
- Libya: 1980s, 2011 to present
- Nicaragua: 1981, 1990
- Panama: 1989
- Afghanistan: 1980s, 2001 to present
- Somalia: 1993, 2007 to present
- Venezuela: 2002
- Haiti: 2004

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U.S. MILITARY INTERVENTIONS IN LATIN AMERICA



7. US media support for coups

You can argue until the cows come home about US involvement in regime change, military juntas and coups, even the ones supported by the NY Times, for example

<https://t.co/32MnpiB4hv>

<u>Coup, counter coup or attempted coup/counter-coup</u>	<u>NYT Support</u>
1954: Guatemala coup	Yes
1961: Cuba, Bay of Pigs invasion	Yes
1964: Brazil coup	Yes
1965: Dominican Republic invasion	Yes
1973: Chile coup	Yes
1976: Argentina coup	Yes
1983: Grenada invasion	No/Mixed
1989: Panama invasion	Yes
1994: Haiti invasion	Yes
2002: Venezuela attempted coup	Yes
2009: Honduras coup (note: no evidence of CIA involvement)	Mixed
2019: Venezuelan attempted coup	Yes

8. NY Times not so happy when it is on their own turf!

TRUMP INCITES MOB

RAMPAGE IN CAPITOL FORCES EVACUATIONS; IT'S 'PART OF HIS LEGACY,' A REPUBLICAN SAYS



Lawmakers Back Biden's Victory in Arizona

By NICHOLAS FANDOS
and EMILY COCHRANE

WASHINGTON — Congress moved late Wednesday toward confirming President-elect Joseph R. Biden Jr.'s victory after a mob of loyalists urged on by President Trump stormed and occupied the Capitol, disrupting the final electoral count in a shocking display of violence that shook the core of American democracy.

There was no parallel in modern American history, with insurgents acting in the president's name vandalizing Speaker Nancy Pelosi's office, smashing win-

9. Worldwide since WW2


A startling map and a nice long partial list:

<https://t.co/0Sq8LixFG>



Map 2:

US Military and CIA Interventions since World War II

■ targeted countries
  US bombings
  US government assassination plots

Source: William Blum, *Killing Hope: U.S. Military and CIA Intervention Since World War II*, 2004 and *Rogue State*, 2005. (<http://www.killinghope.org/>)

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10. World Coupball Cup - USA vs Iran, guess the score?

IRAN

USA

China 1945-46
Syria 1949
Korea 1950-53
China 1950-53
Iran 1953
Guatemala 1954
Tibet 1955-70s
Indonesia 1958
Cuba 1959
Democratic Republic of
the Congo 1960-65
Iraq 1960-63
Dominican Republic
1961
Vietnam 1961-73
Brazil 1964
Belgian Congo 1964
Guatemala 1964
Laos 1964-73
Dominican Republic
1965-66
Peru 1965
Greece 1967
Guatemala 1967-69
Cambodia 1969-70
Chile 1970-73
Argentina 1976
Turkey 1980
Poland 1980-81
El Salvador 1981-92
Nicaragua 1981-1990
Cambodia 1980-95
Angola 1980
Lebanon 1982-84
Grenada 1983-84
Philippines 1986
Libya 1986
Iran 1987-88
Libya 1989
Panama 1989-90
Iraq 1991
Kuwait 1991
Somalia 1992-94
Iraq 1992-1996
Bosnia 1995
Iran 1998
Sudan 1998
Afghanistan 1998
Yugoslavia - Serbia 1999
Afghanistan 2001
Iraq 2002-3
Somalia 2006-2007
Iran 2005-present
Libya 2011

11. Back to South America
The Cases of Chile and Guyana
<https://t.co/pNX46OxFFH>



12. Between 1947 and 1989, the United States tried to change other nations' governments 72 times. That's a remarkable number. It includes 66 covert operations and six overt ones.

<https://t.co/htzkJTgcu9>

13. 35 countries where the U.S. has supported fascists, drug lords and terrorists a handy history guide -- from A (Argentina) to Z (Zaire)

<https://t.co/Ck7xHpjXyB>

14. A bitter history lesson from [@telesurenglish](#)

<https://t.co/afg1j1IH6C>

15. An Academic Analysis

<https://t.co/15W0XCulxH>

16. Angry Uncle Knows what is best

<https://t.co/cUXMSf9kE6>

17. Murder, Injustice and Fear



18. Chickens come home to roost?



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