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Top news from around the world

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Popular science news **not** related to the current global crisis.

GREENLAND

New simulations indicate that a rocky valley detected under the island's ice sheet may contain a 1,600-kilometer-long subterranean river, flowing from central Greenland to its northern coast.

Indicate – ukazivati

Valley – dolina

Ice sheet – ledeni pokrivac

Subterranean – podzemni

Coast - obala

ENGLAND

Researchers found 1,700-year-old chicken eggs, along with other ancient objects, in a waterlogged pit in southeastern England. A few eggs broke during extraction, releasing a sulfurous smell—but one remained intact, making it the only complete egg found from Roman Britain.

Research – istrazivanje

Researcher – istrazivac

Ancient – drevan

Waterlogged - preplavljen

To extract – izvaditi

Pit - jama

Sulfurous – sumporasti (pridev)

Sulfur/Sulphur – sumpor

To remain – ostati

Intact – u celini

AUSTRALIA

To help boost Sydney Harbor's endangered seahorse population, scientists bred baby seahorses in an aquarium and built crab-trap-like undersea "hotels" to protect them as they adapt to the wild.

To boost – poboljsati

Harbor – luka

Endangered – ugrozen

Seahorse – morski konjic

To breed – uzgajati

Crab - kraba

Trap – zamka

To adapt – adaptirati, prilagoditi

Wild – divljina

ANTARCTICA

Scientists test-drove a meter-long, wheeled rover that streamed live views of the depths as it rolled along the underside of Antarctic ice. The Buoyant Rover for Under-Ice Exploration (BRUIE) could someday explore frozen-over seas on worlds such as Jupiter's moon Europa.

Scientist – naucnik

Science – nauka

Test-drive – probna voznja

Rover – vozilo za istrazivanje

Depth – dubina

Underside – donja strana

Buoyant – plutajuci

Exploration - istrazivanje

Frozen-over – potpuno zaledjen

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