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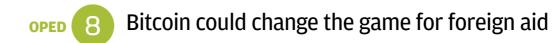
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#### Queen Elizabeth II thanks Bahrain's leadership

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is Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al ▲Khalifa received a cable of thanks from Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II of the United Kingdom, Northern Ireland and the Commonwealth in reply to his congratulatory cable on her birthday anniversary.

HM the Queen expressed thanks and appreciation to HM the King for his noble sentiments, wishing him steady good health and happiness and further progress and prosperity to Bahrain.

Similar cables were also sent by Her Majesty to His Royal Highness Prince Khalifa bin Salman Al Khalifa, the Prime Minister and His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince, Deputy Supreme Commander and First Deputy Premier.

#### **US 'not looking for** regime change' in Iran



AFP |Tokyo

The United States is not ■ seeking regime change in Iran, President Donald Trump said yesterday, as tensions between the two countries rise with Washington deploying troops to the region.

"We're not looking for regime change, we're looking for no nuclear weapons," Trump said at a press conference in Tokyo, adding that he thinks "we'll make a deal" with Tehran.



# GCC, Arab summits vital to region: PM

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The Cabinet chaired by Prime Minister, HRH Prince Khalifa bin Salman Al Khalifa, yesterday asserted Bahrain's full solidarity with Saudi Arabia in all measures it takes to strengthen the region's stability and peace.

The emergency Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) and Arab summits, HRH the Premier said, is vital considering the critical situation the region is currently going through.

"Whoever seeks their coun-Saudi security and stability, and has to counter any attempts to said calling on to adopt unified of sisterly Saudi Arabia.

The session wished the two with Saudi Arabia. emergency summits every succountries and their peoples.

attack on Holy Makka by the of the UAE Armed Forces, HH



His Royal Highness Prime Minister Prince Khalifa bin Salman Al Khalifa chairs the regular weekly Cabinet session at the Gudaibiya Palace, yesterday

The session described the attarget it," the Prime Minister tack as a despicable assault on long-standing distinguished ny in Geneva. the sanctity of the holy sites that solid relations between Bah-GCC and Arab stances in support provokes all Muslims, affirming rain and the UAE, and their joint Bahrain's full-fledged solidarity keenness to strengthen them

The Cabinet then welcomed

try's stability should be keen on Houthi militias with a ballistic Shaikh Mohammed bin Zayed tended thanks to WHO Direc-Al-Nahyan.

further.

cess in coming up with resolu- the visit carried out by His deep pride in the feelings ex- to strengthen the security and tions that would serve the in- Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al pressed by well-wishers while terests of GCC, Arab and Islamic Khalifa to the United Arab Emir- congratulating him on being seates, and his meeting with the lected on honoured by the World The Cabinet also condemned Abu Dhabi Crown Prince and Health Organisation (WHO) as a

The Prime Minister also ex- stressed the importance of pre-

tor-General and all those who HRH Premier lauded the attended the honouring ceremo-

#### GCC march hailed

The Cabinet lauded the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) as The Premier further voiced an entity that was established stability of its member states and enhance their peoples' progress and prosperity.

Commenting on the GCC's in strongest terms the brutal Deputy Supreme Commander World Leader in the health field. 38th Anniversary, the Cabinet

serving the GCC and praised the landmark achievements attained.

#### 'Complete projects in Muharraq'

The Prime Minister gave directives to complete development projects in Muharraq regarding services, education and facilities, according to the pre-set schedule.

HRH Premier highlighted the importance of the new Muharraq Central Market, which was opened under his patronage last Wednesday, in providing more services for the Muharraq cit-

# **BD 230** million to finance

### Crown Prince calls for greater ties with Jordan

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**→** RH the Crown Prince yesterday called for further deepening the bilateral cooperation between Bahrain and Jordan.

During a meeting with HRH

Prince Hashim bin Al Hussein, His Majesty King Abdulla II's Chief Royal Councillor at Riffa Palace, HRH Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa highlighted the longstanding bilateral relations between the Kingdom of Bahrain and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan.



HRH Crown Prince with HRH Prince Hashim bin Al Hussein

For his part, HRH Prince Crown Prince, Deputy Supreme Hashim expressed his appreci- Commander and First Deputy Family Council attended the ation and gratitude to HRH the Prime Minister on his warm meeting.

hospitality, wishing the Kingdom of Bahrain further prosperity. The Crown Prince hosted an Iftar banquet in honour of HRH Prince Hashim and the accompanying delegation.

HH Shaikh Isa bin Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, HH Shaikh Mohamed bin Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, HE Shaikh Salman bin Khalifa Al Khalifa, Minister of Finance and National Economy and HE Shaikh Salman bin Khaled Al Khalifa, Director General of the Royal



40 violations **13** found at pharmacies

Stray dogs attack man in Manama

> Trump not bothered by NK missile tests

#### GAME CHANGER

## Dubai group 'agree terms' for Newcastle takeover

AFP | London

epresentatives of Dubai-based Sheikh Khaled Bin Zayed Al Nahyan said yesterday they had owner Mike Ashley, moving closer to the earliest opportunity." completing a deal to buy the Premier League club.

A statement from billionaire Sheikh Khaled's Bin Zayed Group said: "We history and tradition of the club" can confirm that representatives of His Highness Sheikh Khaled Bin Zayed Al Khaled, a relative of Manchester City

Nahyan are in discussions with Mike Ashley and his team, about the proposed acquisition of Newcastle United Football

"We have agreed terms and are work-"agreed terms" with Newcastle United ing hard to complete the transaction at

> The statement said Sheikh Khaled considered it "an honour to have the opportunity to build on the strong support,

Reports at the weekend said Sheikh



Sheikh Khaled Bin Zayed Al Nahyan has reportedly agreed terms to buy Newcastle

owner Sheikh Mansour, was close to sealing a £350 million (\$443 million) takeover

A spokesman for the club "politely declined" to comment, but sources close to the club have indicated there was

Ashley, the founder of the Sports Direct retail chain, bought the club for £134.4 million in 2007 but has faced a string of protests from supporters disgruntled at what they see as a lack of investment in players.