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WBP Online

► <u>German Industrial Production Surprisingly Contracts May</u> Industrial production in Europe's number one economy contracted in the fifth month of the year on a monthly basis.

RTT News

▶ Fed still uncertain about rate hike timing, June minutes show

In a report made somewhat irrelevant by the UK's shocking Brexit decision, the minutes of the June Federal Reserve meeting revealed officials are still leaning toward raising interest rates this year.

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NDTV

France Overtakes Britain As World's No. 5 Economy After Pound Drops

France and Britain were vying for fifth place on the list of the world's biggest economies on Wednesday, with France nudging ahead after a renewed slump in the pound in the wake of the Brexit vote, Reuters calculations showed.

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AUD/USD recovers from S&P's outlook downgrade

Outlook downgrade by the ratings agency S&P failed to have a major impact as the AUD/USD pair is back above 0.75 handle and trading...

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Dennis Gartman, founder of The Gartman Letter, shares his outlook for gold prices and says the Federal Reserve has no reason to do anything.

Bloomberg

FOMC Minutes Released: Here's What We've Learned

Federal Reserve officials left interest rates on hold last month as heightened uncertainties about the U.S. labor market and financial stability threatened their outlook, according to minutes of their meeting the week before the U.K. voted to leave the European Union.

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The Guardian

▶ John Howard defends Iraq war, saying it was 'justified at the time'

Former PM says claims Australia went to war on a lie are untrue: 'There were errors in intelligence but there was no lie'

Business Insider

► No charges will be brought against Hillary Clinton in email case

US Attorney General Loretta Lynch on Wednesday said no charges will be brought against Hillary Clinton for her use of a private email server as secretary of state, according to Reuters.

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Investing

► Gold stays near 28-month high as focus turns to U.S. jobs report

Gold prices held near the prior session's 28-month high in European trade on Thursday, as market players looked ahead to key U.S. employment data for more clues on the Federal Reserve's next move.

The Business Times

▶ Oil prices up as data points to falling US stockpiles

Oil prices rose in Asia Thursday, tracking a broad advance across equity markets, as the US dollar weakened and after private data showed another drop in US inventories.

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Eugene Chausovsky

How Russia will use Brexit to fight EU sanctions

Europe is not the only region affected by Britain's vote to leave the bloc. The decision will also have significant effects on Russia, especially where sanctions are concerned.

David Fessler

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