

# Capitol revelations, Ukrainian grain and farewell to Neighbours

At times, the eight public sessions of the US House committee hearings into the January 6 assault on the Capitol have felt less like a government inquiry and more like the climax of a TV drama. The revelations - with more promised for later in the year - have shocked millions of viewers, but how far have they changed attitudes towards Donald Trump, who risked everything to try to overturn the results of the 2020 election? Chris McGreal reports from the key swing state of Wisconsin, while Guardian US political correspondent Lauren Gambino weighs up the likelihood of criminal charges against the former president.

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A United Nations-brokered deal between Russia, Ukraine and Turkey has raised hopes that grain exports can resume through the Black Sea, greatly reducing the risk of a global food supply crisis. Joanna Partridge considers the challenging logistics, while Peter Beaumont reports from the Ukrainian port of Odesa, where there are doubts as to whether the fragile arrangement can hold.

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Generations of TV viewers in Britain, Australia and beyond grew up with the daytime soap opera *Neighbours*. Its sunny depiction of life in suburban Melbourne often belied groundbreaking plotlines, and launched the careers of the likes of Kylie Minogue, Guy Pearce and Margot Robbie. As the show draws to a close, its stars past and present recall the highs and lows of life on Ramsay Street.

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**On the cover** As the televised House committee hearings into the January 6 Capitol riot reached what some called a 'season finale' last week, it was clear Donald Trump's attempts to overturn the 2020 election result still cast a long shadow over American democracy. Could the hearings lead to charges against the former president? *Graphic: Brendan Smialowski/AFP/Getty; Jack Gruber/USA Today/Reuters; Guardian Design*



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