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On the cover A dizzying week of escalation between Israel and Hezbollah began with exploding pagers and walkie-talkies and culminated in a ferocious Israeli bombardment killing hundreds of people. Backed by Iran, the Lebanon-based Shia militia has conducted a 40-year shadow war with Israel. Is this the intensification that signals all-out war? Guardian Design; Rabih Daher/AFP/Getty

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