

# Local News

Private sector knocks FG as Buhari signs finance bill

The Organised Private Sector on Monday warned the government against fleecing the people and endangering productivity. Click here to read more.

## Loans without collateral to fall in Q1 - CBN

The availability of loans without collateral will fall in the first quarter of the year, the Central Bank of Nigeria has said. Click here to read more.

## 13 banks pay N136.84bn tax in nine months

Thirteen commercial banks listed on the Nigerian Stock Exchange paid N136.84bn in taxes to the Federal Inland Revenue Service in the nine-month period ended September 30, 2019. Click here to read more.

## NSE recovers N1.44bn shares for investors

The Nigerian Stock Exchange said it was able to recover N1.44bn worth of shares for investors in the year 2019. Click here to read more.

## Company News

## MTN share price leads N112bn market gain

The equities market opened the week with N112bn gain as 16 gainers emerged, led by MTN Nigeria Communications Plc, whose share price increased by 10 per cent on the back of the revocation of its \$2bn tax case in Nigeria. Click here to read more.

### CAA: Microsoft boss calls India's new citizenship law 'sad'

Microsoft boss Satya Nadella has spoken out about India's controversial new citizenship law. Click here to read more.

## International News

## US reverses China 'currency manipulator' label

The US has reversed its decision to brand China a currency manipulator as the two countries prepare to wind down their trade war. Click here to read more.

## The stage is finally set for impeachment's dramatic, divisive endgame

The imminent final act of America's impeachment ordeal will be played for far higher political stakes than might be expected given the all-but-guaranteed acquittal of President Donald Trump in his trial in the Republican-led Senate. Click here to read more.

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