

# **News Flow**

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# Local News

# Nigeria's daily oil production sinks to 1.17 million barrels

Crude oil production in Nigeria tumbled by 155,000 barrels to a record low in December amid the production cuts by the Organisation of the Petroleum Exporting Countries and its allies. Click here to read more.

#### 118,044 retirees withdraw N29.26bn, leave pension scheme

A total of 118,044 retirees withdrew N29.26bn from their Retirement Savings Accounts and left the Contributory Pension Scheme because they had low balances in their accounts which could not be utilised as monthly stipends for them. Click here to read more.

#### Investors gain N325bn as 49 stocks rise

Equity trading on the floor of the Nigerian Stock Exchange, on Thursday, closed on a positive note with a gain of N325bn. Click here to read more.

#### Lagos plans bonds, others to fund N192.49bn budget deficit

The Lagos State Government says it will explore a number of sources including bonds, domestic borrowing and foreign debt to finance a gap of N192.49bn contained in its 2021 budget. Click here to read more.

# Company News

#### Poshmark turns used clothes into \$7.1bn stock listing

Second-hand shopping site Poshmark hit a value of more than \$7.1bn (£5.2bn) in its first day of trading, as investor demand sent its shares soaring. Click here to read more.

## Primark refuses to go online despite £1bn lockdown loss

Primark says it has no plans to sell its clothes online despite warning that lockdown store closures could cost it more than £1bn in lost sales. Click here to read more.

# International News

### UK economy shrank by 2.6% in November

The UK economy shrank by 2.6% in November as fresh lockdown restrictions in England reduced economic activity, official figures show. Click here to read more.

#### Joe Biden unveils \$1.9tn US economic relief package

President-elect Joe Biden has unveiled a \$1.9tn (£1.4tn) stimulus plan for the coronavirus-sapped US economy before he takes office next week. Click here to read more.

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