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MatchesFashion.com is celebrating its 30th anniversary. Image credit: Matches fashion

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[The House of Creed looks to Iceland with Viking](#)

Seven years which is how long it's taken The House of Creed to release a new men's scent is a lifetime in the fragrance world. But the nearly 257-year-old brand isn't worried about market trends and research or seasons. Viking, which will start to roll out next month after an official launch in Iceland, is the first men's eau de parfum from Creed since Aventus hit counters in 2010 which remains a bestseller, says Women's Wear Daily.

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The head of luxury British carmaker Aston Martin said on Thursday that non-tariff barriers to trade, which could slow down the export of the firm's top-end models, were his biggest concern about Brexit, reports Reuters.

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