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Belmond El Encanto in Santa Barbara, CA. Image credit: Belmond

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LVMH Mot Hennessy Louis Vuitton found a home in hotels in addition to wines, spirits, perfumes, cosmetics, watches, jewelry, leather goods, fashion and more. When the Bernard Arnault-run giant agreed to buy hotel operator Belmond for \$2.6 billion last week, the deal was a surprise, but the rationale wasn't, says Women's Wear Daily.

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Georges Kern looked poised for the top job at luxury conglomerate Cie. Financiere Richemont SA, where a 17-year run took him from youngest chief executive officer of one of Richemont's major brands to the head of all watchmaking, including oversight of storied names such as Cartier, Piaget and Vacheron Constantin. Then four months after his promotion in early 2017, he quit, according to Bloomberg.

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Four Seasons Holdings Inc., long one of the world's top luxury brands and the operator of opulent hotels, is having a hard time finding someone to lead the company, reports the Wall Street Journal.

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Every December, the holiday classics return to television, mainstay tales like "Frosty the Snowman" and "How the Grinch Stole Christmas." And don't forget those commercials where someone wakes up to a luxury car in the driveway on Christmas morning, per The New York Times.

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