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Tesla's Model 3 sedan. Image credit: Tesla

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Tesla Inc. agreed to acquire battery-technology company Maxwell Technologies Inc. for about \$218 million in stock, as Elon Musk adds expertise in capacitors that could speed up electric-car charging, reports Bloomberg.

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[Italian fashion chamber unveils Milan Fashion Week official schedule](#)

The Italian Fashion Chamber on Monday detailed the upcoming edition of Milan Fashion Week, which runs from Feb. 19 to 25, says Women's Wear Daily.

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[Manhattan's luxury market logs most contracts so far this year](#)

Manhattan's luxury real estate market has started 2019 off slow, and though the sector is hardly showing signs of sprinting, last week it logged the most activity so far this year, according to Monday's Olshan Report, per Mansion Global.

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[It took Chanel 9 days and a team of 150 to build an indoor beach](#)

At Chanel's most recent spring ready-to-wear collection, held in Paris' Grand Palais on an overcast morning last October, nearly 3,000 guests were transported to Sylt, a tiny German island in the North Sea, where Karl Lagerfeld,

the house's longtime artistic director, first remembers encountering the ocean as a child, according to The New York Times.

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