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Day's wrap: Farfetch, luxury stocks, Hearst, Wheels Up and Waldorf Astoria

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Waldorf Astoria Beijing's new Into Deep Space 3D Projection Afternoon Tea. Image credit: Waldorf Astoria

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Luxury Daily's live news from Aug. 9:

Farfetch furthers streetwear push with New Guards Group acquisition



Retail group Farfetch is getting into brand building and ownership by acquiring New Guards Group, the parent company of buzzy streetwear labels Off-White and Palm Angels.

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Even with luxury groups reporting record sales, investor interest in luxury stocks waned last month.

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Private aviation firm Wheels Up will be focusing on enhancing its digital platform after surpassing a valuation of \$1.1 billion in its latest round of funding.

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Media group Hearst is going in a new direction with its targeted advertising by serving print campaigns based on what subscribers read online.

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