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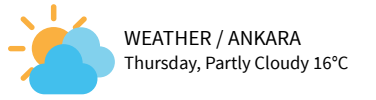
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Turkey eyes to attract int'l leading researchers

New program set to be launched on Dec. 15 also aims to bring Turkish researchers back home, says technology minister

ISTANBUL - A program to bring Turkish researchers back home will be launched on Dec. 15, Turkey's technology and industry minister said on Wednesday. International Leading Researchers Program aims to bring top-level researchers for their contributions to projects with strategic value, Mustafa Varank said at the opening ceremony of a smart technologies exhibition, Smart Future Expo 2018, in

Istanbul. Varank said the program, which is a pioneer in terms of the opportunities provided to researchers, will be conducted in coordination with the Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey (TUBITAK). The program will also include foreign researchers and provide incentives in eight different fields, Varank added. **MORE DETAILS**



US: Death toll from California wildfires at 50

By Umar Farooq

WASHINGTON - The death toll in wildfires in the state of California rose to 50, officials said Tuesday. The Camp Fire surpassed state records, becoming the most deadly and most destructive fire the state has

ever seen.

It has burned 130,000 acres, at least 8,800 structures and killed 48 people. It is being fought by more than 5,600 fire personnel, yet the fire continues to grow. "This the deadliest fire in the wildland fire history of the United States... **MORE DETAILS**



Turkey to continue support for Ahiska Turks

By Jeyhun Aliyev

ANKARA - Turkey will continue to "actively support the just cause" of Ahiska Turks, the country's Foreign Ministry said on Wednesday. The ministry's statement marked the 74th anniversary of the deportation of Ahiska Turks, also known as Meskhetian Turks, who were

forced to migrate from the Caucasus during the Soviet era. "On 14 November 1944, almost 100,000 Ahiska Turks were forcefully deported from their homeland in Ahiska, Georgia, to the distant regions of the Soviet Union," the statement said. It noted that many of Ahiska Turk brothers and... **MORE DETAILS**

Halt to forced Rohingya repatriation urged



By Nilay Kar Onum

ISTANBUL - The Brussels-based think tank International Crisis Group (ICG) urged Bangladesh to halt the plan to

return Rohingya refugees to Myanmar. In a statement titled "Bangladesh-Myanmar: The Danger of Forced Rohingya Repatriation" on Monday, the group criticized the deal between

Myanmar and Bangladesh for the Nov. 15 repatriation of more than 2,000 Rohingya refugees.

"Myanmar and Bangladesh should halt the plan and instead work... **MORE DETAILS**

9th Bosphorus Summit to be held on Nov. 26-28

ISTANBUL - Istanbul will host international decision makers at the end of November. The 9th Bosphorus Summit will see the attendance of state administrators, businesspeople and influential people under the theme of "Sustaining Peace and Development for All" between Nov. 26-28. "With the Bosphorus Summits, political,

economic and cultural accumulations will provide global gains in the direction of national interests and common ideals," according to the summit's official website. The event aims to increase trade investment and bring businesspeople together, as well as gathering people who can discuss developments in the fields of economics... **MORE DETAILS**

N. Syrian tribes hail Turkey's anti-YPG/PKK efforts



JARABULUS/ANKARA - Local tribes in Syria's Manbij region have declared their support for Turkish efforts to rid the area of the YPG/PKK terrorist group. Leaders of the tribes, many members of which have been displaced by YPG/PKK terrorists, met recently in Jarabulus, which was liberated from the Daesh terrorist group

by Turkey's Operation Euphrates Shield. A total of 800 people -- including representatives of 25 tribes, the Syrian opposition's interim government and the Free Syrian Army -- attended the meeting. Attendees stressed the importance of national unity and solidarity. Some attendees held banners reading:... **MORE DETAILS**