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Date: 2/10/2017 10:42:37 AM  
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What's the value of doing something so as not to be dormant for a day? For instance, "Congratulations Greenville!" and the link?

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From: Hayden Grooms  
Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 10:33 AM  
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- Greenville No. 29 ranked city on U.S. News and World Reports

<http://www.greenvilleonline.com/story/news/2017/02/09/greenville-top-30-best-places-live-america/97719592/>

- SC legislators took trips to Turkey, paid for by groups associated with an exiled Muslim cleric who was accused of being behind a failed coup attempt in Turkey last summer.

<http://www.greenvilleonline.com/story/news/2017/02/09/sc-legislators-among-those-who-took-turkey-trips/97684958/>

- Federal appeals court refused to let President Trump reinstitute his travel ban

<http://www.greenvilleonline.com/story/news/politics/2017/02/09/appeals-court-trump-travel-ban-immigration-refugee-muslim-president/97644206/>

- S.C. House's budget panel approved a 10-cent-a-gallon gas-tax increase

<http://www.thestate.com/news/politics-government/article131701129.html#storylink=cpy>

- Trump takes important step forward in regards to Chinese diplomacy, by reaffirming the one-China policy. The policy requires Washington maintain only unofficial ties with Taiwan, the self-governing island that China claims as its own territory.

[http://www.postandcourier.com/ap/in-shift-trump-tells-china-s-president-he-will-honor/article\\_c20fda5e-ef9f-11e6-be2d-4748c67b97a9.html](http://www.postandcourier.com/ap/in-shift-trump-tells-china-s-president-he-will-honor/article_c20fda5e-ef9f-11e6-be2d-4748c67b97a9.html)

Not much that's noteworthy today. I'll keep you posted if I see anything else.