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Access to reliable, professional journalism is a fundamental part of a functioning democracy. The last 20 years has seen the world's media consolidate to five corporations with the vast majority of small, local news sources either closing or being swallowed by big-tech. This bill fairly compensates journalists and their news organizations for their intellectual property and may stave off the further erosion of small, independent journalism. Support this bill!!