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The story can be about anything, but should include your own reporting and at least one interview you have done with someone you don't know. (We encourage you to go out and about to talk to people, only if it is safe to do so. Video interviews are also a good option.) This could be anyone who interests you: such as a postman, a politician or a shopkeeper. The piece can be up to 1,000 words long.

Please also write some social-media copy to promote your piece. This should include four tweets (each shorter than 140 characters) and one Instagram post. The *1843* social-media accounts will give you a sense of our style and tone, but please feel free to be creative.

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- <https://www.economist.com/1843/2020/10/28/delivering-the-election-a-rural-mailman-makes-his-rounds?fsrc=job-ad>
- <https://www.economist.com/1843/2020/09/02/why-the-baked-bean-divides-america-and-britain?fsrc=job-ad>

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