



Highfliers: An international kite festival in Xianyang, Northwest China's Shaanxi province, kicked off on March 31 and attracted more than 150 attendees from home and abroad.
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Big picture: An aerial view of rapeseed fields, featuring a giant panda image, in Shuanglong village of Wucheng county in Huangshan, East China's Anhui province. YAN HUAIFENG / FOR CHINA DAILY



River view: Tourists in boats enjoy looking at rape flowers in Xinghua, East China's Jiangsu province, on April 1.
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Precious leaves: Farmers pick tea at a plantation in Jingan county, East China's Jiangxi province, on March 31. XU ZHONGTING / XINHUA



Tasks grow: Farmers work in a greenhouse in Yiyuan county, East China's Shandong province, on March 30. Farm work has escalated since the official start of spring on March 20. ZHAO DONGSHAN / XINHUA



Big chill: Freshly fallen snow cloaks the landscape surrounding the Potala Palace in Lhasa, capital of Southwest China's Tibet autonomous region, on March 30. PENG HUAN / FOR CHINA DAILY