

What's News

Macron and Le Pen Face Off in Pivotal French Election

The French are voting in the deciding round of an election that has sidelined mainstream parties and redrawn French politics as a contest between globalists and nationalists.

- Live Analysis: French Election
- Profiles of the Candidates

Yates Testimony to Shine Public Light on Russia Probes

Monday testimony from Sally Yates, former acting attorney general, is expected to be a compelling public moment in the so-far largely secretive investigations into Russia's alleged interference in the 2016 election.

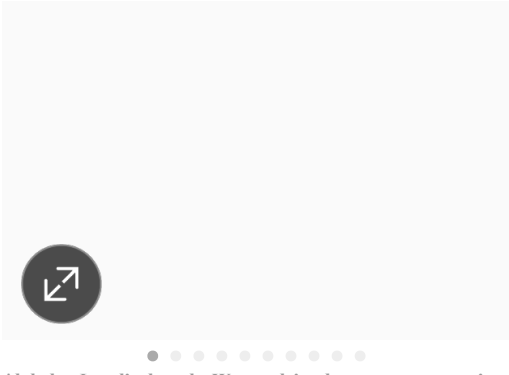
North Korea Detains U.S. Citizen for 'Hostile Acts'

North Korea detained a U.S. citizen tied to a Christian-backed university in Pyongyang, state media said, just two weeks after arresting one of his colleagues.

Warren Buffett Is Making Plans for a Lower Tax Rate

Berkshire Hathaway is already examining ways to benefit from the lower corporate tax rate proposed by President Donald Trump, Chairman Warren Buffett said at the company's annual meeting Saturday.

- Recap: Full Coverage of the Event



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How Self-Driving Cars Could End Uber

The mega-startup is facing its greatest existential threat: the disappearance of car-owning drivers caused by the rise of autonomous vehicles, writes Christopher Mims.

Labor Shortage Squeezes Builders

As demand for commercial real estate climbs, contractors say they are seeing shortages of electricians, carpenters and other subcontractor laborers, making it harder to hold down costs.

- Economy Poised for Spring Rebound as Jobless Rate Falls
- Jobs Report Hints at Growth in Logistics Industry
- Analysis: Report Keeps Fed on Track for Likely June Move
- Businesses Struggle to Find Workers

As IPOs Pick Up, Big Startups Hold Out

The market for IPOs is rebounding, but high-profile startups like Uber and Airbnb are hanging back amid concerns their companies would be valued at less than private fundraising rounds.



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Colleges Take Action on Opioid Epidemic

Colleges around the U.S., spurred by fatal student overdoses and grieving families, are distributing lifesaving medication and adding on-campus recovery programs as the nation's opioid epidemic worsens.

- Adoption of Recovery Programs at Schools Is Changing, Slowly

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The Gemeentemuseum in The Hague will feature an exhibition of Piet Mondrian's work, from student art to his last masterpiece in New York.



More Nasties of History Get a Novel Makeover

Now that a novelist has humanized the depraved emperor Nero, Joe Queenan imagines renovations are in store for more bad guys. A traumatized Jack the Ripper, anyone?

For Arab Gulf States, Israel Is Emerging as an Ally

Sunni monarchies, led by Saudi Arabia, increasingly see the Jewish state as a partner in a common struggle against Shiite Iran.



Sam Zell Looks Back

The notoriously blunt real-estate magnate on being contrarian, not taking yourself too seriously and other business lessons he's learned.



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Boko Haram Frees 82 Chibok Girls in Exchange for Militants

Eighty-two of the nearly 300 Chibok schoolgirls seized three years ago by Boko Haram have been freed in exchange for detained members of the jihadist group.

Champion Bobsledder Holcomb Dies

Steven Holcomb, pilot of the gold-medal-winning "Night Train" sled at the 2010 Vancouver Games, was found dead in his room Saturday morning at the Olympic Training Center in Lake Placid, N.Y.

Lawyer 'Racehorse' Haynes Used Theatric Flair to Defend His Clients

As a criminal-defense lawyer, Richard "Racehorse" Haynes always liked a challenge. In the 1970s and 1980s, at his career's peak, Mr. Haynes was one of the most famous lawyers in the U.S.

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Union generals before Grant; the government's doomsday hideaways; Frederick Douglass, feminist; Britain's greatest spymaster; how cities squeeze the middle class; Colm Tóibín's new novel; the life of Sam Shepard; and much more.

Indian Firms Face Shifting Landscape Amid Immigration Crackdown

As President Donald Trump tightens restrictions on immigration, Indian outsourceers are applying for fewer U.S. work visas, bringing employees home and trying to automate much of what they do.

Next Phase of High-Tech Crops: Editing Their Genes

Monsanto is investing in gene editing in an effort to keep an edge over rival suppliers of high-tech crop seeds. But startups and established competitors like DuPont and Dow Chemical are also jumping into the technology.

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