

John Swinton, of the New York Sun, recently declared that over every American writer hangs the fear of the editorial blue pencil...

Dr. Brown, of St. Louis, was walking home late one night when he was accosted by a footpad. "Gimme your money," said the thief.

The New York Department of Education has hit upon a plan of circulating useful books in all the school districts of the State, which has worked well in practice.

William D. Howells presided at a dinner given in New York City to Stephen Crane, the young author whose reputation has become international in a few months.

Says the Baltimore Herald: A novel experiment is about to be tried in Chicago. In brief, it is the application of the Hungarian zone system to street railway traffic.

Thousands of Acres Around Plymouth, Mass., Burned Over. Plymouth, Mass., May 4.—The forest fire that started Saturday forenoon has been extinguished.

More Comfortable for the DEER Prisoners. Pretoria, May 4.—An improvement has been made in the arrangements of the jail where the members of the reform committee are imprisoned and fairly comfortable.

RACE FOR PRESIDENT

The Situation as It Stands at the Present Time.

FIGURES OF MANLEY AND GROSVENOR

The Fight Not Yet Settled, Says the Maine Man—Disappointed at the Action of Vermont Republicans—Estimates Greatly Differ.

Washington, May 4.—Mr. Manley of Maine last night gave out the following statement. Since my statement of a week ago there have been elected forty-six delegates. The elections have occurred in Michigan, Illinois, Missouri, Arizona, Indian Territory, Vermont, Alabama and Georgia.

Gen. Grosvenor gave out his usual weekly statement of McKinley delegates elected last night. He claims the election of 495 who are instructed or pledged to the Ohio candidate.

Chicago, May 4.—At Winterset, Ia., Madison county democrats Saturday selected delegates to the state convention and instructed them to vote for ex-Gov. Boies for delegate-at-large to Chicago.

New York, May 4.—Claude Falls Wright, the Theosophist, and Mary Katherine Leonard, also an active worker in the cause, were married in the rooms of the Theosophical society in this city last evening.

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DEATH OF FELIX M'CURLEY.

Brief Sketch of the Career of the Late Commander, U. S. A.

Philadelphia, May 4.—Commander Felix McCurley, United States navy, captain of League Island navy yard, died at that station yesterday of heart failure.

HUNGARY'S CELEBRATION.

Budapest in Gala Attire and Crowded with Visitors.

Budapest, May 4.—The celebration of the national millennium of Hungary was continued yesterday. The city is crowded with visitors, and on every side the greatest enthusiasm is displayed.

DEATH OF W. H. DOBLE.

Father of Budd Doble and at One Time a Famous Reinsman.

Philadelphia, May 4.—William H. Doble, who died Saturday evening at his home on the Belmont drive, near the city line, was in his time the most famous reinsman of the world.

PERSIA'S NEW RULER.

Muzaffer-ed-Din Enthroned at Tabriz Yesterday.

Teheran, May 4.—Muzaffer-ed-Din, the second son of the late shah, was enthroned yesterday at Tabriz, the capital of the province over which he has been acting as governor.

MATABELE UPRISING.

Rebellious Natives Who Were Threatening Bulawayo Have Retired.

London, May 4.—Earl Grey, administrator of the South Africa company, has telegraphed to Colonial Secretary Chamberlain that the rebellious Matabeles who were threatening that town have retired.

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WORK OF CONGRESS

River and Harbor Bill in the Senate To-day.

ONLY ONE CLAUSE CAUSES DEBATE

It May Be Passed in Two Days—Rinaker-Downing Contested Election Case—May Accuse a Bitter Fight—House Matters.

Washington, May 4.—In the senate this afternoon Mr. Frye will call up the river and harbor bill and he hopes to get this important measure passed inside of two days.

LI HUNG IN RUSSIA.

The Chinese Statesman Received with Open Arms at St. Petersburg.

New York, May 3.—A special cable dispatch to the Herald from St. Petersburg says: Li Hung Chang, who is here to represent the Chinese emperor at the coronation of the czar, is received everywhere with open arms.

STILL DEFY ARREST.

The Zeigler Brothers Repulse a Party Sent To Capture Them.

Savannah, Ga., May 4.—A special from Savannah reports that fifteen or twenty armed men went from Millen to Ziegler station yesterday, presumably to capture the Zeigler brothers.

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LABASTINE

IRRESISTIBLE AND BEAUTIFUL WALL COATING.

RIPAN'S TABLETS

WILL NOT RUB OFF. F. R. Palmer, city editor of the Oklahoma, Okla., Times, under date of May 6th, 1895, relates the following experience: "Recently I was afflicted by a serious case of dyspepsia, and was unable to get any sleep, and I could find no relief for my condition of indigestion.

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