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Mr. Blaine Not a Candidate. The letter of Mr. Blaine to the chairman of the republican national committee, announcing that his name will not be presented to the national convention for the nomination of candidates for president and vice president of the United States, is a contribution to the political incidents of the day of surpassing interest and importance.

Laws should be enacted to make "trusts" as unpopular as burglaries.

The gas monopoly finally came down and the "boys" made a lively fight for that \$45,000 claim.

Pat Ford was in the front of the fight with the "boys" that ordered the \$45,000 gas claim paid.

St Paul now receives \$297,000 annually from high license. This beats prohibition and free whisky.

Seven murderers will be hanged at Fort Smith on April 27. Hanging isn't played out in Arkansas.

Senator Inogale's residence in Kansas was recently destroyed by fire, but his prohibitionist friends point with pride to the fact that the well was saved.

The falling off in the revenue of the banks in the east shows that the spring revival of trade has already set in. The outlook for business in the west during the coming season is also good.

The question of most moment with Chicago children just now is what will be the spring styles in papas. It is a poor Chicago child that cannot have a paternal change at least once a year.

Blaine being out of the field, assuming his announcement that effect to be sincere, or that in any event the republican party will take him at his word, a fresh impulse will be given to booms. The immediate effect has been to give Sherman stock a sharp advance.

The political campaign in Louisiana is one of the fiercest that state has ever known, and is developing all the characteristics of the old-time political battles there. Thus far there have been six assassinations due to quarrels between members of the democratic factions.

Eastern papers have for some time been busy telling stories about the terrible loss of stock during the past winter. There's little or no foundation for these reports. The testimony of the stockmen is that the loss is lighter than it has been for years, and they ought to know as much about it as eastern editors.

Senator Sherman is reported to have said regarding the Blaine letter that he had been expecting some time, and it was for that reason that he had entered the list of candidates. If the senator is correctly reported the inference is warranted that Mr. Blaine's withdrawal is sincere and complete.

The strong confidence in the success of the republican party this year, expressed by Mr. Blaine in his letter, ought to be very reassuring to the party. In this respect Mr. Blaine is undoubtedly sincere, and if the party makes no serious blunders the result may justify his confidence.

The republicans of Alabama are said to be showing more activity just now than they have shown for many years past. They may not be able to make any serious inroads upon the solidity of the democracy of Alabama during the coming campaign, but republicanism is gaining ground and holding what it has gained. The influx of northern capital and northern ideas is on the increase.

High license in St Paul has been eminently successful. Over three hundred saloons have closed their doors since January 1, and the city revenue has been increased by \$800,000. In contrast with this stands the city of Indianapolis, where low license prevails. With a population not exceeding 110,000 there are 427 saloons in full blast, and the income of the city from this source is only \$42,700.

Someone writes to the New York Sun to inquire which is the correct style of waltz this season, the hop or the glide. The Sun dodges an answer, probably because Mr. Dana does not waltz. It may be said, though, that in the wild and woolly west it depends on your partner. You glide if you have a glider and hop if you have a hopper. Your western waltzer is chivalric or not, depending on the partner.

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Shoe jobs in Lynn are urgently calling for shipment of goods already ordered, and are sending for more. There is a tendency in this, as in several other branches of trade, for salesmen to go out earlier each year.

American hardware is finding ready markets all over the world. The exports of the week ending January 31 amounted in value to \$23,000 to thirteen countries. Shipments were made to London, Liverpool and Hull.

The Fall River Spinners are to get 19 cents a cut, instead of 18 cents, from February 13. A sliding scale is to take effect when wages shall advance above a certain fixed limit, and has been practiced in the anthracite coal mines.

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