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The Tribune is the only Republican daily in Lackawanna County. REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION. To the Republican electors of Pennsylvania...

Why Cleveland Hesitates. An interesting explanation of the administration's hesitancy in taking forward action on the Cuban question...

The gentleman in point continues: "American newspapers, as well as English newspapers, have been so filled with rumors of negotiations in regard to the Venezuelan controversy that they have given the impression that the whole matter has reached a satisfactory conclusion..."

This is not an exaggeration of what really is being done by American railroad officials. As Walter Wellman, writing from Washington to the Chicago Times-Herald on this subject, says:

All this is true, and more. The Canadian Pacific is the most richly subsidized transportation line in the world. It has had in all \$180,000,000 in cash and bonds...

In view of the fact that the Canadians now propose to complete a chain of subsidized railroad and boat shipping lines until English manufacturers can, under the bonding system, ship directly to Asia through the United States...

Not content with requiring public school buildings to fly the American flag, the Illinois legislature has made its exhibition also mandatory on private and parochial schools...

owner of a private school, or, for that matter, of a sectarian school, occupy before the law a different footing from that of a private citizen? It would be a good thing if every school of every kind in the United States should honor American institutions enough to display, conspicuously and with proper respect, the national emblem...

But it would be madness to try to inculcate such a feeling of patriotism by force. Sauson will beat force any day. When there is a private school or a parochial school which does not fly the flag, it would be proper to request that the omission be corrected...

Bright boys in New York have formed an anti-cigar league. Here is a hint to bright boys in Scranton. Abolish the Bonding System. There is an adage which says that no problem is solved permanently until it is solved correctly...

That is a queer story which comes from Allentown to the effect that the recent report of a war on Leisenring in Luzerne was instigated by Frank Willing Leach with a view to heading off the Leisenring gubernatorial boom...

Judge Clayton, of Delaware, the man who stepped down from the bench to engage in a scramble for the position of national delegate, and who at the time declared for Quay, has fopped to McKinley. McKinley is welcome.

It was rough on Brother Smalley to be denied admission into the Century club of New York. But somehow the American people cannot get over their prejudice against renegades.

According to Chairman Harity, ex-Governor Pattison "does not seek the Democratic nomination." He only stands under the tree with his apron outspread.

An authoritative denial is made by Speaker Reed that he expects to retire from public life. The only change he hankers after is toward the white house.

The Philadelphia Inquirer is a stanch, almost a rabid, advocate of the gold standard, yet it has the frankness to say: "It will certainly cause serious alarm if there is to be any further contraction of the currency."

cannot fail to do mischief. This contraction has gone far enough. The repeal of the Sherman act cut off the only source of increase, for none of the gold production gets into circulation, and the National bank system is so cumbersome that it affords no relief where relief is wanted...

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of some of these specimens that keeps the great army of buzzards in check. Except in rare instances a term in prison always has a wholesome effect upon the "bad" editor. A case similar to the one mentioned above is called to mind in which an ambitious young editor succeeded beyond all expectation, but after serving a sentence of seven months in jail lost all ambition to pose as a red-hot journalist...

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