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GEORGE B. TESCHUCK, Treasurer. Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 1st day of August, 1906.

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WHEN OUT OF TOWN. Subscribers leaving the city temporarily should have The Bee mailed to them.

The gates to Ak-Sar-Ben's court always swing open to loyal subjects.

Perhaps those Cuban negro insurgents who refuse to give up their arms have heard from Atlanta.

When it comes to arbitrating between rival scales companies, Mayor "Jim" is there with the backbone.

The chances are that Harry Thaw's anxiety to be over with his trial in a short time may not outlast the verdict of a jury.

The report of the conference of Cuban "moderates" causes wonder what a convention of those Cubans who are not moderates would do.

Atlanta's decision to pay damages for injuries inflicted by the recent mob is the surest indication of determination to prevent repetition of the disorder.

It will be remembered that Secretary Root did not visit Ecuador on his recent trip to South America.

There is one reason for rejoicing over the nomination of Hearst by New York democrats, as the full influence of yellow journalism may be statistically determined.

As there is one less judge than usual to agree with his associates on the United States supreme bench, decisions on some mooted questions may be expected in shorter time.

Banker Stensland will probably find ten years in the Illinois penitentiary less trying on his health and spirits than half that time in Morocco—and not nearly so expensive.

Now that the projectors of the independent labor movement have issued their text book, they, too, will experience the disadvantages of being bound to the printed word.

With democrats of the state of Washington combining their cheers for Bryan and for Hearst, it is evident that an understanding of the New York situation is not general.

Perhaps the assertion that General Trepoff died from an overdose of cocaine may throw some light on some of the startling reports which issued from the palace during his regime.

It would make no difference what promises Senator Sheldon might make, they would be unsatisfactory to the World-Herald unless he should promise to get out and support Banker Shallenberger.

The Interstate Commerce commission has taken the Omaha grain elevator allowance cases under advisement.

In pleading with the Indian Territory to make the new state democratic "from center to circumference," Colonel Bryan should remember that Oklahoma will probably have the most important part in the affair.

Chancellor Andrews of the State university has adopted his version of the simplified spelling code in his correspondence.

THE NEW YORK SITUATION.

The peculiar alignment of party organizations in New York would be of immense importance if it affected nothing but the concerns of the Empire state. The mass of decent people had, with reason, become disgusted with the state machines of both parties, and had reached a frame of mind in which they would welcome any sincere and rational movement for insuring restoration of the government to its honest purposes.

The mere nomination of Hearst for governor under ordinary circumstances would alone be sufficiently odious to real democrats, but with such astounding preliminaries and accompaniments it will be accepted as a conclusive abdication of democratic principles and traditions.

Nationally the consequences bid fair to be even more far-reaching. Whether successful or defeated in the state contest, Hearstism will be left so entrenched in control of the state party organization that it cannot be ousted in any event till after 1908.

CUBAN CROP EMERGENCY.

The existing disorder in Cuba menaces immediate and irremediable industrial disaster, because the basis of the island's business is the sugar and tobacco crops, which at the present juncture cannot wait on civil commotion, even if there were no outright devastation.

The enrollment of the Lincoln High school, as published in one of the papers at the state capital, shows up less for 1906 than do the corresponding figures for 1905 and 1904.

NEGRO DEPORTATION.

The sensational advocacy of deportation of all Americans of African blood by a leading Atlanta paper at this time only aggravates the crime of which it has been guilty for a long period by systematically inciting to violence and outrage upon negroes.

IN MEMORIAM.

Great Among Great Men. Westliche Presse, Omaha. Mr. Rosewater was an indefatigable worker; using every spare moment for private studies the young man enlarged his knowledge, while acquiring great practical skill.

The one unescapable fact is that the negroes are here to stay, and the real problem, particularly for the south, is to adjust itself to this fact on the basis of justice, humanity and enlightened self-interest.

POLISH CONTEST TALK.

The talk of a contest to inject Charles J. Andersen into the republican legislative ticket for Douglas county notwithstanding his rejection at the recent primary is ill advised and foolish.

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Secure in Fame.

With sincere regret we bring the dire news that Edward Rosewater, the indefatigable editor of The Omaha Bee, and the most prominent advocate of sound political principles in the state of Nebraska, for whose prosperity he worked incessantly and successfully during more than a quarter of a century, went to his last sleep by reason of heart failure.

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BITS OF WASHINGTON LIFE.

Minor Scenes and Incidents Sketched on the Spot. With the opening of the coming year the Department of Agriculture will issue a bulletin giving the public all available information on the use of alcohol in small engines.

Wage earners and millionaires are the only people who are enjoying the present era of prosperity, according to a bulletin of the Department of Labor and Commerce.

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PERSONAL NOTES.

It appears that the Russian revolutionists are enlarging the number of dangerous weapons they employ. They are now using automobiles.

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Browning, King & Co.

"A man should choose his coat," said Jean Brumell, "with regard for his own physical characteristics."



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