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CHARLES C. ROSEWATER, General Manager

Published in my presence and sworn to before me this 1st day of November, 1907.

ROBERT HUNTLEY, Notary Public

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

A \$,000 republican majority is city close to high water mark in Douglas county.

Money talks through a woman's st.

The candidate who ran and the candidate who also ran will step up to the counter and file a sworn statement of campaign expenditures.

Opportunity, which is supposed to make a noise at everyone's door, at last once, is finding a good many bells at of repair since the recent financial tarry.

What is a stereotyped phrase? asks a more or less curious subscriber.

A New York physician asserts that the influenza kill 250,000 every year.

An "Anxious Subscriber" wants to know if there is any difference between the novel of the day and the former time novel series.

Gallantry apparently plays no part in politics.

It looks as if the Hon. Warren Wittwer would have to be put in the line with Roger Sullivan, Henry Waterson, Alton B. Parker and other ungenerate democrats.

Those New York lawyers who have been unsuccessful in their efforts to take Mr. Hartman talk, might try the method of coming over and whispering the word "Roosevelt" to him.

The commissioner of Indian affairs has decreed that the Indians must work or starve.

Universal comment on Colonel Bryan's pronouncement, that he will take the democratic nomination for president when offered to him, is that it was held for release so long that it cost its chief news value.

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THE MEAT-PRODUCING INDUSTRY

Just issued by the census bureau, furnishes an interesting contribution to the record of growth in one of the largest American industries.

The business of the packers, according to the bulletin, has been lucrative, the difference between the price of raw materials and the finished products sold by them amounting to about \$100,000,000 a year.

NEW THEORY OF APPENDICITIS: The growing army of appendicitis victims will doubtless be pleased to learn that some London physicians have been studying the subject and have evolved an entirely new theory as to the cause of the disease.

When appendicitis was struggling for recognition as a pathological condition, the London surgeons discovered a cause of the trouble. One of them, after elaborate investigations and experiments, found that the red rubber bands, with which so many jars and bottles are sealed, contained antimony, and that a man with his system full of antimony was certain to walk up some morning with an unruly appendix.

Under the demand for a new cause of appendicitis, the dear old London Lancet, usually solemn to the point of painfulness, is trying to trace it to small particles of steel in American flour made by the roller process.

The debate would be wholly amusing, were it not that an American industry is endangered by the luminous theorizing of the London doctors.

COLLEGE MEN AND THE ARMY: Officials of the War Department admit their disappointment over the failure of college graduates to come forward and take examinations for appointment as second lieutenants in the army.

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PROGRESS OF THE CONSPIRACY: The little bunch of conspirators who have been trying for years to "get" Chief of Police Donahue by fair means or foul now make it known through their organ that even before they have set off the bomb they have been heralding the chief has been indicted, tried and decapitated and a successor chosen to be imported from abroad.

A new interchangeable mileage book is to be issued good on all lines within the jurisdiction of the Western Passenger association east of the Missouri river, to be sold for 2 cents a mile straight, with no deposit to be returned on surrendering the cover.

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ON PRESIDENTIAL PILING LINE

Balance of Power in Democratic Party Held by Hearst: Springfield (Mass.) Republican (Ind.): One fact stands out to convince all observers that the Hearst following in Greater New York cannot be repelled by any democratic presidential candidate if New York state is to be wrested from the republicans.

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GET BACK TO BUSINESS

Present Financial Condition Due to the Alarms of Men: Philadelphia Press: The scarcity of currency, now general in this city and elsewhere, has not before existed in this country since 1893.

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PENALIZING DISCOURTESY

Much Needed Lesson Imparted by Illinois Supreme Court: Philadelphia Ledger: A passenger was ejected from a car of the Union Traction company, Chicago, some time since for failing to produce a transfer ticket.

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FLASHES OF FUN

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MOTHERHOOD advertisement featuring an illustration of a woman and child, and text describing Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.