

**HEARST PAPERS GET THE ADVERTISING.**

The ruling of Justice Greenbaum, to the effect that only those newspapers which support the candidacy of William R. Hearst for governor are entitled to receive election advertising as democratic papers, was sustained yesterday by the appellate division of the supreme court at New York. The decision sustaining the ruling dismissed the appeal from Justice Greenbaum's ruling.

**OREGON HAS HAD EXPERIENCE.**

Why should Platt resign? He has not been indicted, tried nor convicted, nor has he taken an appeal to the higher courts. Those eastern people who talk about his resigning should come West and learn the proper order of procedure for congressmen who get into trouble. To resign is all right in its time, but it is the last thing to do.

**SYMPTOMS ARE FAVORABLE.**

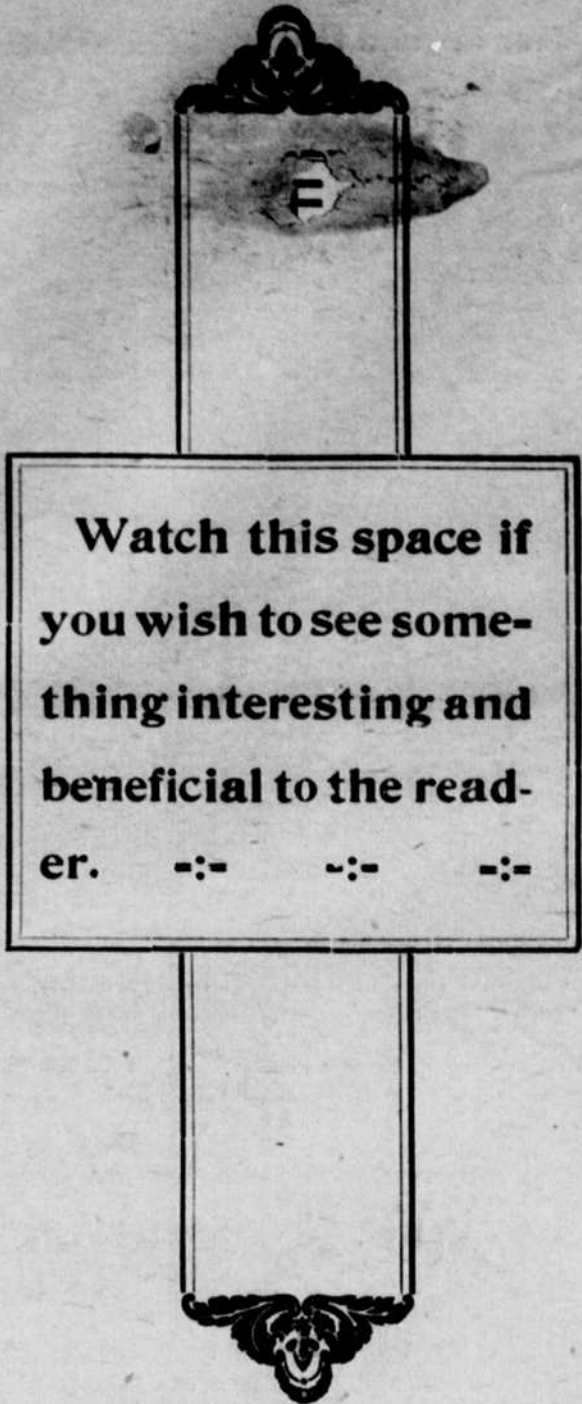
Harry Thaw's insanity is said to be progressing favorably and isn't likely to be any better until his trial closes.—Alliance Review.

According to a scientific paper of Europe, chickens are now plucked in a wholesale manner by the use of pneumatic machinery. There is a receptacle in which the fowl is placed after being killed, and into this are turned several cross-currents of air from electrical fans revolving at the rate of 5000 turns a minute. In the twinkling of an eye the bird is stripped of its feathers, even to the tiniest particles of down, and the machine is ready for another.

A. W. Pinero, the English dramatist, has an unusual method of writing his plays. His working day does not begin until that of the average city man is over. In the morning he goes out, preferably on his bicycle, returning in time for early dinner. Then he has a comfortable sleep, and on waking up, late in the afternoon, he prepares for business. After a cup of tea he goes to his desk and remains working at his play until far into the night.

After an elaborate review of the work of the French artillery during the recent army maneuvers, the military correspondent of the London Times reaches the conclusion: "Every body taken together, there can be no doubt that the French artillery is the best in the world, and that it is so thoroughly prepared for war by the practical science of its officers, the skill of its men and the excellence of its material that it must long retain the position of pre-eminence to which it is justly entitled."

It is a matter of record that upon the first official celebration of Independence day by the Continental Congress, music was secured for the occasion by forcing the Hessian band, which had been captured by George Washington at Trenton in the previous December, to play in the public square all day, to the great delight and amusement of the people. It is so stated that these involuntary celebrants were obliged to practice appropriate airs for three weeks in order that they could not plead ignorance as an excuse.



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