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THE NEWSPAPER BUSINESS.

Discouraged.

Our confidential correspondent, in giving us a view of the present state of the newspaper business, says that the monopoly of the papers in the city of Willamette has been so much cleared of that there is not an advocate to be found in the laboring classes who will pay the exorbitant price fixed by the proprietors. The price is now so high that the common laborer is compelled to go without the news of the world, and the fewer the newspapers the more the price increases. The papers are expensive to get, and the people are weary of paying for them. The proprietors have not considered the public interest, and have acted as if they were the only ones who needed the paper. There is no more necessity for a newspaper in this city than in any other part of the world, and the proprietors are now beginning to feel the effect of their neglect. They are finding that the people are not willing to pay the high price for the papers, and are looking for a cheaper way of getting the news. They are now beginning to feel the effect of their neglect, and are looking for a cheaper way of getting the news. They are now beginning to feel the effect of their neglect, and are looking for a cheaper way of getting the news. They are now beginning to feel the effect of their neglect, and are looking for a cheaper way of getting the news. They are now beginning to feel the effect of their neglect, and are looking for a cheaper way of getting the news.