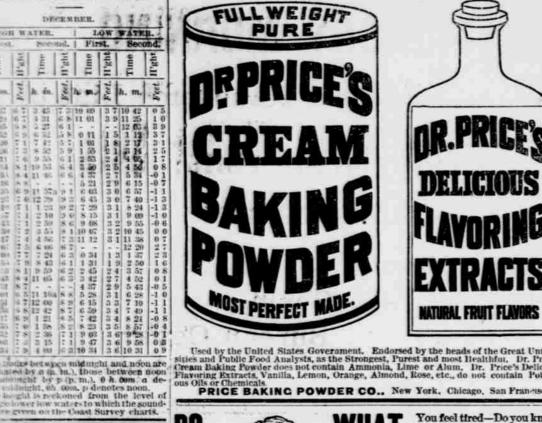


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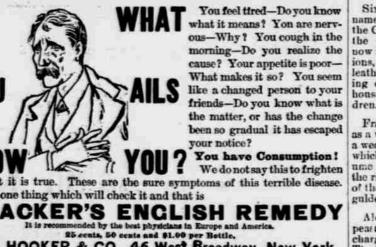
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legislative assembly. It is gratified at the general re-sponse of the press and the interest

taken by citizens. This movement is not based upon pecuniary considerations, but is founded upon the theory that the people obey the laws less from fear of in-curring penalties for violation, but more through familiarity with the

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newspaper of general circulation in the state will be glad to give an ac-curate official publication at actual cost of doing the work, and pay based upon actual circulation in the state. The committee has freely sent out for general publication editorial dis-cussions of the subject which have ap-peared often without credit; consider-ing them common property of the twee sent out in the subject which have ap-ing them common property of the twee sent out is subject which have ap-ing them common property of the twee sent out is subject which have ap-ing them common property of the twee sent out is source.

press and the people. The enclosed article answers in par two objections which have been urged against the bill, to wit: The matter

against the bill, to wit: The matter of expense and the question of what papers shall be authorized to publish. The committee, in concluding, would urge members of the press to make these two points especially clear to their readers, and add such comment as will create the widest possible dis-cussion of the subject. cussion of the subject. E. HOFER, Salem Journal.

E. C. PENTLAND, Independence West Side.

S. S. TRAIN, Albany Herald. S. M. YORAN, Engene Register. E. H. WOODWARD, Newberg Graphic. Committee on Legislation, Oregon

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