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- MAY 14, 1898 SATURDAY

### WHEAT.

Three years ago many shared the belief that the day of high priced wheat had gone by torever. There was much talk of the enlarged wheat area of this country, of enlarging grain fields in Argentine and India, and Russian increase with the construction of the Trans Siberian railway, and many believed that these factors would bring down the price BEER. of wheat permanently.

They were wide of the mark, says the Spokesman-Review. The world is clamoring for wheat, and prices have swung back to the market quo- Flags and tations of war times.

Prabably the world has really entered upon a lower average price for that stape. In the long run the enlarged area of wheat lands must exert some influence, and improving means of transportation tend to make prices more uniform throughout the world. But it is not probable that we are near the prevailing low range Ligtest Illustrated of prices which many bave pre-

When prices fall below the avere cost of production, a sharp retriction of the world's wheat area till follow. Soon the surplus stocks MI be exhausted, and then will ne a sherp awakening to the fact at the world is confronted by a Book & Music Company. And a shortage in the

world's supply of breadstuffs is a serious matter-something altogether different from a shortage in wine, or tobacco, or manufactured products, or even ten, coffee, or cotton. To the masses of Europe's populationpeople who cannot afford meats even when times are "good," and to whom brend is literally the staff of life-it means hunger and possibly starvation. To governments it means bread riots and severe disorders.

The prevailing shortage will probabbly be followed by a sufficient crop, and after that will come, by degrees, another surplus. It seems the American wheat grower has entered upon an era of fair prices. He should make the most of his opportunity while it endures.

It will be easy for the United States to land troops at any point on the Cuban coast. No forts on the island could stand a fire from Sampson's fleet longer than fifteen minutes, except those at Havana, and undoubtedly the Havana defenses could be knocked down in an hour at the farthest. The landing will be American troops go ashore the insurgents are likely to be fully equipped with guns and ammunition, and be starting on the warpath after the Spaniards. The Spanish soldiers who will be outside of Havana will have a hard race to get into that city. They grasp this truth, too, for Pando's retreat on Havana means a general abandonment of all the island by the Spaniards except that point.

Manila was captured by the British in 1762, but it required thirteen ships and nearly 7000 men, 1000 of whom were lost in the assault upon the fortifications, to accomplish what numerical force and with no loss save that of the ammunition used. That illustrates the difference between old and new naval methods and ma chinery.

On Saturday, June 4th, the Dufur Assembly of United Artisans will give a grand picnic in the Dufur groye near that city. The people of Dufur have always been remarkable for their hospitality and ability to entertain their gueste and we can assure all who attend that this picnic will be a most pleasant affair, as all picnics at that delightful little town are. Since all are invited to attend there certainly will be a large acourse of people present from The Dalles and the surrounding country.

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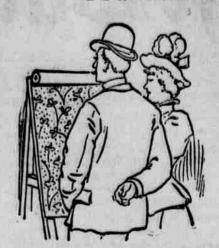
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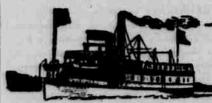
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