

Daily Democrat.

A HUGE EFFORT.

The Baker City Blade, republican, says: Providence seems to be on the side of the American farmer this year. Abundant crops are the rule throughout America and the fact that the cereal crops are almost failures in Russia and India, which have been referred to as Europe's granaries, makes it certain that the American farmers will be able to get big prices for their products.

What a huge effort is here made to induce people to believe that the price of wheat is to be attributed to the good effects of the McKinley Bill. "Thanks to the McKinley tariff law," indeed. Will the Blade or any other blind follower of the scheme of protectionism tell us how it is that the McKinley tariff law can affect the price of wheat? Such stuff as the above is given out by republican papers all over the country to allay the growing discontent springing up among the farmers of that party. That is all there is of it.

The largest steel gun ever constructed in this country was turned out of the Watervliet Arsenal at West Troy one day last week, and Friday was landed on the beach at Sandy Hook by the aid of a very heavy derrick. This is the first of a number that are to be designed for harbor defence, and is of 42-inch bore, thirty-four feet deep, length of gun 36 1/2 feet, and will take a charge of 440 pounds of powder. A claim of an initial velocity of 1940 feet per second to a projectile weighing 1000 pounds with muzzle penetration in wrought iron of thirty-two inches has been placed upon it. The feasibility of the manufacture of a still larger gun is being considered by the United States government. If the present plans mature the gun will be of the following dimensions and capabilities: 49 1/2 feet in length, weighing 125 tons, carrying a charge of 1000 pounds, will have a muzzle penetration in iron of about three feet and a maximum range of about fifteen miles. It is stated that nothing to exceed this will be contemplated for fort purposes, for the present at least.

The theory that a man can feel pain in an amputated limb is still a subject of controversy. A physician who believes it says: "Many of the nerves that furnish communication between the brain are not injured in their activity by the amputation of their lower portion, and convey sensation as readily as ever. The brain fails to recognize the fact that the function of the nerve has changed, and that the part in which it formerly terminated exists no longer. Therefore, when a sensation is conveyed by a nerve that in the unmaimed body led to the foot, the feeling is the same as if the foot were still in place. If certain nerves in an amputated leg be touched, the feeling is exactly the same as if the foot were touched, and the sensation of pain is felt, not where it is applied but where the mind has been in the habit of receiving communications from the nerve in question."

M de Candolle, a French investigator, has come to the conclusion from his researches that women have a larger proportion of brown eyes than men. He also finds that where both parents have eyes of a like color the chances are eighty-eight to twelve that their children, when they arrive at the age 10 (when the color of the eyes is fixed), will have eyes of the same color. When the parents have eyes of different colors the chances are 55 to 45 in favor of brown as against blue or gray eyes in the children. He is also of the opinion that the health of the brunette type is, as a rule, superior to that of the blonde.

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In the chapters on colonial history, Bancroft quotes from an early chronicle: "The governor was moved to set apart on the 20th of July (1629) to be a solemn day of humiliation for the choice of a pastor and teacher at Salem." After prayer and preaching, "the persons thought on," presenting no claim founded on their ordination in England, acknowledged a twofold calling; the inward, which is of God, who moves the hearts and bestows its gifts; the outward, which is from a company of believers joined in covenant, and allowing to every member a free voice in the election of its officers. The vote was then taken by each one's writing in a note the name of his choice. "Such," adds Bancroft, "is the origin of the use of the ballot on this continent."

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