"Surgical attention then must be devoted principally to the new infantry projectile. We have not had illustration vet of its working in war, but we may form some conception of this. Some people say that the long range of the new rifle will lead to maneuvering at a distance, and that the shooting therefore will be wide of the targets. To be sure this maneuvering was the principle of the last war, but it has its limits. It depends on the contour of the country. and when an army is cornered it must fight.

"Had the French had enough ammunition to advance from two or three of their forts, the maneuvering would have been put to an end. A collision must come sometime, and then what will the effect of the new rifles be? Bullets that formerly stopped at the bone will pierce it, and perhaps two or three other bones; the number of severely wounded will be rapidly increased, and the armies will dwindle rapidly.

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After dwelling upon the increase of mortality to result from the use of smokeless powder, Professor Billroth continued-

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