#### WILL EXTEND THROUGH RICH TERRITORY

Capitalists Propose to Extend a Line from Des Moines to Some Point on Route of Omeha & St. Louis System.

to connect the Northwestern and the newly reorganized Kansas City Southern property. Those familiar with the progress of these negotiations do not hesitate to assert that rate war. such a road will be built during the coming year, and at this time effort is being made to select the most feasible route. The Northwestern is said to be chiefly interested in the proposed new line.

At present it is stated that two routes are being considered by interested officials. One to run from Des Moines to Winterset, Creston, New Market, Shambaugh, Callege cottals and were anxious to maintain them. that 20,000 Boers are massed at Kroonstad." Eprings, and intersect with the Omaha & St. Louis at Blanchard, which connection would make a direct line practically from Des Moines to Kansas City and connect the Northwestern with the Kansas City South-The other route is from Des Moines to Winterset, Greenfield, Corning, Clarinda, that promoters and contractors have re- date for the awarding of the contract. cently been making a careful stude of the two surveys have been made.

through a rich country and afford valuable when the awards will be enade and admit transportation accommodations to the sec- the possibility of re-advertising. Such tion interested, as direct accommodations action will be warranted, it is asserted, in Kansas City, Omaha. Des Moines and the in the minutest detail, owing to the imterritory tributary to the Kansaa City mensity of the contract under consideration, Southern line:

#### TRIUMPH FOR WESTERN LINES by the officials, the award will be made.

They Secure Revival of Provating Agreement from the Trunk Line Association.

NEW YORK, March 28.-Freight agents of a majority of the western railroads held another conference with Commissioner Godard at Trunk Line headquarters today in relation to a revival of the prorating agreement which was abrogated not long ago. An agreement was reached which places this matter practically in the same status in which it was before the abrogation of the prorating system by the Trunk Line's commission some six weeks ago.

This is regarded as a triumph for the western roads, which have been vigorously opposing the position of the eastern lines, by which the latter demanded their full share in all business to points west of St. Louis and Chicago. The Chicago lines have averred that this rule operated in favor of St. Louis as against Chicago. In speaking of the results of this meeting Commissioner Godard of the Trunk Line association said today:

"The flow of traffic will be in the same channels as before the abrogation of the prorating agreement. The relations between the different interested roads have been re-established and hereafter will be the same as they were before this dispute arose. I cannot give the details of the arrangements which have been decided upon, but they are satisfactory to all concerned and the matter may be looked upon as definitely settled."

members of the committee which repre sented all the western roads at this confer- Samuel Rea, N. Parker Shortridge, Chauncey were: Vice President J. M. Johnson of the Hayden. The first three are said to repre-Rock Island, General Freight Agent M. Manager W. Biddle of the Santa Fe, F. A. G. W. Stevens, president, Decatur Axtell Lord Roberts and his staff, Wann of the Alton, W. E. Keepers of the Illinois Central, Traffic Managers Knight of the Wabash and Thomas Miller of the Bur-

#### BIG RAILROAD DEAL ON FOOT

J. Pierpont Morgan Goes to Europe to Consult William K. Vanderbilt.

NEW YORK, March 28.-The Herald says J. Pierpont Morgan will sail for Europe of the Teutonic today. His stay abroad will be brief, but it promises to be important. He is to meet William K. Vanderbilt in London to arrange, it is said, a big railroad deal for which Wall street has been waiting and hoping for at least two years. Important European financial interests are also to be seen regarding the same matter. These statements come from close friends

of Mr. Morgan. Beyond that it directly concerns the New York Central and its allied lines, no intimation of the real nature of the matter which makes necessary a conference between Mr. Morgan and Mr. Vanderbilt can be obtained. Wall street knows that the two men are more closely allied now than ever before and that they had plans in common for the development of big railroad schemes even before they stood together in the December panie to protect mutual interests and one another's friends.

It is known that the Morgan and Vanderbilt railroads are now working harmoniously even as they never did before, and Wall

### Any Weak Person

can gain strength on

### **GRAPE-NUTS**

'I started in on Grape-Nuts food, husband laughing good humoredly at the time.

street has a vague notion that in the Vanderits plans for the western extension of the great New York Central system Mr. Morgan uts more of a figure than is generally be

COAST JOBBERS ARE SATISFIED, eign protest is suggested by the Dally Favor Present Differentials on Goods

liewed.

from Middle West. LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 28.-At the pening session of the Interstate Commerce commission today C. C. Reynolds testified that in the case of hardware an annulment of the differentials would compel his house o cease purchasing goods in the middle west and bring them in from the Atlantic coast by sea. The abolition of differentials would force the coast jobbers to combine to secure Pailroad capitalists at this time for the a line of vessels and the result of the change day, March 27, 8478. building of a line of road in western lows would be an disastrous to the railroads as

> Christie of St. Louis the witness denied force could hope to get near them that there was any agreement between the

OFFICIALS MAY SEEK NEW BIDS.

Delay in Awarding Sherman Hill Contract Suggests Rejection. Owing to the unexpected length of time country through which it is proposed to which has elapsed since the opening of the extend the new railroad, but it is unlikely bids, the contractors are somewhat anxious. that any route will be selected until the and it would not surprise them if all the bids were rejected and new ones sought. Either of the proposed lines would run Officials state they do not definitely know would be furnished with Chicago, St. Louis, case the present bids are not satisfactory However, after the present bids have been arefully compiled and minutely examined

GETS AN ENTRANCE TO GALVESTON.

Kansas City Southern Reported to Have Pought a Branch. KANSAS CITY, March 28.-It is announced railway has been sold to the reorganization emmittee of the Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf railroad, now the Kansas City Southern railway. The Gulf & Interstate extends give the Kansas City Southern entrance to owners intended to have tide water terminals at both Port Arthur and Galveston. The Gulf & Interstate road was once offered to the old management of the Pittsburg & Gulf, but it decided to make Port Arthur its sole terminus on the Gulf of Mexico.

Building Road to Coal Mines. NEW WHATCOM, Wash., March 28 .begin. The branch starts at Sumas, twentyfour miles from here, on the international American side twenty-four miles to Boulder creek where the Cornell coal mines are situated. These mines have been purchased by P. B. Cornwall, Alvinza Hayward and Bar gold has been given as security to the D. O. Mills, the owners of the railroad.

Chesapeake & Ohio Directors. held in this city the Chesapeake & Ohio the following as directors: S. M. Prevost. The members of this committee M. Depew, H. McK. Twombley and H. J. sent the Pennsylvania and the three latter of the Northwestern. Traffic the Vanderbilts. The other directors are Bioemfontein last night and was met by and H. T. Wickamp.

Longest Train on Record. Telegram.)-Early tomorrow morning the for Omaha. It will consist of about 112 70,000 capacity steel coal cars loaded, an Lord Roberts and Sir Alfred Milner. aggregate tonuage of about 5,200 tons. The train will be hauled by one of the big 1500 engines and will be photographed by the

company. Railway Notes and Personals.

John C. Bonnell of Chicago, general advertising agent of the Rock Island, is an General Agent F. A. Nash of the Mil-waukee is in Chicago on one of his peri-odical business trips.

General Manager Holdrege of the Bur-lington has returned from a brief business trip over the line.

H. J. Burgee, general agent of the Big Four at Kansas City, is in Omaha looking after business interests. Tobias Castor, claim agent of the Burlington at Lincoln, passed through the city Tuesday enroute to Chicago.

General Passenger Agents Eustis and Francis, respectively of the "Q" and Bur-lington systems, have gone to Denver.

Assistant General Preight Agent Allen
3. Smith of the Burlington returned Tueslay from a trip over the Billings line. He
tocupied a private car and was accomanied by a party of friends.

The property of the state of the st

Tuesday night a special train passed through this city over the Northwestern tine from Kansas City to St. Paul, containing 205 people bound for Alberta, Canada. This party was composed of farmers and stock raisers from Kansas, Missouri and other southern states. A. L. Fisher, traveling passenger agent of the Northwestern at Kansas City, was in charge of the special train of Alberta home-seekers.

Yesterday a special train came in Yesterday a special train came in from Chicago on the Northwestern carrying about 200 people who expect to settle in Wyoming. This party was recruited in Illinois, Indiana and other central states and includes, besides the nome-seekers, a number of artisans and tradesmen who propose to avail themselves of the opportunities offered in the west at this time. The special train was transported to the west over the Union Pacific.

The meeting of the locat passenger assombly the south fell into the hands and Field Cornet Smith fell into the hands

A member of the Chicago Press Club, Mrs. F. M. Black, 76 28th St., Chicago, says the bas obtained so much benefit from Grape-Nuts food that she wishes to offer a voluntary testimonial: "Three months ago I had illness which reduced me greatly, when convalescent I wanted a great deal to cat, but nothing seemed to satisfy me.

"Very soon after a meal I felt that sense of emptiners, an aching void as it were, though really not hungry. The fact is, the food I was then taking was not properly assimilated and I was improperly nour-thed, which accounted for my lack of vitality and weak condition, constant exhaustion and inability to gain my flosh.

"I started in on Grape-Nuts food, hug-band laughing coand hungredly at the time."

Bold Burglar's Deed.

The special train was transported to the wost or the Union Pacific.

The meeting of the locat passenger association of the location post of the British, of whom three were wounded and one was made a prisener. The Boer loss, he declares, was nil. The British fled in the direction of Maseru. In a skirmish near Brandor four Lancers were killed and with the association's office is located. They concluded that it was too irknown on the direction of Maseru. In a skirmish near Brandor four Lancers were killed and six were wounded.

\*\*Congratulates the Country on Progressimilisted and I was improperly nour-table, of a reception tendered his brother, J. E. Dual. The latter was received and laughtne ground the commander-in-chief of the forces, Lord Wolseley, said the country was to be congratulated on the manner in which the war was proceeding. Great Bold Burglar's Deed.

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band laughing good humoredly at the time.

I ale it with cream, and the result was most surprising. After the first dish of it.

I telt a great sense of satisfaction. I have now been using Grape-Nuts but a week, have gained several pounds, the old gnawing has gone entirely. I retire and sleep well at night, whereas I used to awake in the light and was unable to sleep again until I had taken some sort of food.

"Husband is much surprised at the result and tried Grape-Nuts himself. He is delighted with the food. With best wishes for the great food and its makers, I am, respectfully yours."

Bold Burglar's Deed.

A daring burglary was that committed Wednesday night at the planeship to a part served. When the plate-glass was broken and some valuable jewelry taken. The proprietor was standing near the from of the store some minutes before 10 o'clock, when he was greatly startled to see a young man throw a brick through the window and help himself liberally to the contents. Before the proprietor recovered from the shock the thief had flown with the plunder. The most expensive goods obtained were a pair of diamond earrings valued at \$250 and in addition some less costly pieces. The hole made by the trick was burgle at \$250 and in addition some less costly pieces. The hole made by the trick was burgle at \$250 and in addition some less costly pieces. The hole made by the trick was burgle at \$250 and in addition some less costly pieces. The hole made by the trick was burgle at \$250 and in addition some less costly pieces. The hole made by the trick was burgle at \$250 and in addition some less costly pieces. The hole made by the trick was burgle at \$250 and in addition some less costly pieces. The hole made by the trick was burgle at \$250 and in addition some less costly pieces. The hole made by the trick was burgle at \$250 and in addition some series to a series at \$250 and in addition some series to a series

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Chroniele Among Rems cabled from Pretoria is a statement that prominent residents there object to a defence of Pretoria and desire that President Kruger should retire to Lydenburg. It is allowed that the principal buildings at Johannesburg have been undermined by order of Kruger.

Grobinar's Force Gets Away. The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, in a dispatch dated Tues-

to the jobbers. Under the present differ. the state of the reads and of our horses. On being cress-questioned by Attorney night close to the Basuto border before our

coast jobbers and the railroads regarding 40,000 men still under arms, of whom 10 the shipment of goods by rail providing 000 are in and around the Natal border, majority of the queen's subjects. large differentials on full and broken car Although tents and stores are reaching here lots were granted. He admitted that the a block on the railway is delaying arrivals jobbers had tried to got the present differ- from the south considerably. It is asserted

Boers Active at Warrenton. WARRENTON, Wednesday, March 28 .-notwithstanding the enemy's heavy extion only one Briton was wounded.

Boers Propose to Render Them Useless to the British-Hay Kroonstad.

States Consul Hay and his secretary have possible delay. gone to Kroonstad to make necessary arrangements for United States representaion in the Free State

A dispatch received here from the Boer headquarters in Natal announces that the Milner went to Bloemfontein this morning. destruction continues of coal mines likely Local rumor reports that some sort of peace to be useful to the British.

The Dundee colliery has been blown up, from New York that the Gulf & Interstate the machinery has been destroyed and the owing to the preposterous conditions de mine has been rendered useless for three manded by Steyn and Kruger. months to come,

According to a dispatch from Kroonstad, burg & Gulf, to Galveston, a distance of seventy miles. The road, if acquired, will give the Kansas City. Commandant Olivier has joined Generals will proceed to the front Sunday. Trains ports that all was well there March 20, give the Kansas City Southern entrance to Galveston, and would indicate that the new the fighting line on this side of Bloem-

The Standard and Diggers' News says learns that Generals Olivier, Groblaar and Lemner have arrived at a point sufficiently far north to relieve all apprehension of the possibility of their being cut off. It is expected they will arrive at Winburg in a few days and effect a junction with General Work on the extension of the Bellingham De Wet, when the federals' position, it is Bay & British Columbia railroad will soon declared, will formidably oppose Lord Rob-

Reports received from the various banks boundary line, and runs eastward on the of the republics show that the cash holdings amount to £2,233,057. The government has commandeered a portion of the gold reserve of all the banks

NEW YORK, March 28.-At a meeting MILNER AT BLOEMFONTEIN railroad was reorganized by the election of Report Says it is a Social Visit, but This is Not Believed to

> LONDON, March 28.-The British high ommissioner, Sir Alfred Milner, arrived at

According to a dispatch from Bioemfontein published in the second edition of the Times, the high commissioner's visit is of CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 28 .- (Special a private nature, it is thought this can scarcely be anything but an official subterlargest train ever hauled by one locomotive fuge, the question of the pacification of the will leave Archer, six miles east of here, Free State and the treatment of the insurgents doubtless being discussed between

According to the same dispatch General French, previous to returning to Bloemfon ein, occupied the flour mills near Batter which are considered an important acquisi-

Reports from Rouxville and other towns ontinues satisfactorily.

#### ENVOYS COMING TO NEW YORK Boer Commissioners Will Sail for This Country After Visiting

Paris and Berlin.

BERLIN, March 28.-Special dispatches have been published here announcing that two countries. Everything indicates that the Boer peace envoys, Wolmarans, Fischer the old cordiality still obtains in our muand Wessels, are coming to Berlin and will then go to St. Petersburg. The cor- Rouen shows no opportunity for a demonrespondent of the Associated Press, when in- stration of friendship will be allowed to quiring with reference to the matter at the pass.

foreign office this evening, was informed T. B. Pitt, an officer of the Bear River Irrigation company at Corinne, Utah, was a visitor at Union Pacific headquarters yesterday. Mr. Pitt was enroute to Chimissioners and even the fact of their coming tee today resumed consideration of the naval York Herald. had not been officially notified to the foreign

largest army ever sent across the seas in the history of the world and composed of the finest men he had ever seen in any army. This satisfactory situation, he continued, was primarily due to the wonderful army system inaugurated by Lord Cardwell, but for which it would have been impossible for Great Britain to carry on the South African war, as, had it not been for the millita and reserves. Great Britain would have been in a bad way.

Continuing, Lord Wolselev said nearly 900 officers and thirty battalions of militia had been landed in South Africa since the war, that 27,000 militiamen had passed into the regulars since 1887-8, and that the em-

his year was successfully carried out. The commander-in-chief further said that the officer in charge of the embarkation posed the measure. testified to the high standing of all who

went out, all of which, he concluded, proved minister of foreign affairs. Count von Buethe immense value of militia to regular low, addressed the committee. He reiterated

REPUBLICS TO BE NO MORE

Chamberlain's Assistant Declares that

is the First Principle of the

Government. LONDON, March 28.—The earl of Sel bourne, under secretary of state for the colonies, who was the principal guest tonight at the annual dinner of the Conserva-'It is a matter of regret that, owing to tive league, said that as a result of the war the first principle was that Boer republics ential the Pacific count jobbers are now Commandant Groblaar's commando of 6,000 should not be independent and that loyalists dents were arrested. slowly recevering what they lost during the men from Colesberg and the southern dis- should not suffer more than disloyalists. tricts got away north by traveling day and In this direction, he continued, there should be no idea of vengeance or emotional sen-Indeed the rebellious districts "The latest news is that the Boers have would be treated in a fashion that would command the support and sympathy of the

News from French's Force. yright, 1900, by Press Publishing Co.) BLOEMFONTEIN, March 27 .- New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram.) column of cavalry and artiflery which left Bloemfontein the 18th instant The Boers opened fire with artiflery and arrived at Thaba Nehu the 20th and detached rifles on the British camp today. The first a force of mounted infantry to protect the The bids presented by various contractors shell burst while the Fusileers were at Lecuw river flour mills, about twenty-five home. 1814 Clark street, yesterday of for the extensive improvements con- breakfast. A hall of bullets poured into miles cust of Thaba Nchu. The force artemplated by the Union Pacific at Sherman the village. Many cattle were killed. A rived there at 4 p. m., discovered a force of the house Sunday, after which the body will College Springs, thence connecting with the Hill are yet in the hands of the officials hotel ured for a hospital and over which the Chicago for interment.

Omaha & St. Louis at Elmo, Mo It is said and no statement is made of the probable Red Cross flar was fiving was fired upon and averaging the large commands be. Michael Buckley came to Om and no statement is made of the probable | Red Cross flag was flying was fired upon, and ascertained that a large commando, be-The attacking Boer force was large, but lieved to be Groblaar's, was trekking toward the northeast on the further side of Kuqsi. penditure of big gun and Mauser ammunt- The next morning a patrol sighted a big labor. He was one of the charter members commando of Boers with 200 wagons trekking northeast and another, believed to be DESTROY NATAL COAL MINES Olivier's, a considerable distance southwards, soving in the same direction. Meanwhile French, acquainted with the position, advanced a force which took measures to secure safesy. No attack, however, was de-Byered. Deserters report the enemy anx-

Peace Negotiations Fall Through. opyright, 1900, by Press Publishing Co.) | World | Cablegram-Special | Telegram.) - | Alpha camp, Woodmen of the World. negotiations have been proceeding during the pass few days, but have fallen through, JOHN STUART,

Quiet at Mafeking. LONDON, March 28.-7:20 p. m -A pri vate telegram received from Mafeking re

General White Salis for England. CAPETOWN, March 28.-General Sir George White sailed for Eugland today,

PRAISE HAY'S DIPLOMACY English Newspapers Appland the Achievement of Establishing Open Door in China.

LONDON, March 28 .- The afternoon newspapers here unanimously applaud Secretary Hay's diplomatic achievement in establishing the doctrine of the open door in China and say his success is much more considerable than hitherto realized. The St. James Gazette remarks:

The United States has conferred a benefit on the whole civilized world by securing an agreement on a subject of such vast importance to the prospects of peace as well

The Globe thinks there is substantial He was 63 years old. reason for according the final leadership in augurated by Lord Salisbury to the United States, owing to Europe's jealousy of Great Britain, while on the contrary all the great powers will now vie with one another in their professions of friendship for America." and adde: "Secretary Hay's dexterous skill in com-

pleting his task has left nothing to be de-The Westminster Gazette expresses the hope that a similar open door policy will

the Philippine islands. FRANCE SHOWS FRIENDSHIP Comment from Newspaper in Paris on America's Policy

PARIS, March 28 -6:30 p. m - The Jour-General Agent Kuhn of the Northwestern Reports from Rouxville and other towns nai des Debats, commenting on the pub-fit Tuesday night for a brief western say the surrender of arms in the British lication of the open door correspondence, says: "The United States has incontestably just achieved a great success and has moreover rendered a true service to other interested nations, among whom France has the greatest reason to congratulate herself on what has been done. We were the first to sign the declaration when asked by Secretary Hay and this is not the only mark of confidence which reigns between the tual relations and what has just occurred at

Germans Consider Naval Bill. BERLIN, March 28 .- The budget commit-

HAS NO EQUAL

odiment of the militia into the regulars bill. Secrecy was maintained as to the detalls of the deliberations, but it became known that Herren Bebel and Richter op-

After hearing speakers pro and con the that the measure was exclusively of a defensive character toward all the powers, adding that aggressiveness was foreign to erman policy, which aimed to maintain peace and preserve the dignity of the em

Italian Students Demonstrative, ROME: March 28.-Demonstrations udents for and against the attitude of the ocialist deputies in proposing the convocation of the constituent assembly are re ported at Parma, Padua, Turin, Genoa, Messina and Palermo. At Parma seven stu-

Reichstag Adjourns for Holidays. BERLIN, March 28 .- The Reichstag today adopted the budget bill and adjourned for the Easter holidays until April 24.

International Cat Show. BERLIN, March 28.-The first internaional cat exposition will be held in Berlin next month.

#### DEATH RECORD.

Michael J. Buckley. Michael J. Buckley, aged 38 years, the ploneer stereotyper of Omaha, died at his consumption. The funeral will be held from

Michael Buckley came to Omaha from Chicago in the early '80's and at once identified himself with the cause of union of the Electrotypers' and Stereotypers' union When The Bee established a stereotyping department in connection with its composing room in 1884 Mr. Buckley was made its foreman, and continued in that capacity until a year ago, when he retired. He was taken ill soon afterward with the malady

of which he died. The deceased, who was unmarried, lived PRETORIA. Monday. March 26 -United lous to advance to Kroonstad with the least with his mother and sister at 1814 Clark street. The only other immediate member of the family is a sister, Mrs. M. J. Kelley of Chicago. He was a member of lodge No. BURGHERSDORP. March 26 .- (New York 17, Ancient Order United Workmen, and of

Funeral of Mrs. Wilson.

LEXINGTON, Neb., March 28.—(Special.) The funeral of Mrs. Fannie L. Wilson who died Monday night, occurred at 8:30 o'clock this morning from the residence of the late Mrs. Nettie Hammond, where of Mrs. Hammond, who died one week ago, and after the latter's death was stricken with a similar affliction, but not considered in any danger. She prepared breakfast for the family Monday morning, got very sick in the afternoon, congestion of the lungs et in and she died at 10 p. m. She was a very prominent worker in the Women's Relief corps, the Ladies of the Maccabees and the | the Degree of Honor. She leaves two children of tender years, besides a mother brother and other relatives.

Millionaire Coke Dealer. CLEVELAND, O., March 28 .- A telegram received here from Baltimore today reports the death of W. J. Rainey, the millionaire coal and coke operator, at the Johns Hopkins

hospital. Mr. Rainey went to Baltimore about week ago to have an operation performed. He was one of the largest coke producers in the country, controlling nearly 2,300 ovens in the Connellsville (Pa.) district.

W. H. Blatr. W. H. Blair, a prominent member of the local union of carpenters, died yester day at Clarkson hospital from a complication of diseases. The deceased had long been a familiar figure about Labor temple and was a leader in industrial affairs. There will be a meeting of the Carpenters' union this afternoon to take action regarding the funeral.

Retired British Major General. DANVILLE, Que., March 28.-Major Genprevail in the American colonies, including eral Thomas L. Mountain (retired) is dead at his home in this village, aged 73 years. General Mountain served through the In dian mutiny, during which period General Sir George White, the defender of Ladysmith, was an officer on his staff.

Red Cloud Resident.

ALBION, Neb., March 28 .- (Special.) -- 3 D. Brewer, our lumber dealer, received clegram this morning from Kansas City that his brother had suddenly died and Mr Brewer and wife started immediately that city. The home of the deceased was at Red Cloud, Neb.

American Consul at Cologue. WASHINGTON, March 28.-The State de partment has been advised of the death last night at Cologne of United States Consul John A. Barnes. Mr. Barnes was born in Ohio and was appointed from Illinois in October, 1897, as consul to Cologne.

Newspaper Man in Paris. NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 28 .- Word was received here today of the death in Paris, France, of Allen Baer, who was in charge of the Paris edition of the New

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handrome and beautiful.

### THE BALLOON-By Julien Dupre.

The subject treats of a group of peasants in the harvest-field. The peasants have spent the morning raking and stacking hay, the sun is at its zenith, not a breath of air is stirring, you can almost hear the bees as they buzz from flower to flower, and away off in the distance is seen a balloon floating mafestically in the clear, blue sky. Evid ently the villagers are holding their country fair, and a balloon ascension is one of the features. The group consisting of the peasant and his family are in the picturesque costume of the country. They have all stopped work and stand with their rakes in their hands gazing intently at the distant ballcon. Wonder, awe and admiration are blended in their expressive faces, and revealed in their attitudes. The subject has been treated with those so ft, mellow tints which its artist knows so well how to paint, and recalls to the mind many just such incidents in our childhood life. It is justly popular, both on account of its artistic quality and deep human interest with which it has been clothed.

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## Happy old age

Youngs, Laurens Co., S. C., Sept. 22, 1890. I have recommended your Wine of Cardui and Thedford's Black-Draught to several of my lady friends, and I can say they are what you recommend them to be. I have been suffering three years with the "change of life" and I did not get anything that would do meany good until I tried your medicines. I give thanks to Wine of Cardui and you, for it relieved me. I have taken two bottles.

ANY women who have enjoyed good health all their life, begin to fail when they reach the age of forty-four. They grow nervous and irritable and suffer with sick-headaches. Their livers are torpid, their digestion is impaired and their bowels are irregular. They are experiencing the "change of life". And it is not strange that the cessation of the menstrual habit after thirty years operation, should disturb the system and tax the strongest constitution. This trying period has no terror for a woman who uses Wine of Cardui. It builds up her strength and prepares her for the ordeal. When the change of life is not safely passed, a woman quickly becomes an invalid. Slumbering disease germs are given increased activity and they appear in aggravated form. If you take Wine of Cardui regularly when approaching the change of lite, you will be assured better health than you have ever enjoyed before. A happy old age and a restful calm will be your reward. Mrs. Campbell was cured after suffering three years with the "change of life". Thedford's Black-Draught, the companion medicine of Wine of Cardui, assimilates with it perfectly, curing digestive, liver and kidney affections, and throwing impurities and diseased germs out of the system. Both working together make a well and healthy woman. Do not accept any other remedy.

For advice in cases requiring special directions, address, giving symptoms, The Ladies' Advisory Department, The Chatteneous Medicine Company, Chatteneous, Tenn.