TURN OF AN EXPRESS TRAIN.

By VIRGINIA CHAMPLIN, FROM THE FRENCH OF JACQUES NORMAND. In our little circle of friends there general astonishment when we med bachelor ! the Parisian skeptic, rebelling against every idea of matrimony! the gay high-liver who r have anything to do with it! Valne, in short, was going to enter the a brotherhood. And who was he

So the first time I met him, I collared him at once and asked for an explan-

"I have hardly time," he said ; "I have a hundred things to do. But if you will walk along with me."

"The story is very simple," said Valentine, "and develish commonplace :

for Nice to attend the carnival festivals. I have a horror of travelling at night. track. I therefore took the 9 o'clock train, which would bring me into Marseilles at five minutes past midnight. I was to pass a day at Marseilles, where my to pass a day at Marseilles, where my ed me to breakfast. The next morn- and very small feet.

perfect jam, but, thanks to the proverbial obligingness of the station agent, M. Friegnoul, I managed to find a corner in a coupe. I was alone with another thanks to the proverbial obligingness of the station agent, M. Friegnoul, I managed to find a corner in a coupe. I was alone with another thanks the station agent, bighly favored by bearing a striking resemblance to Napoleon III. With a flourish of the hand and napkin, he pointed out a long table ready for an attack.

(If a ready with the atream of hat-

nting voices at the car door.' 'No, sir, no,' said some woman with a clear, fresh voice, with an imperceptible Southern accent. 'I have

But, madam, we have none.'

my letter.'

st sImpossible. We have on the full back was turned to me, I easily recog- band.

train is starting."
"'But I must have a seat." Well. I offer you two in this car. "In there ?"

'Yes, there.' A little brunette face was thrust doors. nto the door and immediately with-

drawn, as if startled. "Why, there are two gent

car all alone to yourself.'

I am about to give the signal.' and since there is only this car I shall have a sleeping compartment station; shall I not? partment at the

"Yes, madam; yes, madam." "Do you promise me?" " 'Oh, yes.'

" Surely ?

"Yes, yes, yes." "The door opened, the little brown the car, near the wharf, the door open- lips. I bowed very low. rugs; a shrick from the engine pierced hurried along by a cross conductor, I asked. the air. We had started.

The administrative gentleman had started. Horrors! I had made a misthed himself near me to leave a place take. The traveller at the bookstore the table.

out of breath and red with anger, she is absurd to think that there are wo-did you get it? In the cars, perhaps, arranged her bundles in the strap and man who resemble each other like that "'Possibly.' I answered; 'but truly all who have many hours to spend in the car. There were one, two, three bags and most

watched her movements, and found to my delight that she was charming. I say delight, for really it is always more agreeable to travel with a pretty woman than with an old Englishman w my delight that she was charming. I my bundles,' and for the first time she soup cooling on the table. say delight, for really it is always more looked at me, but with what an expresthan with an old Englishman with do you know, I shall never forget.

"The air was sharp and cold. The dles are not stolen. They are—they country, covered with snow and lighted | are at Tounerre.' by a pale sun, seemed to be flying rapidly away on both sides of the car. The fair traveller, wrapped up to the friend, I will not describe the second chin in her rugs, looked steadily and look she darted at me, but I believe I ather sullenly out of the window on shall remember it even longer than the the left; the official gentleman drew first. out large yellow, green, and blue papers from his portfolio and read them most distressed, I added, stammering, 'but carefully, and as for myself, being com- my motive was good. I thought you fortably seated, I looked over the pile | would miss the train-that you would of papers I had bought at the station. take cold, and I did not wish you to

It was twenty-one minutes past 11, take cold. Indeed, you must pardon and the train stopped at Laroche. The me. Have no fear about your effects. official gentleman arranged his papers, They are in safe hands—a baggage masrose, bewed and left the train. He ter. You can telegraph at the next had hardly alighted when the station station. I will telegraph—we will agent addressed him by the title of in- telegraph—and they will be sent at spector, which he pronounced as if the once. Ah, you will have them! I word was almost too big for his promise you, even if I return to mouth. Here our lady traveler looked Tounerre for them myself.' out of the car door and called out: "Station agent!"

"Did you receive a telegram from gloves in her anger. Paris for a sleeping compartment?" "Yes, madam, and I sent on a des- had not counted on the cold. She no patch for one."

longer had her nice warm rugs, and in "Sent on a despatch! Can't I have a few moments she was shivering. In vain she drew herself together and "Impossible, madam. We have no wrapped her beaver cloak around her STEAMER FOR SALE. cars here. You can't have one until pretty figure; she positively shivered.

we reach Lyons." "Lyons! At what hour?" "At 5.45, madam."

"All day to wait, then. Why, air, never console myself." I cannot remain in this car until that "'I do not wish to talk to you, sir,' hour. It is impossible. I will not." she said, curtly.

"Take care, madam, the train is "I was very nervous and excited. "The train moved on and she buried ing; then I was furious at my ridiculous herself in her corner in a rage, without blunder; in short, I was in a mood for

casting a look at me, while I buried great resolutions. myself in my tenth journal. "'Madam,' I said, 'accept this rug "Shall I confess that it took me or I swear to you that I will throw mylonger to read that one journal than all self on the track.' And, flinging the the other nine? I read the same line rug between herself and me, I raised twenty times; I even believe that I the glass and placed my hand on the held it upside down. Devil take it, it couldn't be helped. You know what "Was I resolved! Between ourselves, St. John, N.E. July

a Frenchman is. He can't be alone not quite, I think. But it seems I apwith a pretty woman on a long journey peared so, for she immediately cried without feeling some emotion.

"I longed to enter into a conversation with her, but what pretext, what crazy.' subject could I find? Owing to the temperature the classic resource of "She took the rug and said, in a windows to raise or lower did not exist." softer tone: "But you, sir, will die of What was there to do then? Attempt | the cold.' a commonplace remark? It was a hundred times better to be silent. With madam, I am not chilly, and even if I the keen perception of an old Parisian, were cold, it would be only a just punwoman of the best society. To speak | "Say for your too great haste, for to her thus abruptly, without knowing | you are right, your intention was good, marry 1 A widow? Worse than eyes for a common travelling clerk.

The only thing to do was to find some-

> thanks to the modern inventions so good in case of accidents, but so bad journey, and everything. She was delightful exquisite adorable. She had

Valentine, "and develoa commonplace; but since you wish to know it, I will three little bags; and alighted. It was literature, music—in everything, noon, and hunger made itself felt. short—she had the same taste as mine She went to the refreshment room in And then, ima ine, we had numerou

good friends, the Rombeauds, expect- the back of her neck, a grey felt hat were my eyes? Great heaven! Where

ing I was to go to Nice, where I was to arrive at 2 o'clock in the afternoon."

and very small reet.

"At the entrance of the room stood the head waiter, in a velvet cap, and with that distinguished simplicity "At the Lyons station there was a highly favored by bearing a striking which I like so much. She had a slight,

short, I was one of that file essentially which is stupid. It was fascinating. Assuredly he was not going far with grotesque and painful, as regards human grace and beauty, that pours be alone. Alone !—the only thing that

rain was about to leave when we heard lady traveller tock some soup at a ser- "At Macon (4h 45m) it was turn for and smoke a cigar on the wharf. The arrive at Marseilles the next day. twenty-five minutes, as usual reduced

when she gave a suream.

"'At Tounerre. What do you say?'

"I am distressed, madam, truly

drew back in her corner, twisting her

"But, alas! poor little woman. She

"'Madam,' I said, 'I beg you on my

knees, accept my rug. You will suffer

-and it will be my fault-and I shall

and the passengers were leaving the to ask for her sleeping compartment. station in groups and returning to the "At Valence (8h 3m) my right hand Yen ought to have paid attention to cars, and I entered mine. The lady follows the example of the left -I learn CASH ONLY. that she is a widow without children. had not yet returned. little book-stall at the depot, on the comes purple. I believe I understand other side of the track. Although her her that she never loved her first hus

aber. Come, come, be quick. The nised her by her pretty figure, beaver "At Marseilles finally (5m past midcloak and grey hat. Her hair did not night) I sneeze violently three times. seem to me quite so dark, but it was She holds out my rug and says to me the effect of distance, no doubt. he effect of distance, no doubt.

"Everyone had entered the cars, and "Ah! her an revoir turns my head.

the conductors were neisily closing the "I spent the night at the Hotel "Why, she is going to remain here," her memory. I thought, 'she is crazy,' and I shout- 'The next morning when I awoke I

far away; she did not hear me. The a human being ever had. But, madame, I cannot give you a engine whistled and the train was about "Could I venture in this state to to start. What was to be done? An | call on my friends, the Rombeauds? idea, swift as lightning, flashed through | Well, I must make the best of a bad my braiu. She is going to remain matter. A traveller must be excused there, in that horrible cold, without for mishaps. They will take me as I

whole to a brakeman standing near the invited several friends in my honour

was not the real one. The same cloak, " 'What a cold you have!' cried the was not the real one. The same trous, hat and figure, but it was not she. It excellent Rombeaud. 'Where the devil

"My lady had hardly entered the car I felt the kind, gentle look of my travelling companion reach me through the "'My bundles-some one has stolen fragrant steam rising from a superb

"I explained all to her. Ah, my "Enough, sir!' she said to me. 'I know what is for me to do,' and she

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"She took the rug and said, in a "Do not disturb yourself about me,

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her, would have made me pass in her but how could you take that lady for DesBrisay & DesBrisay "Because she appeared to

thing supremely original to say to her.
But what? What? I racked my brains broken; the ice of the conversation, it in vain and I was still racking them must be understood, for otherwise I when the train suddenly stopped, was shivering. "But I soon forgot the cold, the

"Tounerre; step twenty-five minutes | a distinguished mind-refined, lively, So we went down the boulevard arm for refreshments," cried the conductor, original. She liked to travel, like myopening the car door.

"My neighbor arose, threw aside her self; she had been to Italy, like myself; to Spain, like myself; and she like myself; she had been to Italy, like myself; the station on the other side of the acquaintances in common. She was intimate with the Saint Chamas, the

were my eyes? ther traveller, who were decorations, "I entered with the stream of hat- of 'tete,' which is heavy; 'chateau, and had a severe, administrative bear-less, breathless, rumpled travellers. In which is spiritual, instead of 'chateau,

enders travelling on a railroad endurin a hurry.
"I seated myself and hastily swalwas nearly frozen. We telegraph to
Tounerre for the bundles left behind. my left foot. We receive the despatch "I was one of the first to rise to \$ge from Tounerre that the baggage will

"At Lyon-Perrache (5h 48m) my left red a sleeping compartment and I to twenty, would soon be consumed, hand becomes insensible. She forgets "At Avignon (9h 59m) my nose be

Novilles-an agitated night, filled with

some of her small packages, poor little cure me.

"The man took the articles and went traveller, my charmer! to the lady at the bookstall. At the "When I was presented to her an same moment, in the opposite side of imperceptible smile flitted across he

"Possibly,' I answered; 'but truly,

" 'No, madam,' I said, 'your bun- night."

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car, I cried: 'For that lady yonder!' and among them she was there-my

face was lost in a pile of packages and ed and my lady traveller, flurried and "Have you heard from Tounerre sprang into the car, and the train "'I have thom,' she answered.

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