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G. T. R. Statement Alarms.

London, Oct. 31.—(C. A. P.)—The Daily Mail's financial correspondent says the G. T. R. monthly statement showing increased September earnings amounting to £16,500, while the expenses have suddenly increased by £57,700, has caused more heartburning on the stock exchange than anything for some time past. It is probable that a certain number of stock brokers and dealers interested in Grand Trunks will approach the board on the matter.

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Lava Flows From Vesuvius.
Naples, Oct. 31.—There have been constant explosions from the crater of the volcano since Saturday night. The explosions, increasing constantly in violence, are now occurring at half-minute intervals, and they have again shattered the cone of the summit and caused a lateral fissure, through which is pouring a constant stream of incandescent lava.

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Plead Self-Defence.
Montreal, Oct. 31.—Glussuppi and Raffaele Melo, brothers, were arrested at noon yesterday, charged with stabbing a fellow Italian during a drunken game of cards. The injured man may die. They pleaded self-defence.

Ontario Appointment.
Toronto, Oct. 31.—W. H. Price, editor of the Algoma Conservator, has been appointed police magistrate for Manitoulin, the first resident magistrate for the island. The office is worth \$1,000 a year.

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A courtship sometimes reverts to the court.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

Not every French cook took the trouble to be born in France.

Genius is the ability to work the other fellow.



It would really be a calamity to discover the north pole. So many searches for it would be thrown out of a job.

The man with three corners on each foot thinks the orator is about right who has it figured that the country is going to the bowwows.

Don't be discouraged if you find the sweet girl graduate of a month or so ago in the kitchen. A couple of seasons there will not hurt her.

It is hardly to be wondered at if the weather prophet is without honor in his own country.

Now that the world is once more at peace let us hope that it will be a long time between wars.

Indian summer was not invented by the Indians, though possibly they were the ones who saw it first.

It is doubtless a great relief to a bigamist to be discovered, for the suspense must be something awful.

The simple life does not appear to those who through force of circumstances must lead it as the greatest invention of modern times.

Nonsense Song.
Said the river to the forest,
"I would go away somewhere
And would like the same to borrow
If you have a trunk to spare."
Said the forest: "At your service,
Are my trunks, I oft have said.
When you go upon your journey
May I lie upon your bed?"

Said the river: "I am sorry,
But my springs are out of whack.
I allow to get some new ones
Just as soon as I come back.
As it is, you're welcome to it,
And I think 'twould be a lark
When the lobsters try to bite you
If you'd scare them with your bark."

Said the river: "I must travel
As becomes my wealth and rank,
And should I run out of money
I can draw upon my bank."
Said the forest: "That is proper;
You must take the trip first class.
If my leaves are in the humor,
They will rustle you a pass."

Said the river: "That is lovely.
It is nice to travel free.
For my meals and small expenses
I can use my current, 'See?'"
And his mouth began to water,
Thinking on what he would get.
So he started on his journey,
And I hear he's going yet.

Strangely Enough.



"He was given up by the doctors."
"And he took a patent medicine!"
"Yes."
"And it cured him?"
"No; it hastened the end."

Their Best Friend.
"He is the father of thirteen children."
"And he still has to work?"
"Yes."
"That is base ingratitude on the part of the shoe dealers. They should retire him on an old age pension."

Sober Moment.
There's a time to laugh, he is, hi lo,
Thy face is blue and black.
It's not when your wealthy uncle,
Though, slither him down on a tack.

Helpless.
"Things might have been different if Eve had been a modern woman."
"Yes?"
"She would have taken her hairpin and worked her way back into the garden."

Literary Life.
"He is dabbling in light literature."
"What is he doing?"
"Making out gas bills."
"Well, there is some plot to that too."

Prognostication.
One sign of rain that never fails
Is this: Go off to town
And leave your umbrella home;
The floods will then come down.

Too Good.
"Her little son never told a lie."
"I thought you said she had interesting children."

So Startling.
"He is trying the Knapp cure."
"Dew tell!"

Your stomach is like the mainspring of your watch. When it's all right, you are all right. When it's wrong, you are ALL wrong.

A morning glass of

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will keep your stomach in "right to the second" condition.

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The Gun Went Off.
Belleville, Oct. 31.—Charles Greenleaf of this city was testing a shot gun when the breech blew out, and badly mangled his hand, besides making a deep wound on his cheek, just under the eye. He had a close call for losing his eye, if not his life.

Eva Booth Ill.
New York, Oct. 31.—Worn out with her arduous campaign through Pennsylvania, Commander Eva Booth of the Salvation Army is ill in this city. She is compelled to lie in bed, and her physicians say she must take a long rest.

NO POISON IN CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY.

From Napier, New Zealand, Herald: Two years ago the Pharmacy Board of New South Wales, Australia, had an analysis made of all the cough medicines that were sold in that market. Out of the entire list, they found only one that they declared was entirely free from all poisons. This exception was Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, made by the Chamberlain Medicine Company, Des Moines, Iowa, U. S. A. The absence of all narcotics makes this remedy the safest and best that can be had; and it is with a feeling of security that any mother can give it to her little child. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is especially recommended by its makers for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. When taken at time it prevents pneumonia. This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

Will Ask For Divorce.

Brockville, Oct. 31.—Application will be made at the next session of the Dominion Parliament by Mary Emiline Preston of the Township of South Cross, Leeds County, for a bill of divorce from her husband, Francis Preston of Thessalon, Algoma, on the grounds of adultery and desertion.

OLD AGE.

Old age as it comes in the orderly process of Nature is a beautiful and majestic thing. The very shadow of old age which threatens it, makes it the more prized. It stands for experience, knowledge, wisdom and counsel. That is old age as it should be. But old age as it so often is means nothing but a second childhood of mind and body. What makes the difference? Very largely the care of the stomach. In youth and in old age alike, the stomach is the seat of strength of manhood it does not seem to matter how we treat the stomach. We abuse it, overwork it, injure it. We don't suffer from it much. But when age comes the stomach is worn out. It can't prepare and distribute the needed nourishment to the body, and the body, un nourished, falls into senile decay. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a wonderful medicine for old people whose stomachs are weak, and whose digestions are poor. Its invigorating effects are by the mind as well as body. It takes the sting from old age, and makes old people strong.

Resolution Against Embargo.
London, Oct. 31.—(C. A. P.)—At a conference on Canadian cattle restrictions at Dundee, William Henderson said the present policy of the Board of Agriculture was monstrous and was pursued by no other country. Lord Provost Barrie of Dundee moved that a petition should be made for the removal of restrictions on all classes which were injured by the embargo. It was to everybody's interest to see it removed. This was seconded, and the resolution cordially adopted.

THE FAST TRAINS.
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A CHAPTER ON PICKLES.

Products of the Fall Garden Preserved For Winter Use.

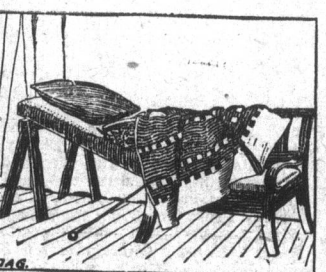
For making pickles I prefer white wine to cider vinegar, but as this is not always obtainable pure cider vinegar may be used. If it is not homemade get it only of some respectable, honest dealer upon whom you can depend. The success of your pickling depends upon the good quality of your vinegar. Use glass jars or else unglazed earthen jars. The vinegar acting upon the glaze produces a mineral poison. Use saucepans or kettles of porcelain to boil the vinegar in and wooden knives and forks in the preparation of the pickles. Fill jars three parts full with the articles to be pickled and then add vinegar up to the neck of the jar.

Sweet Tomato Pickle.—One peck of half ripe tomatoes and six large onions, sliced. Sprinkle with nearly a teaspoonful of salt and let stand overnight. In the morning drain, add two quarts of water and one of vinegar, boil fifteen minutes, drain them, and then add the tomatoes two pounds of sugar, two quarts of vinegar, two tablespoonfuls of cloves, allspice, ginger, cinnamon and mustard and one teaspoonful of cayenne. Boil fifteen minutes. Overturn place in jars and keep in a cool place.

French Pickled Beans.—Select those of uniform size and place the pods in brine three days. Drain, rinse and place in jars, adding small pieces of red peppers and some allspice. Pour over them hot spiced vinegar, seal and keep in a cool, dark closet.

Mixed Pickles.—Cook cauliflower heads broken in pieces, little onions, chopped bell peppers, sliced cucumbers, little string beans and nasturtiums in salted water till tender; then drain. Fill open mouthed jars or bottles and cover with boiling cider vinegar in which have been steeped celery seed, mustard in the proportion of a teaspoonful of salt and two tablespoonfuls each of sugar and mustard to a quart of vinegar. Country Gentleman.

A Convenient Arrangement.
For one who is subject to periods of suffering while not really an invalid a Morris chair is invaluable even if one of the older styles that do not recline as much as the later ones, says a Ladies' World correspondent. I was presented with one of these and told that I could rest more comfortably by putting the back down on a common chair, which was true, but the other chair was in the way, and there was the risk



A NEW DEVICE.

of some one moving it unthinkingly, letting the back to the floor. I finally thought of having a small "horse" made, such as carpenters use, one just the right height to let the back down almost level and only as wide as the chair, as shown in the illustration. To think was to act, so now I can sit erect, half recline or lie down, as I wish. Little knobs on the top go just inside of the side pieces of the back and prevent it slipping, so I can rest as securely as if on a bed or lounge.

Brown In Favor.
It would appear that brown, which has been so fashionable all the season through, is gaining in favor rather than diminishing, and that it is likely to be patronized during the winter and autumn. There are as many shades almost as it is possible to find in any color, and it suits everybody. We have mustard brown, tobacco brown, snuff brown, golden brown, mole skin brown, deer brown and others, including walnut and chestnut. Tan mingles well with brown, and so does orange. A good many cashmeres and long skirted coats in fine cloth have had a great following in this color, and rich silk brail looks very well on ladies' cloth of tabac tone. Terci cotta or wood shades are used, but warmer tones of brown are really most in favor. Cashmeres in these brown shades are trimmed with rushings of glaze put on in scroll work.

A Useful Wrinkle.
Any one having a window box or shirt waist box without casters will find it a great convenience to tack common table oilcloth on the bottom, letting it come up on the sides and ends far enough to hold the tacks nicely, say an inch or two. The box will then move over the carpet as easily as though there were casters on it. The oilcloth should be tacked under the upholstery or before it is done.

Having to Put up a Lunch on short notice and having no cooked meat, I used a nice fat rabbit which had soaked overnight in salted water. I took the thick fleshy parts of the back, sliced the meat from the bones, pounded it, dipped it in cream, then in flour, and then fried it. It proved a success and is considered as good as chicken by those who have tried it, says a good housewife.

When Carving.
When carving a rib of beef, first run a knife with a firm, sharp stroke along between the meat and the end and the rib bones; then carve in thin, neat slices, directing the strokes of the knife from the thick end to the thin, as when carving a sirloin.



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A Strange Freak.

It appears that Carmarthen Jail just now holds a prisoner who puzzles the authorities. He is declared to be really a living statue. He is a huncher named Schreiner, awaiting trial on a charge of attempting to murder a lady and gentleman with whom he had been in service at Tynmavir. It is said that Schreiner will remain motionless for a couple of days unless moved, limb by limb, by a warder. His stolidity is remarkable. No subterfuge, no attempt at a sudden fright has succeeded in making him flinch or move an eyelid when in his moods. Opinions differ as to his mental state. The man, says The Western Mail, absolutely refuses all kinds of food left in his cell, and the doctor has to forcibly feed him by means of a tube. He will lie on his stomach for a whole day without moving a muscle; sometimes he is stretched on his back; at other times he stands erect in a corner of his cell. At all times he takes no the slightest notice of anything that occurs in his vicinity. There are many ways known to prison officials whereby, were acting clever and collected, a prisoner, however all these devices have failed in the present case. He will not utter a word or sound, never varies his vacant stare into action, and has to be dressed and undressed as if he were a bronze statue.

TERRIBLE PAINS ACROSS BACK

SUFFERED EIGHT MONTHS WITH KIDNEY TROUBLE. WOULD HAVE TO STAY IN BED FOR THREE DAYS AT A TIME

Doan's Kidney Pills CURED HIM

Mr. Thomas Fitzgerald, Hazeldean, Ont., writes us as follows: "I was a great sufferer from kidney trouble for eight months. I had terrible pains across the small of my back. I would have to stay in bed for three days at a time and could not do any work. I tried several remedies but of no avail, and also plasters but they were of no use."

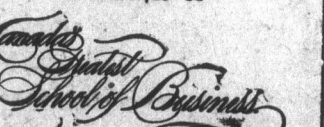
One day a neighbor of mine advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills. I was so much discouraged I told him I was tired of trying remedies, but he urged me to try one box so I purchased one, and before I was through using it, I found a change for the better so I got five boxes more, and I have had no trouble with my kidneys since. I would not be without Doan's Pills in my house."

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