GOING TO KEEP HOUSE.

Lome of the Eccentricities that Characterize the Initial Proceedings.

THE RIGHT KIND OF A START.

Two solid citizens were in a store talking over the news, when one of them spoke of a young fellow who was married recently and had gone to keeping house, and the other one said :

and looked over the lay out. He has got to be happy with such a nice little wife When I saw the furniture, the carpets and everything just as complete as possible, I sompared the scene in my mind with the one of twenty years ago, when my wife and I went to keeping house. I rented a little one-storey house with three small rooms. My wife had a feather bed and some sheets and comfortables and I bought a basswood bedstead-one of these kind where the slats some down the first night and keep coming down. I got a straw tick filled with hay, and after the slats came down we slept on different colors, but man, in his wisdom, the floor. It was in December, and I pledge disregards this and prefers the worst inyou my word the frost was half an inch stead of the best. Woman may expose her thick by the cracks in the floor, and when brain to the direct rays of the sun by my feet."

asked the other man. "Catch nothin?" Why, we were too Not so with man! Both brims are healthy to catch cold. Honest, the room tabooed, and parasols are not permissible. was actually too warm. The stove was the | With regard to the neck, man has no choice: smallest cook stove you eversaw, and when a collar he must wear, and one fitting you got a fire built you had to stand and close to the neck and reinforced by feed it just as you would a baby. I remem. cravat or tie. The woman alone ber my father came to visit me soon after is granted the comfort of lowand how he laughed when I brought in a necked, half-low heart shaped "chunk" to keep up a fire all night. The loose fitting collars. The body, or trunk, "chunk" was about as big as your arm. Is no better off. Man must wear a stiff That first morning you ought to have seen us | white shirt, a vest, and a lined and padded get breakfast. My wife was a little nervous | coat. Woman needs wear but one (visible) about getting up and dressing before me. garment, which may be made as light as You see she had never been married any, possible without being transparent. It is and it came on her sudden. So I went into even doubtful whether the tightly drawn the pantry and broke the ice on the pan- corset, that object of universal use which sake batter that she had fixed the night is so violently denounced by the opposite before, and filled the little tea kettle and sex, causes more discomfort than the stubbed around there barefooted on the numerous articles with which man surfrost and gave her a show, and she jumped | rounds himself; for physiologists have into a few things, and when I came learned that women can breathe with the out by the stove she was sitting on a upper part of the lungs (thoracic breathsoap box with her feet in the oven look- | 10g), and, therefore, suffers less from tighting things over. To tell the truth about lacing than man. As regards the arm, it, she looked a little bit discouraged. Well, matters are pretty evenly balanced, with you see, she went agin' her folks wishes a the odds in favor of the woman, who may marrying me, and she might have had the | shorten her sleeve as much as she pleases, son of a man who kept a store-the one who and in no case wear' more than one longbusted there where we lived about nineteen, sleeved garment, where a man wears three. years ago, and beat everybody who lent him | Cuffs she can dispense with, but he canmoney. You remember him, Jim. His not. Her sleeves need not be lined; his boy got to gambling, and they haven't must, unless of very thick material. heard from him since he went to Arkansas. Gosh! Just think of it. Suppose my wife had married him, she wouldn't have had no such house as the has got now, and all the money she wanted. Well, we snugged around the stove, and pretty soon the tea! kettle began to boil, and my wife put on her shoes, and broke the ice in the tin wash basin and washed her hands and face, and as the sausage began to fry she began to look good natured, and didn't seem half so disgusted with marrying, and then the coffee began to smell sort of sociable, and the potatoes that I peeled got so we could run a fork in them and then she put on the pancakes, and we sat down to the table. She sat right by the stove where she could turn the pancakes without getting up, and we ate and laughed, and I tell you I never had a meal taste so good in my life. I have eaten at Delmonicos, and in Paris cafes, since, and have had everything that a white man ever at, abut I never had a meal taste as good as that first breakfast did, when the little woman sat there by the stove and turned them buckwheat pancakes. Say, Jim, when you look at my himself through the head. wife riding around in her carriage, with ber diamonds, and seal skin, and everything she wants, looking kind of toney, you wouldn't think she ever knew how to turn | ing to the Royal Irish Brigade attached to pancakes and fry sausages, would you? the Gordon Highlanders, bayoneted seven Well, she can beat 'em all. I wouldn't have men during the charge of Tel el-Kebir, and you tell her, but she can wrestle an ob- was afterward attacked by three Egyptian stinate paucake, that wants to double up officers. A bullet was sent through his and run all over the griddle, and fetch it right cheek and passed out of his neck, but out browned on both sides, looking as he succeeded in bayoneting two. Before though it was run in a mould. Some he killed the third another bullet struck days the servant girls and cooks get him almost in the same place, opening the tantrums, and the stuff don't come on first wound and following a similar directhe table just right, and pretty soon I tion. While lying on the ground he was see her eyes begin to lock the way fired at again by an Arab, but was rescued they did when she had her feet in by two men of the Army Service Corps, the oven that morning, and then she with only a slight additional injury to one gets up and goes to the kitchen, without a of his fingers. He suffered from lockjaw word, and makes them girls come to tew, for three days, and how he recovered is and don't you forget it. She has had a marvellous. It is thought that he will good deal of sickness, Jim, and has lost receive a distinguished conduct medal .children, and she ain't so pretty as she | London Telegraph. was when the bed slats fell down that night, but she's a daisy, and I guess she don't regret that she told the old folks she guessed she knew her business, when she married me. The old man thought I was a fool, but when I bought him a \$10,000 The fellow addressed handed over the farm and stocked it for him, and bired a man to do the work, and all he had to do was to ride around and boss it, he changed his mind, and one day he admitted that he was the fool, and that I took the whole | " Where's the party occupying this seat cake, bakery and all. Well, after that almighty cold morning, I traded a single barrel shot gun for a rag carpet, and sawed . Then what are you doing with two wood for a storekeeper and got a rocking chair for the little woman, and we worried along for a few years pretty poor, Jim, but after a while I struck my gait, and we have been making money hand over fist for several years, and don't care now whether school keeps or not. I hope our young friend, who has just gone to keeping house, will always be as happy as he is now, but do you know I believe it is best to commence down to the bottom of the ladder and work up? It is hard to get up, but it is a mighty sight harder if you have to go down after you have started away up. It strikes me, when I was up to the young fellow's house, I noticed his wife had on her face about torte. "Beautiful, isn't it? remarked a mind, for with mind and body, as with man the same sort of an expression my wife young lady. "Yes," replied Fogg. "Splen- and wife, it often happens that the stronger and wife, it often happens that the stronger had, twenty years ago, when she had her did exercise. Superior to Indian clubs or vessel is ruled by the weaker, although in deserves its name. It is a COBURN & COOK PUBLISHING CO., I noticed his wife had on her face about expression as long as I live, because it was beginner, I should say." ket, you die. Ah, sis, so you come down the control.

town this morning, eh? Want a hundred dollars to buy things for the poor, eh. Oh, go way. Well, here, take it, and here's an extra fifty, cause you may run on to some poor folks that you didn't expect to find. Now go long. No thanks. You helped earn it, you little rascal. Don't you re- cookery by the girls attending the various addition, take care of your health. Do not gan keeping house, and the pancakes, and the bed slats. I have just been telling old she looked at me when she went out? She the two old fellows went off as happy as years old .- Peck's Sun.

DEN IN SKIRTS.

The Garments Word by Women Pre terable to those Worn by Men.

(Philadelphia Press). Science has investigated the absorbent and radiant power of different fibres and I got up in the morning to build a fire I | wearing a small, useless bonnet, but fashion just melted it from all over the floor with compels her to carry a parasol to compensate for it. On the other hand, fashion "Didn't you and your wife catch cold?" | -not so cruel as she is painted-is equally in favor of large hats with useful brims.

A Youthful Murderer to be Manged.

them in the food that had been cooked for incomers, both of you-both incomers. their breakfast. Soon after the murder am done. strong threats were made of lynching the culprit, who is the youngest girl ever sentenced to be hanged in Virginia. Mr. Gray, the husband of the murdered woman, previous to his removal to this section of the case by a goat, in another by a deer. It is State, was an official of one of the largest hard to understand what harm can be done railroads, with his headquarters in Chicago, by keeping these favorites, who eat but and was reputed to be very wealthy. Since little, who can scarcely be supposed to disthe death of his wife he has frequently tract the attention of the soldier from threatened to take his life, and a short serious duties, and who afford him a cer-

A Plucky Soldier.

Private Hinkson, a reserve man belong-

The Conductor's Little Joke.

"Ticket!" said the conductor, as he stopped in front of a Toronto man, who looked as if he was anchored to his seat. required pasteboard, which was duly punched, and, looking around, the conductor said: "Where's your friend?" "What friend? I have no friend." with you?" "I'm alone," said he, looking somewhat puzzled at being questioned. valises?" "Two valises! Why, I haven't any," at the same time moving his feet with exertion. "Oh, excuse me," said the conductor, and as he passed out of the car he was heard to remark : " The biggest feet I ever saw."

London Queen : " Ball dresses are made quite low."

A telegraph-blue bonnet has dull silver bands and Sevres blue feathers.

much like second rate beef. "difficult" piece of music upon the pianc- a well-disciplined body to a well-regulated | years. forte. "Beautiful, isn't it?" remarked a mind, for with mind and body, as with man

new to be. Well, I guess it was new to A note has been issued by the Egyptian reasonable, and where both are agreed. her, too. I hope the new bride hasn't had Government announcing the abolition of | Lord Dufferin has made an excellent imthe bed-slats fall down, or anything. European control. The note points out pression on the Egyptian Ministers. He Falling of the bed-slats is one of that such control, as reconstituted by the told them he had not come to take the the worst things in the world to Khedive in 1879, no longer offers any guar- direction of affairs out of the hands of everybody who wears a uniform is unbeartake the conceit out of anybody antee to bondholders, but has become an Malet, but to work with the latter on terms when they first get married. Well, I institution of a dual and political character, of perfect equality. The business of his must go. Sh! There comes my wife which has proved the cause of many mission commences immediately, as now. Say, if you ever tell her that I have administrative difficulties. The note does Dufferin received instructions from the been giving her away on that pancake rac- not mention any proposed substitute for British Cabinet by the mail which just

" HOW TO COOK A POTATO."

Scene" at the Glasgo & School Board.

member that first breakfast, when we be schools. It had been remarked that very let a cold grow on you until it can few women knew how to cook a potato. hardly be shaken off. This can best be done Rev. Mr. Thomson-On, nonsense! Don't by using Dr. Wilson's Pulmonary Cherry fountain, the spray of which lends a Jim about it. Egad, Jim, did you see how maligu the women of Glasgow. I am here, Balsam. It is a remedy of extraordinary delightful coolness to the air and Arcadian and will stand up for them. Don's talk power. It acts directly on the lungs. The beauty to the scene. There is depicted on "Yes, I was up to bis house last week will be telling your wife how I tried to nonsense. Dr. Lang-I don't profess to wild cherry, its principal ingredient, cuts blue China tiles, arranged in a continuous milk the cow with a lemon squeezer, some have the same intimate knowledge of the away the phlegm which clogs the mucous chain all round the apartment, scenes from everything just as nice as can be and ought | day. Well, let's go down on change," and | women of Glasgow as Mr. Thomson has lining of the air tubes and cells. The . Mr. Thomson-You have every extract of gum resins from some of the though they were twenty instead of forty opportunity. Dr. Lang-But I quote a celebrated healing trees of torrid climates, statement made lately by Mr. Buckmaster that very few women know how to cock a potato. Mr. Thomson - Oh, don't talk nonsense. Dr. Lang-I mentioned this to show the efficiency of the depart- by thousands and it is known the world ment. Mr. Thomson-Humbug! It has gone forth at this Board by one of the ministers of this city-a most important gentleman no doubt in his own eyes when he begins to be a critic on potatoes and potato boiling; but I must say I object to such language being introduced at this Board, that the women, or rather the ladies, of Giasgow cannot cook a potato. To say that only a few women, as he calls them-a very ungaliant phrase to use in this the second city of the Empire-know how to cook potatoes is a slander I won't best opportunity of learning its value. Purstand. Mr. Kidston-Mr. Thomson is out chasers usually are not backward in it will cure you. By druggists. of order, and ought to be put down. Mr. exposing their disapprobation of anything Thomson-No, he is not. I will not sit that proves unworthy the recommendation down for anybody here. I say there is no it has received. Thus the opinion of Mr. part of the world where women know their Benjamin Richards, of Cordigan, N. B., is duties towards themselves and the public, worthy of con-ideration when he says :- "I and their responsibilities to society, better have tried and sold all kinds of limiments, to the memory of the late Prince Louis than in Glasgow, and no women who know but have never found any as good as Dr. Napoleon at Woolwich by a public subbetter how to cook. Mr. H. A. Long-I Dow's Sturgeon Oil Limiment for what it is scription throughout the army. The consider that when our girls are taught recommended. I believe it is the best monument stands in a conspicuous position cockery the men will be better behaved, as | liniment in the world for man and beast." | in front of the Royal Military Academy, at they will be taught to sit at table with a This last expression has reference to its knife and fork instead of going away into some corner to take their scup or other meat. Mr. Thomson-We have nothing to do either with the subject of brose or lumbago, scrofula, and the like in men. porridge, nor with forks and knives, and there have been insiduations and allegations against my townsmen and countrymen by a stranger who has very little Supreme Court for shooting a man whom experience -.. Mr. Fife-I would call be was arresting under an execution for of this upon even the best natured produces Mr. Tuomson to order. I think this is debt. beyond anything ever attempted at this Board. Mr. Thomson-So it is. I quite agree with you. Mr. Cuthbertson-You have spoken already. Mr. Thomson-1 shall not allow any man-. Mr. Cuthbertson-You may protest. Mr. Thomson-You can protest as you like when you are out of the Board, and you will be that at next election. Rev. Mr. Wood-You have spoken three times within five minutes. Mr. Thomson-I am answering insulting language. I shall not sit at this Board and allow any language reflecting A Petersburg (Va.) telegram says: upon--. Dr. Lang-Order, order! Mr. Mary Booth, colored, aged about 14 Thomson-You are out of order at this years, is to be hauged at Surry Court Board about your potatoes. It was you House, Surry county, on the 17th instant | who began it. The Chairman-Mr. Thomfor the murder of Mrs. B. C. Gray and son, you ought to sit down. Mr, Thomson Travis Jones some months ago in that -I am speaking against an insult. I defy county. The murder was committed any man to mault my townsmen here with solely for the purpose of getting a sum of impunity. Dr. Lang insulted the women, money which was supposed to be concealed and Mr. Long insulted the men about their somewhere in the house. The girl killed potatoes and bowls of soup, I am done her victims by administering strychnine to but you had better not try that again -- sad

Dogs as Soldiers.

In England we have regiments which are accompanied by various animals-in one time ago he committed suicide by shooting | tain amount of unocent amus ment when | ister. his labors are at an end. There was a time when the services of dogs were turned to effective account in battle. They were for the productive mines and fertile prairies and at the moment of engagement were suddenly let loose in whole packs to spring at the necks of the leading men. To " let slip the dogs of war" was far from being a mere figure of speech. At the Capitol of Rome a garrison of dogs was kept as well as the famous one of geese. But here they did not acquit themselves of their sentry duty in so creditable a manner as the too notorious geese, and at the time of the invasion of the Gauls slept at their posts. The Romans also formed dogs into bodies for purposes of attack, and one commander used to place them as sentinels outside his camp. Ever since then the dog has, in different quarters of the world, taken part in military affairs. But as a warrior he has now "had his day."-St. James Gazette.

A Minister s Will.

The case of Gillies vs. McConachy has been settled by Mr. Justice Proudfoot. It was an action heard on circuit, and was brought for the construction of the will of Rev. Thomas Hannay, a minister of the United Presbyterian Church of North America. The learned judge delivered judgment construing the will and upholding the various charitable bequests of the testator. He gave a part of his money to poor, converted, needy Jews."

Colonel Ingersoll still believes in the innocence of the Star Route conspirators. It is gratifying to learn that Colonel Ingersoll believes in something, even though it be a myth - Philadelphia Press.

Advices from Aspinwall contain the news that the Canal Company's hospitals at that city and Panama are crowded with sick, several patients are suffering from yellow

The public schools of Birdboro', Pa. were closed yesterday owing to the prevalence of scarlet fever and diphtheria. disease is spreading.

best conducted where neither party is un-

arrived.

Be Explicit.

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Freeman's Journal accuses Sir Garnet Woiseley of having expressed to the Government a desire to be given control of all military matters, so far as they relate to the condition of Ireland, with a view to the complete suppression of the disorders in that country.

A Dealer's Opinion.

The dealers in any case of goods have the great value in curing such troubles as windgalls, founder, ringbone, curvy, scratches, etc., in horses as well as rheumatism,

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Some of the best specimens of painting on china and terra cotta lately on sale in London are the work of the wife and daughter of a Scandinavian Cabinet Min-

used before the action to track the enemy, of the Great Southwest is unanimous in selecting the route via Chicago. Implicit confidence is placed in the Kansas City Proneer Line, composed of the C. B. & Q. and Old Reliable Haunibal & St. Joseph Railroads. Through fast trains are run by this line and the equipment is unsurpassed.

> A Philadelphia woman, who called herself an electropathic physician and was noted as a quack, seems to have believed in herself, for she treated herself for a hurt which she had received by falling downstairs, refusing to have a regular practitioner called in, and died through her own unskilfulness.

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> Rev. Professor Burwash, Dean of the Theological Department at Victoria Uuiversity, has returned to Cobourg from Manitoba, much improved in health.

There was a young lady quite fair, Who had much trouble with her hair, So she bought Carboline And a sight to be seen,

Is the head of this maiden, I declare.

There was a young man so well bred, That the hair would not stay on his head But the Carboline Oil

Put new hair on the soil, and now with an heiress he's wed.

It is stated that the British War Office authorities do not intend to demobilize the members of the Army Reserve now with the colors who joined the Reserve between the 1st of January, 1880, and the 30th of Horseslesh is described as tasting very Five children have died in one family. The June, 1881, but to give them the option of remaining in the army for two years, or Miss Notebanger has just finished a He that strives for the mastery must join for the full term of the engagement-twelve

feet in the oven. I shall never forget that dumb bells, but rather exhausting to a morals as in domestic economy matters are Prescription " deserves its name. It is a 196, 98, 99 & 100 Metropolitan Block, CHICAGO, ILLcertain cure for those painful maladies and weaknesses which embitter the lives of so many women. Of druggists.

> The London World says that in Prussia ably arrogant and rude.

Your Teeth with pearls will surely vie, If "Teaberry" you only try; Once used, you ne'er will be without it, Just try one bottle, if you doubt it.

A Dairy in Blue China.

At the left wing of Sir Henry Peck's nearly completed house at Rousdon, Devon, is situated the dairy, which for beauty, Board Dr. Marshall Lang spoke of the straight at the mark and hit it. Ifs and solidity and originality of design has never benefits that would result from a study of buts are at a discount in these days. In been surpassed, and cannot be matched in all England. The floors and shelves and central tables are all formed of slabs of the purest marble, and in the centre there is a every phase of rural life. There is also a magnificent marble fountain in the large yard beyond .- English Live Stock Journal.

Important to Travellers

Special inducements are offered you by the Burlington route. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue.

A Grand Trunk freight train left the track at Pickering, occasioning a delay of twelve hours in the arrival at Toronto of the eastern express. A number of cars were overturned and bally smashed.

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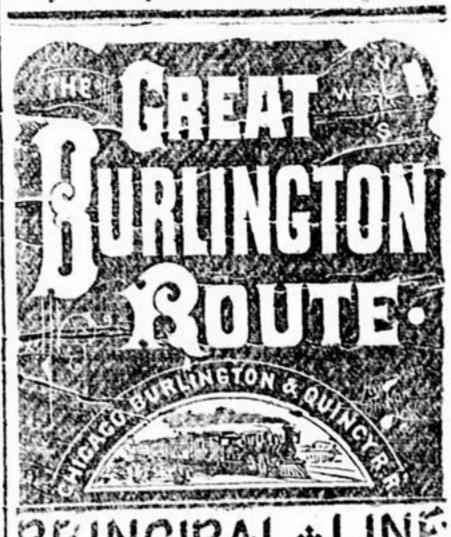
Nothing is more dangerous to men than a sudden change in fortune. - Quintillian.

The Duke of Connaught will unveil a monumental statue which has been erected which institution the Duke of Connaught and the late Prince were both cadets.

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Hou. Mr. Chapleau writes to a Quebes contemporary, stating that in all probability he will pass the winter in Algiera.



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