The Recipe That Little Jackie Read to His Grandma.

Old Mrs. Jones borrowed Mrs. Brown's recipe for making watermelon pickle the other day, and, being hard of hearing, as she could'nt see to read very well, she got her grandson Jackie to read it for her. Jackie took the paper like a dutiful child, and holding it upside down commenced:

'Take a green watermelon—,

'Why Jackie ain't you mistaken? I thought the melon must be ripe.,

'Oh, what's the matter with you!—Gew ever see a watermelon that wusn't green?'

'Cut the watermelon into four halves —'

'But there ain't only two halves to anything. I don't believe you are reading that Jackie.'

'Well I don't have to; anyhow that's what the reseet says. Then soak it in a pint cup—'

'Oh, dear me! How in the world can you put a watermelon in a pint cup?

'Well, I ain't here to tell the wherefases and the howfores. I'm just readin' the facts and you can put in the filosofee to suit your taste. After soakin' the melon put it in a skillet and fry it fur five days.'

'I wonder if Mrs. Brown sent me such a recipe as that,' said the old lady; but Jackie kept on:

'Then put the watermelon in a quart bowl and pour over it a gailon of vinegar,

'I'd just like to know how can you pour a gallon into a quart bowl without spilling any of it;' but Jackie continued:

'Then sift a peck of red pepper thro' a milk strainer over the melon, and to one cup of butter add the white and yolks and shells of three eggs, and throw in the old hen that laid them, and four sticks of cinnamon drops and two tablespoonfuls of quinine and run it through a coffee mill, and let it stand till it ferments, and then put it in a tin can and tie the tin can to a dog's tail—this will stir it up to the right consistency—and then you can turn it off in crocks and have it ready for use. Serve it cold and spread it on mince pie, and it makes capital desert,' and Jackie slid out of the door and left the old lady looking like a wrinkle on a monument. —*Exchange.*

Our Boarding-House.

WHY WE ALL INTEND TO LEAVE.

There is at present a strange gathering in our boarding-house. First comes a long-haired man who quotes Shakespeare incorrectly, and speaks of the beauties of Moliere and Racine. Then there is an agent for a liver pad, who is continually talking about absorption; there is a plumber with a cruel expres-ion; a redneesd man with a military air, who declares he was in the Guards; a reporter, who somehow owns a diamond: and a photographer, who says he makes poetry for the evening papers at so much a quart. Then is a young lady who plays the Reehester Schottische (10th exercise) on the piano, and never plays anything else. Then there is the girl that giggles at everything, and the girl that cheats at cards, and, last of all, there is Mary, a blue-eyed saxon, who kicks her brogans against the bedroom doors every morning and screams, "Mysthars, are yez niver goin' to git up?' They have all given notice of leaving. A young man took parlour B (price according to location of room) the other day. The ladies were sitting in parlour A sewing. Suddenly they heard some one in parlour B gasping. 'Water water,' was heard, in a man's voice; give me water, or I die!' and the death rattle resounded in the lofty hall. The ladies shrieked, and Mary came up, and hearing the cry for 'water,' ran with two wash pitchers to parlour B. The door was burst open, and the young gentleman was found studying attitudes before the glass, with a book in his hand. He belongs to a literary society, and intends to recite, 'Lost in the Desert.' He hasn't mastered the details yet, and gasps for water every night. We leave in a body. The march of intellect is too rapid for us.

Rapid Transit With a Vengeance.

Uncle Mose owns several small shanties on Galveston avenue, says the *News*, which he rents out, but one of the tenants is rather slow in coming up with the *rent*, so Old Mose had to make him a pastoral visit. Just as he was coming away from the house Old Mose met Jim Webster.

'Jim,' said the old man, 'which am de fastest trabbler you eber heard tell about?

'Dey say dat de ray of light trabbles more den 200,000 miles a second, but I never timed it myself, replied Jim.

'Dar's a man in Galveston what can gib de ray ob light fifty yards start and beat it wuss kind.'

'G'way, old man. Lyin' is ketchin', and I hain't been vaccinated since the wah.'

'Hit am jess so as I tole yer, Gabe Snodgrass, what owes me four mumfs back rent, can outrabble de light.'

'Did yer see him do it?'

'I went to de front doah, and jess as his wife opened the front doah I seed Gabe slide out the back doah. 'Is Gabe at home?' says I. 'He's done gone to Houston,' says she. Hit am fifty miles to Houston, and he must habe made de trip while I was alooking at him slide out de back doah. Jess fetch on yer ray ob light, and ef it don't hab to hump hitself to catch up wid Gabe Snodgrass when I comes for de back rent, den I'se a fool—dat's all.'

Boorish Conduct of a Galveston Gentleman.

Old Col. McSpillkins recently made himself disgustingly unpopular with a fashionable Galveston lady who gets up church fairs and the like. He was invited to dinner and there was quite a large company present. As soon as soup was passed to old Col. McSpillkins he said to the lady of the house:

'This is splendid oyster soup.'

'But, Colonel, there are no oysters in it.'

'That's what made me think it was oyster soup. I have had a great deal of experience with oyster soup at church fairs.'

The lady got red in the face, and after the confusion had subsided she said:

'This is mock soup.'

'So was the other, ma'am; so was the other.'

Lord Granville has recently survived an attack similar to that to which Lord Beaconsfield has just succumbed.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Miliais is painting a portrait of Lord Beaconsfield.

Sir John Macdonald is very much improved, and is able to be out again.

It is said that Princess Louise will visit Saratoga Springs during the summer.

Sir Walter Scott's castle, Abbotsford, is to let furnished by the year or for the season.

The late Dr W. Morley Punshon's favourite hymn was No. 355 in the new Methodist hymnal, commencing, 'Thou Shepherd of Israel and mine, &c.'

It is well understood that Sir. William. Young, who has been ill for some time. will resign his position as Chief Justice after the forthcoming circuit.

The destruction effected by the earthquakes in Chios may be summed up as follows:—Forty-five villages totally destroyed, barely twenty habitable houses standing in the whole Island, and almst total disappearance of the population in mady localities.

The New York *Herald* joins with the Opposition in predicting the downfall of the Canadian Government. The *Herald's* interest in the fortunes of our Reform friends is quite natural, and is shared by the United States manufacturers.—*Toronto Mail.*

A Provisional government has been established in Peru. The terms of peace dictated to Peru by Chili are said to include the cession of Autofagasta, Laropaca, and Tacna, a large money indemnity for the expenses of the war, and indemnification for the Chilians expelled from Peru and Bolivia. Peru must undertake not to fortify her ports during fifty years, nor acquire a navy during forty years.

'Drunk again, eh?' said a magistrate contracting his brows and looking severely at the prisoner. 'Yis, yer honor,' candidly returned Pat; 'I was after splittin' wood at yer honor's house, and the lady asked me wud I take suthin. 'I will,' says I, and I took two glasses, but if I had known yer honor kept such bad liquor, 'pon me sowl, I wuldn't have tuk but wan.'

The German Emperor was greatly pleased by the popular attachment show to him on his birthday. He declared in a note of thanks that in giving expression to the joy these demonstrations gave him he only satisfied the craving of his heart, 'At a time,' he added, 'when I felt deeply aggrieved at the sudden death of my most faithful friend and relative, my sorrow has been alleviated by seeing my birthday marked in this affectionate manner.'

The only portrait of George Eliot which is considered a satisfactory likeness by her family is a carefully finished crayon of her head, front view, for which she sat many times in 1867 to Mr. Burton. It is now being etched by M. Rajon, not for publication, but for a few of the novelist's personal friends. Mr. Cross, however, has consented that the etching may be reproduced in *Scribner.* Mr. Cross strongly condemns all other portraits of his wife excepting that by Mr. Lawrence.

Lorenzo A. Pickles, of Rochester, N. Y., has reached his 70th year, but he looks only 40. He claims that salt is the secret of his good health. He lives on salt pork, salt fish and vegetables well salted. He uses salt instead of sugar in his tea. Besides this he eats several tablespoofuls of clear salt every day. It will be seen from this that the old man is far from being too fresh. Pe never tasted pie or cake in his life and that at least shows Mr. Pickles' good sense. It is generally supposed that vinegar is necessary for the preservation of Pickles, but in this instance the preserver seems to be salt.

One day last week, a terrible storm swept over Arkansas, levelling houses, and trees, and destroying human and animal life. On the plantation of Wm. D. Reodp three houses were blown down, one of which was occupied by Allen Hill (colored), with his wife and seven children. It was torn to pieces, and in attempting to save one of the children Hill was hit by a piece of flying timber and killed. Two children were also crushed to death. A colored woman was blown into a tree-top and found dead with a baby in her arms, which was uninjured. Two white women are reported dangerously wounded. Others, whose names cannot be learned, are said to have been killed or wounded. Some valuable cattle and horses were likewise killed.

Suffering for the Comforts of Home.

'Think it'll be any use for me to put an advertisment in this paper?' demanded an iron faced woman, glaring across the counter at the clerk in attendance.

'Shouldn't wonder. What is it about?

'I want my husband to know that if he'll come back all will be forgiven. Just say in your paper that I offer four dollars reward for him, and that he squints and is red headed, and hasn't earned a dime in eighteen months, and if he comes back alone I'll forgive him till he's black and blue from his scalp to his ankle, and if he is fetched I'll bile him till he's red as a lobster. Can you get that in.

'I'll try, said the clerk. How did he come to go?

'Go!' snarled the woman. 'He didn't have the energy to go. He just fell away. He's so darned lazy that he sleeps with his head on the floor and his feet in a chair so he can wake down in the morning. If it wasn't for me his blood would have stopped circulating ten years ago, and it's only through my exertions that his hair has grown an inch since we were married.'

'I shouldn't think he was worth four dollas,' suggested the clerk, drawing up the notice.

'No, nor he ain't,' snorted the woman; 'but he's got to die in my house, if it busts off the roof. I ain't going to sit around and hear my neighbors shying copper pots and iron skillets at their husbands and then lean over my back fence and tell me what a comfort it is to have a man around to console 'em when the chimney don't draw and the fire back leaks, without some of them mercies myself. Just put down at the bottom there that I want public opinion suspended till I get hold of him, and then anybody wanting some new patterns for fireworks will do well to apply to me before elsewhere. I ain't going to be married without some of the blessings, if I have to jam his head into the pit of his stomach, now you hear my views?' and the soft hearted sufferer kicked over a newsboy, and drove a car conductor half way to Red Hook because he wouldn't give her change for a pewter quarter.—*Ex.*

The Sultan has asked the Bey of Tunis to punish the rebel tribes and prevent any further excure for a French invasion of Tunisian territory.

Clippings from Late Papers.

There are 40,000 destitute persons on the island of Chios.

Robert Browning is writing a new poem, to be called "Achilles and Penthesilea."

Mrs. Oliphant has a new novel, "Harry Joscelyn," just ready for publication.

Wuppetsittukquussunnoowehtunkquoh is one of the words in Elliott's Indian Bible.

A Philadelphia Clergyman is preparing an encyclopedia of American Presbyterianism.

The English Liberal papers are calling on the speaker to allow Mr. Bradlaugh to take the oath.

"My wife," remarked Fitznoodle, "is fairly crazy over the spring fashions. She's got the delirium trimmins."

Ex-Marshal Bazaine spends most of his days in a Madrid coffee house, playing billiards and drinking chocolate.

The powers, including Turkey, have decided to accept Greece's modifications of the Porte's terms in regard to the frontier question.

The perpetrator of one of the most barefaced will forgeries on record in the history of crime has just been arrested in Montreal.

Carlyle had a great contempt for Disraeli, and two or three years ago wondered how long the great Anglo Saxon nation was going to be ruled by "that *Hebrew!*"

Mr. Gladstone justifies his action in the Transvaal business on the plea that it was a question of saving England from sheer blood-guiltiness.

The returns to the Department of Agriculture at Washington, up to April 1st, indicate a falling off in the wheat crop from that of last year.

The plague is making terrible ravages in the vicinity of Bagdad, those attacked dying within ten hours of being smitten with the pestilence.

THE MARCH OF EDUCATION.—Rector's wife (engaging new servant): "I presume that you are a member of the Church of England?" "No, mem; please, mem, I'm a Freethinker."—*Judy.*

The estimate of Mr. Walter Shanley, C. E., for building the railway tunnel under the St. Lawrence is slightly in excess of $3,000,000. He has sent his report to the Local Government of Quebec.

The Rothschilds have declined to negotiate the Italian loan, which was to have been contracted for the purpose of bringing about specie resumption, until the difficulties between that country and France have been smoothed away.

Mr. Snowball, M. P. for Northumberland, N. B., predicted that the N. P. would ruin the lumbermen. He still runs his mill at Miramichi, and according to the local papers employs twenty-two men, and turns out thirty thousand per day.

The London *Globe* points out that there is a period of high prosperity in store for Canada; but it warns Canadians to beware of commercial rashness. Steady progress and profit are certainly much more likely to follow prudent enterprise than wild speculation.

Great Britain has invested in her shipping $5,000,000,000, and employs 200,000 men, who earn annually $50,000,000. Besides this 100,000 men are employed in ship building, marine factories, and engineers-works, earning $35,000,000 annually. The value of vessels built in Great Britain during 1880 was $35,000,000.

Many people have thought that the Grit system of calling everybody but Grits base and vile, was peculiar to Canadian politics. It appears that the Liberals across the water follow the same course. An old Tory relates, in the *Spectator*, that a little boy once asked his mother confidentially, "Mamma, are Tories born wicked, or do they become so?"

Beaconsfield was a Hebrew. He was of that nation with the miraculous vitality and the inherent capacity for the production of great men. No other people can display such a roll of names. Not only in great men, but in the general average of intelligence, do the Jews rank above all others.

The Protestants and Catholics of Hopkington, Mass., united in a public presentation last week, of an elegant gold watch and chain to Rev. D. Dorchester, jr., the retiring pastor of the Methodist church, and a silver tea service to his wife. The presentation speech was made by Rev. F. J. Flynn, pastor of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, the town hall being crowded.

A remarkable story has reached the *Antiquary* from Algiers. M. Tarry, a French archeologist, who has been carrying on work in connection with the proposed Trans-Sahara railway, has it appears, discovered a town as completely buried in the sand, as was Pompeii in the ashes of Vesuvius.

The foretelling of earthquakes is now the object sought to be accomplished by scientists. Regular observations for this purpose are now being made in Switzerland and other parts of Europe and Japan. The day is, therefore, not far distant when the daily journals of hot countries will contain "earthquake probabilities," as we publish "weather probs."

Minds curious in such matters will be gratified to learn that the editor of the New York *Sun* has caught an Agnostic, and describes him as "a man who doesn't know whether there is a God or not; doesn't know whether he has a soul or not; doesn't know whether there is a future life or not; doesn't believe that anyone else knows any more about these matters than he does; and thinks it a waste of time to try and find out."

Arrangements have been made for reduced railway fares, by which country graduates of McGill University, and others interested, may attend the approaching University dinner, at the Windsor Hotel, at a minimum of expense. The Grand Trunk, Central Vermont and Occidental lines will all give return tickets free, under certain regulations, and the South Eastern will give the double ticket at one and a third. This banquet is, we understand, in no way exclusive, should any person outside of the University desire to share in it. —*Montreal Daily Witness, 18th April.*

They have queer ways of doing things in Russia. The St. Petersburg police, the other day, captured a man with unlawful prints in his possession. As he was unknown to the authorities, they hit upon the plan of standing him upon a chair at the prefecture of the police, and inviting the public to come forward and inspect him. And for all that has been heard to the contrary, he is standing there yet. Up till a late hour the following day, at all events, he had undergone the ordeal without being recognized.

THE SEAL FISHERY.—According to latest advices, the steamer *Thetis*, with 8,000 seals, and *Wolf*, with 9,000 old seals, have arrived at St. John's Nfld., also the steamers *Neptune*, *Porteus*, *Bear* and *Arctic*, all clean. This is the most discouraging news that has yet been received, and a short catch appears now to be an absolute certainty. The *Arctic* was one of the largest steamers of the fleet. The number of steamers arrived is 13, with a catch of 122,400 seals, which together with the sealing vessels arrived, make a total haul of about 130,000 seals. Last year the season's catch amounted to about 350,000.

ANXIETY FOR THE SAFETY OF THE CAPTAIN OF A LOST VESSEL.—Considerable anxiety was felt in Moncton Wednesday and yesterday, by those interested, for the safety of Captain Read, of the barque "Josephine," wrecked at the entrance to Cienfuegos harbor, with no further particulars. The wife of Captain Read is now in Moncton, having reached here a few days ago from Baltimore, U. S., where she parted with her husband when he sailed. Wednesday, Mr. W. E. Davidson, brother of Mrs. Read, telegraphed to Baltimore for particulars, but no reply was received. Our ship news this morning contains intelligence of the safety of the crew, though the vessel is a total wreck and the cargo lost. The captain was married only a short time ago. The vessel hails from P. E. Island, Hon. John Lefurgey being principal owner. The captain's brother, who belongs to Baltimore, had an interest in her.—*Moncton Times.*

Local and Other Items.

F. T. NEWBERY, Esq., has returned from the United States.

THE Scott Act has been accepted in Annapolis County, N. S.

ST JOHN has a new Mayor, and has removed two of her Water Commissioners.

HON. MR. BOWELL acted as Minister of Marine and Fisheries during the absence of Hon. J. C. Pope.

AFTER months of cold weather, the croaking of the frogs is music sweeter than æolian lyres. They've come.

THE King of Abyssinia is dead, having fallen in the battle with the Assaimeraks. His son Michael succeeded him.

SENATOR FERGUSON'S residence at Bathurst, N. B. was totally destroyed by fire on Wednesday afternoon. No insurance.

THE ground was found to be frozen to the depth of three and a half feet in the vicinity of Milwaukee, Wis., on the 6th inst.

THE "Globe" and "Mail," Toronto, have raised their prices. Newsboys accordingly struck, and no papers were sold there the other morning.

THE *Capital*, of Fredericton, states that Lieut.-Cols. Maunsell and Taylor are choosing a site for the camp at Sussex, N. B., where 3,000 men of the P. E. Island and N. B. Militia will muster on 1st of July.

HIGH SHERIFFS.—Henry J. Callbeck, Esq., has been appointed High Sheriff of Queen's County, and Michael MacCormack and Alex. E. Holland, Esquires, reappointed to that position for King's and Prince Counties

WE are indebted to M. P. Hogan, Esq., for late San Francisco, New Mexico and Arizona papers. They are very full of news, and deal largely in the names of Judges, Colonels and Professors, who predominate in these sections.

That alley-way between the Exchange building and the Appraiser's Office is a disgrace to the city. We were going to say a standing disgrace, but appearances are that it will melt before taken official notice of. Lobster cans, dead cats, old shoes, ashes, snow, etc.

THE *Canada Gazette* contains the following:—Captain George McKay, of Rustico, in the county of Queen's, in the Province of Prince Edward Island, to be Harbour Master for the port of Rustico, in the said province, vice William McNeill, junior.

SUDDEN DEATH.—A man about 70 years of age, named Absalom Linkletter, living near the Davies School, died suddenly on Monday morning from cramp in the stomach. He awoke about four o'clock, complaining of feeling very ill, and died in about fifteen minutes. A son who lived at home died about two months ago of consumption.—*Pioneer.*

THE "JOSEPHINE" LOST.—A despatch of the 16th inst., from Havana, reports the loss of the bark "Josephine," while on passage from Baltimore to Cienfugos with coal. There are no particulars. The bark was 583 tons register, and was built at Summerside, P. E. I. She was owned by Messrs. J. Lefurgey & Co., of that place, and was not insured.

ANOTHER PEDESTRIAN VICTORY.—Eph Clow took part in a six days' go-as-you-please match at Bradford, Pennsylvania, which closed on the 9th inst. Fifteen competitors started, and Clow came out, on Saturday night, 26 miles ahead of the next man, having made the record of 371 miles in 72 hours. The match was for $350, and his trainer, Mr. J. Hapenny, performed his work in splendid style. Clow expects to enter in a six days' race in New York about 25th May, and we doubt not he will come out well."

THE Leader of the Government has authorized us to say, that the statement made by Mr. Lawrence Kickham at the Souris meeting, on the 18th inst., that he "had approved of Mr. Kickham's action," in reference to what is called the "Dynamite Bill," is without any foundation in fact; and that, so far from having congratulated Mr. Kickham on the latter's speech on that Bill, Mr Sullivan was unaware, till he saw the report of the Souris meeting in the EXAMINER, that Mr. Kickham made a speech thereon.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—On Friday last a boy named Æneas Morrison, in the employ of M. Hession, Esq., of this town, had his leg broken by a kick from a horse which he was leading to the pump to water. Though it must have caused him intense pain, he succeeded in returning, a distance of two or three chains, after the accident, without any assistance. Dr. Keye was sent for immediately, under whose skilful treatment we feel assured he will speedily recover.—*Advertiser.*

Mr. W. W. BEER, who has just returned from England, where he has been purchasing goods for the firm of J. & W. Beer, informs us that he found the market very favourable to buyers of Dry Goods, prices being very low, and a great many novelties, and beautiful goods offering. He has taken advantage of these circumstances, and has secured a very large and varied assortment of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, for their Spring and Summer trade, and will sell them at prices much lower than they have ever offered them before. Particular attention has been given to their millinery department, and a magnificent display of their goods may be expected. (a 25, 3i w2i

THE *Patriot* denies that the Liberals are endorsing the National Policy, and quotes from the *Hamilton Spectator* in support of its assertion. Of course, as the last election was won by the present ruling party, upon the National Policy, against the Grits, who had not a platform of any kind—Free Trade or otherwise—it is too soon yet, to expect their press to step down upon the question. But it cannot be denied, that, if there were a general election to-morrow, the issue would not be Free Trade or Protection, whatever the party cry might be. Leading Grits acknowledge this, the remarks of their press to the contrary, notwithstanding.

A GENTLEMAN from Tyne Valley informs us that the farmers in that section have lately established a Farmers' Club, in which considerable interest appears to be taken. On the 11th inst. an excellent essay on farming was read by one of the members, showing that he understands his business, and is an intelligent observer in matters relating to his vocation. These Farmers' Clubs are excellent institutions, and we are pleased to see them multiplying over the Province. Tyne Valley is growing—two large buildings (a store and warehouse) are being erected, while probably others will follow during the summer. Our informant says there is talk of starting a boot and shoe factory at that village.—*Pioneer.*

AMERICAN novel-writers seem to be unusually busy just now. Mrs. Burnett is said to be writing two new serial stories; Dr. Holland also has one in contemplation; Mr. Howells has two serials on the stocks; Mr. Boyesen is writing one or two; Mr. Cable has just finished one, and is starting on another; the author of "An Earnest Trifler" has recently completed a short watering-place serial; Mrs. Schayer, the author of "Tiger Lily," is writing her first novel; and the author of "Rexy" is at work on a new serial —though not a fictitious one. All the above-named serials have been engaged for *Scribner's Monthly.* The scene of "A Fearful Responsibility," Mr. Howells's new serial, which will begin in *Scribner* for June, is laid in Venice. The story is said by the publishers to be in the author's brightest vein. Mr. Howells is working also upon a novel, which will be begun in *Scribner* some time next fall or winter.

OUR INDUSTRIES.—Always desirous to give publicity to every local industry, on Friday we called at the large Warerooms of George J. Wright, Esq., Kent Street, where we had the pleasure of meeting ex Alderman Dodson, of Halifax, N. S., who has the supervision of Mr. Wright's Pork Factory. We were shown through the different departments by Mr. Dodson, under whose special supervision the very valuable and magnificent stock in this establishment has been manufactured. The assortment comprises barreled pork, in mess, prime mess, family do., smoked hams, breakfast baken, rolled, or boneless bacon, also lard, as white as the driven snow, all of which will, we feel certain, command a ready sale in the markets of the Dominion. The barrels used by this factory are also made on the premises, and are of the very best description. Men of experience and practical knowledge of this business tell us that, in no Province of the Dominion can a more excellent article be produced than that now ready for shipment from Wright's factory.—COM.

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