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Hospital Asked For

Mr. Parsons, M. H. A., presented a petition to the House recently from this District asking for the erection of the long promised hospital at Harbor Grace. The Hospital at St. John's is constantly crowded, outport patients having to wait around in boarding houses for days and weeks before admission can be obtained.

The need for extra accommodation is very apparent, but we have become pessimistic about the need being supplied by the erection of hospitals in the outports. It will be only necessary for St. John's newspaper or a few prominent St. John's citizens to suggest that a new wing be added to the General Hospital and the thing will likely be done in a night.

Outport citizens can petition and ask and keep on asking, but unless the National Government is prepared to consider outport opinion and outport needs differently from past governments, we expect very little attention will be paid to this latest request.

However, this is a time when certain members of the newly-formed National Government will be given a chance to prove their interest and loyalty to the outport people, and show us that St. John's is not the only pebble on the beach. It is high time for the people's representatives to see that all public institutions are not confined to St. John's.

Take also the Tuberculosis Sanatorium. We learn that it is filled to overflowing. There is no room for any more patients at present, and those afflicted with that dread disease, Tuberculosis, who are seeking admission, have to wait.

A few years ago it was proposed to erect one Sanatorium in each District in the country. Nothing so far has been done. Why not make a start and erect one, at least.

We are collecting a revenue of nearly \$5,000,000 from the people of this country, but we fear part of this large sum of money is spent on many things not nearly as important as Hospitals and Sanatoriums, places where the sick and afflicted ones may go and get proper and efficient medical treatment.

All but six of the 26 members of the House of Assembly represent outport districts. Most of

these, however, reside in St. John's. If they have pledged themselves to stand for and fight for the rights and interests of the people who elected them, then they should faithfully and fearlessly do their duty. Come, gentlemen, play the game and be British in politics as well as war.

Postcard From Herbert Belbin

Mrs. William, Balbin Country Road, received another postcard from her son No. 2486 Pte. Herbert Belbin, of the 1st Battalion Nfld. Regt., who is a prisoner at Reserve-Lazarett Bergkaserne, Munster i. W. Germany. It was written on the 5th of May. He says: "I am getting on fine. The wound in my arm is pretty near well. You needn't worry about me, for I am treated all right. Write as soon as you get my card, and I will write as often as I can."

Letter From Pte. Dick Ryan

St. Mary's Hospital, London.

Received your letter sometime ago, but I have been unable to answer it until now. I was too sick to do any writing, as I have had a heavy attack of pneumonia in addition to my other wounds. I thought I was gone this time. The priest anointed me for death, so he had little hope of me.

I am feeling a little better now, but where I was wounded is not very well yet. The bone is still broken, and the doctors don't expect to get it to knit together, so they will have to put a silver plate in.

The fracture is in the upper part of the thigh. It is in a very bad place. The wound was healed over and it broke out again.

I am sick of lying in bed. It is ten weeks since I was wounded and I've been in bed ever since and expect to be ten more weeks there. In fact, it will be Christmas before I get out of hospital, if then.

Our regiment got an awful cutting up that day we went over. I was lying out in a shell hole a day and a night before they picked me up. I lost an awful lot of blood. The doctors had to cut the veins in my arms and put on two pumps to inject some liquid to help the circulation. A fellow can stand a lot sometimes, and I've stood my share.

Gallipoli, July 1st, 1916, and now the third time in hospital. Funny part of this last time was I fell asleep and dreamt I was dead. Shortly after they picked me up.

Will close now. Remember me to all friends at home. Your chum, DICK RYAN.

Bodies Reach Their Late Homes

The bodies of the victims of the mining accident at New Waterford, C. B., reached Carbonear at 11 o'clock Saturday night, and the special train left immediately for the North Shore accompanied by many friends. Sunday the funeral obsequies, which were attended by hundreds of mourners, took place at the various settlements.

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"Protection" Supports Our Stand For Fire Protection

(Editor the Guardian).

Dear Sir:—Your Editorial in last week's issue of the Guardian calls our attention once more to the wretched condition in which our town is in regard to fire protection.

I purpose now to deal briefly with this matter alone, and in the near future may take up another which should be of interest to all. You have, sir, on more than one occasion come out boldly for our rights, and with what result?

From some of the leading citizens, or the so-called leading citizens, you met with insult and ridicule. Men who pretend to have the interests of our town at heart sit back and do nothing.

Or more of these same individuals who laugh and joke when all seems well awake some morning to find their home or place of business burned to ashes then they will see, and only then, the force of your arguments.

Come, fellow-citizens, and let us throw aside our prejudices and petty jealousies, join hands and demand what rightly belongs to us.

As far as St. John's is concerned we cannot blame the citizens for taking all they can obtain, but we can and strongly do blame those in authority. If, as the Premier affirms, the protection of the city from fire is "purely a municipal affair" then surely the Government oversteps the mark in voting anything whatever towards the upkeep of a fire brigade. If, however, St. John's is entitled to such a grant, so is Bay Roberts and every town in the land, for we all pay into the Revenue.

It has been argued that outport people have fire protection when in St. John's the same as the citizens, but this is simply absurd and deserves nothing more than a passing notice. The outport people go there, spend a day or two, spend their money and return home for the rest of the 12 months, and their own property remains unprotected while their hard earnings go towards the protection of the property of the citizens of St. John's.

I make no suggestions at present as to a remedy, but simply leave it for consideration by those in authority in our town.

Thanking you for space: I remain, yours truly,

PROTECTION.
July 31, 1917.

Note of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Barrett and family desire to thank most sincerely all those who rendered any assistance whatever during the brief illness of their darling boy, Gordon Wallace; especially those who were almost continually in attendance, viz: Mrs. Joseph Mercer of Nfld., Mrs. Henry Mercer of France, Mrs. Francis Mercer, Mrs. Stafford Mercer, Mrs. Mary Caravan; also Mrs. J. R. Caravan and Mr. J. W. Mercer for notes of sympathy; also Mrs. Nathan French and Mrs. Kenneth Mercer for getting the scholars together to attend the funeral, and Miss Emma Snow for presiding at the organ in Church. They also render their sincere thanks to all those who sent wreaths to adorn the coffin, viz: Misses Maud and Mona Brennan, Charlotte Norman, Nellie R. Mercer, Fannie K. Mercer, Ida Florence Mercer, Fannie J. Mercer, Mary Bell Modell, Jessie G. Norman, Emmie and Myrtle Mercer, Marcella L. French, Emma Snow, Lizzie and Marjorie Mercer, Dot and Lilla Mercer, Etta Snow, Ruby and Pearl Bradbury, Dot and Daisy Caravan, Minnie and Gerrie Parsons, Taylor and Eric Mercer, the Methodist East End Sunday School, Maud and Ray Mercer, Mrs. Alfreda Bartlett, Robbie and Dora Pepper, Irving Mercer, Mrs. Robert Mercer, Mrs. (Capt.) W. B. Bartlett, Willie Mercer (Shears), Mrs. Mary Caravan, Mrs. J. J. Bradbury.

Too Much Slop Fish Salted

Mr. Coaker, through the Advocate, is again reminding the fishermen that there is too much slop fish salted. Every fisherman should in future salt fish for shore make. Slop fish will be from three to four dollars per qtl. less than Shore, chiefly owing to the large supply of Slop.

Obituary

On Monday, July 23rd, the Death Angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Barrett, Mercer's Cove, and took their darling boy, Gordon Wallace, aged 9 1/2 years. The little fellow had not been well for a long while, but was not ill enough to give up. Until about a fortnight before he died he was confined to his bed. His condition gradually grew worse, and on Wednesday, July 18th, he developed brain fever and became unconscious, in which condition he remained till the end came.

Wallace was a bright, happy and good-natured little boy, ever ready to do what he could for his parents, and was well liked by all who knew him. He will be greatly missed from the home, but the loss to home is Heaven's gain.

He leaves to mourn their sad loss father, mother, two brothers and two sisters. Interment took place at the Methodist cemetery Wednesday July 25th, attended by a large circle of friends, teachers and scholars of the East End Methodist Sunday School. The Rev. S. Bennett officiated.

"Nipt by the winds unkindly blast; Parched by the sun's director ray; The momentary glories waste, The short lived beauties die away."—Com.

NEWS IN A LINE

If you want to know how the Prohibition Act is worked, call at the Controller's Dispensary with a "scrip."

Mrs. Stan Crane and son, Will, of St. John's, are visiting Bay Roberts, the guests of Mrs. A. Fradsham.

A few copies of the Nfld. Magazine for sale at this office. 15c per copy.

The Hr. Grace correspondent of the Daily News says that a New York business firm is expected to send a representative there next week, and it is probable another new enterprise for Hr. Grace may be started.

Naval Reservists E. Trenchard and E. Russell are spending a short furlough here visiting friends.

The sehr. Topaz, Capt. Ab: Parsons, brought a cargo of lumber here this week and sailed again Friday morning.

Latest reports from the Labrador state that there is fair fishing at Macovic Domino, but at Holton and Grady end is scarce. The trapping is good at Battle Hr.

The British and French combined attack in Flanders on Monday was successful. Greater success would have been attained but for poor weather conditions. The Russian inactivity will no doubt further prolong the war.

LOST

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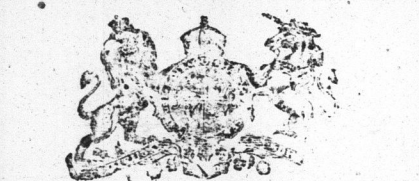
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