

## PATTER FROM PATS

We recovered our "Gunn."

In case of fire "Waters" will be found on the top floor.

Have we to accept everything Pte. Kennedy says as "literally."

Yes, Corporal, the water wagon is much safer than the Margate 'bus.

A squad left for Ireland on leave last Saturday. There was a riot in Dublin on Sunday.

Our garden crop will be the earliest of any in Ramsgate this year. We've put "Speed" on.

Everybody misses Clayton Brown but the police. They missed him much before he left though.

With Grunts, and Yaps, and Chats, and Patter,  
Laugh with the *News* and you'll grow fatter.

The sister who sends the lance-corporal for her mail before office hours need not be afraid of us. We would not "Sell-her" for the world.

We sympathise with the complaint of certain sisters about the Fire Chief's "hose." We slept in the same tent with him at Cheriton.

When asking for leave, state that you want to go to Ireland on the concertina system. This admits of indefinite extension. The system was invented by a Russian named Nicholovitch.

Mother (reading to a small boy)—"And the Lord touched Adam and he fell into a deep sleep from which nothing could wake him."

Small Boy—"Mummy, was he a "Night Orderly"?"

A member of the Q.-M. staff was seen last week displaying a mouse in a match-box to a number of young ladies. We were not aware that these "cute little things" were used in the process of "match-making."

*Advt.*—Having recently invested heavily in the Canterbury Taxi-Cab, I respectfully solicit the patronage of fellow members of No. 4, wishing to reach Ramsgate in more comfort than offered by the railway.—Apply Pte. Wootton.