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We are also showing a very tempting assortment of WHITE EMBROIDERED LAWN COLLARS at 25c. each, just now at

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Our Volunteers.

The following recruits signed the roll at the headquarters recruiting station yesterday:
Albert Luftman, Hr. Grace.
R. E. Greenslade, Long Pond, C.B.
Cecil Dicks, Hr. Buffett.
M. Merry, Carbonear.
Geo. Piercey, Fortune.
Thos. Brinton, Burin.
Cecil Roberts, Hermitage.

Parcels for Prisoners of War.

Copy of Cablegram.
LONDON, July 12, 1917.
To Colonial Secretary, St. John's.
"Authorities definitely forbid acceptance or transmission of any private parcels to prisoners. Last lot returned. Please inform relatives and public."
REEVE.

Municipal Council

Mayor Gosling presided at yesterday's meeting of the Council.
The staff of city workmen, who applied for an increase of 15 per cent of wages, again asked that their application be given consideration. The Council, while willing to pay the increase, have no funds to do so.
The city disclaims responsibility in the case of the 12-year-old boy Williams who fell into an open cut, for which his mother claimed damages.
Mrs. McCourt, Duckworth Street, complained of condition of street at the rear of her store. The Engineer will make enquiries.
J. W. Morris, Supt. R. N. Co.'s electrical plant, wrote the Council stating that his company would allow a reduction of 20 per cent on rates for city lighting during present regulations.
G. A. Davey, Church Warden of the Select Vestry of the Church of England Cathedral, asked for street lines on Cathedral Hill, Gower Street and Henry Street junction, east of Orange Hall, where it was intended to erect a Parish Hall.
John Dooley, King's Bridge, offered part of his land for a city dump and complained that the Council had not carried out agreement with him. The Sanitary Supervisor will be instructed in the matter.
The Nfld. Knitting Mills Co. were given permission to erect a garage on Alexander Street.
The Solicitor reported that the Cold Storage Fresh Fish Export Co., Ltd., were subject to municipal taxation. The Council will hold a special meeting to deal with the matter.
Mr. G. H. Hudson must return from curfew given him by the city, which he failed to use.
Mr. J. A. Hand was given the contract to repave the City Hall at \$375.
The work of laying the water main on the Southside will be continued, and the road in sections will be closed from time to time, of which due notice will be given.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram.
CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind W, fresh, fog and rain. Bar. 29.45; Ther. 62.

Here and There.

MEN'S CAPS.
Big variety, 45c. 55c. \$1.00.
THE WEST END BAZAAR.
July 13, 21 51 Water St. West.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mrs. Gosling, Hon. Secretary of the C. of E. Orphanage, gratefully acknowledges the contribution of \$50.00 from St. Margaret's Guild, per Miss Alice Hunt, Treasurer.

League Football, St. George's Field, this evening, 7.30 sharp, B. I. S. vs. Saints. Admission 5c., Stand 5c. extra.—July 13, 11

HIGHLANDERS' CAMP.—The Nfld. Highlanders will go into camp at Mt. Pearl on Saturday week, the 21st inst. They will pitch their tents at Glendinning's field, close to which there is an excellent swimming pool.

Buy a bottle of Stafford's Phoratorine Cough Cure for 25c. and receive a numbered ticket. See advertisement.—may 1, 17

TURBOT IN COLD STORAGE.—Yesterday a full car of turbot reached the city by freight train from Trinity and was put through the freezing process at the cold storage plant.

CITY'S HEALTH.—During the past week five new cases of infectious disease were reported in the city, three of diphtheria and two of scarlet fever. There are now at the Fever Hospital 28 diphtheria patients and 4 suffering from scarlet fever.

ASK FOR MINARD'S LINIMENT AND TAKE NO OTHER.

At the House.

Another unusually brief sitting of the House of Assembly was yesterday afternoon's.

Ways and Means was again deferred by the Finance Minister.
The Public Service Electric Co.'s Bill received its third reading and was sent to the Legislative Council for concurrence.

The House went into Supply and passed a couple of votes in the Additional Estimates.

The Prohibition Bill was deferred until correspondence between the Prohibition Committee and the Minister of Justice, asked for by Mr. Grimes, is tabled by the Prime Minister.

The Pilots and Municipal Bills were read a second time.
Other items on the Order Paper were deferred and the House adjourned at 4 p.m.

Hr. Grace Notes.

Reservist Hedley Wareham, just returned from England, took a run over here from St. John's yesterday to see his sister, Mrs. W. A. McKay. He returned to the city by the evening train.

Miss M. Garland, daughter of Mr. Henry Garland, Harvey Street, has just entered the employ of Dr. Strapp at his pharmacy, where she will learn the drug business. We wish the young lady success in her new work.

Mrs. J. Lockyer left by this morning's train for Trinity, where she will remain a few days before returning to her home in Bonavista.

The schr. Studland arrived from St. John's yesterday with freight for her owner, Mr. E. Simmons.

The weekly holiday was much enjoyed yesterday, the day being very suitable for picnic parties, etc.

Fishermen report a slight improvement in the fishery, but there is still room for improvement, as the catch up to date is far below the average.

A memorial service will be held in St. Paul's Church on Sunday next at 6.30 p.m. to the memory of the late Pte. Albert Horwood. The C.B.B.S. will attend the service, as Pte. Horwood was a member of that body.

—COR.
Hr. Grace, July 12.

Naval and Military Convalescent Hospital.

Amount already acknowledged \$2,782.45
Donation from "Red Cross Class," Trinity, per Miss Clara Grant 15 00
First Instalment from the Alexander Workers, per Mrs. John Ayre 125 00
Received from 1st Newfoundland Regiment for board of men 120 00
Net proceeds of the Opera "The Magic Cup" the pupils of the Christian Brothers (St. Patrick's Hall and Holy Cross Schools) per Mr. J. C. Pippy 210 00
Donation from Mrs. W. C. Job 50 00
Proceeds of dance held by the Misses Grace Lewis, May Williams, Lillian Day and May Murphy 37 00
\$3,339.45

Additional Donors of Fully Equipped Cots—Cost \$55 Each.
Ladies' Patriotic Fund, W. P. A. Grand Falls, 2 Cots.
Miss Betty Munn, 1 Cot.
Mrs. W. Herder's Work Party, 1 Cot.
Mr. Mark Chaplin, In Memory of Jack Chaplin, 1 Cot.

Out of the Trenches For A Rest.

PTE. SMITH WRITES.
Mr. and Mrs. M. Smith, of Signal Hill Road, are in receipt of two letters from their son Private Patrick, of "Ours," who has two brothers at present fighting with His Majesty's Forces, Michael, of the Durham Light Infantry, and James, his young brother, a Naval Reservist at present on board H.M.S. "Paddy" states that he is out of the trenches for a rest and "is in a nice little village clear of shell fire and with no whizz-bangs to wake you up at night." He concludes with the following lines of poetry:—
"When this awful war is over
I'll come home to you again,
With the help of Him that's ruler
Of all nations and all men."

"Now, mother, dear, these words I'll write
To tell you what is true,
That when I am into the fight
I will remember you."

"Remember me to all at home
And tell them not to fret,
For we are still out fighting,
And will beat the Germans yet."

"Now mother, dear, its getting dark,
And I must finish up
With these few lines I'm writing,
"I'll close with best of luck."

One of the prettiest ways to serve cherries is to place them with stems and leaves on around a mound of powdered sugar on a little fruit plate.

No Eggs, Milk or Butter

The following recipe shows how an appetizing, wholesome cake can be made without expensive ingredients.

In many other recipes the number of eggs may be reduced one-half or more by using an additional quantity of ROYAL Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, in place of each egg omitted.

EGGLESS, MILKLESS, BUTTERLESS CAKE

1 cup brown sugar 1 teaspoon nutmeg
1 1/4 cups water 1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 cup seeded raisins 1/2 teaspoon salt
2 ounces citron 2 cups flour
1/2 cup shortening 5 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder

The old method (fruit cake) called for 2 eggs

DIRECTIONS—Put the first eight ingredients into saucepan and boil three minutes. When cool, add the flour and baking powder which have been sifted together; mix well. Bake in moderate oven in loaf pan (round tin with hole in center is best) for 35 or 40 minutes. Ice with white icing.

Booklet of recipes which economize in eggs and other expensive ingredients mailed free. Address Royal Baking Powder Co., 6 St. Lawrence Boulevard, Montreal.

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Consider These Facts.

Chicago Tribune: Consider the facts: It can be fairly said that destroyer flotilla went abroad improperly clothed; that we found the Navy could not go to sea because it did not have trained men to man the small guns. The Navy was not only short of men, but had no training camps to put them in when enlisted, and in a war which began in early April, has not got them now in mid-June. In mid-June the nation has not been able to mobilize its national guard because it has no place to put it. It has not yet selected camps for its conscript army. The regular army has not been able in two months to recruit to war strength. All we have been able to do is to get some officers' training camps started, and we are so short of instructors that we not only have trouble in training the new men but in maintaining ordinary discipline. Of modern equipment we have none and have small prospects of getting it much under a year. The moral—plain for any one who will give the facts a moment's consideration—is that it is impossible to prepare for war after war has come. At present, so far from helping our Allies, we are entirely dependent upon them for our defence.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—The Presentation Nuns wish to express their deepest gratitude to Mrs. Dr. Mitchell, officers and Ladies of the Association, also to their many kind friends and benefactors who so generously contributed to making the Garden Party, in aid of the Building Fund, such a success.

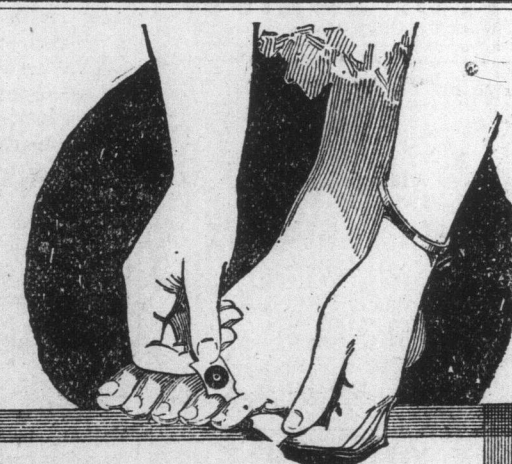
German Victories.



KAISER WILHELM

The German hosts are slowly losing, retreating inch by inch; positions of their careful choosing, and which they thought a cinch, have from their warriors been wrested, by allied sword and gun; by Haig P O P Hindenberg's been bested, he'll soon be on the run. Yet Kaiser Bill is busy spinning, when'er he has the chance, tall yarns of how his men are winning, among the hills of France. The more the Kaiser's men are beaten, the more he waves his hat. "Just watch our masterly retreat!" he yells; "get wise to that! Such strategy's beyond all praising, the foe it must confound; by strokes of genius amazing, we've lost ten miles of ground!" How long will patient Germans the Kaiser's fairy tale, while they strive on, with stomachs hollow, to raise for Bill more kale? Upon his word they have been leaning, and never found it right. He told them that his submarining would shortly end the fight. He told them Hindenberg would quickly back Britain off the scene; he told them fibs so thin and sickly they'd fool no horse marine. With Bill defeat's a thing of glory, and soup becomes champagne; how long will Germans stand his story, and still be counted sane?

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