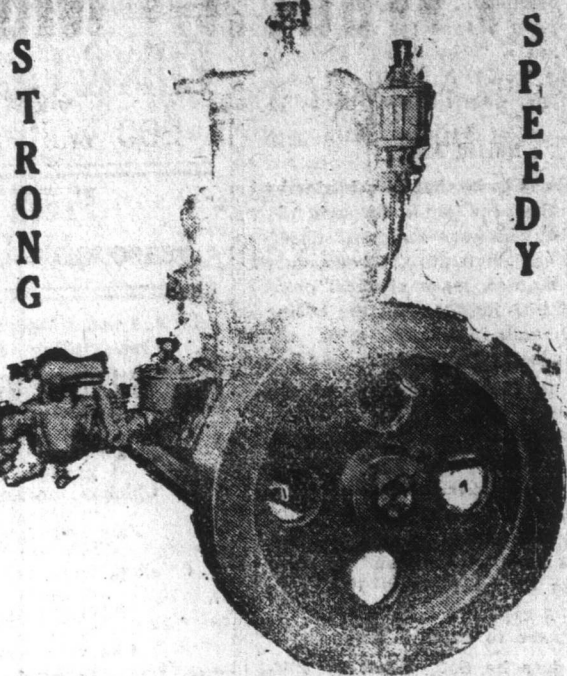


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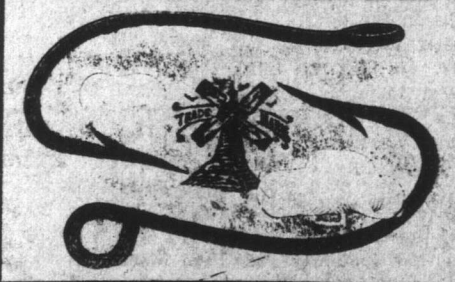
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Accounting for His Stewardship

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—As it seems in order for the present Councilors to give an account of their stewardship, I would also like to fall in line. As you know my first experience in City work was during the Hon. M. P. Gibbs' Mayoralty. At the end of that term, from experience gained, I did not seek reelection, as I found things did not look the same from an inside view as they did from the outside, although Councillor Ellis, who was then a candidate for the Mayor's Chair, did all he could to persuade me to come again, as also did Sir Edward Morris, to whom I replied that there were two considerations that would induce me to offer myself again as a candidate, the first and most important of which was that the Government would give the city full measure of incorporation, and which I am still convinced is the only way out, or to divide the city into wards. His reply to the first of my requests was that the class of men who were offering as candidates were not the class of men that property owners would like to handle their property to raise money on; and his reply to my other request was that the ward system had been tried and had failed. I therefore declined further nomination. My next experience was when I was appointed by the Government of Sir Richard Squires as a Commissioner under the Chairmanship of a mutual friend, I. C. Morris, Esq. Now at the risk of being personal I may say the first thing I did on that board was to call the attention of my colleagues to the condition of Mullins Bridge on Hamilton Avenue, which I considered was a great menace to the public as it was only about ten feet wide and was rotten from end to end. At my suggestion the Commission decided to put a concrete bridge there, and it is now a good asset to the city. Now coming to the present term: I consider the present Council has fully justified their election from the amount of work that has been accomplished by them without any great flourish of trumpets. When I decided to seek election, I made up my mind to try and influence the Council, if it were at all possible, to build a good stable for the Sanitary Department, as the old stables were condemned thirty years ago and were not fit for man or beast, and no private citizen would be allowed to keep such a place, and why these stables were not looked after by the Society for the Protection of Animals, I could never understand. However, that is now passed and the City has a stable it can be proud of. The horses are now well stabled and well looked after and having the whole stable under one roof has been the saving of a considerable lot of stock in the food line, as under the old shacks there was naturally a waste. There is also contained in the building for the men who are out at night a good sized room supplied with hot and cold water, and necessary conveniences for the men to the back, before again going to work at the ashes, etc. There have also been a lot of other improvements, such as widening Waterford Bridge Road, LeMarchant Road, water and sewerage in all parts of the City, new lights and other improvements, which to my mind are all assets to the City. All of this has been accomplished with in our income and were not done by the big men who preceded us but by the most incompetent Council who ever sat at the Board, according to some of our friends. Hoping this will be taken by my fourteen hundred friends as an account of my stewardship, I think I am again justified in asking for their vote and influence the third time.

Yours truly,
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YACOB CALLS HIMSELF "THE FLYING DUTCHMAN" BUT SNOODS HASN'T SEEN ANY WINGS ON THE ADMIRAL'S SHOULDERS. MAYBE HE WILL SPROUT A COUPLE OF FEATHERS LATER ON IN THE VOYAGE. ANYWAY, HE CERTAINLY KNOWS HOW TO SAIL A SHIP.

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Viola Dana at the Majestic

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"Jealousy and suspicion don't get you anywhere, but they keep you going."

"It's queer more men aren't doctors—they're such a good excuse to get out at night."

"Never apologize to the woman who's trying to break up your home, your husband will do it for you."

These are the titles taken from the newest Viola Dana picture, "Don't Doubt Your Husband," a Metro production which is shown at the Majestic Theatre to-night. They give an idea of the story by Sada Cowan and Howard Higgin that is said to make the merriest photoplay of Miss Dana's career.

Miss Dana appears as a smart, young suburban wife who bumps along the road of matrimony with jealous outbreaks marking each bump. When she notices that her husband, played by Alan Forrest, is more interested in the ankles of a beautiful interior decorator (Winifred Bryson) than in the decorations, she decides to trail him. As luck has it, the husband, driving the other woman home, gets into a smash-up and sprains his ankle, and is taken to her home. The wife arrives there in a frenzy of anger.

It's a real matrimonial smash this time, but everything gets mended in a series of incidents that are said to sparkle with the sunshine of good humor, smart satire and dramatic situations.

Besides Miss Dana, Miss Bryson and Mr. Forrest, the cast includes John Patrick, Willard Louis, Adele Watson and Robert Dunbar. The photography is by John Arnold.

"North of 36" will be shown again on Saturday afternoon so as to give the school children a chance to see this wonderful feature.

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IN IMPROVING THE CURE OF FISH.

Business Men, Read This and Do Some Thinking.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—The methods of doing business in this country have changed quite a lot in the past thirty years, the latest being for the business man to do business and make money without a profit on his merchandise. Is this possible? I, myself, have been in business for the past thirty years and up to the present time I have not learned this method. It surely is the best method ever invented for the poor fishermen. When I do learn this method I shall be very happy. I know for a fact of so-called merchants selling their goods under invoice cost, not counting the cost of having the goods landed and made ready for the public. How they can do this and pay the expenses of keeping up a business place and other necessary expenses is a mystery. This is the way business is being done in some of the outports, and a little of it is being done in St. John's. This is the chief cause of so many failures in the past few years. Surely these men can see the foolishness of doing business in this way.

I would also like to say a word regarding the way the fish business is being conducted. I have been a fish exporter for the past twenty-five years. I still do a little, but it seems as though I will have to give it up altogether unless a change takes place soon. It is about thirty years since the quality of fish exported has been falling off in quality. If it continues going down in quality, twenty years from now codfishing will not be the staple industry of Newfoundland. The quality will be so bad that we will not find markets that will pay us enough for our fish so as to pay the expense of catching it. And every merchant knows what an expense it is to get ready to catch fish. I do not blame the fishermen for making bad fish; it is the buyer who buys it. Why should he make good fish when he can get the same price for bad fish? We have a few men who do make good fish, but they get no encouragement to continue doing so. These men are becoming fewer every year. They are following in the footsteps of their neighbours, half making their fish and getting the same price.

Here is an example of how fish is made and bought in Newfoundland. Two fishermen, Tom Jones and Tom Brown, are living in the same place; both catch twenty quintals of fish; the buyer comes, Tom Jones sells twenty quintals of good fish at eight dollars; Tom Brown sells twenty-five at eight dollars. His fish was half made, it gained five quintals, and yet he gets the same price as Tom Jones. How long do you imagine Tom Jones is going to continue to make good fish? This will show you that it is not the fishermen who are to blame; it is the merchant in St. John's who sends out his buyers, some with very little experience, who buy fish of all qualities. They pay the high price for the bad as well as the good and buy fish that no sane man would pay a good price for. If this way of handling our staple industry will continue to pay, I know very little about fish after all my years of experience.

Hoping that this will at least make some buyers give encouragement to the man who does make good fish that is fit to eat, and thus help by doing so to save our good name in the foreign markets.

Yours truly,

EXPORTER.

West Coast, Nov. 27, '25.

Let T. E. Collett show you what a young man can do on the Council Board.—dec1,8f

Grading the Roads

A great census of Britain's roads, undertaken by the Ministry of Transport, and on which 5,000 men have been busy for a fortnight, has just been completed. Notebooks in hand, the watchers were stationed at various points on the main roads all over the country, noting the traffic, everything that passed, with the exception of pedestrians and perambulators, being included in the lists. Herds of cattle, flocks of sheep, mail-carts, and wheelbarrows were all counted as

traffic. The highways are divided in two classes, Grade I and Grade II. To the upkeep of the first the Ministry of Transport makes a grant of fifty per cent, and to that of the second twenty-five per cent. Roads are graded, not according to their condition, but according to their popularity, and as a result of the census just made, some Class I roads may be relegated to Class II. On the other hand, roads at present in Class II may be

graded as Class I. It is estimated that two years will be required before all the figures can be properly tabulated. If you are a young voter, cast your vote for T. E. Collett, the young candidate.—dec1,8f

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