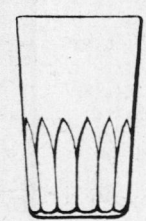


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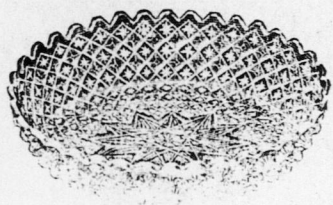


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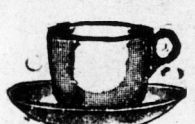
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## GEORGE KNOWLING.

July 23, 27, 30, Aug. 3, 5

### Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - - Proprietor  
W. F. LLOYD, - - - Editor

TUESDAY, July 23, 1912.

### How the Contractor Got the Better of Financier Morris!

Premier Morris and his mouthpiece still maintain silence about the terms of the underwriting of the 1910 and 1912 loans. We gave a straight answer to their query of yesterday, but they have not answered our question as to the exact rates of the underwriters' commission being paid for these loans. There must be some strong reason for refusing to disclose these rates after the Premier had held himself out as the authority, who could and would give information about every detail of the loan negotiations.

The only conclusion to which the public can come from Sir Edward Morris's lapse into silence is that the London correspondent of the New York Post, who gave a correct forecast of the reception which the 1912 loan would meet at the hands of the public, was right also in assigning the high rate of commission for underwriting as a reason for the shyness of the investing public, who took but 15% per cent. of the 1912 debentures put on the market last week. The reason advanced by the Premier

for his resort to the market at a time which was unpropitious, and when there was no immediate urgency, as he had over a million dollars in hand from the 1910 loan, is that he preferred the ill he knew of rather than wait for the greater ill he knew must come in the future. We pointed out that these greater ill which loom in the future and overshadow his prospects were of his own making. He deceived the people. He told them that the proceeds of the loan of 1910 would cover the liabilities of the Railway Extension Contract of 1910. The event has laid bare the deception. The proceeds do not meet those liabilities. Nor will the supplementary proceeds of the 1912 loan cover them, and that truth will be more and more potent as day succeeds day. Sir Edward Morris had good ground for his fear of delay, and he determined to take what was offering at present rather than the smaller consideration which would be extended to him when it was clear to all the world that he had deceived them a second time and that the provisions of the Loan Acts of 1910 and 1912 were insufficient to meet the liabilities he had copper fastened on the country by his Railway Extension Act of 1910.

Before the Branch Railway Bill became law, we pointed out the risks Sir Edward Morris was putting on the country by paying the Contractor \$15,000 a mile in cash instead of \$16,500 in debentures. The Country was called upon to face the fluctuations of the bond market instead of the Contractor. He forced the Country to take the risk of a fall in the price of debentures and relieved the Contractor of it. The Government is now forced to turn these bonds into money and to take what they will fetch. They are realizing now on the £400-

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000 debentures and will probably get £27 or £28 for what eventually they will have to pay back £100. If the contractor had been kept to the old bargain of \$16,500 in 3½ p. c. and was realizing to-day on the last lot of debentures, he would be getting in cash about \$14,500 a mile on the mileage of the railway. Instead of the \$15,000 cash the Government has contracted to pay him, Morris has blundered and blundered badly and the country must pay for it through the Loan Acts of 1910 and 1912.

The contractor has been shrewd, calculating and far-seeing. Morris has been the typical lamb which the financial cartoonist depicts as frisking in its folly in the money market before it is shorn.

### Here and There.

The S. S. City of Sydney is due here to-night from Sydney.

League Football (Brigade Division), St. George's Field, 7 o'clock this evening, C.C.C. vs. N.H.

MUSICAL. — A limited number of tickets for the Musical on Thursday evening, on sale at Dicks & Co., & Courtyard's Pharmacy.

Dr. G. N. Murphy's Office will be closed from August 1st to August 28, July 20, 21.

PROSPERO AT SYDNEY. — The S.S. Prospero leaves Sydney to-day for here and sails for Northern ports on Friday next.

Just in: A large and varied assortment of good comic cards. Stafford's Drug Store.—July 18, 19.

FOOTBALL FIVES. — At 6.30 this evening, on St. George's Field, the preliminary football fives in connection with the Brigade Sports will be run off.

Dr. de Van's Female Pills. — A reliable French regulator, never fails. These pills are exceedingly powerful in regulating the generative portion of the female system. Refuse all cheap imitations. Dr. de Van's are sold at 15 a box, or three for \$10. Mailed to any address. The Ecobell Drug Co., 25, Catharines, Ont.

DID GOOD WORK. — At Tor's Cove yesterday traps did well. Laurence O'Driscoll took 20 qts. in one haul. Trappers secured from 2 to 6 qts. At Bay Bulls W. Mulcahy had 40 qts.

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SEAMEN'S UNION. — Thursday night next all the seamen of St. John's hold a meeting in the British Hall to form a Union. They have retained Mr. W. J. Higgins to draw up a Constitution and Bye-laws.

### A Good Suggestion.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir.—Permit me space to suggest to the Regatta Committee the need of having competent and fearless men in the boats that will accompany the swimmers in their dash across the Lake on Regatta Day. The contest is, to those who are capable of judging, a hard one, fraught with danger and excitement, especially to the boys of the Brigades who will each make a desperate struggle for first place. To my mind our various Regatta Committees of the past have never given due care and consideration to this very important event. I say very important as far as the lives of the juvenile competitors are concerned. It is true that the requisite number of guard boats are provided which time and again have been manned by incompetent and nervous men with one or two exceptions, such as was the case last year. My suggestion is to have half a dozen protection boats each containing three persons (not more) two of whom should be competent and fearless swimmers, in readiness to plunge in the Lake should any of the boys be suddenly taken with a heart spasm. In such a case all the life buoys, ropes, etc., provided are no avail if such a thing should happen which I sincerely trust will never occur. But as in the past, all is well that ends well. Let us use every precaution in the future as long as the swimming contest is on the Regatta programme. Further I think it is the bounden duty of every parent interested to demand this from the gentlemen composing our Regatta Committee each year.

Trusting my humble suggestion respectfully submitted may meet the approval of President Hiscok and his Committee, as I feel certain that he will have no trouble in securing the services of the necessary number of competent and fearless swimmers.

I remain yours sincerely,

CAUTION.

St. John's, July 22nd, 1912.

### Here and There.

ANOTHER FINED.—Another man, a resident of Collier's, was convicted before Magistrate Power of thieving at the recent fire on Friday last and was fined \$50 or 3 months.

TO-MORROW'S SPORTS. — The Brigade Sports on the Coronation Cup takes place on St. George's Field to-morrow afternoon. The C.L.B. and C.C.C. bands will be in attendance.

N.B.S. DANCE.—Night of the Coronation Sports, Wednesday, July 24th, at 9 p.m. Tickets—Double 70c. Ladies 40c. Come one, come all, to the British Hall. Good Music and enjoyable time!

CAUGHT 62 SALMON.—F. Perry, of the Horwood Lumber Co., got back from Salmonier yesterday with 62 salmon after a week's fishing. They ran from 4 to 11 lbs.

BOWINGS' NEW CREW. — The firm of Bowings Bros. will this year put a fine crew of mercantile men on the Lake Regatta Day. They will likely row the Red Cross and will no doubt make a good race of it.

Entries for the Mount Cashel Garden Party Road Race on the 31st, inst., will be received by W. J. Higgins and Chas. J. Ellis, up to Tuesday, 30th, inst. Three prizes, gold and silver medals.

KILLING SHEEP.—A dog which is without an owner has been wandering around Witless Bay for some time past and has already killed several sheep to the annoyance and loss of the people of the place. If the owner doesn't soon show up and claim him, Const. Pahey intends to shoot the beast.

"MUSICAL." — Under the auspices of the Ladies' Church Aid of George Street—At "THORNLEA" on Thursday 25th, at 8 o'clock. Admission, including refreshments, 50 cents. Ice cream and candy for sale. 21, July 23, 25.

BUYING WINTER CLOTHING. — This season the stores on Water St., owing to the abnormally cool weather prevailing, have sold very little summer underwear. As a matter of fact several stores within the past week have sold quite a quantity of cold weather garments, and this for the middle of July.

FOGOTA SAILS.—The s.s. Fogota sailed north at 10 a.m. to-day taking considerable freight and as passengers, Mr. Smith, Rev. G. J. Steer and wife, Mrs. T. Parsons, F. J. Hutchings, Mrs. A. Roberts, Rev. R. H. Mercer, W. A. Halfyard, Rev. H. T. Martin, J. J. Benson, Rev. C. A. Whittemarsh, H. Parsons, J. J. O'Grady, W. Templeman and 10 steerage.

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### WIRE WOUNDS

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### DIED.

At No 5, Fifth St., Chelsea, Mass., U.S.A., July 8, of cerebro spinal meningitis, Susan A., beloved wife of J. Frank Fisher, and daughter of the late John and Elizabeth Thistle, of this city, aged 49 years; leaving a kind husband, 1 son and 1 daughter, residing in Boston, and two sisters residing here to mourn their sad loss.

### Here and There.

NO ARRIVALS YET.—None of the Westville schooners have arrived from the straits yet owing to the ice interfering with the fishermen getting their traps out.

BELL ISLAND RACERS.—The fine new race boats built by Mr. R. Sexton were shipped to Bell Island to-day. They will run in the coming regatta and are named the "Eclipse" and "Doctor."

SCARLET FEVER.—A case of scarlet fever was reported last evening from a residence on Water Street West and this morning the disease shown itself in a family on Plymouth Road.

AN INTERESTING FEATURE. — An interesting feature of the Mount Cashel Garden Party Wednesday week will be a road race. It will start at 2.30 p.m. from St. Patrick's Hall, around Quidi Vidi Lake to Kenna's Hill, and the contestants will pass through Bally Healy and after finishing Mount Cashel grounds will make 4 laps around the place to finish. This will afford much sport to patrons of the Garden Party.

### Here and There.

Don't forget the Cowan Mission Subscription Dance to be held at Smithville on Tuesday, August 13th, particulars later.

Mr. Jas. M. Atkinson, of the K. & A. Store, with Messrs. C. N. Dodd and John Connolly, left here yesterday for Pleasant's Falls for a week's salmon fishing.

SICK U.S. FISHERMAN. — Last night Mr. Eli Whiteaway had a wire from Capt. Wolf of the Gloucester banking schooner Montana, which arrived at Bay Bulls yesterday, saying that one of the crew was dangerously ill. He received a reply saying that the man should be sent to Hospital at once.

OLD GUIDE DEAD.—The death occurred last week at Salmonier of Mr. Jas. Roach, the veteran guide and fisherman of that section. Mr. Roach was the first to make a path to Pleasant's Falls and was well known to all the old time sports as well as those of latter days. He was a great friend of the late Justice Piusent and reached a ripe old age.

### T. J. EDENS.

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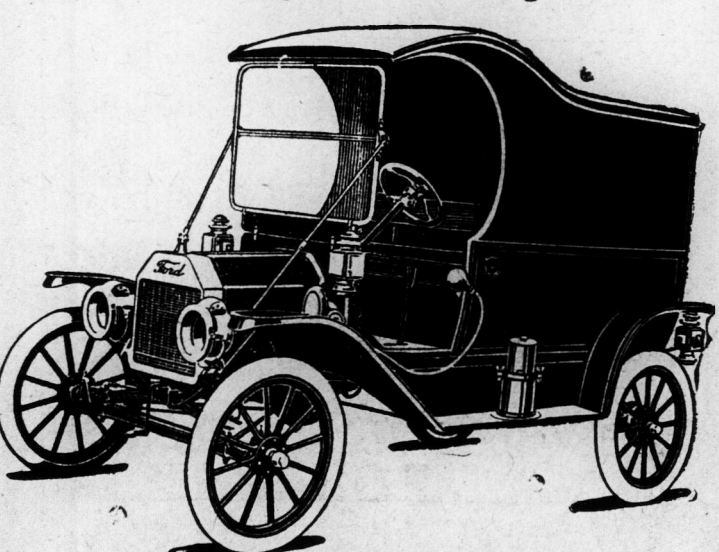
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