

**Preliminary Announcement!**

Cellier and Stephenson's Famous Opera

**"Dorothy"**

will be produced by the Pupils and ex-Pupils of St. Patrick's Hall and Holy Cross Schools, under the direction of Professor Hutton.

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**Russian Troops Punish Japanese.**

**Latter Loses Two Thousand Men in Sharp Encounter--British Making Enquiry of Svoiet--Canadian Farm Prospects Booming--Priests Patrol Streets of Derry--Spanish Queen Attacked by Bandits.**

**A RENT STRIKE.**

NEW YORK, April 20. An attempt will be made on May first by Socialist agitators to bring about a general strike of tenants in New York and the Brownsville section of Brooklyn as a part of the May Day celebration, it is predicted by Arthur N. Whilly, chairman of Mayor Hylan's committee on rent profiteering.

**SUFFRAGETTE CAMPAIGN.**

CLEVELAND, April 20. Forty-eight Republican women, one from each State in the Union, are going to invade Connecticut on May 1st, to participate in a ten day's campaign in the interests of suffrage ratification by the Connecticut Legislature.

**INNOCENT VICTIMS.**

DETROIT, Mich., April 20. The Ford Motor Company announced today that a shortage of raw material due to the railroad strike would cause the lay-off of approximately twenty thousand of its employees.

**SPANISH QUEEN ATTACKED.**

SEVILLE, April 20. Bandits attacked a train last night on which Queen Victoria and her brother, the Marquis of Carisbrooke, were travelling from Madrid to Seville. Robbers made an unsuccessful attempt to carry off the Royal plate, which the

Queen was taking with her. The robbers who were armed, opened a regular fusillade when discovered, wounding two of the railway men, one of them probably mortally. The bandits escaped in a two-horse carriage, leaving no clue to their identity.

**JAPANESE CASUALTIES.**

LONDON, April 20. Japanese casualties in the fighting in Siberia, which resulted in their capturing Nicksok and Habarovsk from the Russians, totalled two thousand, according to reports received in official quarters. Some of the Russians escaped to the hills and others were captured and disarmed, advised state.

**BRITAIN WANTS TO KNOW.**

LONDON, April 20. The British Government has sent a second communication to Russia asking what the Soviet Government intends to do with adherents of General Denekine in the Crimea and pointing out again that Great Britain would view with disfavour any attempt to pursue the remnants of his defeated army. Although a wireless despatch from Moscow says Russia is ready to acquiesce in Great Britain's request for amnesty for the Denekine force in question if her proposals are agreed to by the British, the official

view here is that the promise is too vague to be considered binding.

**SETBACK TO STRIKERS.**

CHICAGO, April 20. The strike fever among the railroad employees suffered a setback today when 30,000 railway clerks and 8,000 freight handlers in the Chicago district announced their decision to permit the hearing of their wage demands by the railroad labor board at Washington. An unauthorized attempt to enforce the granting of increased wages was voted down last night, after an appeal was received from James J. Forrester, head of the Brotherhood members of the Labor Board.

**THE FINANCIAL CONFERENCE.**

LONDON, April 20. Canada is among the countries which have been invited to send representatives to the world financial conference, which will meet at Brussels soon, having been called by the Council of the League of Nations. The note containing the invitation, states that the Council fully realizes the difficulty of the problem to be discussed, and that the delegates will be asked to conduct the debate on a higher plan than the mere consideration of special problems and the interests of each state.

**BIG PRICES FOR FARM PRODUCTS.**

OTTAWA, Ont., April 20. Farmers throughout Canada will continue to get good prices for their products during the next two years, according to the opinion of Dr. J. W. Robertson, who addressed the Parliamentary Committee on Agriculture Colonization today. "So let us go to it and produce every bushel of grain and every pound of produce we can," said Dr. Robertson. It would take at least two big crops to catch up to anything like normal supplies on breadstuffs, and ten years to attain pre-war status on milk products and four to five years for beef products.

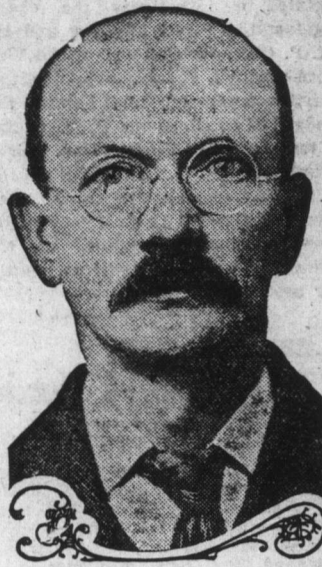
**QUIET IN LONDONDERY.**

LONDONDERY, April 20. Quiet prevailed here last night despite expectations that the rioting of Saturday and Sunday evenings would be renewed, the night passing without the semblance of a disturbance. The prevalence of peaceful conditions was brought about by an agreement between the authorities and Roman Catholic Priests, by which the police were removed from the neighborhood of the recent rioting, two priests taking the place of the officers and remaining on patrol all night; the clergy using their influence with the people and urging them to go home and go to bed. The plan worked admirably, the priests having the streets virtually to themselves all night.

**ANNUAL TRIDUUM.**

The annual Triduum, previous to the Feast of Our Lady of Good Counsel, will begin on Friday, April 23, at 5 o'clock, in the Chapel of Our Lady of Good Counsel, Presentation Convent, Cathedral Square.

**ALFRED H. EMERSON**, owner of big stock farm, who says Tanlac built him right up after having a bad case of Flu, which left him in awful bad shape. Says Tanlac is only medicine that helped him.



"I have taken only one bottle of Tanlac, but it has done me more good than all the other medicines I have taken put together," said A. H. Emerson when he called at Guppy's Drug Store, Portland, Me., the other day. Mr. Emerson lives near West Scarborough, Me., where he owns and operates one of the largest stock farms in that section of the country. "After I got up from the flu last winter I was in mighty bad shape," he continued. "I was not only in a weakened, debilitated condition, but I also suffered awfully with indigestion. My stomach was so weak I could hardly digest anything and could hardly bear the sight of food, much less eat anything. As I was not able to eat any nourishing food I kept getting worse and worse and I was badly discouraged over my condition as it looked like I would never get my strength back again. My nerves were all upset and my sleep was broken and irregular. I felt tired and worn-out from morning until night and could hardly drag one foot after the other."

"I took many different kinds of medicine but nothing did me a particle of good until I began taking Tanlac. As I said before, I have taken only one bottle, but it has made such a remarkable change in my condition I feel like a different person altogether. My appetite is splendid now and I can eat anything I want and as much as I want without the slightest touch of indigestion. My strength and energy have returned, I sleep sound and get up in the mornings feeling ready for a big day's work. Tanlac has put me back on my feet and everybody certainly ought to know about this medicine." Tanlac is sold in St. John's by M. Connors, and by the leading Druggist in every town--adv't.

**Protest by Citizens.**

**NO POLITICIAN AS JUDGE, AND A PUBLIC ENQUIRY.**

April 20, 1920. His Excellency Sir C. Alexander Harris, K.C.M.G., K.C.V.O., etc.

Sir-- I am directed by the Committee who waited on Your Excellency last evening, on behalf of the citizens who had previously in public meeting assembled adopted certain resolutions which the Committee presented to you, to respectfully protest against any member of the Legislature being appointed on the Commission of Enquiry which Your Excellency informed us was being instituted. We especially protest against the inclusion on the Commission of any person who has contractual or other business relations with the Government.

The Committee also submits that the sessions of the said Commission should be open to the public.

I have the honour to be, Your Excellency's obedient servant, JONAS C. BARTER, Secretary.

**PILES** Do not suffer another day with itching, bleeding, or protruding Piles. No surgical operation required. Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you at once and as certainly as you see a box; all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Sample box free if you mention this paper and enclose 2c. stamp to pay postage.

**PLAYER'S NAVY CUT CIGARETTES**

"What cigarettes do you like?"  
"I always enjoy PLAYER'S NAVY CUT CIGARETTES. They are so mild, rich and cool."

These cigarettes are England's richest and coolest smoke, because the Virginia leaf is of such high quality, and is blended so skilfully that in no other smoke can you find the same perfect cigarette satisfaction. Enjoy them today. All dealers sell them.

**PLAYER'S NAVY CUT CIGARETTES**

**The Many Householders**

All over the country who are using Klim daily, would do well to bear in mind that a considerable saving in the cost is effected by purchasing it in the

**10-lb. Drums.**  
Procurable at all stores.

**Fishermen (?) the Jobs.**

Not so long ago the appointment of the four gentlemen, whose names are given prominence in the Advocate yesterday, to seats in the Legislative Council, would have received far different treatment from that paper, but the times have changed. No longer does that once powerful organ of the Fishermen in the outports demand fair outport representation and men of practical experience of the fisheries to perform the duties of Upper Chamber legislature. That is all done with now, and there is only commendation for the gentlemen who have been but recently gazetted as local senators. They are: Hon. John Browning, biscuit manufacturer; Hon. Frank Steer, dry goods merchant; Hon. George Shea, steamship agent, and Hon. Alexander Campbell, Doctor of medicine. These vacancies in the

Upper House, were created by the demise of Hon. John Harvey, Geo. Skelton and A. F. Goodridge, all belonging to the Anglican denomination. Out of the four appointments, but one Anglican has been made, thus disturbing the denominational ratio, and lessening the Church of England representation out of all proportion. The resignation of Hon. R. A. Squires has been made equal, denominationally, by Hon. Frank Steer being given the succession.

**Shipping Notes.**

S. S. Rosalind sails to-morrow for Halifax and New York.  
Schooner Tacoma has entered at Rose Blanche to load salt bulk codfish for Gloucester.  
The Lila D. Young has sailed from Hr. Breton, fish laden by R. Moulton Ltd., for Oporto.  
Reid's steamer Sagona which has been ready for sea the last couple of days has been held up by the stokers who are demanding \$80.00 a month.  
Schooner Roberta Ray has sailed for Oporto from Lamaline with a cargo of codfish from S. Harris Ltd.  
S. S. Carbotta, bound to Heart's Content to load pulp and paper from the A.N.D. Co. for England arrived here yesterday afternoon.  
S. S. Kyle was expected to leave North Sydney last night for here via Port aux Basques.

**THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY.**  
**THERAPION No. 1**  
**THERAPION No. 2**  
**THERAPION No. 3**  
No. 1 for Bladder Calculi. No. 2 for Stone & Skin Issues. No. 3 for Chronic Weakness.  
SOLD BY LEADING CHEMISTS. PRICE 1/6 WOLANSKI & CO. LONDON. THE TRADE MARKED WORD "THERAPION" IS ON THE WRAP. BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.

MUTT AND JEFF--

JOE'S MENTAL CONDITION IS DISCUSSED BEHIND CLOSED DOORS.

By Bud Fisher

OLD DEARS, PRETTY SEEDY LOOKING PATENT-LEATHER SHOES, EH? THEY WERE ALL RIGHT ORIGINALLY, BUT I RECKON THE PATENT HAS EXPIRED ON THEM! TOUGH, EH?

HE'S A NUT!

SO LONG.

QUITE SO, QUITE SO!

BUT LISTEN! IT'S HIS MOTHER'S FAULT THAT JOE'S A SAMP! POOR FELLOW, HE CAN'T HELP THAT HE'S FOOLISH! HIS MOTHER'S TO BLAME.

THAT SO? WHAT DID HIS MOTHER DO TO HIM?

SHE MADE HIM SLEEP UNDER A CRAZY-QUILT WHEN HE WAS A BOY. HAR HAR!

INSECT!