HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

ARE DECLARED IDEALS FOR CANADIAN CHILDREN

Hamilton Preacher Lauds Robertson, Gage and McDougall—Shut Up in Box Car.

HAMILTON, April 24.—(Special.)—That John Ross Robertson of The Toronto Telegram, W. J. Gage and Rev. George McDougall were ideals for the Canadian children, and that they were all assured a place in heaven for their benevolence and good deeds, was the statement of Rev. Lewis H. Hill, B.A., of Burlington, in Charlton-avenue Church to-night. Mr. Robertson would be rewarded because of his interest in the Sick Children's Hospital, and God would smile on him, while the angels would go to meet him. Mr. Gage would get credit for his work in connection with the Gravenhurst Sanitarium and Rev. Mr. McDougall for his work among the Indians.

Christ Church Cathedral was crowded to-night when Rev. Dean DuMoulin of Cleveland, Ohio, preached to the members of St. George's Society.

John Henry, 26 Wilson-street, died very suddenly last night. He arrived home about 8 o'clock and shortly afterward became ill, dying in a few moments. Heart failure was the cause. He was 76 years o fage, and leaves a wife and three children.

The Catholic Societies of the city attended St. Lawrence Church this afternoon, when Rev. Father Walsh, a Dominican, preached a sermon. The mission that has been on there for two weeks was closed to-night.

William Henry Marshall of Salt Fleet die dthis morning.

In celebration of their 91st anniversary, the members of the I.O.O.F. attended the First Methodist Church this afternoon. Rev. E. B. Lanceley preached.

The police visited the Oriental Cafe, King William-street, on Saturday night, but did not find anything amiss.

There was a small fire at the Hamilton Facing Mills about 3 o'clock this morning. About $300 damage was done.

Willie Arnedt, George Schwell and George McLean of London, had a thrilling experience recently. James Arnedt, formerly of London has secured a situation in Hamilton. On Thursday, he was superintending the loading of his furniture in a box car, and his son, Willie, along with the two other boys, managed to get inside the car unseen by him. The door of the car was locked and sealed and they were prisoners. That happened on Thursday and the car did not reach Hamilton until Saturday, when they were discovered in a very weak condition, having been without food or water for two days in their noisome and moving prison.

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NO PATIENT EVER REFUSED

Statement as to Tuberculosis Patient's Plight is Denied.

J. S. Robertson, executive secretary of the two sanitariums at Muskoka, and the two near Weston, writes as follows:

The newspapers of to-day (Saturday) report the case of a suit in the divisional court to sanction the payment of a sum of money out of court to Miss Agnes Sutton's relatives, to enable them to pay a board bill incurred with people who had turned her out because she was suffering from tuberculosis. The report goes on to say: "Where the unfortunate victim of the white plague was to go in view of the fact that no sanitarium would take her in owing to the advanced stage of the disease, does not appear to have been considered."

Permit me to say that so far as the two sanitariums near Weston are concerned, namely the Toronto Free Hospital for Consumptives and the King Edward Sanitarium, these are established especially for patients in the advanced and far advanced stages of tuberculosis, and no applicant has ever been refused admission into either of these institutions because of the "advanced stage of the disease." For nearly a year past, with the increased accommodation provided these two institutions, patients in this class have been promptly admitted on application, whilst in the two sanitariums at Muskoka, namely the Muskoka Cottage Sanitarium and the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives — equal promptness has been exercised in the admission of patients in the incipient stages of the disease.

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BROTHERHOOD OF MAN AND UNIVERSAL PEACE

Canon Plumtre Preaches to Members of St. George's Society on the Golden Age.

Before a congregation which taxed the capacity of St. James' Cathedral, Canon Plumtre preached an eloquent sermon in commemoration of St. George's Day yesterday evening.

The members of the society attended in a body, and in honor of the occasion the ensign of St. George—"the blood red cross on a field of white"—which has cheered many a doughty paladin on to further deeds of valor, rested against the pulpit. To the right of the chancel a large Union Jack made a splash of vivid coloring against the white background of the surpliced choir.

"Men who make their wealth by the employment of labor should realize that their responsibility towards their employes does not end at the cease of the day's work," said Canon Plumtre. Basing his sermon on the 4th chapter of Micah, the speaker stated that the prophet in spite of wars and the rumors of wars with which the atmosphere at that time was permeated saw ahead the time when the brotherhood of man should come about, and the weapons of war be turned into implements of agricultural use.

This golden age of which the prophet dreamed pointed to a common worship to knit nations together, for only in the united worship of one Lord will the brotherhood of man be realized.

There are some broadminded people, the speaker continued, who indulge in no such vision. They are quite content to leave the religious map of the world a patchwork of colors. But that view was bad political economy.

The golden age also meant universal peace when war would be abolished and armaments cease. For 18 centuries the church had prayed for this consummation, but the day of universal peace was still some distance off. But changes had been wrought in private life, for where in former years the duel had settled differences between man and man, recourse was now had to the courts of law. Further, arbitration treaties had come about between several nations, and many disputes had been settled by peace tribunals.

"God grant that here in Canada it will never be necessary to spend large sums in the upkeep of armaments," said Canon Plumtre.

In touching on the work of the society he stated that for 75 years it had done good work in relieving distress, and from the fact that only 211 cases were relieved last year he drew the conclusion that a much better class of immigrant was coming to the country.

A home, and every man contented in his home had been the climax of the prophet's vision, said the speaker, thou to many of his hearers living in miserable houses, paying high rents and receiving low wages, such a climax might seem far off.

In conclusion he eulogized the C.M.A. in their undertaking to provide a home for working girls.

SIDNEY LUCAS
With the Star and Garter Company at the Gayety.

Niagara Navigation Company Increased Service.

The Niagara Navigation Company will this season inaugurate an eight-trip service, being an addition of two trips to their hitherto maximum schedule. Steamers will leave Toronto at 7.30 a.m., 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 2 p.m., 3.45 p.m. 5.15 p.m., 7.00 p.m. Leave Lewiston 7.00 a.m., 8.00 a.m., 10.30 a.m., 12 noon, 2 p.m., 5 p.m., 6 p.m., 7.40 p.m. One object in the improved service is to provide for an early boat from Niagara-on-the-Lake, which will enable business men spending the summer there to reach Toronto about 9.30 a.m. The later boat returning in the evening will also be appreciated, and the innovation should make Niagara-on-the-Lake more attractive than ever as a summer resort.

Ex-Mayor of St. Johns Dead.

ST. JOHN'S, Que., April 24.—Mr. J. E. Herbert, ex-mayor, one of the leading Liberals and an influential citizen, died this afternoon after a short illness.

Public School Boy Wrestlers First Annual Championship

Events Decided at the Central Y.M.C.A. Saturday Morning — Boys Show Good Sportsmanship.

At the Central Y.M.C.A. Saturday morning, the wrestling championships of the junior school boys were decided. The boys have been working faithfully for the past few weeks, and the twenty-three bouts contested were close and exciting. The results were as follows:

—Under 75 lbs.—

The preliminary in the class brought together B. Graham and R. Crystler, and was fast. Both boys were clever, and both rolled from tight holds continually. Graham proved to be the stronger, and got the decision.

The second bout brought together Jim Prestwick and W. H. Hulme. Prestwick was the aggressor from start to finish, and got the decision.

The third bout was between E. Coath and C. Postill, and was a battle royal. Postill won by a fall in 2.45.

The fourth brought together B. Ball and L. Hugill. The latter was much the stronger, and won by a decision.

The semi-finals in the 75-lb. and under brought together B. Graham and J. Prestwick, and this was one of the closest bouts of the tournament, Graham eventually winning by one-half Nelson and crotch hold.

The second semi-final was between C. Postill and L. Hugill. Both boys worked hard all the time, Hugill's bridging being the best seen during the tournament, but Postill was the cleverer and won the decision.

The final was between B. Graham and C. Postill. The large crowd of boys present were worked up to fever heat, cheering for their favorite as they broke from one hold to another. Both boys were tired from their strenuous work in the preliminaries, but went at it hammer and tongs, and Graham was given the decision for his aggressive work.

—Under 85 lbs.—

The first bout in this class brought together two good boys in Cal. Cronk and G. Truax. Cronk used everything from a toe hold to heac scissors, and won in 2.10.

Then came Frank Squires and H. Slater. Squires never had a chance, and lost in 2.00.

The third bout was between Richard Waugh and Robert Argue—too strong for Shorty, and won in 1.30.

Waugh drew the bye, and the semi-final was between Slater and Goldfish Cronk. Cronk did much the better work and won the decision.

After a good rest, Cronk and Waugh went at it, and it was the closest kind of an argument. Cronk nearly won by a hea din chancery, but Waugh got away, and when full time was up the referee could not give a decision, and the boys went two minutes longer, and the Goldfish was given the decision.

—Under 100 lbs.—

The first bout in this class was between Will Frank and Allan McLean, and was very even until McLean got a fall by head hold in 2.52.

The second was between Charlie Kerr and H. Dunn. Both boys are strong and clever, and this bout brought forth rounds of applause. Kerr finally winning by a decision.

The third bout was between W. Purdy and E. Booz, and both boys worked hard. The referee made them go an extra minute. Booz was given the decision.

The semi-final was between C. Kerr and Ed. Booz. Kerr got on top at the start and won in 45 seconds by a three-quarter Nelson.

The final was between Allan McLean and C. Kerr. This was a good fast bout while it lasted, McLean winning in 2.08 with a one-half Neison and far arm hold.

—Under 115 lbs.—

The first bout was between Art Jarvis and Harry McLean. The latter was by far the stronger and won in 45 seconds.

The second was between Harry McLean and H. Booth. Both boys worked hard, McLean was wrestling out of his class and kept the husky Booth busy, but the latter got the decision after a close, hard bout.

The third bout was between Harry McLean and Don McBain. This was an interesting bout, McBain got into a bad hole at the start and had to take a hard grueling. He was game until the last, and lost only by a decision.

The final was a grand battle between Harry McLean and H. Booth. Both boys fought with a grim determination, McLean winning with a head hold in 2.58.

Heavyweight—Over 115 lbs.—

This was "pie" for big Norm Brymer. He won in 30 seconds from Harry McLean, who gave away 20 lbs.

Good sportsmanship was shown in every contest. Not once did any boy show signs of temper. This is the first annual championships. Prizes will be awarded at the banquet on May 7 to the first and second boys.

SCHOOL CHAMPIONS.

The following are the public school wrestling champions:
75 lbs. and under, Bert Graham.
85 lbs. and under, Col. Bronk.
100 lbs. and under, Allen McLean.
115 lbs. and under, Harry McLean.
Heavyweight, over 100 lbs. N. W. Brymer.

At the Island Stadium.

A busy afternoon in three kinds of sports was spent at the island stadium grounds. Weather conditions were ideal and about four hundred spectators were on hand.

Tecumseh Lacrosse Club divided its men up in two teams, called the "Jews" and "Irish" and the Jews were played off their feet at all stages of the game, the final score being 6—4. The teams:

Jews (4): Goal, Carlton; point, Skelding; cover-point, Campbin; first defence, Austin; second defence, S. McArthur; third defence, Harry; centre, Martin; first home, Greenshields; second home, Querrie; third home, Felker; outside home, Gordon; inside home, Laing.

Irish (6): Goal, W. McArthur; point, Purvis; cover-point, Patterson; first defence, Parkinson; second defence, Bullen; third defence, Kent; centre, Leaworthy; first home, Thompson; second home, Richards; third home, Oakley; outside home, Hewitson; inside home, Winters.

Tecumseh Athletic Club runners were busy all afternoon, about 50 being out in uniform. A three-mile handicap race was first on the bill, there being seven entries, including Dyment, Evans, Carlton, Wagner, Black, Henning and Charters. Finish, Wagner first, Black second and Evans third.

Mile handicap: A.Gow first, Humphreys second, R. Hughes third. Also rans: Smith, Woodley, Wren, Hilliard, Marsh, E. Hughes and Chuck Skeene.

Percy Sellen worked hard all afternoon, as did Elwood Hughes, who made his first appearance since the trip to Athens.

GAEKWAR OF BARODA COMING.

VANCOUVER, April 24.—Sir Sayaji Rao, Gaekwar of Baroda, one of the most influential of the independent princes of India, will arrive from Yokohama on a tour of American continent June 15. Hindus of British Columbia will appeal to Gaekwar to act as their mediator at Ottawa in an effort to secure some mitigation of the restrictions on the immigration of British Asiatic subjects.

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80,000 Spectators See Soccer Game In English Final

LONDON, April 23.—Barnsley and Newcastle tied the score with a goal each in the final game to-day for the football association championship cup. The match was played at the Crystal Palace and attracted an attendance of about 80,000 persons, hardly up to the record of crowds usually congregating for this annual picnic at the mecca of football enthusiasts. About 150 special trains brought between 50,000 and 60,000 spectators. Other results:

—First League—
Bolton W., 0; Tottenham H., 2.
Chelsea, 2; Bury, 0.
Everton, 2; Manchester U., 3.
Middlesborough, 2; Liverpool, 2.
Nottingham F., 0; Sheffield W., 6.
Sunderland, 3; Bradford City, 0.
Woolwich A., 3; Preston N. E., 1.
Blackburn, 3; Sheffield U., 1.

—Second League.—
Bradford, 2; Gainsborough T., 0.
Derby County, 3; Birmingham, 1.
Grimsby T., 1; Wolverhampton W., 0.
Hull City, 5; W. Bromwich A., 1.
Leicester F., 1; Burnley, 1.
Manchester C., 3; Leeds City, 0.
Stockport C., 5; Glossop, 0.
Lincoln City, 2; Fulham, 2.
Blackpool, 1; Oldham A., 3.

—Southern League.—
Brantford, 2; Millwall, 0.
Brighton & H., 3; Swindon T., 1.
Bristol R., 1; Northampton, 0.
Coventry C., 6; Croydon C., 1.
Exeter C., 2; Crystal Palace, 0.
Southend U., 0; Leyton, 0.
West Ham U., 1; Luton T., 2.
Norwich C., 1; No. Brompton, 0.
Reading, 2; Plymouth A., 2.
Portsmouth, 4; Queen's Pk. R., 0.
Watford, 2; Southampton, 2.

—Scottish League—
Falkirk 2, Celtic 0.
Aberdeen 2, Dundee 1.
Hamilton 2, Hearts 1.
Hibernians 1, Motherwell 0.
Rangers 1, Clyde 0.
Queen's Park 2, St. Mirren 1.
Third Lanark 4, Port Glasgow 2.

Intermediate Thistles Win.

The Intermediate Thistles defeated the Intermediate Britannias in a fast game of soccer at the Pines on Saturday afternoon by a score of 3 to 1.

Britannias (1)—Goal, Bond; backs, Sulder, Stevens; halves, Sleater, Reeves, Taylor; forwards, Stevenson, Pratt, Shaw, Millett, Sauiter.

Thistles (3)—Goal, Newton; backs, Marshall, Rustem; halves, Gray, Hall, Whiskey; forwards, Breach, Russell, Hunter, Gray, McClaren.

Referee—Durrant.

Devonians Win.

The Sunderlands, who a week ago defeated the Scots by 4 to 1, had the tables turned on them at Exhibition Park Saturday afternoon by precisely the same score.

In the first half each side scored one goal. When they warmed up in the last half the Sunderlands soon tired in fruitless attacks on the Devonians, who later on made three goals in quick succession. The teams were as follows:

Devonians (4): Goal, W. Banlase; backs, Wyatt (capt.), Collett; half-backs, H. Ogden, Finnemore, J. Williams; forwards, Burns, Whare, Davey, White, Miller.

Sunderlands (1): Goal, Blair; backs, F. Wilding, Aarrah; half-backs, Harris, Moore, Gomm; forwards, Reeves, Younger, Carter, Bright, W. Wilding.

Referee, V. C. Browning.

Davenport Wins 2 to 1

At the Pines on Saturday afternoon the Davenport eleven defeated the Pioneers by a score of 2 to 1.

Pioneers (1): Goal, McCoskery; backs, Marsh, Muir; halves, McGlaughlin, Blachley, Ruddick; forwards, Standing, Ball, Davey, H. Ball, Harris.

Davenport (2): Goal, Enfield; backs, Tilley, Taggart; halves, Wilkinson, Joynson, Sabine; forwards, May, Stewart, Reid, Davey, Dunsmore.

Referee—Ready.

Broadviews Win 2 to 1.

Broadviews defeated Parkviews in a fast game of soccer in the Intermediate T. and D. League, on the Parkview grounds, by a score of 2 to 1.

Broadviews lined up as follows: Goal, Dawson; backs, Kimber, Smith; halves, Williams, F. Helscon, Gilbert; forwards, S. Helscon, Milne, Prittle, Nicholls, Kirkpatrick.

Celtics 1, Hamilton 1.

The soccer game played at Sunlight Park between the Independent Labor party of Hamilton and the Celtics of Toronto resulted in a tie, one all. The game proved to be very fast and the large crowd that turned out to see it were very enthusiastic during the entire contest. Hamilton sent down a strong contingent of rooters under the able direction of A. Studholme, the East Hamilton labor member.

Independent Labor Party (1)—Goal, Crompton; backs, Hutchins, Perry; halves, Munns, Groat, Coombs; forwards, Saville, Coleman, Turner, Farrant, Archer.

Celtics, Toronto (1)—Goal, Stansfield; backs, Lewis, Winston; halves, Watcham, Allison, Dunsbow; forwards, Best, Partridge, Parks, Partridge, Watcham.

Referee—Dubbs.

Berlin Defends Hough Cup.

BERLIN, Ont., April 23.—(Special.)—Berlin Collegiate footballers successfully defended the Hough Cup against Galt Collegiate Institute here to-day, neither tea mbeing able to score. The next game will be with Listowel High School, and Orillia Collegiate Institute and Stratford C. I. team has also challenged.

Little York 3, All Saints 0.

In a senior T. and D. football game at Little York Saturday, the home team defeated All Saints 3 to 0.

COLORED LEADERS ARRESTED.

HAVANA, April 24.—The culmination of the recent agitation of the race question was reached last night, when General Evaristo Estenos, the leader of the independent party of color, and four of his associates were arrested. This was followed to-day by the arrest of twenty-four more negroes in Havana, three in Oriente and two in Santa Clara.

The agitation is regarded as a seditious movement, calculated to develop revolutionary agitation against the government.

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CHICAGO, Ill., April 24.—Guests and employes of a down-town hotel last night were interested in a white hen that has a clearly defined nose and lips in place of the beak of a chicken, and feet like knobs instead of claws.

"The chicken is nine months old," said Michael Singer, one of the hotel proprietors, who owns the fowl, "and has to eat from the hand, being unable to pick food like other chickens. It cannot scratch, and does not cackle nor make other noises like a chicken. It has laid two eggs, both of which were flat on one side and of extraordinary size."

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NEW YORK, April 24.—The figure of the Goddess Neith, of inestimable artistic value, which was stolen Wednesday from the Metropolitan Museum of Art, was recovered yesterday morning. It had been "hocked" in a Bowery pawnshop for 50 cents of the coin of these United States. The value of the Miss Neith is reckoned at $1,500.

Park Nine Score Shut Out.

The City Amateur League was auspiciously opened Saturday. Park Nine and St. Marys proving the winners. Scores:

—First Game.—

Park Nine—	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Benson, 3b.	3	0	0	2	1	0
Tolley, c.	2	1	0	9	0	0
E. Ross, c.f.	3	0	2	2	0	0
N. Ross, l.f.	3	0	1	1	0	0
Pringle, r.f.	2	1	1	0	0	0
Isaac, s.s.	3	0	0	0	2	0
Allan, 1b.	3	1	1	6	1	1
Mearns, 2b.	3	1	1	1	2	0
Hawkins, p.	3	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	25	5	6	21	6	0

Royal Oaks—	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Appleyard, s.s.	3	0	0	0	4	1
Lee, 3b.	2	0	0	0	0	1
Wideman, 2b.	3	0	2	1	1	0
Boynton, r.f.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Doyle, 1b.	3	0	0	7	0	1
Irwin, c.f.	3	0	1	3	0	0
Grogan, l.f.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Langley, c.	2	0	1	4	0	0
McIntosh, p.	2	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	24	0	4	18	7	3

Royal Oaks	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Park Nine	0	0	0	0	4	1	*		—5

Double-play—Allan to Mearns. Stolen bases—Tolley, Pringle, Allan, Mearns, Hawkins, Wideman, Langley. Wild pitch—Hawkins. Hit by pitcher—Hawkins, McIntosh. Struck out—By Hawkins 7, by McIntosh 6. Left on bases—Royal Oaks 4, Park Nine 4. Time—1.10. Umpire—W. Walsh.

—Second Game.—

Wellingtons—	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Laundreville, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Jepson, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
O'Toole, 3b.	4	0	2	0	0	0
O'Reilly, ss	4	0	0	1	3	2
Curzon, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Thorne, 2b	4	0	0	3	5	0
Brockbank, 1b	2	0	0	9	0	0
Graham, 1b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Myles, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Burkhardt, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Nye, c	2	1	0	5	2	1
Monteith, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	29	1	4	24	12	3

St. Marys—	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Phelan, 2b.	3	0	0	7	0	0
Downing, c.	3	1	0	5	5	2
Taylor, 3b.	3	0	1	1	0	1
Byrne, c.f.	3	2	1	0	2	0
Baldwin, 1b.	4	1	1	10	0	0
Walsh, l.f.	4	1	1	2	0	0
Williams, r.f.	4	1	2	1	0	0
Murphy, s.s.	4	0	3	1	1	1
Downs, p.	4	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	32	6	9	27	11	4

Wellingtons	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—1
St. Marys	2	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	*—6

Summary: Struck out—By Downs 9, by Monteith 3. First on balls—By Monteith 2, by Downs 3. Hit by pitcher—Taylor. Passed ball—Nye. Stolen bases—O'Toole, Curzon, Downing 2, Taylor, Murphy. Left on bases—Wellingtons 5, St. Marys 6. Time—1.30. Umpire—Walsh.

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Destroyed Over Twenty Blocks—Loss Between One and Two Millions.

LAKE ST. CHARLES, La., April 24.—Fanned by a high wind, a fire which broke out here shortly after 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon swept over twenty or more blocks of the city. Two thousand persons have been rendered homeless.

Requests for aid were wired to Beaumont and Orange, Texas, and to Jennings, La. The Southern Pacific Railroad offered special trains.

Many houses in the path of the flames were dynamited, but showers of sparks were swept beyond the gaps, igniting the buildings on the farther side. Within a short time the wind bad driven the fire over a space two miles in length.

It was almost 8 o'clock at night when the fire, which followed a northeasterly direction from the business section, finally reached the outskirts of the city, burning itself out.

Early est mates, which placed the damage at $3,000,000, are believed to be excessive. More conservative figures range from $1,000,000 to $2,500,000.

Next to the court house, the costliest buildings destroyed were those of the Holy Cross Convent, Catholic church and rectory. Three hotels were burned.

It is estimated that the insurance will amount to less than one-third of the total loss.

CHILD HAS TWO HEADS

Brooklyn Girl Speaks Thru Both of Her Mouths.

NEW YORK, April 24.—John O. Nelson of No. 4114 Stuart-avenue, Brooklyn Hills, Queen's Borough, has a daughter who has two well developed heads. She is six years old, and is unable either to sit up or walk, but her general health is good and she possesses normal intelligence, according to her father.

When the child was born the doctors said she could not live, but Mr. Nelson, then possessed of comfortable means, engaged the best physicians and gave the little one the most careful attention, sparing no expense. Mr. Nelson said nearly his entire fortune of $35,000 had gone toward making the delicate infant a healthy child.

The Nelsons live on the ground floor, so that they can easily get their daughter out of doors without attracting attention, consequently few persons in the neighborhood have seen her. The child speaks English and German with equal fluency, using both mouths when she speaks, her father says.

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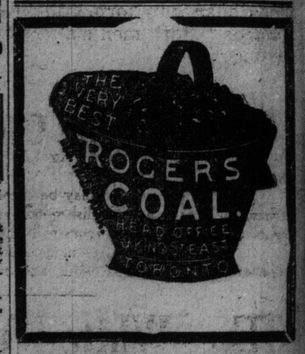

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NO HARD FEELING

In Newfoundland Against U. S., Says Sir Edward Morris.

NEW YORK, April 24.—Sir Edward Morris, K.C.M.G., K.C., premier of Newfoundland, who is staying at the Hoffman House, set forth in an interview yesterday his side of the questions between the oldest colony of Great Britain and this country. He is on his way to England to prepare for the submission to The Hague tribunal for final arbitration the fisheries dispute, which has been a bone of contention for many years.

"What is the feeling of Newfoundlers on these matters?" Sir Edward was asked.

"There is no feeling," he replied. "The people of Newfoundland do not lay any blame at the door of the people of the United States. They understand that they are only asking that The Hague tribunal interpret the treaty, not according to our own reading, but by the readings placed on it by the British Government and the law officers of America. It was they who made the treaty 100 years ago, and all correspondence in relation to this treaty has passed between Great Britain and the United States."

Sir Edward will be entertained at dinner on Thursday at the Hoffman House by the Newfoundlanders living in the city. It is expected that Mayor Gaynor and several members of the chamber of commerce will be present.

Charged With Coat Theft.

Charged with theft of a coat from Peter Ponker, 62 West Adelaide-street, Mike Anerick, 119 Centre-street, was arrested by Acting Detective Montgomery last night.

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