

PILING CHEERS MARK MARCHING OF THE PROGRESS CAMPAIGN FOR SAINT JOHN

KEEP THE CHILDREN'S BOWELS CLEAN NOW

If Tongue is Coated, Stomach Sour, Breath Foul, Bowels Clogged Give "Syrup of Figs."

Children dearly love to take delicious "Syrup of Figs" and nothing else cleans and regulates their tender little stomachs, liver and bowels so promptly and thoroughly. Children get bilious and constipated just like grown-ups. Then they get sick, their tongue is coated, stomach sour, breath bad, they don't eat or rest well; they become feverish, cross, irritable and don't want to play. Listen, Mothers—for your child's sake don't force the little one to swallow nauseating castor oil, violent colic or harsh irritants like Cathartic pills. A teaspoonful of Syrup of Figs will have your child smiling and happy again in just a few hours. Syrup of Figs will gently clean, sweeten and regulate the stomach, make the liver active, move on and out of the bowels all the constipated matter, the sour bile, the flat, clogged up waste and poisons, without causing cramps or griping. With Syrup of Figs you are not hurting or hurting your children. Being composed entirely of luscious figs, senna and licorice, it cannot be harmful. Full directions for children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the package. Ask your druggist for the full name "Syrup of Figs and Elix of Senna," prepared by the California Fig Syrup Co. This is the delicious tasting, genuine old reliable. Refuse anything else offered.

WOULD COMPEL HEBREWS TO USE ONLY JEWISH NAMES

This is Demand of Russian Synod Upon Minister of Interior

St. Petersburg, Jan. 22.—The right of Russian subjects of the Jewish faith to assume ordinary Russian first names and to confer them on their children, instead of those recognized as characteristically Hebrew, is to be brought before the senate for decision by the ministry of the interior. The custom has recently grown among Russian people of this religious sect to resort to the use of ordinary names in order to avoid business and social embarrassments. The ministry of the interior has hitherto held that while a man is not an heir to his name, he is a man, and that entered on his record at his birth, nothing could prevent Hebrews from conferring on their children non-patriarchal names. The Holy Synod has objected strongly to this custom, and as a consequence of this the ministry has appealed to the senate and a decision is expected soon.

Viceroy Harding Out Again

Delhi, India, Jan. 22.—Charles Harding, the Viceroy of India, who was injured by an assailant's bomb on December 25, has recovered and made his first appearance in public. He received an ovation as he was driven through the streets in a motor car. He said he relied on the friendliness of the Indians and would take no special precautions to prevent another attempt on his life.

PIMPLES ON FACE ARMS AND LEGS

Scatched So Made Red Sore, Trouble Grew Worse 'Till the Time, A Cake of Cuticura Soap and a Box of Cuticura Ointment Completely Cured.

Ville Joliette, Que.—"My little girl, aged four years, had so many pimples on her face, arms and legs that I did not know what to do. They lasted for a year. She commenced to scratch and this made pimples, clear, not red. She scratched so much that the blood ran and it made a red sore. The sores were worse on her arms and legs and on her face, and they were very ugly looking with blood. I was told what to do to stop her suffering, and I used the treatment but other pimples came out all the time. I tried all sorts of remedies but the trouble grew worse all the time. It was always the same story, until I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I began to apply the Cuticura Ointment on her, also hot water and Cuticura Soap. Immediately I began to see that they were curing her, and after having used a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment she was completely cured. She has just as fine a skin as before. My husband also used Cuticura Ointment for cracks in his hands. After three applications of the Cuticura Ointment he was completely cured." (Signed) Mrs. Alfred Corrier, Jan. 10, 1912.

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BRONCHIAL COUGHS

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The Board of Trade Programme Backed Up By Representative Citizens

Strong Support at Dinner at Which More Than Three Hundred Attend --- Saint John's Case Clearly Presented and Sturdily Endorsed---Active Work Begun at Once

The new ambitious which are stirring the citizens of St. John and the new spirit which will make their realization possible were demonstrated in a convincing fashion at the Get-Together dinner held by the Board of Trade last evening. Between three hundred and three hundred and fifty citizens sat down to dinner, and after the heard inspiring but practical addresses on the work which it is proposed the board shall undertake. The proposals were received with enthusiastic approval, and when the call for volunteers for the work of canvassing for new members was made, ninety-nine men responded.

The dinner was given in Keith's Assembly rooms at 7:45 o'clock. Green W. Wainmaker was the caterer, and music was furnished by Holder's orchestra. Next to the menu cards, with appropriate inscriptions, were furnished. The dinner was an excellent one and well served. The important part of the meeting followed, when the plans for the Board of Trade were outlined, and the new position which the city should secure.

Mr. Y. Chase, the town development expert from New York, gave a practical and business like talk on what could be accomplished in St. John and the methods which would be found most effective. His address expressed the convictions of a man who has had wide experience in his work, and who knew what he was talking about.

The burning of the hammer marked the end of the aviril chorus of knecrocks, and typified the new attitude of the citizens of St. John. Mr. Robinson, in his address, said:—"First of all I want to speak to you as a citizen to a gathering of citizens in the Board of Trade. We are all familiar with the past history of the city and we know that St. John has not grown as it should. We are now on the eve of a period of great development. If anyone doubts that it is a motor car to do to be convinced is to take a walk around the city and observe the work which is already in progress. We must realize that this will mean to St. John. If we did such a gathering as this would be necessary."

"If we realize the significance of the fact that five big business buildings are about to be erected in Prince William street; that the C. P. R. is preparing its terminals at Mill street for a greater flow of local traffic than we have had; and at West St. John a new elevator is being built to care for the growing grain traffic and that a new harbor of equal capacity to the existing harbor is being constructed at East St. John, we would know that we are making the preparations for greater things than we had dreamed the future held for this city. (Applause.)"

"So far as the Board of Trade is concerned, by the chance of fate and a conspiracy of my friends, I find myself presiding here this evening with a message to deliver to you. As you know the Board of Trade has been organized for the purpose of an increased membership and you may have been wondering what the function of the Board of Trade is to do. Its purpose is to be an agency through which men may get together to work for the good of the city and to aid in its development. "What we want is not a boom but a forward movement towards solid progress. We want a spirit of comradeship, realization that the success of one means the success of all."

A New Spirit. "A new spirit is growing in St. John. A man in my office today said that until six months ago he never heard a St. John man say anything good for St. John. Now he hears him telling of what St. John is accomplishing and of what the future holds for this city. (Cheers.)"

At once! CLOGGED NOSTRILS OPEN, HEAD COLDS AND CATARRH VANISH. Breathe Freely! Clear Stuffed-up, Inflamed Nose and Head and Stop Catarrhal Discharge, Cures Dull Headache. Try "Ely's Cream Balm." Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it. Apply with little finger, nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold with it's running nose, and dryness in throat; clear the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately. Don't lay awake tonight struggling for relief. Apply "Ely's Cream Balm" to the nostrils, throat, and chest. Catarrh or a cold with it's running nose, and dryness in throat; clear the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately. Put your faith just once in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

ing a branch of the factory in St. John. "This movement," he said, "is for the good of St. John but it will not be of as much good as it should be unless we give more attention to the progress of the maritime provinces as a whole. We will not get the full benefit of our resources unless we plan to do everything we can to develop the natural resources of the province and to bring prosperity to every part of the surrounding country."

As an indication of the interest which the rest of the province is taking in the movement in St. John, the president read a telegram from the president of the Free-Trade board of trade extending greetings and best wishes. He also read a letter from Dr. Matthew L. Macfarland, of Carleton Place, voicing his encouragement of the movement.

He closed his remarks by repeating what he said Mr. Chase had just said to him, that this was the finest looking body of men which he had ever seen gathered together for such a purpose. This was greeted with laughter, and hearty applause marked the close of the president's speech.

Burned the Hammer. A large hammer, made of paper and cardboard, which was suspended over the speakers' table, had evoked some interest and curiosity. The president explained that it was a symbol of the knocking which the city had been subjected to in the past and that, as a symbol of the new spirit which marks the city, the hammer was to be burned. Laughter and applause greeted the announcement that the ceremony was to be performed by Charles L. McDonald, who willingly undertook the task that task, although the hammer seemed unwilling to submit to its fate, he stuck to the task until its destruction was complete.

The Mayor. His Worship Mayor Frink was next called upon to speak on "The City and the Board of Trade." He said he had listened with pleasure to the president of the board of trade and he was glad that Mr. Robinson was the president. We need such men, he said, men who are willing to come forward and undertake such important work as has been outlined for this organization and he expected to see in something of a substantial nature for the good of the city.

He understood that the board of trade wished to co-operate with the common council. In the past there had been some question as to whether the two bodies due to the fact that the council of the board of trade had set themselves to work to improve the harbor, and he regarded as interference with those who had been elected by the citizens to carry on the city's business, and had been sent. "This policy will not do and will not bring harmony but if the board of trade is willing to submit their proposals to the common council as recommendations there will be harmony and the harbor will be improved. His words were noticed recently the change in the spirit of the comments re-frank's address."

H. V. Chase, of New York, was introduced by the chairman, and was called upon to speak on the value of organized effort in a city's advancement. Mr. Chase reminded that he had attended many dinners such as this, but he had only attended one larger than this and that was in New York City.

Continuing, he said that he was glad to be here, in a country where people respect the law. He had noticed this character in Sunday when he marked the contrast of local conditions with the disregard of the law in the harbor almost as one of the highest compliments which can be paid to a community to say that its citizens respect the law and obey it, he said.

Proceeding with his subject, Mr. Chase said that there was a time when the boards of trade were spoken of as deliberative bodies, their chief purpose being the passing of resolutions, most of them knocking something or somebody. Commercial organizations today are the most influential bodies in this country. It is only in recent years that American business men, as a class, have given their attention to public affairs. But now, all over the country, there are groups of men banded together for the development of their cities, their country and the continent.

"I do not believe," he said, "that any group of men could have been found who could have done so much to advance the welfare of our communities as have these bodies. "A board of trade, as we see it today, has several functions different from past conceptions of their field of activities. "The first is the industrial department, whose duty it is to see that existing industries are encouraged and new industries fostered. One of the methods used is the securing of money by means of guarantee funds under which business men lend their credit in stated sums to enable industries to secure the money they need from the population. "In attempting to do this, the first thing necessary is a survey of the city and its possibilities to learn for what industries it is best suited. What we need is the industry which will flourish here better than anywhere else. "Providence kind to us. "I do not know of any city to which Providence has been more lavish in its gifts," the speaker continued. "You have the geographical location, the harbor, the labor facilities, and the railways to take

advantage of the immense trade being developed in this country. "I have been told that when the Panama canal is completed goods from Winnipeg and any point east can be brought to St. John and shipped via the Panama canal to Vancouver more cheaply than they could be carried across the Rocky Mountains."

"I want to appeal to you men to put your shoulder to the wheel in the effort to get this business to which you are entitled, to prepare for the immense expansion of traffic which it should bring and to advertise your advantages so that you may reap these benefits. To secure industries you can advertise in the papers which reach the men interested in the class of industries you wish to attract. The surest way is the employment of an industrial commissioner who can visit manufacturers who are planning to move their plants to establish branches and personally lay before them the advantages of this city. "For this work you need money, and you need men, and unless the work is backed by men who are willing to say that they are for St. John first, last and all the time, it will not succeed as it should."

"I like to think of a city as represented by the head, the heart and the hands. The head represented by the educational institutions, the heart by the religious and philanthropic enterprises, and the strong right arm by the industries of the community. It is one of the purposes of this board to see that you get the class of industries that you want. You do not want those which employ only cheap labor to whom they do not pay a living wage. You want only those who support the class of citizens of whom you will be proud. These things can be done and done better if you use will concentrate your efforts in the organization of a board of trade and give to it your moral and financial support."

"Every dollar you invest in this city will be as wisely spent as any other dollar spent by any corporation in this city. This has been demonstrated by the National Chamber of Commerce which has shown that at least 90 per cent of the funds of trade of the country is spent as wisely and as economically as in the most carefully managed private corporation."

Organization. The speaker then gave several concrete illustrations of what can be done by organization. "I know of a little city of 12,000 people," he said, "which a year and a half in three days secured 613 members pledged to give \$25 a year for five years. They secured a competent commissioner and within a few months they had a new glass building, a new harbor, and a new city. They had a membership of 1,200 was secured on the same terms, within a few days, and developed work on a large scale was made possible. In St. Paul, where the membership fee is \$50 a year, 1,200 members were secured in a few days and J. H. Hill took fifty memberships as a contribution to his railway. In the past where the membership fee has been small the members would forget the work as soon as the membership fee was paid. What is needed is a membership fee large enough to carry the members' interest in it to see that the money is spent properly."

At the conclusion of the general meeting there was a meeting of the Citizens' Committee to arrange the details of today's campaign. The names of those who had volunteered to assist were counted and it was found that ninety-nine had offered their services. These were arranged in committees and chairman appointed to undertake the work in a systematic manner. The names of those who had volunteered are as follows: J. M. Robinson, chairman, P. W. Thompson, C. W. Hallamore, J. B. M. Baxter, chairman, H. G. Ellis, J. W. V. Lawlor, S. W. McLaughlin, A. M. Belding, chairman, W. G. Deane, G. C. Jordan, V. T. White, B. H. Machum, A. E. Massey, chairman, C. H. Eason, T. B. Blair, Chas. McDonald, chairman, L. A. Keith, E. N. Jones, C. McNe. Stevens, J. B. Brice, chairman, G. S. McLeath, J. B. Erskine, John T. McGowan, F. del. Clements, chairman, A. E. Agar, George Wainmaker, George E. Deane, E. E. Church, chairman, H. G. Weekes, Omer McIntyre, W. F. Hatheway, J. H. Doody, chairman, S. Smith, W. L. Harding, H. W. Robertson, J. L. McAvity, chairman, J. S. Currie, E. H. Fether, S. S. Stephenson, Charles Wasson, chairman, A. L. Fowler,

here are not willing to do your part it cannot be done." Mr. Chase proceeded. "What we want of you men is for you to volunteer to give two and a half hours of your time for three days towards the efforts to secure sufficient members for the board of trade to give it sufficient pecuniary backing to enable it to give to St. John the advantages to which it is entitled. To do this it is necessary to raise the dues to \$25 a year, a figure being adopted all over the country. There are some men to whom it will be a sacrifice to take one membership, but there are others who can take fifty. In a brief canvass today several firms took from five to fifteen memberships, and it is not only their money but their time they are giving."

In order to accomplish this work in three days it is necessary to have a sufficient force of men, at least 150. The speaker then called upon all those men who wished to see the city develop and who are willing to give their time to the work to stand up. Promised to Help. There was a gratifying response and the members of the citizens committee promptly secured the signatures of the volunteers to a card reading as follows: "The undersigned agree to serve on a committee with other men, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week, from 9.30 to 12 o'clock each day, to help re-create the board of trade."

Mr. Chase explained that a list of the names of the men who might be expected to join the board of trade had been prepared and that the volunteers would be divided into committees to canvass limited districts. The committee will meet each day at Bond's restaurant to report progress and compare notes. Before concluding his speech Mr. Chase read the following sentiment which he had prepared: "Help one another is the proper plan. Said St. John Boelter to his fellow man. One of us here would scarce be heard, if we were not helped by the other. We are stirred. So I'll help you and you help me. And we'll show the world what St. John can be."

This concluded the business of the meeting but before dispersing three hearty cheers, led by the president, were given for "St. John, the Hall and Harbor City of Canada."

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Time it! In five minutes all stomach distress will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness or belching of gas, acid, or eruptions of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache. Pape's Diapiesin is noted for its speed in regulating upset stomachs. It is the surest, quickest and most certain remedy in the whole world, and besides it is harmless.

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"There's a Reason" Read letter to right.

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