

# Goldsboro Weekly Argus.

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"This Argus o'er the people's rights  
Doth an eternal vigil keep;

No soothing strains of Maia's son  
Shall lull its hundred eyes to sleep."

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## GOLDSBORO AS SHE IS!

### The Panic Year Was But a Hearsay in "The Best Town in the State."

Don't Be a Knocker; Be  
an Optimist If You Stay  
in Goldsboro or Else  
Be a Tramp and  
"Move On."

Whether in prosperous times or  
in panics we have the "knockers"  
with us. Isn't it so?

Use your thinker for a moment  
and then say if this be not true.

To those who shall study the  
market conditions and the reports  
now appearing in the financial and  
industrial columns of ably edited  
and honorably conducted journals,  
of which there are very many in  
the United States, it cannot but  
be apparent that the depression  
is passing rapidly, and the coun-  
try is now entering upon another  
season of prosperity. But we,  
here in Goldsboro, do not need to  
go to the country at large for evi-  
dence of prosperity's presence. It  
is manifesting itself on every side  
in our community.

When—ever—in the whole history  
of Goldsboro, were so many  
big things being done at one time  
that trend to the building of a  
great city? One of the most ad-  
mirably appointed, commodious  
and handsome union passenger  
stations in the State is just now  
receiving its finishing touches for  
occupancy, at the West end of  
Walnut street, and within a few

weeks the passenger and heavy  
freight trains will be deflected  
from their ravages through the  
heart of the city to the new tracks  
through the western valley. Six-  
teen miles of steel rail for the  
street car line have already been  
received, and track laying is going  
on as rapidly as labor can be ob-  
tained and road bed prepared to  
receive it, out at East Goldsboro  
and Rev-i-lo Park, and approach-  
ing the city from that quarter,  
while the west end of Walnut  
street, leading to the new depot,  
is being graded preparatory for  
paving; and the laying of street  
car rail along that street to the  
depot will begin and be speedily  
completed to West Centre street.  
Twenty thousand brick a day are  
being laid in the erection of the  
four new buildings of the Eastern  
Hospital, over beyond the new  
depot; while a force of men are  
busy at work on the imposing  
\$25,000 Jacobi Memorial Building  
for the Odd Fellows' State Or-  
phanage at their beautiful homes  
for the orphans and the indigent  
suburb, and all over the city are

new residential abodes in course  
of construction, and our already  
unapproachable Public Schools are  
to be supplemented by a County  
High School to cost away up in  
the thousands.

During the year that is now  
drawing to a close—known else-  
where as the "panic" year—some  
of the most beautiful residences  
and imposing public buildings in  
the city were erected, notably  
among the latter are the new home  
of the National Bank, at the cor-  
ner of John and Walnut streets;  
the new Odd Fellows' building, on  
John street; while the Utility  
Manufacturing plant, that pays  
out in operative pay roll alone  
near \$1,000 a week, was started  
up during 1908, as was also the  
new and commodious plant of the  
Goldsboro Steam Laundry.

The Argus could not in its nor-  
mal issue print the pictures of the  
buildings constructed in Golds-  
boro during 1908—the panic year;  
but we are printing to-day the  
picture of the new Union Passen-  
ger Station, as it stands to view  
at the west end of Walnut street,  
and the picture of the Jacobi Mem-  
orial Building (now under con-  
struction) as it will stand com-  
pleted near the eastern extension  
of Ash street, on the Odd Fellows'  
State Orphanage property, near  
beautiful Herman Park.

The Goldsboro Knitting Mill,  
too, has greatly increased its ca-  
pacity and furthered its territory  
of trade through many Northern  
States during the year just clos-  
ing; while the Borden Cotton  
Mills have built two large an-  
nexes to their already big plants  
that are near completion, getting

ready for the increased demands  
that the superior quality of their  
yarns and the awakening pros-  
perity of the country at large are  
sure to bring.

And, too, as the best of all evi-  
dence of the substantial and abid-  
ing basis upon which Goldsboro  
is built is the stability of her  
banking institutions, that during  
the passing of the months of the  
panic year adhered cheerfully to  
the cash system, and never even  
suggested the probability of scrip  
payment, honoring every check  
presented to them, whether of de-  
positors or commercial exchange.

Is there—seriously—any room  
for the "knocker" in Goldsboro,  
in the face of these unprecedented  
achievements during the year now  
closing, and the active develop-  
ments that are being promoted,  
and the assurance of paved streets  
and improved public highways  
leading to our city?

Don't be a "knocker!" Be an  
optimist—if you stay in Golds-  
boro, or else be a tramp and  
"move on."

### TAFTS GOING TO AUGUSTA.

The President-elect Accepts Invi-  
tation to be Guest of Mr. and  
Mrs. Landon A.  
Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Landon A. Thomas,  
residing on the Sandy Hills, a suburb  
of Augusta, Ga., have received a tele-  
gram from Judge William H. Taft, ac-  
cepting an invitation to become their  
guests. Judge Taft and family will  
arrive in Augusta February 18. For  
the first few days they will be en-  
tertained at the Thomas home. Judge  
Taft will personally select one of the  
Hill cottages that has been offered him.  
He and his family will take their meals  
at the winter resort hotel on the Hill  
near the cottages. William H. Taft,  
Jr., and Miss Helen Taft will join the  
family during the holidays.

Mr. Thomas is a prominent and  
wealthy citizen of Augusta, being  
president of the largest cotton manu-  
facture there. Their house is one of  
the most luxurious on the Hill.

Complete line of Rockers at Andrews  
& Waddell Furniture Co. 45 styles to  
select from.

### HIGH SCHOOL SPIRIT.

What It Means to Goldsboro. All  
of us.

EDITOR ARGUS.

Goldsboro contains no institution to  
which we can point with more pardon-  
able pride than our Goldsboro Graded  
School. Ably administered since its  
educational scheme has been ever vigi-  
lantly guarded and systematically un-  
folded, always keeping abreast of the  
times.

There is, however, one element es-  
sential to the proper growth of any  
school or college that has been with us  
—until recently either underestimated  
or else completely lost sight of, namely  
the development of a school spirit, that  
awakening of the student's interest for  
ideas which are neither in the school  
curriculum, nor commonly accepted as  
educational, and yet are naturally a  
necessary part of school life.

Many of us doubtless remember those  
interesting pages of last year's High  
School Magazine edited and contributed  
to entirely by High School students.  
This enterprise was a source of much  
inspiration, of great practical value,  
and should by all means be continued  
and encouraged.

The victorious High School baseball  
team of last spring, and the present  
valiant High School foot ball team  
have furnished to the students not only  
amusement, but enthusiasm and real  
benefit such, perhaps, as could have no  
other form of sport.

And while it is conceded by our  
leading educators that the play grounds  
of our schools and athletic fields of our  
colleges are the reserve force for men-  
tal activity, the very fountain from which  
knowledge is matured; how many of  
us realize what the interest in these  
games means to the growth of a strong  
comradship and a genuine school spirit.

No better illustration may be had of  
the way a similar spirit and enthusi-  
asm takes possession of an entire com-  
munity; than that which actually seized  
Goldsboro during our last summer  
baseball season. Whether or not we  
are fond of baseball, the fact remains  
that no recent occurrence has brought  
to the surface such a burst of civic  
pride, indicative of the real Goldsboro  
spirit. The proper development and  
direction of such spirit would augur  
much for the future welfare of Greater  
Goldsboro.

Our students of today will in the full-  
ness of time join the ranks of citizen-  
ship. Should we not therefore foster  
and encourage in every way we can  
their interest and ardor for healthful  
pastimes, so that they will then come  
to us with a spirit more fully aroused  
and a better understanding of their  
duty to the community?

LIONEL WEIL.

### The South's Opportunity at Hand.

Baltimore Manufacturers' Record.

With the political agitation out of  
the way, with business reviving, the  
South has the greatest opportunity  
which it ever faced for big, broad de-  
velopment. With the United States  
Steel Corporation in Alabama, the  
South has the most powerful influence  
in the world for the building up of its  
iron and steel interests. With a re-  
awakened appreciation of the needs  
for broad railroad expansion and,  
therefore, a more friendly legislative  
spirit prevailing, the South ought now  
to enter upon the broadest railroad and  
industrial development period which  
it has ever enjoyed.

### GOING FORWARD.

Mr. E. T. Oliver, of the Goldsboro  
Traction Company, constructing our  
street railway, informs us today that  
he has just closed the contract for three  
handsome residences to be erected out  
at Revillo Park.

### NOTICE.

North Carolina, Wayne County.  
In Superior Court, November Term 1908  
A. G. Johnson vs B. E. Joyce.

By virtue of the power contained in  
an order of the Superior Court made in the above  
entitled action all creditors having claims  
against A. G. Johnson and the partnership of John-  
son and Joyce, are hereby notified to file them  
in the hands of the undersigned Receiver before  
the 15th day of December 1908 or they will be  
debarred from participation in the distribution  
of the assets of the said co-partnership.  
This the 5th day of November 1908.  
J. E. Peterson Receiver.

### PROSPERITY IS

NOW IN SIGHT.

President of the Association Formed  
to Hasten the Return of Good  
Times: Declares he Sees  
Them Coming.

That the most important result ac-  
complished by the national prosperity  
association, organized to hasten the re-  
turn of prosperity "is the change in  
public sentiment towards railroads  
and large corporations, especially in  
the South and Southwest," is the de-  
claration of E. C. Simmons, president  
of the national prosperity association,  
who has made public a letter which he  
sent to all the members of the associa-  
tion announcing the completion of its  
work. After stating that the organiza-  
tion obtained results for better than  
had been expected, Mr. Simmons de-  
clares that among the most important  
results achieved was the visit to Presi-  
dent Roosevelt "which resulted in his  
not sending any mere messages to  
Congress or doing anything that had  
the appearance of being an attack upon  
railroads or other large corporations."

Continuing, Mr. Simmons says:  
"Muck rakers have ceased to show  
their head, demagogues have quit  
talking and a very healthy state of  
mind prevails towards these indus-  
tries; whereas previously to our work  
there was a vicious antagonism clearly  
evident among the masses of the peo-  
ple, most of whom held their views or  
opinions without giving the subject  
proper thought.

"We confidently believe that the  
work of the association has in great  
measure prepared the commercial  
mind of this country for the quick re-  
turn of a full measure of prosperity."

### BOY TORTURED BY AWFUL HUMOR

Almost Covered with Eczema—No  
Night's Rest for Nearly a Year—  
Feared Lifelong Disfigurement—  
All Treatments Failed and Limit  
of Endurance Seemed Near.

### PERFECT RECOVERY IS DUE TO CUTICURA

"With the exception of his hands and  
feet, my son Clyde (thirteen years old)  
was almost completely covered with  
eczema. Physicians treated him for  
nearly a year without helping him any.  
While they were very kind and did all  
in their power, yet nothing seemed to  
relieve him. And I had tried many reme-  
dies sent to me by kind friends but they  
all failed. His head, face, and neck were  
covered with large scabs which he would  
rub until they fell off. Then blood and  
matter would run out and that would be  
worse. Many a time he looked as if  
his ears would drop off. Friends com-  
ing to see him said that if he got well he  
would be disfigured for life."  
"When it seemed as if he could pos-  
sibly stand it no longer, I decided to  
try Cuticura. I bought a cake of Cuti-  
cura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment,  
and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent. I  
used them in the evening and that was  
the first night for nearly a year that he  
slept. This may sound exaggerated to  
you, but in the morning there was a  
great change for the better. In about  
six weeks you could not have told that  
he had ever had anything wrong with him.  
I treated him twice a day for six months  
and at present he has a fine complexion  
and not a scar on his body. This story  
may seem overdrawn, but neither words  
nor pen can describe Clyde's suffering  
and how he looked. Our leading phy-  
sician, Dr. —, recommends the Cuti-  
cura Remedies for eczema. Mrs. A. G.  
Cockburn, Shiloh, O., June 11, 1907."

Frequent shampoos with Cuticura  
Soap and weekly dressings with Cuti-  
cura stop falling hair, remove crabs,  
scabs, and dandruff, destroy hair para-  
sites, soothe irritated, itching surfaces,  
stimulate the hair follicles, supply the  
roots with nourishment, loosen the scalp  
skin, and make the hair grow upon a  
sweet, wholesome, healthy scalp, when  
all other remedies fail.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for  
Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults  
consists of Cuticura Soap (2c.) to Cleanse the Skin,  
Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and  
Cuticura Resolvent (50c.) in the form of Chocolate  
Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60 to Purify the Blood.  
Sold throughout the world. Toilet Dress & Cham-  
ber, Sole Props., Boston, Mass.   
Cuticura Remedies for Eczema, Itching, and  
All Other Remedies Fail.

### POSTED!

The land of the undersigned must  
not be trespassed upon. I forbid all  
hunting or other passing upon it, under  
strict penalty of law.

JNO. W. EDWARDS.

NATHANIEL JACOBI MEMORIAL BUILDING—  
ODD FELLOWS CEMETERY HOME  
GOLDSBORO, N. C.  
CHAS. McPHELLAN, ARCHITECT  
WILMINGTON, N. C.

