

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

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

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# THESE MEN BELIEVE IN GOLDSBORO

FULL MEMBERSHIP TO DATE OF THE GOLDSBORO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE 304—MONTHLY MEETING TONIGHT

Citizens of Goldsboro have noticed placards about the streets and in the windows of the stores during several days past, bearing the words: "Join the Chamber of Commerce—Help Make a Greater Goldsboro."

These cards are an open invitation to public spirited citizens to identify themselves with a powerful organization which is carrying on an active work which is destined to make Goldsboro one of the most important cities of the South. The appearance of the cards was simultaneous with an active campaign for a greater membership in the Chamber of Commerce conducted by energetic members of that organization.

They were busy men who for two days carried on a most spirited and efficient campaign. They took the time from their own important affairs to serve the organization of which they are strong supporters and it is certain that there was never a more enthusiastic campaign.

In the two days they secured 121 new members. This speaks highly not only for the energy and spirit of the members of these rival teams who conducted the work, but for the men who allied themselves with the public work that is being done by the organization of which they are now honored members.

Those who could not spare the time for work on both days secured substitutes to labor in their place.

Team No. One was led by Mr. J. M. Edgerton, chairman of the Standing Membership Committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

Team No. Two was under the strong leadership of Mr. Rufus Stevens, of the bank of Wayne.

Both teams and both leaders secured remarkable results and, while Team No. One went down to defeat in the campaign, it was to a graceful and honorable defeat—securing 55 new members against 66 for their rivals.

Those who took part and who deserve great credit for their efficient and hearty work are Messrs. J. M. Edgerton, Rufus Stevens, George Dewey, Charles Lutes, Thomas O'Berry, Julius Cohen, A. H. Edgerton, W. W. Peirce, G. C. Rackley, Joe A. Parker, D. H. Dixon, Leslie C. Lane, H. M. Humphrey, H. L. Bizzell, H. A. Pike, A. Oettinger and George C. Kornegay.

There was also great interest manifested among the rank and file of the members of the Chamber of Commerce and much good work was done by them in co-operation with the teams by way of support.

The following is a list of the members secured during this campaign:

- Team No. One:
  - B—J. B. Barrino, J. E. Beaman, Herman C. Bell, W. H. Best, John L. Best, T. Malcolm Bizzell, C. S. Britt, Z. T. Brown, Roscoe E. Bronson.
  - C—B. F. Carr, A. O. Clement, E. S. Cooke, George N. Cook, Herbert S. Cox, P. H. Crawford, F. L. Creech, E. C. Crow.
  - D—Dr. O. C. Daniels, Sydney Deans, Joe B. Denmark, A. E. Dicks.
  - E—J. B. Edgerton, R. H. Edwards, Dr. Wyatt P. Exum, W. W. Ezzell.
  - F—J. B. Furey.
  - G—J. W. Grady, D. H. Graves, C. J. Griswold.
  - H—J. H. Ham, J. E. F. Hicks, E. W. Hill, E. A. Humphrey.
  - J—Dr. J. N. Johnson.
  - K—Conrad Klett.
  - M—W. G. McLwaine, R. B. Miller, E. W. Moyer.
  - O—C. H. O'Berry.
  - P—A. Phillip, O. J. Pearse, R. W. Powell.
  - R—J. L. Royall.
  - S—Herman F. Sasser, E. A. Simkins, R. Jack Smith, S. M. Smith, W. H. Smith, James Southerland.
  - T—Hugh Thompson, Bruce Thompson, H. W. Tuttle.
  - U—R. P. Uzzell.
  - V—J. A. Vinson.
  - W—C. E. Wilkins.
- Team No. Two:
  - A—Connor Allen.
  - B—A. M. Bailey, J. C. Bardin, Geo.

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## CATHOLIC MISSION

THE SUBJECT OF TONIGHT'S DISCOURSE WILL BE "THE BIBLE AND WHAT CATHOLICS DO WITH IT"—PUBLIC INVITED.

As the Argus has already stated, Father Alvah Doran, the Catholic priest from Philadelphia, who is giving a Mission in St. Mary's Church, in this city, is one of the most earnest, eloquent, convincing and persuasive preachers of the Word that Goldsboro has ever had the privilege of hearing in a series of sermons. It is futile to comment in cold type on his sermons—the opportunity of hearing him is free to all, and the opportunity is indeed golden with rich benedictions of grace.

The subject of tonight's sermon, at 7:30 o'clock, will be "The Bible and What Catholics Do With It."

A cordial invitation is extended to the Goldsboro public to attend these Mission services, at 7 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., until Friday morning, when the Mission closes.

## MANY HERE INTERESTED

So many boys—many of them now grown-ups of this city and section within the circulation of the Argus, have been students of the famous old "V. M. I." that we copy the following editorial from yesterday's Richmond Times-Dispatch for their benefit.

### "OUR BOYS—OUR PRIDE."

Richmond joyfully welcomes the National Guardsmen who come today to do honor to their new commander-in-chief. The doors are open for our visitors, and they can take the best. But of all those who throng the city this morning, none arouse the same emotions as do those trim, gray-coated lads from West Point, of the south. Educational institutions wax and wane in popularity; a modification of curriculum, the personality of their teachers, even fashions in schooling, cause colleges to lose their prestige and sometimes to be stripped of their traditions; but the Virginia Military Institute holds today the same place in popular esteem it enjoyed when its professor of mathematics led a corps in the Army of Northern Virginia, and when its student-body marched up the valley to meet and repulse the enemy. Other schools may be favored by the General Assembly; some may be denied the funds or the friends they need but "the Institute" will never lack for a dollar or for a cheer while Virginia blood is blue.

You're welcome in Richmond, boys, now and always; you are our boys—our pride—God bless you!"

- Michaux, C. B. Miller, Dr. R. B. Miller, N. R. Morgan, E. W. Moyer, F. M. Moyer, J. E. Moyer, W. A. Murphy.
- N—L. M. Nash, Seawell C. Norman, Geo. A. Norwood.
- O—C. H. O'Berry, N. O'Berry, Thos. O'Berry, A. Oettinger, M. F. Orr, W. McG. Orr, J. S. Osborn.
- P—F. P. Parker, H. B. Parker, Jr., Dr. J. R. Parker, Joe A. Parker, W. K. Parker, R. B. Parrott, W. L. Peacock, O. J. Pearse, W. W. Peirce, A. Phillips, R. H. Phillips, H. A. Pike, R. E. Pipkin, Paul M. Pittinger, Tom Poole, Edwin C. Powell, R. W. Powell, E. D. Pusey.
- R—Geo. C. Rackley, R. Rackley, S. R. Rackley, Everett A. Roberts, W. A. Robertson, Jos. E. Robinson, T. R. Robinson, A. Roscower, S. L. Rose, W. P. Rose, Jos. Rosenthal, E. L. Royall, Geo. C. Royall, J. L. Royall, John O. Royall, W. S. Royall.
- S—Herman F. Sasser, G. D. Sasser, H. C. Satterfield, F. H. Sawyer, Dr. Scott, Louis Sherman, A. M. Shrago, E. A. Simkins, B. F. Smith, C. G. Smith, Graves J. Smith, H. C. Smith, John R. Smith, R. Jack Smith, S. M. Smith, Dr. W. H. Smith, Dr. R. A. Smith, W. Southernland, James Southerland, J. P. Southerland, P. H. Spence, L. K. Stallings, W. K. Stanley, T. H. Stanton, S. A. Starr, Rufus Stevens, W. A. Stille, W. E. Stroud, William Sugg, T. I. Sutton, Jr., J. T. Swisher.
- T—F. W. Tate, C. F. Taylor, W. S. Taylor, Z. F. Taylor, Bruce Thompson, Hugh Thompson, J. F. Thompson, R. Tonkel, W. H. Tuttle.
- U—R. P. Uzzell.
- V—T. R. Vick, J. A. Vinson, L. Vinson, Dr. E. C. Vitou.
- W—E. E. Warrick, G. W. Waters, T. N. Waters, Henry Weil, Herman Weil, Leslie Weil, Lionel Weil, Sol. Weil, Fred Wilson, C. E. Wilkins, A. J. Winsow, W. H. Winstead, C. J. Wittman, J. M. Wood, H. P. Woodson, J. S. Warrick.
- Y—E. H. Yelverton, Leslie Yelverton, Paul Yelverton, W. T. Yelverton.
- Z—A. H. Zealy.

## EQUAL CHANCES FOR SEATS

MELBA-KUBELIK TICKETS TO BE PLACED ON SALE NEXT SATURDAY.

The sale of seats for the Melba-Kubelik concert will start on Saturday morning, February seventh. The concert takes place on the thirteenth in the Raleigh auditorium at 8:30 p. m.

On account of the magnitude of this attraction and the unprecedented de-



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mand for seats already in evidence several weeks prior to the date of the concert, the following plans for the seat sale are being announced:

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## INAUGURATION OF STUART.

As Governor of Virginia Attended by Thousands of People—Expressive Ceremony

Richmond, Va., Feb. 2.—Through half a hundred city blocks filled with a multitude of cheering people, Henry Carter Stuart rode today to the ancient State capitol where he took the oath as Governor of Virginia. A long procession headed by the militia of the city, and organizations of citizens halted at the entrance to the capitol grounds, Governor Stuart drove to the south portico where the General Assembly, State officials and the Virginia delegation in Congress, along with thousands of people awaited him. Judge James Keith, president of the Supreme Court, administered the oath, after which the new Governor delivered his inaugural address. At its conclusion the Richmond Howitzers fired a salute of 19 guns, and then the military commands passed review.

Governor Stuart occupies a unique position in Virginia in that he was nominated by his party without opposition, and had no Republican opposition in the general election, the first time this has happened since the people took from the convention the right to name the chief executive.

FOR SALE—Two second-hand iron safes, in perfect condition. Apply to Walter C. Denmark.

Sanitary Drinking Cups—8 for 5c—at Goldsboro Drug Co.

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On Saturday morning, February 7th, the seat sale will start at ten o'clock at Brantley's drug store. There will be no reservation made at that time or at any time for future payment, and all seats must be paid for on delivery of tickets. At the Saturday sale no mail orders will be filled, and not more than six seats will be sold to any one person except to schools or to bona fide purchasers who assure the management that there will be no speculation. Mail orders will be filled on February 9th, in order of their receipt. There will be positively no reservations made before the date of the opening seat sale so that all who desire tickets may have equal opportunities for securing them. The box sheet will be open daily beginning on 7th, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. All orders from out of town patrons should be accompanied by cashiers' checks made payable and addressed to John A. Park care The Raleigh Times.

There have been 250 seats provided on the stage which are being offered to the various schools a \$1.50 per seat, requests for these seats being filled as they come in until the entire number is sold. The arena, or downstairs seats are priced \$3.00 at the front and the rear seats \$2.50 each. The dress circle seats range from \$2.50 for the front rows to \$2.00 and \$1.50 for the rear rows. The first three rows of balcony seats are offered at \$1.50 and the seats behind these at \$1.00 each. A section in the right balcony has been reserved for colored people.



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# Goldsboro The Banner Sunday School City

GREAT CONGREGATION GREETED DISTINGUISHED VISITORS—WORKERS IN THE CAUSE—FRIDAY NIGHT IN FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

There has surely never before been assembled in Goldsboro a more splendid audience than that which was gathered in the First Baptist church Friday night as a Union meeting in the interest of Sunday School promotion under the auspices of the National Sunday School Association. An interest in the great spiritual work of the Sunday School was the influence that impelled the presence of so large a congregation it was to be expected that its personnel would be of the type that it was—and certainly could no better type of people be gathered anywhere on earth than this same congregation that greeted Rev. Dr. Brown and Rev. J. W. Long, here in Goldsboro, for they were Goldsboro people, and as each of these distinguished and much and widely traveled visitors stood up to speak the same estimate was given utterance by them.

This un'on meeting under the auspices of the National Sunday School Association had been heralded in the Argus for some days, and in its columns was told that Rev. Dr. W. A. Brown, of Chicago, Superintendent of the National Sunday School Association, and Rev. J. W. Long, of Greensboro, Secretary of the North Carolina Sunday School Association, would be present and make addresses.

Suffice it to say that the editor of the Argus was never prouder of Goldsboro, nor more confident of tangible evidence that it is The Best Town in the State than as he sat in the beautiful and inspiring First Baptist church last night and viewed that assemblage of Goldsboro citizens and felt the impression they must be making upon the distinguished visitors who were to address them.

The musical program of the evening which preceded the addresses, was under the direction of Dr. Vardrey McBee, of the I. O. O. F. Orphan Home, and was itself an inspiring feature. Dr. McBee is a master of the organ, and as the congregation gathered and waited last night, he sat at the great pipe instrument and brought from its keys—its inharmonious scope, rippling tides of harmony, rivers, brooks and cataracts of melody, white capped waves of sweet tones, bearing the souls of his enraptured hearers away into summer seas that had never sailed before, by enchanted islands where towering mountains loomed in purple glory, and love and nobleness and unearthly beauty combined in proclaiming the glory of God.

And then was heard that sweetest of all music the human voice in songs of praise to the Creator. First Misses Eunice and Mildred Edmondson in a duet that was superlatively beautiful, their sweet and faultless voices blending as exquisitely as spun glass. Next Miss Bessie Bronson, whose voice is of rare sweetness and that reached every corner and nook of the spacious edifice with a distinctness that showed its compass and culture. She was followed by Mr. John Arment in a bass solo—"Lead Kindly Light"—that was both a sermon and a prayer beautiful and powerful in its rendition, and he in turn was followed by Mrs. T. Malcolm Bizzell and Miss Lillian McDonald in a duet that opened the very windows of the soul for the rays of grace to penetrate and responsive prayer to pass out and upward.

After this Mr. E. D. Pusey, Superintendent of the City Schools, who had been asked to preside, announced the first hymn, and this was intoned by the organ and taken up by the large choir and congregation combined and the superb chorus—not of ten nor of twenty but of one hundred—nay a thousand voices—all singing, singing in harmonious accord until it sounded "like the voice of many waters" that St. John heard in heaven—a great golden anthem of praise. No wonder it inspired the speakers who followed: no wonder it impressed them that they had come into an environment out of which might well be expected to be raised on high the legend proclaiming that Wayne county, of which Goldsboro is the capital city, is the "Banner County of the State."

Mr. Pusey next asked Rev. N. H. D. Wilson, pastor of St. Paul M. E. church, to lead in prayer, which he did in beautiful and appropriate words, fervently spoken and voicing the sentiment of all hearts of his hearers. Mr. Pusey then stated the object of

the meeting and dwelt upon the influence and value of the Sunday School work to the public school, and presented the State Secretary Rev. J. W. Long.

Mr. Long spoke briefly but most interestingly on the work of the Sunday school in the State. He stated in the beginning that if he had not already been convinced of the high character of the Goldsboro people from a knowledge of their personality and their great work along all lines of uplift all doubt would be dispelled by his experience here tonight. He emphasized Goldsboro as an important center of radiating influence in the Sunday School work and congratulated her people that Wayne county is the Banner Sunday School county of the State, and said that if other counties of the State had been abreast of Wayne in the work the appalling figures in the aggregate that statistics show as to Sunday School attendance would be exactly reversed if not entirely wiped out. His talk, however, was most optimistic and he impressed his hearers with the sincerity of his conviction that the good work, while backward is not lagging in North Carolina.

Mr. Long in concluding introduced Rev. Dr. W. A. Brown, the Superintendent of the National Sunday School Association, and for more than an hour, which appeared a very much briefer period, he most entertainingly talked on the great work: the men who are engaged in it: the men who are behind the movement, and the great masses who are the field—the vineyard of promise unto the greater glory of God.

Dr. Brown in his opening remarks just like the Argus about Goldsboro, of how the town impressed him, of what manner of town it is: how he had driven about its streets during the afternoon, observed its busy life and physical development, had been impressed with the activities for a larger Chamber of Commerce and a Greater Goldsboro. Then he said deliberately that he had traveled through every State of this nation and throughout the Dominion of Canada, visiting town after town in this Sunday School work, and that no where had he come upon a town of Goldsboro's class—in population and surroundings—that was at all comparable to this town. He expressed his appreciation of the splendid congregation that had come out to hear him, of the beautiful church that had been opened to him, of the sublime music that had been rendered, of the manifest interest in the promotion of the great work in which he is enlisted. He emphasized that Goldsboro, so progressive and with such a people as citizens and standing at the door of opportunity for a yet greater work and greater glory in the uplift of humanity through the Sunday Schools of the land.

It were futile to attempt a report of Dr. Brown's talk—it was a talk—and such a talk as held his audience spell bound and won the loyalty and aroused the interest of all hearts who heard him.

A splendid Sunday school organization was effected last night and the following officers were elected:

President—Mr. D. H. Dixon.  
First Vice President—Mr. L. H. Casstex.

Second Vice President—Mrs. Geo. L. Edgerton.

Third Vice President—Mr. W. R. Thompson.

Fourth Vice President—Mrs. W. D. Creech.

Secretary—Mr. C. G. Smith.

Treasurer—Mr. W. E. Stroud.

After the meeting in the First Baptist church both Mr. Long and Mr. Brown addressed a large meeting of colored people, who were waiting for them, in the interest of the Sunday School work among the colored race.

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