THE GOOD OLD NORTH STATE.

BY WILLIAM GASTON.

Carolina! Carolina! Heaven's blessings attend her!
While we live we will cherish, protect and defend her.
While the scorners may sneer at and writhings defame her,
Our hearts swell with gladness whenever we name her.

Hurrah! Hurrah! the Old North State forever!
Hurrah! Hurrah! the good Old North State.

Though she envies not others their merited glory,
Say, whose name stand foremost in Liberty's story?
Though too true to herself, e'er to crouch to oppression,
Who can yield to just rule more loyal submission?

Hurrah, etc.

Plain and artless her sons, but whose doors open faster
At the knock of a stranger, or the tale of disaster?
How like to the rudeness of their dear native mountains,
With rich ore in their bosoms and life in their fountains,

Hurrah, etc.

And her daughters, the Queen of the Forest resembling,
So graceful, so constant, yet to gentleness trembling,
And true lightwood at heart, let the match be applied them,
How they kindle and flame! Oh! none know but who've tried them.

Hurrah, etc.

Then let all who love us, love the land that we live in,
As happy a region as on this side of Heaven,
Where Plenty and Freedom, Love and Peace smile before us,
Raise aloud, raise together, the heart-thrilling chorus!

Hurrah! Hurrah! the Old North State forever!
Hurrah! Hurrah! the good Old North State!

HE WANTED COMPANY.

He Thought Sure He Was Going to Die.

Shortly after two o'clock one bitter winter morning a physician drove four miles in answer to a telephone call. On his arrival the man who had summoned him said:

"Doctor, I ain't in any particular pain, but somehow or other I've got a feeling that death is nigh."

The doctor felt the man's pulse and listened to his heart.

"Have made your will?" he asked finally.

The man turned pale.

"Why, no, doctor. At my age—oh, doc, it ain't true, is it? It can't be true—"

"Who's your lawyer?"

"Higginbotham, but—"

"Then you had better send for him at once."

The patient, white and trembling, went to the 'phone.

"Who's your pastor?" continued the doctor.

"The Rev. Kellogg M. Brown," mumbled the patient. "But, doctor, do you think—"

"Send for him immediately. Your father, too, should be summoned; also your—"

"Say, doctor, do you really think I'm going to die?" The man began to blubber softly.

The doctor looked at him hard.

"No, I don't," he replied grimly. "There's nothing at all the matter with you. But I hate to be the only man you've made a fool of a night like this."—"Under the Spreading Chestnut Tree" in Everybody's.

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I believe in kindness to man, woman, child and animal.

I believe in truth, because it makes me free.

I believe in charity that begins at home, but does not end there.

I believe in mercy, as I hope for mercy.

I believe in moral courage, because I am more than a brute.

I believe in righteousness, because it is the shortest and best line between enemies.

I believe in patience, because it is the swiftest way to secure results.

I believe in that kind of industry that takes an occasional vacation.

I believe in that sort of economy that spends money for a good purpose.

I believe in honesty, not for policy's sake, but for principle's sake.

I believe in hospitality, because it puts a roof over every man's head.

I believe in obedience, because this the only way to learn how to command.

I believe in self-control because I want to influence others.

I believe in suffering, because it cleanses and purifies.

I believe in music, because I believe in God.

One day's charity is a poor balance for six days' selfishness.

The poorest man of all is the one who affects to despise the rich.

Take heed what is in your heart is—that which is in your head.

CASTORIA.
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The poorest way to make an impression is to try to depress by depressing.

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