



## THE OLD NORTH STATE (TRI-WEEKLY)

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## THE POSTAGE LAW.

For the convenience of our readers, many of whom are unacquainted with the present postal rates, we extract and prepare the following from the existing regulations as published in the United States Mail:

LETTER POSTAGE.—PREPAYMENT.

The law requires the postage on all letters to be prepaid by stamp for stamped envelopes—payment in money being prohibited. All drop letters must also be prepaid. The only letters in which payment is not demanded, are those addressed to the President, or Vice-President or members of Congress, and letters on official business to the chiefs of the Executive Departments of the Government, the heads of bureaus, and chief clerks, and others invested with the franking privilege.

RATES.

The rates of letter postage is three cents per half ounce, throughout the United States; and three cents for each additional half ounce or fraction thereof. The ten cent Pacific rate is abolished.

NEWSPAPER POSTAGE.

The following is the postage on newspapers, when sent from the office of publication, to regular subscribers: Postage on Daily papers to subscribers when prepaid quarterly or yearly in advance, either at the mailing office or office of delivery, per quarter, (three months,) 35 cts 30 "

For Tri-Weekly, 15 "

For Semi-Weekly, 10 "

For Weekly, 5 "

Weekly Newspapers (one copy only) sent by the publisher to actual subscribers within the county where printed and published, free.

QUARTERLY PAYMENTS.

Quarterly postage cannot be paid for less than three months. If a subscription begins at any other time than the commencement of an official quarter, the postage received by the Post Master, must still be entered in his account for that quarter. Subscribers for short terms—exceeding three months, say four or five months—can pay quarterly postage for the actual term of their subscription—that is, for one quarter and a third, one quarter and two thirds, &c. The law only requires that at least one quarter's postage shall be prepaid, and not more than one year's postage. Any term between one quarter and one year can therefore be prepaid at proportionate rates. Subscribers can pay the postage for a fraction of a quarter, at the same rates for a whole quarter, by including the fraction with the next whole quarter, and paying for both at the same time.

PRIVILEGES TO PUBLISHERS.

Publishers of Newspapers and Periodicals may send to each other from their respective offices of publication, free of postage one copy of each publication, and may also send to each actual subscriber, included in their publications, bills and receipts for the same, free of postage. They may also state on their respective publications, the date when the subscription expires, to be written or printed.

SMALL PAPERS.

Religious, Educational and Agricultural Newspapers of small size, issued less frequently than once a week, may be sent in packages to one address at the rate of one cent for each package not exceeding four ounces in weight, and an additional charge of one cent is made for each additional four ounces or fraction thereof, the postage to be paid quarterly or yearly, in advance.

NEWS DEALERS.

News dealers may send newspapers and periodicals to regular subscribers at the quarterly rates, in the same manner as publishers, and may also receive them from publishers at subscribers rates. In both cases the postage to be prepaid, either at the mailing or delivery office.

POSTAGE ON TRANSIENT MATTER—BOOKS AND CIRCULARS.

Books, not over 4 ounces in weight, to one address, 3 cents; over 4 ounces, and not over 12 ounces, 6 cents; over 12 ounces, and not over 16 ounces, 10 cents; over 16 ounces, 15 cents.

Circulars, not exceeding three in number, to one address, 2 cents; over three, and not over six, 4 cents; over six, and not over nine, 6 cents; over 9 and not exceeding twelve, 8 cents.

MISCELLANEOUS.

On miscellaneous mailable matter embracing all pamphlets, occasional publications, transient newspapers, hand-bills and posters, book manuscripts and proof-sheets, whether corrected or not, and printed matter, except such as are otherwise provided for, postage must be so wrapped or enveloped with open sides or ends as to enable the postmaster to examine the package without destroying the wrapper; otherwise such packages must be sealed with letter postage. No communication, whether in writing or in print, can be sent with any seeds, roots, cuttings or scions, maps, engravings or other matter not printed, except upon the separate matter, at the established rates.

TRANSIENT MATTER.

Where packages of newspapers or periodicals are received at any post office directed to one address and the names of the club of subscribers to which they belong, with the postage for a quarter in advance shall be handed to the postmaster, he shall deliver the same to their respective owners. But this does not apply to weekly newspapers, which circulate free in the county where printed and published.

PRE-PAYMENT OF TRANSIENT MATTER.

All transient matter must be prepaid by stamps. But if it comes to the office of delivery without prepayment, or short paid, the unpaid postage must be collected on delivery at double the prepaid rate.

Great neglect exists in the strict quarterly payment of postage on printed matter sent to regular subscribers. No such paper should be delivered unless it is either pre-paid at the mailing office, or at the delivery office, for at least a quarter. If not so prepaid, postmasters must collect postage on each copy as on transient matter. If

## WRITING ON NEWSPAPERS.

To inclose or conceal a letter, or other thing (except bills and receipts for subscription) by or to write or print anything, after its publication upon any newspaper, pamphlet, magazine, or other printed matter, is illegal and subject to penal process, and the entire package of which it is a part, to letter postage.

Any word or communication, whether by printing, marks or signs, upon the cover or wrapper of a newspaper, pamphlet, magazine or other thing, the name and address of the persons to whom it is to be sent, and the date when subscription expires, subject the package to letter postage.

## Railroad Advertisements.

### N. C. R. R. Company.

ENG. & SUPER. OFFICE.

COMPANY STORES, June 7th, 1866.

## CHANGE OF TIME.

On and after June 10th, 1866, Trains will run as follows:

### GOING WEST.

#### MAIL TRAIN.

Leave Goldsboro'.....12:30 P. M.

" Hillsboro'.....3:45 "

" Greensboro'.....7:00 "

" Salisbury.....10:10 "

Arrive at Charlotte.....12:35 A. M.

#### FREIGHT AND ACCOMMODATION.

Leave Goldsboro'.....12:00 P. M.

" Raleigh.....4:50 A. M.

" Hillsboro'.....8:27 "

" Greensboro'.....1:00 P. M.

" Salisbury.....5:30 "

Arrive at Charlotte.....9:00 "

### GOING EAST.

#### MAIL TRAIN.

Leave Charlotte.....11:15 P. M.

" Salisbury.....1:25 A. M.

" Greensboro'.....4:10 "

" Hillsboro'.....6:31 "

" Raleigh.....8:30 "

Arrive at Goldsboro'.....11:20 "

#### FREIGHT AND ACCOMMODATION.

Leave Charlotte.....4:30 A. M.

" Salisbury.....8:55 "

" Greensboro'.....1:10 P. M.

" Hillsboro'.....5:25 "

" Raleigh.....9:45 "

Arrive at Goldsboro'.....2:15 A. M.

Mail Train connects at Raleigh with Raleigh & Gaston Express for the North & Goldsboro', with Wilmington and Weldon, and Atlantic & N. C. Trains.

Accommodation Train runs daily, (Sundays excepted), connecting with Wilmington & Weldon Trains.

There is no Sunday Train going North from Weldon to Portsmouth; passengers arriving at Weldon on that day can go immediately through via Petersburg and Richmond.

E. WILKES.

June 9, '66-dtf Eng. & Supt.

## Court Advertisements.

### State of North Carolina, WATAUGA COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, July Term, 1866.

James C. Harper, adm'r. of L. D. Hagler, dec'd.

Petition for Sale of Real Estate.

The heirs of L. D. Hagler.

In this case it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that Walter Hagler, John Hagler, Green Hagler, Wiley Hagler, William and Mary Tucker, and the children of a sister Delphia Howard, are non-residents of this State, it is therefore ordered by the court that advertisement be made in "The Old North State," a newspaper published in the town of Salisbury, N. C., for six weeks to the end that the said defendants appear at the next term of this court on the 24th Monday after the 4th Monday in September next, and show cause against the prayer of the petitioner or it will be taken pro confesso as to them.

Witness Joe B. Todd Clerk of our said Court at office in Boone the 2nd, Monday after the 4th Monday in June, A. D. 1866, and in the 91st year of our Independence. J. B. TODD, Clerk. Aug. 4 '66. [pr fee \$10] w-6w.

### North Carolina, Davidson County.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, May Term, 1866.

John W. Payne Adm'r., De bonnis non vs. Asa Jones, and wife Elizabeth, and others.

Petition to sell land to pay debts.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that G. C. Payne, B. A. Payne, Martha Payne, Mary Payne, and Erasmus Payne, defendants in this case, reside beyond the limits of this State. It is therefore ordered by the Court, that publication be made for six weeks in the "Old North State," a newspaper published in Salisbury, N. C. notifying said absent defendants to appear at the next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the County of Davidson, at the Court House, in Lexington, on the second Monday in August next, then and there to plead, answer or demur to the petition, or the same will be taken pro-confesso and heard ex parte, as to them.

Witness I. K. Perryman, Clerk of said Court at office in Lexington, the second Monday of May, A. D. 1866. I. K. PERRYMAN, C. C. C. June 14, '66. no64 [pr fee \$12]

### State of North Carolina, ROWAN COUNTY.

Court of Equity, Spring Term, 1866.

Equity Sale of the richest GOLD MINE in NORTH CAROLINA.

Samuel Woodruff and Henry B. Beach to the use of Julius R. Brockelman, vs.

The Gold Hill Mining Company.

By virtue of a Decree of the Court of Equity of Rowan County, made in the above named cause at this Term, I will sell at the Court House door in Salisbury on Saturday the 18th day of August next, at 11 o'clock, A. M., all the legal and equitable estate and interest of the Gold Hill Mining Company, in all real and personal estate conveyed to Isaac H. Smith, by M. L. Holmes, and others, by Deed bearing date July 9th, 1855, and registered in Book 40, page 432 of the Register's Office of Rowan County; and in that conveyed to the President and Directors of the Gold Hill Mining Company, by Edward B. Rice by Deed dated September 29th, 1853, and registered in Book 40, page 88 of the Register's Office of Rowan County, wherein the same may be found particularly set forth and described. Also, any and all legal and equitable estate and interest of said Company, of or in any real or personal estate situated at or near Gold Hill, in Rowan County. Terms of sale, Cash, and the titles retained to await the further direction of the Court.

LUKE BLACKMER, C. M. E. June 14, '66. [pr fee \$25] no64w & w ds

### State of North Carolina, ROWAN COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, May Term, A. D. 1866.

Elizabeth Bringle vs. Lawrence A. Bringle, John Bringle and Lavinia Bringle, PETITION FOR DOWER.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Lavinia Bringle, one of the defendants in this case, is a non-resident of this State, it is therefore, ordered by the Court that publication be made for six consecutive weeks in THE OLD NORTH STATE, notifying said defendant of the filing of this petition and that unless she appears at the next term of this Court to be held for the County of Rowan at the Court House in Salisbury, on the 1st Monday in August next, and pleads, answers or demurs, the same will be heard ex parte and judgment rendered pro confesso as to her.

Witness, Obadiah Woodson, Clerk of our said Court, at Office, the 1st Monday in May, A. D. 1866, and in the 90th year of our Independence. OBADIAH WOODSON, Clerk. June 16, '66. [pr fee \$10] 64 6w

## FOR RENT.

A good Dwelling House in one of the best neighborhoods of the City, for particulars apply to L. H. BEARD. June 4, '66 d2w no56

## Court Advertisements.

### State of North Carolina, DAVIE COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions.

Thomas M. B. Glascock, Nathan S. Chaffin and wife Livins, James P. Boon and wife Reuelina, James C. Glasscock and James Glascock vs. James Wain, B. H. and Pinkney Caldwell.

PETITION FOR PARTITION OF REAL ESTATE.

Nathaniel S. Biffin, one of the petitioners in this case, having come before me, and made affidavit that Pinkney Caldwell, one of the parties made Defendant, is a non-resident of the State of North Carolina, it is therefore ordered in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly, that publication be made in the Weekly Old North State, for the term of six weeks, notifying the said Pinkney Caldwell of the filing of this petition—and that unless he appears at the next term of this Court, to be held at the Court House in the town of Mocksville, on the second Monday in September next, and answer the petition, the same will be taken pro confesso, and heard ex parte as to him.

Witness, Eph. Gaither, Clerk of said Court, at office in Mocksville, the 10th day of July, A. D. 1866. EPH. GAITHER, Clerk. July 30—15 [Pr fee \$10] w6w

### State of North Carol, ROWAN COUNTY.

Superior Court of Law, Spring Term, A. D. 1866.

The Atlantic Bank of New York vs. Simeon Frankford.

ATTACHMENT.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant, Simeon Frankford, is a non-resident of the State, it is therefore, ordered and adjudged that publication be made for six successive weeks in "The Old North State," notifying him to be and appear before the Judge of our Superior Court of Law, at the next Court to be held for the County of Rowan, at the Court House in Salisbury on the 15th Monday after the 4th Monday in August next, then and there to plead or reply, and show cause, if any he has, why the plaintiff should not have judgment against him, and the House and Lot levied upon be sold to satisfy the same.

Witness, Obadiah Woodson, Deputy Clerk and ex-officio acting Clerk of our said Court, at Office, the 12th Monday after the last Monday in February, A. D. 1866, and in the 90th year of our Independence. OBADIAH WOODSON, Deputy and acting Clerk. [Pr fee \$10] no66 6w.

## New Southern Music Book.

JUST PUBLISHED TAVOR; OR, THE

Richmond Collection of Sacred Music; BY R. M. McINTOSH, of Virginia.

Essentially Southern in its main features, Tavor nevertheless contains a choice selection of the best Northern copy-right Music. Its author, for four years an officer of the Confederate army, composed many stirring pieces in moments snatched during its marchings and counter-marchings in Virginia. The dirge used at the funeral of Gen. T. J. Jackson, (Stonewall,) May 17, 1863, was from his pen included in this collection.

"Mr. McIntosh," says the Richmond Whig "is well known throughout the South as an author and teacher of finished excellence, with a musical reputation rarely attained by any man of his age in this country. In the South he stands at the very head of church music, no one disputing the position with him."

The book embraces everything of value of southern or south-western origin, much of which is now for the first time reduced to a written form. Its variety is great—embracing all metres in use, in every key and every variety of measure—with a full elementary department and fine collection of new anthems, set pieces and sentences. It contains nearly 300 closely printed pages, neatly and tastefully gotten up, well printed and bound.

Price, retail \$1.33, \$12 per dozen.

Can be obtained through all booksellers, or will be mailed by the Publishers to any part of the United States, post free, on receipt of retail price

Single copies for examination and introduction, sent to any address, postage paid, on receipt of one dollar.

F. J. HUNTINGTON & CO. Publishers and Booksellers, July 31—14 459 Broome st., N. Y.

## Mercantile Advertisements.

### NEW FIRM IN SALISBURY.

J. W. GRAY, & CO.

HAVE Just received and opened at No. 2, Murphy's Granite building, a new and splendid Stock of Staple and

### FANCY DRY GOODS,

which they will sell for cash or barter, only, as follows, A large and beautiful assortment of

### LADIES DRESS GOODS,

embracing the newest and leading styles of the season.

A large assortment of Gentlemen's, Youth's and Boy's Goods,

Ladies' Summer Wrappings.

Ladies' Misses, and Children's