

Advertisement of death, 5cts
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Agreement of Appointment, for each sheet or piece of paper, on which the name is written, 5cts
Assignment or Transfer, of mortgage, lease or policy of insurance, the same duty as on the original instrument of patent right, 5cts
Bills, Checks, Drafts or Orders, etc., at sight, or on demand, 2cts
Bills of Exchange; inland drafts or order, payable otherwise than at sight or on demand, and any promissory note whatever, payable on demand or at a time designated except bank notes issued for circulation, and checks made and intended to be, and which shall be forthwith presented for payment for a sum not exceeding \$100, 5cts
For every additional \$100 or fractional part thereof, 5cts
Bills of Lading vessels for the ports of the United States or British North America, 5cts
On receipt of goods on any foreign port, 10cts
Bills of Sale of any vessel, or part thereof, when the consideration does not exceed \$500, 50cts
Exceeding \$500 and not exceeding \$1,000, \$1.00
Exceeding one thousand dollars for each five hundred dollars fractional part thereof, 50cts
Of personal property, other than ship or vessel Bond personal, for payment of money [see mortgage]—Official, \$1.00
For indemnifying any person for the payment of any sum of money, where the money ultimately recoverable thereupon is one thousand dollars or less, 50cts
Where the money recoverable exceeds one thousand dollars for every additional one thousand dollars, or fractional part thereof, 50cts
Bonds, county, city and town bonds, railroads and other corporation bonds and scrip, are subject to stamp duty. [See mortgage]—Of any description, other than such as are required in legal proceedings, and such as are not otherwise charged in this schedule, 25cts
Certificates of deposit in bank, sum not exceeding one hundred dollars, 2cts
Of deposit in bank, sum not exceeding one hundred dollars, 5cts
Of stock in an incorporated company, 5cts
Of a qualification of a Justice of the Peace, Commissioner, of deeds or Notary public, 5cts
Of search of records, 5cts
That certain papers are on file, 5cts
That certain papers cannot be found, 5cts
Of redemption of land sold for taxes, 5cts
Of birth, marriage and death, 5cts
Of qualifications of school teachers, 5cts
Of profits of an incorporated company, for a sum not less than ten dollars and not exceeding fifty dollars, 10cts
Exceeding fifty dollars and not exceeding one thousand dollars, 25cts
Exceeding one thousand dollars, for every additional one thousand, or fractional part thereof, 25cts
Of damage or otherwise, and all other certificates or documents issued by any port warden, marine surveyor, or other person acting as such, 25cts
Certified Transcript of judgments, satisfaction of judgments and of all papers recorded or on file, 10cts
[N. B. As a general rule, every certificate which has, or may have, a legal value in any court of law or equity, will receive a stamp duty of] 5cts
Check Draft or Order for the payment of any sum of money exceeding \$10, drawn upon any person or other than a bank, banker or trust company, at sight or on demand, 2cts
Contract [See Agreement Brokers, Conveyance deed, instrument of writing, whereby lands, tenements, or other realty sold shall be conveyed, the actual value which does not exceed \$500, 50cts
Exceeding \$500, and not exceeding \$1,000, \$1.00
For every additional five hundred dollars, or fractional part thereof, in excess of one thousand dollars, 50cts
Entry of any goods, wares or merchandise at any custom house, not exceeding one hundred dollars in value, 25cts
Exceeding one hundred dollars and not exceeding five hundred dollars in value, 50cts
Exceeding five hundred dollars in value, \$1.00
For the withdrawal of any goods or merchandise from bonded warehouse, 50cts
Guarantee return for quantity not exceeding five hundred gal. gross, 10cts
Exceeding 500 gallons, 25cts
Power of Attorney to sell or transfer stock, or collect dividends thereon, 25cts
To vote at an election if an incorporated company, 10cts
To receive or collect rents, 25cts
To sell, or convey, or rent, or lease real estate, \$1.00
For any other purpose, 50cts
Probate of will or letters of administration, where the value of both real and personal estate does not exceed \$2,000, \$1.00
For every additional \$2,000 or fractional part thereof, in excess of \$2,000, 50cts
Bonds of executor, administrators, guardians and trustees, are each subjected to a stamp duty of \$1.00 note, check draft 25cts

Receipt for the payment of any sum of money, or debt due, exceeding twenty dollars, or for the delivery of any property, 2cts
Trust Deed made to secure a debt to be stamped as a mortgage conveying estate to uses, to be stamped as conveyance, 5cts
Warehouse Receipt for any goods, wares or merchandise not otherwise provided for, deposited or stored in any public or private warehouse not exceeding five hundred dollars in value, 10cts
Exceeding five hundred and not exceeding one thousand dollars, 20cts
Exceeding 1000 dollars, for every additional 1000 dollars or fractional part thereof, in excess of \$1,000, 10cts
For any goods, etc., not otherwise provided for, stored or deposited in any public or private warehouse or yard, 25cts
Writs or Legal Documents writ or other legal process, by which any suit is commenced in any court of record, either of law or equity, 50cts
Writ or original process issued by a court of record, where the amt claimed is 100 dollars or over, 50cts
Upon every collection of judgment or cognovit for 100 dollars or over, except in cases where the tax for a writ has been paid, 50cts
Writ or other process appeals from justices courts, or other courts of inferior jurisdiction, to a court of record, 50cts
Warrants of distress, when the amt of rent claimed does not exceed 100 dollars, 25cts
When the amount exceeds 100 dollars, 50cts
Insurance, Marine, Inland and Fire. Where the consideration paid for the insurance, in cash, premium notes, or both, does not exceed 10 dollars, 10cts
Exceeding ten dollars, and not exceeding fifty, 50cts
Insurance, Life, when the amount insured does not exceed 1000 dollars, 25cts
Exceeding 1000 and not exceeding 5000 dollars, 50cts
Exceeding 5000 dollars, \$1.00
Lease or lease of lands or tenements where the rents does not exceed 300 per annum, 50cts
Exceeding 300 dols, for each additional 200 dols, or fractional part thereof, in excess of 300 dols, 50cts
Perpetual, subject to stamp duty as a conveyance, 50cts
Clause of guaranty of payment of rent incorporated or endorsed, five cents additional.
Measures Return, for quantity not exceeding 1,000 bushels, 10cts
Exceeding 1,000 bushels, 25cts
Mortgage, trust deed, bill of sale, or personal bond for the payment of money exceeding 100 and not exceeding 500 dols, 50cts
Exceeding 500 dols, for every additional 500, or fractional part thereof, in excess of 500, 50cts
Pawner's Checks, 5cts
Passage Ticket from the United States to any foreign port, costing not more than 35 dols, 50cts
Costing more than 35, and not exceeding 50, 1.00
For every additional fifty or fractional part thereof, in excess of 50 dols, 1.00
GENERAL REMARKS.
Revenue Stamps may be used indiscriminately upon any of the matters or things enumerated in schedule B, except proprietary and playing card stamps, for which a special use has been provided.
Postage stamps cannot be used in payment of the duty chargeable on instruments. It is the duty of the maker of an instrument to affix and cancel the stamp thereon. If he neglects to do so, the party for whom it is made, may stamp it before it is used; and if used after the 30th of July, 1864, and used without a stamp, it cannot afterwards be effectually stamped. Any failure upon the part of the maker of an instrument to appropriately stamp it, renders him liable to a penalty of two hundred dollars.
Suits are commenced in many States by other process than writ, viz: summons, warrants, publication, petition, &c., in which case these, as the original process, severally require stamps.
Writs of seisa facias are subject to stamp duty as original process.
The jurat of an affidavit, taken before a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, or other officer duly authorized to take affidavits, is held to be a certificate, and subject to a stamp duty of five cents, except when taken in suits or legal proceedings.
Certificates of loan in which there shall appear any printed or written evidence of an amount of money to be paid on demand or at any time designated, are subject to stamp duty as Promissory Notes.
The assignment of a mortgage is subject to the same duty as that imposed upon the original instrument; that is to say for every sum of five hundred dollars, or any fractional part thereof, of the amount secured by the mortgage, at the time of its assignment there must be affixed a stamp or stamps, denoting a duty of five cents.
When two or more persons join in the execution of an instrument, the stamps to which this instrument is liable, under the law, may be affixed and cancelled by one of the parties.
In conveyances of real estate, the law provides that the stamp affixed must answer to the value of the estate on interest conveyed.
No stamp is required on any warrant of attorney accompanying a bond or note, when such bond or note has affixed thereto the stamp or stamps denoting the duty required, and whenever any bond or note is secured by mortgage, but one stamp duty is required on such papers, such stamp duty being the highest rates required for

such a bond or note, or any other instrument, should be made upon the margin or in the acknowledgment of the instrument which is not stamped.
PENSION AGENCY.
The Government having resumed the execution of the pension laws by establishing Pension Agencies in the Southern States, we call the attention of those interested to an act of Congress authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to drop from the pension rolls the names of pensioners in those States, and to the circular of the Commissioner of Pensions, giving the forms and instructions, in accordance with which application may be made for restoration to the rolls by those who still claim the benefit of the pension laws.
The Pension Agency for the State of North Carolina has been established at Raleigh and any information or assistance facilitating the claims of pensioners, may be obtained from the agency by application to Dr. J. W. Page, Pension Agent, Raleigh.
PENSIONS IN STATES HERETOFORE IN INSURRECTION.
In resuming the executing of the pension laws in the several States heretofore in insurrection, the Secretary of the Interior directs that attention be called to the following act of Congress:
"AN Act authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to strike from the pension rolls the names of such persons as have taken up arms against the government, or who have in any manner encouraged the rebels."
"Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby authorized and directed to strike from the pension rolls the names of all such persons as have or may hereafter take up arms against the government of the United States, or who have in any manner encouraged the rebels, or manifested a sympathy with their cause."
"Approved, February 4, 1862."
In accordance with the provisions of this act, the names of all pensioners who have resided within the insurrectional States during the rebellion, and whose pensions were payable at any one of the following places, viz: Richmond and Norfolk Va.; Fayetteville and Morganton, N. C.; Charleston, S. C.; Nashville, Knoxville, Jonesboro and Jackson, Tenn.; Jackson, Miss.; New Orleans, La.; Savannah, Ga.; Jacksonville, Tallahassee and Pensacola, Fla.; Huntsville, Tuscaloosa and Mobile, Ala. and Little Rock and Port Gibson, Ark.; are hereby dropped from the pension rolls. Persons heretofore receiving pensions at the above named agencies, who still claim the benefits of the pension laws, must make application for restoration to the rolls, with the requisite evidence, in accordance with the forms and instructions published herewith.
JOSEPH H. BARNETT,
Commissioner of Pensions.
June 10, 1865.
Form of application for restoration to the pension rolls by persons whose names have been dropped under the act of Feb. 4, 1862.
STATE OF _____)
County of _____) ss.
On this _____ day of _____, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and _____, personally appeared before me, Judge, clerk, or deputy clerk of the _____ court in said State and county, the same being a court of record, _____ A. B., aged _____ years, a resident of _____, in the State of _____, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he [or she] is the identical _____ A. B. _____ who was a pensioner on the roll of the agency at _____, and whose pension certificate is herewith returned; that he [or she] has resided since first day of January, A. D., 1861, as follows: [first name the place or places at which the applicant has resided; that during this period, his [or her] means of subsistence have been [here name the employment or other means by which a livelihood has been gained] and that he has not borne arms against the government of the United States, or [or she has not] in any manner encouraged the rebels, or manifested a sympathy with their cause; and that he [or she] was last paid his [or her] pension on the _____ day of _____, A. D., 18____.
This application is made for the purpose of securing a restoration of his [or her] name to the pension rolls, and of obtaining a pension certificate, such as he [or she] may be entitled to under existing laws, reference being made to the evidence heretofore filed in the Pension Office to substantiate his [or her] original claim.
Also personally appeared _____ and _____, residents of _____ (county, city or town) persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, says that they were present and _____ sign his [or her] name [or make his mark] to the foregoing declaration; and they further swear that they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of the applicant and their acquaintance with him, [or her] that he [or she] is the identical person he [or she] represents himself [or herself] to be; and they further swear that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.
(Signatures of witnesses.)
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this _____ day of _____, A. D., 18____, and I hereby certify that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.
(Signature of judge or other officer.)
INSTRUCTIONS.
If the declarant, or any witness, signs by mark, the officer must certify that the contents of the paper were known to the affiant before signing.
In every case the declaration or affidavit must either be signed by the affiant's own hand or else by mark (X) Signing by another hand, when the party is able to write, or without a mark when the party is unable to write is wholly inadmissible.

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