

PROCLAMATION.

BY W. W. HOLDEN, PROVISIONAL GOVERNOR, TO THE PEOPLE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

WHEREAS, By the Proclamation of Andrew Johnston, President of the United States of America, dated May 29th, 1865, I have been appointed Provisional Governor of the State of North Carolina, with instructions to "prescribe at the earliest practicable period, such rules and regulations as may be necessary and proper for convening a Convention, composed of delegates to and chosen by that portion of the people of said State who are loyal to the United States; and no others, for the purpose of altering or amending the Constitution thereof; and with authority to exercise within the limits of said State all the power necessary and proper to enable such loyal people of the State of North Carolina to restore said State to its Constitutional relations to a Republican form of government, and to present such a State to the guarantee of the United States; and to its people to protection by the United States against invasion, insurrection, and domestic violence."

And WHEREAS, It is proper that the people of the State should be informed as far as may be, at this time, of the measures that will be necessary to attain this end, so that they may be ready to offer an intelligent and willing cooperation in the same.

And WHEREAS, It is also proper that the purposes of the Federal Government in relation to the people of the State should be made known, so that the loyal may receive assurances of protection and encouragement, and the disloyal, if any there be, may know that the eye of authority is upon them, and that they will not be permitted with impunity to resist the laws or to disturb the peace of society.

Now, Therefore, I, WILLIAM W. HOLDEN, Provisional Governor as aforesaid, do proclaim and declare:—

1st. That a Convention of the people of North Carolina will be held, at an early period as practicable, to be composed of the number of members to which the counties are respectively entitled in the House of Commons of the State Legislature. No person will be a candidate for the Convention, and no person will vote for members to compose it, who shall not previously thereto have taken an oath, according to the following oath, prescribed in the Proclamation of the President of the United States, dated May 29th, 1865:

I do solemnly swear or affirm, in presence of Almighty God, that I will henceforth faithfully support and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Union of the States thereunder, and that I will, in like manner, abide by and faithfully support all laws and proclamations which have been made during the existing rebellion with reference to the emancipation of slaves. So help me God.

And no person not well-affected towards the Federal Government, and not loyal thereto, will be permitted to take said oath, or to vote in said election.

Measures will be perfected as early as practicable for administering the above oath to such persons as may be entitled to take it, and for providing them with certificates of the same as evidence of their loyalty. The said oath is regarded as a part of the benefits of the Proclamation referred to, and will not be administered to any of the classes excluded by said Proclamation, save on the exhibition by them of a full pardon from the President of the offence they may have committed against the United States.

2d. The Convention thus to be called will alter or amend the Constitution of the State, and will submit said Constitution thus altered or amended, to the voters of the State at a ballot box for their acceptance or rejection.

3d. The Convention will provide for the election by the people of a Governor and members of the Legislature; and the Legislature will elect two Senators to represent the State in the Congress of the United States.

4th. An election will also be held, in due time, for members of the House of Representatives from the State in the Congress of the United States.

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er, to return; assuring all loyal citizens of the State that they will be protected in their persons and property, and encouraged in their exertions to improve their country. I also exhort them not to cease to take an interest in public affairs, but to unite with me in the purpose to reconstruct the State Government through the aid of loyal citizens; and to be vigilant and active in discouraging disloyal sentiments, and in ensuring the election of known friends of the Federal Government to every office. Your experience, fellow-citizens, during the rebellion should attach you by the strongest ties to the government of the United States. You have just been delivered by the armies of the Union from one of the most corrupt and rigorous despotisms that ever existed in the world. Many of you have been forced, for your own sake, and because of your love for the flag of your fathers, to fly from the land of your birth or of your adoption, and seek a refuge among strangers, to escape the hand of arbitrary power. Many of you have been torn from your homes, or hunted down like wild beasts in the forest, and forced into the rebel armies as conscripts, to fight for the continuation of enslavement of the colored race, and also for a state of slavery for yourselves and your children. Some of you have been subjected to imprisonment and tortures on account of your opinions; and all of you have been deprived of your rights, to a great extent, of freedom of speech and of the press, and of every essential guarantee of liberty and of protection to person and property, which is contained in the Constitution of the United States. You are once more free citizens of the United States. By your sufferings in the past, and by your hopes for the future, I adjure you to guard well your freedom. Remember that all that you have, and all you can hope to be, and all of good that is in reserve for your children, are inseparable bound up with the American Union. The safety of government, which constitutes us one people, should be more dear to us than ever, on account of the sufferings through which we have passed. In the language of "Washington," it is of infinite moment that you should properly estimate the immense value of your national Union to your collective and individual happiness; that you should cherish a cordial, habitual, and immovable attachment to it; accustoming yourselves to think and speak of it as the palladium of your political safety and prosperity; watching for its preservation with jealous anxiety; discountenancing whatever may suggest even a suspicion that it can in any event be abandoned; and indignantly frowning upon the first dawning of every attempt to alienate any portion of our country from the rest, or to enslave the sacred ties which now link together the various parts.

To the colored people of the State I would say, you are now free. Providence has willed that the very means adopted to render your service perpetual should be the instruments for releasing you from bondage. It now remains for you, aided as you will be by the superior intelligence of the white race, and cheered by the sympathies of all good people, to decide whether the freedom thus suddenly bestowed upon you, will be a blessing to you or a source of injury. Your race has been depressed by your condition of slavery, and by the legislation of your former masters, for two hundred years. It is not to be expected that you can comprehend and appreciate as they should be comprehended and appreciated by a self-governing people, the wise provisions and limitations of Constitutions and laws; or that you can now have that knowledge of public affairs which is necessary to qualify you to discharge all the duties of the citizen. No people have ever yet bounded at once into the full enjoyment of the right of self-government. But you are free in common with all our people, and you have the same right, regulated by law, that others have, to enter upon the pursuit of prosperity and happiness. You should henceforth sacredly observe the marriage relation, and you should provide for your offspring. You can now not only learn to read yourselves, as some of you have been able to do heretofore, but you can instruct others, and procure instruction from others for yourselves and your children, without fear or reproach. But to be prosperous and happy you must labor, not merely when you feel like it, or for a scanty support, but industriously and steadily, with a view to making and laying up something for yourselves and your families. If you are idle you will become vicious and worthless; if vicious and worthless you will have no friends, and will at last perish. "In the sweat of thy face shall thou eat bread all the days of thy life."

The same Providence that has bestowed freedom upon you, has told you that diligence in business is required of all his creatures; and you cannot expect that your race will escape ultimate extinction, if you willfully violate or disregard this, one of His great commands. Freedom does not mean that every one may do as he pleases, but that every one may, by industry, frugality, and temperance, improve his condition and enjoy the fruits of his own labor, so long as he obeys the laws. On the contrary, while I am a white man, and while my life is with my own color, yet I sympathize with you as the weaker race, and I cannot forget that during the rebellion many of you fought for the preservation of the Union, and that those of you who remained at home in the then slaveholding States, were, for the most part, docile and faithful, and made no attempt by force of arms to gain even their own freedom. I will see to it as far as I can, that you have your liberty; that you are protected in your property and your homes; and that you are paid your wages. But, on the other hand, I will set my face against those of you who are idle and dissipated, and prompt punishment will be inflicted for any breach of the peace or violation of law. In fine, I will be your friend as long as you are true to yourselves, obedient to the laws, and as long as you shall labor, no matter how feebly, if honestly and earnestly, to improve your condition. It is my duty, as far as I may, to render the government a terror to evil doers, and a praise to them that do well;—and this I will endeavor to do in relation to the whole people of the State of North Carolina, "without fear, favor, or affection, reward, or the hope of reward."

And now, with charity for all, and malice towards none, I enter upon the discharge of the duties assigned me by the President, earnestly and solemnly invoking the good people of the State to aid me in the work of reconstructing the government, and in restoring the State to the protection, reward, and blessings of the Union.

Done at our City of Raleigh, the 12th day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and in the 89th year of American Independence.

WILLIAM W. HOLDEN, Provisional Governor.

By the Governor: Jos. W. HOLMES, Private Secretary.

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REAL ESTATE AGENCY NORTH CAROLINA ADVERTISER. THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE ESTABLISHED in the City of Raleigh, an Agency for the purpose of buying and selling real estate in North Carolina. In connection therewith, and as auxiliary thereto, they will publish a double sheet, twenty-four column weekly newspaper, wherein will be advertised, free of cost, all lands offered for sale through their agency, and which will be devoted to the dissemination of information concerning the agricultural, mineral, manufacturing and other resources of the State. By means of competent Agents in every county they will show the present advancement and special capabilities for future development of each.

NEW SCHEDULE. FROM RALEIGH TO PETERSBURG THROUGH IN ONE DAY. ON AND AFTER THURSDAY NEXT THE Raleigh & Gaston train will leave Raleigh at 6 o'clock a. m., and reach Gaston at 12 o'clock m. The Petersburg train will leave Gaston at 1 o'clock p. m., and reach the terminus of the Petersburg road at 5 o'clock p. m. A sufficient number of Omnibuses and Wagons have been secured to take all the Passengers and Baggage from the terminus of the Petersburg road to Petersburg. Leave Petersburg at 4 o'clock a. m., reach Gaston at 11 o'clock a. m., Leave Gaston at 12 o'clock m., and reach Raleigh at 7 o'clock p. m.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING FOR SOME years past been engaged in the improvement and sale of lands in the Eastern counties, now offers his services as Agent for the purchase and sale of lands in North Carolina. My address is Raleigh, N. C. Exchange Hotel, No. 46. W. H. CUNNINGHAM, Raleigh, June 21, 1865.

UNION MEETING AT DURHAM, A Mass Meeting of the loyal citizens of Orange County, will be held at Durham's Station, on the 24th inst. (next Saturday). Let every man true to his country, and those who approve of the Government of the United States, attend. MANY CITIZENS. June 2. 16-td

The Great Literary Weekly Resumed. THE proprietor of that long established and popular family journal, THE SOUTHERN FIELD AND FIRESIDE, take great pleasure in informing its numerous friends and readers, that its publication will be resumed just as soon as the mail facilities of the country will enable them to circulate the same.—This is an old paper, published for many years at Augusta, Ga., and is devoted entirely to POLITICAL LITERATURE.

Subscription one year, \$5 00 six months, 3 00 THE KEY STONE. Our Monthly Masonic Magazine, Will also be resumed at the same time. This Magazine is endorsed, and recommended to the Fraternity at large, by the Grand Lodge of North Carolina. As regards matter and typography, it is equal to any publication in the United States.

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Treasury Department of N. C. RALEIGH, June 14th, 1865. THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN APPOINTED Public Treasurer of North Carolina, by W. W. Holden, Provisional Governor, with the duty assigned, among other things, of collecting and securing all the property of the State, at home or abroad, is hereby notified that he will receive any such property, and will report the same to the Secretary of the State, and if persons knowing of any such property, or the possession of others, are requested to give me information thereon, they will be duly rewarded. W. H. O'NEILL is authorized to receive any State property in Alamance County, and H. A. Dowd is authorized to receive any such property in the State West of Alamance County. JONATHAN WORTH, Public Treasurer and Property Agent of N. C. Raleigh, June 8, 1865.

SCHOOL FOR BOYS. REV. DR. LACY, Principal. DRURY LACY, Jr., Assistants. THIS SCHOOL WILL BE OPENED 5TH JULY, 1865, at Peace Institute, and English, Classical and Mathematical branches taught. Raleigh, June 11, 1865.

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JOB WORK Of all Kind NEATLY EXECUTED AT THE OFFICE OF "THE DAILY RECORD." June 1. Assistant Adjutant General.

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News Agents with the armies, as well as News Dealers generally, will be furnished with the BULLETIN in any number and at moderate prices. The Bulletin is furnished to subscribers at the rate of 50 cents per month, with the additional charge of 50 cents to pay postage. As soon as the postal arrangements are completed, we propose to issue a Weekly and Tri-weekly Bulletin for the benefit of our country friends. The Bulletin is rapidly receiving a large and extensive circulation. It represents the business interest of the merchants, business men, and people at large of VIRGINIA. It has met with a most cordial reception by the business men of this city. The Bulletin contains more reading matter than any other paper published in Richmond. Agents wanted in every town and village in Virginia, who will take and forward subscriptions. Subscribers can be furnished with numbers from the beginning if they apply soon, as there are only a few sets remaining. Address: BAILEY, WEDDENBURN & CO., Proprietors, Richmond, Va.

IMPORTANT MILITARY ORDERS. NO PERMITS REQUIRED TO TRADE IN PRODUCTS. IN ORDER THAT MISAPPREHENSION, AS far as possible, may be removed in relation to the purchase, sale and shipping of products, the conclusions of the Government in relation thereto are again published and reiterated by me as Treasury Agent: First—That Trade in all products (contrabands excepted) is ABSOLUTELY FREE. Any one can purchase Cotton, Tobacco, Turpentine, Rosin, Grain and other products, without a permit from any Treasury Agent. All statements or assertions to the contrary are without foundation and should be totally disregarded. Second—All products purchased by parties other than contrabands can be shipped to the Northern market by simply paying the regular Government fees and duties to the Customs officer. ONE FOURTH of the cotton purchased and offered for shipment must be delivered to the Purchasing Agents; the remaining three-fourths can be shipped WITHOUT CHARGE. No seizure, whatever, will be made of any article a person has the right to purchase or ship. Third—Contraband articles are abandoned, captured and confiscable property. These, of course, no private party will attempt to purchase or ship. D. HEATON, Sup't, Special Agent Treasury Department, Newbern, N. C., June 8, 1865. je 17-14-65.

Headquarters of N. C. (ARMY OF THE OHIO). RALEIGH, N. C., May 15, 1865. THE FOLLOWING RULES ARE PUBLISHED for the government of Freedmen in North Carolina, until the restoration of civil government in the State. I. The common laws governing the domestic relations, such as those giving parents authority and control over their children, and guardians control over their wards, are in force. The parents or guardian's authority and obligations take the place of those of the former master. II. The former masters are constituted the guardians of minors and of the aged and infirm, in the absence of parents or other near relatives capable of supporting them, and are to be supported by them. III. Young men and women, under twenty-one years of age, remain under the control of their parents or guardians until they become of age, thus aiding to support their parents, and younger brothers and sisters. IV. The former masters of freedmen may not turn away the young or the infirm, nor refuse to give them food and shelter; nor may the able bodied men or women go away from their homes, or live in idleness, and leave their parents, children, or young brothers and sisters to be supported by others. V. Persons of age, who are free from any of the obligations referred to above, are at liberty to find new homes wherever they can obtain proper employment; but they will not be supported by the government, nor by their former masters, unless they work. VI. It will be left to the employer and servant to agree upon the wages to be paid; but freedmen are advised that for the present season they ought to expect only moderate wages, and where their employers cannot pay them money, they ought to be contented with a fair share in the crops to be raised. They have gained their personal freedom. By industry and good conduct they may rise to independence and even wealth. VII. All officers, soldiers and citizens are requested to give publicity to these rules, and to instruct the freed people as to their new rights and obligations. VIII. All officers of the Army, and of the county companies, are authorized and required to correct any violation of the above rules within their jurisdiction. IX. Each District commander will appoint a superintendent of freedmen, (a commissioned officer, or such number of assistants (officers and commissioned officers) as may be necessary, whose duty it will be to take charge of all the freed people in his District, who are without homes or proper employment. The superintendents will send back to their homes all who have left them in violation of the above rules, and will endeavor to find homes and suitable employment for all others. They will provide suitable camps or quarters for such as cannot be otherwise provided for, and attend to their discipline, police subsistence, &c. X. The superintendents will hear all complaints of guardians or wards, and report the facts to their District commanders, who are authorized to dissolve the existing relations of guardian and ward in any case which may seem to require it, and to direct the superintendent to otherwise provide for the wards, in accordance with the above rules. By command of Major General Schofield, J. A. CAMPBELL, June 1. Assistant Adjutant General.

MILITARY GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY. Col G F Granger, commanding 3d Bdg 2d Div 10th A C Post Commander. Lt B S Sandford, 118th N Y Vols, A A A General, and Post Adjutant. Capt S C F Smith, 9th Me Vols, A A I Gen. Major Geo B Dyer, 9th Me Vols, Pro Marshal. Lt W K Norton, 4th N H Vols, Assistant Pro Marshal. Lt George S Dailley, 9th Maine Vols Assistant Provost Marshal. Capt Chas F Weeks, 5th Me Vols, A A Q M. Capt Geo C Almy, C S. Surgeon (no Knowlison, 169th N Y Vols, Chief Medical Officer. Capt E R Mosher, 169th N Y Vols, A D C. Lt Ed Vanderveer, 169th N Y Vols, A D C. OFFICERS OF 118th REG'T N Y VOLUNTEERS. N J Johnson, Lt Col Commanding. Lt L Walcott, Major. N Schoas De Graaf, Lt Adjutant. Martin McMartin, Qr Master. Lieut A C Sproun, Commanding Co A. Lieut C O'Connell, do do B. Lieut C L Clark, do do C. Capt Wm H Shaw, do do E. Capt E B Savage, do do G. Lieut M McLaughlin, do do H. Lieut J M Hill, do do K. OFFICERS OF 9th MAINE VOLUNTEERS. Joseph Noble, Lieut Col Commanding. George B Dyer, Major. Henry H Watawa, Lt Adjutant. Geo S Hay, Qr Master. (This P Rice, As Surgeon. Lieut Wm A Beal, Commanding Co A. Capt L F McCann, do do B. Geo W Brown, do do C. Ben J Hill, do do D. J J Collins, do do E. Lieut W E Deming, do do F. S A D'Arcy, do do G. Lt A H Chase, do do H. Capt Geo S Colbath, do do I. Capt S S Mann, do do K. OFFICERS 4TH N H VOLS. Lt Col F W Parker, Commanding. Lt Geo W Huckins, A R Q M. Lt Lt Alth Marland, Acting Adjutant. Lt Joseph Wingate, Commanding Co A. Leonard A Gay, do do B. Capt Louis McEl Bussey, do do C. Lt Lt James Prescott, do do D. Capt Wm T Berker, do do E. Clarence L Chapman, do do F. 3d Lt Patrick Dowd, do do G. Lt Edwin Whitford, do do H. Capt Geo F Quinn, do do I. Geo W Huckins, do do K. OFFICERS 13TH INCA VOLS. J H Lawrence, Major, Commanding. Saxeby Ryan, Lt and Adjutant. A H Bally, Lt and R Q M. N A Chamberlain, Ass't Surgeon. Silas Clark, Capt, Commanding Co A. C Cary, 1st Lt. M Gousser, 2d Lt. Wm H Lowe, Capt, commanding Co B. J H Kinross, 1st Lt. E H Jones, 2d Lt. T Kieffe, Capt, commanding Co C. S M'ron, 1st Lt. A O Mitchell, 2d Lt. E J Graham, Capt, commanding Co D. T O'neilly, 1st Lt. J H Sherwood, 2d Lt. Lt T West, Capt, commanding Co E. J C Boyd, 1st Lt. Wm A Ketchum, 2d Lt. Companies F, G, H, I and K are commanded by officers whose names have been mentioned. OFFICERS OF 169TH REG'T N Y VOLS. J R Colvin, Lieut Col commanding. Joseph H Allen, Major. John Knowlison, Surgeon. P W Church, Acting Adj't and Q M. Lt Ed Jacques, commanding Co A. Lieut J B Foot, commanding Co B. Capt J H Warren, commanding Co C. Lieut B McGuire, commanding Co D. Capt H McMillan, commanding Co E. Capt F E Smi, commanding Co F. Lieut E Van Santard, commanding Co G. Lieut C G Francisco, commanding Co H. Lieut J H Dunn, commanding Co I. Lieut J B Straight, commanding Co K.