

Hotel Northampton AND Wiggins Old Tavern

*An Inn of Colonial Charm
at
Northampton, Massachusetts*



THIS SIGN now hangs in the main entrance to Wiggins Old Tavern, but for more than 100 years it hung in front of an historic tavern in New Hampshire which was operated by a relative of Lewis N. Wiggins who is landlord of Wiggins Tavern and Hotel Northampton.



Fruits

Preserves

Cereals

Griddle
Cakes

Egg
Dishes

Meats

Fish

Potatoes

Rolls
Toast

Beverages

Special Breakfasts

Items Priced Determine Cost of Complete Breakfast

CHOICE of FRUIT OR CEREAL

Fruits:

Tomato, Grapefruit, Pineapple, Prune or Orange Juice

Grapefruit	Orange	Apple Sauce	Apple
Stewed Prunes	Stewed Apricots	Sliced Banana	
Canned Peaches, Pears, Figs or Pineapple			

OR

Cereals:

Oat Meal Cream of Wheat Corn Meal Mush

All Bran, Bran Flakes, Corn Flakes, Shredded Wheat

Rice Krispies, Wheaties, Puffed Rice, Puffed Wheat or Grape Nuts

Choice of Fruit or Cereal	40
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Wheat or Corn Cakes, Fried Mush or French Toast	50
Griddle Cakes or Fried Mush with Bacon or Little Sausages	60
Two (2) Eggs, Boiled, Fried, Shirred, Scrambled or Poached	50
Egg (1) with Bacon or Canadian Bacon 50, Two (2) Eggs	60
Omelettes, Plain or Jelly 50 Ham or Bacon	60
Ham or Little Sausages and One (1) Egg 60, Two (2) Eggs	75
Broiled Bacon, Canadian Bacon or Little Sausages	50
Broiled Ham	60
Corned Beef Hash, Plain 50 with Egg	65
Calf Liver with Bacon	75
Codfish Cakes	50
Broiled or Fried Filet of Sole	65
Broiled Scrod with Bacon	75
Broiled Lamb Chop with Bacon	85

Plain or Sweet Rolls, Toast, Doughnuts

Corn, Bran or Blueberry Muffins

Pot of Coffee, Tea, Chocolate or Glass of Milk

Please, No Substitutions

Not Served to Rooms

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Breakfast A la Carte

FRUITS:

TOMATO, GRAPEFRUIT, PINEAPPLE, PRUNE, GRAPE OR ORANGE JUICE 15-30	
GRAPEFRUIT 15	ORANGE 10; SLICED 15 LEMON JUICE 20-40
APPLE 10	APPLESAUCE 15
STEWED PRUNES 15	SLICED BANANA 15 STEWED APRICOTS 15
CANNED PEACHES, PEARS OR PINEAPPLE 15 FIGS 20	

ORANGE MARMALADE 10	STRAWBERRY OR RASPBERRY JAM 15
STRAINED HONEY 15	CURRENT, APPLE OR GRAPE JELLY 15

COOKED OR DRY CEREALS 15	HEAVY CREAM, EXTRA 10-20
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WHEAT OR CORN CAKES 25	FRIED CORNMEAL MUSH 25
CAKES OR FRIED MUSH WITH BACON 45	WITH LITTLE SAUSAGES 50
FRENCH TOAST, WITH JELLY, SYRUP OR HONEY 30	

EGGS: (2) BOILED, SCRAMBLED OR FRIED 25

SHIRRED OR POACHED 30

OMELETTES: PLAIN 30; JAM, MARMALADE, JELLY OR CHEESE 40

HAM, BACON OR CHICKEN LIVER OMELETTE 50 SPANISH OMELETTE 50

SHIRRED EGGS WITH CHICKEN LIVERS OR MUSHROOMS 65

HAM OR LITTLE SAUSAGES AND EGGS 60 BACON AND EGGS 50

CANADIAN BACON AND EGGS COUNTRY STYLE 60

BROILED OR FRIED HAM 50	BACON, PER STRIP 10
TENDERLOIN STEAK 1.00	CANADIAN BACON, PER STRIP 15
Calf Liver with Bacon and French Fried Potatoes 60	

LITTLE SAUSAGES 40

SIRLOIN MINUTE STEAK 1.00 LAMB CHOP (20 MINUTES) EACH 50

CORNED BEEF HASH 35, WITH POACHED EGG 50

BROILED HALF CHICKEN 75 BROILED LAMB KIDNEYS WITH BACON 50

FILET OF SOLE, BROILED OR FRIED 40

BROILED SCROD WITH BACON 50 CODFISH CAKES 30

BROILED SHAD ROE WITH BACON 75

FRENCH FRIED OR HASHED BROWN 25	LYONNAISE 25
STEWED IN CREAM 35	COUNTRY FRIED 25

MUFFINS (2) 10	SWEET ROLLS (2) 10	PLAIN ROLLS 10
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TOASTED ENGLISH MUFFIN (1) 10	TOASTED ROLLS 10
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TOAST DRY, BUTTERED, MELBA OR CINNAMON 10	DOUGHNUTS 10
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MILK TOAST 30	CREAM TOAST 40	BREAD 10
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COFFEE, CUP 10, POT 20	TEA, POT 20	CHOCOLATE, POT 20
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POSTUM OR SANKA, POT 20

MILK 10	BUTTERMILK 10	MALTED MILK, POT 25
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HEAVY CREAM 10-20	HALF AND HALF, GLASS 25	CREAM, GLASS 35
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Room Service Charge 5¢ Per Portion

You will enjoy a visit to Wiggins Old Tavern, the Country Store
and the Court Yard

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Popular priced luncheons, dinners, afternoon teas, table d'hôte and a la carte served in Wiggins Old Tavern which is annexed to and operated as a part of the Hotel Northampton.

In designing "Wiggins Old Tavern," which is annexed to Hotel Northampton, it was with the express purpose of offering greater entertainment to my guests. It has required careful study and research to construct faithfully an Early American Tavern, Ordinary or Inn. Every detail has been studied; effort and expense have not been spared to restore the atmosphere and appearance of an old tavern as it was in the days of our ancestors. The building is over one hundred years old and was used as an Inn until about thirty years ago. There are six Dining-Rooms: on the ground floor is the Ordinary, the Tap Room and the Kitchen, completely furnished with genuine Early American pieces that I have collected and restored for daily use. On the floor above is the Oak room, College room and Yankee room with many interesting antiques.

The hand-hewn beams in the ceiling of the "Ordinary" were left just as I found them after removing many layers of boards and plaster. The walls in the "Ordinary" and "Tap Room" are covered with old paneling, boards and doors which were taken from old houses. The "Kitchen" ceiling timbers were taken from a very old house in Northampton. In this room is an extensive assortment of furnishings such as were used in the daily domestic life of our ancestors. The Fireplaces are reproductions of early ones and are built with stone and handmade brick taken from old fireplaces near Northampton.

In the Tavern Court Yard is the Old Country Store built, furnished, and stocked as a store might have been before 1850. In the attic is the Loom Room filled with rare spinning wheels and old looms working again as they were in early days. In the basement is a large collection of churns, cheese presses, early utensils, etc. Also in the Court Yard is the Pioneer Log Cabin, completely furnished. Beyond the Log Cabin is the Old Wagon and Tool Shed filled with early tools, farming implements, and old Vehicles.

If you care to take this menu, or mail it to a friend, your waiter will supply you with an envelope.

Cordially yours,

Lena Wiggins