

AMERICAN VOLUNTEER.

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MORNING MARKETS.—Saturday morning last, May 2, the early morning markets...

SPRING SHOWERS.—On Sunday and Monday we had several warm showers of rain...

A NUISANCE.—The propping of hand-carts and wheelbarrows on the sidewalks is a nuisance that ought to be abated.

A NEW ARTICLE.—The Gutta Serena Water-proof Blacking and Leather Preserver, for beautifying and softening leather...

THE GRAIN CROP.—Notwithstanding great fears were entertained of the failure of the grain crops, we understand that the late rains have had such a salutary effect upon them...

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.—The School Directors of the various townships of this county met in the court-house, in this borough, on Monday, in compliance with the Act of Assembly...

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"WHY DON'T YOU ABUSE THE REBELS?"

The papers in the interest of our wretched National Administration are constantly asking Democrats "why don't you abuse the rebels more?" Abuse of the rebels, these placemen and dependents appear to think, is an evidence of "loyalty," and in attempting to discharge this part of their "loyal duty," they resort to the most approved system of lying...

Under the above and similar captions Republican editors have, for the last two years, written long and labored articles for the edification of their readers. Such consummate nonsense, such unvarnished lies, is what Blacksnake scribbles call "loyalty," and "abuse of the rebels," and they find fault with Democratic editors for not granting their columns with similar preposterous falsehoods.

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LITTLE BUSINESS OF LITTLE MEN.

Little men—those creatures whose souls might be balanced on the point of the finest cambric needle—will resort to little men-tricks to sustain themselves. The hirings of Mr. Government Lincoln are a series of such little men, and who are as mean as they are little.

The Abolition officers—not all of them, we believe, but the more unscrupulous and shameless—have been at this despicable business for some weeks. They received their instructions from head-quarters, and with the alacrity of leopards they got to work in their respective regiments...

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As appropriate to the season we publish the following beautiful stanza:

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FROM THE LATIN OF GEORGE BURMAN, AT CARLISLE-COURT WINDHAM.

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"THE OLD CURSE OF AMERICA."

President making again an Order—Mr. Lincoln Showing his Hand—Ultimate Effect of Introducing Politics into the Army, &c.

The old curse of America is once more upon her: the evil spirit has returned, with seven other evils, to his old haunt. Mr. Lincoln has held the Presidency of the United States for two miseries and disasters...

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Political Names.

The editor of the New York Express who has had twenty five years experience of fighting the democracy, says: "THE COPPERHEADS."

If there be anything the democracy can stand without, winning or willing, these names; and what is curious, these names became the slogans of their party, and afterward intensely popular. The original division of parties in this country, after 1850, and "republican." The federalists named the republicans "democrats," and they took the name and made it popular...

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THE FAMOUS ORDER NO. 8—HOOKER'S DISMISSAL RECOMMENDED.

The New York Herald publishes the following as the famous order of Gen Burnside, suppressed by the Committee on the conduct of the War:

General Orders—No. 8. HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY OF THE POTOMAC, January 23, 1863.

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THE WAR NEWS.

Important from the Rappahannock. Reported Defeat of Colonel Mulligan.

THE ARMY OF THE POTOMAC IN MOTION.

General Hooker across the Rappahannock—Desperate Fighting before Fredericksburg—Attempt to Outflank the Enemy.

From the best attainable information from persons arriving from the Rappahannock, it appears that some important movements of the army took place on Wednesday night...

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