

Basic Detail Report

Title The Great Remedy.

Date 1862-1863

Medium Lithography; printer's ink and watercolor on wove paper

Description A political cartoon: three kittens or cats are playing in a Liberty Cap, which rests on an American flag draped over a table. The two white kittens wear collars which read "JEFF" and "ABE." The black kitten is in the background with a ribbon around his neck that reads "CONTRABAND." In the left foreground, three dice are showing three sixes. At lower right, three dice show a three and two ones. In the background, there is a large bitters bottle with a label that reads "LINCOLN BLACKSTRAP / DIRECTIONS. / One dose immediately, / another / JANUARY 1, 1863. Continue if necessary / and follow up with / HOT HERBS. / PREPARED / BY THE UNION COMPANY. H. Greeley, Agent."

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 8 3/4 x 12 15/16in. (22.2 x 32.9cm) Sheet (height x width): 10 1/8 x 14 1/16in. (25.7 x 35.7cm)