

Basic Detail Report



TO THE SURGEON.

Ho! ho! old saw bones, here you come,
Yes, when the rebels whack us,
You are always ready with your traps,
To mangle, saw, and hack us.

Title To the Surgeon

Date about 1861-1865

Primary Maker George W. Avery

Medium paper, ink

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Description Ephemeral flyer: "To the Surgeon." A flyer featuring a tri-colored

print of a skeleton wearing a doctor's coat and holding a saw and other

surgical instruments. A small man stands next to the skeleton looking scared. A

short verse about surgeons is printed below the image.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (length x width): 9 3/4 × 7in. (24.8 × 17.8cm)