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American Periodical Series III: Civil War and Reconstruction Series [1850-1900]
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Finding aids:
• American Periodicals, 1741-1900: an Index to the Microfilm Collections -- American Periodicals, 18th century, American Periodicals, 1800-1850, American Periodicals, 1850-1900, Civil War and Reconstruction. Ref room Z6951 H65.
• Partial: Nineteenth Century Masterfile [Poole's Plus] database and Poole's Index to Periodical Literature [1802-1881], Ref room AI3 P7 1963 and microfiche E169.1 L536 LAC 30978-79).

Related resources
• Library of American Civilization fiche collection
• HarpWeek database (VT only)
• African American Newspapers: the 19th Century database (VT only)
• The Civil War: A Newspaper Perspective database (VT only)
• Newman library newspaper guide <http://www.lib.vt.edu/find/eref/newspaperguide.pdf>
• American Memory (Library of Congress) website: <http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/collections/finder.html>
• Documenting the American South (University of North Carolina) website: <http://docsouth.unc.edu>
• Making of America websites
• Magazines and books (University of Michigan): <http://moa.umdl.umich.edu/>
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