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THE WRITINGS OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN, VOL 1
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Abolition
Advice to Youth
Affected Contempt of Refinement
Always Inclined to Idealize That Which We Love
Attempt to Beguile You from Your Grief
Avoid Being Idle
Bad Laws
Bad Bargain
Beauty and Strength of Simplicity.
Could Not Afford to Make Money
Direct While Appearing to Obey
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Endeavoring to Blow up a Storm That He May Ride upon
Events Control Me; I Cannot Control Events
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Farce
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General Grant
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House Divided Against Itself Cannot Stand
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Idealization Which So Easily Runs into the Commonplace
If Slavery Is Not Wrong, Nothing Is Wrong
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Inability to Say "No" as a Positive Weakness
Leave Us to Take Care of Ourselves
Let Us to the End Dare to Do Our Duty as We Understand It
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Murder Case
National Bank
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Not Meddling
Not One Slave or One Drunkard
Not Seldom Ragged, Usually Patched, and Always Shabby.
Not Appearing on the Appointed Wedding Day
One Long Step Removed from Honest Men
Patronizing If Not Contemptuous Condescension
Pay the Fiddler
Peace at Any Price Rose on All Sides
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Plain People, Had to Furnish the Men for the Fighting
Political Smear
Posterity Has Done Nothing
President Polk
Professions Instead of Their Practices
Reorganization of the Judiciary
Revolutions Never Go Backward
Right Makes Might
Sale of Public Lands
Shift His Ground
Shortly You Are to Feel Well Again
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Silent Artillery of Time
Slavery
Sympathy Was the Strongest Element in His Nature
Take Advice with Candid Readiness
Taking Care to Cut His Expressions Close
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Too Silly to Require Any Sort of Notice
Uncommon Power of Clear and Compact Statement
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Wear the Sweetest Idea Threadbare
Whom the Gods Wish to Destroy They First Make Mad
Widow v.s. Gen. Adams
You Work and Toil and Earn Bread and I'll Eat It

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Abolition Societies as Far South as Virginia
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Argument of "Necessity"
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Benefit Only a Portion of Them
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Blood Will Flow on Account of Nebraska
British
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Compromises
Continental Congress
Counterfeit Logic
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Declaration of Independence
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Dirge of One Who Has No Title to Himself
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Dred Scott
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Evasive with His Wife
Execrable Commerce
Father's Request for Money
Free All the Slaves, and Send Them to Liberia
Fugitive Slave Law
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Government Was Made for the White People
Henry Clay
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Improvements
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No Law, Is Free Law!
No Man can be Silent if He Would
Only One Vote, and That from New York, Was Against it
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Request for a Railway Pass
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Revolutions Do Not Go Backward
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Stand with Anybody That Stands Right
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Third-parties
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We Do Not Want to Dissolve the Union; You Shall Not.
We Won't Go out of the Union, and You Shan't!
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You Are Not Lazy, and Still You Are an Idler.

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Fugitive Slave Law
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Act in Such a Manner as to Create No Bad Feeling

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Crocodile
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Debates must Be Saved
Delay Is Ruining Us
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First Suggestion of Offer of Presidency
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Gradual and Not Sudden Emancipation Is Better for All
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Greatest Good to the Greatest Number
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I like the System Which Lets a Man Quit When He Wants to
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Join Now to Save the Good Old Ship of the Union
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 Negroes Are Men
 No Attempt to Force Obnoxious Strangers among the People
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Venomous Snake
Wanting to Work Is So Rare a Want
What Is a State
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Wish No Explanation Made to Our Enemies
Wrangle by the Mouth
You must Stop Thinking Slavery Wrong!

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Aid to Mrs. Helm, Mrs. Lincoln's Sister
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Ask of You Military Success, and I Will Risk the Dictatorship
Blockade
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Call for Militia to Serve for Six Months

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General McClellans Tired Horses
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Grant-Very Meager Writer or Telegrapher
Grant's Exclusion of a Newspaper Reporter
Greeley
Habeas Corpus
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Statehood for West Virginia
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All Know is Where He Went in At
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Better for Their Own Good than If They Had Been Successful
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Cannot Conciliate the South
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Chew and Choke as Much as Possible
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Emancipation
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Habeas Corpus
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Some Deference Shall Be Paid to the Will of the Majority
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Strikes
Suspending the Writ of Habeas Corpus
Thanks for Your Caution
That Some Should Be Rich Shows That Others May Become Rich
Too Lazy to Be Anything but a Lawyer
War at the Best Is Terrible
We Accepted this War, and Did Not Begin it
World Has Never Had a Good Definition of the Word Liberty
Would Make War Rather than Let the Nation Survive
Would Accept War Rather than Let it Perish

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100,000 slaves are now in the United States military service
Abolishing slavery in Washington, DC
Abraham or "Abram"

Act in such a manner as to create no bad feeling

Address at Gettysburg
Address to General Grant
Affected contempt of refinement
All know where he went in at; can't tell where he will come out at
All agreed on this except South Carolina and Georgia
And the war came
As I would not be a slave, so I would not be a master
Ask of you is military success, and I will risk the dictatorship
Bad promises are better broken than kept
Better for their own good than if they had been successful
Boiling the shadow of a pigeon that had starved to death
Bread that his own hands have earned
Came forward and made a virtue of necessity
Circumstantial evidence
Colonization
Common right of humanity

Compensated Emancipation
Conspiracy to perpetuate and nationalize slavery
Constitution alludes to slavery three times
Constitutional Amendment for the Abolishing of Slavery
Cotton gin
Could not afford to make money
Counterfeit logic
Counterfeit logic
Crime to tell him that he is free!
Danger of third-parties
Declaration of Independence
Declaring the African slave trade piracy
Direct while appearing to obey
Dirge of one who has no title to himself
Distinction between a purpose and an expectation
Don't think it will do him a bit of good either
Dred Scott
Dred Scott
Early Consultations with Rebels
Emancipation Proclamation
Emancipation
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Events control me; I cannot control events
Explanations explanatory of explanations explained
Familiarize yourselves with the chains of bondage
Father's request for money
Female Spy
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Forbids the marrying of white people with negroes
Forever forbid the two races living together
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Free all the slaves, and send them to Liberia
Fugitive Slave law
Further Democratic Party Criticism
General Grant is a copious worker
General McClellan's Tired Horses
General Grant
Get along without making either slaves or wives of negroes
Gingerbread
God gave him but little, that little let him enjoy
Government cannot endure permanently half slave and half free
Government was made for the white people
Grant—very meager writer or telegrapher
Grant's Exclusion of a Newspaper Reporter
Gratuitous Hostility

Greeley
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Henry Clay
House divided against itself cannot stand
I can't spare that man, he fights!
I must say I do not think myself fit for the Presidency
I authorize no bargains and will be bound by none
I shall go to the wall for bread and meat
I like the system which lets a man quit when he wants to
Idealization which so easily runs into the commonplace
If the minority will not acquiesce, the majority must
If slavery is not wrong, nothing is wrong
If you do not like him, let him alone
Ills you fly from have no real existence
In the course of ultimate extinction
Irresponsible Newspaper Reporters and Editors
Is there in all republics this inherent and fatal weakness?
It is bad to be poor
Jews
Jibes and sneers in place of argument
Judges are as honest as other men, and not more so
Just leave her alone
Last Public Address
Lee's army, and not Richmond, is your true objective point
Letter Suggesting a Beard
Lincoln's Definition of Democracy
Lincoln's Election
Localized Repeal of Writ of Habeas Corpus
Malice Toward None, with Charity for All
Man cannot prove a negative
Massacre of Three Hundred Colored Soldiers

Men interested to misunderstand
Mexico
Middle ground between the right and the wrong??
Missouri Compromise
Mixing of blood by the white and black races
More a man speaks the less he is understood
Mother of Five Sons Who Have Died
Mrs. Lincoln's Rebel Brother-in-law Killed
Need not have her for either I can just leave her alone
Needs New Tires on His Carriage
Negro Troops
Never stir up litigation
News of Grant's Capture of Vicksburg
No wrong without its remedy
No man can be silent if he would
Not appearing on the appointed wedding day
Not Be Much Oppressed by a Debt Which They Owe to Themselves
Not seldom ragged, usually patched, and always shabby

Not Best to Swap Horses When Crossing a Stream
Nothing valuable can be lost by taking time
One long step removed from honest men
Order expelling all Jews from your department
Order of Retaliation
Ox jumped half over a fence
Pardoned
Patronizing if not contemptuous condescension
Pay and send substitutes
Peace at any price rose on all sides
Printing Money
Probably forever forbid their living together
Public opinion in this country is everything
Repeal of the Missouri Compromise
Repeal of the Fugitive Slave Law
Repentance before forgiveness
Reply to Secretary Seward's Memorandum
Revolutions never go backward
Revolutions do not go backward
Right to eat the bread he earns
Right makes might
Secession is the essence of anarchy
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Sentence of Deserters
Seward's Bid for Power
Sherman's March to the Sea
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Smallest are often the most difficult things to deal with
Story of the Emancipation Proclamation
Strikes
Suppressing all declarations that slavery is wrong
Take advice with candid readiness
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Too Lazy to Be Anything but a Lawyer
Too silly to require any sort of notice
Trembled for his country
Two Sons Who Want to Work
Uncommon power of clear and compact statement
Wanting to work is so rare a want
War at the Best Is Terrible
We Accepted this War, and Did Not Begin it
We do not want to dissolve the Union; you shall not
What I deal with is too vast for malicious dealing
Who has the right needs not to fear
Whom the gods wish to destroy they first make mad

Wilmot Proviso

Wisely given their public servants but little power for mischief

World Has Never Had a Good Definition of the Word Liberty

Would Make War Rather than Let the Nation Survive

Would Accept War Rather than Let it Perish

You work and toil and earn bread, and I'll eat it

You were right and I was wrong

You work and toil and earn bread and I'll eat it

You are not lazy, and still you are an idler