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## THE ARMY OF THE POTOMAC.

We continue in this number our illustrations of the Army of the Potomac, from sketches by our special artists in the field.

Mr. Davis has sent us a sketch of the *Log-huts* in which the troops proceeded to make themselves comfortable after the Battle of Fredericksburg. We reproduce it on page 33. These rude shanties, built of rough logs, with tall wooden chimneys, unthatched roofs and leaky walls, present few claims to architectural merit. But they are a good deal more comfortable than shelter tents, and they can be built in a few hours. Some Colonels, who take proper care of their men, will have a whole regiment comfortably hutted in a couple of days.

The *Teamsters, Duel*, from a sketch by Mr. Waud, on page 33, is one of the humorous scenes in which our camps abound. When a quarrel arises between two colored teamsters a challenge passes, and the combatants lash each other with their long whips until one of them confesses that he can endure no more, and "throws up the sponge." The other is pronounced the victor, and very frequently admonishes his vanquished foe of the necessity of better behavior in future, amidst the roars and laughter of the white spectators.

The Shell IN The Rebel Trenches, drawn by Mr. Homer, is an event of not uncommon occurrence. The secesh chivalry generally place their negroes in the post of danger; and when our gunners get the range of their works and drop a well-aimed shell into them, the skedaddle which ensues is such as Mr. Homer has depicted.

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