

# Basic Detail Report



## Are Republics Ungrateful?, from "Every Saturday: An Illustrated Journal of Choice Readings"

### Date

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### Primary Maker

Thomas Nast

### Medium

Wood engraving on newsprint

### Description

American Reconstruction Era. Captioned "Alcibiades. I have kept back their foes, / while they have told their money, and let out / Their coin upon large interest: I myself. / Rich only in large hurts, All those for this! / Is this the balsam, that the usuring Senate / Pours into captains' wounds?" from the "Timon of Athens" typeset beneath title in black ink.

### Dimensions

Composition: 8 3/4 x 11 11/16 in. (22.2 x 29.7 cm) Sheet: 13 7/8 x 10 7/8 in. (35.2 x 27.6 cm)