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Trumpet reveille
rupturing crisp morning air.
New specters unearthed.

Subdued rebel yell,
opaque fog oan misty morn
lingering on edge.

Grey coats, tattered torn.
Rusty bayonets sinewed
jig-dancing puppets.

Bent legs and elbows,
devilishly gleeful smiles
bobbling heads clash. Clash!

Fissured skulls, rot seeps,
unbinding wretched, foul souls.
Massa's short reign ends.