

# Download First Blood (civil War)

First blood in the Civil War. On April 19, 1861, the first blood of the American Civil War is shed when a secessionist mob in Baltimore attacks Massachusetts troops bound for Washington, D.C. Four soldiers and 12 rioters were killed. One week earlier, on April 12, the Civil War began when Confederate shore batteries opened fire on Union-held...“The Civil War’s First Blood is a comprehensive collection of text and photos/paintings of Missouri before and in the War. It was, in the words of the authors, ‘an especially choice plum for the picking’ and ‘added up to...possessing strategic importance as a breadbasket and supply depot for the nation the nation that possessed its borders and many resources’ (13). Many of the Pennsylvanians present that day believed Biddle was the first man to be struck down by an enemy combatant in the Civil War. Regardless of who shed first blood in what would be the bloodiest of all America’s wars, it seems strange that Biddle remains an overlooked and almost entirely forgotten figure in the Civil War’s rich history. 1 product rating - First Blood The Civil War Series by Time-Life Books Editors (1999, Hardcover) \$5.99. or Best Offer +\$3.79 shipping. 3 new & refurbished from \$2.87. Time Life The Civil War First Blood Fort Sumter to Bull Run. Pre-Owned. \$9.99. or Best Offer. Free Shipping.