

Re-imagining the American Civil War:
John Steuart Curry's Illustrations for the *Red Badge of Courage*
and *John Brown's Body*

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John Stuart Curry,
“Henry Fleming, soldier,”
from *The Red Badge of Courage*
by Stephen Crane, 1944 edition
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Photographic reproduction of John
Stuart in Union uniform,
date unknown, Kansas State University,
Marianna Kistler Beach Museum of Art
Manhattan, Kansas



John Stuart Curry,
preliminary sketch for “From this region came the steady current of the maimed”
for *The Red Badge of Courage* by Stephen Crane, 1944 edition
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John Stuart Curry, "From this region came the steady current of the maimed"
from *The Red Badge of Courage* by Stephen Crane, 1944 edition
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John Steuart Curry,
"And John Brown prayed to his God,"
from *John Brown's Body*
by Stephen Vincent Benét,
1948 edition