Battle Of Bull Run-Johnny Horton
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C                                    F                  C
The sun shown bright and clear that day we all left Washington
                                   F              C
To lick the Rebel boys in gray at the Battle of Bull Run
                                F            C
They came from Pennsylvania and some from Maryland
                                   F                 C
To see the Rebel boys get spanked by Honest Abe's broad hand

                                     F          C
We said we'll run 'em to Atlanta and to Galveston Bay
                                   F            C     F           C
But they ran us back to Washington and Philadelphia and Philadelphia

                                        F              C
The ladies wore their brightest shawls the gentlemen were gay
                                  F               C
They came to see their Yankee boys whip old Virginia
                                     F              C
I held my momma's hand and skipped when a soldier said to me
                                        F                 C
Would you rather have Jeff Davis' hat or the sword of Bobbie Lee

Repeat #2
                                     F                  C
And then the general doffed his hat and said let's rest a spell
                                      F             C
And for the first time we all heard that awful rebel yell
                                F             C
The waters of Manassas creek became a ruby red
                                  F              C
And many a Reb and Yankee boy lay in the willows dead

Repeat #2

                                    F                C
A fight locked in the chest of time too horrible to tell
                                  F                  C
Virginny's true green countryside became a lake of hell
                                                   F                          C
Don't count your chicks before they're hatched or you'll work until it's done
                                F             C
Remember yes remember long the Battle of Bull Run

Repeat #2
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