



## Divided Loyalties: Kentucky's Struggle for Armed Neutrality in the Civil War

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Savas Beatie. 1 Cloth(s), 2012. hard. Book Condition: New. On May 16, 1861, the Kentucky state legislature passed an ordinance declaring its neutrality in the American Civil War, but the slave state's alleged support for the Union was at odds with its social and cultural heritage. Drawing upon letters, journals, and newspapers of the era, James Finck focuses on that pivotal year, delving into how both politicians and average citizens felt about the looming conflict. The substantial appendix includes a host of primary documents, among them Abraham Lincoln's "House Divided" speech and the Crittenden Compromise. 243.



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