

Uncommon soldier - the Civil War letters of Sarah Rosetta Wakeman, alias Private Lyons Wakeman, 153rd Regiment, New York State Volunteers

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Lyons Wakeman during her enrollment in.

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Wakeman was involved in several battles, but died, like so many other soldiers during the war, not on the battle field but from illness , but gravely ill, because of an



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epidemic infection on June 19, 1864. Unfortunately, she had to explain later that she had naively lent it to the first lieutenant and sergeant and received a promissory note in return for the whole amount including interest.

What transforms the letters of Pvt. Soon after she joined the 153d Volunteers of New York, lured by the signing bonus, regular pay, and the adventure of war. Here, her story is partially told via letters she wrote home while she was in the army as part of the NY Volunteers.

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Her letters, the only such correspondence known to exist, provide a rare glimpse of what life was like for a woman fighting as a common soldier in the Civil War under the guise of a man. What transforms the letters of Pvt.

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Sarah Rosetta Wakeman's letters are full of grammar errors, pride and care for her family.

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It's amazing how much doesn't change, I laughed quite a bit while reading things I swear could have been written by my husband during his deployments.

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