



Capt. Almont Barnes, 1st N.Y. Light Artillery, Battery C, Civil War

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Createspace Independent Publishing Platform, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.This book is both a biography of Almont Barnes and a history of First New York Light Artillery, Battery C, in the Civil War. It is also a great STORY because the world knows very little about him; even Arlington National Cemetery, where Almont Barnes is buried, is looking for information about him. Almont Barnes was my great grandfather, my mother s mother s father. My mother never told me much about him, probably because she didn t know much. She told me that he had been a newspaper editor in upstate New York and a Captain in the Civil War, and that there was a monument honoring him and his men at Gettysburg. She said that he was a very fine artist, mostly oil paintings -- landscapes. She said that sometime after the Civil War he left his family and ran off with a Spanish dancer! End of story. Much of what I have written here I have learned by searching the internet and corresponding with other people who were conducting similar research. As...



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