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[Foreword](#)

Michael Fellman

In 1861, Francis Moore appeared to be a perfectly ordinary middle-class twenty-three-year-old man, settling into a secure and dull life as a carriage maker in his bustling Mississippi River hometown of Quincy, Illinois, population 14,000 and growing fast. The Story of My Campaign: The Civil War Memoir of Captain Francis T. Moore, Second Illinois Calvary There he well might have lived out his life in unadventurous comfort; but then the Civil War burst out, and Moore, The Story of My Campaign: The Civil War Memoir of Captain Francis T. Moore, Second Illinois Calvary along with most of his chums, like The Story of My Campaign: The Civil War Memoir of Captain Francis T. Moore, Second Illinois Calvary young men everywhere, The Story of My Campaign: The Civil War Memoir of Captain Francis T. Moore, Second Illinois Calvary both north and The Story of My Campaign: The Civil War Memoir of Captain Francis T. Moore,

Second Illinois Cavalry south, rushed to enlist in the army, in his case in a brand-new volunteer cavalry regiment. Moore's company set off almost immediately for what proved to be four years of nasty warfare, plunging into shattering experiences that would have been unimaginable back in small-town Illinois and that uprooted him, *The Story of My Campaign: The Civil War Memoir of Captain Francis T. Moore, Second Illinois Cavalry* body and mind, for the remainder of his life.

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