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Guide to the

**Ernst Wolters papers**

1863-1865

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## Summary

**Creator:** Wolters, Ernst

**Title:** Ernst Wolters papers

**Date:** 1863-1865

**Size:** .1 linear feet (1 folder)

**Abstract:** The Ernst Wolters papers include a history of the 178th Regiment, New York, Volunteer Infantry from 1863-1865; a diary Wolters kept during his service, from March-April 1865, with Headquarters Band, 16th Army Corps; pencil drawings of Spanish Fort and Fort Blakeley (Alabama); and a photograph (tintype or ambrotype) of Wolters with a woman and another soldier, in a hinged frame. Some of the written material is in German

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## Key Terms

### Genre/Physical Characteristic

Ambrotypes (photographs)

Diaries

Drawings (visual works)

Tintypes (prints)

### Geographic Names

Fort Blakely (Ala.) -- History

New York (State) -- History -- Civil War, 1861-1865 -- Regimental histories

Spanish Fort (Ala.) -- History

United States -- History -- Civil War, 1861-1865 -- Pictorial works

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### Subjects

Soldiers -- Diaries

**Names**

Wolters, Ernst

United States. Army. New York Infantry Regiment, 178th (1862-1865)