

**CW/VFM 77: Milo Reynolds**

Milo Reynolds enlisted in the 10<sup>th</sup> Connecticut Volunteers Company D, on September 2<sup>nd</sup> 1861. He would be wounded on December 14<sup>th</sup> 1862 in Kinston, NC. Less than two years later he would be killed in action on May 16<sup>th</sup>, 1864 at Drewry's Bluff, Virginia. The bullet that killed him and the tintype on him were sent home to his family.

- A letter from Pvt. Milo Reynolds of the 10<sup>th</sup> Connecticut Volunteers to his family. The folder contains a transcript of the letter and a photo-static copy. The letter is simple and speaks mostly of camp life and also sends advice back home. Ms 2 pp. Copy 2pp.
- Correspondence between the donor, Milo W. Scherer and John H. Knickerbocker (director of the Civil War Institute) dated from 23 February 1963 through 6 March 1963 explaining the provenance of the letter. Scherer's letter indicates that Reynolds was killed at "Drurys Bluff" [sic] and a tintype was found on his body.

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