George W. Alexander and Castle Thunder: A Confederate Prison and Its Commandant

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Castle Thunder, a Confederate prison for political prisoners and deserters. In its four-year run, the Castle had three commandants: Captain George W. Alexander opened the prison and oversaw the facility with a George W. Alexander and Castle Thunder: A Confederate Prison Posts about Castle Thunder. The prison's most notorious commandant was Captain George W. Alexander. While the Confederates did not know he was a spy, his circumstances were