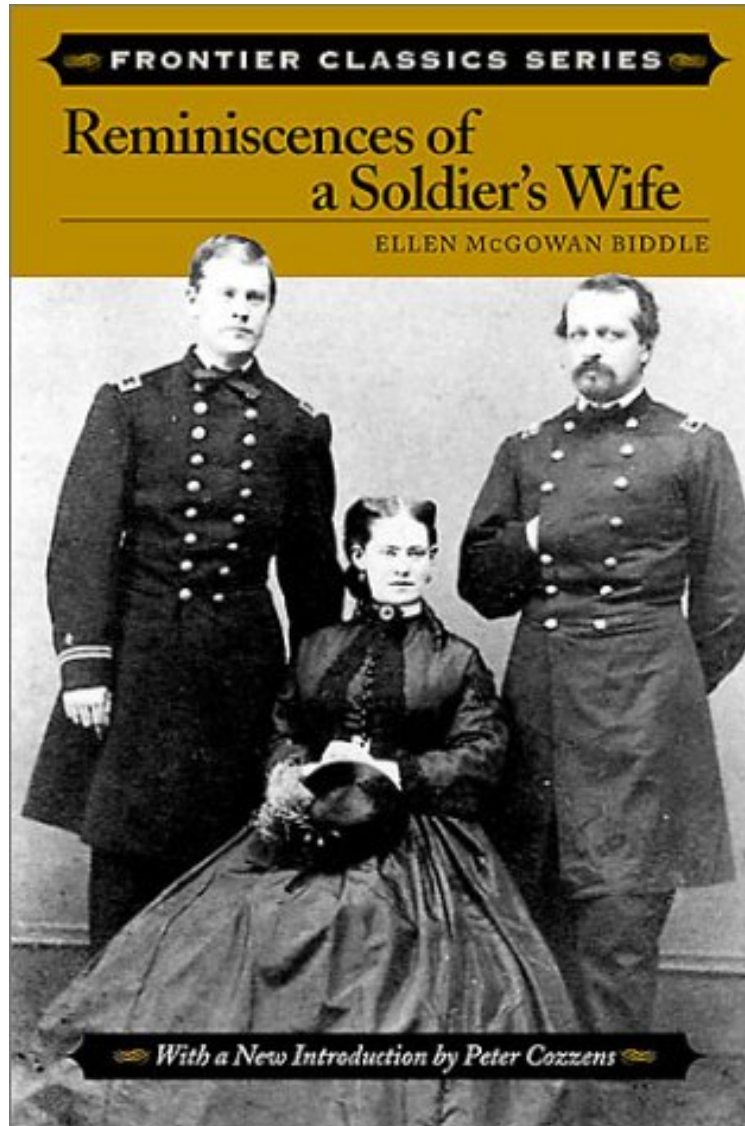


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About the Author Peter Cozzens is the author of several acclaimed books on the Civil War and Western history, including the trilogy "The Civil War in the West; General John Pope: A Life for the Nation," "Eyewitnesses to the Indian Wars, 1865-1890: Volume I, The Struggle for Apacheria" (0811705722); and "Eyewitnesses to the Indian Wars: Volume II, The Wars for the Pacific Northwest" (0811705730)."