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and Mythic Afterlife of
George Armstrong Custer

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Ohio / Michigan a Democratic family

West Point - last in his class of 34 - graduated 1861

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