SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The Robert Looney Caruthers White Autograph Collection consists of 134 autographs and autograph letters, 1783-1895, collected by R.L.C. White. With the exception of four items which are negative photostats, all items are original. Most signatures belong to authors, historians and statesmen, with the bulk composed of signatures of members of the U.S. Congress ca. 1860.

R.L.C. White was a resident of Wilson County, Tennessee, who was educated at Cumberland University, Nashville Medical College, and Jefferson Medical College. He served in the Confederate Army during the Civil War, and later served as editor of the Lebanon Herald. In 1883, he was elected Grand Keeper of the Records and Seal of the State of Tennessee.
CONTAINER LIST

The following is an alphabetical listing of autographs and autographed letters in the Robert Looney Caruthers White Autograph Collection, along with the date, if known, of the autograph.

**Folder 1**
Abbott, Jacob, n.d.
Abbott, Waldo, 1860
Anderson, W.C., 1860
Andrew, James Osgood, n.d.
Anthon, Charles, 1858
Ashmore, John D., n.d.
Avery, William T., 1860
Banks, Nathaniel P., 1860
Barksdale, William, n.d.
Bell, J., n.d.
Berrien, John Macpherson, n.d.
Blake, H.G., 1860
Bocock, Thomas S., 1860
Botts, John M., n.d.
Bouligny, J.E., n.d.
Brabson, R.B., 1860
Bristow, F.M., 1860
Brown, A.G., 1860
Brown, Aaron V., 1858
Brown, Neill S., 1860
Brownlow, W.G., 1858
Burlingame, A., n.d.
Butler, William Allen, 1858

**Folder 2**
Cameron, Simon, 1860
Clark, Daniel, 1858
Clark, L. Gaylord, 1860
Clemens, Sherrard, n.d.
Cobb, Sylvanus, Jr., 1858
Cochrane, John, 1860
Colfax, Schuyler, 1860
Cozzens, Frederic S., 1858
Cushing, C., n.d.
Day, Horace, 1860
Doolittle, J.R., 1858
Eliot, Thomas D., 1860
English, William H., n.d.
Etheridge, Emerson, 1860
Evans, Josiah J., n.d.
Everett, Edward, n.d.
Everett, Edward, 1863

**Folder 3**
Fern, Fanny, 1858
Fillmore, Millard (photostat), 1860
Floyd, John B., n.d.
Foote, Henry S., 1860
Foster, L.F.S., 1858
Frelinghuysen, Theodore, 1860
French, Alice (aka Octave Thanet), 1895
French, L. Virginia, 1859
Goodrich, S.G., 1858
Grow, Galusha A., n.d.
Gurley, John A., 1860
Halleck, Fitz-Greene, 1860
Hammond, J.H., 1859
Headley, Joel T., n.d.
Houston, Sam (photostat), 1858
Humphrey, J., 1860

**Folder 4**
Ingraham, J.H., 1860
Iverson, Alfred, n.d.
Johnson, Reverdy, 1861
Jones, George W., n.d.
Jones, James C., 1857
Jones, John J., Sr. (2), n.d.
Jones, John Paul (photostat), 1783
Kavanaugh, H.H., n.d.
Keeler, Oscar T., 1860
Kennedy, Anthony, n.d.
Kennedy, John P., 1860
Kilgore, D., 1860
King, Preston, n.d.
Lanman, Charles, 1860
Leland, Charles G. (printed), 1861
Le Vert, Octavia Walton, 1857
Longfellow, Henry W. (photostat), n.d.
Lovejoy, O., n.d.

**Folder 5**
Masterson, M.G., 1858
Maynard, Horace, 1860
Miller, P.M., 1822
Millson, John S., 1860
Millward, William, 1860
Mitchell, Donald G., 1858
Moore, Laban T., n.d.
Morris, George P., 1868
Nelson, Thomas A.R., 1860
Nelson, William, n.d.
Nicholson, A.O.P., 1860
Orr, James L., n.d.
Paine, Robert, n.d.
Parrott, Marcus J., 1860
Peale, Rembrandt, 1860
Pennington, William, n.d.
Perry, John J., n.d.
Peyton, Balie, n.d.
Pierce, George F., n.d.
Pierpont, John, 1860
Polk, James K., 1822 (missing as of 12/11/2000)
Prentice, George D., n.d.
Prescott, William H., 1858
Pryor, Roger A., 1860

**Folder 6**
Quarles, James M., n.d.
Quitman, J.A., 1858
Ready, Charles, 1859
Rice, Alexander H., 1860
Saxe, John G., 1858
Scott, Nancy N., 1860
Seward, William H., 1858
Sherman, John, 1860
Shillaber, B.P. (2), 1860
Sigourney, Lydia Huntley, n.d.
Silliman, B., 1849
Simms, W.E., 1860
Simms, W. Gilmore, n.d.
Soule, Joshua, n.d.

**Folder 7**
Vallandigham, Clement Laird, 1860
Verree, John P., 1860
Washburn, C.C., n.d. (see item for A.
        Burlingame in folder 1)
Washburn, I., Jr., n.d.
Wilson, Henry, n.d.
Winthrop, Robert C., 1860
Wise, Henry A., 1859
Woodruff, John (2), 1860
Worcester, J.E., 1860
Wright, John V., 1860

Soulé, Pierre, n.d.
Taney, R.B., 1860
Tappan, Mason W., 1860
Thayer, Eli, n.d.
Thomas, James H., 1860
Thompson, J., n.d.
Thomson, Mortimer (aka Q.K. Philander
        Doesticks), 1858
Toucey, Isaac, 1859
Train, Charles R., 1860
Trousdale, J.A., 1859
Tyler, John (photostat), 1860