Guide to the William Fulton letter
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Summary Information

Repository
University Libraries Division of Special Collections, The University of Alabama

Creator
Fulton, William

Title
William Fulton letter

Date
1865 April 12

Extent
0.05 Linear feet (1 item; typescript)

Language
English

Abstract
Typescript copy of a letter dated 12 April 1865, written by Fulton to his sister, Mrs. Theodora Fulton Pettus, describing the surrender of Mobile, Alabama, to Union forces.

Preferred Citation note
William Fulton Letter, University Libraries Division of Special Collections, The University of Alabama
Biographical/Historical note

William Fulton was about 17 years old when the city of Mobile, Alabama, surrendered to the Union forces in April 1865.

Scope and Contents note

The collection contains a typescript copy of a letter dated 12 April 1865, written by 17-year old Fulton to his sister, Mrs. Theodora Fulton Pettus in Livingston, Alabama, describing the surrender of Mobile to Union forces.

Administrative Information

Publication Information
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Revision Description
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Conditions Governing Access note
None

Conditions Governing Use note
None

Provenance
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Controlled Access Headings

Geographic Name(s)

- Alabama--History--Civil War, 1861-1865
- Mobile (Ala.)--History--Civil War, 1861-1865
- United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865--Personal narratives

Subject(s)

- Alabama
- Civil War
- War and Military
**Collection Inventory**

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