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**SC 3708 HILL, John W., 1836-1928**

1 folder. 4 items. 1861-1862. Photocopies, typescripts.

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***BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORD***

SC HILL, John W., 1861-1862  
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Letters of John W. Hill, a sergeant in Terry's Texas Rangers of the Confederate Army, written from Bowling Green, Kentucky and vicinity. Recovering from measles, he recounts the illnesses of some of his comrades, and scouting expeditions in which they experienced a skirmish and stole livestock from Union men. He also describes the battle and casualties at Woodsonville, Kentucky. Includes letters from Hill's brother Robert (Bob), serving as assistant surgeon with the company, remarking on the fortifications at Bowling Green and the possibility that Union troops would find a "second Manassas" if they attacked; Bob also remarks on Dutch soldiers serving the Union and the distress of their families. The original letters are held by the University of Texas at Austin.

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***SUBJECT ANALYTICS***

Civil War, 1861-1865 – Bowling Green, 1861-1862  
Civil War, 1861-1865 – Campaigns, battles, military actions – Woodsonville, 1861  
Civil War, 1861-1865 – Terry's Texas Rangers  
Hill, Mary Scott, 1844-1930 – Letters to  
Hill, Robert Edward, 1832-1881

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