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Summary Information

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Biographical sketch

William Clement Bryant (1830-1898) came to Buffalo, NY in 1854 to practice law. While in NY, he also served as the president of the Buffalo Historical Society in 1876, and as president of the Thomas Orphan Asylum. He had a deep interest in the lives of the Indigenous people around him, particularly the Iroquois, and did personal and public research on the history of Buffalo and surrounding areas relating to Indigenous peoples.

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Summary

This collection includes correspondence with a number of people, including Horatio Hale, William H. Samson, William Kirby, George S. Conover, and others, and pertains to research, publication, and other enterprises regarding prominent individuals such as Red Jacket and Joseph Brant, and the Cherry Valley Massacre. Correspondence includes linguistic, genealogical, and historical information, including sensitive content.

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Arrangement

Selected materials cataloged; remainder arranged.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Indians of North America -- New York (State) -- History
- New York (State) -- History
- Names, Iroquois
- Clark, J. S
- Conover, George S (George Stillwell), 1824-
- Stone, William L (William Leete), 1835-1908
- Samson, William H
- Kirby, William
- Buffalo Historical Society (Buffalo, N.Y.)
- Red Jacket, Seneca chief, approximately 1756-1830
- Six Nations

Collection Inventory

Series I: Cataloged Correspondence

Title/Description	Instances
Alward, Dennis R.	box 1

Bryant, William Clements	box 1
Beach, W. W.	box 1
Clark, John S.	box 1
Clinton, G. W.	box 1
Conover, George S.	box 1
Converse, Harriet Maxwell	box 1
Donovan, William R. O.	box 1
Drake, Thomas L.	box 1
Draper, Lyman C.	box 1
Fellows, Joseph	box 1
Gilkison, J. T.	box 1
Hale, Horatio	box 1
Harris, George H.	box 1
Harris, Julia E.	box 1
Hayden, Horace Edwin	box 1
Hosmer, W. H. C.	box 1
Howell, Thomas Morris	box 1
Howland, N. R.	box 1
Hubbard, J. N.	box 1
Jones, Charles	box 1
Kirby, William	box 1
Letchworth, William P.	box 1
Lossing, Benson J.	box 1
Marshall, C. D.	box 1
Marshall, Elizabeth C.	box 1
Middleton, Petana	box 1
Minard, John S.	box 1
P., I. T.	box 1
Parker, Ely Samuel	box 1
Plumb, J. B.	box 1
Samson, William H.	box 1
Simms, J. R.	box 1

Smith, Erminnie	box 1
Stewart, E. W.	box 1
Stone. William L.	box 1
Strong, N. T.	box 1
Sullivan, John J.	box 1
Van Cortlandt, C. E.	box 1
Waer, John?	box 1

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Series II: Miscellaneous Correspondence

Title/Description	Instances
Miscellaneous letters from unidentified people	box 1

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