

1764; Oliver Wolcott, letter signed, 1797; Wm. Paca, autograph letter signed, 1772; Sam'l Huntington, do., 1785; Francis Lightfoot Lee, do., 1771; Lewis Morris, letter signed, 1790; Chas. Carroll, autograph letter signed, 1775; Sam'l Chase, do., 1785; Jas. Wilson, document signed, 1792; Benj. Harrison, autograph letter signed, 1788; Thos. Heyward, Jr., signature, 1788; Stephen Hopkins, document signed, 1761; Edw. Rutledge, do., 1795; Jas. Smith, autograph letter signed, 1779; John Witherspoon, do., 1785; Benj. Franklin, do., 1770; Thos. Jefferson, do., 1814; John Hancock, do., 1770; Benj. Rush, do., 1796; Jas. Wilson, do., 1792; Geo. Walton, document signed, 1784; Rob't Treat Paine, do., n. d.

Signers of Federal Constitution: Dan'l of St. Thomas Jenifer, autograph letter signed, 1785; Chas. C. Pinckney, do., 1815; Rich'd Bassett, do., 1811; Jacob Broom, do., 1807; Geo. Clymer, do., 1799; John Rutledge, do., 1778; Jas. Wilson, do., 1793.

The manuscript collections for the year have been limited to a few, but valuable contributions:

1. Journal of James McCall, one of the commissioners appointed to locate a district of country near Green Bay for the New York Indians in 1830; together with a copy of the secretary of war's instructions to the commissioners, and a memoir of the writer. From A. J. McCall.

2. Two account books kept by Ebenezer Brigham at the Blue Mounds, in 1828; list of soldiers at the Blue Mound fort during the Black Hawk War in 1832, with a memorandum of the current events of the time, kept by an occupant of the garrison. Deposited by J. R. Brigham and H. G. Bliss.

3. Sketch of Col. Wm. S. Hamilton, a Wisconsin pioneer, by his brother, Philip Hamilton.

*Antiquities.*—A small copper coffee pot, with date of 1712 on it, presented by A. Harseim, of town of Madison, the same having been in the family from that date; also a pewter platter, dated 1783, from the same. A small earthen image found among the ruins of the city of Uxaleeh, Yucatan—supposed made by Toltecs—found in the outskirts of the city, where large trees are growing in the ruins of palaces, from Col. C. C. G. Thornton.