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Descriptive Summary
Title: Anthony Trollope Letters,
Date (inclusive): 1835-1882
Collection number: 422
Creator: Trollope, Anthony, 1815-1882
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Abstract: Anthony Trollope (1815-1882) was a novelist known for his Barsetshire and Palliser series of novels. Individual novels include *Barchester Towers* (1857), *Can you forgive her?* (1865), and *The way we live now* (1875). The collection consists of photostat copies of 932 extant letters by Anthony Trollope used for the publication, *The letters of Anthony Trollope*, edited by Bradford Allen Booth.

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Gift of B.A. Booth, 1954.

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Biography
Trollope was born on April 24, 1815 in London, England; attended Winchester and Harrow; worked as a junior clerk in the General Post Office and was then transferred as a postal surveyor to Ireland; in 1859 he moved back to London, resigning
from the civil service in 1867; stood unsuccessfully as a Liberal candidate for Parliament in 1868; became a novelist, known for his Barsetshire and Palliser series of novels, among others; individual novels include: *Barchester Towers* (1857), *Can you forgive her?* (1865), *The Eustace diamonds* (1873), and *The way we live now* (1875); he died in London on December 6, 1882.

**Scope and Content**
Collection consists of photostat copies of 932 extant letters by Anthony Trollope. They were used for the 1951 Oxford University Press publication, *The letters of Anthony Trollope*, edited by Bradford Allen Booth.

**Organization and Arrangement**
Arranged in the following series:

1. Letters are arranged chronologically.

**Indexing Terms**
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.

Trollope, Anthony, 1815-1882.
Authors, English--19th century--Archival resources.
Photocopies.

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