Head Quarters
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This is to certify that Col. Bolling Hall was a student of this Institution; and that he distinguished himself as a scholar and a gentleman. His scholastic attainments were especially good in Mathematics and its kindred branches.

I have followed his career during this war with a just pride in those high qualities of courage, and coolness and skill, which make the superior officer - His social position is high & influential & there is no regimental commander in the lines of Alabama, whose promotion to a Brigadiership, would give more universal satisfaction, or more largely promote the public good -

L. C. Garland
Pres.t of Un.y & Sup.t A.C.C.

Montgomery July 8/64

I most cheerfully unite in recommending the promotion to Brigadier General of Colonel Bolling Hall. He is without doubt one of the most gallant, meritorious & capable officers ever sent to the field from this State. For proof of his capacity & extraordinary gallantry while connected with the Army of Tennessee reference may be safely made to Genl Bragg then in command of that Army. While his Brigade Commander (Genl Gracie) will testify as to the character of his services since he has been in Virginia (where he has been severely wounded) as well as before.

Very respy

R. W. Walker