Mrs. Lincoln: A Life

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Mrs. Lincoln accompanied her mortally wounded husband across the street to the Petersen House, where he was taken to a back bedroom and laid crosswise on the bed there, where Lincoln's Cabinet was summoned, except William Seward, who had been seriously attacked by Lewis Powell, just as Booth was about to carry out his assassination at Ford's Theater, several minutes earlier. In an act approved by a low margin on July 14, 1870, the United States Congress granted Mrs. Lincoln a life pension of $3,000 a year ($61,397 in 2020 dollars). Mary had lobbied hard for such a pension, writing numerous letters to Congress and urging patrons such as Simon Cameron to petition on her behalf. This version of Mrs. Lincoln's life allows the reader to understand the complex woman and gain a glimpse into her world.

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Catherine Clinton did a service to Mary Lincoln by enlisting our empathy for her very sad life even as we agree that she was one of the worst First Ladies to live in the White House.

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