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Guide to the

**Thomas Wentworth Higginson letters and miscellany**

1854-1905

MssCol 4446

## Summary

**Creator:** Higginson, Thomas Wentworth, 1823-1911

**Title:** Thomas Wentworth Higginson letters and miscellany

**Date:** 1854-1905

**Size:** .1 linear feet (1 folder)

**Abstract:** Letters written by American Unitarian minister, author, and abolitionist Thomas Wentworth Higginson to various parties on such topics as his writings and their publication; libraries; book purchases; lecture and travel engagements; and social matters. Also present are a draft of his essay on libraries, "Access to the Shelves," and several autographs

**Access:** Advance notice required.

**Physical Location:** MssCol 4446

**Preferred citation:** Thomas Wentworth Higginson letters and miscellany, Manuscripts and Archives Division, The New York Public Library

## Custodial History

Some items were originally received as part of the Ford collection.

## Key Terms

### Genre/Physical Characteristic

Manuscripts for publication

### Names

Higginson, Thomas Wentworth, 1823-1911

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