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Guide to the

**Oliver Cromwell letter to John Cotton**

1651

MssCol 696

## Summary

**Creator:** Cromwell, Oliver, 1599-1658

**Title:** Oliver Cromwell letter to John Cotton

**Date:** 1651

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

**Abstract:** One letter from Oliver Cromwell to John Cotton written after the Battle of Worcester, October 2, 1651, which destroyed the last major Scottish Royalist army. Cromwell alludes to his difficulties in treating with the Scots

**Physical Location:** MssCol 696

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## Custodial History

Purchased at auction by Henry Stevens on behalf of James Lenox in 1854.

## Key Terms

### Subjects

Worcester, Battle of, Worcester, England, 1651

### Names

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