

Letter from Thomas Crompton, Stone to Walter Bagot, Blithfield, 1622 June 13: autograph manuscript signed, Papers of the Bagot family of Blithfield, Staffordshire. Transcription by Early Modern Manuscripts Online (EMMO). MS L.a.400, Folger Shakespeare Library, Washington, DC.

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Sir

I haue sent this bearer for my tow whelpes
it hath pleased you to bestow vppon mee
I am intreated to meet mr High Sherriff
to morrow att Newcastle touching *the bene=*
volence I pray you giue mee but a touch
in a line or two what *the* Coountry did and
what course you did take *that* being all of
one hundred wee may run one and *the* same
coorse soe with *the* remembrance of my loue
to your self and my good Cosin your bed fellow
I rest

Your Kinsman and ever
Loving frend
Thomas Crompton
Stone *the* xiiith
of Iune 1622

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To *the* right worrshipfulle and
my very good Cosin
Walter Bagott esquire att
Blythfeild giue these