

El general en jefe del cuerpo de Ejercito del Norte, a los habitantes de los departamentos de Coahuila, Nuevo León y Tamaulipas
Finding Aid

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SUMMARY

Size	1 item (1 folder)
Geographic Locations	Saltillo, Coahuila; Matamoros, Tamaulipas; and Monterrey, Nuevo León, Mexico
Inclusive Dates	1846
Languages	Spanish
Summary	The item in the collection is a broadside written by Pedro de Ampudia in 1846 denouncing the United States.
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BIOGRAPHICAL/HISTORICAL NOTE

Pedro de Ampudia served Mexico as an officer of the Northern army for many years. He saw action at the Alamo and the Battle of San Jacinto during the Texas fight for independence. Ampudia was the commander of the Mexican army unit that defeated the Texans of the Mier Expedition in 1842. During the Mexican War (1846-1848), he fought at the Battle of Palo Alto, the Battle of Resaca de la Palma, and the Battle of Monterrey. In addition to his military career, Ampudia served as governor of Tabasco, Nuevo León, and Yucatán.

Ampudia was born on January 30, 1805 in Havana, Cuba, and emigrated to Mexico after the Mexican War of Independence. He died on August 7, 1868 in Mexico City.

Handbook of Texas Online, David M. Vigness, "Ampudia, Pedro De," accessed March 09, 2017, <http://www.tshaonline.org/handbook/online/articles/fam05>.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

The item in the collection is a broadside written by Pedro de Ampudia in 1846 denouncing the United States of America. Ampudia reminds the populace that the country overcame Spanish domination and can do the same under Santa-Ana's leadership in the war with the United States. At this point, August 28, 1846, Matamoros had fallen to the US Army, and Monterrey would be next in just a few weeks.

INDEX TERMS

Ampudia y Grimarest, Pedro Nolasco Martín José María de la Candelaria Francisco
Javier, 1805-1868
Santa Anna, Antonio López de, 1794-1876

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Matamoros (Tamaulipas, Mexico)
Monterrey (Nuevo León, Mexico)
Saltillo (Coahuila, Mexico)