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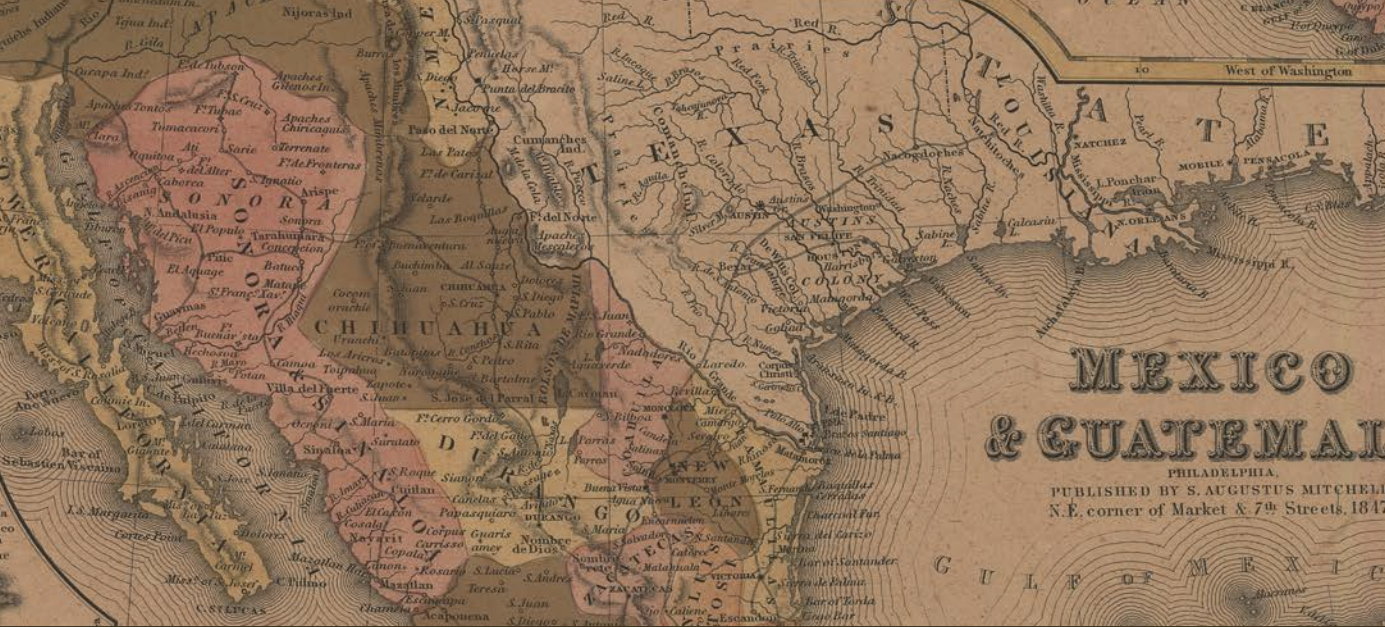
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# EXAMPLE ARTIFACTS

## MANUSCRIPTS

correspondence, organizational records, unpublished material

## NEWSPAPERS

local papers on microfilm & physical copies

## HISTORICAL PUBLICATIONS

yearbooks, phonebooks, cultural resource reports, etc.

## EPHEMERA

ticket stubs, programs, flyers, news clippings, etc.

## BOOKS

out-of print, rare, and hard to find books on Nevada topics

## AND MORE

# WHAT IS THE CAHLAN RESEARCH LIBRARY?

Broadly speaking, the Cahlan Research Library is a special library because it contains material of specialized interest. While public libraries contain materials on almost every topic imaginable, special libraries have a narrower focus (specialized interest). In the case of the Cahlan Research Library at Nevada State Museum, Las Vegas, our specialized interest is the history of Nevada, with an emphasis on southern Nevada. Although we are not an academic library, our collections are more compared to university special collections. Famous examples of special libraries are the Library of Congress and presidential libraries.

Because items in the research library are museum artifacts that require special care, the library cannot be browsed. Additionally, material cannot be checked out from the library. In some cases, you may be required to use gloves to handle the material. Due to staffing shortages, anything other than newspaper research requires an appointment.

Visit <http://bit.ly/nsmlv-library> for more information or to register as a researcher.

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