José Gil de Partearroyo papers

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Descriptive Summary
Title: José Gil de Partearroyo papers
Dates: 1826-1868
Collection Number: mssPT 1-82
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Abstract: The collection consists of letters and documents related chiefly to the military career of José Gil de Partearroyo.
Language of Material: The records are in Spanish.
Access
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Acquisition Information
Purchased from Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Holman, February 15, 1959.
Biographical Note
José María Gil de Partearroyo (born 1811), Mexican brigadier general and minister of war and navy, served in the Mexican-U.S. War (1846-1848) and was sympathetic to the cause of Benito Juárez during the War of the Reforma (1857-1859) and the three-year war known as the European Intervention of 1860-1862. In May 1863 he retired from military service after serving for thirty-nine years.
Arrangement
The collection is arranged chronologically. It is housed in one box.
Scope and Content
The collection consists mostly of letters and documents (including orders) addressed to José María Gil de Partearroyo and related chiefly to military matters, the Mexican War, the War of the Reforma, the European Intervention, and with Benito Juárez and Miguel Miramón.
Correspondents represented in the collection include: Demetrio Chavero (20 letters), Santos Degollado (3 letters), Benito Juárez (2 letters), José Mejía (16 letters), Melchor Ocampo (2 letters), and Antonio López de Santa Anna (1 letter). There are four items written by José María Gil de Partearroyo.
Personal Names
Chavero, Demetrio, active 1845
Degollado, Santos, 1811-1861
Gil de Partearroyo, José -- Archives
Juárez, Benito, 1806-1872
Mejía, José, active 1845
Miramón, Miguel, 1831-1867
Ocampo, Melchor, 1814-1861
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Santa Anna, Antonio López de, 1794-1876

Subjects
Generals -- Mexico -- Correspondence
Mexican War, 1846-1848 -- Sources

Geographic Areas
Mexico -- History -- 1821-1861 -- Sources
Mexico -- History -- European intervention, 1861-1867 -- Sources
Mexico -- History, Military -- Sources

Genre
Letters (correspondence) -- Mexico -- 19th century
Orders (military records) -- Mexico -- 19th century

Box 1 1826-1858

PT 78 Miscellaneous military papers (1826-1830)
6 items

PT 72 Victoria, Guadalupe, 1786-1843. To José Gil de Partearroyo: appointment as second lieutenant (1827, Sep. 18)
Mexico. Printed form, filled in. Countersigned by Manuel Gómez Pedraza, 1789-1851. Following the above: recording of appointment made and signed by heads of various government departments.

PT 2 Bustamante, Anastasio, 1780-1853. To José Gil de Partearroyo: appointment of captain in the Mexican Army (1832, Apr. 30)
Mexico. Printed form, filled in. With paper seal.

PT 79 Miscellaneous military papers (1832-1845)
9 items

PT 28 Corro, José Justo, 1794-1864. To José Gil de Partearroyo: confiere el empleo de capitan de plana mayor... (1836, Apr. 7)

PT 3-25 Chavero, Demetrio, active 1845. Letters to José Gil de Partearroyo (1845, Apr. 15-Dec. 1)
20 letters and two receipts.

PT 46-61 Mejía, José, active 1845. Letters to José Gil de Partearroyo (1845, Apr. 30-Oct. 8)
Lagos and San Luis Potosí, Mexico. 16 letters.

PT 64 Gil de Partearroyo, José. Letter to Antonio Corona (1845, July 9)
Mexico. Following the above: receipt for money received, written and signed by José Rodriguez (1845, July 16).

PT 27 Corona, Antonio. Letter to José Gil de Partearroyo (1845, July 12)
Mexico.

PT 80 Military reports, orders, etc. dealing with the Mexican War (1846-1847)
47 items
PT 81  **Miscellaneous military papers (1848-1849)**
11 items

PT 41  **Losada, J. R. de. Letter to Rafael Cancino [1849, Aug.]**
[London, England].

PT 40  **Santa Anna, Antonio López de, 1794?-1876. To José Gil de Partearroyo: appointment as Brigadier General (1853, Oct.)**

PT 26  **Contreras, Vicente. Letter to Benigno Bustamante (1855, Apr. 9)**
Yuririhapundaro, Mexico.

PT 34  **Garçidueñas, Vicente G. Letter to Benigno Bustamante (1855, May 30)**
Morelia, Mexico.

PT 43-44  **Mata, Juan N. Letters to Rafael Cancino (1856, Apr. 10 & Nov. 13)**
Refugio, Mexico. 2 letters.

PT 74  **Zaragoza, Ignacio, 1829-1862. Letter to José Justo Alvarez, 1821-1897 (1859, Apr. 9)**
Chapultepec, Mexico.

PT 71  **Sanchez y Roman, José Maria. Letter to José Gil de Partearroyo (1859, Dec. 5)**
Marapil, Mexico. Incomplete.

PT 62  **Ocampo, Melchor, 1814-1861. Letter to José Gil de Partearroyo (1859, Dec. 13)**
Veracruz, Mexico.

PT 63  **Ocampo, Melchor, 1814-1861. Letter to José Gil de Partearroyo (1860, Jan. 9)**
Veracruz, Mexico.

PT 29  **Degollado, Santos, 1811-1861. Letter to José Gil de Partearroyo (1860, Jan. 16)**
Veracruz, Mexico.

PT 30  **Degollado, Santos, 1811-1861. Letter to José Gil de Partearroyo (1860, Jan. 23)**
Veracruz, Mexico.

PT 1  **Berriozábal, Felipe B., 1829-1900. Letter to José Gil de Partearroyo (1860, Feb. 1)**
Villa del Valle, Mexico.

PT 73  **Zamora, Manuel. Letter to José Gil de Partearroyo (1860, Feb. 1)**
Veracruz, Mexico. Following the above: reply by José Gil de Partearroyo (1860, Feb. 7).

PT 31  **Degollado, Santos, 1811-1861. Letter to José Gil de Partearroyo (1860, Feb. 13)**
Veracruz, Mexico. Also, copies of: Santos Degollado to José Gil de Partearroyo (1860, Feb. 9); Melchor Ocampo to Santos Degollado (1858, Mar. 27); Melchor Ocampo to Santos Degollado (1859, June 28).

PT 35-36  **Iglesias, Ramón. Letters to José Gil de Partearroyo (1860, Apr. 3 & 4)**
Veracruz, Mexico. Also: draft of reply by José Gil de Partearroyo.
PT 66-68  Gil de Partearroyo, José. Letter to José de Empáran (1860, Apr. 18 & 28)  
Veracruz, Mexico. Includes two drafts and one copy of letter re: resignation as head of the War and Navy Department and Empáran's reply. 3 items.

PT 70  Rivera, Aureliano. Letter to José Gil de Partearroyo (1860, Apr. 20)

PT 32  Empáran, José de. Letter to José Gil de Partearroyo (1860, Apr. 26)  
Veracruz, Mexico.

PT 69  Gil de Partearroyo, José. Letter to [unknown addressee] (1860, Apr. 27)  
Veracruz, Mexico. Draft of letter.

PT 33  Empáran, José de. Letter to José Gil de Partearroyo (1860, Apr. 28)  
Veracruz, Mexico.

PT 38  Juárez, Benito, 1806-1872. Letter to José Gil de Partearroyo (1860, Apr. 29)  
Veracruz, Mexico.

PT 39  Juárez, Benito, 1806-1872. To José Gil de Partearroyo: appointment as Brigadier General and Director of the artillery corps (1860, Apr. 30)  
Veracruz, Mexico. Following the above: recording of commission made by various government departments.

PT 37  Lerdo de Tejada, Sebastián, 1823-1889. Letter to José Gil de Partearroyo (1860, Apr. 30)  
Veracruz, Mexico.

PT 65  Gil de Partearroyo, José. Letter to [unknown addressee] [1860]  
Draft of letter.

PT 82  Miscellaneous military papers (1860-1867)  
13 items, including ephemera.

PT 75-77  Zeréga, Francisco. Letters to José Gil de Partearroyo (1861-1862)  
3 letters.

PT 45  Meglia, O. F.? Letter to Rafael Cancino (1866, Jan.)  
Guatemala. Letter is torn; loss of text, including signature.

PT 42  Macoujet Hermanos (firm) Letter to Rafael Cancino (1868, July 3)  
Morelia, Mexico.