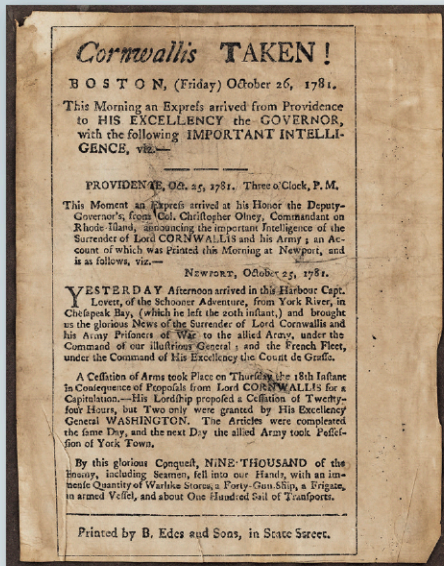


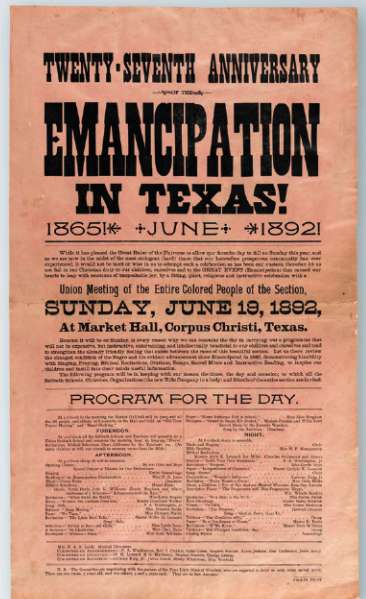
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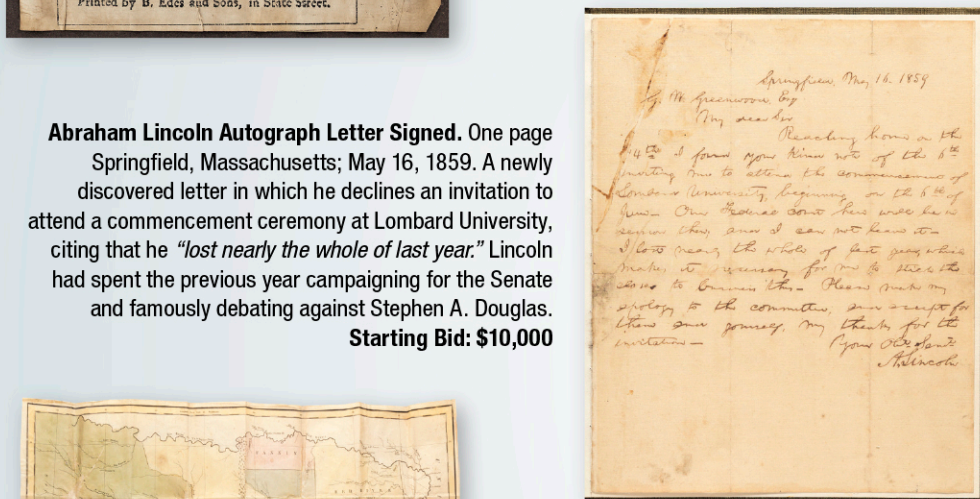
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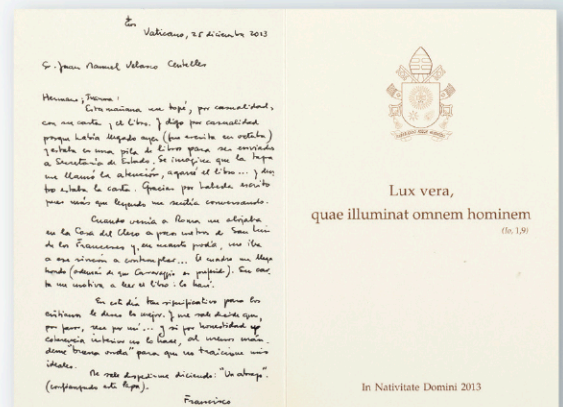
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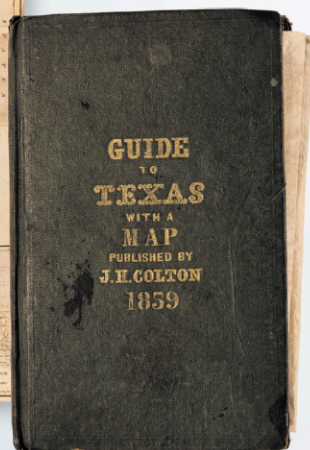
**Abraham Lincoln Autograph Letter Signed.** One page Springfield, Massachusetts; May 16, 1859. A newly discovered letter in which he declines an invitation to attend a commencement ceremony at Lombard University, citing that he "lost nearly the whole of last year." Lincoln had spent the previous year campaigning for the Senate and famously debating against Stephen A. Douglas.  
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