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Lotteries; Collection

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Summary Information

Repository:	M.E. Grenander Department of Special Collections & Archives
Title:	Lotteries Collection
ID:	mss146
Date [inclusive]:	1790-1883
Physical Description:	.39 cubic ft.
Physical Location:	The materials are located onsite in the department.
Language of the Material:	English .
Abstract:	This artifical collection contains materials about eighteenth and nineteenth state and private lotteries held in the eastern and midwestern United States.

Preferred Citation

Preferred citation for this material is as follows:

Identification of specific item, series, box, folder, Lotteries Collection, 1790-1883. M.E. Grenander Department of Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University at Albany, State University of New York (hereafter referred to as the Lotteries Collection).

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Historical Note

This collection documents how the United States in its early decades had both public and private lotteries and how advertisements and broadsides strongly tried to encourage individuals to buy tickets and participate/gamble in these upcoming lotteries.

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Content Description

This artificial collection consists of advertisements and broadsides for lotteries, newspaper clippings about lotteries, and lottery tickets.

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Arrangement of the Collection

The collection is organized alphabetically. There are no series.

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Administrative Information

Publication Statement

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Processing Information

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Immediate Source of Acquisition

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Controlled Access Headings

- Advertising--lotteries
- Lotteries--United States.
- Business and Industry

Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Instances	
Allen Chapin & Co. (Delaware), 1857	Oversized 1	Folder 1
<i>American Monthly Ledger</i> , 1857	Oversized 1	Folder 2
Astor & Co. (Ohio), 1857	Box 1	Folder 1
B.B. Mars & Co., 1853	Box 1	Folder 2
Delaware, Missouri and Kentucky State Lotteries, 1860	Box 1	Folder 3
Delaware & North Carolina Consolidated Lottery, 1832	Box 1	Folder 4
Delaware State Lotteries, 18571860-1861	Oversized 1	Folder 3
Delaware State Lotteries, 1860Undated	Box 1	Folder 5
Delaware State Lotteries, Correspondence, 1860-1861	Box 1	Folder 6
J.H. Bangs & Co. (Maryland), 1855	Box 1	Folder 7
Louisiana State Lottery, 1883	Oversized 1	Folder 4

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Maryland State Lotteries, 182518521855	Box 1	Folder 8
Maryland State Lotteries, 1856	Oversized 1	Folder 5
Massachusetts State Lottery, 1790	Box 1	Folder 9
<i>The Monthly Golden Era</i> , 1857	Oversized 1	Folder 6
Mutual Fund Lottery (Ohio), 1857	Box 1	Folder 10
Virginia State Lottery, 1837	Box 1	Folder 11
Western Consolidated Lotteries, 1857	Box 1	Folder 12
Western Consolidated Lotteries, 1857	Oversized 1	Folder 7