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Identity Statement:

Title: The Mary E. Sheppard Papers Extent of the unit of description: 1 Box; .25 linear feet

Scope & Content / Abstract:

This collection consists of a small group of City of Lambertville business records, contracts, property tax records, deeds, Hunterdon County Databooks, records from the Hunterdon County Surrogate's office, programs, and other ephemera. The grouping is eclectic but interesting, and this collection interest anyone researching the history of the City.

Of particular interest is a series of detailed accounts of an investigation into the illegal sale of liquor in Lambertville in 1894, detailing where liquor was illegally obtained and consumed, from and by whom, and of what kinds. Other interesting records include a raffle ticket with the prize of 5 shotguns, a memorandum of agreement with the City of Trenton to house victims of scarlet fever, and others.

Context:

Name of Creator: Mary E. Sheppard

Administrative / Biographical history: This collection consists of records collected by Mary Elizabeth Sheppard (1944-2012). Sheppard was born in Somerville, NJ, graduated from Hunterdon Central Regional High School and Trenton State College. She served as clerk of East Amwell Township (1975-1990) and city clerk of Lambertville (1990-2006). She was also a trustee of the Hunterdon County Historical Society.

Structure:

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