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## **Guide to the Ettore Mancuso Collection, 1924-1969 (2006.2.22)**

Creator: Mancuso, Ettore, 1896-1979

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Extent: 2 cu. ft. (3 manuscript boxes and 2 newspaper boxes)

Source: Unknown

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Abstract: Collection of material created and compiled by Ettore Mancuso, a lawyer, newspaper editor, and prominent citizen of the city of Schenectady.

### Scope and Content Note:

Collection of material created and compiled by Ettore Mancuso, a lawyer, newspaper editor, and prominent citizen of the city of Schenectady. The items in this collection consist largely of copies of newspaper clippings. They primarily relate to his interest in politics and government in the 1940s through the 1960's. A large number of articles follow the career of Mayor, then Congressman Sam Stratton. The collection also contains letters, speeches, booklets and other items relating to Mr. Mancuso's involvement in the Republican Party and Schenectady politics. Also included are a small number of folders related to his legal practice and personal life.

### Biographical Note:

Ettore Mancuso was a prominent lawyer, newspaper editor, and political leader in Schenectady. He was born in Italy on January 23, 1896. Having come to the United States at the age of 12, he became a naturalized citizen in 1919. He was a graduate of Catskill High School and Albany Law School. Mr. Mancuso served in the U.S. Army from 1918-1920. He married Jan Mauro and had three children.

For many years Mr. Mancuso maintained a law office at 158 Jay St. He served as corporation counsel to Mayor J. Ward White from 1932-1933. He was employed by NY State in the field of municipal finance from 1944-1966. Mr. Mancuso was an active leader of the Republican Party. He died on Jan 20, 1979.

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## Ettore Mancuso Collection

### 1.0 Ettore Mancuso Collection

#### 1.1 Mancuso Personal Papers

##### 1.1.1 World War I memoir

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##### 1.2.1 City Planning Commission 1924

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##### 1.2.5 Municipal Housing Authority 1935-1936

##### 1.2.6 City Council 1936

##### 1.2.7 City Historical file 1936

##### 1.2.8 New County Law 1950

##### 1.2.9 New York State

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#### 1.3 Politics

##### 1.3.1 Election of 1935

##### 1.3.2 Democrats 1936

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##### 1.3.4 Proportional Representation

##### 1.3.5 Politics 1949

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#### 1.4 Samuel Stratton

##### 1.4.1 Election of 1950

##### 1.4.2 Mayoral Election & First Year 1955-1956

##### 1.4.3 News clippings 1958

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##### 1.4.5 News clippings 1960-1962

#### 1.5 Letters and Speeches

##### 1.5.1 Letters and Speeches of E. Mancuso

##### 1.5.2 Letters and speeches collected by E. Mancuso

#### 1.6 Newspaper clippings—Various Topics

##### 1.6.1 Newspaper Clippings 1920's, 1930's, 1940's

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##### 1.6.3 Newspaper Clippings 1960's

#### 1.7 Newsletters

##### 1.7.1 Electrical Union News, GE Schenectady News, etc.

#### 1.8 Booklets

##### 1.8.1 Local topics

##### 1.8.2 National topics

#### 1.9 Scrapbooks

##### 1.9.1 "Our City Government"

#### 1.10 Miscellaneous

##### 1.10.1 Misc.—Chamber of Commerce, Golf Course, etc.

301.11 Legal Matters

- 301.11.1 Bertha Segal vs. Mid-City Park Corp.
- 301.11.2 Verrochi, Arcangela Divorce Petition
- 301.11.3 Luigi Marinelli Estate
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- 301.11.5 Record Printing and Publishing Co.
- 301.11.6 J. Ward Wright vs. Walter c. Whitmyre

301.12 Newspapers

- Record (Italian-American Newspaper) 1925 [1 issue], 1929 [1 issue],  
1930-1932 [incomplete]