## Galesburg Township - Men's Vote

## **Collection Information**

Title	Galesburg Township   Knox County, III.   Men's poll books and tally sheets	
Collection Number	BC-29	
Dates	1914-1916	
Extent	1 legal document box	
Creator	Galesburg Township	
Biographical Note	<b>Townships are</b> the oldest form of government in North America, brought with the pilgrims in 1636. The first townships were established in Illinois in 1850. Townships generally have 8 officers elected for 4 year terms. Knox County is divided into 20 townships and 1 coterminous township - that being the City of Galesburg. An annual meeting of township electors takes place on the second Tuesday in April.	
Scope & Content	The Galesburg Township - Men's Votes collection includes poll books and tally sheets for the years 1914-1916.	

## Administrative Information

Arrangement Note	Materials are arranged chronologically	
Access	Materials are available for research by request.	
Rights & Reproduction	Contact archivist (archives@galesburglibrary.org)	
Repository Information	Galesburg Public Library Archives & Special Collections 40 E. Simmons St., Galesburg, IL 61401	
Language of Materials	English	
Notes	Folders are slightly bending - too much space in box	

## Inventory

Box Number	Folder Number	Folder Title	Date
1	1	Men's votes. Poll books and tally sheet - 3 items	1914
1	2	Men's votes. Poll books and tally - 1 item	1915
1	3	Men's votes. Poll books and tally - 1 item	1916