Primary Maker: J. H. Singer
Title: Game of Messenger Boy
Date: ca. 1897
Medium: Cardboard
Dimensions: Open: 7 × 14 in. (17.8 × 35.6 cm)
Credit Line: The Liman Collection
Object Number: 1992.12.9

Object Name: Table game
Classification: TOYS
Physical Description:
Board game with remains of box lid and board (not folded); cover illustration of boy in blue uniform with slip of paper, in front of city scene of lighted store fronts and multistory buildings, with spray of flowers at lower right corner and scroll decoration at upper left; board with orange boxes with red lines marked with arrows and instructions; illustrations at each corner: home scene, jail, small boy in front of man seated at desk.

Markings: lithographed: on lid, top: "GAME OF/MESSENGER/BOY" lithographed: on lid, bottom: "MANUFACTURED BY/J. H. SINGER/NEW YORK" written: in ink, bottom of lid: "Frank Proutant 1897" lithographed: on board: "DIRECTIONS./The players spin the Indicator in turn... [directions continue]"
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