

Basic Detail Report



Title Linus T. Fenn Store, West Side of Main Street, Hartford

Date about 1910

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Photography; gelatin silver print on paper mounted on card

Description A commercial building stands on a corner lot on a city street. The building has a mansard roof, dormers, Palladian windows, round arches, and plate glass shop windows on the ground floor. Signs painted on the side of the building read: "DESKS - LIBRARY / SUITS - TABLES - BOOK / CASES - PICTURES - LAMPS - CHINA- CROCKERY - TOILET / SETS / GLASSWARE - BABY / CARRIAGES / AND / GO-CARTS / LINUS T. FENN COMPLETE HOUSE FURNISHINGS / CARPETS - OIL / CLOTH - LINOLEUM - WINDOW / SHADES - RUGS - MATTING - LACE / CURTAINS - PORTIERES - DRAPERIES - DRESSING / TABLES / FURNITURE. STOVES RANGES REFRIGERATORS / DIVANS - PARLOR / SUITS - COUCHES - OFFICE / FITTINGS - SOFAS - ROCKERS - LOUNGES - WARDROBES -

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CHIFFONNIERS - BUREAUS - CHAMBER / SUITS - BRASS / BEDS / ANTIQUE PIECES

/ AND / REPRODUCTIONS / RATTAN AND WILLOW GOODS - DINING / TABLES /

AND / CHAIRS - SIDEBARDS - BUFFETS - CABINETS - CHINA / CLOSETS - HALL /

SETTLES / AND / MIRRORS". Signs on the front of the building read: "RANGES 181

LINUS T. FENN CO. CARPETS" "THE NICKEL" "M.M. GILES" "GILES / CREDIT" "

MEN'S / CLOTHING - HERMAN SCHREIBER - LADIES & MISSES / COATS & SUITS"

"BARBER SHO[P]" "DRUGS". Signs on a brick building at the far left read:

"CABINET WAREHOUSE" "ANTIQUE FURNITURE". Fire hydrants and a barrel are

on the paved sidewalk. The paved street has trolley tracks in it and appears to

be wet from rain. Utility wires are at the upper left.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 4 1/2 x 7 15/16in. (11.4 x

20.2cm) Sheet (height x width): 7 x 9 9/16in. (17.8 x 24.3cm)