

Basic Detail Report



Title George Deming with two horses, probably Hartford

Date about 1890

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Photography; gelatin silver print on paper

Description Man, wearing a vest and cap, holds two horses with the stumps of his arms, which have been amputated just below the elbow. One horse is hitched to a sulky. It has leather (and metal?) patches strapped to its legs. A large barn is in the background. Notes on back: "George Deming / lost his arms on State Capitol Grounds / fireing [sic] a cannon during Civil War Days. / How He Could Drive Horses."

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (overall height x width): 7 1/2 x 9 7/16in. (19 x 24cm)