Basic Detail Report

Title Lobby of Heublein Hotel, Wells Street, Hartford

Date about 1900

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Photography; gelatin silver print on paper

Description Interior of the lobby of the Heublein Hotel. Two men in suits stand behind the registration desk. A man wearing an overcoat and top hat and holding a cigar and a woman in a large hat and a fur jacket are in front of the desk. The man in uniform in the background appears to be a bellboy. The wire cage beside him is probably an elevator. Most men have mustaches. The small boy in boots, overcoat and cap, holding a pile of newspapers, is probably a newsboy. Light fixtures, at least some of them electric, hang from ceiling and walls. The head of a white-tailed deer and several framed prints, including a poster for the New Haven Steamboat Company, hang on the walls. Signs read: "Taxi-Cab / Telephone 1638" "Hartford Weekly Guide" "Hotel Annex / Barber Shop / Next Door."

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (overall height x width): 6 5/16 x 8 1/4in. (16 x 21cm)