

Basic Detail Report



Title Bulkeley Bridge Construction: Centering Spans for Arches,

Hartford, July 14, 1906

Date 1906

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Photography; gelatin silver print on paper

Description Six arches are framed and supported by wooden timbers resting on the granite abutments. Cranes and derricks loom overhead. Temporary wooden buildings are on barges in the Connecticut River beside the bridge. Other barges hold sand and gravel. Ladders lead to the arches. Men are laying granite blocks on the arches. All arches appear to be under construction. Some are nearing completion. The contrast between the darker Leete's Island granite and the paler Stony Creek granite is clearly visible on the closest abutment.

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