

Basic Detail Report

Title Landau waiting to convey Governor Elect Marcus H. Holcombe to the State Capitol, Hartford

Date 1915

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Photography;

Description Open carriage drawn by four horses in front of the Allyn House hotel, the facade of which is draped with American flags. Two men, both wearing overcoats, sit in the driver's seat. A Connecticut state flag is mounted on the front corner. Men and boys stand on the sidewalk. One man, smoking a cigar, appears to be African American. Some men have beards or mustaches. A fire hydrant and a street light are beside the street. Signs read: "Official / Automobile / Blue Book / Hotel" "S.H. Sachaklian" "Sale." Inscribed on back: "This elaborate open landau drawn by four proud stepping blacks owned by Dan Cotter, conveyed Governor Elect Marcus H. Holcombe to the State Capitol in 1915. It was Hartford's last horse-drawn inaugural procession."

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (overall height x width): 7 7/8 x 9 7/16in. (20 x 24cm)