

Basic Detail Report

Title Coffee Cup

Date mid 1930s

Primary Maker Lenox, Inc.

Medium Mold-formed, porcelain with gilding and overglaze brown enamel decoration

Description Wide, cylindrical, ivory, porcelain coffee cup with gilding and overglaze brown enamel. The coffee cup has a flat bottom surface and vertical sides, with an angular handle. Thick bands of gilding have been applied to the handle, rim, and foot, and in a rectangle surrounding the printed decoration on the coffee cup. Opposite the handle, a scene titled, "STATE HOUSE . MAIN STREET" then, "HARTFORD CONN" has been applied using a halftone printing process. The scene shows the State House on the left as a three-story building with a cupola and flag flying above. In the middle of the scene is Main Street, lined with buildings on the left and right, with three tall spires in the distance rising above trees. There are horse-drawn carriages, horses, oxen, and pedestrians in the street.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width including handle x depth): 2 3/8 x 4 1/4 x 3 1/4in. (6 x 10.8 x 8.3cm)