

Basic Detail Report



Title City Hotel, 217 Main Street, Hartford

Date 1882

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Photography; albumen print on paper on cardboard mount

Description Five-story brick hotel building with a mansard roof and several chimneys. A sign reads: "City Hotel." Lace curtains are visible at some windows, interior louvered shutters at others. Shops occupying the ground floor have signs that read: "Henry Hart, confectioner" "Hart's / Pure Candies" "Seyms & Co." "Barber / Shop" Two striped poles indicate the presence of the barber shop. Lamps hang from the porches and a street light is on the sidewalk. A sign on the sidewalk at the right reads: "Cool / Lager / Ales" The awning on the frame building at the right reads: "219 R.H. Douthwaite & Son." Merchandise is displayed in the shop windows. Commercial buildings at the left of the hotel have signs "Mitchell & Co." "Robbins Bros." "Winship [?] & Co." "Cabinet

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Warehouse" "Furniture" "Linus T. Fenn / Chamber, Office, Library / Dining Room

& Hall / Furniture."

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (overall height x width): 4 3/4 x 7 7/8in. (12 x

20cm)