

CONNECTICUT STATE GOVERNMENT,
INSTITUTIONS & PARKS
COLLECTION

Introduction

The State Capitol Building, state health care and correctional institutions, and government buildings, parks and staff are the three major topics of this collection. Many of the institutions are no longer in existence or have changed their names over the years.

There are over 350 pictures in the group with photographic prints being the primary medium. Most of the material was given to the library by other state agencies.

List of Categories or Agencies

(An asterisk before each category indicates additional material stored in oversize file.)

GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS, PARKS & STAFF --- Box 1

- * Brasher Gallery (proposed) (oversize only)
- Dinosaur State Park, Rocky Hill, Construction Photos.*
- * Flower arrangement presented to Jos. Hawley upon

his re-election to the Senate. (oversize only)
Governor's Carriage |
Governor's Foot Guard
Governor's Horse Guard

- * State Flag
- State Flower
- State Guard

- * State Houses
- * State Office Building
- * State Parks
- * ~~State Park - Gillette Castle~~
- * State Police

- * State Seal
(Including seals of other states) + the U.S. Seal
- * Supreme Court

Supreme Court - Ground-breaking for addition, 1973
- * Supreme Court - Murals

- University of Connecticut

STATE HEALTH CARE & CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS --- Box 2

- Connecticut Epileptic Colony Farm
- Connecticut Industrial School for Girls, Middletown
- Connecticut State Prison, Wethersfield
- Fairfield Hills Hospital, Newtown
- Mansfield Training School
- Middletown State Hospital
- Mystic Oral School
- * Newgate State Prison, East Granby

- Norwich Hospital
~~Retreat for the Insane Hartford~~
- Seaside Sanatorium, Waterford

- State Normal School
- State Reform School, Meriden
- Training School for Feeble-minded, Lakeville
- Veteran's Home and Hospital, Rocky Hill
- * Veteran's Hospital, Newington (Oversize only)

- * Lucas on Thames Sanatorium
- * Laurel Heights Sanatorium, Shelton

STATE CAPITOL BUILDING --- Box 3

* Capitol Building	-	Aerial views	
* " " " "	-	Architectural renderings	
* " " " "	-	Exterior views	
" " " "	-	Exterior views - Facade	
" " " "	-	Interior views	
" " " "	-	Interior views - Charter Oak Chair	
" " " "	-	" " - Hall of Representatives	
" " " "	-	" " - Model of Statute on Dome	
" " " "	-	" " - Senate Chamber	
* " " " "	-	" " - State Library	

Related Materials

In the Archives, Record groups 1-60, 75, 80 and 82-87 all pertain to state government agencies.

In the Picture Collection, the following picture groups have addition material on state government:

Picture Group 50 - U.S. Description & Travel collection has views of Connecticut State Buildings at four major exhibitions in the U.S.

Picture Group 170 - One third of the Connecticut
Box 3 Development Commission's Survey is devoted to government buildings and parks.

Picture Group 220 - Connecticut State Library

Picture Group 300 - Connecticut Cities & Towns

Box 5 Collections contains demolition
photos. of the State House at New
Haven

Picture Group 400 - Hartford Collection has many views

Box 2 of Old State House

Picture Groups 500's - Portrait collections contain

photos. of General Assembly
members, legislative committees
and other state officials.

PG 120 (sd. 79-83): Fitch's Home for
Soldiers