

BUILDINGS BY LEOPOLD EIDLITZ (1823-1908): Inventory of part of a collection of photographs formed by Eidlitz featuring the State Capitol at Albany and now housed in the Avery Library. Also included is a building by Cyrus L. W. Eidlitz and one by Robert H. Robertson.

compiled by Herbert Mitchell

Ten of the photographs are the actual prints sent to the Architectural Record to be reproduced in Montgomery Schuyler's three part article on Eidlitz (v. 24, Sept., Oct. and Nov. 1908). These have been brought out in the Index.

Three other folders from Eidlitz's photograph collection have been cataloged separately.

Dimensions of photographs do not include the mounts.

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STATE CAPITOL, ALBANY, N.Y.

Projects by Fuller & Laver and Eidlitz, Richardson & Co. - Models and perspective view.

1. New "State Capitol."--Albany, N.Y. North-east view. ...
Fuller & Laver, Architects. [Photograph of model. 1867?]

Photograph.
Printed on mount: Published by R.E. Churchill, Photographer,
520 Broadway, Albany, N.Y. Copyright 1875.
150 x 197mm., mounted.

2. [New York State Capitol, Albany: photograph of model of
Thomas Fuller's proposed building, North-east view. 1867?]

Photograph.
Signed on negative: Copyright Secured.
270 x 405mm., segmental headed print mounted.

3. New-York State Capitol. Albany, N.Y. [Perspective view of
revised project by Eidlitz, Richardson & Co. 1876?]

Photo-engraving.
Unsigned.
201 x 295mm.

Floor plans of projects by Fuller & Laver and Eidlitz, Richardson & Co.

4. New State Capitol, Albany, N.Y. Plan [and elevations] of
footings... No. 1 [1875?]

Photograph of drawing signed: Fuller & Laver architects [...]
North Pearl Street.
Unsigned.
Contains additions in pencil.
400 x 322mm., mounted
35mm. wide strip along left margin is attached to the rest
by a cloth hinge.

5. New State Capitol, Albany, N.Y. Sub-basement plan. Plan No. 2 [1875?]

Photograph of drawing signed: Fuller & Laver arch.
[...]
Unsigned.
Contains additions and notes in ink and pencil, plus inked number 125.
350 x 255mm., mounted.

6. New State Capitol, Albany, N.Y. Entrance floor plan. [1875]

Photograph of drawing signed: Tho. Fuller Architect.
Signed in ink on verso: Haines Photo July 19/75
Scale: 1/16 in. : 1 ft.
Contains additions in pencil.
317 x 220mm., mounted.

7. New State Capitol, Albany, N.Y. Ground floor plan. [1875]

Photograph of drawing signed: Tho. Fuller Architect.
Signed in ink on verso: Haines Photo July 19/75
Scale: 16 feet to one inch.
Contains additions and notes in pencil and pencil sketch on verso.
300 x 219mm., mounted.

8. New State Capitol, Albany N.Y. Principal floor plan. July 19/75.

Photograph of drawing.
Unsigned.
Scale: 1/16 in. : 1 foot.
Contains additions and notes in pencil.
294 x 208mm., mounted.

9. New State Capitol, Albany, N.Y. North-west quarter, principal floor... Drawing No. 27. 154. April 5th. 1875.

Photograph of drawing signed: Tho. Fuller Architect.
Unsigned.
Scale: 1/8 inch : 1 foot.
290 x 227mm., mounted.

10. New State Capitol, Albany N.Y. South-west quarter, principal floor... Drawing No. 28. 155. April 5th, '75.
Photograph of drawing signed: Tho. Fuller Architect.
Unsigned.
Scale: 1/8 in. : 1 ft.
290 x 230mm., mounted.
11. New State Capitol, Albany N.Y. South-east quarter, principal floor... Drawing No. 29. 153. April 5th, '75.
Photograph of drawing signed: Tho. Fuller Architect.
Unsigned.
Scale: 1/8 in. : 1 ft.
292 x 234mm., mounted.
12. New State Capitol, Albany, N.Y. Gallery Floor. [1875]
Photograph of drawing signed: Th[...] Fuller Architect.
Signed in ink on verso: Haines Photo July 19/75
Scale: 1/16 in : 1 ft.
295 x 219mm., mounted.
13. New York State Capitol. Ground floor. Scale. [Eidlitz, Richardson & Co., architects. 1876?]
Photograph of drawing.
Unsigned.
Contains additions in pencil.
387 x 278mm., mounted.
14. New York State Capitol. Entrance Floor. Scale. [Eidlitz, Richardson & Co., architects. 1876?]
Photograph of drawing.
Unsigned.
Contains additions and notes in pencil.
383 x 265mm., mounted.
15. New York State Capitol. Principal floor. Scale. [Eidlitz, Richardson & Co., architects. 1876?]
Photograph of drawing.
Unsigned.
Contains additions and notes in pencil.
387 x 283mm., mounted.

16. New York State Capitol. Gallery floor. Scale. [Eidlitz, Richardson & Co., architects. 1876?]
Photograph of drawing.
Unsigned.
Contains additions and notes in pencil.
377 x 278mm., mounted.

The Assembly Chamber.

17. [Condition of the work on the New Capitol at Albany, N.Y. Photograph No. 59. Oct. 18, 1877. Assembly Chamber.]
Photograph.
Stamped on verso: "Haines" Photographer, Albany, N.Y.
Inscribed on negative: No 59. Oct. 18/77
273 x 407mm., segmental headed print mounted.
Shows Assembly Chamber under construction.
18. Condition of the work on the New Capitol, at Albany, N.Y. Photograph No. 60. Oct. 18, 1877. Assembly Chamber.
Photograph.
Printed on mount: Haines, Photo. Albany, N.Y.
Inscribed on negative: No 60. Oct-18/77
Contains additions in pencil.
270 x 400mm., segmental headed print mounted.
Shows Assembly Chamber under construction.
19. [Condition of the work on the New Capitol at Albany, N.Y. Photograph no. 60. Oct. 18, 1877. Assembly Chamber.]
Photograph.
Stamped on verso: "Haines" Photographer, Albany, N.Y.
Inscribed on negative: No 60. Oct-18/77
270 x 403mm., segmental headed print mounted.
Mount broken producing 50mm. vertical tear at center lower margin.
A weak print of Cat. no. 18.
20. [Condition of the work on the New Capitol at Albany, N.Y. Photograph No. 61. Oct. 18, 1877. Assembly Chamber.]
Photograph.
Stamped on verso: "Haines" Photographer, Albany, N.Y.
Inscribed on negative: No 61. Oct.-18/77
270 x 401mm., segmental headed print mounted.
Shows Assembly Chamber under construction.

21. [Condition of the work on the New Capitol, at Albany, N.Y.
Photograph No. 62. Oct. 18, 1877. Assembly Chamber.]

Photograph.

Stamped on verso: "Haines" Photographer, Albany, N.Y.
Inscribed on negative: No 62. Oct-18/77
272 x 402mm., segmental headed printed mounted.
Shows Assembly Chamber under construction.

22. Condition of the work on the new Capitol, at Albany, N.Y.
Photograph No. 63. Oct-18th-1877. Assembly Chamber.

Photograph.

Printed on mount: Haines, Photo. Albany, N.Y.
Inscribed on negative: No 63 Oct -18/77
270 x 401mm., segmental headed print mount.
Shows Assembly chamber under construction.

23. [Condition of the work on the New Capitol at Albany, N.Y.
Photograph No. 65 Oct. 18, 1877. Assembly Chamber.]

Photograph.

Stamped on verso: "Haines" photographer, Albany, N.Y.
270 x 401mm., segmental headed print mounted.
Inscribed on negative: No 65. Oct. 18/77
Shows Assembly Chamber under construction.

24. [Assembly Chamber, N.Y. State Capitol, Albany.]

Photograph.

Embossed on mount: Notman Photo. Co. Albany, N.Y.
Inscribed on verso in pen and ink: 8. Office of Leopold
Eidlitz. 1879.
185 x 237mm., mounted.

25. Assembly Chamber. [N.Y. State Capitol, Albany. 1879.]

Photograph.

Signed on negative: Notman Photo. Co. Albany, N.Y.
185 x 231mm., mounted.

26. [Assembly Chamber, N.Y. State Capitol, Albany, 1879.]

Photograph.

Stamped on verso: "Haines" Photographer
233 x 190mm., mounted.

27. Perspective drawing of proposed ceiling & interior of Assembly Chamber. [State Capitol, Albany, N.Y. 1888?]

Photograph of drawing signed: I G Perry Architect.
Embossed on mount: Notman Photo. Co. Albany, N.Y.
182 x 244mm., mounted.

28. Transverse section of Assembly Chamber looking from Speakers desk. [State Capitol, Albany, N.Y. 1888?]

Photograph of drawing signed: I G Perry Archt., Binghamton, N.Y.

Embossed on mount: Notman Photo. Co. Albany, N.Y.

185 x 229mm., mounted.

Scale: [...?]

The Assembly Staircase.

29. [Assembly Staircase, N.Y. State Capitol, Albany. 1879.]

Photograph.

Unsigned.

325 x 268mm., mounted.

The Grand Corridor.

30. Grand Corridor, Capitol Albany, N.Y. [1879.]

Photograph.

Signed on negative: Notman Photo. Co. Albany, N.Y.

Inscribed on verso in pencil: 3866-25-1 Tues sure Arch Rec
150[...]

232 x 171mm., mounted.

Known as the Golden Corridor.

The Court of Appeals.

31. [Court of Appeals, N.Y. State Capitol, Albany. 1879.]

Photograph.

Signed on negative: Notman Photo. Co. Albany, N.Y.

Inscribed: Senate Chamber 1879. In pencil: Court of Appeals
State Capitol Albany, N.Y.; (on verso:) 3866-25-1-Tues sure 150
[pl?] Arch. Rec.

185 x 230mm., mounted.

32. Wainscot for Court of Appeals room new Capitol building
Albany, N.Y. executed by Weller, Brown Mesmer Buffalo, N.Y.
Compliments W. B [...? 1879]

Photograph.

Embossed on mount: A. Simson 456 Main St., Buffalo, N.Y.
311 x 381mm., mounted.

The Senate Staircase.

33. [Senate Staircase, N.Y. State Capitol, Albany. 1885]

Photograph.

Unsigned.

415 x 343mm., mounted.

Shows the staircase under construction.

34. [Senate Staircase, N.Y. State Capitol, Albany. 1885]

Photograph.

Unsigned.

Inscribed on verso in pencil: 3866-25-1 Tues. sure Arch.
Rec. 150 [...] Bottom of Staircase.

420 x 333 mm., mounted on linen and board.

- 35, A-D [Senate Staircase, N.Y. State Capitol, Albany. 1885.]

Photograph.

Unsigned.

Inscribed on verso: 3866-25-1. Tues. sure. Arch. Rec. 150
[...?] View of Staircase.

427 x 342mm., mounted.

Included with this are 3 other prints of this photograph, 1
mounted and 2 mounted on linen.

Black lines at top center indicate a defect in the negative.

- 36,A-C [Senate Staircase, N.Y. State Capitol, Albany. 1885.]

Photograph.

Unsigned.

413 x 335mm., mounted on linen.

Included with this are 2 prints of a photo-engraving of this
photograph. They are reversed images, one printed in blue-green,
the other in brown. The dimensions are the same except that the
top is trimmed to segmental form.

37,A-F [Senate Staircase, N.Y. State Capitol, Albany. 1885.]

Stereoscopic photographs.

Printed on verso of mount: The Notman Photographic Co...48
North Pearl St., Albany...

106 x 175mm., with mount.

5 pairs of prints showing several views of staircase plus
one half card with one print only.

38. [Senate Staircase, N.Y. State Capitol, Albany. 1885]

Photo-engraving.

Unsigned.

Inscribed in pencil on verso: 3866-25-1 Tues. sure. 150
[...?] Arch. Rec. Top of Grand Stair Case Capitol at Albany.

406 x 326mm.

39. [Senate Staircase, N.Y. State Capitol, Albany]

Photo-engraving.

Unsigned.

408 x 330mm.

40. [Senate Staircase, N.Y. State Capitol, Albany. 1885]

Photogravure in sepia.

Unsigned.

165 x 129mm.

41. [Senate Staircase, N.Y. State Capitol, Albany. 1885]

Photogravure in sepia mounted.

Unsigned.

250 x 200mm.

42. [Senate Staircase, N.Y. State Capitol, Albany. 1885]

Half-tone.

Unsigned.

147 x 121mm.

43,A-L [Senate Staircase, N.Y. State Capitol, Albany. Decorative detail of Capital of Pier. 1885]

Photo-engravings (12 prints from same plate).
Unsigned.
335 x 407mm.

44. [Senate Staircase, N.Y. State Capitol, Albany. 1885. Decorative details of capitals & arches.]

Photograph.
Unsigned.
335 x 413mm., mounted on linen.

Unidentified.

45. [Panel of Richardsonian ornament. Presumably from the State Capitol, Albany, N.Y. 188-?]]

Photograph.
Unsigned.
161 x 87mm., mounted.

OTHER BUILDINGS

46,A-B [American Exchange Bank, Broadway, N.Y. 1857]

Photograph.
Embossed on print: A. Runkel Photographer
Considerable section of lower l. corner broken away.
437 x 367mm., mounted.
Another print of the same photo. (but unsigned) is inscribed:
Am. Ex. Nat. Bank 128 Broadway N.Y. City Leopold. On verso:
3866-25-1. Tues sure 150 [...] Arch. Rec.

47. [American Exchange Bank, Broadway, N.Y. 1857]

Photograph.
Unsigned.
Inscribed in pencil: American Exchange Bank.
531 x 445mm., mounted.

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48. [Broadway Tabernacle, 6th. Ave. and 34th St., N.Y. View of
pulpit and organ. 1859]

Photograph.

Signed on negative: Runkel

Inscribed in pencil by Talbot Hamlin: Broadway Tabernacle
Church - N.Y. L. Eidlitz.

370 x 270mm., round headed print mounted.

- 49,A-B [Broadway Tabernacle, 6th. Ave. and 34th St., N.Y. 1859]

Photograph.

Unsigned.

Inscribed lower r. corner of mount: Broadway Tabernacle 34th
St. & [..?] L. Eidli[...] Mr. Quimby

324 x 409mm., mounted.

Shows church under construction.

Another print of same photo. inscribed on verso: Tabernacle
Church 34 & 6th Ave., N.Y. 3866-25-1 Tues sure 150 [..?]
Arch. Rec.

50. [The Continental Bank, Nassau St., N.Y. 1856]

Photograph.

Unsigned.

Inscribed on verso: Leopold Eidlitz 128 Broadway, N.Y.
3866-25-1 Tues. Arch. Rec. 150 [..?] Continental Bk.

405 x 295mm., mounted.

51. [Cooper Union building, N.Y., under reconstruction by Leopold
Eidlitz. 1886?]

Photograph.

Embossed on print: Rockwood. Phot. N.Y.

Inscribed in pencil: Cooper Union 1886.

335 x 422mm., mounted.

52. [Dry Dock Savings Bank, The Bowery, N.Y. 1875]

Photograph.

Stamped on mount: FINE TINT

Inscribed in pencil on verso: Dry Dock Savgs. Bk. Leopold
Eidlitz

372 x 277mm., mounted.

exterior.

53. [Dry Dock Savings Bank, The Bowery, N.Y. Interior view. 1875]

Photograph.

Unsigned.

Inscribed on verso: Interior of Dry Dock Savings Bank New York. Leopold Eidlitz, architect. 1875. 3866-25-1 Tues sure 150 [...?] Arch Rec.

245 x 335mm., mounted.

54. Temple Emanu-El. [5th Ave. and 43rd St., N.Y. 1868]

Photograph.

Printed on mount: Charles K. Bill, Photographer, 747 Broadway, N.Y.

Inscribed: Leopold Eidlitz. No 2

313 x 243mm., mounted; top corners rounded; double gilt border.

Exterior view showing temple under construction.

55,A-B [Temple Emanu-El. 5th Ave. and 43rd St., N.Y. 1868]

Photograph.

Unsigned.

375 x 288mm., mounted.

Another print of same photo. is only 355mm. high.

Shows temple almost finished except for towers and misc. details.

56. [Temple Emanu-El. 5th Ave. and 43rd St. N.Y. 1868]

Photograph.

Unsigned.

Stamped on mount: FINE TINT. Inscribed on verso: Temple Emanu El. Leopold Eidlitz. 3866-25-1 Tues sure 150 [...?] Arch. Rec.

397 x 275mm., mounted.

UNIDENTIFIED AND BY OTHER ARCHITECTS

57,A-B [Wood and brick buildings (2): exterior of an industrial building and interior of a different building with high pitched wood roof. Resemble Eidlitz's Hamilton Ferry House, Brooklyn. 185-?]

Photographs (2)

Unsigned.

A (exterior): 155x 210mm.; B (interior): 157 x 200mm., both mounted.

58. [Broadway, N.Y.: view of west side from the National Express Co. (145) at the S.W. corner of Liberty St. south to Trinity Church. 18-?]]

Photograph.

Signed in white ink on print: F.E. Parshley Photo. 70 Hicks St. Brooklyn, N.Y.

227 x 307mm., mounted.

59. Eidlitz, Cyrus L W , 1853-1921, archt.
[Main Library, Association of the Bar of the City of New York, West 44th St., N.Y. by Cyrus L.W. Eidlitz. 1895]

Photograph.

Unsigned.

Inscribed on verso in blue pencil: The main library of the Bar Association...Return to[...?]

341 x 425 mm., mounted.

[COOPER UNION BUILDING]

60. Robertson, Robert H 1849-1919, archt.
[Phillips Presbyterian Church, 73rd St. & Madison Ave., N.Y. 1874]

Photograph.

Embossed on mount: Albert Levy New-York, Architectural & decorative books 77, University Place, 77.

Inscribed on negative: 162.

233 x 195mm., mounted.