



**1910**  
**Pope Mfg. Co.**

chemical car, hose wagon

*Photo: Danbury Museum & Hist. Soc. Collection*

**1910-1926** Danbury Fire Dept.  
**1926** Kent Vol. Fire Dept.

**Pope 1**

8-6-1910 - "Danbury's first motorized fire engine is delivered, and placed in service with Co #1." Kent Fire shows a photo about 1927 but the truck apparently has no basket or ladders.

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**1913**  
**American LaFrance**

pumper

700 midship

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**1913-unk** Danbury Fire Dept.

**Eng 2**

Reg #234 shipped 2-12-1913 12 Trip \$9,000. Ledger list says this is E1.

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**1916**  
**Seagrave Corp.**

city service

*Photo: Danbury Museum & Hist. Soc. Collection*

**1916-1942** Danbury Fire Dept.

**Truck 1**

\$11000. In service on 9-8-1916. This truck was demonstrated in Westerly, RI on 9-3-1916 on its way to Danbury. Westerly was considering purchase of a similar truck.

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**1917**  
**Pope Mfg. Co.**

hose wagon

*Photo: photo needed*

**1917-1926** Danbury Fire Dept.

**Chemical 3**

**1926** Crankshaft failed

Del. 6-1917. Wood history only refers to this as a motor hose car to replace the horse drawn wagon at Boughton St. station. Later he tells of this being disabled on 1-17-1926 and retired...replaced by 2nd 1926 Seagrave.

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**1920**  
**American LaFrance**

Brockway  
pumper, chemical

400 gpm  
chem

*Photo: photo needed*

**1920** Danbury Fire Dept.  
**1931-1941?** Reassigned to Co.7's quarters

**Eng 5**

Shipped 10-9-1920 75 Comb Jr. Town reports do not clearly mention this one until 1927 but says that by 1922, all Vol Co had motor cars. Wood says DFD received this but doesn't indicate assignment. Wood says this truck was assigned in 1931 to Water Witch's quarters with a paid crew.

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**1926**  
**Seagrave Corp.**

pumper

400 gpm  
80 gal tank

*Photo: photo needed*

**1926-1931** Danbury Fire Dept.  
**1931-1939** Beckerle Hose Co.

**Eng 3**  
**Eng 9 Beck**

One of the Seagraves was an emergency purchase after the 1917 Pope failed... Del. 3-10-1927. Goes to Beckerle when the Autocar comes.

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**1927**  
Seagrave Corp.  
Suburbanite

pumper  
  
400 gpm  
80 gal tank

*Photo: unknown photographer*

**1927** Danbury Fire Dept.  
**1928** Traded in by Citizens Hose Co.  
**as of 2013** Preserved - O/S - VT

1 of 2 purchased. One of these went to Beckerle in 1931 when the Autocar was purchased. Citizens Hose Co. purchased their Mack in 1928 for \$1050 and the trade of a 1926 Seagrave which was obtained from city dept.

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Eng 1



**1928**  
Mack Trucks AP Series

pumper  
  
750 gpm

*Photo: Danbury Museum & Hist. Soc. Collection*

**1928-1939?** Danbury Fire Dept.  
Eng 1?  
Eng 7

In service 9-20-1928. Thought this was E1 but it's clearly E7. E7 (Water Witch) had gotten a paid crew in 1931 and used the 1920 ALF (Wood). But maybe they used the Mack later. The problem is that DFD didn't get a new truck until 1939. If true, these two photos would have to be 1939 or later.

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**1931**  
  
Autocar  
pumper  
  
500 gpm

*Photo: Danbury Museum & Hist. Soc. Collection*

**1931-1952** Danbury Fire Dept. Eng 3  
**1939** Renumbered Eng 8

In service 12-13-1931. Bought by city new to replace the '26 Seagrave that had been doing out-of-city work. The two photos show this truck with a "3" and an "8" on the grille. It was the 8th pumper purchased by Danbury, but that may just be coincidence. The '28 Mack was "7" and the 7th. (Rob)

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**1939**  
Maxim Motor Co.  
  
pumper  
  
600 gpm

*Photo: Howard T. Smith Collection*

**1939-1963** Danbury Fire Dept. Eng 1  
**1963** Reserve Eng 8

In service 9-13-39.

**Maxim delivery photo**

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**1942**  
Seagrave Corp.  
  
aerial  
  
mid-mount - 75' Seagrave

*Photo: Danbury Museum & Hist. Soc. Collection*

**1942-1965** Danbury Fire Dept. Truck 1  
**1965** Reserve

Del. 1-20-1943

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**1952**  
Maxim Motor Co.  
  
pumper  
  
750 gpm  
300 gal tank

*Photo: Howard T. Smith Collection*

**1952-1974** Danbury Fire Dept. Eng 2,24,25  
**1974** Reserve

Most of the new trucks came in as E2 and then were reassigned. Replaced by '74 IH Maxim

**Maxim delivery photo**

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**1952**  
**Maxim Motor Co.**  
  
 pumper  
  
 750 gpm  
  
*Maxim delivery photo*

*Photo: Howard T. Smith Collection*  
**1952-1974** Danbury Fire Dept. Eng 3,23

Replaced by '79 ALF. Went to E7? See 3rd photo.

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**1963**  
**Maxim Motor Co. S-Model**  
  
 pumper  
  
 1000 gpm  
 500 gal tank

*Photo: Mike Bakunis, photographer*  
**1964-1971** Danbury Fire Dept. Eng 21  
**1971-1981** Reassigned Eng 23  
**1982** Reserve

Del 5-1964. (news)  
 Replaced a 1939 now quartered at Locust Av.  
 (F-276)

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**1964**  
**Maxim Motor Co. S-Model**  
  
 aerial  
  
 mid-mount - 100' Maxim

*Photo: Mike Bakunis, photographer*  
**1964** Danbury Fire Dept. Truck 1  
**1981-1990** Reassigned? Truck 2

Del 12-2-1965 as Truck 2

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**1971**  
**Maxim Motor Co. F-Model**  
  
 pumper  
  
 1000 gpm  
 500 gal tank

*Photo: Mark Redman, photographer*  
**1971-1975** Danbury Fire Dept. Eng 22  
**1975-1979** Reassigned Eng 21  
**1979-1982** Reassigned Eng 24  
**1984-1986** Reassigned Eng 21

Del. 11-10-1971.  
 ARN 7-1979 tells of reassignment to E24.  
 Likely E21 only for a short time, usually at delivery.

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**1971**  
**Fire-X**  
  
 Ford F

*Photo: Bernie Meehan, photographer*  
**1971-1992** Danbury Munic. Airport, Danbury Truck 26

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**1973**  
**Maxim Motor Co.**  
 International Loadstar  
 pumper  
  
 750 gpm  
 750 gal tank

*Photo: unknown photographer*  
**1973-1986** Danbury Fire Dept. Eng 24, 25  
**1986-unk** FCI Prison, Danbury  
 New Fairfield (town) non-fire use

1st E24 rig.  
 1974 IH chassis Maxim. This truck was the first Eng.24. Later became Eng.25, Then given to F.C.I. prison in Danbury, Ct. about 1987. Jim Beers McKeon says '73

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**1965**  
**American Fire Apparatus**  
 Dodge  
 pumper  
 750 gpm  
 500 gal tank  
 as **WoosterHose truck**

*Photo: John W. Turner, photographer*  
**1965-1975** Wooster Hose Co., Danbury  
**1975-1979** Danbury Fire Dept.

Eng 5  
 Eng 25

2 hi-pressure lines. 4-stage pump.  
 In service 3-1965.

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**1975**  
**John Bean Div. - FMC Corp.**  
 Duplex  
 pumper  
 1250 gpm  
 500 gal tank

*Photo: Mike Bakunis, photographer*  
**1975-1993** Danbury Fire Dept.

Eng 22,25,21,24

Possibly in service until '94 Pierce Arrow came. Or, the '71 Maxim was kept that long.  
 Photo of E22 in ARN

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**1979**  
**American LaFrance Century Series**  
 pumper  
 1500 gpm  
 500 gal tank

*Photo: James Brown, photographer*  
**1979-1987** Danbury Fire Dept.  
**1988-2002** Reassigned

Eng 22  
 Eng 25

Moved the '71 Maxim to E21.  
 ARN 7-1979 says E21 taken out of service due to manpower cuts.

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**1981**  
**Grumman Emergency Products**  
 Hendrickson  
 aerial  
 1250 gpm  
 200 gal tank  
 rear-mount - 100' LTI

*Photo: Mike Bakunis, photographer*  
**1981-1994** Danbury Fire Dept.  
**1994** Major Modification - see separate record

Truck 1

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**1983**  
**Mack Trucks CF Series**  
 pumper  
 1500 gpm  
 500 gal tank

*Photo: Mike Bakunis, photographer*  
**1983-1995** Danbury Fire Dept.

Eng 23

Danbury's first CF Mack. This truck was built for San Jose Calif. and is a twin to the photo of San Jose's Shark CF.

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**1988**  
**Pierce Mfg. Inc.**  
 Mack CF  
 pumper  
 1500 gpm  
 500 gal tank

*Photo: Mike Bakunis, photographer*  
**1988-1994** Danbury Fire Dept.  
**1994-1999** Reassigned Reserve

Eng 22  
 Eng 24

Del 2-11-1988  
 CF688FC-1668

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**1988**  
**Pierce Mfg. Inc.**  
 Mack CF  
 pumper  
 1500 gpm  
 500 gal tank

*Photo Mike Bakunis, photographer*

**1988-1996** Danbury Fire Dept.  
**1996-2008** Reassigned

*Eng 21*  
*Eng 23*

CF688FC-1312  
 Del. late 1988, early 1989

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**1990**  
**Pierce Mfg. Inc. Arrow**  
 aerial  
 mid-mount - 105' Smeal

*Photo James Brown, photographer*

**1990-2001** Danbury Fire Dept.  
**2001** Out of state - Cortland, NY

*Truck 2*

only three such units built

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**1992**  
**Crash Rescue Equip. Service**  
 Chevrolet  
 pumper  
 250 gpm  
 150 gal tank

*Photo Bernie Meehan, photographer*

**1992** Danbury Munic. Airport, Danbury

*Truck 26*

500 #DC  
 Run by Danbury career dept.

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**1994**  
**Pierce Mfg. Inc. Arrow**  
 pumper  
 1250 gpm  
 750 gal tank

*Photo James Brown, photographer*

**1994-2006** Danbury Fire Dept.  
**2006** Out of state - GA

*Eng 22*

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**1994**  
**Simon LTI**  
 Simon-Duplex  
 aerial platform  
 1250 gpm  
 250 gal tank  
 rear-mount - 100' LTI

*Photo Mike Bakunis, photographer*

**1994-2014** Danbury Fire Dept.  
**unk** Fire Academy

*Truck 1*

Heavily modified from 1981 Hendrickson Oren of same Dept.

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**1996**  
**Pierce Mfg. Inc.**  
 pumper  
 1250 gpm  
 750 gal tank

*Photo Mike Bakunis, photographer*

**1996-2008** Danbury Fire Dept.

*Eng 21*

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**1999**

Pierce Mfg. Inc. Saber

pumper

1500 gpm  
500 gal tank

*Bernie Meehan, photographer*

*Photo: Bernie Meehan, photographer*

**1999-2010** Danbury Fire Dept.  
**2010** Reserve

Eng 24

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**2000**

Pierce Mfg. Inc. Dash

aerial

mid-mount - 105' Pierce



*Photo: Bernie Meehan, photographer*

**2001-2015** Danbury Fire Dept.

Truck 1  
Truck 2

McKeon says '05

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**2003**

Pierce Mfg. Inc. Saber

pumper

1500 gpm  
500 gal tank



*Photo: Bernie Meehan, photographer*

**2003-2010** Danbury Fire Dept.

Eng 25

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**2006**

Ferrara Fire App.

International 4000 Series

hazmat



*Photo: Bernie Meehan, photographer*

**2007-** Danbury Fire Dept.

Hazmat 1

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**2006**

Pierce Mfg. Inc. Dash

pumper

1500 gpm  
750 gal tank



*Photo: Bernie Meehan, photographer*

**2006-2010** Danbury Fire Dept.  
**2010-2016** Reassigned  
Fire School

Eng 22  
Eng 24

Not an '06

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**2007**

Pierce Mfg. Inc. Dash 2000

rescue



*Photo: Bernie Meehan, photographer*

**2007-** Danbury Fire Dept.

Rescue 1

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**2008**  
Pierce Mfg. Inc. Dash  
  
pumper  
  
1250 gpm  
500 gal tank

**2008-** Danbury Fire Dept. Eng 21, 25

*Photo: Bernie Meehan, photographer*

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**2008**  
Pierce Mfg. Inc. Dash  
  
pumper  
  
1250 gpm  
500 gal tank

**2008-2019** Danbury Fire Dept. Eng 23, 24  
Refurb by Pierce

*Photo: Bernie Meehan, photographer*

To E24 2016

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**2010**  
Pierce Mfg. Inc. Arrow XT  
  
pumper  
  
1250 gpm  
500 gal tank

**2010-** Danbury Fire Dept. Eng 21, 26

*Photo: Bernie Meehan, photographer*

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**2010**  
Pierce Mfg. Inc. Arrow XT  
  
pumper  
  
1250 gpm  
500 gal tank

**2010-2016** Danbury Fire Dept. Eng 22, 22A  
**2016** Reserve Eng 22A

*Photo: Bernie Meehan, photographer*

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**2014**  
Pierce Mfg. Inc. Dash  
  
aerial platform  
  
mid-mount - 95' Pierce

**2014-** Danbury Fire Dept. Truck 1

*Photo: Scott Leslie, photographer*

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**2016**  
Pierce Mfg. Inc. Velocity  
  
pumper  
  
1250 gpm  
750 gal tank

**2016-** Danbury Fire Dept. Eng 22

*Photo: Bernie Meehan, photographer*

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**2016**  
**Pierce Mfg. Inc. Velocity**

pumper

1250 gpm  
 750 gal tank

*Photo: unknown photographer*  
**2016-** Danbury Fire Dept.

Eng 23



**1948**  
**Mack Trucks**

pumper

750 gpm

*Photo: unknown photographer*  
**as of 1974** Danbury Fire Dept.

Eng 26 Rsv

Looks more like a '46 with no chrome bulldog, striping on cowling.  
 Maybe not original to Danbury. Used at fairgrounds?