

Hartford Fire Dept., Hartford, CT (1864-)



1896
Clapp & Jones

 steamer

 serial

Amer-Br tractor added 1919

Eng 7 Hartford Fire Dept. **1896**
 Eng 2 Tractorized **1915**
 Tractorized **1919**
 Removed from service **1929**

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1896
Clapp & Jones

 steamer

 serial

#2315
 Or E5 in 1917

Eng 8 Hartford Fire Dept. **1896**
 Eng 5 Reassigned **1914**
 Tractorized **1917?**
 Removed from service **1929**

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1901
Amoskeag

 steamer

 1300

 serial

#764
 "Pride of Hartford"

Eng 4 Hartford Fire Dept. **1901-1925**

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1907
Combination Ladder Co.
 Knox Automobile Co.
 chemical car, hose wagon

 35 gal tank

 serial

first motorized. 20 hp 20mph
 Known as "Mary Anne" Motorized with Pope motor. Photo 1929

Eng 3 Hartford Fire Dept. **1907-1939**

COMPILED BY CONNECTICUT FIREMEN'S HISTORICAL SOCIETY, MANCHESTER, CT



1910
Pope Mfg. Co.

 chemical car, hose wagon

 2-40 chem

 serial

Chemical 9 disbands as a result.
 In service 6-29-1910

Squad A Hartford Fire Dept. **1910-1919**

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1911
Pope Mfg. Co.

 chemical car, hose wagon

 40 chem

 serial unk

10-25-1996 HC: The Magee Collection Ltd. of Middlefield is showing the firetruck, which it acquired from an English collector seven years ago,

Eng 10 Hartford Fire Dept. **1911**
 Eng 8 Reassigned **1917**
 2nd piece as of **1937**
 Preserved - Private **as of 1996**

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1911
American Automatic

 water tower

 55' tower

 serial *unk*

American Automatic tower
 Hartford sold it in 1964

Water Tower *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1911**
 Tractorized **1919**
 Preserved - CT Museum - CT Fire Hist Soc **as of 2018**

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1912
American LaFrance

 Brockway

 tractor - two axle

 tractor-drawn - 65'

 serial

Trailer is a 1911, originally horse-drawn.
 Tractor Reg #133.
 Used by L3 in 1937 after its tractor was wrecked.

Ladder 1 *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1912-1923**
 Reserve **1923**
 In service as of **1937**

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1912
Clapp & Jones

 steamer

 serial

Amer-Br gas-elec tractor added

Eng 1 *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1912-1924**
 Tractorized **1914**

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1912
Pope Mfg. Co.

 chemical car, hose wagon

 40 chem

 serial

Was also a 1919 at E5. - unsure

Eng 5 *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1912-1933**
 Destroyed in accident - July 1933 **1933**

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1912
Pope Mfg. Co.

 chemical car, hose wagon

 40 chem

 serial

Eng 1 *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1912-1937**

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1912
Pope Mfg. Co.

 chemical car, hose wagon

 40 chem

 serial

In service 9-1912
 I originally had this going to E3, but E8 fits better with ARN listing of 1936-37. from 8-1977.

Eng 2 *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1912**
 Reserve **1936**
 Reassigned **1938**

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1915
American LaFrance

 city service

 serial

Reg #762 ship 11-2-1915
 In service 4-15-1915 according to Clarke

Ladder 2 Hartford Fire Dept. **1915-1948**
 Reserve **1948-1955**

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1915
American LaFrance

 city service

 serial

Reg #855 ship 6-21-1915

Ladder 4 Hartford Fire Dept. **1915-1949**
 Reserve? **1949-1955**

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1916
American LaFrance

 pumper

 750 gpm

 serial ALF 1281

Reg #1281 ship 7-13-1916

Eng 7 Hartford Fire Dept. **1916**
 Reserve **1929**

 Preserved - Private **as of 1994**

COMPILED BY CONNECTICUT FIREMEN'S HISTORICAL SOCIETY, MANCHESTER, CT



1916
American LaFrance

 pumper

 750 gpm

 serial

Reg #1280 ship 7-13-1916
 Annual reports say Type 12
 and Reg #1281

Eng 6 Hartford Fire Dept. **1916**
 Reassigned **1930**
 Removed from service **1942**
 Out of state - New Hampton, NJ

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1916
American LaFrance

 pumper

 750 gpm

 serial ALF 1282

Reg #1282 ship 9-29-1916
 Or a Type 12

Eng 11 Hartford Fire Dept. **1916**
 Eng 16 Reassigned **1938**
 Removed from service **1949?**
 Preserved - Private **as of 1992**

COMPILED BY CONNECTICUT FIREMEN'S HISTORICAL SOCIETY, MANCHESTER, CT



1917
American LaFrance

 pumper

 750 gpm

 serial

Reg #1664; ship 12-7-1917
 Annual reports say Type 12. Clarke says in service 8-11-1917 and photo taken 10-26

Eng 10 Hartford Fire Dept. **1917**
 Eng 5 Reassigned **1938**

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Hartford Fire Dept., Hartford, CT (1864-)



1919
Pope Mfg. Co.
 chemical car, hose wagon
 40 chem
 serial

Squad A disbanded 7-11-1928
 Damaged in accident 11-19-1923
 HC article 12-23-33 clearly states history of this truck and says it is nearly 15 yr old.

<i>Squad A</i>	<i>Hartford Fire Dept.</i>	1919
<i>Eng 4</i>	<i>Reassigned</i>	1929
<i>Eng 5</i>	<i>Reassigned</i>	1933

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1920
Mack Trucks AC Series
 chemical car, hose wagon
 500 gpm chem
 serial

One of the two Macks was converted to a turret wagon. I assume this one as the other one had been converted to a pumper.

<i>Eng 3</i>	<i>Hartford Fire Dept.</i>	1920
	<i>Reserve</i>	1937
	<i>Removed from service</i>	1945
	<i>Converted to turret wagon</i>	

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1920
Mack Trucks AC Series
 pumper, chemical
 500 gpm chem
 converted to pumper
 serial

pump was added about 1923.
 ARN has photo of a 1921 Mack Bulldog as Turret #1 9-84. Clark says E4 was spare from 1928 but no mention of E16.

<i>Eng 4</i>	<i>Hartford Fire Dept.</i>	1920
	<i>Converted to pumper</i>	1923
<i>Eng 16</i>	<i>Reassigned</i>	1929
	<i>Spare, then E3?</i>	1938

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1923
Mack Trucks AC Series
 aerial
 tractor-drawn - 85'
 serial

<i>Ladder 1</i>	<i>Hartford Fire Dept.</i>	1923-1928
<i>Ladder 6</i>	<i>Reassigned</i>	1928-1939
	<i>Major Modification - see separate record</i>	1939

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1925
American LaFrance
 pumper, tank, hose wagon
 1000 gpm
 serial

Reg #5174; ship 6-24-1925
 Annual reports say Type 12.

<i>Eng 1</i>	<i>Hartford Fire Dept.</i>	1925
<i>Eng 6</i>	<i>Reassigned</i>	1928
<i>Eng 9</i>	<i>Reassigned</i>	1943
	<i>Sold privately</i>	1973

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1928
American LaFrance
 aerial
 tractor-drawn - 85' American
 serial ALF 6223

Reg #6223; ship 7-2-1928
 AAA #457.

<i>Ladder 1</i>	<i>Hartford Fire Dept.</i>	1928-1948
	<i>Reserve</i>	

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1928

American LaFrance

pumper, tank, hose wagon

1000 gpm
chem

serial ALF 6222



Reg #6222; ship 1-20-1928
chem tank later removed; 90 gal water.

Eng 4,5 Hartford Fire Dept. 1928
Eng 10 Reassigned 1938-1949?

Preserved - Department - Hartford as of 2017

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1928

American LaFrance

pumper, tank, hose wagon

1000 gpm
chem

serial ALF 6537



Reg #6537; ship 12-21-1928. Chem tanks later removed; 90 gal water. 1st due at Hartford Circus fire, 7-6-44. Sold at auction sometime in the early 1950's the truck eventually was donated to the Hayward Fire Company in Colchester, CT.

Eng 7 Hartford Fire Dept. 1928-1952
various owners
Preserved - Museum - E Windsor as of 2018

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1929

American LaFrance

pumper, tank, hose wagon

1000 gpm

serial



Reg #6591; ship 5-21-1929

Eng 1 Hartford Fire Dept. 1929
Eng 11 Reassigned 1938
Removed from service 1944?

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1930

American LaFrance

pumper

1000 gpm

serial ALF 7181



Reg #7181; ship 5-30-1930
Reassignment in HC 12-23-33

Eng 4 Hartford Fire Dept. 1930
Eng 12 Reassigned 1933
Removed from service 1950?

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1930

American LaFrance

pumper

1000 gpm

serial ALF 7178



Reg #7178; ship 4-30-1930 245 PWT

Eng 3 Hartford Fire Dept. 1930
Removed from service 1959?

COMPILED BY CONNECTICUT FIREMEN'S HISTORICAL SOCIETY, MANCHESTER, CT

1930

American LaFrance

pumper

1000 gpm

serial ALF 7180



Reg #7180; ship 2-5-1930 245 PWT

Eng 8 Hartford Fire Dept. 1930-1959?

Preserved - Private - John Gaspar as of 2022

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1930
American LaFrance
 pumper, tank, hose wagon
 1000 gpm
 serial ALF 7168

Reg #7168; ship 10-4-1930 245 TRIP.

Eng 2 Hartford Fire Dept. 1930-unk

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1933
American LaFrance
 pumper
 1000 gpm
 serial ALF 7501

Reg #7501; ship 12-15-1933 RC PWT
 HCCourant 12-23-1933 and 4-23-1934.
 E4 1st Co. to have two pumpers.

Eng 4 Hartford Fire Dept. 1933
 Eng 3 Reassigned 1942-1960

Preserved - Private

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1918
American LaFrance
 pumper
 750 gpm
 serial

Reg #4575 shipped 6-6-1935 without pump or motor. Was originally #1879, a 1918.

Port Chester, NY 1918
 Eng 14 Hartford Fire Dept (after rebuild) 1935
 Removed from service 1951?

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1937
 Mack Trucks Early B
 tractor - two axle
 tractor-drawn - 85' American
 serial

This record is for tractor only .
 Heavily modified from 1914 ALF of same Dept.
 (aerial: Reg #500 ship 1-5-1914 AAA #67)

Ladder 5 Hartford Fire Dept. 1937-1949

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1937
 Mack Trucks Early B
 tractor - two axle
 tractor-drawn - 75' American
 serial MK 21S-1001

This record is for tractor only. Replaces wrecked 1914 ALF tractor. Not sure about serial match.
 Jansen: Photo shows Hartford Car 5 at 1972 Connecticut State Firefighters Parade in Wethersfield.

Ladder 3 Hartford Fire Dept. 1937-1950
 Preserved - CT Private - Jack Jansen unk
 Preserved - Private

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1938
Mack Trucks E Series
 pumper
 1250 gpm
 100 gal tank
 serial

Del 11-30-1938.
 Matt Lee says unusual: rated at 1500 gpm. Had two Hale ZMM Series pumps of 750 gpm each which combined to discharge through 4 ports. The extra horsepower was used for pumping.

Eng 1 Hartford Fire Dept. 1938-1958

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Hartford Fire Dept., Hartford, CT (1864-)



1938
American LaFrance 500 Series
 pumper
 1250 gpm
 150 gal tank
 serial

Reg #8017 ship 10-14-1938 512 CO PWT.
 Owned by Joe Fitzpatrick. Known as the "Showboat"

Eng 5 *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1938**
 Andover Vol. Fire Dept. **1964**

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1921
American LaFrance
 pumper, tank, hose wagon
 1000 gpm
 serial

Reg #3437; ship 4-4-1921 to Stamford NY.

Eng 1 *Stamford, NY FD* **1921**
 Hartford Fire Dept **1938-unk**

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1939
 Mack
 tractor - two axle
 tractor-drawn - 85'
 serial

Heavily modified from 1923 Mack AC of same Dept.
 Del. 12-30-1939. This record is for tractor only. Aerial: from 1923 Mack AC L1, L6...
 Later, made the tractor into the shop wrecker.

Ladder 6 *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1939-1955**

COMPILED BY CONNECTICUT FIREMEN'S HISTORICAL SOCIETY, MANCHESTER, CT



1942
American LaFrance 600 Series
 pumper
 1000 gpm
 serial

ship 1-31-1942 601 CO
 Car 46. pump

Eng 4 *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1942**
 In service as of **1965**

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1945
American LaFrance 600 Series
 pumper
 750 gpm
 100 gal tank
 serial

ship 8-23-1945 675 CO
 Car 47. Hosewagon - because they were 750s
 One of these in photo with E3 in front of house.

Eng 2 *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1945-1965**
 In service as of **1965**

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1945
American LaFrance 600 Series
 pumper
 750 gpm
 100 gal tank
 serial ALF L-2143

ship 8-23-1945 675 CO
 Car 48. hosewagon - was a 750.
 One of these for sale by Joe Fitzpatrick in 3-1975 (ARN)

Eng 4 *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1945-1965?**

Preserved - Private

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1949
Mack Trucks L Series

 pumper

 750 gpm
 150 gal tank

 serial *MK 85LS-1394*

Eng 15 *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1949-1971**

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1949
Mack Trucks L Series

 pumper

 750 gpm
 150 gal tank

as E6 in 1979
 serial *MK 85LS-1395*

Eng 14 *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1949-1971**
 Eng 6 *Reassigned* **as of 1978**

COMPILED BY CONNECTICUT FIREMEN'S HISTORICAL SOCIETY, MANCHESTER, CT



1949
American LaFrance 700 Series

 aerial

 mid-mount - 75' ALF
taken 1981 as reserve
 serial *ALF L-3922*

Reg #L-3922 ship 8-8-1949 7-75 AJO

Ladder 4 *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1949-1950**
 Ladder 2 *Reassigned* **1950**

COMPILED BY CONNECTICUT FIREMEN'S HISTORICAL SOCIETY, MANCHESTER, CT



1950
American LaFrance 700 Series

 aerial

 mid-mount - 85' ALF

 serial *ALF L-4191*

Reg #L-4191 ship 11-21-1950 7-85 AJO
 May have been replaced in HFD in 1987

Ladder 4 *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1950-1976**
 Reserve **as of 1981**
 Rocky Hill Fire Dept,
 Out of state - SC **1985?-unk**
 as of 2008

COMPILED BY CONNECTICUT FIREMEN'S HISTORICAL SOCIETY, MANCHESTER, CT



1951
American LaFrance 700 Series

 aerial

 mid-mount - 100' ALF
taken 1979 as L2
 serial *ALF L-4405*

Reg #L-4405 ship 10-31-1951 7-100-AJO
 Described in HC as a "giant ladder truck" (because of the 100' ladder)

Ladder 1 *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1951-1971**
 Ladder 2 *Reassigned* **1972-1980**

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1952
American LaFrance 700 Series

 pumper

 1000 gpm

 serial *ALF L-4457*

Repowered in 1976?
 Reg #L-4457 ship 1-14-1952. 710-PJC

Eng 11 *Hartford Fire Dept.* **1951-1981**

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1950
American LaFrance 700 Series
 pumper
 1000 gpm
 serial ALF L-4209

Reg #L-4209 ship 1-31-1951 710-PJO

Eng 9 Hartford Fire Dept. **1951-1971**

Eng 7 Reassigned **1971-unk**

COMPILED BY CONNECTICUT FIREMEN'S HISTORICAL SOCIETY, MANCHESTER, CT



1952
American LaFrance 700 Series
 pumper
 1000 gpm
 225 gal tank
 serial ALF L-4458

Reg #L-4458 ship 1-16-1952 710-PJO

Eng 3 wagon Hartford Fire Dept. **1952-1982**

Repowered - diesel **1976**

Tac Unit 2 Reassigned **1982**

COMPILED BY CONNECTICUT FIREMEN'S HISTORICAL SOCIETY, MANCHESTER, CT



1952
American LaFrance 700 Series
 pumper
 1000 gpm
 225 gal tank
 taken 1979 as E6w
 serial ALF L-4652

Reg #L-4652 ship 11-25-1952. 710-PJC
 E12 disbands in 1972.

Eng 12 Hartford Fire Dept. **1952-1972**

Eng 6w Reassigned **1972-1982**

Tac Unit 1 Reassigned **1982**

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1950
American LaFrance 700 Series
 pumper
 750 gpm
 250 gal tank
 taken 3-1981
 serial ALF L-4210

2nd piece
 Reg #L-4210 ship 1-30-1951 710-PJO

Eng 2 Hartford Fire Dept. **1952-1974**

COMPILED BY CONNECTICUT FIREMEN'S HISTORICAL SOCIETY, MANCHESTER, CT



1953
American LaFrance 700 Series
 pumper
 750 gpm
 taken 1979 as E15
 serial ALF L-4783

Reg #L-4783 ship 4-21-1953 775-PJO

Eng 7 Hartford Fire Dept. **1953-1971**

Eng 15 Reassigned **1971-1980**

COMPILED BY CONNECTICUT FIREMEN'S HISTORICAL SOCIETY, MANCHESTER, CT



1953
American LaFrance 700 Series
 pumper
 750 gpm
 250 gal tank
 taken 1979
 serial ALF L-4784

Reg #L-4784 ship 4-21-1953 775-PJO

Eng 8 Hartford Fire Dept. **1953-1972**

Eng 1 wagon Reassigned **1972-1984**

Repowered - diesel **1976**

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1955

American LaFrance 700 Series

aerial

tractor-drawn - 100' ALF

serial ALF L-5198

Reg #L-5198 ship 2-28-1955 7-100-TJO

Ladder 6 Hartford Fire Dept.

1955-1980

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