Title A Miniature of the World in the 19th Century.

Date 1851

Primary Maker John Warner Barber

Medium Lithography; printer's ink and watercolor on wove paper

Description A political cartoon. In the left middle ground is a large crowd of people with little balloons over their heads naming the sins of which they are guilty: "Despair / & /Suicide" "Deists & Blasphemers" "Robbery / & / Murder" "Slander / Psl. 64.3.4" "Lust of the Flesh / & Pride of Life" "Dunkards & / Gluttons" "Mormonism" "Fashions of / the World". The Pope in Rome sits on a throne with a banner above his head that reads, "Pardon, Bulls" and a sign by his throne that reads: "The Pope / of Rome the / Man of Sin / 2 Thes .2". There is a beam of light labeled "The Gospel Light" leading to the upper right corner, where a sign on a city in the clouds reads, "The New Jerusalem". At center right,

Basic Detail Report

a minister in a black robe proclaims to the crowd "Seek your treasures above."

Men and women hold books that read: "Holy / Bible" and "Davis / Reve-/ lations"

are ascending a hill on the right. In the foreground, a group of men are picking

up coins above a sign that reads: "California Adventurers / The dry diggings."

Fire and lightening rain from dark clouds at the left. Numerous biblical and other

quotes are inscribed throughout the image.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 8 7/8 x 12 11/16in. (22.5

x 32.2cm) Sheet (height x width): 9 15/16 x 14in. (25.2 x 35.6cm)