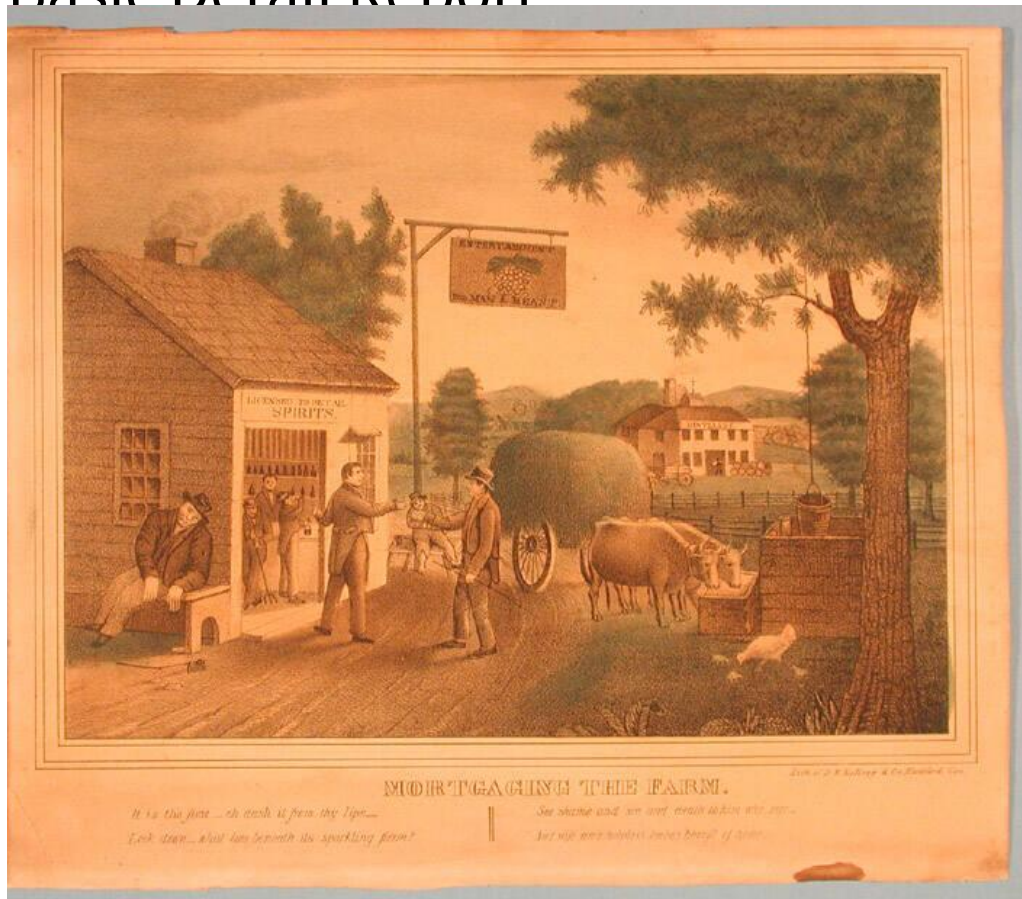


# Basic Detail Report



## Title Mortgaging the Farm.

Date 1830-1840

Primary Maker D. W. Kellogg & Co.

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

Description A man wearing a coat, hat, and trousers stands in front of a frame building, apparently a tavern. He holds a stick in his left hand, apparently an ox goad. Two oxen drawing a cart or wagon loaded with hay drink from a wooden water trough nearby. A second man, presumably the proprietor of the shop, offers a glass to the young farmer. He points to the interior of his taproom, where another man stands drinking. A bartender stands behind the bar. Bottles are on a shelf, with spindles above. Another man is leaning on what appears to

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be a pitchfork. A sign above the door reads: "LICENSED TO RETAIL / SPIRITS". A

hanging tavern sign, with a bunch of grapes, read: "ENTERTAINMENT / FOR MAN

& BEAST." A man, presumably drunk, sprawls on a bench at the foot of the sign.

Another man is slumped on a bench at the far left. What appears to be a broken

hoe is in the street beside him. A hen and chicks are beside a well at the far right.

A bucket is suspended from a rope, apparently attached to a branch of a large

tree. Barrels are piled outside a building in the right background, with a sign that

reads: "DISTILLERY". Hills, fields, rail fences, a board fence, and a stone wall are

also in the background.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 7 15/16 x 10 3/8in. (20.2

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