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## Title Plate

Date about 1835

Primary Maker T.& J. Mayer

Medium Mechanically-molded buff-colored earthenware with a blue-tinted glaze and overglaze red enamel decoration

Description Round plate of buff-colored earthenware with a light blue-tinted glaze, a type of ceramic known as pearlware. The plate has a lightly scalloped rim and is decorated with an overglaze transfer-printed, red enamel pattern. The pattern, titled, "Canova", shows a red urn sitting on a low, square pedestal, slightly to the left of center. On the right is a body of water, with a boat floating

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in it, and several buildings on the shore in the middle distance. Trees, ferns, and foliage decorate the landscape between the buildings, water, and urn. The pattern is surrounded by a brief area of white, then a border of pointed arches and geometric floral embellishments. The border on the rim of the plate consists of eight panels of two different alternating designs. One design has a red background with a line of flowers, and the other design shows an urn on a pedestal with a boat floating in water to the right. The entire plate has crazing and considerable but uneven yellow discoloration.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (diameter): 6 3/8in. (16.2cm)