

Basic Detail Report



Title A Plan of the Willimantic Village

Date 1825-1845

Primary Maker Mr. Dexter

Medium Drawing; ink and watercolor on paper

Description Manuscript map of Willimantic, Connecticut, consisting of three sheets. It extends from Main Street/the Hartford Turnpike to the north, the Natchaug and Shetucket Rivers to the east, Middletown Turnpike to the south, and Tingley's Village to the west. Plots of land, houses, mills and other buildings have been drawn in on Main Street and the Hartford Turnpike and the streets that branch off from them. Tingley's, Lee's, Jillson's and Hawe's Villages are labeled, and there is a four-pointed compass rose and north arrow on the right side of the map, with a backwards S. The Willimantic River runs through the village to where it meets the Natchaug and Shetucket Rivers. Along the banks of the Willimantic, and on what appear to be the outskirts of the village to the north and along Lebanon Road, there are stands of large trees to denote forest.

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Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 29 3/8 x 58 5/16in. (74.6

x 148.1cm) Sheet (height x width): 29 5/8 x 59in. (75.2 x 149.9cm)