Title Map of the United States, Census, Etc.

Date 1861

Primary Maker John Warner Barber

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

Description Map of the United States, with major cities marked with circles.

Physical features include elevation, conveyed through hachure marks; rivers;

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and lakes. Directly below the map is a list of the states' populations in 1860.

Below this are two vignettes, one depicting a robed figure with an eagle behind

it, holding a spear and a shield, striking down a smaller figure, in front of a

pillared building representing the United States. The pillars each have the

names of states on them. Below this image is the caption, "The Demon of

Discord and Treason, while attempting to remove the Pillars of the Republic,

cemented by the blood of Martyrs, is repelled by the Genius of America." Below

it are the lyrics to the patriotic song "Hail Columbia." The other vignette shows

the American flag, below which are the lyrcis to "The Star-Spangled Banner."

Between the two vignettes there are three quotes about the Union, one from

George Washington, one from Andrew Jackson and the third from Daniel

Webster.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 9 3/8 x 17 3/8in. (23.8 x

44.1cm) Sheet (height x width): 24 x 18 1/2in. (61 x 47cm)