

Title Baptism by immersion

Date about 1890

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Photography; gelatin silver print on paper

Description Crowd of men, women, boys, and girls line both banks of a stream.

Several people use umbrellas as parasols. A man, probably a minister, and a woman in a white dress, stand in the water that is almost up to their waists. Lily pads and other aquatic plants float in the water. A grassy bank is in the foreground. A stone wall, possibly part of a mill dam or sluice way, is in the

background. Several horse-drawn carriages are on a road beyond.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (overall height x width): 6 11/16 x 8 11/16in. (17 x 22cm)