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Title 250th Anniversary Celebration: Y.M.C.A. building, Main Street,

Middletown

Date 1900

Primary Maker C. A. L. Morgan

Medium Photography; gelatin silver print on paper on cardboard mount

Description View of Young Men's Christian Association building and adjoining commercial building decorated with American flags and bunting. The Y.M.C.A. is a large Queen Anne style building with round towers, arched and round windows, half-timbering and plate glass windows on the ground floor. Signs read: "Y.M.C.A. Woman's Auxiliary / Restaurant and Lunch Room / Hot Tea Coffee 5. Open from 11 o'clock" "Young Men's Christian Association" "Middletown's 250 Anniversary / Loan Exhibit" "Look! / Lunch / Rooms / Y.M.C.A. / Woman's / Auxiliary / Upstairs." Men and boys stand on the sidewalk looking in the

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windows. A man stands beside a board that appears to hold commemorative

buttons and ribbons for sale. Two bicycles are at the curb. The brick commercial

building at the left has signs read: "Central National Bank" "Dr. / Lamberton /

Dentist / First Class" "Lyman Payne" "Pianos / & / Organs" "Singer / Sewing

Machines" "Standard Patterns." A man with a beard, holding a cane, stands on

the steps. The square Gothic church tower of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church is at

the far right.

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

x 22cm)