

Basic Detail Report

Title Pleasure Railway at Hoboken.

Date 1830-1840

Primary Maker D. W. Kellogg & Co.

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

Description An amusement park ride consisting of a toy railroad running on an elevated circular wooden track. A man and a woman are seated in a car which appears to be operated by a bicycle-wheel mechanism turned by hand. A second car is in the left background. Additional men and women spectators walk on dirt paths or are seated on chairs and benches near the track. A two-story frame building is at the left. Plants grow in a grassy lawn in the foreground. The ride is completely surrounded by trees, including weeping willows.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 8 3/16 x 11 9/16in. (20.8 x 29.4cm) Sheet (height x width): 10 x 13 3/8in. (25.4 x 34cm)