

Basic Detail Report

Title Washington's Reception by the Ladies, at Trenton N.J. April 1789.

Date 1855-1856

Primary Maker E.B. & E.C. Kellogg

Medium Lithography; printer's ink on wove paper

Description Several men on horseback are surrounded by a large crowd of women and girls. The men wear military uniforms. The women and girls wear wreaths of flowers in their hair. George Washington is in the center, raising his hat. Several women hold baskets of roses which they are strewing at his horse's feet. A woman at the far left holds roses in her apron. A few men stand in the background. A canopy or marquee decorated with American flags and garlands of flowers is overhead. Banners read: "THE HERO WHO DEFENDED THE MOTHERS, DECEM. 26 1776. WILL PROTECT THE DAUGHTERS." The masts and rigging of three ships are visible in the left background.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 8 1/4 x 12 7/16in. (21 x 31.6cm) Sheet (height x width): 9 9/16 x 13 1/8in. (24.3 x 33.3cm) Mount (height x width): 12 1/4 x 16 3/4in. (31.1 x 42.5cm)