

Basic Detail Report

Title Sign for Fox's Inn

Date about 1834

Medium Paint on pine board, probably ash wood strapping, iron hardware

Description Images: On side 1, a bull's head and neck, centered on board. On side 2, an eagle with the arms of the United States. Text: On both sides: at top of oval board, "Entertainment.", at bottom of oval board, "Aaron Fox."

Construction: Single board, grain oriented horizontally, sawn into oval shape.

Applied banding with bead-molded edge is nailed to outer edge of board. This is in turn encased by iron strapping, in three sections, held by nails and screws.

Ends of the top sections of the iron strapping are bent upwards to form the hanging hardware.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width including hardware): 35 1/2 x 36 1/8in. (90.2 x 91.8cm) Other (height x width of sign only): 24 x 36 1/8in. (61 x 91.8 cm)