

Basic Detail Report

Title Map of the Seat of War in North America

Date Probably 1813

Primary Maker John Melish

Medium Engraving; black printer's ink and watercolor on wove paper

Description Map of the northern United States and Canada from the Ohio River and Washington, D.C. in the south to the area north of Lake Superior, the Saint Laurence River, and the Straits of Belisle in the north and from Lake Michigan and the Indiana Territory in the west to western Newfoundland and Sable Island in the east. State boundaries, major cities, and some geographical features are identified. Major roads within the United States and Upper Canada are shown. A scroll with a Table of Population for the United States (7,239,993), the British Possessions (339,000), and some individual states, provinces, and cities is at upper center.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 14 1/2 x 22 1/8in. (36.8 x 56.2cm) Sheet (height x width): 14 3/4 x 22 5/8in. (37.5 x 57.5cm)