

Basic Detail Report

Title Stand

Date 1810

Primary Maker Edward Bliss

Medium Maple primary wood, tulip poplar secondary wood

Description Maple stand in the Federal, or early neoclassical, style. The stand has an oval top and three klismos legs, or narrow, curved legs, that flare out and up at the foot. Slightly above the center, the three legs are joined with a round disc. Condition: There is a three inch long split at the edge of the top. There are multiple light scratches on the underside of the top and the cleat. The finish has been restored. Design and Construction Details: The top is formed from a single board and is screwed from the underside to a thin, rectangular cleat. The center of the top and bottom of the cleat has incised compass marks consisting of a circle with a six-petal flower inside. Each leg is screwed to the cleat from above. Each leg is nailed into a recessed square in the edge of the round brace, or disc.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width x depth of top): 28 3/16 x 18 x 13 1/2in. (71.6 x 45.7 x 34.3cm) Component (maximum width between two feet): 12 1/16in. (30.6cm)