

Basic Detail Report

Title Plate

Date 1935

Primary Maker G. Fox and Co.

Medium Mechanically-molded ironstone with underglaze black decoration

Description Round, cream-colored ironstone plate with a black transfer-printed underglaze pattern and border. The circular pattern in the center of the plate is titled, "The New Haven State House and the Old Chapel in the Yale Brick Row" on the bottom. The pattern shows a stone building with a projecting, pedimented portico supported by six Tuscan columns. To the left, a two-story building with a tower and steeple faces the stone building. There are two gentlemen in nineteenth-century clothing and top hats sitting on a wood fence in the foreground. This is surrounded at the rim by a black printed border. The border consists of a dense vine of grapes and grape leaves with a ribbon, or banner, wrapped around the vine. The names of Connecticut towns are written on the banner that circles the vine on the border. These are, "ASHFORD/ STONINGTON/ GROTON/ PRESTON/ VOLUNTOWN/ PLAINFIELD/ KILLINGLY/ NEW LONDON/ NORWICH/ CANTERBURY/ POMFRET/ WINDHAM". There is crazing over all the surfaces of the plate.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (diameter): 9 1/8in. (23.2cm)