

Basic Detail Report

Title Wallpaper Fragments from the Timothy Lester House, Griswold,

Connecticut

Date 1750-1850

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Wallpaper; colored printer's inks on wove paper mounted on paper

Description Samples of wallpaper printed using a combination of block printing and stenciling featuring decorative patterns of flowers and leaves. One flower appears to be a stylized poppy; some leaves appear to be ivy leaves. Another fragment features stalks of grain and a border features swatches of drapery tied in bows.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 11 x 8 1/4in. (27.9 x

21cm) or smaller Sheet (height x width): 11 x 8 1/4in. (27.9 x 21cm) or smaller

Mount (height x width): 11 x 8 1/4in. (27.9 x 21cm)