

Basic Detail Report

Title Glastonbury Conn.

Date 1935

Primary Maker Robert O. Rider

Medium Lithography; black and green printer's inks on wove paper

Description Map of Glastonbury, Connecticut, extending from the borders of

Hartford and Manchester to the north, Hebron and Marlborough to the east,

Portland and East Hampton to the south, and the Connecticut River to the west.

Created for Glastonbury's tercentenary, the map contains the locations, dates

and owners' names of residences and industries that existed before 1800, as well

as business and public buildings contemporary to the map. The original

purchase, public common and second five mile purchase are delineated in

broken solid and broken solid and dotted lines. Natural features include the

Connecticut River, lakes, and the use of green color to denote forests. To the top

left of the map, there is a vignette featuring "The Great Oak at Wassuc," and to

the right, there is a vignette of Revered Timothy Stevens' house from 1693 and

one of the John Hollister House from 1675. Text recounting the history of the

founding and settling of Glastonbury appears around the map.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 15 1/2 x 21in. (39.4 x 53.3

cm) Sheet (height x width): 17 x 22 1/2in. (43.2 x 57.2cm)