

Basic Detail Report

Title Firing of a Coast Guard Gun at the WDRC Experimental Station,

Meriden, Connecticut

Date 1939

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Photography; negative emulsion on acetate

Description A group of men and at least one boy are gathered on top of a steep traprock ridge to watch the firing of gun. In some photographs, the gun is being prepared for firing; one photograph appears to depict the actual firing of the gun. Most photographs show the men and boy looking over a precipice into the valley below. One photograph includes a truck or jeep. One photograph is a group portrait of those present. One photograph shows the cliff from below.

Dimensions Sheet (height x width): 4 x 5in. (10.2 x 12.7cm)