

Basic Detail Report

Title Barrel

Date about 1920

Primary Maker E. E. Dickinson & Co.

Medium Wood, metal, paper, ink

Description Wooden barrel to hold ten gallons, painted blue, staves held with six metal hoops. There is a two inch bung hole on the side of the barrel. There are three paper labels on the top, side, and bottom. Label on top of the barrel reads:

"DICKINSON'S / DOUBLE DISTILLED / WITCH HAZEL / CONTAINS ALCOLHOL 14%

ABSOLUTE / DO NOT USE IRON FAUCETS OR ALLOW IRON / IN ANY AY IN

CONTACT WITH THE EXTRACT / TRADE MARK / THE E-E- DICKINSON CO., ESSEX,

CONN"; side label reads: "To remove the contents of this container the fol- /

lowing must be observed: / Do not pound the staves for in so doing the / paraffin

coating will be jarred off and by fall- / in g into the extract will cause

discoloration. / The bung should be chiseled out. Do not use / an iron faucet. If

package is to be tapped by / boring be careful that the bit does not fall into the

container; the least contact of iron / with Witch Hazel causes precipitation and /

discoloration. / We assume no responsibility, nor make good any / claims for

loss or discoloration arising from failure / to observe the above precautions. /

The E. E .Dickinson Co. "; bottom label reads: "# J 9392 / FROM THE E.E.

DICKINSON CO. / ESSEX, CONN. / GEO. S. & DAVID S. LSNEVER T/A/ D. S.

LESNEVER & SON / 213 SUMMER ST., / Ship Via Lynn, Mass. NEW ENG. TRANS. /

Care"; also painted in yellow on bottom: "J-9392 / N E T".

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Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x diameter at top): 23 1/8 x 12 3/4in.

(58.7 x 32.4cm)