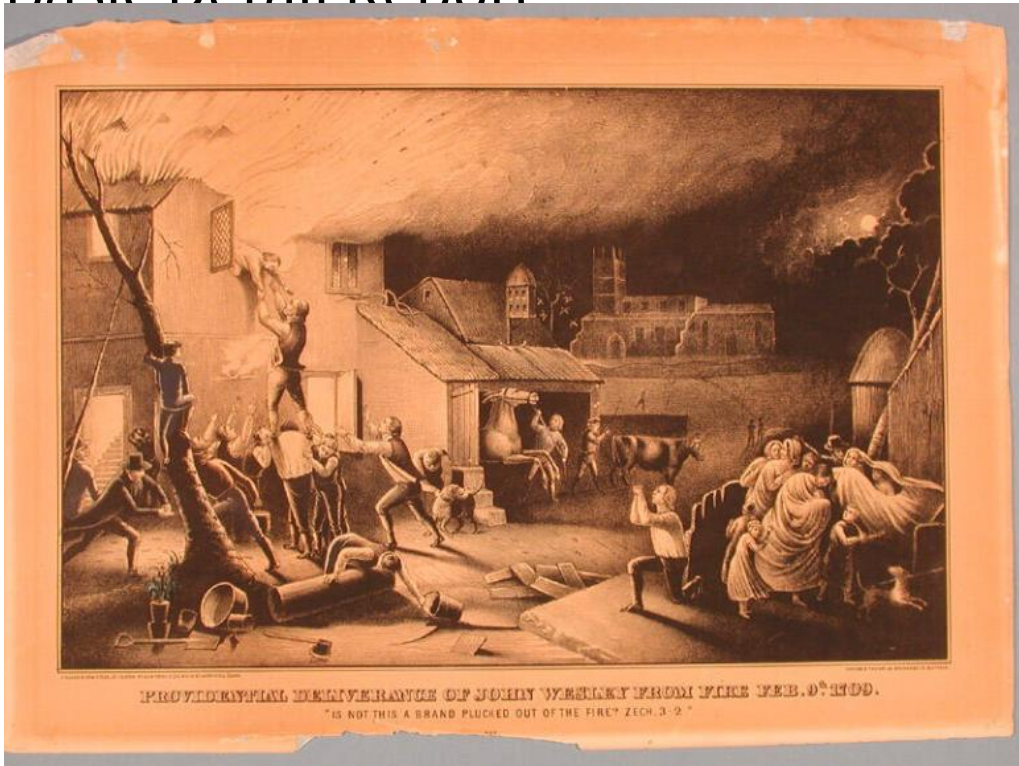


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Title Providential Deliverance of John Wesley from Fire Feb. 9th. 1799.

Date 1850

Primary Maker Henry Perlee Parker

Medium Lithography; printer's ink and watercolor on wove paper

Description Flames and smoke issue from the roof and upper story of a large house at the left. A man standing on the shoulders of another man pulls a boy in a nightshirt out of an open casement window with leaded glass panes. Other men support them and reach up to catch the boy. Most wears breeches, shirts, and vests. A man in a coat and hat runs from the left; another man and an open door leading to a stairway are behind him. In the center, a man holds a dog by the collar. Another man leads a mule from a barn or shed. A third man drives a cow or ox. A birdhouse or dovecote is on the thatched roof. Birds fly nearby. A boy has climbed a tree in the left foreground. Another man is drawing water

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from a pond. Boards, an ax, a shovel, a basin, and a potted plant appear to rest

on the surface of the pond, presumably on ice. Women and children, some

wearing nightclothes and some wrapped in what appear to be sheets or

blankets, huddle together at the right. They are barefoot. A man in a shirt and

breeches kneels beside them, his hands clasped in prayer. A dog and additional

buildings are at the far right. A Gothic church with a square tower is in the right

background. The moon is shining through a break in dense clouds overhead.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 8 1/16 x 12 3/8in. (20.5 x

31.4cm) Sheet (height x width): 10 1/8 x 14 1/8in. (25.7 x 35.9cm)