

Basic Detail Report

Title Map of the State of Connecticut

Date 1885

Primary Maker J. B. Beers & Co.

Medium Lithography; black printer's ink and watercolors on wove paper, lined with linen, in cardboard covers

Description Map of the state of Connecticut, with the border of Massachusetts to the north, the border of Rhode Island to the east, part of Long Island and the Long Island Sound to the south, and the border of New York to the west. The state is divided into counties, outlined in dark pink, and towns, colored blue, green, yellow and peach. Orange and dark pink are used to denote cities, possibly showing cities of different sizes. Purple is used for natural oyster beds.

Physical features depicted include elevation, conveyed with hachure marks; rivers; and lakes. Railroad lines shown include the New York, New Haven and Hartford; New Haven and Northampton; Housatonic; Danbury and Norwalk; New York and New England; Naugatuck; Boston and New York Air Line; Hartford and Connecticut Western; Connecticut Central; Connecticut Valley; New London Northern; and Norwich and Worcester Railroads. In the bottom right is an inset map fo the state showing congressional and senatorial districts. To the left of the map is a place index and below that is a list of the senatorial and congressional districts. At the bottom is a vignette of the Old Stone House in Guilford, Connecticut.

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Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 32 3/8 x 46in. (82.2 x

116.8cm) Sheet (height x width): 34 1/4 x 47 1/4in. (87 x 120cm) Mount (height x

width): 34 1/4 x 37 1/4in. (87 x 94.6cm)