

Basic Detail Report



round building (fortification?).

Dimensions

Sight: 30 1/4 × 24 1/4 in. (76.8 × 61.6 cm)

John R. Pitkin

Date

1824

Primary Maker

James Herring

Medium

Oil on wood panel

Description

Portrait of a brown-haired man, John R. Pitkin, seated at a desk, entering figures into a ledger; he wears a black coat over a blue and ivory striped waistcoat. He holds a notebook or bill marked "for paint/ portraits/ Jas. Herring". Behind him is a red curtain, pulled aside to reveal a view of a lake or river with a ship off a spit of land holding a