

Basic Detail Report



Pittsford on The Erie Canal

Date

c. 1837

Primary Maker

George Harvey

Medium

Watercolor on paper

Description

Landscape of boat on canal, ducks float ahead of the boat. Land on both sides, three horses (mules?) walk alongside the boat on the left side of canvas. Grey and cloudy sky A scene of Pittsford, NY and its canalway and towpath. A landscape scene with a three horse team and a canal boat with people standing on top. Several ducks in the foreground. In the background is a high stack of clouds and low lying trees. Foreground left a row of trees along the towpath. Marks: Hand lettered in black ink at top center: "A Sultry Calm" Similarly hand lettered below the picture: "Pittsford on the Erie Canal".

Dimensions

Framed: 20 1/8 × 25 1/4 × 1 in. (51.1 × 64.1 × 2.5 cm) Sight: 8 1/4 × 13 5/8 in. (21 × 34.6 cm)