

# Basic Detail Report

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## Two Lakes & Mountain House In the Catskills

**Date**

1839

**Primary Maker**

James Burt

**Medium**

Oil on canvas

### Description

Mountain scene; green trees in center with large and small building on a flat area on mountain side to left. In distance more mountains over which sun is breaking through clouds sending rays into the sky. Extreme left is village nestled in hills/mountains. Immediate foreground to left are two tree stumps, tall tree and three trees broken off. Two men with raised guns pointed at a buck deer standing on either side of stone crevice to right dominate center/right of painting. Another deer stands behind buck appearing to be going into woods. A tree stump, two bare trees at extreme right edge. Grassy area with flowers covering ground. In center of painting are two lakes with three deer standing on edge of lake in foreground. Right side of lake areas are grassy areas with green trees. Left edge of lakes have dead, decaying trees standing. Greens and browns predominate. Frame stained reddish brown.

### Dimensions

Sight: 24 × 36 1/4 in. (61 × 92.1 cm)