Basic Detail Report



Study for San Antonio post office competition mural

Date c. 1936

Primary Maker

Emil Bisttram

Medium

pencil, watercolor and chalk on paper

Description

Two 6.5 x 74 inch sheets are mounted in the frame. The lower sheet is a sketch of events of the later history of Texas while the upper sheet is of the exploration of Texas. The work was created for a San Antonio post office mural for which he was not selected. In the upper panel the figures are painted, colored and the detail is evident. The lower panel is incomplete, a sketch.

Dimensions

2 sheets each: 6 1/2"H x 74" W; Paper size: 6 1/2"H x 74" W