

Basic Detail Report



Wall

Date

1940-1949

Primary Maker

Jack Nofsinger

Medium

Wood; Plywood; Paint; Metal; Ink; Stain/Varnish; Chalk(?)

Description

Set of fourteen (14) carousel scenic wall panels (a-n) that form seven (7) scenes of Walt Disney stories, cartoon characters, and other fairytale scenes. Each scenic pair is comprised of two rectangular plywood panels that join via two metal hinges along reverse center. The seven pairs would have originally been connected together in a large

tetradecagon. (a-b) Pair of carousel wall painted panels featuring scene of Woody Woodpecker and Andy Panda in a snowy/icy landscape. Two rectangular plywood panels joined by two metal hinges along reverse center. Front of panels are painted with central scene of cartoon characters with Woody Woodpecker fallen in water within ice hole with Andy Panda wearing ice skates, holding saw, and pointing at Woody; center scene has bare trees on viewer's left and snowy landscape overall. Central scene is framed with red, brown, and gold rectangular frame with a circle in each corner. Panels have painted perimeter of variegated green hills along bottom, light blue sky with white clouds, trees, and green bushy forms. Bottom of each panel has two integral feet. Reverse are stained/varnished dark brown and have perimeter frame. (a) Single carousel wall painted panel featuring proper right side of Woody Woodpecker and Andy Panda scene. This panel includes Woody Woodpecker character. Reverse has applied square block of wood near the proper right edge below center that corresponds to repair on front. Panel reverse has two hinges each along left and right sides; proper left side's hinges are connected to panel (b). Front of panel has graffiti text handwritten in black ink. Reverse has handwritten number in white at top center. Reverse has number handwritten in each top corner. (b) Single carousel wall painted panel featuring proper left side of Woody Woodpecker and Andy Panda scene. This panel includes Andy Panda character. Reverse has applied rectangular block of wood at bottom center that corresponds to repair on front. Panel reverse has two hinges each along left and right sides; proper right side's hinges are connected to panel (a). Front of panel has illegible graffiti text handwritten in black ink. Reverse has number handwritten in each top corner. (c-d) Pair of carousel wall painted panels featuring scene of the Three Little Pigs and the Big Bad Wolf. Two rectangular plywood panels that are not physically joined together. Front of panels are painted with central scene of cartoon characters with the Three Little Pigs inside a house made of wood with brown dirt road leading to left and right; to the viewer's left of the house are trees with the Big Bad Wolf hiding

behind one tree. Central scene is framed with red, brown, and gold rectangular frame with a circle in each corner. Panels have painted perimeter of variegated green hills along bottom, light blue sky with white clouds and green bushy forms. Bottom of each panel has two integral feet. Reverse are stained/varnished dark brown and have perimeter frame. (c) Single carousel wall painted panel featuring proper right side of the Three Little Pigs and Big Bad Wolf scene. This panel includes the Big Bad Wolf character. Panel reverse has two hinges each along left and right sides; proper left side's hinges would connect to panel (d) to complete the scene. Reverse has number handwritten in top proper right corner. (d) Single carousel wall painted panel featuring proper left side of the Three Little Pigs and Big Bad Wolf scene. This panel includes the Three Little Pigs characters. Panel reverse has no hinges, but has evidence of previous hinge locations with two each on left and right sides; proper right side's previous hinges would connect to panel (d) to complete the scene. Front of panel has illegible graffiti text handwritten in black ink on the front pig's forehead. Reverse has number handwritten in each top corner. (e-f) Pair of carousel wall painted panels featuring scene of Pinocchio, Jiminy Cricket, Honest John, and Gideon. Two rectangular plywood panels that are not physically joined together. Front of panels are painted with central scene of cartoon characters in a street scene with gray cobblestone street, gray stone structures on left and right, and town buildings in the background. Central scene is framed with red, brown, and gold rectangular frame with a circle in each corner. Panels have painted perimeter of variegated green hills along bottom, light blue sky with white clouds and green bushy forms, and yellow and orange sun along proper right edge at center. Bottom of each panel has two integral feet. Reverse are stained/varnished dark brown and have perimeter frame. (e) Single carousel wall painted panel featuring proper right side of the Pinocchio scene. This panel includes Gideon, Jiminy Cricket, and Pinocchio characters. Panel reverse has no hinges, but has evidence of previous hinge location with two each along left and right sides; proper left side's former hinges would connect to panel (f) to complete the scene. Reverse has number handwritten in each top corner. (f) Single carousel wall painted panel featuring proper left side of the Pinocchio scene. This panel includes the Honest John character. Panel reverse has two hinges each along left and right sides; proper right side's hinges would connect to panel (e) to complete the scene. Reverse has handwritten number in white at top center. Reverse has number handwritten in each top corner. (g-h) Pair of carousel wall painted panels featuring scene of Bambi, Thumper (rabbit), Flower (skunk), Friend Owl, two birds, and butterfly. Two rectangular plywood panels that are not physically joined together. Front of panels are painted with central scene of cartoon characters in forest scene with green grass dotted with flowers, trees, and blue sky. Central scene is framed with red, brown, and gold rectangular frame with a circle in each corner. Panels have painted perimeter of variegated green hills along bottom, light blue sky with white clouds a tree and green bushy forms, and a yellow and orange sun along proper left edge at center. Bottom of each panel has two integral feet. Reverse are stained/varnished dark brown and have perimeter frame. (g) Single carousel wall painted panel featuring proper right side of Bambi scene. This panel includes most of Bambi character as well as Friend Owl and Thumper. Panel reverse has two hinges each along left and right sides; proper left side's hinges would connect to panel (h) to complete the scene. Back of panel has handwritten text in blue near center. Reverse has handwritten number in white at top center. Reverse has number handwritten in each top corner. (h) Single carousel wall painted panel featuring proper left side of Bambi scene. This panel includes the rear portion of the Bambi character as well as a butterfly, two birds, and Flower (skunk). Panel reverse has two hinges each along left and right sides; proper right side's hinges

would connect to panel gd) to complete the scene. Front of panel has graffiti text handwritten in black ink. Reverse has handwritten number in white at top center. Reverse has number handwritten in each top corner. (i-j) Pair of carousel wall painted panels featuring scene of Mickey Mouse and Donald Duck. Two rectangular plywood panels joined by two metal hinges along reverse center. Front of panels are painted with central scene of cartoon characters in outdoor camping scene with Donald Duck cooking fish over a campfire with Mickey Mouse carrying wood; characters are on green grass in front of an orange tent with trees, body of water, mountains and sunset in the background. Central scene is framed with red, brown, and gold rectangular frame with a circle in each corner. Panels have painted perimeter of variegated green hills along bottom, light blue sky with white clouds and green bushy forms. Bottom of each panel has two integral feet. Reverse are stained/varnished dark brown and have perimeter frame. (i) Single carousel wall painted panel featuring proper right side of Mickey Mouse/Donald Duck camping scene. This panel includes Mickey Mouse character. Reverse has applied rectangular block of wood to the proper left of center that corresponds to repair on front. Panel reverse has two hinges along proper left side that are connected to panel (j). Panel reverse has no hinges along proper right side, but has evidence of two previous hinge locations. Reverse has handwritten number in white at top center. Reverse has number handwritten in each top corner. (j) Single carousel wall painted panel featuring proper left side of Mickey Mouse/Donald Duck camping scene. This panel includes most of the Donald Duck character. Reverse has applied rectangular block of wood along the proper right side below center that corresponds to repair on front. Panel reverse has two hinges along proper right side that are connected to panel (i). Panel reverse has no hinges along proper left side, but has evidence of two previous hinge locations. Front of panel has graffiti text handwritten in black ink. Reverse has handwritten number in white at top center. Reverse has number handwritten in each top corner. (k-l) Pair of carousel wall painted panels featuring scene of Peter and the Wolf including Peter, Ivan the Cat, Sasha the Songbird, and the Wolf. Two rectangular plywood panels joined by two metal hinges along reverse center. Front of panels are painted with central scene of cartoon characters in snowy forest landscape. Central scene is framed with red, brown, and gold rectangular frame with a circle in each corner. Panels have painted perimeter of variegated green hills along bottom, light blue sky with trees and bushy forms, and a yellow and orange sun along proper left edge below center. Bottom of each panel has two integral feet. Reverse are stained/varnished dark brown and have perimeter frame. Proper right panel (k) has door at center. (k) Single carousel wall painted panel featuring proper right side of Peter and the Wolf scene. This panel includes Peter and Ivan the Cat. Center of panel is door with two hinges; front of door has a latch and locked padlock at top and a sliding barrel bolt lock above latch and at bottom. Panel reverse has two hinges along proper left side that are connected to panel (l). Panel reverse has no hinges along proper right side, but has evidence of two previous hinge locations. Reverse of door has handwritten number in white at top center above handwritten graffiti text in black ink. (l) Single carousel wall painted panel featuring proper left side of Peter and the Wolf scene. This panel includes Sasha the Songbird and the Wolf. Panel reverse has two hinges along proper right side that are connected to panel (k). Panel reverse has no hinges along proper left side, but has evidence of two previous hinge locations. Reverse has handwritten graffiti text in black ink at proper right center. (m-n) Pair of carousel wall painted panels featuring scene of [TBC - ENTER DESCRIPTION] (m) [TBC - ENTER DESCRIPTION] (n) [TBC - ENTER DESCRIPTION]

Dimensions

Height x Width x Depth (a-b together): 90.125 x 71.75 x 3.5 in. (228.9 x 182.2 x 8.9 cm) Height x Width x Depth (a): 90.125 x 37.375 x 1.75 in. (228.9 x 94.9 x 4.4 cm) Height x Width x Depth (b): 91.5 x 36.125 x 1.75 in. (232.4 x 91.8 x 4.4 cm) Height x Width x Depth (c): 90.75 x 38.25 x 1.875 in. (230.5 x 97.2 x 4.8 cm) Height x Width x Depth (d): 90.125 x 35.75 x 1.5 in. (228.9 x 90.8 x 3.8 cm) Height x Width x Depth (e): 90.125 x 35.875 x 1.5 in. (228.9 x 91.1 x 3.8 cm) Height x Width x Depth (f): 90 x 38.25 x 1.875 in. (228.6 x 97.2 x 4.8 cm) Height x Width x Depth (g): 90 x 37.25 x 1.75 in. (228.6 x 94.6 x 4.4 cm) Height x Width x Depth (h): 90 x 37.25 x 1.75 in. (228.6 x 94.6 x 4.4 cm) Height x Width x Depth (i-j together): 90.125 x 71.75 x 3.5 in. (228.9 x 182.2 x 8.9 cm) Height x Width x Depth (i): 90 x 35.875 x 1.75 in. (228.6 x 91.1 x 4.4 cm) Height x Width x Depth (j): 90.125 x 36.125 x 1.75 in. (228.9 x 91.8 x 4.4 cm) Height x Width x Depth (k-l together): 90.125 x 71.75 x 4.5 in. (228.9 x 182.2 x 11.4 cm) Height x Width x Depth (k): 90.125 x 36.125 x 2.5 in. (228.9 x 91.8 x 6.4 cm) Height x Width x Depth (l): 90.125 x 35.875 x 1.875 in. (228.9 x 91.1 x 4.8 cm)