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255 by 392mm (10 by 15.5 inches).

Notes
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The plan was published under a pseudonym: Reuben Percy was Mr. Thomas Byerley, who was the

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