



Washington Bridge

Date

ca. 1920

Primary Maker

Rudolph Ruzicka

Medium

woodcut

Description

The Washington Bridge - not to be confused with the George Washington Bridge - spans the borough of the Bronx and upper Manhattan Island across the Harlem River. When the steel twin arch bridge was opened in 1889, this portion of Harlem was a well-off, gentrified neighborhood of broad, tree-lined streets.

Dimensions

Sight: 7 1/8 x 4 5/8 in. (18.1 x 11.7 cm) Sheet: 7 7/8 x 5 1/4 in. (20 x 13.3 cm)