

Watercolor by the Baroness Hyde de Neuville (ca. 1779-1849)
dated October 27, 1813

The building depicted is the "Gothic Revival" Presbyterian Church under construction in 1813. This structure on the south side of Nassau Street was built on the foundations of the Presbyterian meeting house of 1766, which was destroyed by fire in late February, 1813. The "Gothic" church, in turn, burned in 1835 and was replaced in 1836 by the present "Greek Revival" First Presbyterian Church.

Reproduced, actual size, by color offset lithography by The Meriden Gravure Company from the original in the Princeton University Library. © 1968