

W&R Willow - 2041 (circa 1916)

"Pattern attributed to Horace Wain"

Five Pattern Numbers & Variation

2041 white gloss, blue frieze, Under glaze - 2342 red lustre - 2351 orange lustre - 2352 steel blue lustre ground - 2858 light blue lustre

WILLOW is a factory name.

This is an unusual pattern in that there is a variation in a flow-blue colour-way. I cannot date this colour-way as it predates the modern pattern numbering system, but I would hazard a guess that it dates to 1900 to 1910 period. This Cheese Dish has a W&R mark and the Rd No 344146, I believe this registration number regards the shape and not the pattern; this Cheese Dish & Cover shape was introduced late in 1899.

W&R Carlton Ware Willow Cheese Dish & Cover; pattern number unknown white gloss ground, lithographic transfer Image courtesy of "The Parnell Collection" W&R Carlton Ware Willow Comport; pattern 2041 under glaze, white gloss ground - production era 1916 to 1920 W&R Carlton Ware Willow Rose bowl - pattern 2342 red lustre ground - production era 1919 to 1922 W&R Carlton Ware Willow Pot Pourri Holder - pattern 2352 steel blue lustre ground - production era 1919 Image courtesy of "The Margaret Jones Collection" W&R Carlton Ware Willow Tobacco Jar - pattern 2852 light blue lustre ground - production era 1924 Image courtesy of "The Parnell Collection"