

Title Woman's Boots

Date about 1865

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Machine-stitched leather, linen, silk, and unidentified metal (probably steel)

Description Cream-colored kid leather, side-lacing boots. The boots have square toes and low, knock-on heels. The uppers, which are seamed up the center front and center back, are lined with plain-woven linen and bound with silk tape. A square-ended tongue provides backing for the lacing. The soles are made for right and left feet. The leather top piece of the heel is nailed on.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width x depth): $5\ 1/2\ x\ 2\ 3/8\ x\ 8\ 7/8$ in. (14 x 6 x 22.5cm)