

Basic Detail Report



Title Boy's Boots

Date about 1880-1885

Primary Maker Howard W. Lester

Medium Machine-stitched leather and cotton, with enameled buttons, and one replacement mother of pearl button

Description Tan leather buttoned boot, with rounded square toe. The stacked heel is about 5/8" high. The button fly is scalloped and lapped to the outside of the foot. It closes with seven white enameled buttons (there is one mother-of-pearl replacement button on boot ".a"). The top edge of the boot is also scalloped. The top of the boot is lined with white leather; the rest of the upper is lined with tan twill-woven cotton. The soles are shaped for right and left feet.

The waist of the sole is stamped with the number "8 1/2."

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Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width x depth): 6 1/2 x 2 x 6 3/4in.

(16.5 x 5.1 x 17.1cm)