

Basic Detail Report

Title Man's Uniform Overcoat

Date 1942-1945

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Machine-stitched wool, cotton, plastic buttons

Description World War II uniform overcoat belonging to either Nicholas or

Domenic Lorenzo of Hartford, Connecticut. The coat is composed of an olive

green felted wool. The back of the coat has a center seam and a 23 3/4-inch vent

that can be closed by securing the three 1/2-inch plastic buttons found there. A

self-fabric belt across the back of the coat measures 14 1/2" x 2 3/4". Two one-

inch plastic buttons are on this belt, both with an eagle and American flag motif.

The coat is double-breasted, with seven identical buttons on the front. The

collar and sleeves are both two-pieced. Two 1/2-inch plastic buttons (also with

the eagle and American flag) are at epaulets found at each shoulder. Two

slashed pockets are at the front of the coat. Only the bodice and sleeves are

lined with a matching olive twill-woven cotton. The front pockets are accessible

from the interior of the coat. They are closed with 1/2-inch plain plastic buttons,

identical to the ones found on the vent.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (length x width): 49 x 34 1/2in. (124.5 x 87.6cm)