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## Title Chemise

Date about 1908-1914

Primary Maker Putnam family

Medium Machine-stitched cotton, with mother of pearl buttons and silk ribbon,  
and handmade linen bobbin lace

Description Woman's white cotton chemise, with eyelet embroidered band  
around wide neckline. This eyelet is edged with bobbin lace, which is laced with  
pale pink silk ribbon to act as a drawstring. The armholes and hem are also  
edged with this bobbin lace. The center front opening of the chemise is 21  
inches long and fastens with four mother of pearl buttons, as well as the pink  
ribbon drawstring at the neck and another at the waistline. The skirt is set  
smoothly into the waistline and flares towards the bottom. The chemise is about  
knee-length.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (length x width at widest point across top x  
hem diameter): 41 1/4 x 17 x 52in. (104.8 x 43.2 x 132.1cm)