

Title Infant's Shirt

Date 1820-1850

Primary Maker Andrew Maximilian Bethune Sigourney

Medium Hand-stitched cotton, with handmade cotton bobbin-type lace

Description Infant's shirt of white cotton, with a wide, rounded neckline and short sleeves. The neckline is trimmed with narrow, scalloped bobbin-type lace.

The sleeves are trimmed with a ruffle of very fine, sheer cotton edged with bobbin lace. The shirt opens at center back. The shoulder seams are faggoted.

The body and sleeves are cut as one piece. Seams are flat-felled.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (length x width): 7 x 11in. (17.8 x 27.9cm)