

Title Infant's Dress

Date 1842-1852

Primary Maker Learned Hebard

Basic Detail Report

Medium Hand-stitched cotton

Description Infant's dress of white cotton, with a wide neckline defined by a band of eyelet embroidery, through which a ribbon would have laced and acted as a drawstring. The same treatment is used at the waistline, which is high. The bodice is embroidered eyelet in a diamond formation, alternating with inserts of ribbed-weave cotton. The skirt is flat in front and gathered across the back. The center back opening is eleven inches long. The bottom of the skirt is embroidered with a band of eyelet above a vandyke edge.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (length x width across top): 27 x 13 1/2in. (68.6 x 34.3cm)