

Basic Detail Report



Title Increase in the Family.

Date 1856-1857

Primary Maker E.B. & E.C. Kellogg

Medium Lithography; printer's ink and watercolor on wove paper

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Description Two women are seated in the interior of a room. The older woman

sits in a rocking chair. She wears a dark dress with a white collar, a cap

decorated with ruching, and eyeglasses. She holds a newspaper in her lap. The

younger woman wears a dressing gown over a long skirt. She is breast feeding a

baby. A young girl shows a wicker basket containing four kittens to the elderly

woman. The girl is wearing an apron, a short dress with ruffled sleeves, a

necklace or locket, and high-buttoned shoes. A spotted cat stands on its hind

legs, leaning on her skirt. A doll and an alphabet, possibly a hornbook, are in the

left foreground. A wicker basket is on a chair nearby. A pitcher of flowers,

apparently roses, a spool of thread, a thimble, and a pincushion containing pins

are the window sill at the far left. Books are in a two-shelf bookcase that hangs

from a nail on the wall in the background. A tray rests on a chest beneath. A tall

wooden cupboard is in the right background. A bowl of fruit is on a table in the

right foreground.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 11 15/16 x 8 5/8in. (30.3

x 21.9cm) Sheet (height x width): 13 15/16 x 10 1/8in. (35.4 x 25.7cm)