

Basic Detail Report



Title Pince-nez and Eyeglass Case

Date 1900-1940

Primary Maker Beatrice Fox

Medium (a.): ground glass lenses, 10 karat gold, tortoise shell or plastic (b.): hard-sided spectacle case covered with black lizzard, lined with black velvet and trimmed with 14 karat white gold

Description Rimless pince-nez (.a) with a gold bridge and asymmetrical (almost circular), clear lenses. The bridge has plastic nose pads that may be tortoise shell. Hard-sided eyeglass case (.b) covered in black lizard skin with a spring

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closure. The case is edged with 14-karat gold trim decorated with a geometric pattern and two floral designs at either corner. The case is lined with black velvet.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (length x width x depth): 4 x 1 7/8 x 3/4in. (10.2 x 4.8 x 1.9cm)