

Basic Detail Report



Title Harriet and Elizabeth Cheney

Date about 1884

Primary Maker Harriet Bowen Cheney Cowles

Medium Photography, black and white photograph on paper and cardstock

Description View of two young women sitting on steps in front of an open doorway. Harriet "Hart" Bowen Cheney (1867-1938) sits on the left and her older sister Elizabeth "Bess" Cheney (1865-1898) sits on the right. They are both wearing light colored dresses, wide-brimmed hats, and dark leather shoes. The walls on either side of the doorway are covered by a viney plant that has very large leaves. The photograph is mounted on a piece of thick cardstock that is dark brown on the front and light gray on the back. The edges are beveled and gilt.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width): 3 1/2 × 4 1/2in. (8.9 × 11.4cm)

Mount (height x width): 5 1/4 × 8 1/2in. (13.3 × 21.6cm)