

Basic Detail Report



Title Woman's Sports Cap

Date about 1895

Primary Maker R. P. Kenyon & Co.

Medium Machine and hand stitched wool with cotton lining.

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Description Woman's sports cap, perhaps for tennis, of a light blue and white

striped wool with an ivory cotton lining. The striped are of equal size, $\frac{3}{8}$ inch

wide and running horizontally along the cap pieces. The cap is made of eight

triangular-shaped pieces stitched together to form a beanie. At the center top,

where all the pieces intersect, is a scant $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch-wide button covered in the

striped wool. The brim is a semi-circular shape, $1\frac{3}{4}$ inches wide at the center,

stitched to the edge across two full pieces and two half pieces. The brim is lined

with the striped wool. The crown is lined with a cotton twill-woven fabric, a strip

of which is stitched flat along the inner edge and pleated to fit over the circle

that lines the top. Nice piece.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (length x height x width): 10 x 3 x $6\frac{1}{4}$ in. (25.4 x

7.6 x 15.9cm)