

Basic Detail Report

Title Infant's Petticoat

Date about 1870-1900

Primary Maker Caroline Goodwin Parker

Medium Machine-stitched cotton

Description Infant's petticoat of white cotton. The skirt is gathered into the 5 1/2-inch-wide band across the top. The center back opening extends 15 1/2 inches.

The band extends beyond the skirt opening so that it can overlap. The bottom of the skirt is decorated with eight narrow tucks above the two-inch-deep hem.

The machine stitching is a chain-stitch.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (length x width across closed top): 35 1/2 x 9 1

/2in. (90.2 x 24.1cm)