

Basic Detail Report

Title Miniature Covered Basket

Date 1850-1870

Primary Maker Bunker family

Medium Plain-woven ash

Description Miniature bailed basket made of plane-woven ash. It originally had a cover, but the cover is now missing. The basket is square and bulging, with a tapered neck and a round rim. The rim is single wrapped and double reinforced, with thick, flat interior reinforcement and flat exterior reinforcement. The bail handle is missing. The warp splints are medium width. The weft splints are gauged, and they vary in width; some are narrow and some are wide. The basket has an openwork base. There is swabbing on odd wefts: wide wefts are colored with chrome yellow, and others are colored with bluing.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width x depth): 6 x 6 3/4 x 6 3/8in.

(15.2 x 17.1 x 16.2cm)