

Basic Detail Report

Title Alexander Carrington reading, Norwich

Date about 1890

Primary Maker Alexander Carrington

Medium Photography; tintype on lacquered iron plate

Description Studio portrait of an African American man in a long white coat, white pants, and a cap. He has a mustache, is smoking a cigar, and holds a sheet of paper. A painted backdrop representing rocky cliffs and the sea is behind him. The rocks and seaweed in the foreground are studio props.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (overall height x width): 3 9/16 x 2 3/4in. (9 x 7cm)