

Basic Detail Report

Title Mary Cheney and Son Stephen

Date about 1905

Primary Maker Mary Caroline Ogden Pierson

Medium Photography; black and white photograph on paper

Description View of Mary Cheney with her middle child, Stephen Pierson Cheney, when he was a toddler. They are outside on a porch, sitting on a bench that either has a high back or is in front of a short wall. Mary is holding Stephen on her lap, along with a teddy bear. Mary is wearing a light colored dress that has eyelet lace on the sleeves and collar, and she is wearing a necklace. Her hair is pulled back in a bun. Stephen is wearing a dress with stockings and black shoes that have an ankle strap. He is also wearing a soft sun hat that has a wide brim and a strap under his chin. The bench they are sitting on is to the left of a column. There is a metal watering can and a toy sitting at the base of the column, on the right. Trees and a yard can be seen in the background.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width): 4 15/16 × 3 7/8in. (12.5 × 9.8 cm)