

Basic Detail Report

Title Woman's Shoes

Date about 1870

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Machine-stitched white kid leather, with silk and mother-of-pearl

decoration; leather-covered wooden heels, metal nails, and cotton lining

Description White kid leather side-lacing boots. The toes are square. The instep

is decorated with a white satin rosette with a mother-of-pearl buckle center. The

knock-on heel is about one inch high. A tan silk cord with brass tips laces

through eleven pairs of eyelets; the lacing is backed by a square tongue of

matching leather. The boots are lined with white twill-woven cotton. The soles

are straight, with a narrow waist.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width x depth): 6 1/4 x 2 1/8 x 8 1/2in.

(15.9 x 5.4 x 21.6cm)