

Basic Detail Report

Title Deck of Playing Cards

Date 1858

Primary Maker Albert G. Walker

Medium Paper, with red, black, blue, green, and yellow ink

Description Deck of playing cards with the queen of diamonds missing. All four

jacks in the deck are strung together with black thread wrapped around them

several times. The face cards are printed in red, black, green, blue, and yellow.

The back of each card is white with a light blue design. The design consists of

rows of stylized six-petaled flowers alternating with small dots. The ace of

spades has the design of an eagle with outstretched wings and a banner in his

mouth with the words "E PLURIBUS UNUM" printed on it. The eagle stands on a

crest with the name "L.I. COHEN" printed over a decorated spade. Two branches

with leaves cross under the crest. Below the branches are the words,

"MANUFACTURER 190 WM ST N Y".

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width): 3 9/16 x 2 9/16in. (9 x 6.5cm)

Other (depth of complete set): 15/16in. (2.4cm)