

Basic Detail Report



Title Henry Corlies

Date 1850

Primary Maker Henry H. Corlies

Medium Daguerreotype; silver-coated copper plate in brass window mat package in tooled leather-covered wooden case. Embossed red velvet pad in other side of case, which is detached from the half that contains the image.

Description Sixth-plate daguerreotype of Henry Corlies when he was about one year old, taken by an unknown photographer. Corlies is seen full-length,

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probably standing on a chair or stool, his left arm resting on a tablecloth-

covered round table. He is wearing a dress with an off-the-shoulder neckline,

white drawers, white stockings, and dark shoes. He is wearing a necklace. His

hair, while still short, is parted on the side and fashioned into a small front wave

or pouf.

Dimensions Plate (height x width): $3 \frac{1}{4} \times 2 \frac{3}{4}$ in. (8.3×7 cm) Other (case

height x width x depth): $3 \frac{5}{8} \times 3 \frac{1}{8} \times \frac{1}{2}$ in. ($9.2 \times 7.9 \times 1.3$ cm)