

Basic Detail Report



Title Child's Shirt

Date about 1860-1870

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Hand-stitched cotton

Description Small boy's shirt of plain white cotton, with high, round neckline.

The center back opening fastens with four small mother of pearl buttons. The bottom edge of the shirt is slightly rounded, curving up to 2 1/2-inch-deep vents on the sides. The neck edge continuing down the opening edges and across the bottom edges, is trimmed with simple tatted lace. The long sleeves are gathered into the armholes, which are piped. They are gathered into 5/8-inch-wide cuffs, which are also trimmed with tatting.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (length x width with sleeves outstretched): 14 1/4 x 29 3/4in. (36.2 x 75.6cm)