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Title Man's Shirt

Date about 1890-1900

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Machine-stitched cotton with a porcelain button

Description Man's shirt of white cotton, with a plastron front and center back opening extending 12 1/2 inches and fastening with a single white porcelain button. Extending from the bottom of the plastron is a tab with a button hole and a monogram "W" in red. The band collar is narrow and is worked with

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button holes at front and back for attaching a separate collar. The shirt back is

gathered across the bottom of the shoulder yoke. The long sleeves are set

smoothly into the armhole and end in 1 1/2-inch-wide cuffs at the wrist. The

front and back shirt panels curve up at the side seams. The back panel is about

three inches longer than the front.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (center back length x width across shoulders):

34 3/4 x 16in. (88.3 x 40.6cm)