

A vintage, sepia-toned studio portrait of a young boy, identified as Heddie Chamberlin. The boy is standing, facing the camera with a neutral expression. He is dressed in a dark, single-breasted suit jacket with visible buttons, a matching pair of trousers, and a dark bow tie. His hair is neatly combed. To his left is a table draped with a light-colored, heavily patterned lace or floral cloth. The floor is covered with a dark and light checkered or tiled pattern. The background is a plain, light-colored studio backdrop. The entire photograph is framed by a thin white border, and a handwritten caption is visible at the bottom.

Title Family of Reverend Walter Chamberlin and Elizabeth Sharpe

Chamberlin

Basic Detail Report

Date about 1865

Primary Maker Doremus' Gallery of Art

Medium Photography; albumen prints on paper on cardboard carte-de-visite
mounts

Description Formal studio portraits of the Reverend Walter Chamberlin, his wife Elizabeth, and their two sons, Elbert and Heddie. The parents' portraits are bust-length; the father has long sideburns and the mother wears a jacket with ornamental rosettes on it and a brooch pinned to her collar. The two boys are shown standing, full-length, wearing identical short jackets and trousers. One boy holds a cap in his hand.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 3 5/8 x 2 1/8in. (9.2 x 5.4 cm) or smaller Sheet (height x width): 3 5/8 x 2 1/8in. (9.2 x 5.4cm) or smaller Mount (height x width): 4 3/16 x 2 1/2in. (10.6 x 6.4cm) or smaller