

Basic Detail Report



Title William James Hamersley

Date 1861-1865

Primary Maker Prescott & Gage

Medium Photography; tintype on lacquered iron plate under glass with gilt mat
in paper-covered wooden case with embossed dark red velvet pad

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Description Half-length portrait of a man with a beard and mustache. He is

wearing eyeglasses and a jacket, shirt, and necktie. The oval mat is surrounded

by a double rule with a beaded design; the deep red velvet pad is undecorated;

the front and back covers have a pebbled texture with a faint rectangular rule

around the outer edge.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width): $4\frac{1}{2} \times 3\frac{1}{2}$ in. (11.4 x 8.9cm)

Plate (height x width): $5\frac{5}{16} \times 4\frac{1}{4}$ in. (13.5 x 10.8cm) Other (height x width): $5\frac{7}{8} \times 4\frac{3}{4} \times 9\frac{9}{16}$ in. (14.9 x 12.1 x 1.4cm)