Basic Detail Report



Title Lidded Jar

Date 1840-1880

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Blown colorless lead glass, tin

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Description Large, blown colorless lead glass jar with a short cylindrical neck, narrow shoulders, a cylindrical body, and a medium kick and a pontil mark on the bottom. The jar has a painted tin lid with a domed top and cylindrical sides; a round piece of fabric hangs down from the inside of the lid. The jar contains a large disc-shaped fragment of wood and some dirt. One side of the jar, below the shoulder, has a narrow rectangular piece of paper adhered to the surface of the glass. Hand-written ink words on the label read, "[obscured] the Night Blooming Cereus/ 1852". The hand-written label is nearly brown and has very rough edges.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x diameter): 14 x 7in. (35.6 x 17.8cm)