Basic Detail Report

Title Scroll with Box

Date 1954

Primary Maker Dominick DeLucco

Medium Papyrus, cardboard

Description Italian souvenir scroll (.a) and box (.b). (.a) Papyrus paper scroll with some tears; center has a square painting of an amphitheater on the water. Slightly illegible artists signature at the bottom left corner of painting. Below this written first in pencil then covered with brown ink, "SIRACUSA - ANFITEATRO ROMANA / carta papiro"; under this, printed in black, "Sindaco della Cita di Hartford, Conn. / in ricordo della Sua gradita visita a Siracusa / 12 Luglio 1954". (.b) Rectangle cardboard box with attached lid is covered with off-white paper with a gold bordered lid. Inside of box is a peach color and at bottom center a purple/blue sticker with a white grooved logo of three coat of arms side by side, printed below them, "FORNITORI DELLA REAL CASA"; around border in white reads, "DITTA GIOV. GILARDINI DI TORINO / NAPOLI / MILANO - FIRENZE - ROMA".

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width): 1 1/4 x 11in. (3.2 x 27.9cm)

Other (height x width of scroll): 8 3/4 x 10 7/8in. (22.2 x 27.6cm)