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Title Unidentified Man

Date about 1855

Primary Maker Henry H. Bartlett

Medium Photography; daguerreotype on silver-coated copper plate under glass
in paper-covered wooden case

Description Half-length studio portrait of a man wearing a jacket, a satin vest, a shirt, and a necktie. The portrait is surrounded by a nonpareil metal mat and

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faced by a purple velvet pad blind-stamped with the photographer's signature, surrounded by scrollwork. The case has different designs on front and back covers. The front cover has a central rosette surrounded by scrollwork with a wavy border. The back cover has a vertical herringbone pattern with a simple border of double rules.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): $2 \frac{3}{8} \times 2$ in. (6 x 5.1cm)

Plate (height x width): $3 \frac{1}{4} \times 2 \frac{1}{2}$ in. (8.3 x 6.4cm) Other (case height x width x depth): $3 \frac{1}{2} \times 3 \times \frac{5}{8}$ in. (8.9 x 7.6 x 1.6cm)