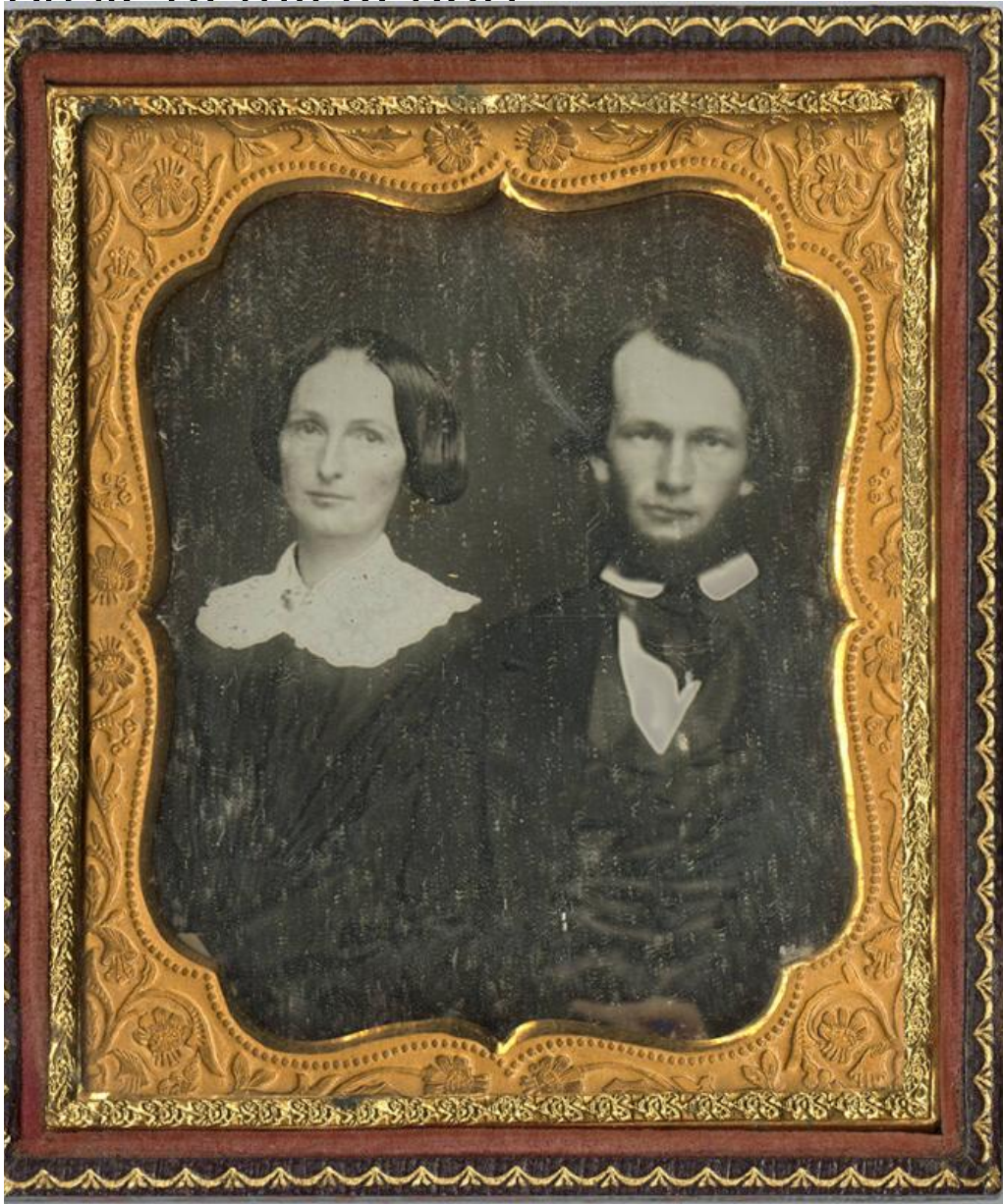


Basic Detail Report



Title Man and woman in the Bancroft family

Date 1850-1860

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Daguerreotype; silver-plated copper plate in brass mat package in wooden case covered with tooled leather; second daguerreotype, showing an older woman in the Bancroft family, in left side of case

Basic Detail Report

Description Sixth plate daguerreotype of a woman and man in the Bancroft

family, possibly Lydia Bancroft and her brother, James Bancroft, Jr.. They

appear to be in their 20s or 30s. The woman is wearing her hair parted in the

middle and fashioned into side wings over her ears. Her dress is pleated in the

front and her white collar is quite wide, lying flat on her shoulders. The man next

to her has long hair worn to about mid-ear and parted on the side. He may have

facial hair worn in the chin curtain style. He is wearing a jacket with wide lapels,

a waistcoat, a white shirt, and a white collar with the rounded ends turned down

over what appears to be a cravat.

Dimensions Plate (height x width): $3 \frac{1}{4} \times 2 \frac{3}{4}$ in. (8.3×7 cm) Other (case

height x width x depth): $3 \frac{3}{4} \times 3 \frac{1}{8} \times \frac{3}{4}$ in. ($9.5 \times 7.9 \times 1.9$ cm)