

Basic Detail Report



Title Gurdon Cady

Date 1855-1860

Primary Maker Gurdon Cady

Medium Ambrotype; collodion on glass with dark backing layer in brass mat package in tooled leather-covered wooden case. Embossed purple velvet pad on left side of open case

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Description Sixth-plate ambrotype portrait of Gurdon Cady as a young man. He is holding his fiddle and bow as if he is playing it.

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): $3 \frac{3}{4} \times 3 \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{2}$ in. ($9.5 \times 8.3 \times 1.3$ cm)