

Basic Detail Report



Title Ellen Cornelia Pomeroy Day

Date about 1860

Primary Maker Ellen Cornelia Pomeroy

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Medium Daguerreotype; silver-coated copper plate in brass window mat

package in wooden frame with a jump ring on the top edge

Description Ninth plate daguerreotype of Ellen Cornelia Pomeroy, perhaps

before she married Thomas Mills Day. She is young, perhaps in her late teens or

early twenties. She is wearing what looks like a shirtwaist but might be the

bodice of a dress, and a small ribbon worn around the base of her throat,

fastened with a brooch. Her hair is fashioned into a braid that crosses the crown

of her head. She is wearing small drop earrings.

Dimensions Plate (image plate height x width): $2\frac{1}{2} \times 2$ in. (6.4×5.1 cm) Other

(frame height x width x depth): $3 \times 2\frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{2}$ in. ($7.6 \times 5.7 \times 1.3$ cm)