

Basic Detail Report



Richard Hartshorne

Primary Maker

Alexander Anderson

Medium

Gouache on ivory in gold, colorless glass, lacquered wood frame

Description

A miniature portrait of Richard Hartshorne in gouache on an ivory oval. Richard poses in 3/4 view facing right. The sitter has brown eyes and dark brows and wears his thinning black hair combed forward with fringed sideburns and a curly topknot above his forehead. His white shirt collar is worn high and ends above his jaw line, as does his white waistcoat. His black close fitting coat includes

"M" notched lapels and a double row of brass buttons. The background shades from dark grayish brown to pale grayish tan. The oval rests inside a rectangular black lacquered frame with a gold band and glass bezel. The frame retains its original decorative brass hanging loop held in place by a molded brass acorn and oak leaf bracket.

Dimensions

Image: 2.63 × 2.13 in. (6.7 × 5.4 cm) Frame: 4.88 × 3.88 in. (12.4 × 9.8 cm)