Basic Detail Report



Mr. and Mrs. Dicks

Date

c. 1860-1865

Medium

Photographic paper, cardboard

Description

Full-length studio portrait of a man and woman identified as "Mr. and Mrs. Dicks, cheese makers at Hallsville, NY.". Mr. Dicks, seated on the left wears dark pants, coat and vest. He wears a white dress shirt and likely a silk tie. A watch chain is in view on the left side of his vest dangling from a button hole to a pocket out of view. His hair is cut to ear level and combed back. He wears a mustache and long beard and his sideburns are cut short. Mrs. Dicks, seated on the right wears a short waisted, empire style dress with full skirt all around extending from soft pleats at the waist. The dark colored dress has wide, bell-shaped sleeves that are tight at the upper arm and wrist. She wears a small light colored collar and holds a light colored handkerchief. Her hair is pulled back tight with a center

part, the hair puffs slightly at the ears. Both clasp their hands at waist level.

Dimensions

Sight: $4 \times 2 7/16$ in. $(10.2 \times 6.2 \text{ cm})$