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Grand Union Case In Relief, S. Peck & Co., Ambrotype 1/2 Plate, C. 1860, Vintage Photograph



950 EUR

Signature : S.Peck & Co.

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Glass

Description

Half-plate ambrotype portrait of a gentleman in a Bakelite Union Case with a relief scene. Manufactured by S. Peck & Co. in the 1850s, this ambrotype or daguerreotype case is a registered design of the company. Relief scenes are molded in Bakelite, and the interior features a piece of embossed velvet on one side and the ambrotype, set with a pinchbeck mount, on the other. Samuel Peck is the first known plastic molder in the United States. The relief design depicts the Washington Monument in Richmond, Virginia, on one side, and on the other, two archangels and two eagles surround a rosette. Union Case format: 15.5 x 12.5 cm. Image format: 11.5 x 8.5 cm.

Link to the website:

<https://www.lavalisearlesienne.com/product-page/ambrotype-d-un-homme-de-qualite-A9-uni>

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