Basic Detail Report

Tea Warmer

Date

c. 1830 - 1840

Primary Maker

Unknown

Medium

Porcelain with polychrome overglaze

Description

Miniature white porcelain teapot with round lid with acorn-shaped finial, loop handle, and S-curve spout with molded dolphin head at terminus. Rests on cylindrical warmer with round support at top with beading around rim and series of round holes just below the rim. Warmer fits into cylindrical base with round holes around perimeter. Teapot and warmer painted with landscapes of mountains, rural villages, and castles; gilded on finial, spout, handle, and around rims. .a - Lid, .b - Teapot, .c - Warmer Column, .d - Base

Dimensions

Warmer: 5×4 inches (12.7 \times 10.2 cm) Teapot: $3 \frac{1}{2} \times 5 \frac{1}{2}$ inches (8.9 \times 14 cm) Lid: $1 \frac{1}{2} \times 4$ inches (3.8 \times 10.2 cm)