

Basic Detail Report

Sword

Date

1862

Primary Maker

Ames Manufacturing Company

Medium

Steel; Brass; Leather; Rubber (?)

Description

U.S. Army regulation non-commissioned officer's sword (a) and scabbard (b) (a) sword, slightly curved blade of highly polished steel, set into a polished cast-brass handle, having an oval-shape hilt, plain polished guard ball or acorn finial, and grip having a embossed knurled pattern, which simulates being wrapped with braided wire; (b) leather scabbard for above, plain brass ferrule w/hanging frog; brass tip; stitched leather body w/black finish & old repairs consisting of metal strips set into a black mastic;

Dimensions

3.125 x 4.75 x 39.2499 in. (7.9 x 12.1 x 99.7 cm)