

Basic Detail Report



Portrait of Sir Lawrence Palk, Baronet, M. P.

Date

c. 1791

Primary Maker

Richard Cosway

Medium

Watercolor on ivory mounted under glass with a pearl border in a copper alloy case

Description

Miniature. Three quarter view of face turned to the right, pale fleshtones, bright blue eyes. Sketchy gray hair with ribbon, blue coat with gold buttons, white jabot; pale sky blue background. Gray-blue tonality. Frame edged in

pearls, back is plain metal, but with elaborate engraved name of sitter and artist. Duveen "robber baron case".

Dimensions

Object: 3 1/2 × 2 5/8 × 1/4" (8.9 × 6.7 × 0.6 cm)