

Basic Detail Report



Melodeon

Date

1855-1856 ca.

Primary Maker

George A. Prince & Co.

Description

1854-1856 ca., based on serial number information in Gellerman, but there is a patent date of 1855 inside the

instrument, so ca. 1855-1856 61 keys, compass: (FF-f3) 5 octaves detachable, threaded legs Rosewoose veneer; two stop knobs, one on each side of keyboard, identification has fallen off; two pedals with lyre-shaped brace for pumping bellows; tracery panels on front with cloth backing; small brass slide for locking patented "divided swell" Pedal rods stored inside instrument, along with several other small removed (and bagged) pieces

Dimensions

Height (with legs): 820 mm (32-1/4 in) Width: 1350 mm (53in) Depth: 655 mm (25-1/2 in)