



## **1 / 6 PLATE AMBROTYPE INFANTRY MUSICIAN**

Fine condition sixth plate ambrotype of an musician in a 9-button infantry frock coat with blue-tinted herringbone pattern across his breast. At his side, he grips his musician's sword which is housed in its shoulder baldric. His McDowell style forage cap displays an infantry insignia on the front with the numeral "80" in the center.

As this image originated from an Ohio estate, there is a good possibility that the subject is from the 80th Ohio, a regiment that saw service through the entire Civil War in the western theater.

This ambrotype was on display for some time at the Gettysburg Museum of History and is accompanied by a note of provenance from the curator of the museum. It is housed in a minty thermoplastic case, Krainik's #226 "Geometric/Scroll" with purple velvet plush.

**Collection#:** 44  
**Condition:** Excellent  
**ID:** No

**\$ 950**