



OBJECT ID	2014.1.4
OBJECT NAME	Watch, Pocket
MATERIAL	Glass; Metal
OBJECT ENTITIES	Papachristos, George (is related to) Papachristos, Spiros (is related to)
ACCESS POINTS	Dueber-Hampden Watch Company Ohio pocket watch Spiros Papchristos

OBJECT DESCRIPTION

Medium sized brushed silver pocket watch with white face, made by the Hampden Watch Co in Canton, Ohio

ORIGIN

George and Spiros Papachristos immigrated to the U.S. from Greece in 1912 at the age of 16 or 17. They went back to Greece in the late 1930's. After WWII they moved to Utah. After living in Utah they moved to Chicago. According to the donor, this watch was owned by Spiros.

Hampden Watch Company was created in 1888 when the Hampden Watch Company merged with the Dueber Watch Casing Manufacturing Company. The production of watches by this company continued until 1927 when it moved its factories to Russia to teach Russian artisans the art of watch making.

CITATION

Watch, Pocket, *National Hellenic Museum*, <https://collections.nationalhellenicmuseum.org/Detail/objects/>. Accessed 04/18/24.