Photograph of a bust of Ralph Waldo Emerson the property of Harvard College. This picture used to hang in either the president's room or in the room adjoining in the days of President Eliot and President Lowell.

As you see, this photograph is not a "bust", but a detail of the head and shoulders of Daniel Chester French's bronze statuette of Ralph Waldo Emerson (the scale model for the full-size bronze statue in the Concord Public Library).

The statuette was given to Harvard by Mrs. Edith Emerson Forbes. Its number is 844.