Fan

Textile and Costume Collection

Accession Nr.:	58.850.1
Date of production:	ca. 1860
Place of production:	France (presumably)
Materials:	bone sticks; canvas; mother- of-pearl; spangle; steel
Techniques:	inlaid; pierced
Dimensions:	height: 22 cm width: 38 cm

The white, lobular leafs are embellished with scattered circular steel spangles. The leaf and branch ornamentation of the sticks is enriched by steel inlay. A thin white silk cord and tassel are attached to the pressed handle. The adhesive remaining on the versos of the leaves indicates that-as was general with fans of this type and period-they were bordered with down. A similar piece in the collection is MAA inv. no. 80.723 (Cat. No. 116).

Literature

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