Primary Maker:

Title: **Theorem painting**

Date: 1800-1840

Medium: **Velvet**

Dimensions: **Overall: 7 x 8 in. ( 17.8 x 20.3 cm )**

Credit Line: **Purchased from Elie Nadelman**

Object Number: **1937.348**

Object Name: **Theorem painting**

Classification: **TEXTILES**

Curatorial Remarks:
This object was once part of the folk art collection of Elie Nadelman (1882-1946), the avant-garde sculptor. From 1924 to 1934, Nadelman's collection was displayed in his Museum of Folk Arts, located in the Riverdale section of the Bronx. The Historical Society purchased Nadelman's entire collection in 1937.

Physical Description:
Theorem painting on velvet; garland of moss roses and leaves painted in sepia, indigo, and tan on a white ground.

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