Primary Maker: Unidentified maker
Title: Ring
Date: 1600-1712
Medium: Gold, diamonds, enamel
Dimensions: Overall: 1/2 x 7/8 in. (1.3 x 2.2 cm)
Credit Line: Gift of Miss Cornelia Fulton Crary, through Mrs. Arthur T. Sutcliffe
Object Number: 1952.331a

Object Name: Ring
Classification: JEWELRY

Curatorial Remarks:
This ring was given to Cornelia De Peyster (1690-1756), who married Oliver Stephen Teller on October 12, 1712. The style of the ring suggests a date earlier than that of their wedding; this cluster style with enamel was popular in the 17th century, and the table cut for diamond was superseded around 1650 by the rose cut. The two brilliant-type cut stones suggest later replacements of lost table-cut diamonds.

Physical Description:
Gold cluster ring set with 7 diamonds (5 table cut, 1 brilliant-cut and 1 eight-cut); shoulders are chased, remnants of black enamel on shoulder and underside of cluster.

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