

Basic Detail Report



Hat

Date

c. 1870

Primary Maker

Tuscarora (Haudenosaunee)

Medium

Tradecloth, glass beads, thread, paillettes

Description

Six triangular shaped panels, alternating red and black velvets comprise the construction of the hat. A 1 3/4" band of dark velvet materials form the bottom edge of hat. Each panel has a different floral/leaf design done in many different colored seed beads with a few sequins on five of the panels. The band around edge has a continuing line of arrow design in green beads. At top of hat and at one point on band are remnants of a ribbon decoration. Lining is four panels of a cotton material. Quite heavy from all the beadwork.

Dimensions

Overall: 6 × 7 1/2 in. (15.2 × 19.1 cm)