

Basic Detail Report



Title Doorknob

Date 1852 to about 1900

Primary Maker The Russell and Erwin Manufacturing Company

Medium Mold-formed marbelized stoneware with a lead glaze; iron

Description Round doorknob made of stoneware with a marbelized appearance, created by mixing at least two different colors of clay. The ceramic was coated with a clear lead glaze, then mounted on a cylindrical iron support with a square opening in the center. The iron part of the doorknob is rusty. There are light scratches in the glaze on the ceramic portions of the doorknob.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x diameter): 2 x 2 1/8in. (5.1 x 5.4cm)