

Basic Detail Report



Title Sword

Date c. 1900-1933

Primary Maker George Malpas Cole

Medium metal

Description Sword with sheath originally belonging to General George Malpus Cole. There is an acorn tassel attached to the handle. The blade has etched decoration. One side has a shield and an eagle with the phrase, "E. PLURIBUS UNUM." The Connecticut Museum has Gen. Cole's military uniform (1953.56.1-.21) in its collection. The Connecticut Museum also has a photograph of Gen. Cole wearing his military uniform and holding this sword (1953.56.22a-e).

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (overall length): 38 1/2in. (97.8cm) Component (length of sword): 37 1/2in. (95.3cm) Component (length of sheath): 33in. (83.8 cm)