

Lidded lacquer box

Southeast Asian Collection

Accession Nr.: **3787.1-2** 

Type: **object for daily use; lacquers**

Date of production: **between 1861 – 1867**

Place of production: **Thailand (Siam), Southeast Asia**

Materials/Technique
s: **wood, lacquer**

Dimensions: **diameter: 11. 2 cm**

Acquisition: **collection of Ferenc Hopp**

Embossed, spherical shaped red and gold lacquer piece on a round pedestal.. The decoration is distinctly Chinese. On the lid are a woman sitting in a garden holding a fan and a man leaning on a book case, with a wreath of four-petaled flowers, vines and leaves, two butterflies and two crickets on the sides. Flowery branches appear at the bottom. The rim is gilded where the lid meets the base. The interior is undecorated with black lacquer.

