

**SCHIAPARELLI: FASHION BECOMES ART**

**Victoria & Albert Museum, Cromwell Road, London SW7 2RL**

**28 March – 8 November 2026 (objects on display for duration)**

***Protection under the under Part 6 of the Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement Act 2007 is sought for the objects listed below:***



**Lender Name and Address:**

Philadelphia Museum of Art

2600 Benjamin Franklin Parkway Philadelphia, PA 19130,  
USA

**Accession No.:**

1952-9-1

**Title:**

**Woman's Sweater**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Summer 1928

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Center Back Length: 21 inches (53.3 cm) Circumference  
(Bust): 32 1/2 inches (82.6 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Hand-knitted wool

**Provenance:**

Made Summer 1928

Purchased by Vera White, date unknown

Gift of Vera White to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1952

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

Likely owned by Vera White. Several other Schiaparelli works in this donation were worn by Schiaparelli 1923-25. Vera M. White (1923-2023) lived in Ardmore, PA. She donated other French garments and accessories, some custom, so it is safe to assume she travelled to Paris herself for her clothes.

***Note that this object has incomplete provenance for the years 1933-1945, although it is likely to have been owned by Vera White during this period. It was searched on the Lost Art Database and Central Registry of Information on Looted Cultural Property 1933-1945 and does not appear on any lists of lost art.***

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-2

**Title:**

**Woman's Evening Coat**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Winter 1936-1937

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Center Back Length: 57 inches (144.8 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Silk taffeta, cellophane sequins

**Provenance:**

Made Winter 1936-1937

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1937 - 1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 - 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

***Note that this object has a complete provenance for the years 1933-1945 (object made 1936-37)***

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-3

**Title:**

**Woman's Evening Coat**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Spring 1939

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

France

**Dimensions:**

Center Back Length: 55 inches (139.7 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Wool felt, fulled wool, silk thread embroidery

**Provenance:**

Made Winter Spring 1939

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1939 - 1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

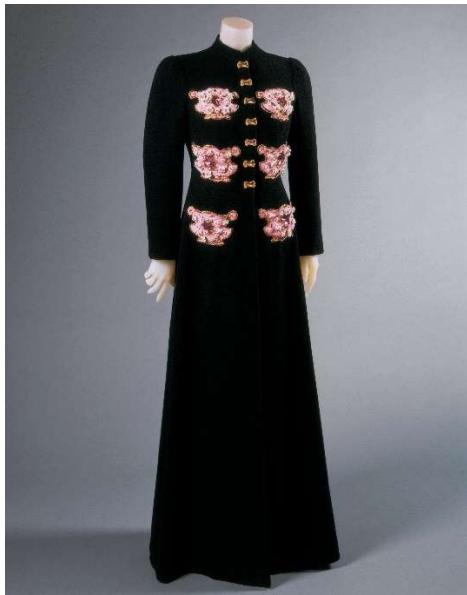
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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-6

**Title:**

**Woman's Evening Coat**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Winter 1938-1939

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Center Back Length: 57 inches (144.8 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Fulled wool, silk velvet, porcelain, gilt metallic thread  
embroidery, paillettes, and beads

**Provenance:**

Made Winter 1938-1939

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1938 - 1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 - 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

***Note that this object has a complete provenance for the years 1933-1945 (object made 1938-1939)***

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-12

**Title:**

**Woman's Dinner Jacket**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Winter 1936-1937

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Center Back Length: 20 1/2 inches (52.1 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Fulled wool, gold and metal thread embroidery, gold paillettes

**Provenance:**

Made Winter 1936-1937

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1936 - 1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 - 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-17

**Title:**

**Woman's Dinner Jacket**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Summer 1941

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Center Back Length: 19 1/4 inches (48.9 cm) Center  
Front Length: 16 inches (40.6 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Rayon crepe, cellulose acetate velvet with silk embroidery

**Provenance:**

Made Summer 1941

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1941- 1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 - 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-22

**Title:**

**Woman's Dinner Jacket**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Fall 1937

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Waist: 28 1/4 inches (71.8 cm) Center Back Length: 20 3/4 inches (52.7 cm) Circumference (Bust): 34 1/2 inches (87.6 cm) Hips: 35 1/2 inches (90.2 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Linen plain weave, gilded metallic and silk thread embroidery, beads, and paillettes

**Provenance:**

Made Fall 1937

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1937-1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-23

**Title:**

**Woman's Evening Jacket**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Fall 1939

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Center Back Length: 22inches (55.9cm) Center Front Length: 25inches (63.5cm) Waist: 26 inches (66 cm)  
Silk chiffon, silk and metallic thread embroidery, pearl beads, silver buttons

**Materials/medium:**

**Provenance:**

Made Fall 1939

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1939 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-24

**Title:**

**Woman's Dinner Jacket**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Spring 1947

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Center Back Length: 25inches (63.5cm) Circumference  
(Bust): 36 inches (91.4 cm) Waist: 30 inches (76.2 cm)  
Hips: 35 inches (88.9 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Black silk crepe, pink silk taffeta with paillette and seed  
pearl embroidery, jet buttons

**Provenance:**

Made Spring 1947

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1947-1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

N/A (object made 1947)

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-26

**Title:**

**Woman's Veil**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Spring 1938

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Center Back Length: 40 inches (101.6 cm) Spread: 66  
inches (167.6 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Cotton net with glass bugle beads

**Provenance:**

Made Spring 1938

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1938 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 - 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-33

**Title:**

**Woman's Dinner Dress**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Summer 1939

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Waist: 27 inches (68.6 cm) Length: 58 1/2 inches (148.6 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Rayon crepe, metallic thread embroidery, pearls, seed beads

**Provenance:**

Made Summer 1939

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1939 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 - 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-47a

**Title:**

**Woman's Evening Dress**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Summer 1939

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Dress Waist: 24 inches (61 cm) Dress Bust: 30 inches (76.2 cm) Dress Hips: 34 inches (86.4 cm) Dress Length (Neck to hem): 55 inches (139.7 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Printed silk plain weave

**Provenance:**

Made Summer 1939

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1939 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

***Note that this object has a complete provenance for the years 1933-1945 (object made 1939)***

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-49

**Title:**

**Woman's Evening Dress**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Summer 1937

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Center Back Length: 38 1/2 inches (97.8 cm) Center  
Front Length: 42 inches (106.7 cm) Waist 22 1/2 inches  
(57.2 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Printed silk organza

**Provenance:**

Made Summer 1937

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1937 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 - 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

***Note that this object has a complete provenance for the years 1933-1945 (object made 1937)***

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-52

**Title:**

**Woman's Dinner Dress**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

February 1937

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Center Front Length: 52 inches (132.1 cm) Waist: 22 inches (55.9 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Printed silk organza, synthetic horsehair

**Provenance:**

Made February 1937

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1937 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

***Note that this object has a complete provenance for the years 1933-1945 (object made 1937)***

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-53

**Title:**

**Printed Lobster Fabric**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

c. 1938

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

40 x 21 3/4 inches (101.6 x 55.2 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Print on cotton plain weave

**Provenance:**

Made c. 1938

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1938 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 - 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-56a,b

**Title:**

**Woman's Shoes**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Winter 1939-1940

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Length: 8 inches (20.3 cm) Width (Max): 3 inches (7.6 cm)

Height: 5 1/2 inches (14 cm) Other (Heel): 3 inches (7.6 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Leopard skin, leather, mother-of-pearl buttons

**Provenance:**

Made Winter 1939-1940

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1939 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-58a,b

**Title:**

**Woman's Boots**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Winter 1939-1940

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:** Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

9 x 2 1/2 inches (22.9 x 6.4 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Leather, mother-of-pearl buttons

**Provenance:**

Made Winter 1939-1940

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1939 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 - 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-59a

**Title:**

**Woman's Hat**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

c. 1950

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

22 1/2 x 25 1/2inches (57.2 x 64.8cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Pink and white striped silk plain weave

**Provenance:**

Made c. 1950

Elsa Schiaparelli, c. 1950 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

N/A (object made c. 1950)

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-59b,c

**Title:**

**Woman's Gloves**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

c. 1950

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Length: 25 1/2 inches (64.8 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Pink and white striped silk plain weave, elastic

**Provenance:**

Made c. 1950

Elsa Schiaparelli, c. 1950 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 - 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

**Ownership between 1933 - 45:**

N/A (object made c. 1950)

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-60

**Title:**

**Woman's Hat**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Spring 1948

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

6 1/2 x 6 1/2 inches (16.5 x 16.5 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Wool felt, marten fur, net, turkey and macaw feathers

**Provenance:**

Made Spring 1948

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1948 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

N/A (object made 1948)

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**Lender Name and Address:**

Philadelphia Museum of Art

2600 Benjamin Franklin Parkway Philadelphia, PA 19130,  
USA

**Accession No.:**

1969-232-62

**Title:**

**Woman's Hat**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Summer 1945

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Inner Edge: 19 inches (48.3 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Silk satin, feathers

**Provenance:**

Made Summer 1945

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1945 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

***Note that this object has a complete provenance for the years 1933-1945 (object made 1945)***

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-64a,b

**Title:**

**Woman's Gloves**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Fall 1939

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

8 1/2 x 2 1/2 inches (21.6 x 6.4 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Silk georgette, metallic and silk thread embroidery,  
stones, seed pearls, and sequins, gold buttons

**Provenance:**

Made Fall 1939

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1939 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

***Note that this object has a complete provenance for the years 1933-1945 (object made 1939)***

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-65a,b

**Title:**

**Woman's Gloves**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Fall 1939

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

8 1/2 x 3 inches (21.6 x 7.6 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Silk georgette, metallic thread embroidery, beads

**Provenance:**

Made Fall 1939

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1939 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 - 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

***Note that this object has a complete provenance for the years 1933-1945 (object made 1939)***

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-67a,b

**Title:**

**Woman's Gloves**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Fall 1939

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

9 3/8 x 3 1/4 inches (23.8 x 8.3 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Silk crepe, metallic and silk thread embroidery, pearls

**Provenance:**

Made Fall 1939

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1939 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 - 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

***Note that this object has a complete provenance for the years 1933-1945 (object made 1939)***

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-70a,b

**Title:**

**Woman's Gloves**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Fall 1939

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

23 1/4 x 3 inches (59.1 x 7.6 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Gold and pink silk velvet

**Provenance:**

Made Fall 1939

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1939 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

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**Accession No.:**

1969-232-71a,b

**Title:**

**Woman's Dinner Jacket**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Spring 1940

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

Jacket Center Back Length: 24 1/2 inches (62.2 cm)

Handkerchief: 24 x 24 inches (61 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Rayon crinkle crepe, silk crepe, gilded metallic thread embroidery

**Provenance:**

Made Spring 1940

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1940 -1969

Gift of Elsa Schiaparelli to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1969

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

Elsa Schiaparelli

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**Accession No.:**

1993-39-1

**Title:**

**Woman's Evening Dress**

**Type of Object:**

Costume (including accessories)

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

N/A

**Date of Creation:**

Winter 1931-1932

**Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli, 1890 - 1973

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

Elsa Schiaparelli: French (born Italy)

**Place of Creation:**

France

**Dimensions:**

Around Waist: 28"; Around Bust or Chest: 33" – 34";  
Around Lower Hip: 34"; Back to Waist: 19"; Back to Hem  
(Front): 62"; Back to Hem (Train): 81"

**Materials/medium:**

"Riboulding" rayon crepe

**Provenance:**

Made Winter 1931-1932

Acquired by Mrs. Lucy Bradley Harvey (1889-1993). Lucy was married in Paris (1927) to Lewis B. Harvey of Philadelphia, PA.

Acquired by Anne Sayen, date unknown. Anne Sayen lived in Haverford, PA.

Gift of Anne Sayen to Philadelphia Museum of Art in memory of Mrs. Lucy B. Harvey, 1993

**Ownership between 1933 – 45:**

Likely to have been owned by Mrs. Lucy Bradley Harvey during this period (unconfirmed).

***Note that this object has incomplete provenance for the years 1933-1945. It was searched on the Lost Art Database and Central Registry of Information on Looted Cultural Property 1933-1945 and does not appear on any lists of lost art.***

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Philadelphia Museum of Art

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USA

**Accession No.:**

2014-1-1

**Title:**

**Fair Weather**

**Type of Object:**

Painting

**Identifying Marks/Inscriptions:**

Signed Lower left: 'Man Ray MCMXXXIX Le Beau Temps  
Paris'

**Date of Creation:**

1939

**Artist/Designer:**

Man Ray, 1890 - 1976

**Nationality of the Artist/Designer:**

American

**Place of Creation:**

Paris, France

**Dimensions:**

6 feet 10 3/4 inches x 6 feet 6 3/4 inches (210.2 x 200 cm)

**Materials/medium:**

Oil on canvas

**Provenance:**

Made 1939

By inheritance to the artist's widow Juliet Man (1911-1991), Paris, until d. 1991

Estate sale of Juliet Man, Sotheby's, London, March 22, 1995, no. 28

Purchased by Jeffrey Loria (dealer), New York

Sold to Sidney Kimmel, 1997

Gift of Sidney and Caroline Kimmel to Philadelphia Museum of Art, 2014.

**Ownership between 1933 - 45:**

Man Ray, 1890 - 1976

***Note that this object has a complete provenance for the years 1933-1945 (object made 1939)***