Robe

Place of origin: Baluchistan (Nasirabad area, Kachi plain, made)

Date: 19th century (made)

Materials and Techniques: silk with chain-stitch

Museum number: 849-1873

Gallery location: In Storage

Descriptive line
Women's dress, crimson silk, embroidered, Kachi plpain, 19th century

Physical description
Woman's dress, crimson silk embroidered with unusual chain-stitch embroidery

Dimensions
Length: 137 cm, Width: 57 cm

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Object history note
This costume may have been commissioned in either Shikarpur or Jacobabad. It entered the India Museum collections in 1873, but its acquisition record states that it was "taken at the capture of Ghazni" (1842)

URL
http://collections.vam.ac.uk/item/O476898/robe/