## PAGODA RED



## **CELADON JADE MELON TOGGLE**

## \$980

c. 1900 • China • Jade • Collection #CMKH083 W: 1.25" D: 1.0" H: 3.75"

This finely crafted jade toggle is carved in the form of a melon with a leafy vine. Melons and gourds are auspicious Chinese symbols of virility because they contain many seeds. Like other finely carved toggles, such a charm would have been prized as a waist charm.