Ex-libris (bookplate) - The book of Kálmán Harsányi

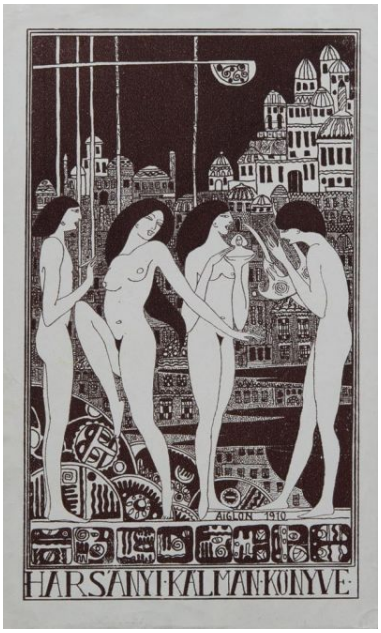
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Accession Nr.:	ELT 94.97
Artist/Maker:	Sassy (Aiglon), Attila (1880 - 1967) / drawn by
Place of production:	Budapest; Hungary
Inscription:	AIGLON 1910.
Materials:	paper
Dimensions:	height: 188 mm width: 118 mm height: 171 mm width: 104 mm

On the ex libris of Kálmán Harsányi (1876-1929), a poet and writer, there are four naked female figures against a crowded background of geometrical and architectural motifs (partly steeples and domes), creating a fairy-tale, exotic atmosphere against the black background. On the basis of their attributes, the figures represent four branches of art: literature, dance, fine arts and music. The background at their feet is decorated with various, simple elements, scrolls and geometrical motifs.

Literature

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