

Design - book decoration

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Accession Nr.:	MLT 435.1 
Artist/Maker:	Förk, Ernő (1868 - 1934) / designer
Place of production:	Budapest
Inscription:	FE.
Materials:	paper
Techniques:	Indian ink
Dimensions:	height: 5,5 cm width: 6,5 cm

Two decorations from artists who were not dealing with graphic designs as their main field of activity: the composition designed by architect Ernő Foerk pictures a stylized dragon-fly. It was published in the periodical Magyar Iparművészet (Hungarian Applied Arts) as a book tail-piece (later it was used on the advertisement card of Gábor Steinbach upholsterer, see Cat. 1902b Plat XLV). Sándor Abt, who was famous as a designer in the Zsolnay factory, created several decoration sketches at the end of the 1890s.

Literature

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