Design - book decoration

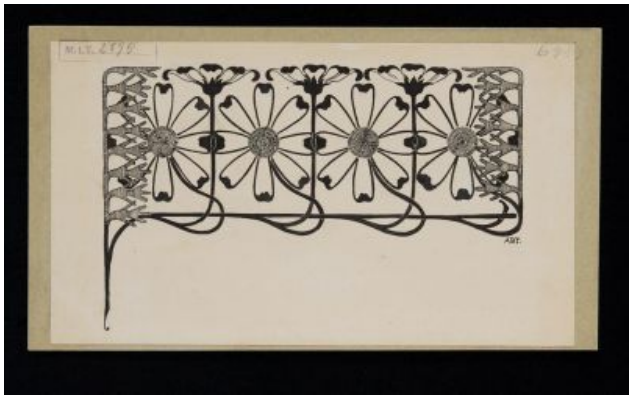
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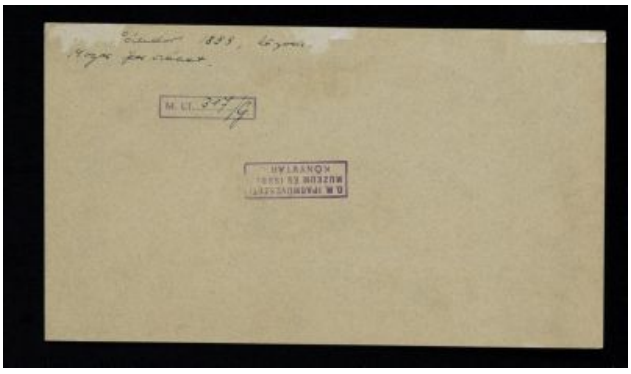
Accession Nr.:	MLT 317
Artist/Maker:	Apáti Abt, Sándor (1870 - 1916) / designer
Date of production:	1899
Place of production:	Budapest (presumably)
Inscription:	jobbra lent: ABT
Materials:	paper
Techniques:	Indian ink; pencil
Dimensions:	height: 14 cm width: 24,5 cm

In 1899, Abt makes a large step from illustrations of reality to decorative, stylized, flat ornaments, concentrating first of all on lines and contours. The flower motifs lack any kind of shading, having clear contours. He, on the other hand, keeps his unusual and typical “vein network” on the leaves.

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