Design - book decorations

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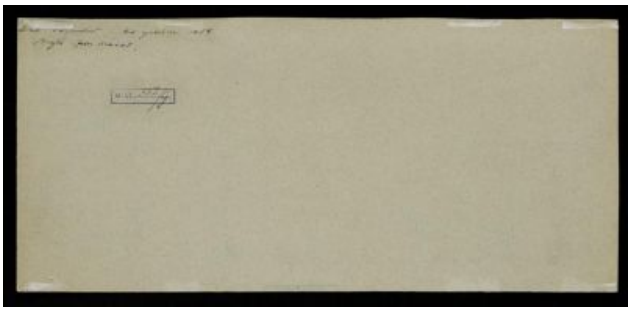
Accession Nr.:	MLT 337
Artist/Maker:	Apáti Abt, Sándor (1870 - 1916) / designer
Date of production:	1899
Place of production:	Budapest
Inscription:	ABT
Materials:	paper
Techniques:	Indian ink
Dimensions:	height: 16,5 cm width: 28 cm height: 13,8 cm width: 8,5 cm

These sheets are good examples of the special graphic style of the master. He keepes the typical characteristics of natural forms, emphasizing them with strong contours, placing them in symmetrical compositions or in rhythmically repeated pattern lines. He uses not only the decorative power of lines but also the effective impact of silhouettes.

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