

Embroidery

Textile and Costume Collection

Accession Nr.: 18219 

Artist/Maker: Armour, Edith Olga / designer and manufacturer

Date of production: 1898

Inscription: nincs

Materials: silk fabric; silk yarn

Techniques: flat stitch; stem stitch

Dimensions: length: 114 cm
height: 30 cm

Frieze-shaped, with rows of larger and smaller flower stems, arranged symmetrically. There is a narcissus in the middle, a bell-flower on either side, and smaller primrose stems in between. Each stem is enriched with some wood-sorrel. The flower stems are symmetrical, with curving leaves. Due to the simple embroidery technique, the pattern is like a graphic design in pastel colours: light and slightly darker blue, pink and yellow. The piano cloth border described above, designed by E.O. Armour, was awarded a silver medal at the 1898 British National Competition.

Literature

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