

# **Research Collections**



### Purse

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.08.0161

Title: Purse

Date: 1890 – 1910

Material: metal; skin; fibre

Dimensions: 24.0 x 1.0 x 14.5 cm

Description: A brown suede purse which hangs by two straps from a fabric belt. There

is a small money holder with a metal frame that fits inside a pocket. The money holder fastens with two snaps. The lining of the purse is stamped

with a patent note.

Subject: tourism

Credit: Gift of Pearl Evelyn Moore, Banff, 1979

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https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.08.0360

Title: Purse

Date: 1885 - 1925 Material: fibre; glass; ivory Dimensions:  $22.2 \times 5.4 \times 21.8$  cm

Description: A purse of blue grey silk with ivory battens at drawstring closure, and

embroidered beaded figures of man and woman dancing. Purse is essentially a square with a panel along the sides and bottom for width, with a stiff panel inserted at the bottom between lining and purse. Top draws closed with a silver metallic cord through a short ivory batten on the front and back causing the bag to form two pleats on either side. Ends of cord have red and grey beaded loop tassels. Bag lined front, back and bottom with pink silk. Figures beaded on front of purse depict woman in yellow dress and man in green trousers and pink jacket holding top hat

while they are dancing.

Subject: households

hobbies embroidery

figure male female

Credit: Gift of Catharine Robb Whyte, O. C., Banff, 1979

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