

Research Collections



Purse

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.08.0054

Title: Purse

Date: 1900 – 1920

Material: fibre

Dimensions: 14.0 x 24.0 cm

Description: A crocheted brown cord sack-shaped bag with three horizontal openwork

bands. There is a short fringe around the sides, the bottom, and also along the shaped top. The bag is fastened with a button, and has one

tassel at the top.

Subject: households

crafts

needlework

Credit: Gift of Pearl Evelyn Moore, Banff, 1979

Catalogue Number: 103.08.0054

Images





https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.08.0060

Title: Purse

Date: 1900 – 1930 Material: fibre, silk

Dimensions: 20.0 x 26.0 cm

Description: A black silk drawstring bag with a brocaded pink and white floral pattern.

The purse, lined with silk, has a silk tassel at each side of the top and

closes with a black drawstring.

Subject: households

Credit: Gift of Pearl Evelyn Moore, Banff, 1979

Catalogue Number: 103.08.0060

Images





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

Title: Purse

Date: 1890 - 1910 Material: metal; skin; fibre Dimensions: $24.0 \times 1.0 \times 14.5$ 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/artifact103.08.0241

Title: Purse

Date: 1965 – 1970 Material: skin; fibre

Dimensions: 25.0 x 8.5 x 30.0 cm

Description: A grey leather, commercially tanned, handmade purse, distinguished by a

pocket in the front which contains two small papoose figures with hand painted faces. The purse has two parallel flaps which flop over the top and tie, and a very long pair of shoulder straps. Part of the sewing is

cotton, part of it is sinew. The bag contains a piece of sinew.

Subject: Indigenous

figure papoose

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

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https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.08.0359

Title: Purse

Date: 1900 – 1930

Material: fibre

Dimensions: 24.3 x 16.5 cm

Description: A rectangular bag of ecru linen with drawstring top and flower basket

embroidered one side, lion rampant on other. Short fringe at bottom from linen threads with coloured threads introduced. Drawn and tied threads along top form slits through which a heavy, beige, silk cord drawstring is threaded. Two loop handles of same cord attached on inside. Lined with wine coloured silk. Flower basket and lion very delicately worked in cross stitch using linen as a canvas. Colours in bottom fringe pick up colours in

embroidery and are different on each side of bag.

Subject: households

hobbies

embroidery

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

Catalogue Number: 103.08.0359

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https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.08.0362

Title: Purse

Date: 1900 – 1930

Material: fibre

Dimensions: 25.0 x 25.2 cm

Description: A flat, square drawstring bag of green wallpaper patterned silk with

varied, patterned vertical strips of mustard yellow accounted with black lines. Small loops of buttonhole stitched thread passing around the bag below the mouth hold a light green ribbon drawstring knotted together at the ends. Lined with ivory coloured silk, with the ends of the green thread

loops knotted through on the inside.

Subject: households

hobbies embroidery

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

Catalogue Number: 103.08.0362

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https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.07.1001

Title: Purse

Date: 1900 – 1920

Material: fibre

Dimensions: 15.0 x 20.0 cm

Description: Lady's black silk, floral embroidery, fold over, red lining, one flap pocket

and 3 slot pockets, folded over 15.0×10.0 , front has embroidered 7 rose coloured flowers with brown and green stems and leaves, back has 2 white coloured flowers with 2 shades of green for stems and leaves.

Subject: households

clothing

Credit: Gift of Forrest (Pat) Oliver Brewster, Banff, 1966

Catalogue Number: 103.07.1001

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