

Research Collections



Purse

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.08.0040%20a%2cb

Title: Purse

Date: 1920 – 1935 Material: fibre, silk

Dimensions: $2.0 \times 7.0 \times 7.0 \text{ cm}$

Description: Two matching small gold silk drawstring purses whose drawstrings are

tied together. Each purse has delicate purple and blue flowers

embroidered with silk and metallic thread, and two long red silk tassels

hanging from the top of either side. Both purses are padded.

Subject: households

crafts

needlework

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Title: Purse

 Date:
 1930 – 1950

 Material:
 fibre, silk

 Dimensions:
 30.0 x 35.0 cm

Description: A navy blue square silk bag which attaches to two hoop handles which

have been wrapped with navy blue thread. The bag is decorated with a delicate scene of butterflies hovering over flowers and grass blades that has been embroidered with pink, brown, white and green silk thread and

embellished with beads.

Subject: households

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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.

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https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.08.0057%20a%2cb

Title: Purse

Date: 1930 – 1945

Material: hair, sheep; fibre; wood

Dimensions: 23.5 (a); 6.0 (b) x 27.0 (a); 9.5 (b) cm

Description: A handbag (a) and matching change purse (b). The navy blue wool

handbag has carved wooden handles, a satin lining, and a red and white monogram "P.B.M." worked in cross stitch. The change purse, found inside the purse, is also made of navy blue wool and has a pointed flap.

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https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.08.0058

Title: Purse

Date: 1930 – 1950

Material: fibre, cotton; wood
Dimensions: 38.5 x 41.0 cm

Description: A white cotton handbag decorated with red and green animals worked in

cross stitch. The bag has a wooden frame at the opening, and two short

handles of the same material as the bag.

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https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.08.0061

Title: Purse

 Date:
 1945 – 1955

 Material:
 hair, sheep

 Dimensions:
 18.5 x 14.5 cm

Description: A flat, rectangular, bag of white and black wool with red vertical zig-zag

bands. The bag has three beaded tassels hanging from the bottom edge, $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) \left(1$

and two knitted multicoloured dolls hanging from the bag's long red

handle.

Subject: households

crafts

beadwork needlework weaving

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https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.08.0062

Title: Purse

Date: 1950 - 1960Material: hair, sheep Dimensions: 15.0×19.5 cm

Description: A rectangular, flat, red wool bag with pink, orange, yellow, green and

white narrow stripes between three vertical red and white patterned bands. The purse has a green tassel at each of the bottom corners and a

pink tassel at the middle of each side and the bottom.

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https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.08.0063

Title: Purse

Date: 1920 - 1950 Material: fibre, cotton Dimensions: 16.0×32.0 cm

Description: A pouch-shaped bag of white cotton with a drawstring at the neck. The

bag is decorated with narrow bands of red, green and yellow embroidery following the shape of the bag, and with a pink tassel at the bottom. The bag's drawstring is made of twisted pink and black threads, and has a

green tassel at each end.

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https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.08.0065%20a%2cb

Title: Purse

Date: 1910 – 1930

Material: (a) fibre, cotton; (b) skin

Dimensions: 14.5 (a); 5.0 (b) x 22.5 (a); 7.5 (b) cm

Description: A purse that has a small change purse inside. The purse (a) is a black

polished cotton clutch purse covered with crewel work flowers of vibrant reds, blues, pinks, yellows and white. The purse has a small loop handle. The change purse (b) is a small leather coin purse with a white Scottie

dog on the flap.

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https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.08.0066

Title: Purse

Date: 1945 – 1955

Material: fibre, plant; fibre, raffia

Description: A circular handbag formed from two woven disks of natural straw that

have been sewn together along the outer edge with green and red raffia. The bag is decorated with groups of red, orange and purple flowers with green leaves, each group spaced evenly around the bag. The bag has a

single braided straw handle.

Subject: households

crafts weaving

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