

Basic Detail Report



Title Woman's Wedding Shoes

Date 1891

Primary Maker Della Maria Brown

Medium Machine-stitched silk crepe damask, leather, and cotton, with metal-tipped silk laces, metal eyelets, and silk- and leather-covered wooden heel

Description Open tab dress shoe, made of ecru silk crepe, with woven design of scattered single flowers. The knock-on Louis-style heel is covered with the same crepe and is 1 5/8 inches high. The plaited silk laces have metal tips and are laced through six pairs of eyelets. The side seams, tabs, and throatline are continuously covered with silk tape of a matching ecru color. The quarters are lined with white leather; the vamp and tongue is lined with white twill-woven

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cotton. The sock lining is white leather. The soles are made for right and left feet, and have a long, narrow waist. The top piece of the heel is pegged with very thin metal tacks.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width x depth): 3 7/8 x 2 1/2 x 10in.

(9.8 x 6.4 x 25.4cm)