

Title Fragment of Woman's Drawers

Date about 1840-1870

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Hand-stitched cotton

Description These are the embroidered bottoms from the legs of a woman's pair of white cotton drawers. The top 2 1/2 inches are eyelet-embroidered with simple floral sprays worked in a band. Below this, the fabric is stitched in fine vandyke points. Fourteen pin tucks encircle the bottom half of the piece, and the bottom edge is cut and stitched in the vandyke points.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width): 5 x 10in. (12.7 x 25.4cm)