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Title Petticoat

Date about 1905-1915

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Machine-stitched cotton, with hand embroidery

Description Woman's white cotton petticoat with a drawstring waist. The

petticoat is cut with the straight grain at center front and the waistline as a semi-

circle; the back is pieced out with a gore. The effect is that the fullness of the

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petticoat pulls to the back, while the front is smooth. The 9 1/2-inch-deep

flounce around the bottom is embroidered with white thread in a floral design,

and the edge is scalloped and finished with bottonhole stitch.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (length): 30 1/4in. (76.8cm)