

Basic Detail Report

Title Woman's Wedding Shoes

Date 1862

Primary Maker Mary Hall

Medium Machine-stitched silk, cotton, leather, elastic, and shell buckles

Description These white silk satin-woven slippers have a white cotton plain-woven lining and leather sole. The top edges of the slippers are trimmed with a silk rib-woven ribbon (1/4-inch wide). The toes are rounded. A decorative bow, composed of a shell buckle, 1 1/2-inch-wide white silk plain-woven ribbon, and 1 1/2-inch-wide white cotton lace is mounted at the top of the throatline of each shoe. Sewn into the side seams are narrow elastic bands. The elastic on the left shoe is 16 1/2 inches long and on the right shoe it is nineteen inches long. These slippers were worn with 2001.49.3a,b.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width x depth): 9 1/2 x 2 1/4 x 1 3/4in.

(24.1 x 5.7 x 4.4cm)