

Basic Detail Report

Title Dishes

Date about 1835

Primary Maker Charlana M. Cady

Medium Mechanically-molded porcelain with pink luster decoration and red enamel

Description Two round, porcelain serving dishes with hand-painted pink luster decoration. The dishes are part of a partial tea service consisting of a teapot (.1a, b), lidded sugar bowl (.2a,b), cream pitcher (.3), eleven teacups (.4a-.14a), eleven saucers (.4b-.14b), and two dishes (.15-.16). The primary decoration on this partial set consists of a band of hand-painted decoration between two lines of pink luster. The decoration consists of evenly-spaced, long, triangular shapes with a scalloped edge. Between these are abstract, long, slender leaves and branches, with occasional clusters of three small dots of red enamel, probably representing berries. The dishes each have a flat bottom surface and angled sides. There is a circular band of pink luster at the rim and in the center of each dish. Between these two bands of pink luster is the hand-painted decoration described above. Both dishes have crazing and spots of discoloration. Dish .16 has a scratch in the rim, which probably occurred at the time of manufacture.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (diameter): 7 5/8in. (19.4cm)