

# Basic Detail Report

## Title Child's Slop Bowl

Date about 1925

Medium Mechanically-molded earthenware with underglaze blue decoration

Description One round, white, miniature earthenware slop bowl, part of a larger

partial set of miniature teawares consisting of a teapot, lidded sugar bowl,

creamer, slop bowl, five saucers, six plates, and four teacups. The entire set is

decorated with a bright blue, underglaze, transfer-printed pattern and border in

the Aesthetic style. The pattern found on most pieces in the set consists of a

central scene of a small girl standing behind a large dog, both looking to the

right. The scene of the girl and dog is surrounded by a border of a dotted line

between two solid lines, interrupted three times by a triangular area with small

stylized flowers inside. This is surrounded by a circular area with various

decorative elements inside. There is a semi-circular area with two birds inside, a

panel of blue and white fabric with white flowers and fruit over the fabric, and a

square area with two birds and more flowers. These three decorative elements

are separated from each other by areas of white and various flowers. The entire

pattern, the scene of the girl and dog surrounded by various decorative

elements, is surrounded by a line of alternating triangles and short lines. The

border, found at the rim of many pieces in the set, consists of an octagonal

lattice pattern interrupted periodically by rectangular areas of blue with white

flowers on top. The miniature slop bowl has a portion of the above-described

pattern printed on the outside, as well as an enlarged version of the square

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panel with birds inside. The border is printed on the inside of the rim. There is crazing over all the surfaces of the slop bowl, and two small chips in the foot.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x diameter): 2 3/8 x 4in. (6 x 10.2cm)