



Reworked Photocopy of Page from West Wind Sketchbook 1928

Catalogue Number

HMF 79(111)

Artwork Type

Drawing

Date

1979

Dimensions

paper: 78 x 178 mm frame: 531 x 430 x 32 mm

Medium

carbon line, ballpoint pen, chalk

Paper Support

white lightweight wove

Signature

unsigned, undated

Ownership

HMF Enterprises Limited

More Information

One of eight reworked photocopies from Moore's sketchbook. See 79(105). The original of this drawing of two snakes intertwined appears below that of a female reclining nude (HMF 639 r). In 1928 Moore was considering subjects for garden reliefs; a snake was a possible idea. A carving entitled Head of a Serpent LH 45 dates from 1927., See comments on HMF 79(105)) and 79(109). A snake was one of the subjects Moore considered for the garden bench project; compare also LH 20, 45.