Print - LES TROIS GRÂCES (Musée de Versailles).

Object: Print

Place of origin: France (printed)

Date: 1870-1871 (printed)

Artist/Maker: Anonymous Illustration (caricaturist)

Materials and Techniques: Lithograph on paper

Museum number: E.2272-1962

Gallery location: Prints & Drawings Study Room, level C, case GG, shelf 211

Descriptive line

Paris Commune print; 'LES TROIS GRÂCES (Musée de Versailles)'; Lithograph, coloured by hand; Ernest Picard, Adolphe Thiers and Jules Favre depicted as the 'Three Graces'; Anonymous; France; 1870-71.

Physical description

'LES TROIS GRÂCES (Musée de Versailles)'; Lithograph, coloured by hand, depicting Ernest Picard, Adolphe Thiers and Jules Favre as the 'Three Graces', standing naked with a garland of flowers; behind them raised on a pedestal are the fused heads of the leaders of the Orleanists, Henri, Duc d'Aumale and Philippe d'Orléans.

Print from a set of caricatures, broadsheets and illustrations in ten volumes. Each volume is half-bound in red leather, gold tooled and stamped with imperial emblems, title etc.

Dimensions

Height: 36.2 cm, Width: 27.3 cm

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Object history note

Provenance unknown.

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