Dorothy Fitchew - I Must Go Seek Some Dewdrops Here

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Description

DOROTHY FITCHEW(1889-1975)
“I Must Go Seek Some Dewdrops Here,And Hang a Pearl in Every Cowslip’s Ear.”Midsummer Night’s Dream, Act II, Scene I
Signed l.l.: DOROTHY FITCHEWWatercolour and pen and ink heightened with whiteFramed
28.5 by 20 cm., 11 ¼ by 8 in.(frame size 43 by 33 cm., 17 by 13 in.)
Julia Dorothy Fitchew was born in Camberwell, the daughter of the illustrator and art editor, Edward Hubert Fitchew (1851-1934). Between 1911-1915 she exhibited a number of large and elaborate watercolours of Shakespearean and legendary subjects at the Royal Academy. She later worked as an illustrator, including a 1930 collaboration with Charles Folkard on an edition of nursery rhymes. In later years she increasingly specialised in natural history subjects and illustrations. The Natural History Museum, London, hold a collection of her work.