



James Montgomery Flagg

Title

Sir Peter Pan

Medium

Ink on paper

Date

1914

Dimensions

15 1/2 × 12 1/2 in. (39.4 × 31.8 cm)

Accession number

82.16.75

Credit Line

Gift of Jane Collette Wilcox, 1982

Web Description

One of the most popular fairy tales of the twentieth century, the adventures of Peter Pan ignited imaginations in England and America. The creator of Peter Pan, James M. Barrie, is satirized here, turned into a winged fairy creature perched on a toadstool. The inscription by the artist refers to Barrie's having been made a baronet by George V in 1913, thereby entitling him to be known as Sir J. M. Barrie. The drawing originally illustrated a literary column in *The Judge*, an American humor magazine, accompanying catty quotes about Barrie's recent work.