

SA1058955

Antique George III Wine Cooler by Matthew Boulton with Hamilton Crest 18th C

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1058955****Date of manufacture: 1750**

Dimensions

Height = 28 cm (11.0")

Width = 27 cm (10.6")

Depth = 27 cm (10.6")

Description

This is an elegant antique English Old Sheffield plate silver on copper ice bucket or wine cooler, circa 1790 in date, and bearing the sunburst makers marks of the world renowned silversmith Matthew Boulton. The cooler is of campana baluster form and has a pair of foliate cast scroll handles, gadrooned borders and flared rim. It features an engraved Hamilton family crest from Hamwood Estate, Dunboyne, Co. Meath, Ireland with the motto 'Qualis ab Incepto' Which means the same as from the beginning). The attention to detail is absolutely fantastic and it is certain to attract attention wherever they are placed. Condition: In excellent condition with clear makers marks and no dings, dents or signs of repair. Please see photos for confirmation. Dimensions in cm: Height 28 cm x Width 27 cm x Depth 27 cm Dimensions in inches: Height 11 inches x Width 11 inches x Depth 11 inches Matthew Boulton Boulton was not a "goldsmith" or a "silversmith" in the accepted sense, yet for his achievements and services to the craft of goldsmithing he is fully worthy of inclusion in the list of great English goldsmiths. Matthew Boulton was born in Birmingham on 3 September 1728...

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