

SA1070415

Scarce early C19th Pontypool type 'japanned' decorated tin-ware lidded wine-cooler .

Price

GBP 1,100

| USD \$1,489 | EUR 1,287

Item Reference: SA1070415

Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Dimensions

Height = 50 cm (19.7")

Width = 60 cm (23.6")

Depth = 37 cm (14.6")

Description

Scarce early C19th Pontypool-type 'japanned' decorated tin-ware lidded wine-cooler. Large ovoid bodied cooler with a domed lid fitted with a cast grape-vine handle , the ribbed body with corresponding stylised grape-vine looped carrying handles .The interior fitted with it's original galvanised liner tray with handles . Raised on an oval shaped plinth foot. The whole decorated with a floral design on a scarlet red ground, in good original fresh-to-market' , country house condition, having some wear and loss commensurate with age , use and medium.

*The iron and tin-ware industry was established and developed in Pontypool , South Wales in the C18th by the Allgood family. The technique involved treating the metal with heat and a special varnish or lacquer . Production of similar 'japanned' tin-ware or 'tole' wares was also centred on Wolverhampton in the West Midlands of England during the early and mid C19th. Highly decorative wine-cooler of larger scale which could also perhaps be used in which to display flowers . H 20" W 24" D 15" England or Wales c.1840

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