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Antique Monumental Victorian Oval Silver Plated Tray 1880 19th Century

Price

GBP 685

| USD \$927 | EUR 802

Item Reference: SA1120642**Date of manufacture: 1880**

Dimensions

Height = 5 cm (2.0")

Width = 78 cm (30.7")

Depth = 54 cm (21.3")

Description

This is a monumental antique English Victorian oval silver-plated twin handled tray bearing the makers mark HA for the renowned silversmiths Atkins Brothers circa 1880 in date. This splendid large tray features beautifully engraved and embossed foliate and floral decoration. The pierced border and twin handles are embellished with high relief decoration. This magnificent tray is one of the finest examples of its type you could hope to acquire. Condition: In excellent condition with clear makers marks and no dings or dents. Please see photos for confirmation. Dimensions in cm: Height 5 cm x Width 78 cm x Depth 54 cm Dimensions in inches: Height 2 inches x Width 2 foot, 7 inches x Depth 1 foot, 9 inches Atkin Brothers business traces his origin to Thomas Law, a silversmith active in Sheffield from c. 1750 to 1775. He was one of the only two firms combining the trades of cutlers and general silversmiths. The business was continued by his sons John and William, and later by Joseph. In 1824 was entered the mark of Jos. Law, Jn Oxley & Henry Atkin (oddly the mark was "LL", possibly for Law & Law) and in 1829 Henry Atkin and John Oxley, trading as Atkin, Oxley & Co, succee...

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