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Rare Antique Silver-Plated Double Preserve Jar with Self Opening Lid Mechanism – circa 1920

Price

GBP 225

| USD \$305 | EUR 263

Item Reference: SA1161414

Date of manufacture: 1920

Dimensions

Height = 8.5 cm (3.3")

Width = 14 cm (5.5")

Depth = 7.5 cm (3.0")

Description

A Rare Antique Silver-Plated Double Preserve Jar beautifully engineered by renowned British silversmiths Hukin & Heath. It features a silver-plated frame with hinged lids covering two square glass jars. Each hinged lid opens with a smooth action when the carrying handle is rotated down, aided by a clever patented thumb-tab system – circa 1920. * Renowned Maker: Hukin & Heath were known for working with designers like Dr. Christopher Dresser, and for producing forward-thinking tableware in the late 19th and early 20th centuries. This is the first of its kind we have seen in over 40 years of antique hunting! Measurements: Height (handle up): 7" (approx. 18cm) Height (handle down): 3 1/4" (approx. 8.5cm) Width: 5 1/2" (approx. 14cm) Depth: 3" (approx. 7.5cm) Total weight: 785g In good condition – Some light surface wear and faint signs of age to the silver plate, consistent with the age of the item. Glass jars remain intact and clear, with no chips or cracks. Hinges work well, and the lids open and close with ease.

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