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Antique Victorian Silver Plated Fruit Basket George W. Scott & Sons Ltd 19th C

Price

GBP 295

| USD \$399 | EUR 345

Item Reference: SA1223889**Date of manufacture: 1880**

Dimensions

Height = 10 cm (3.9")

Width = 31 cm (12.2")

Depth = 26 cm (10.2")

Description

This is an exceptionally fine antique English Victorian silver-plated fruit basket with hallmarks for the celebrated silversmith George W. Scott & Sons Ltd, circa 1880. This magnificent basket has a shaped swing handle on a flared, oval-shaped basket and features a gadrooned rim, further embellished with floral decoration, raised on an oval base. There is no mistaking its unique quality and design, which is sure to make it a treasured piece by any silver collector. Condition: In excellent condition, please see photos for confirmation. Dimensions in cm: Height 10 cm x Width 31 cm x Depth 26 cm Dimensions in inches: Height 4 inches x Width 1 foot x Depth 10 inches George W. Scott & Sons Ltd was a renowned London-based manufacturer of fine wickerwork crafts, luxury leather goods, and campaign furniture. Founded in 1661, the company is historically credited with inventing the modern, compartmentalized wicker picnic basket, which it debuted at the 1851 Great Exhibition in London. They were not primarily a precious metal silversmithing firm, but they did produce quality items. Our reference: A5332

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