

SA939130

Pair of early C19th Regency period ' Old Sheffield Plate ' campana shaped wine coolers .

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA939130

Date of manufacture: Regency

Dimensions

Height = 25 cm (9.8")

Width = 30 cm (11.8")

Depth = 25 cm (9.8")

Description

Pair of early C19th Regency period 'Old Sheffield Plate ' campana-shaped wine-coolers. Fine pair of wine or champagne coolers of campana form , decorated with a crisply cast band of oak leaves and acorns to the bodies . The edges of the top cast with intricate floral decoration, the sides with shaped wrythen handles . The fronts of each with an inlaid silver cartouche engraved with intertwined initials. Constructed in the traditional manner with detachable inner rims and liners . The original silver plate in excellent condition, with minor 'bleeding' through to the copper commensurate with age and use . * 'Old Sheffield Plate' was a technique developed and perfected in Sheffield during the mid C18th when a material was created by fusing thin sheets of silver sandwiching a copper body , enabling goods to be cast and produced much more cheaply than using solid silver . H 10" W 12" (full) W 10" (bodies) England c. 1820

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