

SA955488

**PRUSSIAN GERMAN ARMY
800 SOLID SILVER VON
MASSOW FAMILY BEAKER
1902 MILITARY 90g**

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA955488****Date of manufacture: 1900**

Description

A superb very interesting solid silver cup or beaker. It is hallmarked with the German marks including the 800 silver standard mark and dates to c1902. It has been beautifully engraved with the coat of arms of the Massow Family - an important family of the time. The base bears the name Benno Von Massow who was a Prussian Lieutenant General seeing active service throughout the 19th century - see below (it may refer to his son, also called Benno and also a Lieutenant General). It is in superb condition being free from dings splits holes and repairs. It measures approx. 3.25 inches (8.3cms) tall by 2.25 inches (5.7cms) across the rim and weighs 88 grams. A very interesting piece. origin He came from the noble family von Massow , who had immigrated to Pomerania , and was a son of Friedrich von Massow (1786-1859) and his wife Karoline, née von Sydow (1775-1848). His father was a Prussian Major a. D. and Herr auf Schmarse (Schmarse manor, Züllichau-Schwiebus district). His brother Hermann (1812-1881) became a politician and chief forester at the Prussian court, the other brother Wilhelm (1815-1899) later rose to become a Prussian infantry general . military career Massow ...

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