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Vintage Majolica Barbotine Pitcher - 1949 World Record For Muskie Fishing.



125 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Other

Description

Rare barbotine (Majolica) ceramic pitcher/chopet with relief design, commemorating Louie Spray's historic world record catch of a muskie. On October 20, 1949, Louie Spray became a legend at Chippewa Flowage (Wisconsin, USA) by landing a monstrous fish weighing 69 lbs 11 oz (approximately 31.6 kg). The mug features stunning, colorful relief decorations (a fishing scene in a rowboat, underwater scenery) and a handle sculpted in the shape of a leaping fish.Details of the piece:Inscriptions on the neck: "CHIPPEWA FLOWAGE. WI. USA - OCTOBER 20, 1949 - LOUIE SPRAY - 69 lbs 11 oz"Bottom cartouche: "PRIZED CATCH Muskellunge"Marking on the base: Mold number "1012" engraved above the letter "D."Condition: Excellent vintage condition; the glaze is very

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