Silver Pitcher And Cup-and-saucer Set, A Gift From Emperor Napoleon To Eugénie



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Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Sterling silver

Description

Imperial Giftfrom Napoleon III and EugénieExtremely rare shaped box set with its silver service, including a self-pouring pitcher and a cup and saucer. Box engraved with the monogram of Napoleon and Eugénie (NE), surmounted by the Imperial Crown. Each piece of the service features a blank cartouche design framed by leafy and flowering branches. Marked with the Minerva hallmark (1st Title, 950) and the hallmarks of master silversmith CHAUCHEFOIN & Co., who was active from 1859 to 1865. An Imperial gift in very good overall condition; it has also been inspected and cleaned by our silversmith. The only minor flaw worth noting is a small trace of solder at the attachment point of the cup's handle. For the discerning collector...Pitcher Height: 13.4 cmSaucer

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Diameter: 11.7 cmCup Diameter (excluding handle): 8.7 cmSet Weight: 321.6 gramsTotal Weight (with Case): 1,006.2 grams