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Antique & Contemporary Silver

Antique silver capstan pepper mill

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Height: 80 mm (3.15")

Description

Small handmade Victorian sterling silver pepper grinder in the shape of a traditional capstan, the spool-shaped post around which cables and ropes are wound during anchoring. The pepper mill is fitted with its original and excellent Peugeot steel grinding mechanism.

A capstan is a most frequently nautical machine for moving or raising heavy weights that consists of a vertical drum which can be rotated and around which cable is turned.