

Unusual silver cocktail shaker

Crichton & Co

£4,600



REF: 7762

Height: 280 mm (11.02") Diameter: 150 mm (5.91")

Weight: 1148 g

Description

Antique novelty silver cocktail shaker in the form of an early 17th century tankard, fitted with a hinged cover and a cut-out thumbpiece. The interior is fitted with a twist and lift-off cover that features a clever opening and closing swivel mechanism reveals or closes the filter when twisted between pouring or shaking the cocktail. The body is hand engraved with a decorative feathered shield.

This interesting silver cocktail shaker has a capacity of two US pints.

Crichton & Co was the trading name used in the US for the English silversmithing firm, Crichton Brothers.