Basic Detail Report

Cream Pitcher

Date

1815

Primary Maker

John Crawford

Medium

silver

Description

A silver creamer or cream pitcher from a four-piece tea service featuring Classical references in the form of acanthus and oak leaves. The bulbous curves of the body are typical of the Empire style and are highlighted by stamped bands of ornament. Inscribed on the side are the initials "FR" for Frances Lewis Bolton Richardson (1794-1822). The creamer has a high spout and C-scroll handle.

Dimensions

 $7 \frac{9}{16} \times 4 \frac{1}{2} \times 3 \frac{5}{16}$ inches $(19.2 \times 11.4 \times 8.4 \text{ cm})$