

Basic Detail Report



Fish Slice

Date

c. 1856

Primary Maker

Humphrey P. Horton (1823-1865)

Medium

Silver

Description

Silver fish slice with fin-shaped blade with swage-formed handle with triangular drop and rounded handle with point at end. Blade curves up slightly along right edge with scrolled contour with engraved and bright cut flowers and foliage along edges and a fish in the center. Back of blade has bright cut foliage. Handle bordered with beaded double-threading with six-petal floret at end. Engraved with "MSC" monogram in script on handle end. Beaded double threading repeated on back of handle and around drop with six-petal floret at end.

Dimensions

11 5/8 inches (29.5 cm)