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Title Saltcellars

Date 1840-1860

Primary Maker Eliza Ann Smith

Medium Pressed colorless lead glass

Description Pair of pressed colorless lead glass saltcellars. Each saltcellar has a hexagonal, petal-shaped, flared rim, a hexagonal body with one large half-circle on each side, a short hexagonal stem, and a hexagonal foot with a flat bottom and a polished area in the center. The letter "N" is engraved by hand on to the

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bottom of saltcellar .1. The letter "X" is engraved by hand onto the bottom of

saltcellar .2. Saltcellar .1 has a chip on the foot and a chip at the rim, in addition

to more general wear than saltcellar .2. There is a ring of wear and light

scratches on the bottom of each foot.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width x depth of each saltcellar): 3 1/2

x 4 x 3 1/2in. (8.9 x 10.2 x 8.9cm)