

Basic Detail Report

Title Jug

Date 1868 to about 1880

Primary Maker S. L. Pewtress & Co.

Medium Mold-formed stoneware with a brown slip glaze

Description Small, ovoid, buff-colored stoneware jug in the shape of a footed bellarmine jug. The jug has a brown slip glaze, or Albany-type glaze, on the interior, while the exterior is left unglazed. The jug sits on a round foot that supports ovoid sides that narrow at the shoulder to form a reeded neck. To one side, an extruded and applied handle connects the neck and shoulder of the jug. Opposite the handle is the sprigg-molded, bearded face of a man. Below this is a round, sprigg-molded medallion. Inside a round band, two snakes flank a vertical post with a crown on top. Two mold lines are clearly visible on the sides of the jug, between the handle and sprigg-molded decoration. There are light scratches on the body of the jug over these mold lines, and three chips in the foot.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width including handle x depth): 6 1/8 x 4 1/2 x 4 1/4in. (15.6 x 11.4 x 10.8cm)