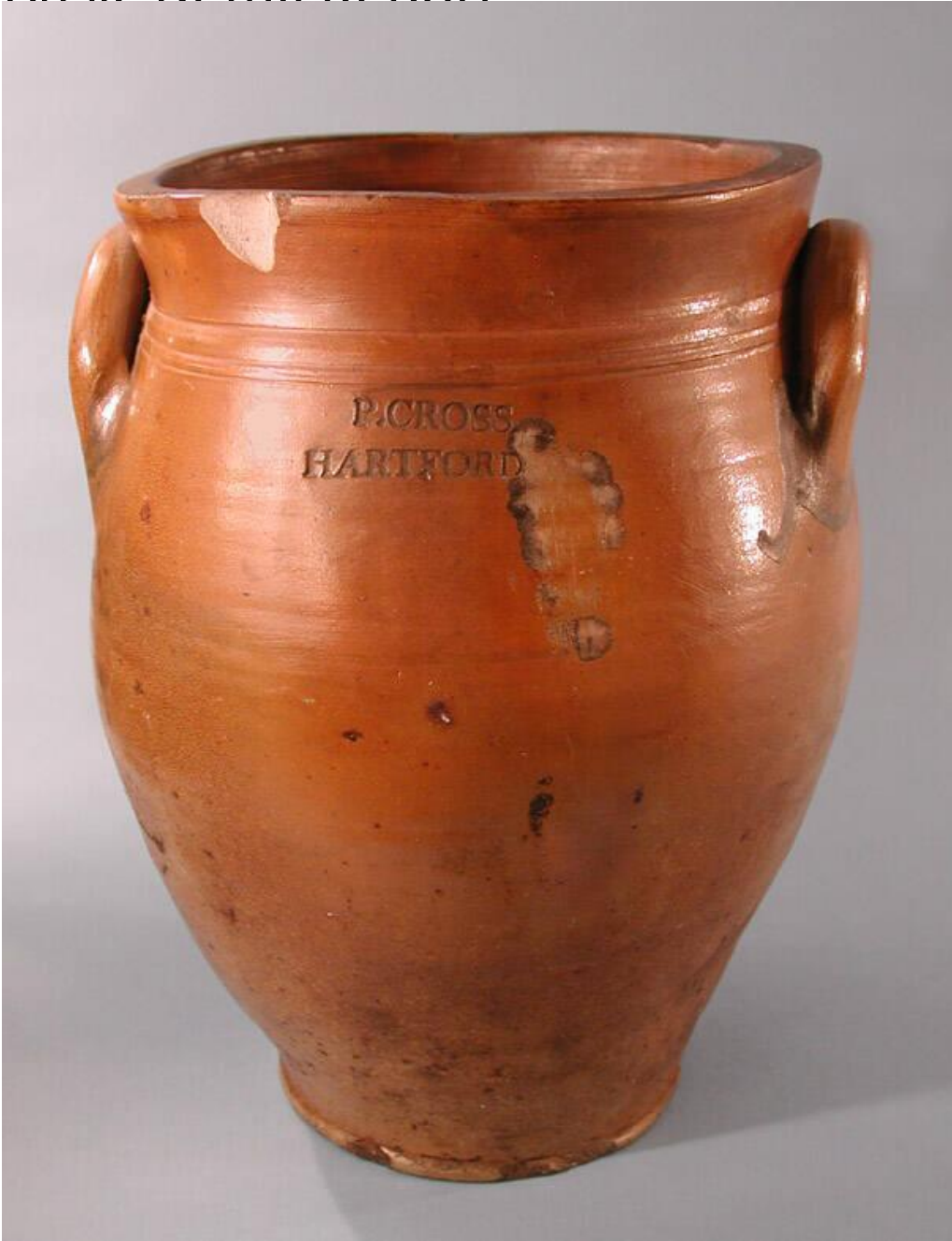


Basic Detail Report



Title Jar

Date about 1810

Primary Maker Peter Cross

Medium Wheel-thrown stoneware with a brown salt glaze and cobalt blue decoration

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Description Round, wide-mouthed, grey stoneware jar with a ruddy brown salt

glaze on the exterior and interior. The jar is decorated with hand-painted cobalt

blue and has two pulled lug handles. The handles are pressed against the jar

along their full length, attaching completely to the side of the jar just below the

neck. The base of each end of each handle is decorated with hand-painted

cobalt blue. A band of incised lines circle the neck of the jar. The same maker's

mark, "P.CROSS/ HARTFORD", is stamped twice on opposite sides of the jar,

between the handles. The glazed exterior surface of the jar has small

indentations and brown bumps. There are two major indentations in the

stoneware, each one near the marks, and the rim is not completely round. The

glaze on the inside of the jar is irregular and thick in some places. There is one

chip in the rim, and many chips in the foot. An unknown sticky substance has

adhered to the outside of the jar.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x diameter): 13 x 10in. (33 x 25.4cm)