

Antique Tantalus, English, Silver Plated, Three Decanter Set, Edwardian, C.1910



DESCRIPTION

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This is an antique tantalus. An English, silver plated three decanter set dating to the Edwardian period, circa 1910. A fascinating example with a refined decorative presence and attractive later glassware.

- Displays a lightly time-worn, bright silver tonality throughout
- Lid adorned with a decorative handle in the delightful form of a grapevine
- Replete with a lock to fascia – untested, key absent
- Case enhanced with fretwork panels offering views of the decanters within
- Fascia engraved with a fruit motif, adding appealing decorative interest
- Quality laurel wreath drop handles grace each side
- Standing upon a superb quartet of lion mask feet with proud paw toes
- Maker's initials to the base, likely for George Waterhouse & Co of Sheffield
- Later trio of matched cut glass decanters, each of striking clarity

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DIMENSIONS

Tantalus Width: 30cm (11.75")
 Tantalus Depth: 14cm (5.5")
 Tantalus Height: 32cm (12.5")
 Decanter Width: 8cm (3.25")
 Decanter Depth: 8cm (3.25")
 Decanter Height: 24.5cm (9.75")

LIST PRICE

£1,695.00

