An extremely fine George II Beer Jug made in London in 1750 by Thomas Whipham I.

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Description

The Jug stands on a cast and applied stepped circular foot which is decorated with reeding. The pear shaped main body rises to a slender neck which is also decorated with an applied rim. This example has a sparrow beak pouring spout, with pendant drop below, and a beautiful scroll handle. The front of the main body is beautifully engraved with a contemporary Armorial, surrounded by a strap work, shell and foliate spray cartouche. The Jug is in excellent condition, has a very good colour and displays crisp marks in the foot. Thomas Whipham I was a very fine quality maker, which is not surprising as he was apprenticed to the Royal Silversmith, Thomas Farren.Height: 8 inches, 20cm.Length, spout to handle: 7 inches, 17.5 cm.Weight: 23oz.

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