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Item #: PSO/A083

Name: Pottery Urn from Scotland by Garnkirk

Desc:

The Garnkirk Company was founded opened for business in 1832, by Mark Sprot. He had purchased Garnkirk House in 1811; the Garnkirk Colliery and Brickfield was created nearby. The name was later changed to the Garnkirk Fireclay Company. Their fireclay, used to manufacture firebricks and firebrick products, quickly gained a reputation for very high quality and an exceptional light color. A business in brick, glazed water pipes and other architectural items expanded into beautiful objects for the garden. By 1833, it became apparent that the ornamental products they made for gardens were a growing and important part of the company. Garnkirk Garden Ornament was said to "exhibit pleasing forms and a soft mellow shade of color, harmonizing admirably the hue of foliage and turf." This reference comes from the Horticulturist, in an article published in July of 1848

Category: Garden

Price: \$6,900.00

Circa: 1840

