



Celery Vase

Date

ca. 1830

Primary Maker

Boston & Sandwich Glass Co.

Medium

Pressed glass | Lead glass

Description

"Cape Cod Lily" vase of pressed colorless lead glass. Bowl is decorated with stylized tulip & leaf motifs, probably derived from cut and engraved models. Scalloped rim with a double leaf border, then a tulip band consisting of six tulips. Bottom third consists of overlapping leaves (bowl made in three-piece mold). Bowl is attached to stem with a wafer. Stem/foot pressed in a two-piece mold. Simple knob stem. Underside of foot stippled with a leaf motif repeated seven times. Bottom of foot heavily ground into stippling. Edges of scallops are also ground. All of this

grinding seems to be original as it appears on the examples at Corning and Sandwich.

Dimensions

Overall: 7 1/8 in. (18.1 cm) Overall, Rim: 4 5/8 in. (11.7 cm) Base: 3 1/2 in. (8.9 cm)