

This extraordinary Deakin & Son 23.25" H jug sold on January 17, 2015 at Clars Auctions for \$950; in our view, a real steal for some lucky buyer, especially if the marble stand was included! It must have been produced as a promotional item as it exhibits several different designs including floral and geometric borders, and floral as well as Romantic landscape patterns, printed in different colors including medium blue, flow blue and black. Auction estimate was 800-1,200 USD.

Auction Description:

Monumental English pottery jug, circa 1845-1855, by Deakin and Son, the spout having transfer decorated landscapes to interior, above a scrolled handle, continuing to the tapered base depicting floral sprays and Classical style urns on a cream ground, marked Deakin and Son Staffordshire beneath lion, and rising on a faux marble graduated stand, 23.25"h. Provenance: From the Nantucket, MA estate of Richard Mellon Scaife