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A STERLING SILVER MID NINETEENTH CENTURY EPERGNE BY STEPHEN SMITH & WILLIAM NICHOLSON

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The silver Hall Marked for London, bearing date letters for 1854, and the young Queen Victoria's head; the triangulated scrolled and pierced base dressed with foliates, and issuing six serpentine arms adorned with leaves and tendrils, supporting petal form cut and acid etched glass flower holders, and a single central column of conforming type.

London, Circa 1854

Literature:

Stephen Smith & William Nicholson recorded their joint assay mark in 1850, working from Duke Street, adjacent to Lincolns Inn Fields, London.