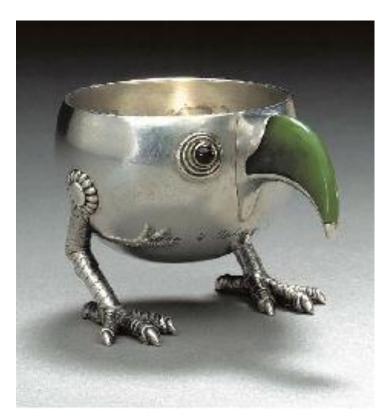


BIRD CHARKA

Birds found in Russian folklore may have inspired the stylized form of this silver charka. A jeweled gold and silvermounted charka shaped as a bird marked Faberge and with workmaster's mark of Anna Ringe, St. Detersburg, with scratched inventory number 2661. The bowl of the nephritebeaked creature is inscribed in Gyrillic: Christmas Tree, January 4, 1897, indicating it may have been a holiday present or ornament.





Item 39560 Reproduction Bird Cup

A stylized bird made in sterling silver, 24K gold plated inside the cup. Eyes and beak decorated with gemstone. Limitation of 100