CROWN & CURIOSITY

D.R.G.M. GERMANY

Travel Cocktail Set

A portable bar · Shaker, cups, and leather case

In the 1920s, a good drink did not have to stay at home. Travel cocktail kits were made to pack a shaker, cups and spoons into a case small enough for a train, a motor car, or a weekend away.

German workshops were especially known for these nesting sets, often in bright metal, with gilt-lined cups and a fitted leather case. Many were marked D.R.G.M. — Deutsches Reichsgebrauchsmuster — a German registered-design mark used from 1891.

This set is marked D.R.G.M. and Germany. It holds a nesting shaker of two beakers, shot cups with gilt interiors, a citrus juicer and strainer, miniature bar spoons, and a leather case stamped J.C. and Made in Germany.

A portable bar, still ready to pack.