



CATALOGUE OF PEWTER AND LATTEN SPOONS

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BOARD 1.

( The last number in each description is the collection reference number)

PEWTER SPOONS

1. TWIN KNOPPED SPOON

Rare Diamond point knop with ball knop in middle of stem .Leaf bowl. Fourteenth century. 6.8 ins ( 96)

2. LION SEJANT

By T F . Circa 1500 . Ex Peal Collection. 6.35 ins. Illustrated in Homer page 35 (37)

3. LION STATANT

Hammer mark on stem. Ex Homer Collection. Rounded bowl. Natural gilding. Circa 1500. 4.75 ins (33)

4. MITRE KNOP

Fig bowl. Ex Peal Collection. Illustrated in Homer page 37 . 6 ins. Sixteenth century. (75)

5. CROWN KNOP

Ex Peal Collection. Knop illustrated in Homer page 42. 6 ins (85)

6. HORNED HEAD-DRESS

Worn Crown mark. 6.9 ins. Ex Minchin Collection. Circa 1450. (65)

7. DIAMOND POINT

Natural gilding. Circa 1450-1500. 5.75 ins. Ex Peal Collection. (38)

8. DIAMOND POINT

Tudor Rose or daisy mark Fifteenth century,Excavated from Thames 1982. 6.2 ins (52)

9. WRYTHEN ACORN

6 ins Crowned "I" mark. Sixteenth century. Ex Bishop Vellacott Collection . (69)

10 ACORN KNOP

Small finial on top of acorn. Oval bowl, rounded stem. Cross mark. 6.75 ins. C16th. Ex Peal Collection (31)

11. HORSES HOOF

Decorated with horse shoe. By I W (?) . Ex Peal Collection. 6.5 ins Illustrated by Homer, page 34 and in Hornsby ( Pewter of the Western World) No 571. Circa 1580-1600. (32).

12. LION STATANT REGARDANT .

To sinister. Tapering stem and fig shaped bowl. . Wire reinforcing. Fifteenth century. Ex Peal collection. Illustrated in Homer page 21. 6 ins. (37)

13. APOSTLE

Worn makers marks. St Peter. Ex Sutherland Graham and Peal Collections. Knop illustrated Hornsby's Pewter of the Western World No 570. 6.85 ins. Circa 1550-1600 . ( 43).

14. MAIDENHEAD

Ex Michaelis and Bishop Vellacott Collections .Fifteenth century. 6.4 ins (91) Rubbed mark.

15. MAIDENHEAD

6 sided stem. By I W . Mid C16th Ex Peal Collection 6.35 ins. (39)

16. MAIDENHEAD

By I I . Oval bowl. Circa 1550 . Ex Peal Collection . 6.15 ins. (40)

17. MONKS HEAD

6.8 ins . Ex Peal and Bishop Vellacott Collections. Illustrated in Homer page 42 . Circa 1500. (46)

18. ALDERMAN

Ex Dunn, Port, Sutherland Graham and Peal Collections. Crowned Tudor Rose and CR mark. Illustrated in Hilton Price fig 31. Circa 1500. 6.25 ins. (42).

BOARD 2.

19. WRYTHEN BALL

Wire reinforced. C15th 6.3 ins . Ex Peal Collection. Knop illustrated by Homer page . (83)

20. "BALL", "GLOBE" OR "GOLF BALL"

6 sided stem. Ex Peal Collection. Circa 1500. Worn mark on side of stem 5.65 ins. (36)

21. "BALL", "GLOBE" OR "GOLF BALL"

Possible maker's mark on stem . Ex Peal Collection. 5.5 ins. Circa 1500 (82).

22. "PEACHSTONE" KNOP

Crown mark over a devize. Ex Peal Collection. 6.2 ins Sixteenth century. ( 74)

23. WRYTHEN BALL

Fleur de lys mark. Gilded. Flat bowl .Excavated from the Thames near Blackfriars 1985. Fifteenth century. 5.15 ins (100)

24. WRYTHEN BALL

Fleur de lys mark . Ex Woolmer ,Cooper and Bishop Vellacott Collections. Fifteenth century. 6 ins. (48)

25. WRYTHEN BALL

Found in wall at Lechlade Mill, 1891. marked "I R " Circa 1600. 6 ins (92)

26. MELON OR DENTICULATED BALL

Melon shaped knop. Fleur de lys mark. Ex Peal Collection. 6 sided stem. Sixteenth century . 6 ins. (30)

27. BALL

Plain ball. Circa 1500. Ex Homer and Bishop Vellacott Collections. 6.5 ins (71)

28. EMBRYO BALL

No makers mark. Circa 1500. 5.7 ins Ex Peal Collection. Illustrated in Peal's British Pewter fig 32 . (80)

29. HEXAGONAL KNOP

By "I I ". Circa 1600. 6.5 ins (47)

30. BALUSTER

Rubbed mark . Sixteenth century. Ex Peal Collection (77)

31. BALUSTER

Crowned Rose mark. Sixteenth century. 6.25 ins . Ex Peal Collection. (28)

32. BALUSTER

By "RN" (?) Circa 1550-1600. Ex Peal and Minchin Collections. 6.5 ins ( 29).

33. BALUSTER

By ?T, Cross in bowl 6.5 ins Sixteenth century. Ex Peal Collection. (78).

34. SEAL TOP

With elaborate baluster. By "S", mark struck sideways in bowl. Ex Peal Collection. See illustration in Homer page 39 and in Hornsby 567. 6.25 ins. (26)

35. SEAL TOP

With fluted or flowered baluster. Worn makers marks. Ex Peal Collection. 6.25 ins . Circa 1550-1600, (27)

36. CROWN SEAL

6.3 ins Circa 1500. Ex Isher and Bishop Vellacott Collections (68)

37. SEAL TOP

Small seal ,without baluster. No makers mark. Natural gilding. Ex Homer Collection .Early sixteenth century. 5.85 ins .See illustration in Homer page 39 (25)

BOARD 3.

38. ACORN

Latten knob on pewter. Excavated Blackfriars 1930. Ex Peal and Bishop Vellacott Collections.  
Fifteenth century. 5.5 ins (61)

39. "SCEPTRE" KNOP

Latten file knob on pewter spoon. 3 pellets mark. Wire reinforced. Ex Peal Collection. 5.75 ins.  
Fifteenth century. Illustrated in Homer page 58. (35)

40. BALUSTER

Latten knob by "TA" 6.8 ins. Sixteenth century. Ex Peal and Bishop Vellacott Collections.  
Illustrated in Homer page 42 and Hornsby No 569. (62).

41. LATTEN SEAL ON PEWTER

6.4 ins. Sixteenth century. Excavated St Pauls 1984.

42. STUMP END

Leaf bowl. Crowned Rose mark. Fifteenth century. Ex Peal Collection. 6 ins. (79)

43. STUMP END

Seventeenth century. Dagger mark with initials TP (?). Ex Homer Collection. 6.75 ins. Illustrated  
Homer page 41 and in Hornsby's Pewter of the Western World no 564. (24)

44. SLIP TOP

Worn makers marks. Sixteenth century. Excavated corner of Wilson and Christopher Streets, Finsbury  
1924 6 ins. (22)

45. SLIP TOP

By "RA", with initials "DIA" 7 ins. Circa 1600. Ex Bishop Vellacott Collection. (70)

46. SLIP TOP

Ex Peal Collection. By SA. Cast decorated handle. See illustration by Homer page 42 and in  
Hornsby no 565. Circa 1500. 5.85 ins. (23)

47. SLIP TOP

By T P, with dagger. 6.6 ins Sixteenth century. Gilded (66)

48. PURITAN

By "TA" Cott 5399. Mid seventeenth century. Excavated near Bull Ring London, 1984. Natural gilding.

6.9 ins (98)

49. PURITAN

Cast decorated stem and with rat tail bowl. C1680. 6.75 ins (56)

50. ROUND END

By "RI" (Cott 5731). Hallmarks on back of stem. Natural gilding. Excavated from Thames. (102)

51. TRYFID

By "TG" the touch date (16)87. Three hallmarks on stem 7.7 ins (50)

52. DECORATED TRYFID

Cast Heart decoration, by IN dated in touch (16)87. Hallmarks on stem. Ex Bishop Vellacott. 7.2 ins (72)

53. PORTRAIT TRYFID

Queen Anne and with cast initials SS. Lace back bowl 7 ins Ex Bradshaw and Bishop Vellacott Collections. (51)

54. DOG NOSE

Rat tail bowl and with Hatching. Unclear mark and crowned X mark . 8 ins . (76)

FRAMED SEPERATLEY

MAIDENHEAD

Thin cast Maidenhead with fretted and hatched decoration. Ecclesiastical .C14th . Excavated from Thames 1983-4

JESUS NAZARUS

English anointing spoon with Leaf bowl marked with flower. Cast with Gothic inscription "Jesus Nazarus" . Circa 1300.



BOARD 4.

EARLY LATTEN SPOONS

( The last number in each description is the collection reference number)

1. "PROTO ACORN" KNOP

Four sided stem. Leaf shaped bowl 6.75 ins long. Fourteenth century. Ex Port Collection (1)

2. WRYTHEN STEM

Mandolin shaped bowl . Filed from one piece of metal. Fourteenth century .9 ins long. Worn maker's mark on back of bowl. See Stonar Spoon Homer, page 19. (95)

3. "PROTO ACORN"

Flattened stem and fig shaped bowl. Fifteenth century. 6.75 ins .Ex Port Collection. Hammered from sheet of metal and knop applied . (7) .

4. LEAF BOWL

With cut " Castle" knop. Ex Port Collection. 6 ins long .Fourteenth century. (2)

5. ACORN KNOP

Cut acorn knop. 6.75 ins long. Fig shaped bowl .Fifteenth century. ( 5) .

6.ACORN KNOP

Long stem. 8 ins. Fleur de lys mark on stem .Circa 1400. Ex Port Collection.Made from a sheet with knop applied . (6) .

7. CONE OR ACORN KNOP

Four sided stem . Marked twice with fleur de lys. Circa 1400 . Ex Port Collection 8 ins. (8)

8. "CHRYSALIS OR "BEEHIVE" KNOP

Round bowled with flat stem, marked on stem with a daisy (?). Sixteenth century. 8.25 ins (94)

9. "PEACHSTONE" KNOP

Fig bowl. Four sided stem. Circa 1500.5.5 ins (11)

10. WRYTHEN ACORN KNOP

Fig shaped bowl bowl . 5.85 ins .Circa 1500 . Ex Peal collection. (9)

11. FRUIT OR "PINEAPPLE" KNOP

Four sided stem. Hammered bowl. 5.25 ins. Fifteenth century (12) .

12. WRYTHEN BALL

Rounded bowl, four sided stem. 5.25 ins. Circa 1500 . (10)

13. LION REGARDANT

By I W . Ex Peal Collection. 6.75 ins. Circa 1600 . (45)

14. APOSTLE

By H G with three spoon mark. 7 ins. Seventeenth century. Saint not identified. (21)

15. FRUIT OR "PINEAPPLE" KNOP

Unclear mark ( W ?) Seventeenth century. 7.1 ins . (101)

16. MONKS HEAD OR MOOR KNOP

Ex Peal Collection. 6.75 ins. Illustrated in Homer page 35 . Circa 1600. (44)

17. SEAL TOP

Rubbed mark. Ex Peal Collection. 6.8 ins . Early Seventeenth century. (89)

18. SEAL TOP

Touches of original tinning. Ex Port Collection. By " R F ", Seventeenth century. 6.25 ins . (15)

19. SEAL TOP

Crowned fleur de lys mark. 6 ins. Circa 1600. Ex Port Collection. (14)

20. SLIP TOP

Fleur de lys mark. Ex Port Collection. Circa 1600. 6.5 ins. (17)

21. PURITAN

By G G in heart shaped mark . Circa 1650. (16)

22. EMBRYO TRYFID

Three spoon mark in bowl. By G P, with "double whited" mark . Ex Port Collection (21)

23. TRYFID

By R ? . Ex Port Collection. C17th. 7.5 ins. (19)

24. TRYFID

Rat tail bowl By I B Tinned. 8 ins Ex Port Collection . (58)