

Justrite Gasketed Water Door

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As stated by Dave Thorpe in a recent article, the Justrite gasketed water door lamp is a handsome one indeed.

The subject lamp has a 3" non-removable reflector, (as all Justrites of this period), a Liberty water feed, gasketed water door with its eye appealing design, small spade (commonly used by hard rock miners), and large flint retainer nut.

Most lamps of this design are found with two rows of bumps around the base, but this one has 21 raised ribs and "Justrite" stamped with a large "J".

This is one of the earliest stampings of the ribbed base, and probably marked the tail end of this lamp's short pre-1920 production period.

