



Al Grazevich Scores a Big One

I picked up a interesting "Davy" style lamp this past weekend while beating the bushes. Its only marking is NEWMAN on one side of the font, and LONDON on the other. I've attached a scan of it, hopefully small enough to go through to everyone. I haven't attempted do clean it at all, so it may appear to be a little dirty.

The lamp is 13" overall; 10 1/4" from bottom of font to top of hood. The font is constructed off center as can tell from the scan. There is a 2"x2" square brass frame with a bulls eye lens at the bottom of the gauze. The lens can be swung out. The filler plug is on the exterior of the lamp, and is just a tapered brass plug attached with a small chain. Of the upper framework, the standards are steel, while the rest is of brass. Missing, I believe, is an upper gauze enclosure, that was inserted through the top, and fit over the ring that is visible at the top of the existing gauze.

Collection of Ashforth Lamps by Manfred Stutzer

