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1 Debi Raitz★ 05-01-2015 04:51 AM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	I think I only have two or three of these, so the rest of you will have to fill it up this month. I'll be continuing work on the H&J project. Don't forget that new topic page too.	Quick Tools Invite Readers Link To This Board Personalize Topic Look Set Topic Password Set Topic Introduction Show Email Subscribers
2 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 09:38 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 Sowerby #1299, marked in base with peacock and registry mark dating it to 1878, reference is Sowerby page for 1882. Measures 3 1/2 handle to handle, by 2 1/4. Blue slag is a real bugger to find! Bulbous ribbed bowl with two handles, on a cone shaped plain base. Glass is called malachite or slag glass.	
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Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 09:40 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 Sowerby #1299, purple slag. Purple and brown slag are the easiest to find.	Change Date/Time Display Delete Specific Messages Delete Entire Topic
4 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 09:42 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 Sowerby #1299. Of course, when I took these photos I didn't do the bottoms. Will do so today and send to you, Debi.	
5 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 10:06 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 Sowerby #1488/H&J 392. Purple slag oval basket with round handles on a small ribbed base. Upper half of sides is a garland of flowers; bottom half is ribbed. Marked in bowl with peacock and registry for 1879, shown on Sowerby page for 1882. Measures 3 1/4 by 1 3/4 (to top of handles).	
6 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 10:07 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 Sowerby #1488, top view	
7 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 10:09 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 Sowerby #1488, clear opalescent. Also marked in bowl with peacock and date for 1879.	
8 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015		





<p>10:10 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13</p>	 <p>Sowerby #1488, top</p>
<p>9 Judy in Texas 05-01-2015 11:24 AM ET (US) IP: 68.94.0.130</p>	 <p>Sowery No. 1894?? Clear Glass Circa 1868 to 1883...Square top with round ribbed bottom. Sowerby peacock and registry mark. Top is 2 1/8 inches square, Bowl is 1 11/16 inches in diameter, 1 1/8 inches high.</p>
<p>10 Judy in Texas 05-01-2015 11:25 AM ET (US) IP: 68.94.0.130</p>	 <p>Sowery No. 1894 Clear Glass - top</p>
<p>11 Judy in Texas 05-01-2015 11:29 AM ET (US) IP: 68.94.0.130</p>	 <p>Davidson WILLIAM AND MARY Pattern 2 7/8 inches long, 2 1/4 inches wide, and 1 1/2 inch high</p>
<p>12 Judy in Texas 05-01-2015 11:31 AM ET (US) IP: 68.94.0.130</p>	





	 <p>Davidson LORDS AND LADIES Pattern 2 1/4 inches in diameter, 1 1/4 inches high</p>
13 Judy in Texas 05-01-2015 11:33 AM ET (US) IP: 68.94.0.130	 <p>Davidson LADY CHIPPENDALE 2 inches in diameter and 1 1/8 inches high</p>
14 Judy in Texas 05-01-2015 11:40 AM ET (US) IP: 68.94.0.130	 <p>Davidson LADY CHIPPENDALE 2 inches in diameter and 1 1/8 inches high</p>
15 Joan F. 05-01-2015 11:57 AM ET (US) IP: 72.68.83.168	 <p>George Davidson & Company - Blue Opal Lady Chippendale Pattern - Circa 1885-1891 - 1-1/2" high by 2-1/2" diameter.</p>
16 Joan F. 05-01-2015 12:01 PM ET (US) IP: 72.68.83.168	




		George Davidson & Company - Rose Pink William & Mary Pattern - Circa 1903-1909 - 1-1/2" high by 2-1/2" diameter.
17 Joan F. 05-01-2015 12:09 PM ET (US) IP: 72.68.83.168		George Davidson & Company - Sun Purple Suite 1891 Pattern - Circa 1895-1898 - 1-3/8" high by 2-1/2" square.
18 Joan F. 05-01-2015 12:51 PM ET (US) IP: 72.68.83.168		George Davidson & Company - Yellow Opalescent Lady Chippendale Pattern - Circa 1885-1891 - 1-1/2" high by 2-1/2" diameter.
19 Joan F. 05-01-2015 12:54 PM ET (US) IP: 72.68.83.168		George Davidson & Company - Small Rose Pink Lady Chippendale Pattern with EPNS Rim - Circa 1885-1891 - 1-1/4" high by 2" diameter.
20 Joan F. 05-01-2015 01:00 PM ET (US) IP: 72.68.83.168		


	 <p>George Davidson & Company - Yellow Opalescent Round with Multi Point Base Star - H&J 4621 - Circa 1880's - 1-1/4" high by 2-3/8" diameter. Also have in Blue Opalescent, but will need to find the picture.</p>
21 Joan F. 05-01-2015 01:06 PM ET (US) IP: 72.68.83.168	Jan, Love, love, love your "blue" slag Sowerby salt. I was never lucky enough to find one and now that I've seen yours it is back on my wish list!
22 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 03:30 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	Well, Joan, I love your clear glass Sowerby. I have never seen that one before! Do you have very many English pieces? Keep watching--I have more of the blue slag!
23 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 03:35 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 <p>Sowerby #1256, opaque blue rectangular basket with rounded handles on the top. Basket-weave sides, plain base, measures 2 5/8 long by 2 5/8 to top of handles. Marked on bottom with peacock and date for 1877. Catalogue reprint for 1882</p>
24 The Salty Nut... P.J.★ 05-01-2015 03:39 PM ET (US) IP: 73.26.118.186	Joan... Is your #17 in H&J ???
25 The Salty Nut... P.J.★ 05-01-2015	



<p>03:56 PM ET (US) IP: 73.26.118.186</p>	 <p>Hey team... Thanks to Debi and her WONDERFUL reference attachment... I was just able to ID one of my unknown "NIB" (Not In Book) salts !!! YEA !!! I believe this is one of the Sowerby SQUARE salts... they show it as a rectangle... but they also say it comes as a square also... 2 1/8" outside square (not counting the outside "bumps")...1 5/8" inside square.... Glass is 1/4" thick !!! No markings that I can find...</p>
<p>26 Joan F. 05-01-2015 04:06 PM ET (US) IP: 72.68.83.168</p>	<p>Jan, Have mostly English art glass...not many pressed or pattern pieces. I have your purple slag basket and another Davidson Yellow Opalescent Oval William & Mary pattern that I need to post, but that is about it!! P.J. That Sun Purple one (post 17) is not in H&J. But Debi has it on her reference page under England Catalogs, Suite 1891!! The rectangular one is shown but mine is the square one!</p>
<p>27 The Salty Nut... P.J.★ 05-01-2015 04:11 PM ET (US) IP: 73.26.118.186</p>	<p>Yikes !!! Joan... I think I just posted the same salt that you did !!! Sorry !!! I see it now !!! And here I thought I found something different !!! Well... just shows we have the same great taste :-}</p>
<p>28 Joan F. 05-01-2015 04:12 PM ET (US) IP: 72.68.83.168</p>	<p>P.J., I see while I was typing my message you already spotted Debi's reference page. Mine has the registry number in the bottom of the bowl. It's Rd 153858. It's funny that these should come up this month because I have mine scheduled for auction on eBay starting this Saturday...and Big Sis...I had this scheduled long before Debi announced that the topics for this month were going to be Davidson & Sowerby...lol!!</p>
<p>29 Joan F. 05-01-2015 04:20 PM ET (US) IP: 72.68.83.168</p>	 <p>Here's a close-up of the registry mark/number.</p>
<p>30 Debi Raitz★</p>	<p>PJ: Glad you found the catalog references helpful. That's what they are there for. You never know what you'll find in there. As many times</p>

05-01-2015 04:58 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	as I have seen them all, I still enjoy just browsing the catalogs sometimes. That's how I found the salt I will post in a minute. Even though the eBay pictures were so blurry, I knew what the salt was from seeing it in the catalog pages. And don't worry about posting doubles. Just post what you have even if someone already did.
31 Debi Raitz★ 05-01-2015 05:00 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	 <p>Sowerby Buckle salt</p>
32 Debi Raitz★ 05-01-2015 05:00 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	 <p>This is the backside.</p>
33 Debi Raitz★ 05-01-2015 05:03 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	 <p>Mark inside the salt was not mentioned by the seller.</p>
34 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 05:13 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 <p>Sowerby #1416 Queensware tall, round bowl on small round, ribbed base. Scalloped top edge, 2 round beaded handles, sides are in 8 vertical panels with scroll design on each panel. Plain indented bottom, marked with peacock. Date mark for 1879 in bowl. Reprint for 1882. 3 1/8 by 2 1/2</p>
35 Debi Raitz★ 05-01-2015 05:14 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	


	 <p>Davidson salt in opaque black. I think this salt in black is rather uncommon.</p>
36 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 05:16 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 <p>Sowerby #1255, purple slag round, straight-sided with 3 handles around bowl and 2 peg feet. 3 by 2, marked on bottom with peacock and date for 1877. Reprint for 1882</p>
37 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 05:16 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	<p>I LOVE that black one, Debi!</p>
38 Debi Raitz ★ 05-01-2015 05:17 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	 <p>Light blue and white slag Davidson salt</p>
39 Debi Raitz ★ 05-01-2015 05:18 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	 <p>Mark inside</p>
40 Debi Raitz ★ 05-01-2015	<p>Thanks Jan. That is one I got from Carol Van Norman's collection.</p>

05:20 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	
41 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 05:21 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 <p>Sowerby #1071, round brown slag salt. 3/4 wide heavy ribbed lip which overhangs the finer ribbed sides. Bottom has cool honeycomb design. Unmarked. Measures 3 1/4 by 1 1/2. Reprint for 1900</p>
42 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 05:23 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 <p>Sowerby #1071, top view</p>
43 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 05:23 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	Debi, do you want measurements and info on these?
44 Debi Raitz★ 05-01-2015 05:29 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	<p>Jan: This is just a regular topic page. I'm not gathering information from these posts, so post however much or little as you want.</p> <p>All: Look at the Davidson 1940 catalog page, second row, last one. If you saw this anywhere, would you think it was a salt and not a shot glass? See all the surprises you could find just scanning through catalogs when you have some spare time? Very educational!</p>
45 Debi Raitz★ 05-01-2015 05:33 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	I think I'm out now! I do have one of those pink WILLIAM & MARY patterns, but mine is oval shaped and more of a master size. Unfortunately, it has a crack in it.
46 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 06:16 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 <p>Ok! More Sowerby and Davidson then, just photos! Less work!! Davidson oval Wm & Mary</p>



<p>47 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 06:18 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13</p>	 <p>Davidson clear round Wm & Mary</p>
<p>48 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 06:20 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13</p>	 <p>Davidson canary opalescent Wm & Mary</p>
<p>49 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 06:21 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13</p>	 <p>like Debi's black bulbous Davidson</p>
<p>50 Susie P 05-01-2015 08:36 PM ET (US) IP: 75.103.187.136</p>	<p>Jan, that canary opalescent is the bomb!! Wonderful, and all the different colors ☺☺☺</p>
<p>51 Susie P 05-01-2015 08:39 PM ET (US) IP: 75.103.187.136</p>	 <p>Joan, I think this is the blue version of your post 20; I think I got it from you?? Love it!</p>
<p>52 Susie P</p>	

<p>05-01-2015 08:43 PM ET (US) IP: 75.103.187.136</p>	 <p>Sowerby, #1212? I think?</p>
<p>53 Susie P 05-01-2015 08:44 PM ET (US) IP: 75.103.187.136</p>	 <p>Mark on bottom</p>
<p>54 Jan Schmidt 05-01-2015 09:57 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13</p>	<p>Susie, yup, Sowerby. I have one just like it. Plus the peafowl is there as well as the registry mark.</p>
<p>55 Susie P★ 05-01-2015 10:09 PM ET (US) IP: 75.103.187.136</p>	<p>Thanks Jan!! I thought I had another; but no marks, but same coloration as this one - maybe a newer version -</p>
<p>56 Joan F. 05-02-2015 01:25 AM ET (US) IP: 72.68.83.168</p>	<p>Susie, Thank you for posting the blue Davidson salt...now I don't need to look for my picture. And yes...you did indeed get it from me...good memory :y)!!</p>
<p>57 Jan Schmidt 05-02-2015 06:54 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13</p>	





	 <p>Sowerby. Love the peafowl around the bowl!</p>
58 Jan Schmidt 05-02-2015 06:58 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 <p>Sowerby, straight-sided octagon</p>
59 Jan Schmidt 05-02-2015 07:04 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 <p>top view of same salt</p>
60 Jan Schmidt 05-02-2015 07:11 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 <p>This one looks blackish but is actually purple slag. All of my Sowerby salts are marked unless noted otherwise!</p>
61 Jan Schmidt 05-02-2015 07:13 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 <p>Same one in cream</p>
62	Jan, You have me drooling again with another blue slag...wipe, wipe!!





Joan F. 05-02-2015 07:27 PM ET (US) IP: 72.68.83.168	
63 Lynda LaLonde 05-02-2015 07:33 PM ET (US) IP: 73.22.4.12	Jan, You are amazing. Your collection is wonderful.
64 The Salty Nut... P.J.★ 05-02-2015 07:37 PM ET (US) IP: 73.26.118.186	Hey Team... My "Suit 1891" pattern that I share with Joan... Mine does not have any numbers inside ??? What does that mean ??? I got it from a friend in Brussels ????? He got it in a Flea Market... Back in 1998.... ????? But no trade mark... no marks at all...
65 Debi Raitz★ 05-02-2015 08:21 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	Jan: You surprise me with all of these. And I thought Janelle might have the most. PJ: Sometimes salts are marked and sometimes not. I don't think we'd know why unless there's something in a company history about marked vs. unmarked pieces time periods or reasons.
66 Joan F. 05-02-2015 08:44 PM ET (US) IP: 72.68.83.168	P.J., Check the interior sides also. Davidson sometimes put their registry marks on the side of the bowl. My rose pink William & Mary salt (Post #16) has it on the side and it's very hard to spot. In fact, I can't even make out any of the numbers without a loupe and it has to be in just the right light. I don't know that much about Davidson, but I do know that not all their salts have registry marks. Case in point, my round yellow (Post #20) & Susie's blue (Post #51) don't have marks. Jan & Debi, Do your clear (Post #49) & black (Post #35) bulbous with feet have registry marks???
67 Jan Schmidt 05-02-2015 08:51 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	PJ, Joan is absolutely right. The line-typed registry marks (as opposed to the diamond kind) are often about impossible to read or even see. I feel inside all pieces I think are foreign if I see no obvious markings. Had more than one surprise this way. No, my post #49 does not have any marks.
68 Jan Schmidt 05-02-2015 09:01 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 Lynda dear, I think you just might be a little prejudiced...so you like the blue slag, Joan? How about GREEN?
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<p>Jan Schmidt 05-02-2015 09:03 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13</p>	 <p>Top view of green slag Sowerby tub</p>
<p>70 Joan F. 05-02-2015 09:17 PM ET (US) IP: 72.68.83.168</p>	<p>Oh Jan...Now you are just being cruel...lol!! The colors and striations of your slag glass are much prettier than any I've seen before!! Your green one looks like it was carved out of Malachite...just gorgeous. And I never knew Sowerby made so many salts. I'll be dreaming about these tonight!!</p>
<p>71 Janelle 05-02-2015 09:41 PM ET (US) IP: 124.149.176.232</p>	 <p>Lovely slag glass salts, I do not have any and never really seem to see them advertised here. this one is possibly not a salt but fits in. Reg. design 523350 18/11/1908. in Hobnail, 3 1/4" long and 1 1/4" high and wide</p>
<p>72 Janelle 05-02-2015 09:48 PM ET (US) IP: 124.149.176.232</p>	 <p>Often sold as a salt but in the catalogue as a trinket</p>
<p>73 Janelle 05-02-2015 09:50 PM ET (US) IP: 124.149.176.232</p>	 <p>Sowerby double Basket salt</p>
<p>74 Janelle 05-02-2015 09:53 PM ET (US)</p>	

IP: 124.149.176.232	 <p>Davidson Salts with either registered numbers or the the lion mark</p>
75 Janelle 05-02-2015 10:15 PM ET (US) IP: 124.149.176.232	 <p>A bit about Davidson Registered Designs. Hopefully readable.</p>
76 Janelle 05-02-2015 10:24 PM ET (US) IP: 124.149.176.232	 <p>A bit more. I had to try and take the photo longways so hope you can read it.</p>
77 Debi Raitz★ 05-02-2015 10:37 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	<p>Jan: What book is that? Looks like a good one.</p>
78 Debi Raitz★ 05-02-2015 10:41 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	<p>I bought teal slag like Jan's #58 once and it arrived broken right along a slag line. I think slag glass is a bit more unstable if not mixed together well. I may have thrown it out. Don't remember seeing it for many years.</p>
79 Debi Raitz★ 05-02-2015 10:51 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	<p>My black one in #35 is not marked.</p>
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Janelle Jefferson 05-02-2015 11:16 PM ET (US) IP: 124.149.176.232	Debi, The book that those pages are from is the Identification of English Pressed Glass by Jenny Thompson. 1842 -1908. Has excellent reading and information. Lists all the registration Numbers and lots of photographs. Hard to come but still around.
81 Janelle 05-03-2015 12:09 AM ET (US) IP: 124.149.176.232	Re the Davidson Lion sitting on the wall. This was used between 1880 -1891 and discontinued when George Davidson died. If you have a piece with this on it you could reliably date it to no later than 1891
82 Jan Schmidt 05-04-2015 10:45 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 Another Sowerby. Common shape, not common color
83 Joan F. 05-04-2015 10:49 AM ET (US) IP: 72.68.83.168	Janelle, Thank you for the information on Davidson's Lion mark. I don't have any with the mark but will keep an eye out for one now that I know they have a limited date range that can be pin-pointed! Edited 05-04-2015 10:56 AM
84 Nancy C Villaverde★ 05-04-2015 11:35 AM ET (US) IP: 70.119.216.153	I have a whole string of Davidson salts, but I think most have been posted. I wish I had more blue ones. I might have a Sowerby that hasn't been shown, will search. I have an opalescent vaseline swan by Burtles and Tate, sort of in the same range as the other two companies.
85 Jan Schmidt 05-05-2015 11:10 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 more Sowerby
86 Jan Schmidt 05-05-2015 05:43 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	




		
	Davidson purple slag tub	
87 Jan Schmidt 05-05-2015 05:45 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13		
	top view of Davidson salt. Note the "rampant lion" mark	
88 Jan Schmidt 05-05-2015 05:47 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13		
	Where is everybody?? Sowerby, this time with flared sides	
89 Jan Schmidt 05-05-2015 05:50 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13		
	top view	
90 Debi Raitz★ 05-05-2015 06:20 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	Jan: I think this is your category! Looks like you have far more of these that the rest of us. There's a lot of other Davidson and Sowerby salts in clear glass some people might have but if they aren't marked, people may not know what they are.	
91 Joan F. 05-05-2015 09:01 PM ET (US) IP: 72.68.83.168	Jan, I'm here, I'm here...but I'm still recuperating from that gorgeous malachite green you posted. And now, yet another stunningly beautiful blue!! I don't know how much more my poor heart can take!!	
92 Jan Schmidt 05-05-2015	Awwwww, poor Joan! I will hold off posting my last blue slag til you have a chance to recuperate! Debi, you're right that there are clear glass English pieces, especially some of the more ordinary looking shapes. I	

09:25 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	have found one here and there that the seller didn't even notice was marked.
93 Nancy Dietel ★ 05-06-2015 06:41 PM ET (US) IP: 74.105.144.96	 <p>I'm told this is Davidson so I'm posting it. I am clueless on this topic except for the William & Mary salts.</p>
94 Nancy Dietel ★ 05-06-2015 06:42 PM ET (US) IP: 74.105.144.96	 <p>This is underside of #93.</p>
95 Debi Raitz★ 05-06-2015 07:55 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	Sometimes the coloring makes all the difference Nancy D. The bottom of my #38 blue and white opaque slag is just like your clear amber glass but isn't really visible when displayed. This is a pattern that looks better in transparent glass. But some of the opaque ones with designs that Jan has posted are much prettier and the patterns are more visible in opaque glass than they would be in a clear glass.
96 Jan Schmidt 05-07-2015 09:24 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 <p>Another Sowerby. Yup, I do love them!</p>
97 Jan Schmidt 05-07-2015 09:26 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 <p>Sowerby basket.</p>

<p>98 Jan Schmidt 05-07-2015 09:30 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13</p>	 One more
<p>99 Nancy C Villaverde★ 05-07-2015 12:38 PM ET (US) IP: 70.119.220.137</p>	 Davidson round 2 1/2" diameter. Doesn't seem to fit any I see in catalog reprints. It has a registration number inside the bowl.
<p>100 Nancy C Villaverde★ 05-07-2015 12:39 PM ET (US) IP: 70.119.220.137</p>	<p>Sorry typo on Davidson. I had cataract surgery yesterday on one eye, and I'm half blind.</p>
<p>101 Nancy C Villaverde★ 05-07-2015 12:42 PM ET (US) IP: 70.119.220.137</p>	 Sowerby salt opalescent swirl with handles. 2 1/2" at the rim. Sowerby peacock head and registry diamond in the bottom of the bowl.
<p>102 Nancy C Villaverde★ 05-07-2015 12:45 PM ET (US) IP: 70.119.220.137</p>	 Sowerby small individual creamer with peacock pattern around the rim. I wonder if H&J 4629 may have been the individual or breakfast sugar bowl to match this creamer.
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Nancy C Villaverde★ 05-07-2015 12:49 PM ET (US) IP: 70.119.220.137	Creamer is 2" wide and has the Sowerby peacock head and registration diamond inside the bowl. I don't have either of the pieces in H&J 4629 and 4630. This custard glass is very pretty.
104 Debi Raitz★ 05-07-2015 04:50 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	Nancy V: Your yellow salt in #99 looks like the one in the top row in the 1940 Davidson catalog page. Your creamer looks like a design match to Jan's #57. Edited 05-07-2015 04:54 PM
105 Nancy C Villaverde★ 05-07-2015 06:03 PM ET (US) IP: 70.119.220.137	Yes, my creamer and Jan's #57 should get together. I think they would form what the English call a breakfast set of sugar and creamer. I'll have to leave the page to go to English catalogs I guess to see Davidson 1940 catalog.
106 Nancy C Villaverde★ 05-07-2015 06:07 PM ET (US) IP: 70.119.220.137	I think that is it on the top row of the catalog, says round and oval. I bought mine on ebay and from the photo thought it was oval, looking much like the little jello or custard molds.
107 Jan Schmidt 05-07-2015 10:06 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	Nancy, my salt that matches your creamer comes in three sizes...
108 Mary Kern★ 05-07-2015 10:44 PM ET (US) IP: 72.220.213.56	I have none - so it will be stand in the corner and pout and drool - All very pretty sharing going on here -- Thanks for the pretty pictures --
109 Debi Raitz★ 05-07-2015 11:01 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	It is pretty amazing at how deceiving pictures can be. Your picture looks like an oval salt to me too. Just the angle of the top. Very pretty coloring though regardless of shape. I should have mentioned this before...on the Sowerby catalog pages, there may have been one that showed creamers and sugars together but I'm trying to stick with just salts. If other items are on the page I leave them there, but I try not to post catalog pages unless there's at least one salt on it. Edited 05-08-2015 02:43 AM
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<p>Linda Houser 05-08-2015 10:00 AM ET (US) IP: 70.198.47.92</p>	 <p>this has a mark in the inside but can't read it cause the top is pinched too much, looks like a Sowerby mark</p>
<p>111 Linda Houser 05-08-2015 10:05 AM ET (US) IP: 70.198.47.92</p>	 <p>another Sowerby basket</p>
<p>112 Debi Raitz★ 05-08-2015 11:21 AM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141</p>	<p>Linda: Sometimes if you can get a picture of the mark, you can read it when it's a large image. I find that works good with little silver marks.</p>
<p>113 Nancy C Villaverde★ 05-08-2015 11:53 AM ET (US) IP: 70.119.220.137</p>	<p>Feel free to delete the creamer if you wish, Debi. I don't know if it matters if we put things that aren't salts on this message page. I put it here because I suspect some of the "salts" in that ivory glass are sugars. Jan says they come in three sizes, so we may not be able to judge which are salts. It's a toss up with many of the items shown on pages labeled novelties.</p>
<p>114 Debi Raitz★ 05-08-2015 12:57 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141</p>	<p>Nancy V: I hope you didn't take my comment as meaning your creamer shouldn't be posted here. It's nice to see other pieces sometimes. I just meant I try to limit the catalog pages to the ones that have salts on them and that catalog I got all of those pages from might have had a page with sugar and creamers pictured but I didn't save it. Edited 05-08-2015 12:57 PM</p>
<p>115 Nancy C Villaverde★ 05-08-2015 05:51 PM ET (US) IP: 70.119.220.137</p>	<p>I thought that was what you meant, Debi, just making sure. I knew my creamer was off topic even here.</p>
<p>116 Jan Schmidt 05-09-2015</p>	




09:51 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	
	Davidson square salt
117 Jan Schmidt 05-09-2015 09:53 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	
	This view shows the mark in the bottom
118 Jytte 05-10-2015 08:00 AM ET (US) IP: 90.184.148.85	
	Så mange smukke saltkar!!! Jeg er helt tør i munden af alt det savleri. Jan - dine farvede "slår helt benene væk under mig"..... De fleste af mine indenfor denne kategori kommer fra "my clear glass collection" og jeg tror, de allerede har været vist i en eller anden smuk farve - måske dette fra H&J (Reprint AA(110)) endnu ikke har været vist?
119 The Salty Nut... P.J.★ 05-10-2015 03:41 PM ET (US) IP: 73.26.118.186	Debi... Just used your translator on the other page !!! Works like magic !!! THANKS for providing that WONDERFUL TOOL !!! You have set up the most marvelous board for us !!! THANK YOU once again !! Just highlighted the below message... click to the "copy" button and went to the translator section on the home page... "hit it" ... hit the "paste" button and whaaa...laaaa... there is the translation !!! Presto... chango !!!! Instant communication !!! Awesome !!! Edited 05-10-2015 03:46 PM
120 Debi Raitz★ 05-10-2015 04:26 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	Yup, simple to use and very handy. I don't know if other computers have the same options on their right click mouse or not, but on my laptop I can highlight the text, right click on it, and there is a Translate with Bing option right on the mouse. No need to even open another window and paste.
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Jytte 05-11-2015 12:55 AM ET (US) IP: 90.184.148.85	Hi - just tried to translate and when I see what I've been writing it seems like "nonsense" to me??? P.J. - did you understand what I said?
122 Janelle 05-11-2015 01:26 AM ET (US) IP: 124.171.57.236	I understood Jytte, a little bit different to what we would say, but considering what I write and if it was translated into Danish, remarkably good. Also the translator would take things literally. I am envious that you can speak at least two languages. Although maybe I could count Aussie and English as two 😊 lol
123 Janelle 05-11-2015 01:29 AM ET (US) IP: 124.171.57.236	I am looking for art glass holders, the type that the rigaree collar sits on, they can have handles or not. It does not matter. Any info would be appreciated.
124 Jytte 05-11-2015 02:33 AM ET (US) IP: 90.184.148.85	Thanks Janelle - but I don't think Bing understand Danish irony....??
125 Nancy Dietel ★ 05-11-2015 03:37 AM ET (US) IP: 74.105.144.96	PJ, thanks for the tip on the translator. Since the iPad doesn't have a mouse, that's an valuable bit of knowledge.
126 Jan Schmidt 05-11-2015 09:43 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	Jytte, you are too funny! Even if Bing doesn't quite understand Danish irony, we do!
127 Jan Schmidt 05-11-2015 09:50 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 Daily Sowerby...
128 Nancy C Villaverde ★ 05-11-2015 12:03 PM ET (US)	Janelle, it's remarkable how difficult it is to find extra holders for art glass salts. I would think the glass salt would get broken sometimes and extra stands would survive, but there seem to be more salts without stands than the reverse. Good luck finding one.







IP: 70.119.32.210	
129 Jan Schmidt 05-11-2015 02:42 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	Janelle, I am on the hunt. I will keep you posted!
130 Nancy C Villaverde★ 05-11-2015 03:03 PM ET (US) IP: 70.119.32.210	Jan, I'm wondering if you are hunting among your own stuff or searching on-line. Once about three years ago I remember seeing two stands for sale on line, nothing since. Stands are scarce as hen's teeth. I have a couple of nice art glass salts in cheesy little silver wire type stands because I can't find the flat ring stands that are best.
131 Janelle 05-11-2015 06:00 PM ET (US) IP: 124.170.194.203	Thanks for looking for me Jan. Maybe they get thrown away before people do not know what they are. I have even bought a broken salt just to get the stand. I have a art glass on the way so it may be a case of swapping things around and having some miss out.
132 Mary Kern★ 05-11-2015 07:05 PM ET (US) IP: 72.220.213.56	I will keep a look out for you too Janelle - and when I go to the show Wed will ask the dealers to keep an open eye for them - Note to self - Take book so the dealers know what you are talking about - lol --- There were a bunch of holders for condiment sets a month or so ago - so if they showed up - perhaps the stands for the single salts will to -- Fingers crossed - well until I want to eat that is --
133 Debi Raitz★ 05-11-2015 08:52 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	I think it might be that some sellers think the ugly tarnished and pitted stands take away from the beauty of the undamaged salt and therefore sell the salt alone and toss the stand. It does not make sense that the holder could be damaged and not the glass salt. Maybe dealers do come across the stands by themselves but don't know what they are. Those rather common swirled glass salts sometimes come with stands that better suit the art glass salts. Those swirled salts stand on their own and don't need the holders. Same goes for those salts faceted on the top and ribbed on the bottom part. Both types are usually in the flat ring stands Nancy V is referring to in #130.
134 Janelle 05-12-2015 06:06 AM ET (US) IP: 124.170.194.203	Thanks Mary, much appreciated. If anyone can find some, you can. Debi, I have been keeping an eye out for those salts you mentioned, just to get the stands. Unfortunately some dealers think because they are a salt they are worth a fortune. Hopefully I will find a couple.
135 Jan Schmidt 05-14-2015 10:13 AM ET (US)	

IP: 173.213.175.13	 Common Sowerby in a common color
136 Jan Schmidt 05-14-2015 10:15 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 Another easily-found Sowerby
137 Jan Schmidt 05-14-2015 10:18 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 Same one from the top
138 Kent Hudson 05-19-2015 01:42 AM ET (US) IP: 72.84.223.252	 3 inches by 2 1/4 inches by 2 1/4 inches tall. Sowerby mark. Beautiful scrolling.
139 Nancy C Villaverde★ 05-19-2015 11:57 AM ET (US) IP: 70.119.32.162	That one is lovely, and I haven't seen it before, Kent. Is it cream ware? It looks more yellow in the photo.
140 Susie P 05-19-2015 06:38 PM ET (US)	Oh Kent, what a color, Very Beautiful!!!

IP: 107.77.85.19	
141 Jan Schmidt 05-20-2015 10:27 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 Looks just like yours, Kent!
142 Jytte 05-20-2015 10:54 AM ET (US) IP: 90.184.148.85	 It's a pleasure to see the salts you all show..... Think mine "have been seen before" but...
143 Jytte 05-20-2015 11:04 AM ET (US) IP: 90.184.148.85	 Sowerby with mark
144 Susie P 05-20-2015 09:16 PM ET (US) IP: 75.103.187.136	Jan, Your collection continues to amaze me, just wonderful! !Jytte Lovely Vaseline sowerby salts! Edited 05-20-2015 09:17 PM
145 Kent Hudson 05-21-2015 01:10 AM ET (US) IP: 72.84.223.252	My posting 138 is same color as my Sowerby ivory No. 1329, shown top right in OSC plate 262. I use Microsoft Office Picture Manager to crop and "correct" the color in my pictures, maybe this picture was over corrected, but pretty close to the true color. Definitely yellow, glows under UV light so apparently has Uranium content.
146 Kent Hudson 05-21-2015	Apparently the correct name for this color is Queen's Ivory.

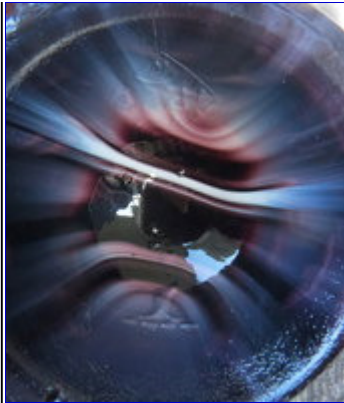
01:28 AM ET (US) IP: 72.84.223.252	
147 Kent Hudson 05-21-2015 10:31 AM ET (US) IP: 72.84.223.252	Jan, your salt with the cover is fantastic. Makes me wonder if it was originally made to be a salt, the top make it into a "box". I have thought mine looks a little large or awkward for a salt from the 1880-1900 period.
148 Jan Schmidt 05-21-2015 10:56 AM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 <p>Kent, you got the color just right in your pic/post 138. I have a feeling these may be trinket boxes? But hey, they fit into a salt collection pretty well so I am calling mine a salt. The curvy lid is interesting...</p>
150 Jan Schmidt 05-22-2015 10:46 PM ET (US) IP: 173.213.175.13	 <p>Let's try that again. Blue slag Sowerby. Common shape, uncommon color</p>
151 Lynda LaLonde 05-24-2015 10:50 PM ET (US) IP: 73.22.4.12	<p>Jan</p> <p>Your Davidson and Sower by collection is beautiful. It is a huge collection. You have a great eye.</p> <p>I love the Canary color. And much to my surprise the green in the pea fowl is beautiful.</p> <p>I still can't get over the clear Davidsons. And Jytte evan has 3 different ones. Awsome.</p> <p>Edited 05-24-2015 10:57 PM</p>
152 Jytte 05-26-2015 11:55 PM ET (US) IP: 90.184.148.85	 <p>Still beautiful salts - but not that many ... so Davidson 1870</p>

153 Jytte 05-26-2015 11:56 PM ET (US) IP: 90.184.148.85	 Davidson
154 Jytte 05-26-2015 11:58 PM ET (US) IP: 90.184.148.85	 Sowerby with some damage
155 Jytte 05-26-2015 11:59 PM ET (US) IP: 90.184.148.85	 Sowerby
156 Joan F. 05-27-2015 11:38 AM ET (US) IP: 72.68.99.236	<p>Oh sure Jan, just when I thought it was safe to look at the Davidson & Sowerby page again, you come up with another gorgeous blue slag!! Mercy me!! Also, did you happen to see my post (#233) about your "little friend" salt on the H&J 500-526 & 2532-2564 page?</p> <p>Jytte, Pretty, pretty!! I never knew that your pair (Post 155) were Sowerby. Live & learn! Are they marked by any chance??</p>
157 Jytte 05-28-2015 01:12 AM ET (US) IP: 90.184.148.85	<p>Joan - #155 not marked. I have Just looked in H&J #361 says probably unmarked Sowerby -- but #478 says French style so???? who know....</p>
158 Lynda LaLonde 05-28-2015 01:34 PM ET (US) IP: 73.22.4.12	 Lite blue Davidson
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Lynda LaLonde 05-28-2015 01:35 PM ET (US) IP: 73.22.4.12	 <p>Top to bottom. Heavy opalescent</p>
161 Lynda LaLonde 05-28-2015 01:41 PM ET (US) IP: 73.22.4.12	 <p>Bottom up</p>
162 Lynda LaLonde 05-28-2015 01:42 PM ET (US) IP: 73.22.4.12	 <p>Another blue Davidson but more clear</p>
163 Lynda LaLonde 05-28-2015 01:43 PM ET (US) IP: 73.22.4.12	 <p>Top to bottom</p>
164 Lynda LaLonde 05-28-2015 01:44 PM ET (US) IP: 73.22.4.12	 <p>Bottom to top</p>
165 Lynda LaLonde 05-28-2015 01:46 PM ET (US) IP: 73.22.4.12	 <p>So glad Jytte had one of these. Sowerby...didn't know.</p>
166 Lynda LaLonde 05-28-2015	

01:47 PM ET (US) IP: 73.22.4.12	 Top to bottom.
167 Lynda LaLonde 05-28-2015 01:49 PM ET (US) IP: 73.22.4.12	 Bottom up
168 Lynda LaLonde 05-28-2015 01:51 PM ET (US) IP: 73.22.4.12	 This guy, I have no idea. ???Davidson, ???Sowerby....???Nobody, lololol
169 Lynda LaLonde 05-28-2015 01:52 PM ET (US) IP: 73.22.4.12	 Top to bottom
170 Lynda LaLonde 05-28-2015 01:53 PM ET (US) IP: 73.22.4.12	 Bottom up
171 E. Jane Koble★ 05-28-2015 03:38 PM ET (US) IP: 174.60.234.51	 These are my three Sowerby's. No Davidson's, unfortunately. #1
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<p>E. Jane Koble★ 05-28-2015 03:39 PM ET (US) IP: 174.60.234.51</p>	 <p>#2</p>
<p>173 E. Jane Koble★ 05-28-2015 03:39 PM ET (US) IP: 174.60.234.51</p>	 <p>#3</p>
<p>174 Jytte 05-29-2015 12:55 AM ET (US) IP: 90.184.148.85</p>	 <p>Sowerby</p>
<p>175 Jytte 05-29-2015 12:57 AM ET (US) IP: 90.184.148.85</p>	 <p>Like Jan's in #3</p>
<p>176 Jytte 05-29-2015 12:59 AM ET (US) IP: 90.184.148.85</p>	

	
	And the bottom mark
177 Nancy C Villaverde★ 05-29-2015 12:48 PM ET (US) IP: 70.119.40.31	Lynda, Edwards & Carwile in Opalescent Glass say your novelty piece is Lady Carolyn by Davidson, English glass 1891. I think William Heacock gave it the name. These come pinched in several shapes, would be a little hard to use as a salt, but it's the right size and general shape. See 127 in H&J in an open basket shape.
178 Nancy C Villaverde★ 05-29-2015 12:49 PM ET (US) IP: 70.119.40.31	Spelled Caroline. I changed it to the way my middle name is spelled.
179 Debi Raitz★ 05-29-2015 02:58 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	http://opensalts.us/References/Catalogs/En...idson1895-98-gW.jpg I think all those little loopy style baskets are pictured on this page - Davidson 1895-98.
180 Lynda LaLonde 05-29-2015 06:54 PM ET (US) IP: 73.22.4.12	Nancy and Debi, Thank you so much.
181 Joan F. 05-30-2015 05:15 PM ET (US) IP: 72.68.99.236	Jytte, Thank you for letting me know that your salts are not marked. I was hoping they were so we would know for sure who made them. Maybe someday we will find out more information.
182 Debi Raitz★ 05-31-2015 01:01 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	The salts pictured in Jytte's #174 look like H&J 2528. The description of H&J 2528 says it is 2-1/8" diameter. Is that the same size as yours Jytte?

183 Lynda LaLonde 05-31-2015 01:10 PM ET (US) IP: 73.22.4.12	Debi, I don't think they are the same salt. Arn't the rims differen't? Jyttes have no rim. 2528 has a rim. Are my eyes deceiving me?
184 Jytte 05-31-2015 03:51 PM ET (US) IP: 90.184.148.85	Yes Debi - I think it's 2 1/8 - what I call 55 mm Lynda - after Kent's "foto - show" I don't know what I see or not see:-)
185 Mary Kern★ 05-31-2015 06:41 PM ET (US) IP: 72.207.119.89	 <p>Last minute Mary - This is my H&J 2528 - Maybe with the clear glass it shows better - Well at least I think it is 2528 ---</p>
186 Debi Raitz★ 05-31-2015 06:59 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	http://opensalts.us/Other/hj2500-2531.jpg This is the actual picture from H&J. It looks like it has a rounded rim to me. Jytte's salts have a rounded rim. The picture I used for H&J 2528 was one someone posted that I used. It looks like it has no rim and I need to take it out.
187 Debi Raitz★ 05-31-2015 07:02 PM ET (US) IP: 69.14.123.141	Ummmm...Mary...what are you talking about?
188 Jytte 06-01-2015 04:35 AM ET (US) IP: 90.184.148.85	Debi - perhaps it's my sight Mary is talking about:-)

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