



C H R I S T O L E R O Y B R O K S A C E N T U R Y O F C L A S S I C S



As we progress into this new century I strongly suspect that the control of water will be by electronic solenoids like our dishwashers and washing machines. Taps will disappear and we will be left holding remote controls or prodding steamy screens.

Taps therefore as we know them today may have existed for only around a century and are perhaps destined like the horse and carriage to disappear into the mists of nostalgia. I have therefore taken on the task of researching this century of taps and selecting the great classics from each decade. From their domestic origins in the late Victorian era through the mechanical angularity of the Edwardians, the curvaceous turn of the century French, the colonial twenties, the Deco thirties, the streamline fifties, the starry sixties to the nineteen seventies when it all seemed to begin again. Each decade has been carefully considered and researched. I have visited many museums, countless salvage yards and been unexpectedly welcomed into castles, cottages and dealers' dens. It has mostly been a journey of joy. One develops a passion for the chase, unearthing sometimes at great length at other times in an unexpected instant these forgotten art forms of history. But what does a true classic mean and how does a design become a classic. Foremost it stands the test of time, it is popular, a design which sold well in its day and continued to be demanded and of course it worked, it functioned, it did its job. Beautiful products, beautifully made, beautifully practical and still beautiful today. All the taps I chose were still in working order, maybe in need of some grease or new washers but functioning even after in some cases a 100 years. These are art forms – sculptures not only

for the eye but also for the hand – they look right and feel right. This is of necessity a work in progress, first and

foremost, because as you will see it did not stop with taps. Today we don't buy baths we buy bathrooms so ceramic chinaware, accessories, lighting, baths and showers had to be added to complete each period. There are still gaps in some ranges and new decades will be added as production allows.

In the meantime I offer the results of my labours todate – 'A century of classics' – the story of a hundred years of bathrooms. You are currently holding 'Classic Accessories' – which is one in a series of eight brochures.

I sincerely hope some of the pleasure I received from discovering and developing these products is transferred as you use these fabulous classics of the last century.

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Above: Pair of Drop Ceiling Globes – 6" LB 4005, 8" LB 4006 part of the Classic Bathroom Lighting programme.

Facing Page Opposite: Charterhouse Basin LB 7202.

Edwardian Basin Pillar Taps LB 1422.

Single Ceramic Mug in Fine White Bone China LB 4933, Double LB 4951.

Octagonal Mirror LB 4946, Glass Shelf LB 4936, Ceramic Soap Dish LB 4937, Wire Soap Dish LB 4934.

Robe/Flannel Hook LB 4942.

All Fine Bone China in White also available in Black — use BK prefix.

Cover: Classic Stove Enamelled Grab Bar with Large Backplates LB 4513.

All products available in Silver Nickel, Chrome, Antique Gold or Satin Nickel finish.



The 'Master Bathroom' Classic range of Accessories shown with Metropole Basin LB 7302.

Classic Mirror LB 4509.

Wall Mounted Toothbrush Holder LB 4953.

Fine Bone China Mug and Holder LB 4502.

Classic Cast Brass Soap Holder with Fine Bone China Dish LB 4505.

Circular Real Sponge Basket LB 4506.

Single Globe Wall Lights LB 4000.

Classic Glass Shelf with Rail LB 4936.

Single Robe Towel Hook with Ceramic Acorn LB 4512.

Edwardian Basin Pillar Taps LB 1422.

All Fine Bone China in White also available in Black – use BK prefix.

Classic Edwardian Medicine Cabinets:

Large (29" x 25") in White LB 3701, also available in Black BK 3701.

Small (25" x 21") in White LB 3702, also available in Black BK 3702.

Classic Lavatory Seat in Hardwood with Bar Hinge. Available in Mahogany LB 7240, Gloss White LB 7241 and Black LB 7242.





Finishes – Silver Nickel, Chrome, Antique Gold and Satin Nickel.



Lefroy Brooks Exposed Godolphin Shower shown with Classic Cast Brass Riser Soap Dish LB 4514. Pair of Wire Corner Soap/Bottle Racks LB 4941. Classic Stove Enamelled Grab Bar LB 4513.

Edwardian Double Towel Rail LB 4954.

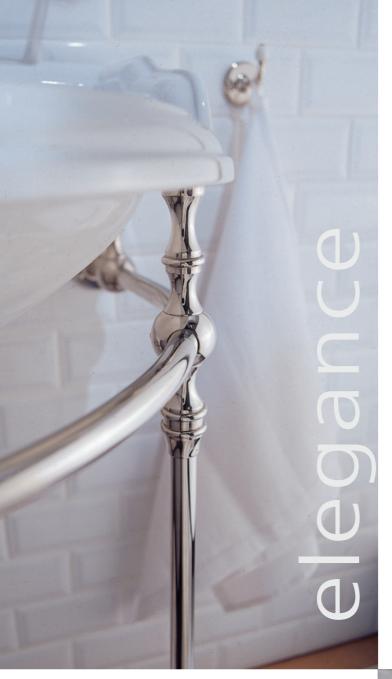
LB 4944 Towel Shelf. Classic Double Robe Hook with Ceramic Acorns LB 4511.

All Fine Bone China and Stove Enamel shown in White is also available in Black – use BK prefix.

Finishes – Silver Nickel, Chrome, Antique Gold and Satin Nickel.







Opposite Page Basin Setting with Lissa Doon Stand LB 4970.

Lissa Doon Three Hole Basin LB 7503.

Three Hole Basin Tap with Pop-up Waste LB 1224.

Glass Shelf LB 4936.

Edwardian Oval Mirror LB 4961.

Fine Bone China Mug and Holder LB 4502 – Soap Dish LB 4505. Wall Mounted Toothbrush Holder LB 4953.

Sponge Basket LB 4506. – Single Hook LB 4512 and Wall Lights LB 4000.

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Finishes – Silver Nickel, Chrome, Antique Gold and Satin Nickel.



Three Tier Glass Shelf LB 4518.









Above: BK 4500 Black Ceramic Paper Holder.

Left: BK 4507 Classic Large Bore (1") Black Stove Enamelled Towel Bar with Large Backplates (Standard 20" Length), BK 4508 for Extra Long 30".

> Page Opposite: BK 7303/BK 7304 Metropole Three Hole Basin and Pedestal in Black with BL 1228 Mackintosh Black Lever Three Hole Basin Mixer with Pop-up Waste shown with assorted accessories — see index.

Lefroy Brooks manufacture the range of white Metro Tiles seen throughout this brochure.

Left: BK 4513 Black Stove Enamelled Grab Bar (15") with Large Backplates.

> Finishes – Silver Nickel, Chrome, Antique Gold and Satin Nickel.





LB 4500 CLASSIC PAPER HOLDER (H75 x W167 x D85)



LB 4932 EDWARDIAN PAPER HOLDER (H100 x W185 x D40)

LB 4945

EDWARDIAN DOG BONE PAPER HOLDER

(H40 x W150 x D75)

LB 4501

CLASSIC SPARE PAPER HOLDER

(H145 x W50 x D115)

LB 4504

CLASSIC FREE STANDING POT & BRUSH

(H410 x W100 x D100)



LB 4502 CLASSIC CHINA MUG HOLDER (H149 x W75 x D115)



LB 4933 EDWARDIAN CERAMIC MUG & HOLDER (H100 x W70 x D100)



LB 4951 EDWARDIAN DOUBLE CERAMIC MUG & HOLDER (H100 x W165 x D100)



LB 4931 EDWARDIAN TOWEL RING (H180 x W160 x D40)



LB 4938 EDWARDIAN BRUSH & POT (H410 x W135 x D135)



LB 4505 CLASSIC SOAP HOLDER & DISH (H80 x W150 x D130)



LB 4934 EDWARDIAN WIRE SOAP DISH (H50 x W134 x D107)



LB 4937 EDWARDIAN CERAMIC SOAP DISH (H50 x W145 x D120)



LB 4941 EDWARDIAN WIRE CORNER SOAP DISH (H55 x W260 x D190)



LB 4503 CLASSIC BRUSH & POT WITH WALL BRACKET (H410 x W100 x D130)



LB 4950 EDWARDIAN WIRE SPONGE DISH (H75 x W235 x D185)

LB 4507 CLASSIC STOVE ENAMEL TOWEL BAR - STANDARD (H120 x W585 x D100)



LB 4961 MIRROR



EDWARDIAN OVAL TILTING (H506 x W500 x D35)



(H506 x W500 x D35)



MIRROR

LB 4946 EDWARDIAN HEXAGONAL TILTING MIRROR (H506 x W500 x D35)





LB 4936 EDWARDIAN GLASS SHELF WITH RAIL (H50 x W560 x D152)



LB 4509 CLASSIC MIRROR WITH BEVELLED GLASS (H600 x W500 x D35)



LB 4939 EDWARDIAN DOME TILTING





LB 4508 CLASSIC LARGE BORE STOVE ENAMELLED TOWEL BAR - EXTRA LONG (H120 x W835 x D100)



LB 4954 EDWARDIAN DOUBLE TOWEL RAIL - STANDARD (H70 x W560 x D150)



LB 4949 EDWARDIAN DOUBLE TOWEL RAIL



LB 4506 CLASSIC CIRCULAR SPONGE BASKET (H115 x W180 x D200)



LB 4511 CLASSIC DOUBLE ROBE HOOK WITH CERAMIC ACORNS (H195 x W50 x D110)



LB 4512 CLASSIC SINGLE ROBE HOOK WITH CERAMIC ACORN (H60 x W50 x D55)



LB 4942 EDWARDIAN ROBE HOOK (I PAIR) (H60 x W50 x D55)





ALSO AVAILABLE WITH BLACK GLASS BK 4936

LB 4952 EDWARDIAN GRAB BAR (H50 x W250 x D60)



LB 4953 CLASSIC TOOTHBRUSH HOLDER (H120 x W80 x D110)



LB 4956 FREE STANDING TOOTHBRUSH HOLDER (H120 x W80 x D80)



LB 1751 EDWARDIAN RISER CRADLE (H115 x W140 x D65)



LB 4958 EDWARDIAN VANITY MIRROR (H350 x W150 x D150)



LB 4955 EXTENDABLE SHAVING MIRROR (H400 x W150 x D200-670)



LB 4947 EDWARDIAN TOWEL RAIL - SHORT (H130 x W310 x D85)



LB 4935 EDWARDIAN TOWEL RAIL (H130 x W560 x D85)



LB 4948 EDWARDIAN TOWEL RAIL - LONG (H130 x W810 x D85)



LB 4513 CLASSIC STOVE ENAMELLED GRAB BAR (H60 x W380 x D70)



LB 4962 EDWARDIAN LARGE BORE TOWEL RAIL (H50 x W560 x D90)



LB 4510 CLASSIC BOTTLE RACK (H85 x W320 x D100)



LB 4940 EDWARDIAN OVER BATH RACK (H65 x W610-740 x D170)



LB 4960 EDWARDIAN RACK WITH MIRROR (H320 x W610-740 x D170)



LB 1702 EDWARDIAN RISER SOAP DISH (H40 x W134 x D107)



LB 1756 WALL MOUNTED CRADLE (H120 x W140 x D80)



LB 4515 FREE STANDING SOAP DISH (H65 x W150)



LB 4516 CLASSIC CHINA SOAP DISH ALSO AVAILABLE IN BLACK BK 4516 (H35 x W150)



LB 4957 EDWARDIAN PAPER HOLDER (H625 x W290)



LB 4007 CLASSIC ONE WAY PULL SWITCH (W80)



(W80)

LB 4517 CLASSIC TWO MUG SHELF





LB 4944 TOWEL SHELF (H150 x W650 x D265)



THREE TIER GLASS SHELF (H488 x W600 x D135)



LB 1308 EXTENDED CISTERN LEVER WITH CERAMIC HANDLE FOR CONCEALED CISTERNS (OP47 x SHANK 245)





(H103 x W600 x D135)



LB 1305 CISTERN SUPPORT BRACKETS (H150 x D220)



LB 1304 CISTERN SUPPORT BRACKETS VICTORIAN



LB 1307 CERAMIC HANDLE CISTERN LEVER (OP47 x SHANK 140)



LB 3702 SMALL CLASSIC MEDICINE CABINET (H640 x W525 x D180)



LB 3701 LARGE CLASSIC MEDICINE CABINET (H750 x W640 x D180)



LB 4970 TUBULAR STAND FOR LISSA DOON BASIN (H955 x W620 x D505 with basin)



LB 4000 6" CLASSIC WALL GLOBE (H215 x W140 x D170)



LB 4003 8" CLASSIC CEILING GLOBE (H235 x W200)



LB 4006 8" CLASSIC DROP CEILING GLOBE (H500 x W200)



LB 3202 CLASSIC CAST IRON RADIATOR H953 x W669 x D205



LB 1786 ADJUSTABLE SHOWER RISER STAY SUPPORT FOR I9MM RISER



LB 4001 6" CLASSIC DOUBLE WALL GLOBES (H215 x W355 x D188)



LB 4004 12" CLASSIC CEILING OVAL GLOBE (H120 x W270)



LB 3207 EDWARDIAN HOOP CURTAIN RAIL (D762)



CLASSIC GLOSS WHITE LAVATORY SEAT WITH BAR HINGE (ALSO AVAILABLE LB 7240 IN MAHOGANY)



LB 4009 CLASSIC OPAL TUBULAR WALL LIGHT



LB 4002 6" CLASSIC CEILING GLOBE (H170 x W140)



LB 4005 6" CLASSIC DROP CEILING GLOBE (H435 x W140)



LB 3201 EDWARDIAN RADIATOR TOWEL RAIL (H490 x W385)



LB 7242 CLASSIC BLACK LAVATORY SEAT WITH BAR HINGE



BK 4502 BLACK FINE BONE CHINA MUG & HOLDER



(H149 x W75 x D115)



BK 4515 FREE STANDING SOAP DISH (H65 x W150)



BK 4500 BLACK CERAMIC PAPER HOLDER (H75 x W167 x D85)



BK I3IO BLACK CERAMIC PULL AND CHAIN (H35 x W150)





BK 4513 BLACK STOVE ENAMELLED GRAB BAR WITH LARGE BACKPLATES (H60 x W380 x D70)



BLACK BRUSH AND POT WITH WALL BRACKET (H410 x W100 x D130) ALSO AVAILABLE AS FREE STANDING BK 4504

ALL PRODUCTS AVAILABLE IN SILVER NICKEL, CHROME, ANTIQUE GOLD OR SATIN NICKEL FINISH. ALL DIMENSIONS IN MILLIMETRES.



BK 4517 GLASS SHELF WITH BLACK CHINA MUGS (H103 x W600 x D135)



BK 4507 (H120 x W585 x D100) ALSO AVAILABLE BK 4508 EXTRA LONG (H120 x W835 x D100)



BK 1307 BLACK CERAMIC CISTERN LEVER HANDLE (OP47 x SHANK 140) ALSO AVAILABLE BK 1308 EXTENDED LEVER HANDLE FOR CONCEALED CISTERNS



BK 3701 LARGE CLASSIC MEDICINE CABINET IN BLACK (H750 x W640 x D180)



BK 4505 CAST BRASS SOAP HOLDER WITH DISH (H80 x W150 x D130)



BK 4512 SINGLE ROBE HOOK WITH CERAMIC ACORN (H60 x W50 x D55)



BK 4511 DOUBLE HOOK WITH CERAMIC ACORNS (H195 x W50 x D110)



BK 3202 CLASSIC CAST IRON RADIATOR (H953 x W669 x D205)





BK 4501 CLASSIC SPARE PAPER HOLDER WITH BLACK CERAMIC ACORN (H145 x W50 x D115)



You are holding one of eight brochures that detail the 'Century of Classics' Bathroom Range designed by Christo Lefroy Brooks.

The complete range of Taps, Showers, Baths, Chinaware, Accessories, Lighting and Components can be found in the Catalogue and the Price List.

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