

18th Century Material Culture

Candlesticks & Sconces



Earthenware Candlesticks



English Lead - Glazed Earthenware Candlestick with White Slip Decoration from Wrotham
Wrotham, England 1649
(Victoria & Albert Museum)



English Lead Glazed Earthenware Candlestick with White Slip Decoration
17th Century
(Victoria & Albert Museum)



English Lead Glazed Earthenware Candlestick
17th - 18th Century
(Victoria & Albert Museum)



English North Devon Lead Glazed Earthenware Candlestick with Slip Decoration - Excavated in Virginia
17th - 18th Century



English Tin - Glazed Earthenware Candlestick
by Pickleherring Pottery 1648
(Victoria & Albert Museum)



Dutch Tin Glazed Earthenware Candlestick
18th Century
(Victoria & Albert Museum)

Brass & Bronze Candlesticks



European Low Skirt Base Bronze Candlestick

c. 1425

(Antique Associates of West Townsend)



Northern European Brass Candlestick
c. 1475
(Antique Associates of West Townsend)



European Four - Knop, High - Skirt, Bronze Candlestick
c. 1480
(Antique Associates of West Townsend)



English Chalice and Paten Henry VIII Candlestick
16th Century
(Antique Associates of West Townsend)



German Brass Candlestick from Nuremburg
17th Century
(Christie's Auction House)



French Mid - Drip Pillar Candlestick
16th Century
(Antique Associates of West Townsend)



English "Trumpet Base" Brass Candlestick
Mid 17th Century
(Christie's Auction House)



English Mid - Drip, "Trumpet Base", Brass Candlestick
c. 1650
(Antique Associates of West Townsend)



English Mid - Drip, "Trumpet Base", Brass Candlestick
c. 1650
(Victoria & Albert Museum)



English Mid - Drip, "Trumpet Base", Brass Candlesticks
c. 1650
(Antique Associates of West Townsend)



Brass Capstan Candlestick
17th Century
(Private Collection)



Flemish Brass Capstan Candlestick
17th Century
(Christie's Auction House)



European Brass Pan Candlestick
Mid 18th Century
(Private Collection)



English Push - Up Brass Candlesticks

c. 1750 - 1770

(Chris Fox Collection)



“The Pretty Maid with her Apron before the Candle”
by Philip Dawe 1770
(Lewis Walpole Library)



Brass Candlesticks
Mid 18th Century
(Private Collection)



English Seamed Brass Candlesticks with Mock Silver Markings
c. 1750
(Private Collection)



English Petal Base Brass Candlesticks with Ejectors

c. 1750

(Christie's Auction House)



English Petal Base Brass Candlesticks
Mid 18th Century
(Antique Associates of West Townsend)



English Petal Base Brass Candlesticks
Mid 18th Century
(Private Collection)



English Petal Base, "Twist Up", Brass Candlestick
Mid 18th Century
(Antique Associates of West Townsend)



Reproduction Petal Base Brass Candlestick
Mid 18th Century
(Private Collection - Fort Ticonderoga - Drifting Focus Photography)



"FEMALE LUCUBRATION"
by Philip Dawe after John Foldson 1772
(Geffrye Museum, London)

Round Lens Hinged Temple Bar Spectacles with Teardrop Loops



Old Man Holding a Candlestick
by H. Humphrey, London, 15 Feb. 1783 by H. Humphrey
(Lewis Walpole Library)

Pewter Candlesticks



English Plate Rim Pewter Candlestick
17th Century
(Skinner)

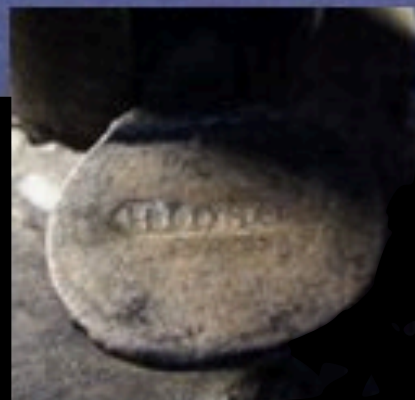


"The Connoisseur and Tired Boy"
by Philip Dawe 1773
(Lewis Walpole Library)

Iron & Tinned Iron Candlesticks



William Parkes
Birmingham, before 1764



John Hidson
Birmingham, ca. 1762-1765



Samuel Grove
Birmingham, before 1761



William Shaw
Birmingham, ca. 1766-1785

English Iron Pushup Candlesticks with Repousse Brass Wedding Band Decorations from Birmingham
18th Century
(Chris Fox Collection)



English Iron Pushup Candlesticks with Repousse Brass Wedding Band Decoration
18th Century
(Private Collection)



*Farewell Old Gripe, thy Work is done
And thou hast left a graceless Son
To waste thy Fund of ill got Stores
With Fiddlers, Sharpers, Rakes & Whores.
Thy Goods thy Cloths must now repair
To fill Moorfields & grace Rag Fair.*

*Diabe thou for this to heap up self
Oppress the Poor and starve thyself?
Young Ramble now in secret pleasure
Comes in for all the hoarded treasure
No signs of grief his looks express
While Sutch tries on a mourning dress.*

*Ann claims his Tons & shews the token,
But Vows he tells her may be broken.
Her Mother storms, the Girls beguiled!
Well there's a Parle - to keep the Child.
So Vulean comes to force the Locks,
Of every Coffer, Chest, and Box.*

*But silly of a silver Caster
He robs his young unthinking Master
Each secret Hole produces Bags
Or'n Chunks are stopp'd w' Gold in Rows;
And whence the Rags may should descend,
Plate, gloves and Rags all lash descend.*

William Hogarth
Mid 18th Century
(Lewis Walpole Library)



William Hogarth
Mid 18th Century
(Lewis Walpole Library)



Push - Up Candlestick of Iron & Wood
18th Century
(Private Collection)

Chamber Candlesticks



Dutch Rolled Sheet Brass Chamber Candlestick with Copper Rivets
Late 17th - Early 18th Century
(Chambersticks.com)



Scottish Brass Chamber Candlestick Inscribed "Luckin Booth, Edinburgh 1703"

1703
(Chambersticks.com)



French Brass Chamber Candlestick

c. 1720 - 1740

(Chambersticks.com)



English Brass Chamber Candlestick
18th Century
(Chambersticks.com)



English Sheet Copper & Steel Chamber Candlestick with Copper Rivets
18th Century
(Chambersticks.com)



Dutch or English Sheet Brass Chamber Candlestick with Copper Rivets
18th Century
(Chambersticks.com)



Dutch Brass Chamber Candlestick with Copper Rivets
18th Century
(Chambersticks.com)



Dutch Cast Brass Chamber Candlestick with Puch Up
18th Century
(Chambersticks.com)



French Silver Chamber Candlestick
18th Century
(Chambersticks.com)



A Girl Reading a Letter by Candlelight with a Young Man Peering over her Shoulder
by Joseph Wright 1762
(Private Collection)



English Silver Chamber Candlestick
by Paul de Lamerie - Hallmarked 1731 - 1732
(Victoria & Albert Museum)



English Silver Chamber Candlestick with Snuffer
by "C B" c. 1759
(Chambersticks.com)



English Silver Chamber Candlestick with Snuffer
by "C B" c. 1759
(Chambersticks.com)



English Silver Chamber Candlestick with Snuffer
by "C B" c. 1759
(Chambersticks.com)



English Paktong Brass Chamber Candlestick with Snuffer
c. 1780
(Private Collection)



"THE SUSPICIOUS HUSBAND"
by R. Marshall 1772
(Lewis Walpole Library)



English Chamber Candlestick by John Hidson of Birmingham, England,
Maker of Iron Candlesticks Beginning in 1752
(Chris Fox Collection)

Lamps & Lamp Shades



“Reading by a Paper-Bell Shade”
by Henry Robert Morland 1766
(Yale Center for British Art)



“Reading by a Paper-Bell Shade”
after Henry Robert Morland c. 1770
(Yale Center for British Art)



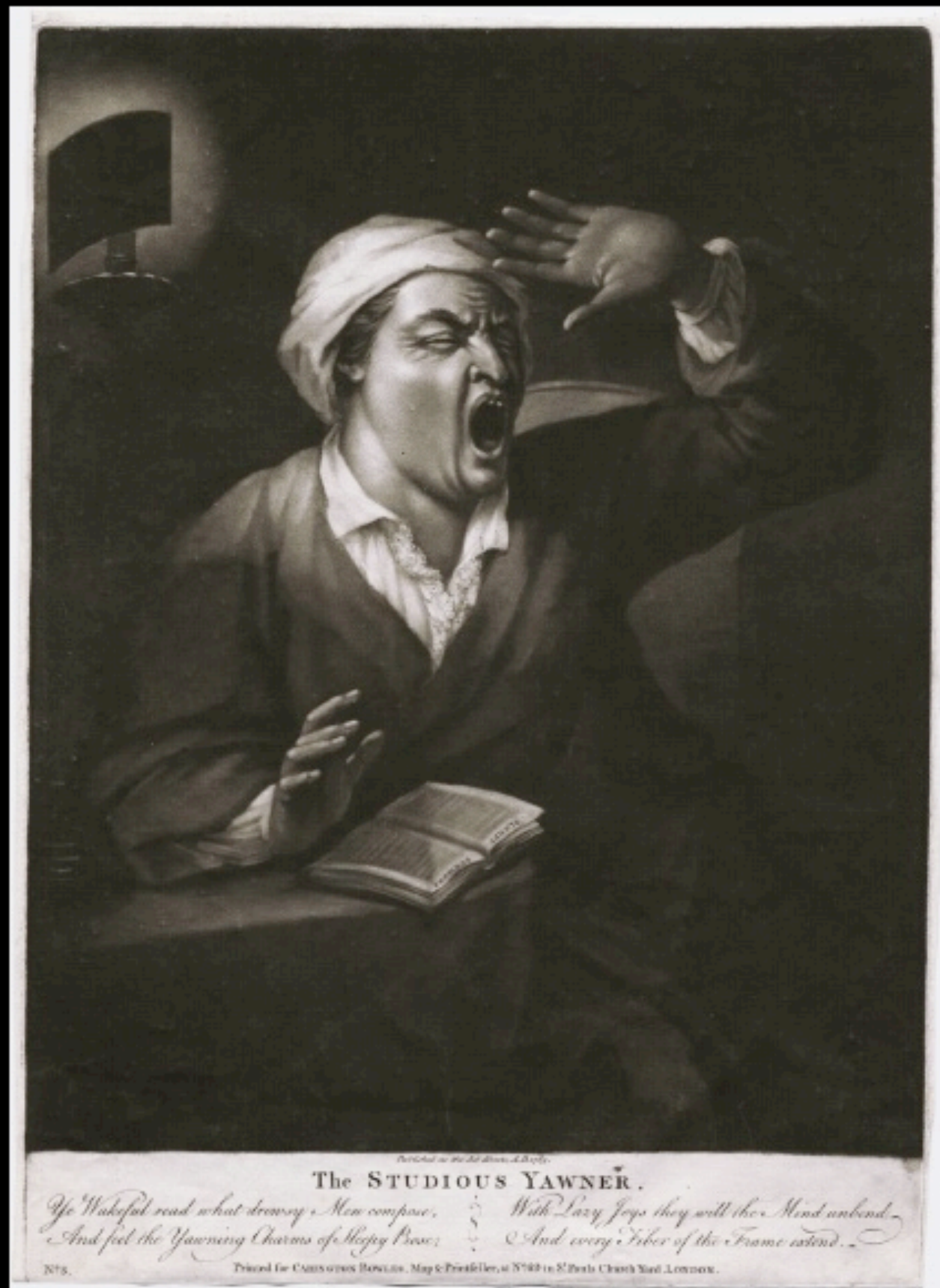
"The Studious Fair"
by Edward Fischer c. 1767
(Yale Center for British Art)



"The Studious Fair"
by Edward Fischer c. 1767
(The British Museum)



“THE DROWSY DAME.”
by Carington Bowles 1769
(Lewis Walpole Library)



"THE STUDIOUS YAWNER."
by Carington Bowles 1769
(Lewis Walpole Library)



Samuel Cotes the Painter
by Paul Sandby
(The Royal Collection)

Table Candle Stands



Wood & Tin Candle Stand
Late 18th - Early 19th Century
(Antique Associates of West Townsend)

Illuminators



Glass Illuminator
(Colonial Williamsburg)

Candle Stands



English or French Wrought Iron Rush Light & Candle Stand
c. 1700 - 1725
(Antique Associates of West Townsend)



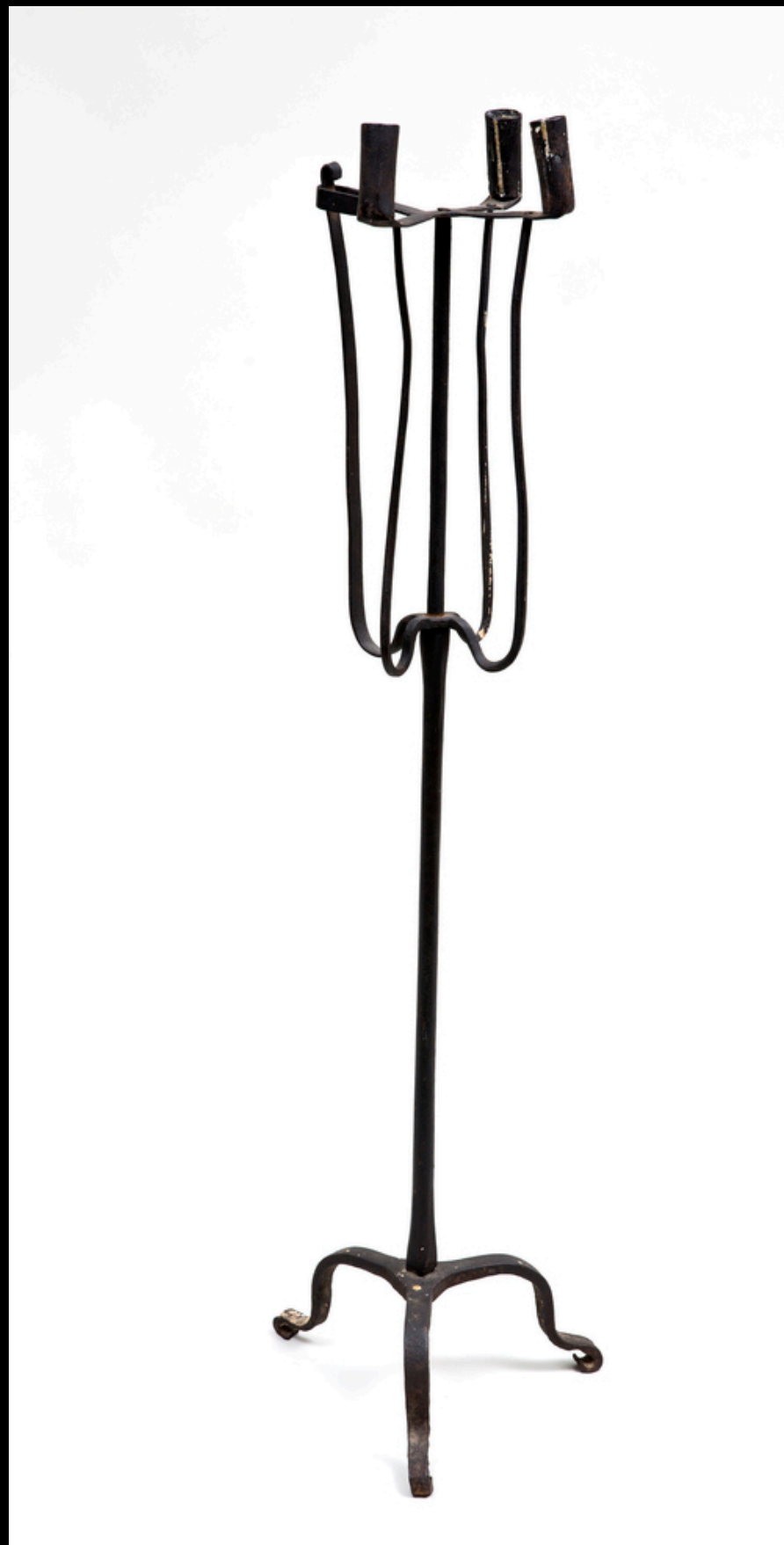
Dutch Wrought Iron and Brass Candle Stand

c. 1750

(Antique Associates of West Townsend)



English Wrought Iron Rush Light & Candle Stand
Mid to Late 18th Century
(Elliot & Grace Snyder)



English or Continental Europe Wrought Iron Candle Stand (36.5" H)
Mid to Late 18th Century
(Elliot & Grace Snyder)



American Maple & Sheet Iron Candle Stand
Mid to Late 18th Century
(Elliot & Grace Snyder)

Sticks



"Sticking Tommy" Iron Candle Holder
18th - Early 19th Century
(Antique Associates of West Townsend)

Chandeliers



New England Tinned Iron Chandelier
c. 1780 - 1800
(Antique Associates of West Townsend)

Sconces



Tin and Mirrored Glass Sconce
c. 1800



Tinned Iron Candle Sconce
Late 18th to Early 19th Century
(Antique Associates of West Townsend)



Tinned Iron Oval Reflector Sconce
Late 18th to Early 19th Century
(Antique Associates of West Townsend)



THE VILLAGE ASSEMBLY

Pub. July 1776 by M. Darley Strand.

"THE VILLAGE ASSEMBLY"
by M. Darley 1776
(Colonial Williamsburg)

Prickets



Northwestern European Pricket Candlestick
c. 1250 - 1400
(Antique Associates of West Townsend)

Wax Jacks



English Brass Wax - Jacks
c. 1780
(Christie's Auction House)



English or Dutch Iron with Flintlock Wax - Jack
c. 1760
(Bonhams)

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