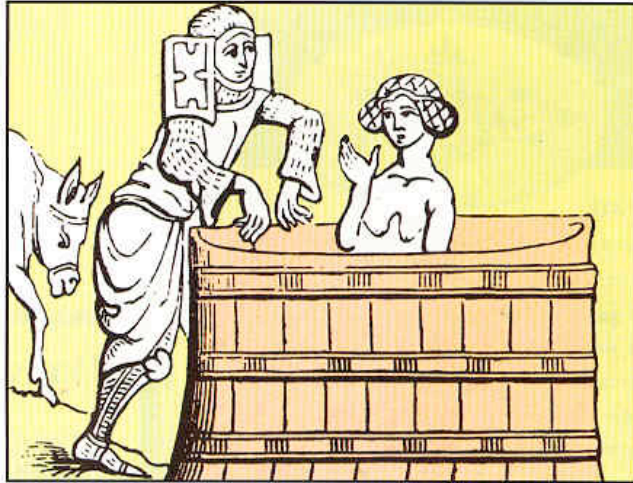




Plate I. Manuscript Illustration. Communal Bathing. France, 15th Century. (BB, p.35).  
 With fine food and wine, to say nothing of the amorous indiscretions of mixed bathing.





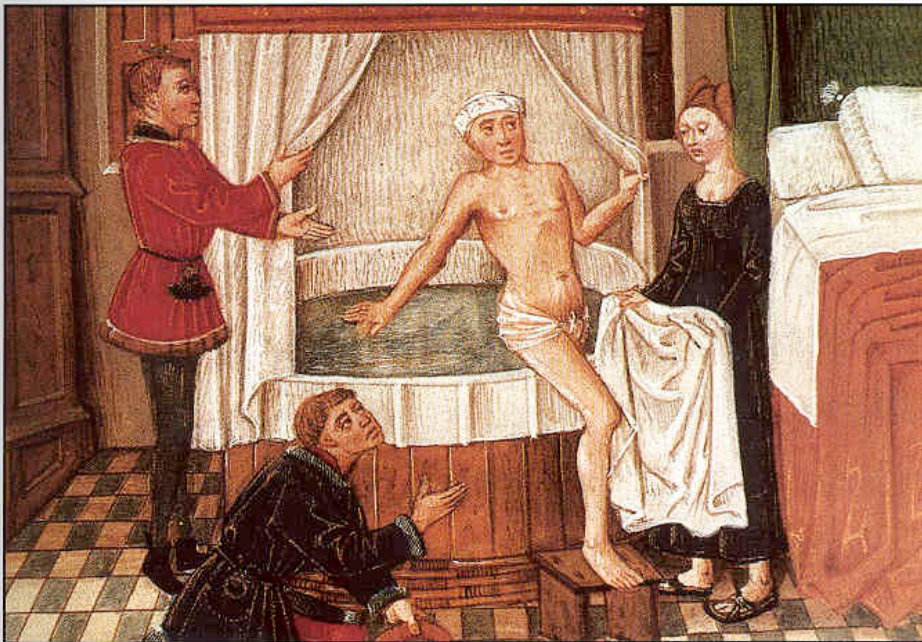
*Plate 2. Medieval Bath Tub. (Old House Journal, October 1991, p.37)  
Tubs were of barrel-like construction and fashioned by a cooper.*



*Plate 3. Fresco Painting by Niccolo di Segna, The Medieval Bath. Tuscany, Italy. 13th Century. (ADI, p.76).  
A large bath like this probably stood in a bathroom, rather than being taken into a bedchamber. When the bath was enclosed by the tent-like curtains a sauna effect was achieved.*

**Come to the bath house, rich and poor  
The water is hot you may be sure,  
With fragrant soap we wash your skin,  
Then put you in the sweating bin;  
And when you've had a beautiful sweat,  
Your hair is cut, your blood is let,  
And then, to finish, a good rub  
And a pleasant soak in a soothing tub.**

*Christopher Scheur, Nuremburg, 1516.*



*Plate 4. Illuminated Manuscript. A Lord, Possibly the Duke of Burgundy,  
Taking a Bath. France, 15th Century. (BB, p.73)*

*The wooden bath is lined with a sheet, as a protection against splinters,  
and is fitted with a canopy and curtains to trap the steam rising from the hot water.*



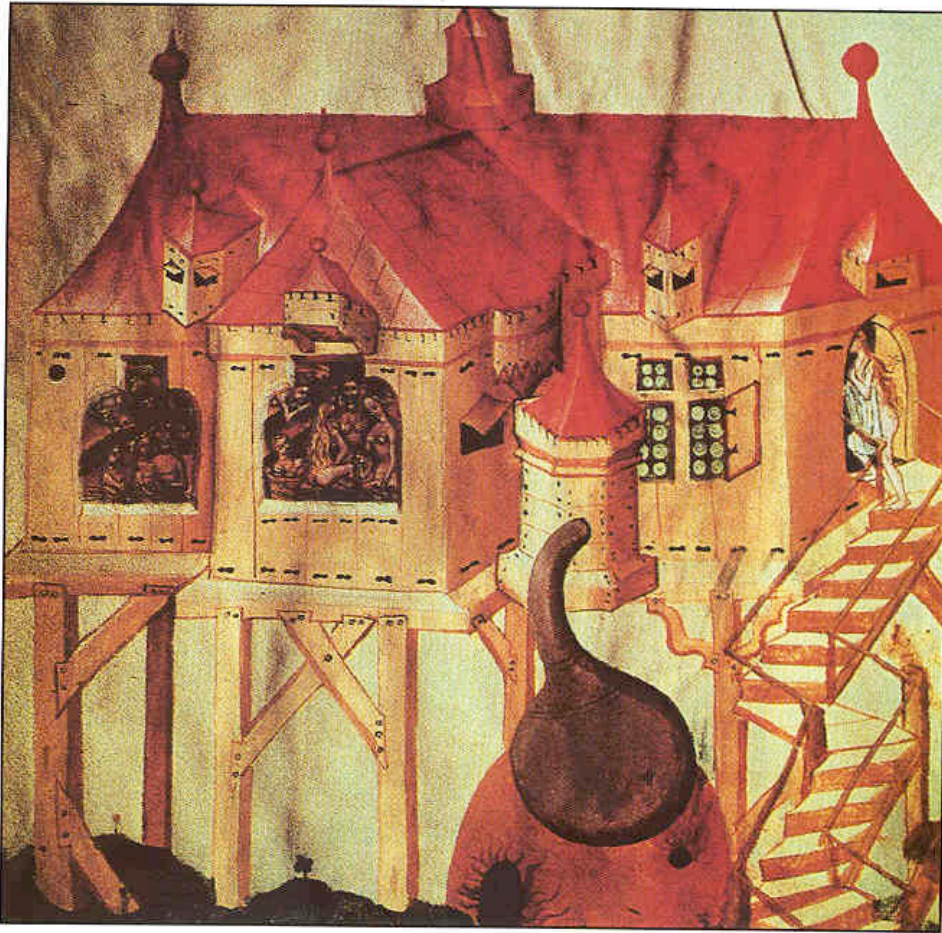


Plate 5. German Miniature. Hot Water & Hot Air Baths, 1405. (BB, p.360).  
The brick furnace heats the tank of water to produce steam, which is conveyed by a type of alembic (retort) to the baths (manuscript Bellifortis by Konrad Kyeser).



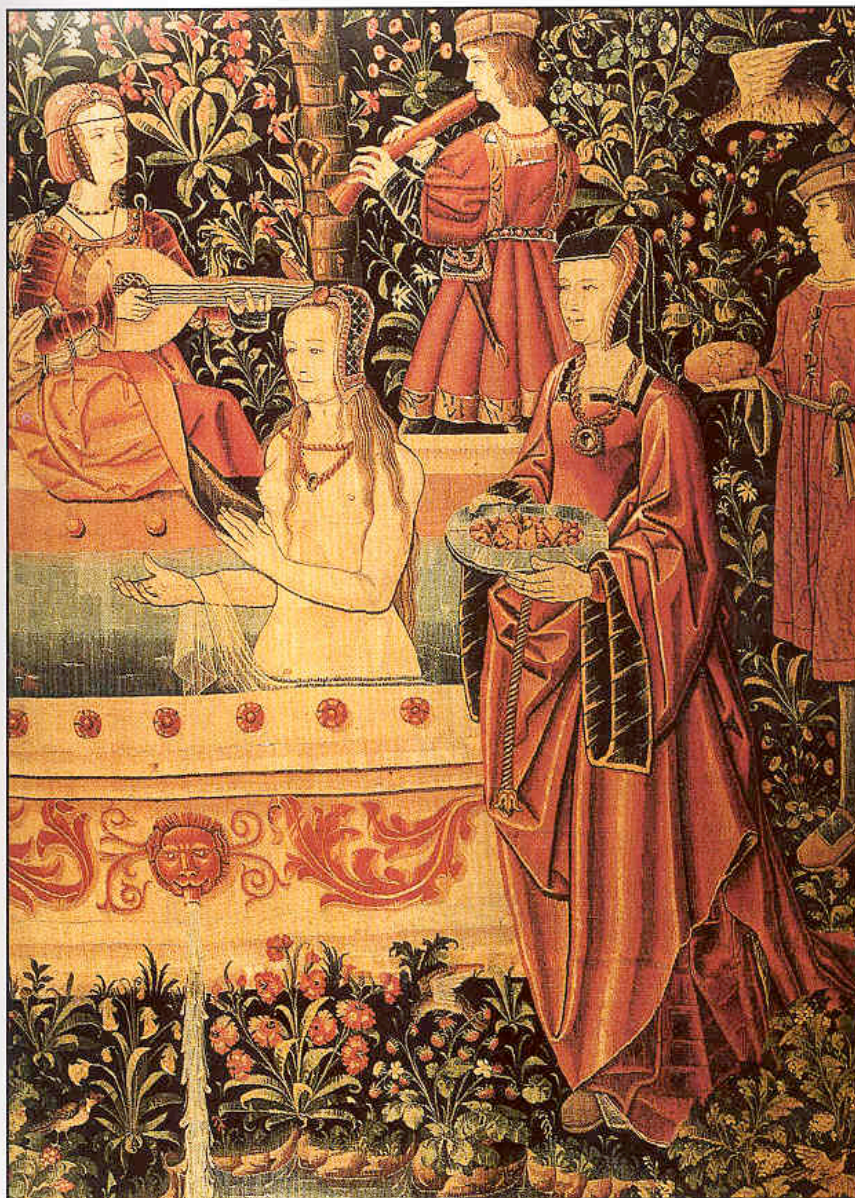


Plate 6. Detail from a French Tapestry. *La Vie Seigneuriale* (The Noble Life).  
Taking a Bath Outdoors. Early 16th Century. (FHA, p.107).



Platé 7. Colour Print. *Delivering a Bath & Its Water.*  
*A Domestic Service, Paris, 1830. (ADI, p.102).*

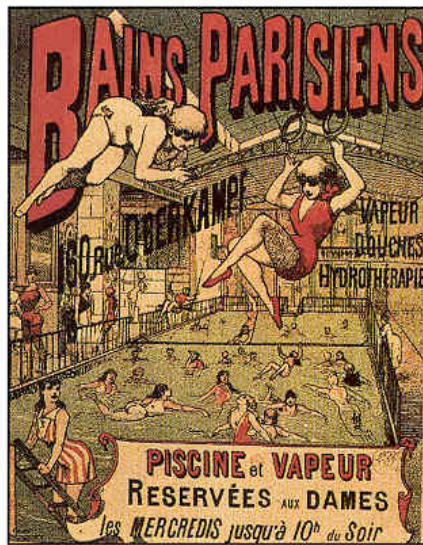


Plate 8. Advertisement. *Public Baths, Paris,*  
*c.1900. (BB, p.58).*



Plate 9. French Poster.  
*Baths Delivered to Your Door.*  
*Bains Vivienne, Probably c. 1840.*  
*(BB, p.104)*



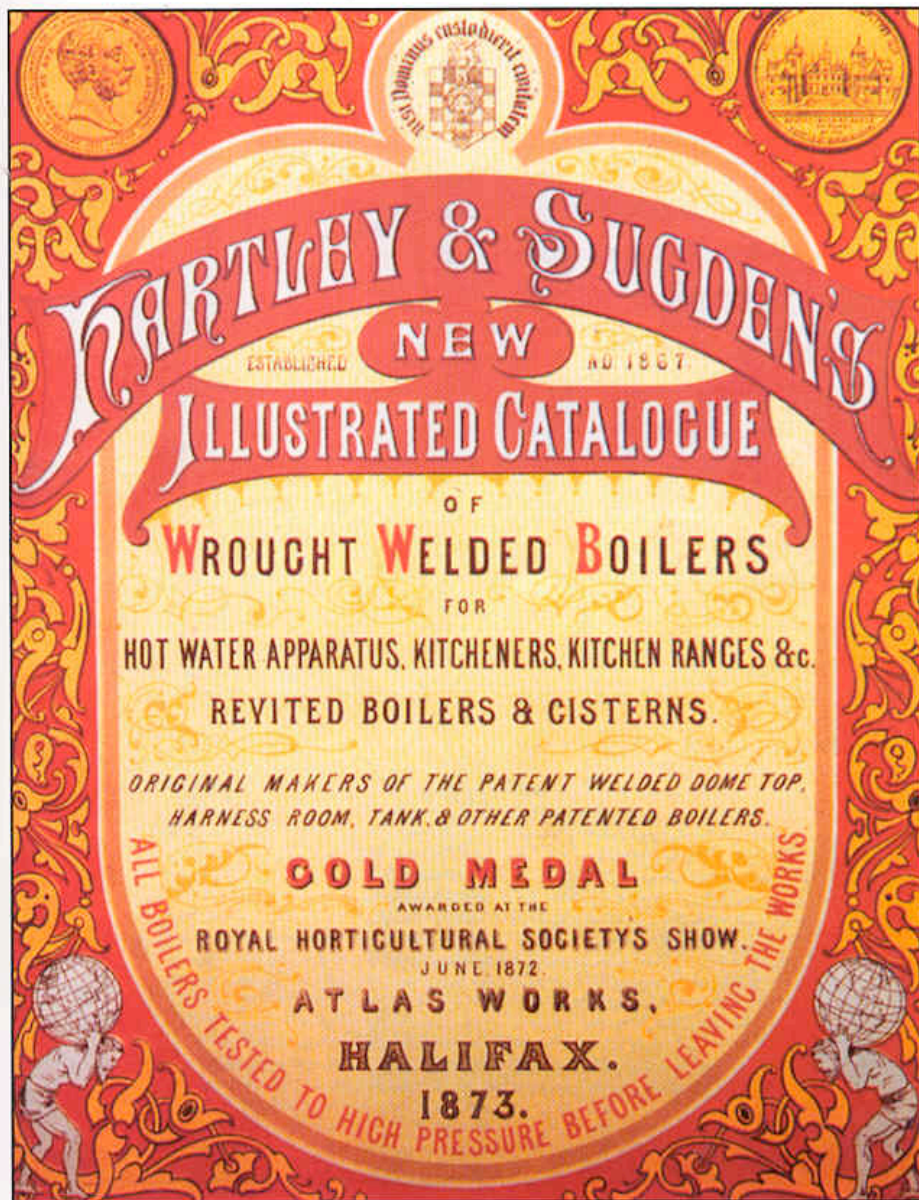


Plate 10. Catalogue Cover. Hartley & Sugden, Atlas Works, Halifax, 1873. (Paul Yunnie Collection).  
Makers of wrought welded boilers for Hot Water Apparatus.

DOULTON & CO., LAMBETH, LONDON S.E., PAISLEY & PARIS.

## DOULTON'S IMPROVED HOODED BATHS.

TO STAND WITHOUT ENCLOSURE.

**THE** Apparatus consists of a recessed Cast-Iron Plunge Bath with wide Rolled Edge, 1st class Enamelled inside, with strong Copper Hood Enamelled same colour as Bath. Fitted with Shower, Spray, and Plunge, Brass Plate for Valves and Pull-up Waste. The Hood is protected by an outer casing of Zinc with hinged door to allow easy access to the pipes.

The temperature of the water may be regulated by the Hot and Cold Valves, and the centre valve on plate enables you to connect the water to any fitting required by turning the pointer to where it is marked on the plate.

The only Connections to be made are the Hot and Cold Water Supplies and Waste, three Joints in all.

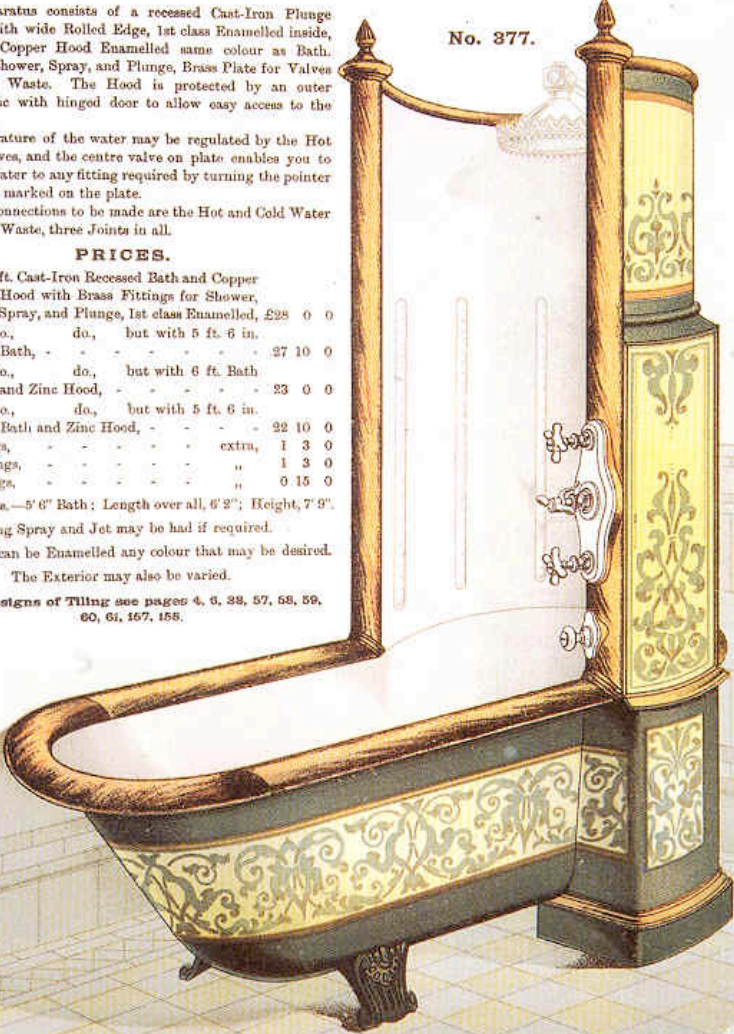
**PRICES.**

No. 377.	—6 ft. Cast-Iron Recessed Bath and Copper Hood with Brass Fittings for Shower, Spray, and Plunge, 1st class Enamelled,	£28 0 0
No. 377a.—Do.,	do., but with 5 ft. 6 in. Bath,	27 10 0
No. 377a.—Do.,	do., but with 6 ft. Bath and Zinc Hood,	23 0 0
No. 377a.—Do.,	do., but with 5 ft. 6 in. Bath and Zinc Hood,	22 10 0
Wave Fittings,	extra,	1 3 0
Douche Fittings,	"	1 3 0
Plated Fittings,	"	0 15 0

Measurements.—5' 6" Bath; Length over all, 6' 2"; Height, 7' 9".  
Rising Spray and Jet may be had if required.  
The Interior can be Enamelled any colour that may be desired.  
The Exterior may also be varied.

For Designs of Tiling see pages 4, 5, 28, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 167, 168.

No. 377.



These Baths are entirely manufactured at our Paisley Works and Foundries.

Plate 11. Catalogue. Doulton's Improved Hooded Baths, Lambeth, London, c.1890.



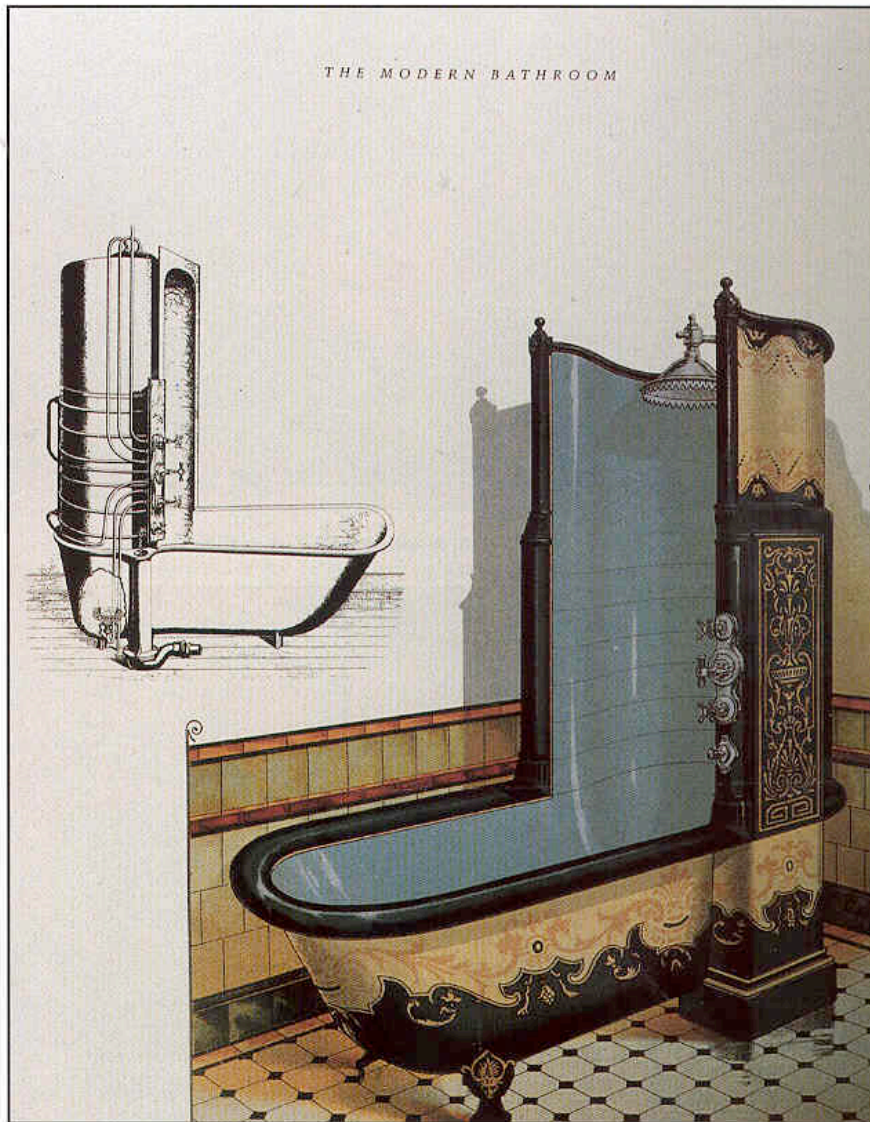


Plate 12. Advertisement Detail. Shank's Cast-Iron Bath & Shower Enclosure, London, c.1900.  
Inset drawing shows the water distribution arrangement with overhead spray & side jets.

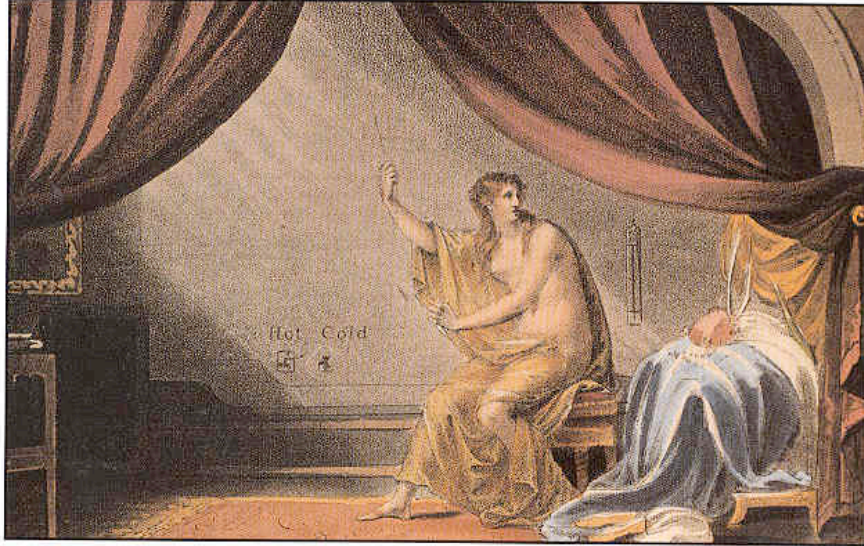


Plate 13. Regency Print. *The Warm Bath*, (RS. 123).

Note both hot and cold taps, a rare occurrence in an English home before 1850.

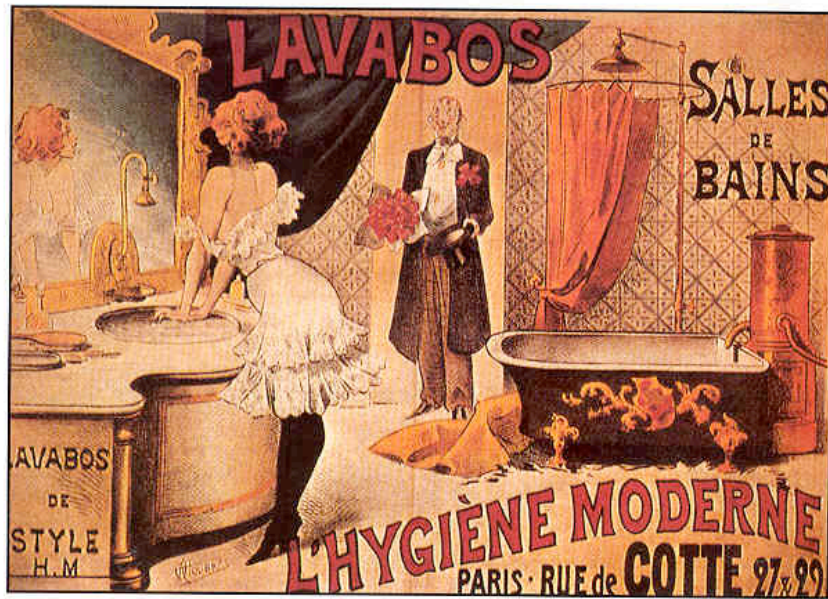


Plate 14. French Poster. *Lavabos - L'Hygiène Moderne*, about 1900.  
(A Concise History of Posters, J Barnicoat, 1972, fig.180).

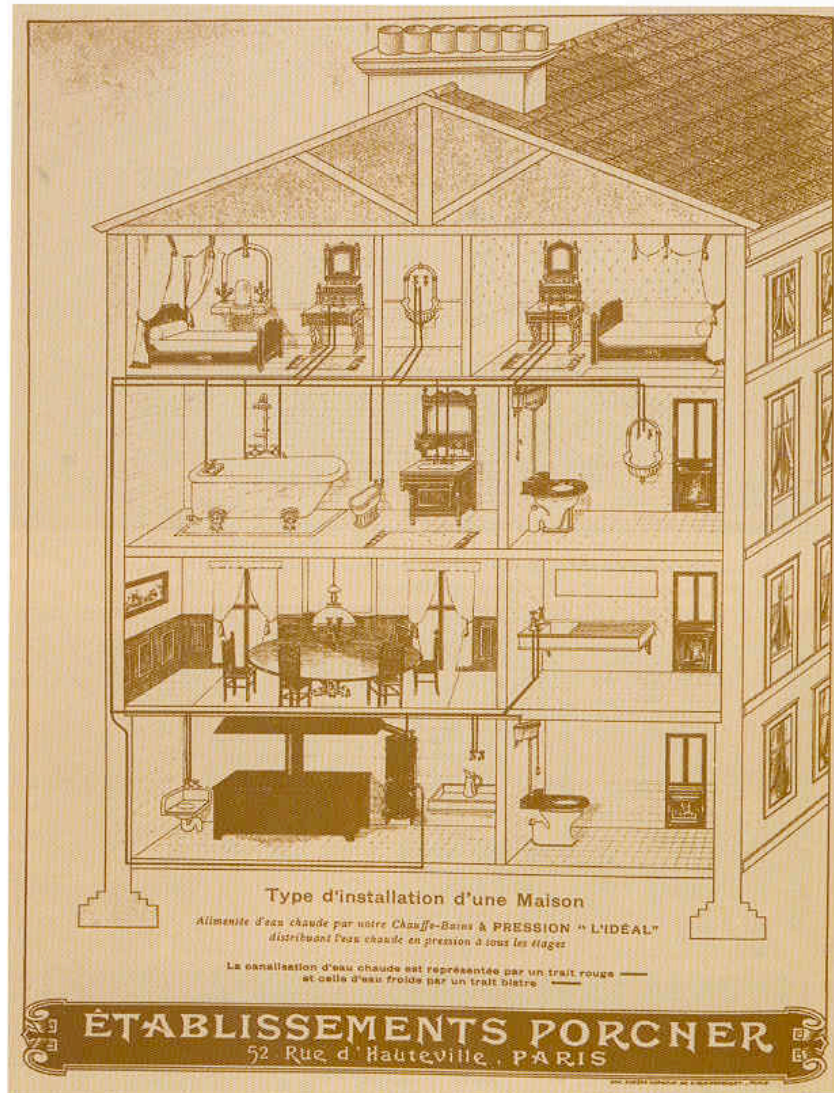




Plate 15. Advertisement. Rousseau & Cie, Paris, about 1900. (Paul Yunnie Collection).  
Instant Apparatus for hot water for bath and shower.



Plate 16. Christmas Card. Santa Relies on Instant Hot Water.  
Home at Last, painted by Raymond Briggs. (Brian Roberts Collection).



Plaque 17. Catalogue. Typical Domestic Hot & Cold Water Installation.  
Établissements Porcher, Paris, c.1905.

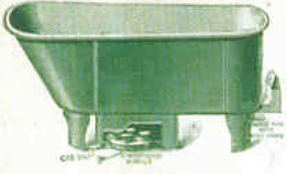


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EWART & SON LIMITED: 246-248, 350 EUSTON ROAD LONDON
ESTABLISHED 1824

## Ewart's "Turk" Gas Bath.

WITH STOUT COPPER BOTTOM.

The sides made of Best Sheet Iron, carefully tinned, and japanned inside white and outside dark oak; the bottom entirely of hardened Copper. Fitted with waste plug and hose bent union for easy connection to waste pipe. Powerful Atmospheric Burner.




SIZE.	
Length	5 ft. 6 in.
Depth inside	1 ft. 2 1/2 in.
Width at head	1 ft. 3 in.
Width at foot	1 ft. 1 in.
Total depth	2 ft. 4 in.

**Prices:** - 5 ft. long inside top, £5 18 0; 5 ft. 6 in. long inside top, £6 14 0.

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## Ewart's "General Gordon" Gas Bath.

The sides made of Best Sheet Iron, carefully tinned, and japanned inside white and outside dark oak; the bottom entirely of hardened Copper. Fitted with waste plug and hose bent union for easy connection to waste pipe.



Movable Towel Warmer. Powerful Atmospheric Burner.

The ornamental feet shown round the bottom of the Bath is now usually omitted, as it is found to be inconvenient.

**Prices, complete, including Gas Burner and Tap, 5 ft. long, £5 0 0; 5 ft. 6 in. long, £5 10 0.**

Plate 18. Catalogue Page. Ewart Gas Baths, date unknown. (Paul Yinnie Collection).

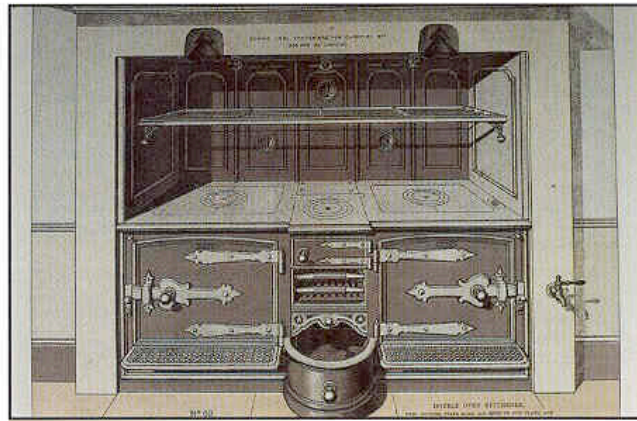


Plate 19. Catalogue Illustration. Victorian Kitchen Range with Hot Water Tap at Right, 1896. Pryck & Palmer, London. (*ES*, p.258).

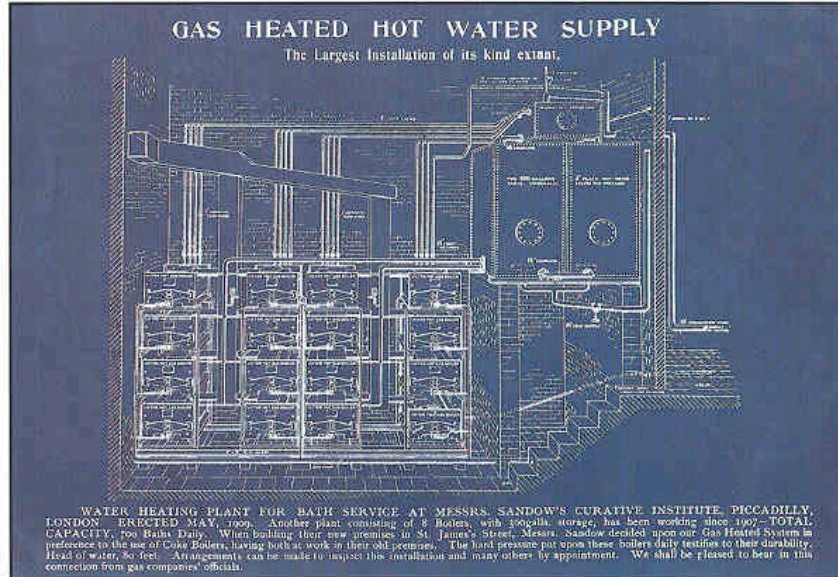


Plate 20. Scheme Drawing. Bath Water Heating Plant, Sandow's Curative Institute, Piccadilly, London, 1909. (Thomas Potterton, *The Heatmakers*, No.4 information wallet, undated).





*Plate 21. Postcard. Bathroom, Worcester House, 1914. (Paul Yinnie Collection).*



*Plate 22. Postcard. A Constant Supply of Hot Water, probably 1920s. (Paul Yinnie Collection).*



Plate 23. Catalogue Page. Ewart Water Heaters, date unknown. (Paul Yummie Collection).