

By: Avery Esford

The Stopper

The stopper is used to stop the leaking of a liquid from a bottle. You put it on the top of a bottle and it slides into the neck of the container. It is made of frosted glass and is about 3.5 cm long. It is not that fancy because it has a flat top with the company's name and the bottom is a cylinder. The company's name is LEA & PERRINS. Workers working at the Ottawa, Montreal or Quebec glass factories probably made the glass stopper in the 19th century.

The Green Bottle Top

The green bottle top dates back to between the 1840's to the 1880's. This type of glass is probably from St. Jean (which is now Quebec), Ottawa, Montreal, or Hamilton. This piece of glass was most likely made from an iron mold.

The Blue Bottle Top

The blue bottle top was probably melted at a fire in town square, where we think it was found. The glass was most likely to have been made around 1880. Richard Champion in Bristol, England invented blue glass. It was a very popular colour back then, so it was a revolutionary discovery.

