

Two Recent Acquisitions



I bought these recently from Tools'n'Tools. <https://www.toolsntoolsuk.co.uk>

Left: **Hooked jaw Conner pliers** Jewellers use these for stone setting but I find them useful getting round things that get in the way of conventional flat-jawed pliers. One jaw is 'fatter' than the other but, bit by bit, I am filing it down though it does not seem to be that important to do this.

Right: **Parallel Action Flat Nose Pliers with Smooth Brass Jaws** Parallel action (also known as Maun) pliers are very useful but these more so when working with brass because they will not mark or scratch the brass. Not for use with nickel silver which is harder than brass and will damage the brass faces.