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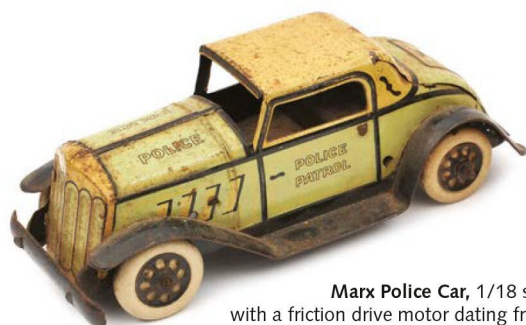
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Chad Valley Bus, 12in long, clockwork motor broken otherwise good condition. **Sold for £220**, Wallis & Wallis, July.



Marx Police Car, 1/18 scale, 8in long, with a friction drive motor dating from the 1930s. **Sold for £85**, Wallis & Wallis, April.



German tinplate clockwork WWI Tank, with a clockwork motor that makes the soldier pop up out of the hatch, in good condition. **Sold for £45**, Lacy Scott & Knight, August.



German Distler Wanderer, Roadster 2-seater, 10in long, clockwork with brake and gear change, in excellent condition. **Sold for £120**, Collectoys, June.

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Mettoy Tippco Box Set 'Car and Caravan' with a friction drive, tinplate Citroën DS 19 and a plastic caravan. **Sold for £280**, Collectoys, June.



Marklin 1980s 75th Anniversary Kit, to make up a model of a 1930s Mercedes Benz clockwork single seat racing car, mint condition. **Sold for £160**, Wallis & Wallis, July.



Huntley Boorne and Stevens (for Huntley & Palmer) clockwork 6-wheel General Double Decker Omnibus Biscuit Tin, with hinged roof, with Breakfast Biscuits advertising on sides, c.1930, 9 1/4in long. **Sold for £3,200**, Special Auction Services, April.



German Arnold friction-drive tinplate Two-Funnel Liner, 8in long, with lithographed deck detail and red pennant, c.1930, fair condition. **Sold for £130**, Special Auction Services, April.



German Distler clockwork tinplate Fire Engine, without lighting, yellow operating ladder and white Continental tyres, with four firemen, numberplate J D 1614, c.1928, 11 1/2in long, in fair condition. **Sold for £580**, Special Auction Services, April.



German Bing tinplate Fire Station, with double hinged door building marked 'Fire Escape Engine No 2', with BW Germany Trademark Fair. **Sold for £20**, Lacy Scott & Knight, August.



German Fischer clockwork tinplate Limousine, with roof rack, rear opening doors, chauffeur in blue uniform twin lamps, red and cream spoked wheels with white tinplate tyres, c.1912, very good condition. **Sold for £2,100** Special Auction Services, April.



German Karl Bub Atom Rocket, novelty rocket with tinprinted clown hanging on to rear, working clockwork motor travels round in a circle, 7 1/2in long, in very good condition. **Sold for £420**, Vectis, September.



German Märklin spirit-fired steam tinplate First Series Two-Funnel Battleship 'HMS Terrible', 25in long, two masts, two torpedo net booms, forward and aft gun turrets, pairs of port and starboard gun turrets, lower deck and upper decks, fabric stern flag and pennant, two guns mounted on forward bridge, chain and pneumatically-operated rudder, the steam plant with vaporising burner, c.1904, good condition. **Sold for £76,000**, Special Auction Services, April.



Japanese Taiyo battery powered 1/18 scale VW Beetle, with 'Bump'n Go' mystery action, mint condition. Sold for £95, Wallis & Wallis, September.



German Bing model of a clockwork 4-seater Cabriolet, issued c.1910, 12½in long, has been restored and is in generally good condition. Sold for £450, Collectoys, September.



German Arnold Jeep 'Military Police', clockwork, 7in long. Sold for £80, Collectoys, April.



German Tippco clockwork Six-Light Limousine, with driver in red, numberplate TC 950, c.1928, good condition. Sold for £280, Special Auction Services, April.



French JML tinplate clockwork Ferris Wheel, with wooden base and fencing, lacks one of the cradles others contain celluloid dolls, 15in tall, in very good condition. Sold for £30, Vectis, September.



Ernst Plank spirit-fired Riverboat, 10½in long, with US flag and red and white pennant, oscillating-cylinder steam engine, c.1910, in good condition, boiler, funnel and burner replaced. Sold for £520, Special Auction Services, April.



American Marx Toys 'Buck Rogers' Spaceship, clockwork, c.1940, lacks tail fin, in good condition. Sold for £140, Vectis, September.



Japanese Nomura battery operated Space Patrol Car, tinprinted bonnet mounted gun, plastic figure with tinplate arms, on/off switch, in very good condition. Sold for £160, Vectis, September.



Spanish Paya Fire Truck, 4in long, in good condition. Sold for £70, Collectoys, April.



Tri-ang Minic Delivery Van, 5in long, clockwork motor, very good condition. Sold for £70, Wallis & Wallis, April.



Japanese Bandal VW Beetle as a Dutch Police Car, battery powered, very good condition. Sold for £480, Wallis & Wallis, September.



Chad Valley Delivery Van, in mint condition, with squares on the roof showing other products of the company. Sold for £30, Wallis & Wallis, September.



Japanese TN Nomura rare clockwork tinplate 'Showa', the acrobatic clown, dating from the 1930s, in very good condition. Sold for £280, Lacy Scott & Knight, August.



Mettoy clockwork Biscuit Tin Delivery Lorry, with a clockwork motor, in good condition. Sold for £380, Wallis & Wallis, September.



Japanese Horikawa battery-operated tinplate and plastic Mr Hustler Robot, with human face behind plastic shield, good condition. Sold for £140, Special Auction Services, September.



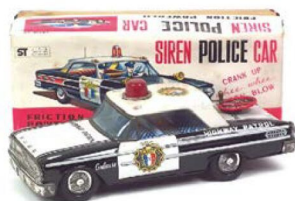
Chad Valley Biscuit Tin London Transport Bus, showing Route 25, Victoria Station, good condition. Sold for £720, Wallis & Wallis, September.



Rico tinplate free-wheeling Tram, 6in long, in good condition. Sold for £35, Special Auction Services, July.



German Gama tinplate clockwork 2-wheeled Donkey Cart, dating from the 1930s, missing reins but in good working order with lever operated mechanism, 25in long. Sold for £60, Vectis, September.



Japanese Aoshin Ford Galaxie 'Highway Patrol' Car, 10in long, friction drive with buzzer, in very good condition. Sold for £50, Collectoys, June.



Japanese Nomura novelty Vintage 'Grandpa Car', tinplate battery operated, dating from the 1960s, rubber tyres, 9in long, in very good condition. Sold for £20, Vectis, August.



Strutting Sam, battery-operated tinplate dancing minstrel figure on a detailed tin printed base, thought to be made by Haji Japan, good condition. Sold for £150, Special Auction Services, September.

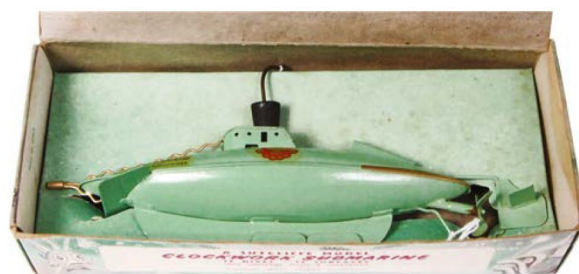


Tri-ang Minic Double Decker Bus, version with 'Pedigree Prams' and 'Tri-ang Minic Cars' transfers, Route 14 Kings Cross Piccadilly Circus to Kensington Station, excellent condition. Sold for £60, Vectis, September.



Early German Gunthermann American Police Motorcyclist, clockwork powered and in very good condition. Sold for £1300, Wallis & Wallis, September.

French Sesame tinplate Lorry Mounted Rocket Launcher, plated plastic rocket, rubber nose cone, with firing action and friction drive motor, in very good condition. Sold for £110, Vectis, September.



Sutcliffe clockwork Nautilus submarine, with key and original box, motor not working, good condition. Sold for £35, Lacy Scott & Knight, February.

Japanese Yonezawa tinplate battery operated Douglas DC7C airliner 'American Airlines', with the stewardess (air hostess) at the door, in very good condition. Sold for £120, Lacy Scott & Knight, February.



German Tippco tinplate clockwork Touring Coach, made in the US zone of Germany, steerable front wheels and sliding roof, very good condition. Sold for £160, Vectis, September.



German Arnold clockwork tinplate Single Scull, 10in long, with articulated composition sculler wearing cap, with yellow blades, c.1950, very good condition. Sold for £280, Special Auction Services, April.



Tinplate clockwork Tractor, possibly by Tipp Co or Kellerman, sparky action engine and driver in dark blue with peaked cap, marked on the dashboard 'DRGM Germany', good condition. **Sold for £150, Special Auction Services, September.**



Tri-ang Minic tinplate clockwork Vauxhall Tourer, post-1945 example, wooden seats, in working order, with key, in very good condition. **Sold for £40, Vectis, September.**



Possibly German Gunthermann large tinplate Trolleybus, wired for illuminating headlamps, missing rear clockwork motor, 13in long, in good condition. **Sold for £420, Vectis, July.**



Japanese Yonezawa clockwork tinplate Atomic Robot with red plastic arms, good condition. **Sold for £60, Special Auction Services, September.**



German Distler tinplate Electro Matic Porsche Sports Car, steerable front wheels, clear plastic windscreen and key fob, 10in long, with leaflet and mechanical control cable, in good condition. **Sold for £480, Vectis, February.**



Japanese Yonezawa battery operated tinplate Space Explorer Robot, with silver arms and silver bordered TV screen on his chest, with ordinal box, in very good condition. **Sold for £360, Special Auction Services, September.**



Wells Brimtoy large tinplate clockwork Trolleybus, later version with white roof, balloon wheels, clockwork motor in working order, includes conductor figure, very good condition. **Sold for £60, Vectis, February.**



German Schuco tinplate Car, clockwork motor in working order, with brake and steering control to front bumper, in excellent condition. **Sold for £80, Vectis, September.**



Wells Brimtoy large tinplate clockwork Greenline Coach, dark green, with tinprinted balloon wheels, clockwork motor in working order, 7in long, in good condition. **Sold for £50, Vectis, May.**



Hornby tinplate speedboat 'Gannet', in original box, missing windscreen, in fair condition. **Sold for £32, Special Auction Services, September.**



German Gama tinplate clockwork Tank, dating from the 1950s, including axe and spade, opening hatch, missing one white rubber track, 7in long, in good condition with key. **Sold for £15, Vectis, February.**



Tri-ang Minic Articulated Pantechinon, post-1945 version, plated mudguards, plain grey back (possibly repainted), clockwork motor in working order, in very good condition. **Sold for £190, Vectis, July.**



Japanese Shudo clockwork tinplate Apollo NASA Astronaut, with vinyl arms, good condition. **Sold for £70, Special Auction Services, September.**

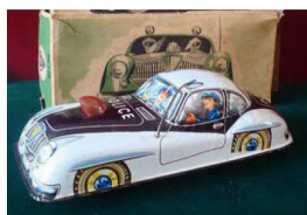
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Tri-ang Minic Tinplate Clockwork Jeep, in original box. Sold for £36, Reeman Dansie, May.



Technofix (Western Germany) 307 Coney Island, vacuum formed plastic roller coaster track, brightly coloured with various fairground scenes with attached tinplate start booth and two clockwork roller coaster cars, when operated the cars move around the track which has slots for the uphill sections and also incorporates some tinplate sections, box base is damaged and measures 21 x 15", 55 x 37cm, excellent box good with some taping. Sold for £90, Vectis, June.



Philip Niederreine PN Toys (Germany) friction drive Police Car, tinplate model is black/white with detailed tin printing very light wear to roof but generally excellent 21cm long in a fair mono coloured illustrated box. Sold for £40, Mullock's, June.



Tri-ang Minic Tinplate Clockwork Tip Lorry, in original box. Sold for £48, Reeman Dansie, May.



Technofix (Western Germany) Traffic Crossing with Policeman Control, tinplate baseboard, 19 x 6", 49 x 16cm with press in figure of eight roadway and lightly lithographed depicting various London scenes with two clockwork cars and a plastic "British Bobby" figure, when operated there are two controls, one which allows the cars to stop and go, the other makes the policeman figure rotate on his plinth, generally excellent in original box, fair to good with some signs of taping, a scarce item. Sold for £170, Vectis, June.



Marusan (Japan) battery operated "Go Stop Benz Racer" tinplate large scale Mercedes Benz Racing Car, silver, red with racing No.7, driver figure, steerable front wheels. Good, 10"/26cm, in a fair to good illustrated box with "Action Blightness, Thrill" (sic). Sold for £110, Vectis, February.



Tinplate Barrage Balloon, clockwork model is blue and white with orange writing to sides and RAF roundels, when fixed key wound, propellor turns. Marked 'Foreign', and with 'Trademark KK' symbol to side. Length 19cm approx. Good condition. Sold for £85, Aston's, April.

TPS (Japan) "Suzy Bouncing Ball" tinplate clockwork novelty, girl figure with hair and tartan skirt, in working order with hand movements. Good plus including illustrated box, 5"/13cm high. Sold for £70, Vectis, February.



SY Toys (Japan) tinplate "Mechanical Animal Carousel" (sic), tinprinted clockwork example featuring rotary fairground ride with four animals and bell, mechanism requires attention otherwise good plus to excellent for display, still with a good illustrated box with the amusing spelling mistake!, 7"/18cm. Sold for £90, Vectis, February.



MT Toys M-05 Caterpillar Tank, tinplate Tank Battery operated having three directions with shooting missile boxed Sold for £35, Mullock's, June.



Schucho Studio Steerable Mercedes No. 4, tinplate, finished in blue but missing steering wheel. Sold for £28, Reeman Dansie, August.



Technofix (Western Germany) 295 Traffic Control Set, brightly lithographed tinplate baseboard, 19 x 13", 49 x 34cm with pressed in roadway and various illustration of town and country scenes, two clockwork cars and a touring mini bus, when operated the vehicles move round the roadway and their directions and stop/start are controlled by four press levers at one edge of the board, generally near mint in original box, good plus and comes complete with various road signs for use on the base and a key. Sold for £150, Vectis, June.



Schuco (Germany) Kommando Anno car No.2000, dark blue tinplate body, with twin door bonnet opening, blowing mechanism working but is sold without key, little losses, minor rusting to windscreen **Sold for £45, Lacy, Scott & Knight, September.**



Nomura (Japan) battery operated "Patrol Auto Tricycle", scarce early example of the first version which is dark blue, cream, with tinprinted detail, tinplate uniformed Policeman driver with whistle and plastic cap, clean battery compartment - some light age wear to edges otherwise generally good plus to excellent, 10"/26cm, in a fair to good illustrated box. **Sold for £260, Vectis, February.**



Biller Germany tinplate remote control helicopter, a tinplate start and landing base connected to a clockwork helicopter with clockwork propeller, altitude level works, stop-and-go brake lever operates too, working order, signs of use but good. **Sold for £45, Lacy, Scott & Knight, September.**



Alps (Japan) tinplate "Mechanical Paddy The Leprechaun Shoemaker" novelty figure, tinprinted detail including jeans, trousers and red/white hooped shire, green felt jacket, red hat, tinprinted face, with hammer, tinplate shoe and nail still in his rubber hands, c.1950s, light age wear but generally a good plus to excellent example which has survived remarkably well, with hammering action and comes in a good plus card box with colourfully illustrated lid, 6.5"/26cm high. **Sold for £80, Vectis, April.**



Schuco (Germany) Studio Racing car No.1050, red body, racing number 3, chrome side exhaust, rubber tyres, washer has been incorrectly placed on the wheel, some signs of playwear to body, no key. **Sold for £80, Lacy, Scott & Knight, September.**



Yonezawa Jet Speed Racer, toy measures 17 1/2" long 6 1/2" wide and four 1/2" high to the top of the driver's head. Housed in original box but poor. **Sold for £220, Mullock's, March.**



Nomura (TN Toys Japan) "Solar-X" battery powered Space Rocket, 1960s large tinplate example with wheels, folding plastic wings, yellow boosters, light age wear but generally good plus to excellent for display in a good plus illustrated box, 16"/40cm high. **Sold for £110, Vectis, April.**



Tri-ang Minic Delivery Lorry, tinplate clockwork model, scarce early colour variation with brown cab, stone coloured chassis and rear body, some black superdetailing to wings and wheel hubs, motor requires attention otherwise good for display in a good illustrated card box. **Sold for £80, Vectis, April.**



Schuco Tinplate Akustico 2002 Clockwork Car, in cream with red interior and black hubs, in original box with instructions and original key, very good to excellent condition. **Sold for £70, Special Auction Services, May.**



Tri-ang Gyro-Cycle, red tinplate cycle frame with balloon wheels, and celluloid figure. Appears fair, figures body unattached from bicycle, in fair/passable box (tape to lid) with inner card. Together with a copy of the Gyro-Cycle advert from *The Meccano Magazine*. **Sold for £35, Aston's, April.**



Technofix (W.Germany) 303 Mechanical Cable Car Set, tinprinted base with two cable cars and two cars. Length 47cm. Clockwork operation in working order, very good condition in good box with a couple of small tears to lid. Superb example. **Sold for £80, Aston's, April.**



GAMA 300 Tinplate Friction Drive Cadillac Saloon Car, in off-white with red roof and plated bumpers, very good a few small paint chips and minor areas of rust on front bumper/side flashes **Sold for £380, Special Auction Services, May.**



Tri-ang Minic pre-war tinplate clockwork Carter Paterson Delivery Van, brick red cab, dark green van body with opening rear doors and locking bar, some black overpainting to the plated front wings, the hubs have been repainted brown and some superdetailing. A good original example with excellent side transfers. In working order with key and comes in a good card box. **Sold for £60, Vectis, April.**



Joustra France tinplate and clockwork looping stunt plane, tinplate base with terminal building that is attached to a stunt plane, various mechanisms including start/stop, searchlight, Morse code and looping position lever, some scuffs but good for age. **Sold for £35, Lacy, Scott & Knight, September.**



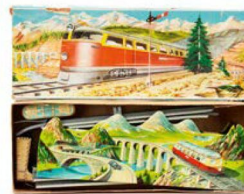
20th century tinplate model railway train of 'Overland Express', in original box. **Sold for £22, East Bristol Auctions.**



Schuco 4012 tinplate and clockwork radio car, blue body, red interior, two clockwork motors to operate radio and drive, aerial missing, windscreen cracked and some losses, original box with two associated keys. **Sold for £95, Lacy, Scott & Knight, September.**



Asahi (Japan) 1950s Canberra B-57 Bomber Plane, tinplate lithographed friction drive toy, when driven forward propellers turn, appears complete with wheels, red hub caps, and springs. good/very good condition. **Sold for £50, Aston's, April.**



Technofix Mountain-Express Train Set, hinged tinplate track and lithographed side panels with two additional track sections and a clockwork railcar, with instructions, in original box excellent, box very good to excellent. **Sold for £70, Special Auction Services, May.**



Wells Brimtoy Mechanical Growling Tiger, tinplate tiger with target in mouth, game includes two plastic guns (one with working trigger although not tested with shots, the other missing hammer and trigger loose), two plastic stands for tiger, and five shots. When target hit, tiger 'growls'. Overall appears good in fair box with inner card, tears to lid. **Sold for £20, Aston's, May.**



Mettoy Tinplate Monoplane, lithographed in yellow with orange and green detailing to wings and fuselage, marked 'Made in Great Britain', support wheel to rear, clockwork mechanism to power front wheels, propeller is free spinning, wings have initials CS and MTY on them, good for age and mechanism working, circa 1930. **Sold for £75, Lacy, Scott & Knight, September.**



Tri-ang Minic tinplate clockwork Articulated Fuel Tanker, with green standard cab, bright plated front wings, red Shell BP Fuel Oil Tanker Trailer in good plus working order. **Sold for £80, Vectis, April.**



1960s Japanese Attacking Martian tinplate robot, by SH Horikawa, grey/brown body, with opening chest doors to reveal two guns, red large feet with all rubber wheels apparent, little use, very good condition. **Sold for £130, Lacy, Scott & Knight, September.**



Rico (Spain) large tinplate friction drive Racing Motorcycle, tinprinted detail including rider, racing No.13 and clear plastic windscreens. Excellent in a good plus illustrated box, 10"/26cm. **Sold for £100, Vectis, April.**



Cragstan (Japan) Tinplate Ford Thunderbird with retractable top, large battery operated model is deep red with remote control cable attached fitted with retractable hardtop detailed tin printed interior and hub caps steerable front wheels plated parts. Very clean and working, 29cm long in a fair card box with illustrated lid. **Sold for £110, Mullock's, March.**

FOCUS ON... ROBOTS

Tinplate robots are one of the most colourful and unusual areas of tinplate collecting, with their fixed grins and flashing eyes, they're a wonderful throwback to the 'golden age' of tinplate manufacture. Part of Japan's success with tinplate robots was the huge popularity of science fiction and space travel in the '50s and '60s. What's more, as movie goers enjoyed films such as *Forbidden Planet* and *The Day the Earth Stood Still*, children were keen to get their hands on their very own robot at home. Some of the rarest robots are the Masudaya 'Gang of Five', which includes the Radicon example seen below. Also in the range is the Sonic Robot, Non Stop (Lavender) Robot, Target Robot and Machine Man... this is considered to be the rarest among the Gang.



Tin Litho Battery-Operated Robot, Japanese, Linemar. Also known as, domed easel-back robot. Working. Some crazing to battery remote. Box has had some professional restoration. **Sold for \$5,700, Morphy Auctions, September.**



Tin Litho & Painted Wind-Up Mechanical Robot, Japanese, Linemar. Also known as an easel-back robot. Riveted version. With minor crazing, otherwise excellent. Includes box which is missing top flap with a glued bottom flap. **Sold for \$3,000, Morphy Auctions, September.**



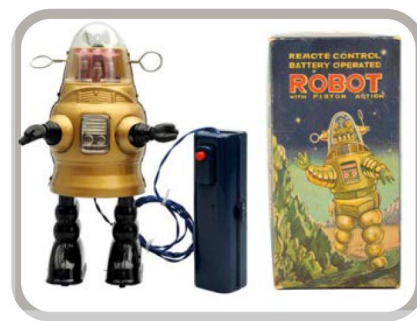
Tin Litho & Painted Battery-Op Machine Robot, Japanese, Horikawa. Working. Includes original box with inserts. **Sold for \$1,020, Morphy Auctions, September.**



Tin Litho Wind-Up Interplanetary Explorer Robot, Japanese, Naito Shoten. Working. Minor crazing to foot. Original box included which has a one inch piece of paper missing to side panel and some creasing. **Sold for \$22,800, Morphy Auctions, September.**



Tin Litho & Painted Battery-Operated Mighty Robot, Japanese, Yoshiya. Working. Includes original box that is lightly aged with minor creases. **Sold for \$5,400, Morphy Auctions, September.**



Tin Painted Battery-Operated Pistol Action Robot, Japanese, Nomura. Also known as Pug Robby. Rare variation with rotating antennas. Working. One hand is detached but present. Battery remote is a vintage replacement as is the wire. Includes a rare variation of the original box. **Sold for \$8,400, Morphy Auctions, September.**



Tin Litho Painted Battery-Operated Rocket Man, Japanese, ALPS. Working. Original box included. **Sold for \$10,200, Morphy Auctions, September.**



Painted Tin Battery-Operated Mystery Moon Man, Japanese, Yoshiya. Working. One light scratch on the face and one light rub on one of the back edges. **Sold for \$3,000, Morphy Auctions, September.**



Tin Litho Painted Battery-Operated Radicon Robot, Japanese, Masudaya. Working. Inside of battery box and battery remote have some minor crazing. Also with minor wear to top of head. Includes box with original instruction pamphlet. **Sold for \$37,200, Morphy Auctions, September.**



Technofix (Western Germany) Motor Scooter with Rider, Passenger and Dog, tinplate friction drive model with colourful lithographed detail, registration 'GE-292' to rear, length 21cm, height 18cm. Good plus condition, drivers arm partly unattached from body (required bending back in place). **Sold for £85, Aston's, July.**



Japanese tinplate Super Astronaut Robot, SH Horikawa, grey tinplate body, plastic face mask with concealed human face, twin opening chest doors reveal light-up guns, swinging arms and red boots, in associated fighting Robot Horikawa box. **Sold for £100, Lacy, Scott & Knight, September.**



Paya (Spain) No.978 large tinplate clockwork Motorcycle with sidecar, of recent limited edition production, detailed tinprinting including rider and sidecar passenger, with horn, spoked wheels. Excellent plus to near mint with key and certificate, including box with illustrated lid, 12"/29cm long. **Sold for £40, Vectis, April.**



SFA Terre Mars tinplate Spaceship, multi coloured lithographed, 6" wide - would benefit from cleaning otherwise good plus. **Sold for £40, Vectis, August.**



Technofix tinplate clockwork Rocket Express toy, length approx 37cm, with two spaceships (some playwear and rubbing). **Sold for £20, Toovey's, July.**



Scalex tinplate Aston Martin DB2, red body, black base and wheels - overall condition is generally good plus (does require some slight attention in cleaning) in good plus presentation carded diorama box. **Sold for £60, Vectis, April.**



Bandai (Japan) large tinplate battery operated Mercedes 230 4-door Taxi, scarce example is black, with illuminated "Taxi" sign to roof, tinprinted interior detail, opening rear passenger door, bright plated parts, includes radiator mascot, light play wear but overall good plus to excellent, 10"/26cm long. **Sold for £70, Vectis, April.**



Triang Minic No.2 Jeep, Olive drab US star to bonnet cast hubs working mechanism. Clean example in fair pictorial box (missing jerry can). **Sold for £45, Mullock's, June.**



TN Toys of Japan Mystery Action Plane, battery operated tinplate Aircraft has USAF markings with flashing light silver white red with detailed tin printed cockpit and pilot great condition 28cm long in a poor illustrated box missing one side (this is the early example). **Sold for £130, Mullock's, March.**



Wells Brimtoy No. 706 'Toytown Painters and Decorators' lorry with ladder, length approx 18cm, boxed (some playwear, box creased and scuffed). **Sold for £65, Toovey's, July.**



Tri-ang Minic Tinplate Clockwork Shutter Van, red example, Minic Transport transfers opening rear door cast metal hubs with thick tyres in original box condition. Very clean example. **Sold for £130, Mullock's, March.**



Bing tinplate clockwork open top double deck bus with external staircase and driver canopy, lithographed with destination boards and advertisements, length approx 18cm. **Sold for £2,800, Toovey's, July.**



Early ERTL tinplate Alpha Beta articulated refrigerator lorry, cream with rubber tyres, and Alpha Beta transfers, some playwear. **Sold for £30, Lacy, Scott & Knight, September.**

FOCUS ON... LEHMANN

Founded in 1881 in Brandenburg, Germany by Ernst Paul Lehmann, the Lehmann Company is renowned for its detailed and brightly lithographed mechanical tin toys. Lehmann began to see great success in the early 20th century when its sophisticated, lightweight tin toys were recognized as innovations next to the blocky iron toys of most other makers. One of Lehmann's advances was the patenting of the locking mechanism for clockwork motors. Lehmann made many tin toy sets with human or animal figures. The human figures included skiers, car drivers, chair carriers with passenger, and tap dancers. Among the animal figures were donkeys, mules, ostriches, and zebras. The company gave all of its toys individual names, which were often embossed on the product itself.



Reich Post Delivery Van, Germany, lithographed tin, done in red body, seated driver in open bench seat, enclosed van body, opening rear doors, spoke wheels, clockwork gears. Sold for \$1,003, Bertoia Auctions, May.



Paddy and the Pig, hand painted tin, an amusing and whimsical depiction of an Irishman riding a pig with blanket saddle, figure wears cloth outfit, clockwork driven, a classic Lehmann toy. Sold for \$1,003, Bertoia Auctions, May.



Echo, lithographed tin, well detailed toy cyclist on early spoke wheel model, clockwork driven, reads "Echo" on both sides. Sold for \$2,655, Bertoia Auctions, May.



Panne (Grey) with partial box, lithographed tin, done in grey body with embossed red upholstered interior, seated driver, clockwork driven, spoke wheels. Sold for \$1,770, Bertoia Auctions, May.



Zulu, clockwork driven, black figure holds harness on ostrich drawn cart, mail slot appears on back of wagon. Sold for \$1,534, Bertoia Auctions, May.



Zig-Zag, desirable rocking car toy features two seated riders in gondola supported by large spoke wheels, clockwork mechanism. Sold for \$1,003, Bertoia Auctions, May.



Also (Yellow), lithographed tin, runabout model, done in yellow and orange, seated driver, clockwork driven. Sold for \$413, Bertoia Auctions, May.



Na-Nu, zebra drawn cart, colorful rendition, seated driver, spoke wheels, clockwork driven, wild actions. Sold for \$413, Bertoia Auctions, May.



Panne (blue), done in bright blue, embossed interior, seated driver, missing flag hood ornament, clockwork driven. Sold for \$1,298, Bertoia Auctions, May.



Tri-ang Minic Clockwork Long Bonnet Minic Dairies Tanker, having blue cab and white tanker still retaining original transfers in original box. **Sold for £120, Mullock's, March.**



1950s Marx Toys Big Top Circus, lithographed metal tent with flags and poles, circus people and animals and accessories. All housed in original card illustrated box. **Sold for £140, Mullock's, March.**



Battery operated Capsule 6, Japanese, with original box. **Sold for £300, Boldon Auction Galleries, June.**



Tinplate Toy Garage by Mettoy, some minor parts missing and showing significant signs of aging, however would benefit from a clean. **Sold for £60, Sheffield Auction Gallery, June.**



Mettoy Clockwork Tinplate Aeroplane, English c1950s cream blue and red blue lettering 'Mettoy Airways' registration number 'Ga-Agx' 38 cm long 51 cm wingspan (working order). **Sold for £220, Mullock's, March.**



Russian Tinplate Crane Lorry, blue with printed detail, with a working, revolving jib, the underside of the chassis marked 'Made in USSR', generally good to fair condition, boxed, the box fair. **Sold for £30, Dreweatts, June.**



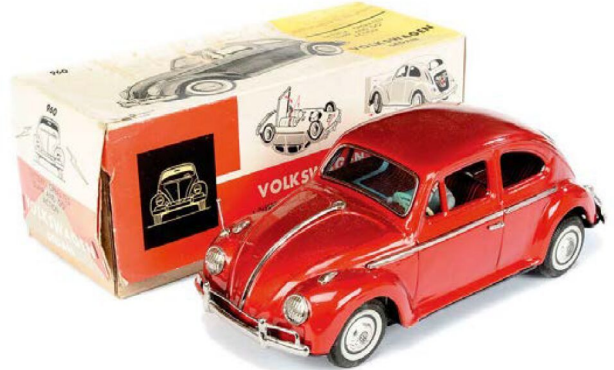
Large 1960s Tinplate Articulated Inter-City Transport Truck, by Marx, Swansea. In good plus condition. Boxed, wear to box. **Sold for £50, Sheffield Auction Gallery, June.**



WW1 Type Tinplate Tank with Spring Fired Gun, G.u.K. - Greppert & Keld, Germany, circa, 1925. Rubber tracks and operable clockwork motor (key present). Finished in silver with red drive wheels and turret. Some age wear otherwise generally excellent overall. **Sold for £50, Vectis, April.**



An Early 20th Century Tinplate Clockwork Male Peacock, marked Ebo Pao Pao to base, German, and with working bellows and articulated neck, in very good condition for age, 24 cm long. **Sold for £210, Sheffield Auction Gallery, April.**



Bandai (Japan) large scale tinplate Volkswagen Beetle Sedan, scarce example is metallic red, with tinprinted brown interior seating, plastic driver, bright plated parts, rubber tyres, an excellent example with clear plastic engine cover to rear and a clean battery compartment, comes in illustrated box, 10.5"/27cm long. **Sold for £150, Vectis, April.**



Schuco 5503 Elektro phenomenal Mercedes, tinplate and plastic car, sage green body, red interior, black tonneau, original wooden bollards, with steering wheel, packing piece missing in box and box lid split to one side. **Sold for £90, Lacy, Scott & Knight, September.**



Rico (Spain) very large tinplate Ford Galaxie Fire Chief's Car, impressive battery operated model, 19"/48cm long, in "Jefe De Bomberos" Spanish Fire Service livery, red with white doors, tinprinted interior detail, wired for illuminated roof beacon and mystery action to underside, some small scratches to roof but overall excellent for display. **Sold for £100, Vectis, April.**



Stock's 'Paddy's Pride' New Original Mechanical Toy No.130, in the form of a tinplate pig-cart, the aproned seated driver with an integrally modelled whip in his right hand, and string reins attached to the pig's ears in his left hand, fitted with a clockwork motor, the cart marked 'Made in Germany', in original card box with pictorial paper label to lid (model and box in very good, working condition). **Sold for £500, Dreweatts, May.**



German tinplate "Los Angeles" tinplate Penny Toy, side propellers revolve as rear tube is blown into, circa 1920s. Good plus for display, 4" / 10cm long. Sold for £110, Vectis, February.



MSK (Japan) tinplate Military Jeep, friction drive green tinplate model, 19cm, green with US Army markings, two tinplate figure with rotating "dish" to rear - overall good plus. Sold for £60, Vectis, February.



Mettoy (UK) "Giant" tinplate clockwork Racing Car, impressive large scale example 38cm long c1948 first version light blue with yellow tin printing steerable front wheels with red seating and interior cockpit details fitted with substantial clockwork motor driving rear wheels and brake lever racing number 7 overall rust spots but nice scarce item comes with key. Sold for £150, Mullock's, June.



Marx Toys (USA) Jumpin Jeep, tinplate clockwork novelty Military vehicle with four seated figures, with permanent key, 14cm - overall good. Sold for £30, Vectis, February.



Tri-ang Minic tinplate clockwork Ambulance, scarce early example is white with cast metal hubs white cross on red background opening rear doors with securing bar wooden interior. Good plus example in working order. Sold for £70, Mullock's, June.



German station porter and motorised trolley tinplate toy, with a clockwork mechanism, the blue-uniformed standing figure with an arm-raising action, the trolley loaded with a trunk lithographed with destination labels and with a hinged lid, good condition, 11.5cm long. Sold for £150, Drewatts, May.



Hess (Germany) tinplate Hessmobil 1022 limousine with flywheel mechanism, dark green lithographed tinplate body with detail, black canopy roof, pressed tinplate driver figure, 21cm long, c.1920. Sold for £130, Bamfords, May.



Matchbox Moko early tinplate clockwork "Jumbo" Elephant, overall condition is generally good Still displays well. Sold for £100, Vectis, February.



Marx Toys (Japan) Atomic Submarine, battery powered remote control tinplate model is grey with detailed tin printed exterior red plastic coning tower with five plastic missiles light grey upper dark grey lower remote control cable attached. Good example 34cm in good colourfully illustrated box. Sold for £130, Mullock's, June.



A tinplate articulated petrol tanker, probably by Mettoy, circa 1940, printed in red and yellow 'B.P.' livery, with a clockwork motor, 19.5cm long. Sold for £40, Drewatts, February.



Ichiko (Japan) tinplate and friction driven Police car, black and white lithographed body with detailed interior, 'Highway Patrol' and 'Police Patrol', two red and white plastic beacon lights to roof, wire aerial to rear side, 29cm long, unboxed, c.1960. Sold for £55, Bamfords, May.



Japanese Battery Powered Combat GI, made by Tomy. Working. Comes with remote control. Depicts GI shooting a machine gun. Lights up, shoots cap and has recoil action. Includes original box with some creasing. Size 10 - 1 1/4" long. Sold for £100, Mullock's, June.

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JNF (W.Germany) No.82 Mercedes 'Record' Racing Car, tinplate friction drive model is red with detailed cockpit interior, steerable front wheels, rubber tyres, and plated exhaust pipes. Length 24.5cm. Sold for £130, Aston's, November.



Johann Hess (JHL, Germany) Tinplate Boy on Toboggan, lithographed figure wears grey top, bobble hat and socks, blue trousers, and brown shoes, and rides yellow sleigh with friction drive mechanism. Sold for £300, Aston's, November.



Lehmann (Germany) EPL No.500 Paddy and the Pig, clockwork tinplate model, village boy 'Paddy' riding large pig. Length 13.5cm. Sold for £320, Aston's, November.



Einfalt Clockwork Autogyro, with orange/cream striped body, yellow tail fin and chromed rota blades, 3.5", 8.5cm long, generally good to good plus but lacks propeller. Sold for £70, Vectis, January.



Chad Valley Open Wheel Racing Car, primarily in red with black detailing and Union Jack to both sides with rear stub fin, clockwork 12", 29cm, good plus. Sold for £90, Vectis, January.



Mettoy friction Saloon Car, lithograph primarily in red/yellow with colour lithographed figures in windows, registration BAM 358, 11", 28cm, excellent, this car is in exceptionally good condition and has no discernable fading. Sold for £60, Vectis, January.



Possible Mettoy friction Racing Gyro Car closed wheel racer, primarily in red with blue/yellow/white detailing and Racing No.19 with plastic head and shoulders of driver figure, excellent in good to fair original box but lacking one large flap from one end and one large flat and part of box top at the other, 11", 28cm. Sold for £60, Vectis, January.



Made in England miniature turntable railway, British Railways consisting of track way locomotive runs from a tunnel to the far end turns round, returns picks up truck, returns journey and repeats, good plus to excellent, 30", 33cm long in good original box with colour label. Sold for £20, Vectis, January.



'Fun Fair Flyer' Tinplate Toy, made in England: consisting of figure of eight track with colourful tinprinted detail depicting circus scene, with two passenger cars. Clockwork driven with fixed key to base. Sold for £110, Aston's, November.



Huki (Western Germany) friction Airliner, lithographed in orange/cream/blue with four wing jet engines lithograph to top, registration C111 566, excellent, a little deterioration to tail plane, 8.5", 21cm long in original colour box, fair to poor. Sold for £60, Vectis, January.



Mettoy (UK) Happy Hayseed and his Bucking Tractor, 1950s: tinplate clockwork model is red and yellow with tinprinted detail and balloon wheels, includes 'Hayseed' figure on cast metal seat with steering wheel, fixed key to base. Sold for £40, Aston's, November.



KO (Japan) Clockwork Circus Car, brightly lithographed Ford T style car with clown musician, a ringmaster and other figures lithographed in windows, with tube to top which when operated blows air to float a polystyrene ball above the car as it moves along (note polystyrene ball missing) otherwise excellent in good plus to excellent colour box. Sold for £40, Vectis, January.



Yonezawa (Japan) large American DC7 tinplate Aeroplane, battery operated model in American Airlines livery, two plastic blades are broken, includes interior passengers and hostess figure, with separate passenger boarding steps. **Sold for £120, Mullock's, November.**



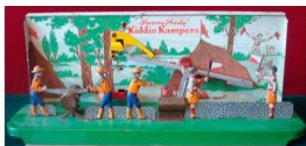
Nomura (TN) Japan Tinplate Steam Tractor, good clean example with very bright lithography appears complete having clicking mechanism. **Sold for £50, Mullock's, November.**



Chad Valley (Harborne) Green Line Bus, clockwork tinplate model with lithographed detailing, destination 'Aldgate and Brentwood', length 15cm. Lacks one headlight and baseplate dented slightly, some age wear, otherwise good with motor in working order. **Sold for £45, Aston's, December.**



Matchbox Moko Jumbo the Mechanical Elephant, tinplate clockwork elephant with colourful lithographed detailing, length 11cm, height 9cm. Good/very good, lacks string tail. **Sold for £80, Aston's, December.**



Wolverine Sunny Andy Kiddie Kampers, featuring five moving scout figures sawing wood, chopping wood and waving flags. Powered by a clockwork ball bearing mechanism. **Sold for £180, Mullock's, November.**



Tucher and Walther (US Zone of Germany) #905/1000 Jumbo Eis Elephant, tinplate clockwork toy featuring elephant on Jumbo Eis tricycle with spinner to end of trunk, length 19cm, height 21cm. **Sold for £45, Aston's, December.**



Tinplate Clockwork Bus, French six-wheeler trolley bus with metal guides to roof, in cream and green livery. Working order. **Sold for £100, Mullock's, November.**



Nomura (Japan) Busy Secretary, battery operated tinplate figure with plastic head, sitting in red chair with detailed tinted desk and typewriter, 'Always be a good boy and a good girl' to label. Very good with a few light scratches, in very good box with inner card. **Sold for £160, Aston's, November.**



Burnett Ltd, London (Made in England), tinplate and clockwork delivery van, green, black and yellow body, with Co-Operative Society Ltd livery, with black running boards, tinplate wheels with black hubs and grey tyres, fixed with a simple coil-spring mechanism with fixed permanent key. **Sold for £1,150, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.**



Wells of London, tinplate and clockwork fire engine, red and yellow body with yellow extendable ladder, fading to bonnet, two firemen seated figures. **Sold for £110, Aston's, November.**



Made in England Clockwork Stunt Plane, consisting of Propeller Monoplane of simple form with plastic disc propeller which rotates via a metal rod attached to a radar stand above an airport building and is controlled via a level extending from the building, generally good plus in a fair to good original box, torn with original typed instruction leaflet. **Sold for £25, Vectis, January.**



Nomura (Japan) Monkey the Sheriff, clockwork tinplate monkey 'fires' guns and moves arms, height 17cm. Good with a couple of stains to trousers, in good box. **Sold for £95, Aston's, November.**



Yonezawa (Japan) Piggy Cook, novelty mechanical toy features yellow tinplate base, white cooker, plastic pig with blue checked shirt and red trousers. Complete with chef's hat, pepper pot, frying pan, and tinplate fried egg. **Sold for £95, Aston's, November.**



Lehmann 752 Zikra Zebra cart, Lithographed clockwork two-wheel cart with seated rider in green top and cream trousers and yellow and green pointed hat, zebra with red ears and cord tail, good. **Sold for £250, Bonhams, December.**



Japanese Yoshiya Chief Robot Man, Blue and red tinplate body with green and red plastic cover to front, white and red head with chrome features and light to top. **Sold for £212, Bonhams, December.**



Horikawa (Japan) Fighting Robot, 1960s: tinplate battery operated robot is grey with red feet, clear plastic panel to chest revealing detailed tinprinting underneath, clear plastic dome to head with green and orange cogs. Height 28cm. Fair, corrosion to rear and battery compartment, arm has been repaired **Sold for £110, Aston's, November.**



Bandai (Japan) Mercedes Benz 250SL, two door battery operated convertible is red with detailed tinprinted interior, plastic driver figure, and two lights to rear. Length 25cm. Very good condition. **Sold for £100, Aston's, November.**



Bandai (Japan) tinplate Volkswagen Beetle, large scale battery operated model is cream with tinprinted interior, clear plastic engine cover to rear, plated parts, blue headlights, on/off switch to base. Length 36cm. **Sold for £100, Aston's, November.**



Masudaya (Japan) 'Expert Motorcyclist', 1958: large tinplate battery operated motorcycle is black with detailed tinprinting, 'Atom' to side of fuel tank, stabiliser wheels, with rider in brown jacket, yellow trousers and blue helmet, includes illuminating headlight. **Sold for £300, Aston's, November.**

Schuco 1013 Mirako Pete, tinplate clockwork motorcycle featuring boy rider with blonde hair. Length 13cm. Some wear to plated parts but otherwise good plus, motor in working order. **Sold for £110, Aston's, December.**



Lehmann 773 Masuyama Rickshaw Man with Collie hat and red trousers, pulling a rickshaw with spring mechanism, seated woman having parasol and holding a fan, wearing a lithographed blue Kimono with flower decoration **Sold for £1,125, Bonhams, December.**



Lehmann 645 Quack Quack, lithographed in various colours, walking duck pulls a two wheel clockwork woven basket with three excited ducklings, good. **Sold for £275, Bonhams, December.**



Lehmann 490 Tut Tut Automobile, circa 1910, cream and red car with driver blowing a horn, clockwork mechanism to rear wheels operating front wheel steering and bellows (fair some paint chips and rubbing, some small rust spots). **Sold for £375, Bonhams, December.**



Minic Petrol Tank Wagon, dark blue cab, red back bearing triangular decals to both sides, good plus box. **Sold for £50, Vectis, March.**



Tada Scouting X-8 Spaceship, working, some factory touch up on red areas, minor scuffing. **Sold for \$720, Morphy Auctions, February.**



Tri-ang Minic Pre-War No.39M Taxi, tinplate clockwork model in green and black, with 'Shell Petrol' can, registration 'LBL174', tinplate hubs with black tyres. Length 10.5cm. F, some surface corrosion to plated parts, motor in working order, unboxed. **Sold for £190, Aston's, April.**



Yoshia Wind-up Space Whale, working, could clean to a better grade. Scratching throughout. **Sold for \$360, Morphy Auctions, February.**



Mettoy tinplate and mechanical tractor and plough set, comprising of tinplate and clockwork tractor with orange and yellow body and grey wheels, accompanied by a heavy cast metal model plough finished in orange, original box, with original key. **Sold for £190, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Victory Industries VIP battery operated Austin Somerset in maroon, in original box, good to very good, box fair to good. **Sold for £80, Special Auction Services, July.**



Tin Litho Friction Robot Car, Japanese. Mercedes emblem on front. Working silver version. Some oxidation to bare metal parts and some scratching and wear. Front gun has tab broke off and is loose. **Sold for \$330, Morphy Auctions, July.**



Tin Litho Friction Fire Engine Ladder Truck, Japanese. Includes original box with nice color graphics. Marked 'Made In Japan'. Has cardboard piece that covers cab and four original tin litho full figure firemen. Minor scratching to cab roof. **Sold for \$150, Morphy Auctions, July.**



Lehmann No.970 Nina, tinplate and clockwork cat and mouse novelty toy, very scarce, comprising of a large black and white cat with green collar, original mouse connected by a rod, mouse has been re-glued to rod, mechanism needs attention, some age wear but overall good condition. **Sold for £440, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Taiyo Battery Operated Mercedes Benz with non-fall mystery bump and go action, red with interior detailing and plastic bonnet mascot, excellent, battery box good, one of the contacts appears corroded and loose 10", 26cm in fair to good box. **Sold for £60, Vectis, March.**



Wells/Brimtoy Tinplate and Clockwork Army Lorry, 3-tone camouflage painted body with brown grille and brown tin wheels, mechanism operated freely. **Sold for £70, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Gescha (West Germany) Manoeuvring Tank, tinplate and clockwork vehicle, printed in greens, greys and camouflage, hull mounted shovel and pick axe, pop-up commander, with aerial and white tracks, with correct remote, some playwear. **Sold for £55, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**

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Construction Robot, small crack in the wheel barrow. Toy very good. Sold for \$390, Morphy Auctions, February.



Alps (Japan) Cubby the Reading Bear, tinplate and clockwork 1950s bear, in original box with original book. Sold for £35, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Modern Toys (Japan) Atom tinplate motorbike, large scale battery operated motorbike, with detailed tin printing, rubber front tyre, rider has brown jacket, yellow trousers and blue crash helmet, illuminated front headlight, clean battery compartment with original cover, 31cm in length, very few chips. Sold for £300, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Tri-ang Minic 29M traffic control car, post-war standard version, dark blue body, black mudguards and running boards, black speaker, very little paint loss, in original worn blue and white box. Sold for £85, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Louis Marx (USA) Clockwork Police Motorcycle, with two outrider wheels and police figure, registration 193. 4.5", 11.5cm. Sold for £30, Vectis, March.



Horikawa New Fighting Robot, new Fighting Robot variation, working and includes original box. Sold for \$1,320, Morphy Auctions, February.



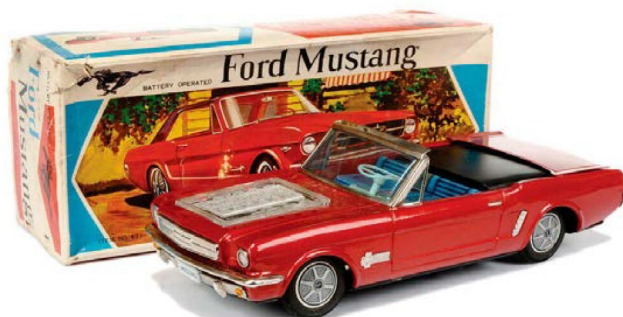
Made in England Clockwork Motorcycle with Clown figure, alternately dismounts and remounts the motorcycle, registration MS629 with two outrider wheels (both lacking tyres), brightly lithographed in red/blue/cream, figure in clown costume, overall fair to good. 5.5", 14cm. Sold for £190, Vectis, March.



Mr. Mercury, working, includes original box. Battery remote has a couple of small burn marks. Some damage to box. Sold for \$1,320, Morphy Auctions, February.



Minic Short Bonnet Shutter Van, red near mint with cast hubs in excellent original box. Sold for £100, Vectis, March.



Yonezawa Battery Operated Ford Mustang Convertible, red with interior seat detailing, retractable roof and mystery action with clear plastic cover to engine, good plus to excellent, battery box good plus in good original box with a few tears. 13", 33cm. Sold for £130, Vectis, March.



Minic Taxi, blue/black, generally good plus, some scratching mainly around keyhole with meter arm in good plus original box with label to side titled "Minic London Taxi" providing information regarding to prototype. Sold for £90, Vectis, March.



Masudaya X-07 Space Surveillant, working, some light crazing to the top and minor scratches. Battery box has areas of crazing and oxidation. Sold for \$180, Morphy Auctions, February.

SPOTLIGHT Lehmann

Taking a look at the history of one of the world's best tinplate toy makers.



Dating back to the late 19th century, Lehmann is among the oldest toy manufacturers. Its complicated but charming designs have become extremely popular, which means they've become extremely sought after with vintage tinplate collectors.

Founded in 1881 in Brandenburg, Germany by Ernst Paul Lehmann, the Lehmann Company is renowned for its detailed and brightly lithographed mechanical tin toys. Lehmann began to see great success in the early 20th century when its sophisticated, lightweight tin toys were recognised as innovations next to the blocky iron toys of most other makers.

Lehmann made many tin toy sets with human or animal figures. The human figures included skiers, car drivers, chair carriers with passenger, and tap dancers. Among the animal figures were donkeys, mules, ostriches, and zebras. The company gave all of its toys individual names, which were often embossed on the product itself. The toys were also embossed with Lehmann's trademark, 'EPL' or simply 'e'.

In 1921, Lehmann's cousin

Johannes Richter joined the firm and helped to continue the Lehmann tradition of innovation with the Skirolf Skier and various cleverly devised toys. Other famous Lehmann tin toys included the Ikarus airplane and the Tut Tut car, complete with honking horn.

During the 1920s the firm manufactured more than 100 different toy models and employed over 800 workers. The toys were exported around the world with German-English instructions. The process of lithographing the tinplate was replaced with spray painting, then baking at 120 degrees to create an even enamelled surface.

With the passing of Ernst Lehmann in 1934, Richter continued to run the company on his own. Though Lehmann struggled with metal shortages during World War II, it continued to function at reduced capacity. Remarkably, Lehmann not only

escaped giving over its production to the war effort, but successfully opposed requests to manufacture politically endorsed military-themed toys.

After the war, the occupiers nationalised Lehmann's and placed it under the name of VEB Mechanische Spielwaren, and it was considered East Germany's foremost tin toy maker. After the 1948 seizure, Richter escaped to Nuremberg in West Germany. The Richter family established a new toy company in a modest back garden workshop in 1950 until his death in 1956.

The family built a new factory under the Lehmann name in 1959 outside Nuremberg. As the popularity of tin toys decreased, the new company focused on plastic toys, which were becoming more popular, while it resumed some of its most favoured tin lines into the 1970s. In 1968, Richter's sons introduced the LGB brand

- Lehmann Gross Bahn or Big Railway - G scale model trains and railroads. LGB's weather-resistant sets created a resurgence in garden railway modelling.

In the 1980s, LGB began to expand into the US with a California based warranty and repair facility. The company introduced its LGB Multi-Train System in the 1990s, a digital program that coordinated several trains to run on one track simultaneously. In this decade, LGB also established a distribution centre in New Jersey.

As the 2000s dawned, LGB developed a digital decoding system for its locomotives, enabling them to operate on either analogue or digital sets without conversions. In 2006, American LGB spun off into a separate company, while LGB in Germany declared bankruptcy. Märklin bought the firm in 2007, and continued the LGB brand. ■



Yoshia Sky Patrol Flying Saucer, working, includes original box. Toy excellent to near mint, box is excellent. **Sold for \$210, Morphy Auctions, February.**



TYDY (Pre-War Japan) Clockwork Military Motorcycle, camouflage colours with sparking machine gun to front and articulated celluloid Japanese soldier figure in pink, two outrider wheels. 6.5", 16cm, good to good plus showing a little sign of rusting. **Sold for £150, Vectis, March.**



Distler Double Deck clockwork "Fares Please" Bus, lithographed in red with adverts for Virol, Bovril and others, destination route 29 to Toyland and "General" to sides, the toy has a conductor figure on the open top deck that moves from front to back of the bus when operated collecting fares, generally good to fair. 8", 20cm. **Sold for £500, Vectis, March.**



Yachio (Japan) friction Ford Fairlane Ambulance, in cream with large red cross to roof, lithograph interior, chromed bumper and other detailing, good plus to excellent. 11" 27cm. **Sold for £80, Vectis, March.**



Marx Colonel Hap Hazard Robot, includes original box, toy has original antenna. Some tears to box. **Sold for \$3,300, Morphy Auctions, February.**



Linemar (Japan) Airporter Bus, tinplate blue/silver/white bus, battery operated with remote control unit, length 26cm. Good/very good, battery compartment retains original card insert, contained in passable repaired box. **Sold for £50, Aston's, April.**



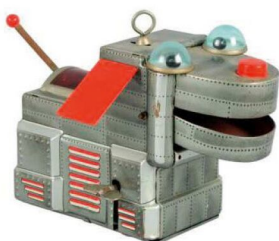
GEM (Japan) Friction Super Racer Open-wheel Racing Car, in cream/red with various advertising, tin driver figure and chrome exhaust to right hand side, racing No.42, fair to good. 18", 46cm. **Sold for £460, Vectis, March.**



Horikawa Piston Robot, working, box has original inserts. **Sold for \$570, Morphy Auctions, February.**



Daiya (Japan) Highway Patrol Car, battery operated tinplate police car in black and white, with tinplate detailing, plastic windscreen, and two policemen. Length 35cm. Very good with a few minor scratches, unboxed. **Sold for £55, Aston's, April.**



Yoshia Wind-up Motor Space Dog, working, includes original box, some scratches to side of dog's face. **Sold for \$450, Morphy Auctions, February.**



Gunthermann Double Deck Half Cab 6-wheel clockwork Bus, in red/cream with silver roof, internal bench seating and staircase with "General" to both sides, LS2 to bonnet, driver figure and SG logo to rear, the bus is also fitted with electric lamps to front, overall good to good plus. 14", 35cm. **Sold for £600, Vectis, March.**



Bandai (Japan) Red Cross Ambulance, tinplate model with Red Cross to roof, plastic windscreen, length 29cm. Good, friction drive inoperative, in passable box. **Sold for £90, Aston's, April.**



'Golden Jet' Jet Racer, Japanese tinplate friction drive racing car with colourful tinprinted detailing and racing number '10', length 25cm. Very good in good box. Sold for £40, Aston's, April.



Wells/Brimtoy (?) Made in Great Britain Supersonic two tone Space Patrol Whistle, lithographed in red/blue with astronaut face on original card backing depicting various space scenes, card 6 x 3", 15 x 8 cm, good plus. Sold for £60, Vectis, March.



Alps (Japan) Television Spaceman Robot, tinplate battery operated robot in dark grey with clear plastic television screen to chest, plastic hands and feet, and plastic battery compartment cover. Height 28cm. Good/fair, lacks antenna. Sold for £80, Aston's, April.



Nomura (Japan) Space Pistol, tinplate battery operated pistol 'with flashing light and noise', length 17.5cm. Good in fair/passable box. Sold for £55, Aston's, April.



Marx (Great Britain) Streamline Speedway, tinplate track together with two clockwork cars. Good/fair in fair/passable box with repaired lid. Sold for £40, Aston's, April.



Huntley and Palmer boxed Tribrek Motor Van, tin lithographed in royal blue with gold lettering to sides, Huntley & Palmers Ginger Nuts, Tribrek in black to front of roof, lithographed detailed front and driver to sides. Sold for £2,500, Bonhams, May.



Schuco Kommando Anno Car No.2000, dark blue tinplate body, twin door bonnet opening, mechanism appears very clean but untested, surface rusting to grille, some losses to paintwork, in original box. Sold for £70, Lacy, Scott & Knight, May.



Tin S.Y. Wind-Up Mechanical Robot with Spark, Japanese. Walking robot. Good color and gloss throughout. Includes scarce original box. Box has some creasing. Sold for \$180, Morphy Auctions, July.



Lehmann 570 EHE Delivery Lorry, cream/red with tinplate driver figure, front wheels fixed to steer in circle, good plus to excellent in good plus original box with generally excellent label that has part of area around the Lehman Trade Mark obscured. Sold for £600, Vectis, March.

Schuco (Germany) a rare early clockwork car with Monkey driver, lithographed in green with plush covered monkey wearing glasses, red hat and scarf, with early Schuco trademark to rear, generally good to good plus, model lacks lever to adjust gear on left hand side. 7", 17cm. Sold for £1,900, Vectis, March.



Jep (France) clockwork Bugatti Racing Car, in red and tinplate driver figure, RN3, good to good plus. 13", 33cm. Sold for £520, Vectis, March.

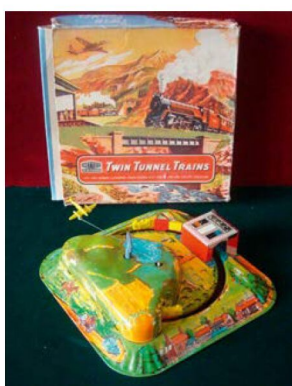


Masudaya X9 Space Robot Car, includes original box - some minor edge wear and creasing. Toy near mint. Sold for \$3,600, Morphy Auctions, February.





Tin Litho Marx Wind-Up Tractor, Toy circa late 1920s. Very early version. Colorful original box. Marked 'Self Reversing Tractor'. Unusual original driver and key. Box has original inserts. **Sold for \$1,140, Morphy Auctions, July.**



Mettoy Twin Tunnel Trains, clockwork scenic railway with two trains and circling plane. Complete with original key and illustrated box. **Sold for £40, Mullock's, July.**



Suzuki & Edwards (S&E) Tinplate Battery Operated Interceptor 1960s boxed example, height 34cm, tinplate body and plastic blades. **Sold for £100, Mullock's, July.**



Lemezar Gyar Hungary, tinplate and battery operated 'Airflow Hold Auto' car lithographed body with plastic driver and windscreen, polystyrene ball, red plastic rear lights and aerial, clean battery compartment with original cardboard box and instructions. **Sold for £25, Lacy, Scott & Knight, May.**



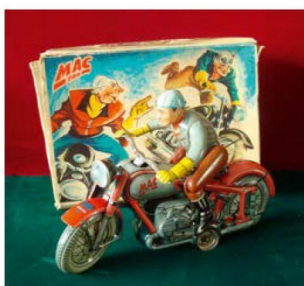
Distler lithographed tin and clockwork bus, finished in blue, red, white and creams, roof opens to reveal seating area, missing driver, clockwork needs attention, significant rust damage. **Sold for £170, Lacy, Scott & Knight, May.**



Tri-ang Tinplate Bottle Lorry, good example, including 20 original bottles. Overall in clean condition. **Sold for £20, Mullock's, July.**



Horikawa Mr Xerox, battery operated robot dark metallic grey body, gold feet, orange/yellow cap, some corrosion to body, clean battery box, some fading to finish. **Sold for £60, Lacy, Scott & Knight, May.**



Arnold (Germany) Mac No.700 Clockwork Motorcycle, red frame with tin printed rider in grey shirt/brown trousers. Bike moves forward and rider mounts/dismounts. **Sold for £460, Mullock's, July.**



Tin Litho Friction Fire Engine Toy, Japanese. Large size. When in operation, passenger's arm moves up and down holding flag. Made by Marusan. Minor scratching and wear on fenders. **Sold for \$660, Morphy Auctions, July.**



X-27 Explorer Robot, includes scarce original box. Made by Yonezawa. Inserts inside box. Operated by side crank. Original antenna. Some light scratching and wear. slight creasing to box. **Sold for \$5,100, Morphy Auctions, July.**



KO (Japan) friction Small Skirt Robot, in silver with red/yellow/blue detailing, red plastic eyes, arms hinged at shoulder with crazy action, 6.5", 16cm high. **Sold for £90, Vectis, March.**



Asahi (Japan) Lotus 49 Formula 1 battery operated racing car, large scale of tinplate and plastic fittings, racing number 10 with driver, signs of use and some surface rusting. Sold for £25, Lacy, Scott & Knight, May.



TN Nomura Toys Ltd. (Japan) tinplate and battery operated Antique car, with headlight mystery action red car with purple faux upholstery seating, black and white '1901' number plates to front and rear, black and white rubber driver figure, 25cm long, boxed with original inner cardboard display piece. Sold for £30, Bamfords, July.



Tin Friction Cragstan Mercury Space Capsule, Full bodied astronaut driver. Very good color and gloss throughout. Includes original box. Condition (near mint). Sold for \$420, Morphy Auctions, July.



Moon Traveler Apollo-Z Spaceship, Japanese. Battery-operated. Includes original box with inserts. Box has some fading and creasing. Marked 'T.N. Japan'. Toy is tin litho and plastic. Sold for \$180, Morphy Auctions, July.



Tin Litho Battery-Operated Explorer Tank, Japanese. Includes original box marked 'Cragstan'. Box has slight water staining and creasing. Depicts space battle. Space tank marked 'X-3' on both sides. Toy has very little wear. Sold for \$210, Morphy Auctions, July.



Alps (Japan) tinplate and battery operated novelty Picnic Bear, faux fur covered body, clear plastic eyes, holding a bottle in one hand and a cup in the other, 24cm high, boxed. Sold for £55, Bamfords, July.



Tin Litho Battery-Operated Space Capsule Toy, includes original box. Box is marked 'S.H. Japan'. Astronaut revolves around space capsule marked 'United States'. Some creasing to box. Very little wear to toy. Sold for \$240, Morphy Auctions, July.



S.H. Super Space Capsule Japanese. Battery-operated. Large scale toy. Excellent actions. Includes astronaut inside of capsule. Original box. Sold for \$300, Morphy Auctions, July.



Cragstan (Japan) Alps No.50208 tinplate and battery operated novelty Trumpet Playing Monkey, with bell faux fur covered body with tin printed detailed parts, red and white tinplate trumpet to mouth, 24cm high, boxed with original inner packaging pieces. Sold for £50, Bamfords, July.



Rosko Steele Inc. No.833 tinplate and remote controlled battery operated novelty Musical Marching Bear, faux fur covered body with tin printed detailed parts, novelty tinplate horn to mouth and tinplate and paper covered drum to torso, fixed remote control, 27cm high, boxed. Drum is damaged. Sold for £70, Bamfords, July.



Tin Litho King Flying Saucer Toy, includes colorful original box marked 'KO Japan'. Toy marked 'Space Patroller X-081'. Toy is tin and plastic. Box has some creasing. **Sold for \$150, Morphy Auctions, July.**



Tri-ang Toys 300 series tinplate and pressed steel Horse transporter, cream cab and chassis with turquoise/green horse box, single door to side, fold down rear platform, black rubber tyres, 47cm long. **Sold for £50, Bamfords, July.**



Tin Litho Battery-Operated Flying Saucer Toy, Japanese. Includes original box marked 'KO Japan'. Box has some slight creasing and tear. Box has original insert for top of flying saucer. Toy has very little wear. **Sold for \$420, Morphy Auctions, July.**



Tipp Co (Western Germany) Friction Motorcycle with driver plastic windshield with "Tippco" metal logo and saddle bags to rear 11" (28cm) overall good. **Sold for £220, Tennants, May.**



USA-NASA Apollo Spaceship in Box, Japanese. With original floating astronaut. Excellent condition. **Sold for \$210, Morphy Auctions, July.**



Tomy Battery Operated Vickers Viscount Airliner in Lufthansa livery, with opening perspex cockpit, opening rear door connecting to a moving stairway with three passenger figures, in original box. **Sold for £150, Tennants, May.**



Battery-Operated Fighting Space Man, Japanese. Includes colorful original box marked 'S.H. Japan'. Slight wear to box. Toy has original cardboard head and leg inserts. Crystal-clear plastic front. Very little wear to toy. **Sold for \$450, Morphy Auctions, July.**



Victory Industries VIP battery operated Austin Somerset, in grey, in original box, good to very good, box fair to good. **Sold for £65, Special Auction Services, July.**



Distler clockwork tinplate two door Sedan with electric lights circa 1930. Lithographed in cream and red, hinged doors, seated driver, Continental Record tyres, chrome grill and large front bumper, electric headlights, opening trunk to rear and spare wheel, rear number plate J.D. 1747 (fair to good) some dents and scratches, chrome rubbed, one light loose and spare wheel loose, 40.5cm (16in) long. **Sold for £500, Bonhans, May.**



Schuco Garage No.1500, yellow walls, and two yellow double doors, grey roof with red Schuco transfers, black telephone, mechanism to open doors in working order, some surface losses and may require cleaning, in original box with end flaps missing and heavily torn. **Sold for £40, Lacy, Scott & Knight, May.**



Tinplate friction drive MG Midget, yellow printed hub caps, including spare wheel, tin printed dashboard and folding clear plastic windscreen. In good illustrated box. **Sold for £70, Mullock's, July.**

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SPOTLIGHT

Marx Toys

Formed by 'Toy King' Louis Marx, this New York company made some of the best-selling tinplate toys around.



These images just go to show the huge range of toys that were produced by Marx during its heyday. From fairly bog standard clockwork tractors to visitors from outer space. Marx was one of the most prolific and successful toy manufacturers of the 20th century.

If you're a tinplate collector then the name Marx should be immediately recognisable, in fact the company's founder Louis Marx was dubbed the 'Toy King' in 1955 by Time magazine. However, the story of Marx Toys dates back much longer than the '50s after being founded by Louis and his brother David in 1919 in New York City.

Through the first half of the 20th century it is likely that most children in North America had played with one of Marx's toys. It became particularly famous for making wind-up tinplate toys, yo-yos, cars and train sets. It took inspiration from a wide range of topics too, from vehicles of the day to science fiction robots and even dinosaurs.

Marx's success was down to its aim of giving the customer "more toy for less money" while ensuring that quality wasn't negotiable. Although not as complicated as

the tinplate toys coming from Europe, they were exceptionally durable and lasted much better than some of their more elaborate counterparts.

Louis had learnt the secrets of the toy trade after working as a salesman for Strauss Toy Company of New York, so decided to set up his own business. Initially Marx didn't have its own factory and instead contracted out production to established companies, such as Strauss (ironically), Girard and Carter. However, a circular logo with an 'x' behind the word 'MAR' ensured consumers would know they were playing with a Marx product.

With things going well in 1921 Marx rented its own factory space from Carter in Erie, Pennsylvania and raised enough funds to buy the tooling for two obsolete tin toys from Strauss – an Alabama minstrel dancer and the Zippo climbing monkey. After tweaking

the design slightly, Marx turned these toys into a success and by the following year each had sold eight million units each... making the Marx brothers millionaires.

To capitalise on this success, Marx ensured that its products were always grabbing the attention of the public by making deals with high profile retailers like Sears and Woolworths. Plus, it signed a lucrative deal with Disney to produce toys based on Mickey Mouse, Donald Duck and other blockbuster characters. With deals like this under his belt Louis Marx was very canny in re-designing obsolete toys but adding a new twist. For example, he turned the previously released Honeymoon Express (a clockwork train on a circular track with a plane flying above it) into the successful Mickey Mouse Express.

In fact, to begin with Marx produced few original toys,

instead opting to look at what the competition was doing and attempting to make them on a tighter budget. The yo-yo is a prime example because although Marx is sometimes wrongly credited with creating the toy, it actually took the idea from another company but produced its own low cost version. As a result in the 1920s more than 100 million Marx yo-yos were sold.

At its peak, Louis Marx and Company operated three manufacturing plants in the United States: Erie, Pennsylvania, Girard, Pennsylvania and Glen Dale, West Virginia. The Erie plant was the oldest and largest, while the Girard plant, acquired in 1934 with the purchase of Girard Model Works, produced toy trains, and the Glen Dale plant produced toy vehicles. Additionally, Marx operated numerous plants overseas, and in 1955 five percent of the toys Marx sold in the USA were made in Japan. ■



Tin Friction Oldsmobile, Japanese. Includes original box with nice color graphics on top. Marked 'Made In Japan'. Car is marked 'Super 88' and 'Oldsmobile' on the hood. Some scratching to back of roof. Made by TN Japan. **Sold for \$150, Morphy Auctions, July.**



Tin Friction Volkswagen Sedan, Japanese made by Bandai. Includes original box. Metallic silver color. Slight creasing to box and slight wear to car. **Sold for \$270, Morphy Auctions, July.**



Battery-Operated Police Command Car, Japanese. Includes scarce original box. Box is marked 'T.N. Japan' and has minor creasing. Toy has very little wear. When in operation, light blinks and driver steers car. **Sold for \$1,560, Morphy Auctions, July.**



Arnold (CKO) pre-war tinplate and clockwork civilian motorcyclist, with fixed key mechanism, dark blue bike with detailed tin-printed engine, brown coated rider with grey helmet, registration A643. **Sold for £170, Lacy, Scott & Knight, August.**



TN Toys (Japan) tinplate fire department car, battery operated model in red, with fireman driver, rear hose and spare wheel attached, with front warning light and side bell, rusting to battery department, arm needs re-gluing. **Sold for £35, Lacy, Scott & Knight, August.**



Masudaya (Japan) rare pre-war tinplate clockwork Fairylite Racer Mercedes Racing Car, with motor in working order although the right hand rear axle requires re-alignment but does include an effective sparking action. Good plus example. **Sold for £140, Vectis, August.**



Tipp Co tinplate and clockwork saloon car, light blue body with black roof, cream and black detailed tin-printed grille and body, white and black Dunlop hard tyres, fixed key mechanism not in working order. **Sold for £120, Lacy, Scott & Knight, August.**



Schopper (Germany) No.5100 clockwork Airport Control Tower, roundabout with three aircraft, made to revolve around control tower, the mechanism is slipping otherwise excellent for display. **Sold for £40, Vectis, August.**



German pre-war tinplate and clockwork tipper lorry, circa 1930s, light blue cab and tipper with black chassis and orange and white detailing, tin-printed detail to grille, fixed single key mechanism in working order, missing driver and chassis split. **Sold for £60, Lacy, Scott & Knight, August.**



Tinplate and clockwork pig with circus clown rider, circa 1920s, possibly by Fisher or similar, lithographed in various colours, pig's tail is attached and mechanism in working order, model has surface rust, rare example. **Sold for £120, Lacy, Scott & Knight, August.**



Paya (Spain) large tinplate and clockwork 2-door sedan, limited edition production run, with certificates and key No.439/5000, finished in dark blue with black wings, plated bumper and other parts, red and yellow detailing in original buff coloured box. **Sold for £140, Lacy, Scott & Knight, August.**



Mettoy tinplate and clockwork police patrol motorcycle, circa 1950, brown motorcycle frame with yellow detailing and tin-printed detailed engine, dark blue rider with 2 stabilising wheels, mechanism in working order. **Sold for £80, Lacy, Scott & Knight, August.**



Japanese Fairylite tinplate clockwork British fighter aeroplane, circa 1930, single engine aircraft with two figures in cockpits, mechanisms in working order. **Sold for £140, Lacy, Scott & Knight, August.**



Bandai (Japan) Jaguar XK140 Hardtop, large impressive tinplate friction drive 1950s example is red, with black hardtop roof, Jaguar hub caps. Excellent. **Sold for £170, Vectis, August.**



Gely (Germany) 1920s Open Tourer, beige with tin printed detail, white disc wheels, battery compartment to underside, wired for electric headlamps (lacks one headlamp bulb). Good plus. **Sold for £200, Vectis, August.**



Lucky Toys (Hong Kong) No.7086 'Police Set' with Mk.3 Ford Cortina, scarce set featuring 7"/17cm Mk.3 Ford Cortina Police car in white, with opening bonnet and boot, friction drive, plus figures. **Sold for £160, Vectis, August.**



Gama (Germany) large tinplate Cadillac 4-door Sedan, impressive friction drive example is beige, with red roof, tinprinted interior, plated fittings and hubs, white wall tyres, some small nicks and scratches. **Sold for £540, Vectis, August.**



Bandai (Japan) large tinplate Volkswagen Beetle Sedan, battery operated example, metallic red, with tin printed interior, rubber driver, plated parts, crack to front windscreen. **Sold for £70, Vectis, August.**



Charles Rossignol large tinplate clockwork limousine, uniformed chauffeur figure with steering wheel and interior seating, lacks the rear luggage rack. **Sold for £950, Vectis, August.**



Chad Valley tinplate clockwork Mechanical Saloon Car, powder blue, with white detailed tin printing, balloon wheels, clockwork motor in working order, some minor wear but overall good plus. **Sold for £110, Vectis, August.**



Schuco No. 4012 Radio Car, tinplate clockwork open top car is red, with steerable front wheels, plated parts, two clockwork motors, slight spidering effect to the paintwork but otherwise an excellent plus original example. **Sold for £150, Vectis, August.**



CK Toys (Japan) pre-war Graham Paige tinplate clockwork saloon car, made by Kuramochi in the 1930s. Various shades of blue in colour, plated parts, some wear to the paintwork revealing a plated finish beneath the paint, does include rear and side mounted spare wheels. **Sold for £400, Vectis, August.**



Niedermeier (Germany) large tinplate police car, circa 1950s, blue, with cream roof, tin printed detail including occupants, light wear to roof otherwise an excellent example. **Sold for £120, Vectis, August.**



Schuco (Germany) tinplate clockwork Tele-steering Car, set contains red car with working clockwork motor, wooden bollards, key, steering wheel accessory. Good plus in a fair card box with illustrated sleeve. **Sold for £150, Vectis, August.**

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Robot Driving Tractor Toy, battery-operated, one of the more difficult versions to find, marked 'KO Japan'. Some minor scratching. Sold for \$390, Morphy Auctions, September.



Schuco No.5509 Elektro Razzia Car, near mint, 9"/23cm long and comes with a fair illustrated card box with an end flap and an inner flap detached but present. Sold for £240, Vectis, October.



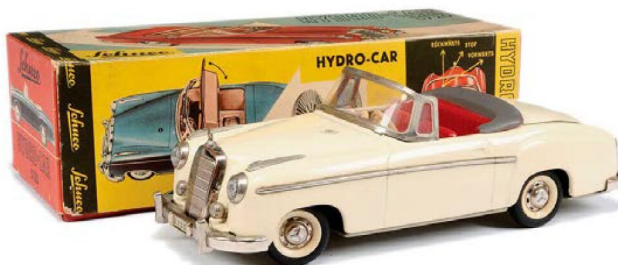
Remote Control Mr. Mercury Robot Toy, scarce box variation and robot is blue in colour. Marked 'Marx' on the front. Toy is excellent to near mint, box is very good to excellent. Sold for \$840, Morphy Auctions, September.



Schuco No.53085 'Drivers School' Elektro Control Car, near mint in a good plus illustrated box with battery control box, steering wheel and cable accessory, two wooden bollards with road signs and correct Schuco screwdriver. Sold for £500, Vectis, October.



Schuco No.1085 Rollfix Mercedes 220S 2-door Car, near mint, 10.5"/16cm long and includes a good plus illustrated box. Sold for £700, Vectis, October.



Schuco No.5720 Electro Hydro-Car, includes steering wheel accessory, control cable and two wooden bollards, together with the instruction leaflet, 10"/26cm. Sold for £440, Vectis, October.



Friction Atom Robot, marked 'KO Japan', some oxidation to bare metal parts and moderate scratching throughout. Sold for \$180, Morphy Auctions, September.

Robot Bulldozer, original, scarce version with green litho, original box is included, with some staining to lid. Marked 'A Flare Product', 'Japan' and 'No. 115 United Pioneer Company'. Sold for \$900, Morphy Auctions, September.



Codeg (UK) Mechanical Space Shooting Range, very rare clockwork powered target range, made 1952/53. Excellent condition in a good card box. Sold for £320, Mullock's, October.



Sutcliffe 'Diana' tinplate clockwork cruiser, near mint, in working order with an excellent illustrated box. 12"/30cm long. Sold for £70, Vectis, October.



TN Toys (Japan) Space Gun, battery-operated with light ball end, in original illustrated box. Sold for £50, Mullock's, October.



Technofix (Germany) No.303 'Cable Car' tinplate clockwork layout, some age wear but overall good plus to excellent, 18"/46cm long in a fair card box (end of box lid detached but present). Sold for £60, Vectis, October.



Horikawa (Japan) Floating Satellite Mysterious Action Target Game, with tinplate gun and two rubber-tipped darts, plus two floating balls. In original box. Sold for £25, Mullock's, October.

Remote Control Mr. Mercury Robot Toy, scarce box variation and robot is blue in colour. Marked 'Marx' on the front. Toy is excellent to near mint, box is very good to excellent. Sold for \$840, Morphy Auctions, September.





Cragstan (Japan) Mr. Atomic Thinking Robot, excellent plus in a great card box with colourfully illustrated lid. Sold for £240, Mullock's, October.



Horikawa (Japan) Rotate-o-Matic Super Astronaut Robot, circa 1963, comes in an illustrated box with crushing to lid, clean battery box. Sold for £110, Mullock's, October.



DSK (Japan) Apollo II American Eagle Lunar Module, some light age wear but overall good plus to excellent in a fair illustrated box, 10"/25cm tall. Sold for £70, Vectis, October.



Modern Toys (Japan) M-99 Army Tank, near mint in a good illustrated box, 18"/45cm long. Sold for £90, Vectis, October.



Ball Playing Bear, battery-operated, includes original box with nice colour graphics. Condition is very good to excellent. Sold for \$570, Morphy Auctions, September.



Yonezawa tinplate Golden Tiger Ack-Ack Tank, clean battery compartment. Excellent, 8.5"/21cm long in a fair card box. Sold for £70, Vectis, October.



Horikawa (Japan) Attacking Martian, comes in illustrated box with crushing to lid, clean battery box. Sold for £70, Mullock's, October.



Marx Toys (US) Space Satellite Station, is in good working order, some slight damage to the plastic spinner. Sold for £40, Mullock's, October.



Battery powered Mobile Satellite Tracking Station, toy includes original box marked 'Cragstan' and 'Made by Yonezawa'. Near mint, old store stock. Sold for \$1,020, Morphy Auctions, September.



Universe Boat, made in China, battery operated. Tinplate and plastic, includes all inserts in original box. Unused. Sold for \$96, Morphy Auctions, September.



Sutcliffe Bluebird Clockwork Speed Boat, good plus, lacking key, in good box. Sold for £75, Aston's, September.



Milky Way Boat Spaceship, made in China, original box with inserts. Nice colourful original box. Near mint condition. Sold for \$84, Morphy Auctions, September.



Tri-ang Minic No.60M Routemaster Bus, 'Tri-ang Pedal Motors' and 'Penguin' advertisements to sides, destination Putney. Length 17.5cm. Fair condition, decals overall good, paint loss and some corrosion particularly to lower body and base. Sold for £35, Aston's, September.



Nomura (Japan) Police Patrol Jeep, length 35cm, good condition, some corrosion to rear interior wheel arch. Sold for £80, Aston's, September.



Alps (Japan) Speed Challenger Battery Operated Race Car, good condition, clean battery compartment, some scratches, dents and corrosion to driver's helmet, in good box. Sold for £100, Aston's, September.



Universe Televiboat, made in China, battery operated, includes original box with graphics on lid. Sold for \$120, Morphy Auctions, September.



Strange Explorer Space Tank, made by DSK, Japan. Tank rises up to reveal a gorilla creature. Sold for \$150, Morphy Auctions, September.



Issmayer (Germany) tinplate and clockwork novelty chicken, tin printed detail in various colours, flapping wings and fixed key to rear, 18cm long. Sold for £65, Bamfords, October.



Space Patrol, made by Modern Toys, includes original box with inserts. Box has some creasing and wear, which the toy has very little wear. Condition is very good to excellent. Sold for \$480, Morphy Auctions, September.



Marusan Toys (Japan) SAN tinplate and clockwork novelty walking and crying swan, wearing a black top hat, flapping wings, moving feet and fixed key to side, 16cm high, boxed. Sold for £50, Bamfords, October.



Wind-up Jupiter Space Craft, some oxidation to metal ring around the dome, plus scratching and wear. Box marked 'K Made in Japan'. Condition is very good to excellent/ Sold for \$150, Morphy Auctions, September.



Hans Eberl (Germany) tinplate and clockwork Ebo Pao-Pao Peacock, lithographed tin printed and painted detail, fixed key mechanism to tail, 24cm long, c.1920. Sold for £110, Bamfords, October.



Tinplate Space Tank, made in China, original box with colourful graphics. Original box includes inserts. Sold for \$150, Morphy Auctions, September.



Yonezawa (Japan) Jet Speed Racer, good condition, some spots of corrosion to base and around battery compartment cover but clean battery compartment. Sold for £100, Aston's, September.



Masudaya (Japan) Racing Car, fair condition, missing windscreen. Sold for £85, Aston's, September.



Piston Robot, marked 'SH Japan', toy is old store stock with very little to no wear. Excellent to mint condition, box very good to excellent. Sold for \$720, Morphy Auctions, September.



Japanese X-V Jet Rocket, circa 1960s, made by Yone, push down with wind-up action. Sold for \$240, Morphy Auctions, September.



Louis Marx Uncle Wiggly Car, in original tatty box, toy is in excellent condition. Sold for \$501.50, Bertoia Auctions, September.



Explorer Space Tank, includes very colourful and crisp original box, marked 'Cragstan'. Near mint, old store stock. Sold for \$540, Morphy Auctions, September.



Marx Cowboy Rider, brown horse version, pristine condition. Sold for \$295, Bertoia Auctions, September.



Lehmann (Germany) 645 tinplate and clockwork novelty PAAK-PAAK QUACK-QUACK toy, lithographed tin printed detail, fixed key to side, 19cm long. Sold for £120, Bamfords, October.



Space Jet vehicle, toy is marked 'X-001' on top and 'Bandai Made in Japan' on the bottom. Slight oxidation to battery box and bare metal parts, plus scratching to lid. Sold for \$420, Morphy Auctions, September.



JML (France) No.0158 tinplate clockwork motorcycle, some age wear, headlamp lacks its lens otherwise good, 12"/30cm. Sold for £220, Vectis, December.



Mechanical Moon Creature, includes original box showing moon creature on space planet. Marked 'Made in Japan' and 'Marx'. Minor scratching and wear. Sold for \$270, Morphy Auctions, September.



Louis Marx New York City Toy, very good to exclusive condition. Sold for \$118, Bertoia Auctions, September.



Cragstan Space Mobile, box is complete but does have some staining and tearing. Very good condition. Sold for \$660, Morphy Auctions, September.



Japanese Tin Space Capsule, circa 1963, made by SH Horikawa. Metal hinges scuffed. Near mint condition. Sold for \$240, Morphy Auctions, September.

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USA Nasa Gemini X5, 3414
Masudaya Japan circa 1966, in very good untested condition, some tarnish to chrome, with an excellent original box with inner packing. **Sold for £95, C&T Auctions, October.**



SH Horikawa Japan New Space Capsule, circa 1960s, in good untested condition, with internal packing, box has age wear, water staining. **Sold for £80, C&T Auctions, October.**



SH Horikawa Japan New Space Capsule, circa 1960s, in near mint untested condition, with internal packing, box has some age wear. **Sold for £130, C&T Auctions, October.**



Friendship Space Capsule S.H. Horikawa Japan, circa 1960s, in very good condition, box is fair to good, with some age wear and repairs. **Sold for £95, C&T Auctions, October.**

Schuco Bavarian Tyrolean Seppi, cloth covered tinplate, wind-up dancing figure with violin. **Sold for £80, Reeman Dansie, December.**



Machine Robot SH Horikawa
Japan, circa 1960s, some slight rust to battery compartment, in good untested condition, with internal packing, box is good, with some age wear, still displays well! **Sold for £220, C&T Auctions, October.**



Schuco Arcobat Bear, cloth covered tinplate wind-up figure of bear with red shorts and mouse with raffia skirt. **Sold for £90, Reeman Dansie, December.**



Schuco Arcobatic Kangaroo and Joey, cloth covered tinplate wind-up figure. **Sold for £70, Reeman Dansie, December.**



Alps (Japan) large tinplate Police Department Motorcycle, battery compartment cover at base is loose but present, registration number PD0248, with battery operated lamps to front and rear, rubber tyres, some play wear but overall a good impressive example for display. **Sold for £220, Vectis, December.**



Wells Brimtoy Pocketoy tinplate friction drive London style Double Decker Bus, circa 1950s, red with tinprinted detail including driver and conductor. Good plus, 4.5"/11cm long. **Sold for £35, Vectis, December.**



Arnold (Germany) No.A643 tinplate clockwork motorcycle, clockwork motor to rear wheels in working order and includes the red headlamp lens, 20cm/8" long. Good plus. **Sold for £240, Vectis, December.**



Schuco Monk with stein, cloth covered tinplate, wind-up dancing figure. Sold for £90, Reeman Dansie, December.



Asahi Toy Japan XZ-7 Space Ship, in excellent original condition, with a fair original box. Sold for £50, C&T Auctions, October.



Mettoy (UK) tinplate clockwork AA Motorcycle and Sidecar, diecast spoked wheels, JLX 500 registration number, requires a male key, 3.5"/9cm. Good plus. Sold for £80, Vectis, December.



Baron tinplate clockwork No. 540 car, finished in blue, cream and red, with driver and passenger, length approx 33cm, boxed (box lightly creased and scuffed). Sold for £95, Toovey's, December.



Masudaya Japan Apollo Spacecraft, in excellent untested condition, with internal packing, box is very good, some slight age wear. Sold for £190, C&T Auctions, October.



Eastern European tinplate clockwork Train Set, detailed tinprinting, working order with key and brake, 10"/24cm long. Sold for £10, Vectis, December.



Schuco tinplate No. 5311 Elektro Ingenico car, finished in red, length approx 21cm, boxed, with controller, traffic signs, etc (playwear and scratch marks, box creased, torn and scuffed). Sold for £90, Toovey's, December.



Nomura Japan Moon Traveller Apollo-Z, in good original untested condition, radar antenna is broken, with internal packing pieces in a very good original box. Sold for £45, C&T Auctions, October.



SH Horikawa Japan Video Robot, in excellent boxed untested condition with internal packing, box has slight age wear. Sold for £65, C&T Auctions, October.



SH Horikawa Japan Missile Robot With Missile Shooting Action, in mint boxed untested condition with all internal packing. Sold for £82, C&T Auctions, October.



SH Horikawa Japan Space Patrol Robot, in near mint untested condition with a fair to good original box, some repairs. Sold for £150, C&T Auctions, October.



Masudaya Japan US Apollo Project, in near mint untested condition, with a very good original box (some creasing to lid). Sold for £110, C&T Auctions, October.



Nomura TN Toys Japan Solar X-8 Nasa Space Rocket, in near mint untested condition with a good original box, some slight age wear. Sold for £80, C&T Auctions, October.



SH Horikawa Japan Rotate-O-Matic Super Astronaut Robot, in near mint untested condition with a very good original box. Sold for £100, C&T Auctions, October.



Wells clockwork monoplane, registration G-E OBT, 27cm, good to fair condition. Sold for £50, Tennants, December.



Horikawa Japan Piston Robot, in mint boxed untested condition with internal packing. Sold for £150, C&T Auctions, October.



Space Saucer Mercury X-1 Item No. 750 Yonezawa for Mego, in near mint untested condition, with a very good box. Sold for £85, C&T Auctions, October.



Super Robot (Apollo 2000) SH Horikawa Japan, in near mint untested condition with a fair original box, one corner of lid split. Sold for £130, C&T Auctions, October.



SH Horikawa Japan Secret Weapon Space Scout Robot, in very good untested condition with a fair to good original box, one split to corner of lid. Sold for £230, C&T Auctions, October.



SH Horikawa Japan Fighting Space Man Robot, in near mint untested condition, internal packing, with a very good original box, with one corner of lid repaired. Sold for £350, C&T Auctions, October.



Cragstan Satellite Outer Space Survey Ship X-07, in very good untested condition, with internal packing, box is excellent, with some slight age wear. Sold for £130, C&T Auctions, October.



SH Horikawa Japan Rotate-O-Matic Super Astronaut Robot, in near mint untested condition, internal packing, with a very good original box. Sold for £130, C&T Auctions, October.



Nomura TN Toys Japan Solar X-7 Space Rocket, inner packing in near mint untested condition with a good original box, some slight age wear. Sold for £75, C&T Auctions, October.



Action Clockwork Planet Robot, KO Toys Yoshiya Japan, tarnishing to chrome plated parts, in good working condition, complete with original illustrated box, with some age wear. **Sold for £160, C&T Auctions, October.**



Yonezawa Japan battery operated talking robot, light wear and losses to raised edges, some areas of rusting, battery boxed damaged with battery cover missing **Sold for £90, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.**



German tinplate and clockwork snapping floor crocodile, lithographed body with fixed key mechanism, when wound the mechanism powers a snapping jaw, marked 'Made in Germany'. **Sold for £30, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.**



Lehmann 1903 Tut-Tut wind-up toy, marked - Deutsch Voran Lehmann Tut Tut D R Patente Engl Patents. BTS S.G.D.G. Frame PAT USA May 12 1903 (horn still working). **Sold for £230, Reeman Dansie, December.**



Yonezawa 1950s Harley tinplate motorcycle, lacks the mechanism but does include spokes, wheels and rubber tyres, fair to good for display, 15"/39cm. **Sold for £240, Vectis, December.**



Schuco Akustico 2002 Car, no windscreen, some scratching to underside otherwise good. **Sold for £25, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.**



Wells Brimtoy Pocketoy tinplate Trolleybus, tinprinted detail including driver and conductor, some wear to edges and trolley poles but overall a good plus bright example. **Sold for £45, Vectis, December.**



Taiyo (Japan) Battery Operated Mystery Action Fire Chief Car, white/red with red roof light 10.5", 27cm, excellent, box good to excellent. **Sold for £50, Tennants, December.**



Streamline Electric Sedan, of unknown manufacture but probably Japanese, battery compartment to underside, in the original illustrated lift-off lid box. **Sold for £100, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.**



S.H. Horikawa Japan Battery Operated Fighting Robot, one hinge broken on rear battery door, in good condition, with internal packing, box is good, with some age wear, still displays well. **Sold for £180, C&T Auctions, October.**



Pre-War Tinplate and Lithographed Model of a "Konsum" Aircraft, possibly a toy biscuit tin for a Swedish Cooperative Type Store. Good condition. **Sold for £280, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.**



SH Horikawa Japan New Space Capsule, rare green body, orange plastic lens to top, opening front hatch to reveal astronaut with camera, in very good untested condition, with internal packing, box is excellent. **Sold for £130, C&T Auctions, October.**



German friction driven twin funnel steamer, red, green and white livery. **Sold for £100, Reeman Dansie, December.**



Sutcliffe Models tinplate clockwork Sea Wolf Submarine, with plastic fittings, lacks key but includes rubber bung and periscope, propeller and rudder, working order. Excellent in a fair card box. **Sold for £50, Vectis, December.**



Schuco No.1000 Curvo tinplate clockwork Motorcycle, red, with tinprinted detail including rider wearing a green shirt, clockwork motor in working order. Good plus to excellent for display, with original Schuco key. **Sold for £100, Vectis, February.**



K Toys (Japan) Police Motorcycle, white, with tinprinted detail including blue uniformed rider, rubber tyre to front wheel, clockwork spring requires attention, 7"/18cm. Good plus. **Sold for £70, Vectis, February.**



Mettoy (UK) No.2613840 Military Motorcycle, tinplate example, green with tin printed detail including rider, friction drive, some age wear but overall good for display, 6"/15cm. **Sold for £90, Vectis, February.**



Philip Neidermeier (PN Germany) large tinplate Police Car, some light play wear, but otherwise a good plus to excellent bright example, 10.5"/26cm long and comes in a good illustrated box. **Sold for £120, Vectis, February.**



Tipp & Co (Germany) No.598 1950s friction driver motorcycle, some surface corrosion to part of the front balloon wheel and lacks the clear plastic windscreen, complete with both panniers and rear mounted registration number TCO-598, 122mm/30cm long. Fair to good. **Sold for £140, Vectis, December.**



Tipp & Co (Germany) No.59 "Silver Racer" novelty Motorcycle and Sidecar, scarce 1950s example, silver with tin printed detail including rider and pillion passenger, clockwork motor in working order, side to side movement of front wheel is connected to the sidecar passenger who leans out on corners and returns to a seated position (requires some adjustment), with working brake, 7"/18cm. Good plus example. **Sold for £400, Vectis, February.**



Technofix (Germany) No.282 tinplate friction drive Scooter, circa 1950s, with tin printed rider and lady pillion passenger, lacks windscreen, otherwise good. **Sold for £130, Vectis, February.**



Marx Toys (USA) tinplate clockwork Police Motorcycle with Siren, yellow, with tin printed detail, motor and siren in working order, 85"/22cm - good plus. **Sold for £110, Vectis, February.**



Technofix No.GE255 tinplate clockwork Racing Motorcycle, orange, including rider, racing number two, in working order, an excellent example from the period of French manufacture, 7"/18cm. **Sold for £50, Vectis, February.**



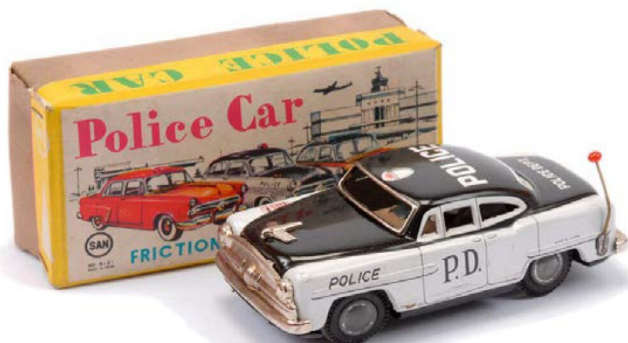
Schuco No.4520 "Flic" clockwork Traffic Policeman figure, scarce example with grey tinplate base, with 4-faced warning signals and operating brake. Excellent plus in box with illustrated lid, packaging and original "Schuco" key. **Sold for £120, Vectis, February.**



Marx Toys (Japan) "Mr. Mercury", a scarce example with red feet and hat, clear plastic visor, open chest, bronze body, grey legs and arms, broken plastic battery casing but robot includes both white plastic ears, battery control cable is attached (broken control box fastening). Good for display, 13"/33cm high. **Sold for £140, Vectis, February.**



Wells (UK) pre-war "National Service" tinplate clockwork bus, scarce example in red with tinprinted detail including passengers and driver, 1934 registration plate, blue wheels, motor in working order, some age wear but generally good overall, 7"/18cm long. **Sold for £60, Vectis, February.**



Marusan (Japan) 1957 tinplate friction drive Police Car, black/white, slight scuffs to lower edges of driver's side, otherwise excellent bright example, 5"/13cm which still retains a good plus card box with illustrated lid. **Sold for £45, Vectis, February.**



Schuco No.500 Magico Garage, tinplate structure, brown corrugated roof, brick effect and turquoise opening doors, telephone accessory to side. Excellent plus in excellent illustrated box - rare in this condition. **Sold for £40, Vectis, February.**



Modern Toys (Japan) "Remote Control Sports Car", in working order but the mechanical steering control requires repair otherwise good plus for display in a good illustrated box. **Sold for £80, Vectis, February.**



Schuco No.2095 Mercedes Benz 190SL Open Top, scarce colour variation is green, with red plastic interior, clockwork motor to rear wheels, in working order with correct Schuco key, some slight discolouration to the driver's side paintwork and small corrosion mark above rear wheel arch otherwise good plus. **Sold for £120, Vectis, February.**



JNF (Germany) Silberpfeil Mercedes Racing Car, beige, friction drive car with steerable front wheels, some small scratches and missing screen but overall good plus in illustrated card box which lacks an end flap but is otherwise fair. **Sold for £100, Vectis, February.**



SSS (Japan) large tinplate Power Shovel on Diesel Truck, in working order. Good plus, in a good illustrated box, 14"/35cm. **Sold for £140, Vectis, February.**



K Toys (Japan) tinplate "Bread and Cake" Bakers Delivery Van, tinprinted detail with friction motor and chef lithographed on roof. Excellent, 4"/10cm long. **Sold for £40, Vectis, February.**



Lehmann 651 EPL-1 clockwork lithographed tinplate Airship, with original plastic propeller blades, in original box, very good, clockwork tested well at time of cataloguing, box passable, lid lacks four sides. **Sold for £210, Special Auction Services, March.**



Flying Saucer Roundabout, of unconfirmed manufacture, marked "Foreign", in working order with brake, detail tinprinting with four revolving cars. Good plus, 9.5"/24cm in diameter. **Sold for £70, Vectis, February.**



Schuco Elektro Radiant 5600 BOAC Aircraft, some discolouration to model, battery box is clean, 48cm, with original repaired box and instruction leaflet. **Sold for £190, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Chad Valley (UK) tinplate Mobile Snack Bar, clockwork motor in working order with key, light play wear but overall good plus. **Sold for £40, Vectis, February.**



Mettoy Tinplate Clockwork Car, plated parts have faded and corrosion/playwear to edges, otherwise good, rear spare wheel missing. **Sold for £65, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Wells Tinplate and Clockwork Tipping Lorry, fixed single key mechanism in working order, some re-gluing to underside of tipper, good condition. **Sold for £60, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Ichiko Japan 'You Can Ride Em' Mercedes-Benz 300SE, large scale tinplate Mercedes in red with hard plastic wheels, chromed bumpers and tinprinted interior, 610mm in length, in original box, excellent, box good. **Sold for £130, Special Auction Services, March.**



Tinplate Clockwork Two Seat Monoplane, possibly by Kellerman, serial No. K-N349, some playwear. **Sold for £100, Toovey's, March.**



Mettoy Tinplate Clockwork Car, with rear spare wheel, noticeable playwear and faded to plated parts. **Sold for £70, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Wells Tinplate and Clockwork Breakdown Service Lorry, scarce issue, model has areas of corrosion and paint losses, fair to good. **Sold for £75, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Mettoy Tinplate Clockwork Car & Caravan Set, two-door sedan in blue and cream with clockwork motor, caravan in cream with red detailing and sliding roof, marked TMC9595, contained in original plain card box marked 3023T, very good, box fair. **Sold for £130, Special Auction Services, March.**



Lemezaru Gyar 'Holdraketa Rocket', in working order with original box and instruction leaflet, some losses. **Sold for £45, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Horikawa (SH) Japan Swivel-O-Matic Astronaut Robot, brown tinplate battery operated robot with human face behind plastic visor, tinplate arms, red plastic feet, 1960s-70s issue, good to very good. **Sold for £80, Special Auction Services, March.**



Bing Tinplate Clockwork Four-Seater Open Tourer, fair, back panel resprayed, one wheel replaced, one repaired, retouching to windscreen, driver restored. **Sold for £420, Special Auction Services, March.**



Nomura (TN) Japan Fire Command Car, battery-operated tinplate Jeep with red body, black chassis, tin firemen figures, one steering, one with receiver and rubber tyres with tinplate hubs, in original box, very good, driver with hand loose from steering wheel, box fair to good. **Sold for £110, Special Auction Services, March.**



Nomura (TN) Japan Sports Car Skyliner, battery-operated tinplate car with red body, white roof, rubber tyres with tinplate 'Ford' hubs, in original box, very good, box fair. **Sold for £85, Special Auction Services, March.**



JNF Germany Mercedes Monoposto Racing Car, large tinplate friction powered car, red body, tinprinted cockpit, racing number four, in original box, good, lacks driver and windscreen, box passable. **Sold for £110, Special Auction Services, March.**



Chad Valley Tinplate Climbing Miller, similar to Lehmann version, comprising windmill, miller figure and weighted sack, with original box lid, good to

very good, lid passable to fair. Sold for £50, Special Auction Services, March.



Chad Valley National Single Decker bus, with 'London De Luxe Express Glasgow' on side, good, clockwork not working. Sold for £100, Special Auction Services, July.



Yonezawa (Japan) Cragstan Crapshooter, battery-operated toy with vinyl faced figure, tinplate base with felt lined table and tinprinted detailing, in original box with three die, very good, battery compartment clean, box passable to fair. Sold for £35, Special Auction Services, March.



CJ Citroen 'Petite Rosalie', very good, scratch to one side. Sold for £120, Special Auction Services, July.



Yonezawa Cragstan Robot, scarce colour and box variation, minor scratching and wear. Box has slight creasing. Sold for \$1,200, Morphy Auctions, May.



Wells Brimtoy clockwork Racing Car, circa 1951, 30cm long with permanent key and working motor, some light overall wear. Replacement screen and rear aerofoil. Sold for £40, Vectis, July.



Yonezawa Space Man, does have some edge wear and creasing on box, minor rubbing and wear on robot. Sold for \$3,500, Morphy Auctions, May.



Lehmann ALSO 700 clockwork car, good to very good condition. Sold for £160, Special Auction Services, July.



Yonezawa Directional Robot, minor scratching and wear, minor creasing to box. Sold for \$2,250, Morphy Auctions, May.



Aoshin Shoten Mechanical Chime Trooper, toy works and chimes, excellent condition, box very good to excellent. Sold for \$9,500, Morphy Auctions, May.



Yoshiya Moon Explorer, robot has minimal wear, box very good to excellent. Sold for \$2,250, Morphy Auctions, May.



Yonezawa Roby Robot, robot has one scratch on upper right arm, slight scratching to back. Sold for \$2,000, Morphy Auctions, May.



Tri-ang Minic Double Deck Bus, an early example (1930s), with 'Ovaltine' adverts to the sides. Boxed, some age wear. **Sold for £190, Wallis & Wallis, October.**



Carette Clockwork Battleship, circa 1910, fair condition, paint loss mainly to hull, damage/loss to three side guns, vent and rudder wheel. **Sold for £720, C&T Auctioneers, October.**



Blomer & Schuler Tinplate Clockwork Jumbo the Elephant, fair to good, some scratching to tinplate. **Sold for £150, Special Auction Services, October.**



Huki remote control Mercury 5/8 Cabriolet, German, 1950s, features electric lights and moving heads, overall good condition, some rubbing to chrome. **Sold for £170, C&T Auctioneers, October.**



Victory Models Hillman Minx Deluxe Saloon, mint (not test) in good plus to excellent box with internal packing. **Sold for £170, Vectis, October.**



Mettoy National Benzole clockwork tinplate Tanker, 17cm with working clockwork motor, some tarnishing to bare metal parts and some discolouration to tanker body, good to good plus. **Sold for £80, Vectis, October.**



Lehmann 727 Ikarus Aircraft, circa 1920, overall good to fair condition, some rubbing to engine and rear fin. **Sold for £380, C&T Auctioneers, October.**



H. Kienberger Clockwork Cyclist, German, circa 1920, overall good condition, some rubbing mainly to breeches. **Sold for £5,500, C&T Auctioneers, October.**



Technofix Tinplate Clockwork Motorcyclist G.E. 258, in original box, good to very good, minor corrosion marks to rider's shoulders, box fair. **Sold for £110, Special Auction Services, October.**



H. Segrave's Land Speed Record Golden Arrow, German, circa 1929, with solid black tyres, fair condition, general rubbing to paint and some dents/creases. **Sold for £340, C&T Auctioneers, October.**



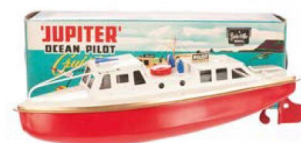
Marklin 1101 Tinplate Clockwork Racing Car, German, circa 1935, racing number seven, generally good to fair condition, some minor paint loss to rear and some slight fading. **Sold for £480, C&T Auctioneers, October.**



Scalex MG TF Keyless Clockwork Sports Car, in excellent boxed condition, approximately 12cm long. **Sold for £110, C&T Auctioneers, October.**



Bandai Kingsize Cadillac Convertible No. 7658, in original box with inner packing, excellent, box good to very good. **Sold for £220, Special Auction Services, October.**



Sutcliffe Model Jupiter Ocean Pilot Cruiser, in original box, excellent, unused with inner wrapping, key and parts wrapped in paper, box very good to excellent. **Sold for £55, Special Auction Services, October.**



Sutcliffe Model Sprite Day Cruiser, in original box, excellent, unused with inner wrapping, key wrapped in paper. **Sold for £75, Special Auction Services, October.**



British Tinplate Clockwork Pig, length 4.25". **Sold for £80, Burstow & Hewett, October.**



Sutcliffe Model Hawk Clockwork Speed Boat, in original box, excellent, unused with inner wrapping, key and parts wrapped in paper, box very good. **Sold for £70, Special Auction Services, October.**



Tri-ang Clockwork Car, in original box. **Sold for £110, Locksales, October.**



Georg Fischer Limouside, missing seat/printed driver, some minor tarnishing to interior of body, otherwise good to good plus. **Sold for £70, Vectis, October.**



Louis Marx Tom Corbett Space Cadet Sparking Spaceship, key wind mechanism is working but no sparks from rear. Model is generally in good condition, tail fin missing. **Sold for £180, Charterhouse Auctioneers & Valuers, October.**



AA Patrolman on Motorbike, numberplate PU150, made in England, overall good condition, rust to outer clockwork housing, lacks stabilising wheels. **Sold for £1,500, C&T Auctioneers, October.**



Chad Valley Tinplate Clockwork Games Delivery Van, pre-war toy with green body, based on a Dennis Delivery Van, No. 10032, fair to good, front edge of cab roof repainted, rear door hinges damaged. **Sold for £110, Special Auction Services, October.**



Wells Greenline Single Decker Bus, larger scale model, working clockwork motor, 19cm, some overall paint loss, also some bubbling/distortion to paint on passenger side and roof, good to good plus. **Sold for £70, Vectis, October.**



Russian Clockwork Motorcycle and Rider, Russian text to tyres. **Sold for £55, East Bristol Auctions, October.**



Victory Models Vauxhall Velox, RAF blue, some discolouration to wheels, some scratch marks to numberplates, usual distortion to windows and box rub to roof, not tested. Good to good plus. **Sold for £45, Vectis, October.**



Gebruder Einfalt Miniature Railway No. 236, later issue/Technofix, one segment of track detached, otherwise excellent in excellent illustrated box. **Sold for £280, Vectis, October.**



Tri-ang Minic M014 Bentley Continental, some minor plating loss, otherwise excellent overall, not test. Box good to good plus. **Sold for £90, Vectis, October.**

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Tri-ang Regal 300 Series Circus Van, transfer decals to sides, missing animals, some overall spidering to upper body, tarnishing to inside of body and some minor wear to edges. **Sold for £60, Vectis, October.**



Arnold (Western Germany) No. 1340 Tin Lizzy tinplate novelty car, with four hand painted composition figures, full working order, some minor marks but overall excellent to excellent plus in good plus box. **Sold for £500, Vectis, October.**



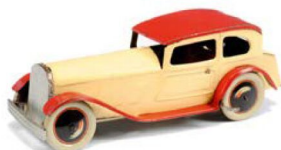
Marx Toys Wee Scottie Clockwork Dog, working at time of cataloguing, unboxed, good to very good. **Sold for £50, Special Auction Services, October.**



Hans Eberl (EBO) 43 Gik-Gak chicken pulling chick on cart, working clockwork motor with permanent key, good plus. **Sold for £160, Vectis, October.**



Wells O' London No. 302 Pre-war Biplane, working clockwork motor with permanent key, overall length 30cm, some light overall marks but overall good plus to excellent. **Sold for £240, Vectis, October.**



Wells pre-war Clockwork Sedan, working clockwork motor with permanent key, some minor distortion to roof and light paint loss to radiator but overall good plus to excellent. **Sold for £240, Vectis, October.**



Minimodels John Cobb Clockwork Land-speed Record Racing Car, working clockwork motor, although missing key, in very good condition, complete with original box, missing one end flap. **Sold for £200, C&T Auctioneers, October.**



Mettoy Military Searchlight Lorry, working clockwork motor, four tinplate soldiers, in excellent condition, complete with original box. **Sold for £360, C&T Auctioneers, October.**



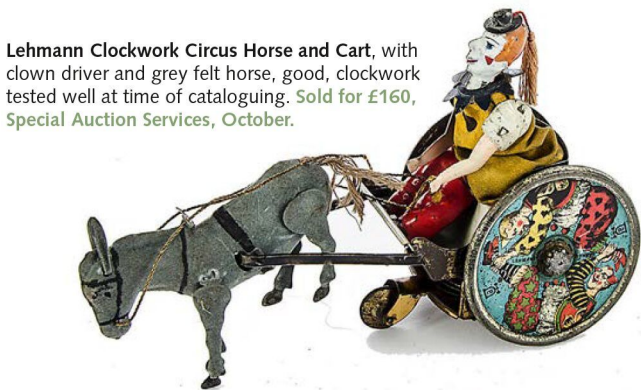
Mettoy Fire Engine with Escape Ladder, working clockwork motor, grey balloon tinplate wheels, in very good used condition, complete with original box. **Sold for £230, C&T Auctioneers, October.**



K Toys (Japan) Police Car with siren, working order, very good, box very good. **Sold for £30, Lacy, Scott & Knight, May.**



Pre-War Paya of Spain Juguete Tinplate Motorcycle, tinprinted detail including rider, in fair to good condition, some wear. **Sold for £55, C&T Auctioneers, October.**



Lehmann Clockwork Circus Horse and Cart, with clown driver and grey felt horse, good, clockwork tested well at time of cataloguing. **Sold for £160, Special Auction Services, October.**



German clockwork Saloon Car, working clockwork motor, marked 'Foreign' to one side, overall excellent. **Sold for £90, Vectis, October.**



Guntermann clockwork Racing Car, working clockwork motor, part of spring is distorted, missing spare wheel, otherwise good plus to excellent. **Sold for £260, Vectis, October.**



Nomura (Japan) Police Patrol Jeep, in original box, good, box fair to good. Sold for £70, Lacy, Scott & Knight, May.



Nomura (Japan) Military Army Command Jeep, clean battery box, very good, box acceptable to fair. Sold for £85, Lacy, Scott & Knight, May.



Bandai (Japan) No. 674 Tank Fire Engine, good condition, box good. Sold for £50, Lacy, Scott & Knight, May.



Schuco Elektro Radiant 5600 BOAC Aircraft, some discolouration to model, battery box clean, with original repaired box. Model requires cleaning. Sold for £160, Lacy, Scott & Knight, May.



Schuco Studio 1050 Racing Car, with two Schuco Studio Racing booklets, good, box good. Sold for £25, Lacy, Scott & Knight, May.



Gescha M4 Sherman Tank, with wired controller, very good, box very good. Sold for £25, Lacy, Scott & Knight, May.



JNF (Germany) Indicator Car, chassis needs re-attaching to body, good condition. Sold for £30, Lacy, Scott & Knight, May.



Marx Toys (UK) E50 Streamlined Speedway Set, in original box, good condition. Sold for £150, Lacy, Scott & Knight, May.



Louis Marx (USA) Turn-Over Tank, rubber tracks in remarkably good condition, some minor age wear but generally excellent in a good plus box. Sold for £200, Vectis, April.



Marx (UK) Hoppo The Rabbit and Cart, fixed clockwork motor needs attention, some general play wear. Sold for £25, Vectis, April.



Schuco Elektro Radiant 5600 Pan American Aircraft, some discolouration to model and signs of play wear, with original heavily repaired box. Sold for £75, Lacy, Scott & Knight, May.



Tipp & Co (US Zone, Western Germany) Military Police Car, red roof light no longer working, general play wear, missing one front wheel. Sold for £25, Vectis, April.



DSK (Japan) battery operated "Strange Explorer" tinplate tank, excellent including a good plus box. Sold for £200, Vectis, April.

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Chad Valley (UK) Hoovermatic Twin Tub Washing Machine, working model, good in fair box. Sold for £15, Vectis, April.



Kellerman (Germany) Frog, serial number 314, circa 1926. Fixed key clockwork motor working when tested. Missing fly. Sold for £30, Vectis, April.



Gunthemann (Germany) Rabbit Pushing Top Hat, circa 1910, working when tested, some paint loss. Sold for £660, Vectis, April.



Schuco No.1045 Ford Custom 300, working clockwork motor with key in the original card box. Very good, box good. Sold for £80, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Mettoy clockwork large open wheel racing car, some play wear, good condition. Sold for £270, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Chad Valley Ubilda O Gauge tinplate locomotive kit, unchecked for completeness, in the original card box with dividing interior sections. Sold for £30, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Technofix 307 Coney Island Play Base Set, some use, in the original all card box. Box heavily worn and lid split. Sold for £45, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Joustra (France) large tinplate clockwork fire engine, one hub cap needs replacing, otherwise good. Sold for £60, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Codeg Dopey Joe Eccentric Dodgem Car, in the original box with key, measures 25cm. Sold for £65, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Joustra (France) tinplate Auto Service Breakdown Truck, loose example, good condition. Sold for £30, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



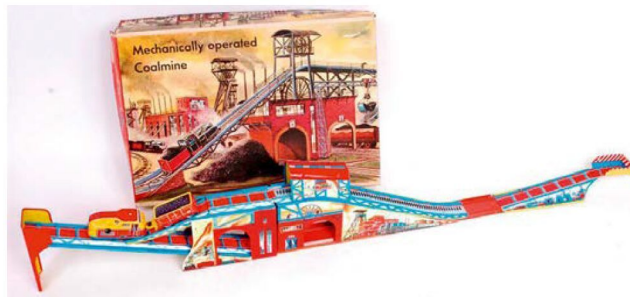
KO Toys (Japan) Bomber, tinplate and plastic, clean battery compartments, some general light play wear. Sold for £30, Vectis, April.



Joustra (France) Single Decker Trolleybus, one side passenger door missing, some play wear and rubbing to edges. Sold for £50, Vectis, April.



Bandai (Japan) Volkswagen Beetle, some light rusting in battery compartment, generally good plus. Sold for £45, Vectis, April.



Technofix No.294 Mechanically Operated Coal Mine, with locomotive and coal truck, plus key. Very good to near mint, box very good. Sold for £45, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Strauss (USA) Mechanical Toys Interstate Bus, 26cm in length, good condition. Sold for £300, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Marx Mechanical Speed Racer, extremely scarce and oddly coloured, includes original box. Very little wear. Sold for \$1,830, Morphy Auctions, February.



Japanese Battery Operated Race Car, driver is vinyl, unusual styling, some scratching and wear. Factory paint touch up. Sold for \$244, Morphy Auctions, February.

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Taiyo of Japan tinplate and battery operated Highway Patrol police car No. C-508, remote control attached via wire, good, box good. Sold for £50, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Piccadilly German tinplate and clockwork Roadway with Cars, in the original pictorial box, box is worn, fair to good, box average to fair. Sold for £90, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Marx Donkey Cart, scarce type of car pulled by two mules, very good condition, box has some minor creasing and wear. Sold for \$183, Morphy Auctions, February.



Modern Toys Motorcycle, all original, including headlight and side bars. Bare metal parts have slight oxidation. Very good to excellent condition. Sold for \$457, Morphy Auctions, February.



Japanese Champ on Ice Skater Bears, original box, some minor scratching and wear. Sold for \$549, Morphy Auctions, February.



TPS (Japan) News Service Car, very little wear, excellent to near mint. Sold for \$1,464, Morphy Auctions, February.



Bandai (Japan) Rocket Car, very little wear, condition near mint. Sold for \$274, Morphy Auctions, February.



Bandai New Jeep Forward Control Truck, unused condition, very little wear to box or truck. Sold for \$183, Morphy Auctions, February.



Japanese Baby Scooter, some minor wear and scratching throughout, minor oxidation to bare metal pieces. Very good condition. Sold for \$915, Morphy Auctions, February.



Bandai (Japan) Chevy Impala Police Car, comes in an unusual box, some oxidation to bare metal parts. Some minor scratching and wear. Sold for \$305, Morphy Auctions, February.



Yonezawa (Japan) Space Man Astronaut, box does have inserts, very little scratching and wear. Sold for \$4,575, Morphy Auctions, February.



Tri-ang Minic 28M Southern Railways Delivery Van, boxed, with working motor, good to fair condition. Sold for £80, C&T Auctions, January.



Tri-ang Minic post-war transport vans, 21M Minic Transport van (good condition) and 22M Carter Paterson and Pickfords Van (fair condition). Sold for £65, C&T Auctions, January.



Nomura Ford Thunderbird Marvellous Car, approx 28.5cm long, in near mint condition with an excellent box. Sold for £950, C&T Auctions, January.



Masudaya Moon Rocket, Japanese circa 1960, scarce astronaut with periscope figure to top, overall excellent condition, box good with some creases. Sold for £820, C&T Auctions, January.



Tri-ang Minic 75M LCC Ambulance, with working motor, good to very good condition, dirty box. Sold for £80, C&T Auctions, January.



Schuco 2006 Sonny Peter in his Open Top Car, in good complete condition, some age wear, unboxed. Sold for £150, C&T Auctions, January.



Mettoy tinplate fire engine, JML 888' on front bumper, in very good used condition. Sold for £160, C&T Auctions, January.

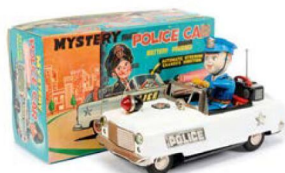


Lehmann (German) No. 681 Am Pol 3-wheel car, 1910 lithographed tin, fully working, in good complete condition, some age wear. Sold for £350, C&T Auctions, January.

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YN (Japan) Mystery Police Car. Tinplate battery operated car. Bump-and-go action with driver's arms moving with steering wheel. Excellent in good plus illustrated box. **Sold for £60, Vectis, June.**



Gescha (Germany) Tinplate Clockwork Tank. Early Gescha logo. Detailed tinprinted body in camouflage colours. Guns move from side to side in turret which has opening trap door. Includes key. Some light wear to edges of track guards. Good Plus. **Sold for £30, Vectis, June.**



Tri-ang Minic (UK). Large scale Series II clockwork Armoured Car. Dark green plastic body with brown tinplate base and steerable front wheels. Clockwork motor working when tested. Length 6.5"/17cm. Lacks aerial but otherwise good plus in good illustrated card box. **Sold for £35, Vectis, June.**



Nomura (Japan) Battery Powered Bartender. Novelty toy with tinprinted base and bar. Includes cocktail shaker and glass. Excellent in good plus illustrated box. **Sold for £25, Vectis, June.**



Gama (Germany) Tinplate Clockwork Tank, detailed tinprinted body. "T 59" to front of body. Plated tin wheels with rubber tracks. Includes Gama key. Some surface scuffs to base. Generally good to good plus. **Sold for £20, Vectis, June.**



Mettoy (UK) Billy the Fisherman clockwork novelty toy. When wound, the figure rotates and the fishing line wraps around the metal pole of a "No Fishing" sign. Clockwork working when tested. Excellent in a fair to poor illustrated card box. **Sold for £45, Vectis, June.**



Penny Toy Clockwork "Shell Motor Spirit" Lorry, 1930's German, possibly Tipp & Co. Red and yellow tinprinted body with plated mudguards, running boards and radiator. Clockwork motor working when tested. Possibly over-varnished. Length 4"/10cm. good to good plus. **Sold for £45, Vectis, June.**



Isetta Velam Bubble Car. Unconfirmed French manufacture. Tinplate with tinprinted body. Registration number on rear plate 1956 GG75. Some minor surface scratches but generally good plus. **Sold for £40, Vectis, June.**



Wells O' London (UK) "BP Motor Spirit" Lorry. Rare tinplate clockwork lorry circa 1928. Blue uniformed tinplate driver in cab. Fixed key piano wire clockwork motor needs attention. Some light surface pitting and lacks one headlight. Generally good to good plus for display. **Sold for £260, Vectis, June.**



Schuco (Germany) Examico 4001. Pre-war example. Tinplate clockwork gear changing car. Complete with a Schuco key, set of tools and instruction sheets. Clockwork working when tested. Generally good plus. **Sold for £50.**



Marx (UK) 2 Push-Along Pressed Steel Lorries. (1) "Hi Way Express" Delivery Lorry with blue cab and red and yellow tinprinted body. Opening blue rear door. Length 14"/36cm. (2) "Arrow Special Delivery" open truck in green and blue with detailed tinprinted sides. Streamlined Art Deco 1930's style. Length 13"/33cm. General play wear and surface scratches. Condition is generally good to fair. (2) **Sold for £70, Vectis, June.**



Domo (Italy) Maserati Tipo 4CL Racing Car. Circa 1950. A rare red sheet and cast metal electrically powered model in its original wooden carrying case. Complete with its electronic control box. Overall condition is good plus in original good wooden box. **Sold for £950, Vectis, June.**



Tri-ang Minic 6-wheel Army Lorry. Scarce clockwork tinplate lorry in camouflage colours. Clockwork motor working when tested. Tarnishing to plated radiator/front bumper. Small chips and rubs to edges and some paint loss to floor and rear of lorry. Tyres beginning to perish. Condition is generally good. **Sold for £70, Vectis, June.**



Tri-ang Minic (UK) Sports Saloon. Pre-war example with beige body and green mudguards and running boards. Plated steel wheels with white tyres. Grey base. Clockwork motor working when tested. Paint loss to front mudguard and edges of running boards. General play wear to body. Good. **Sold for £40, Vectis, June.**



JNF (Germany) Battromot Adenauer Mercedes 300. Battery powered red tinplate model with plated detailing and blue base. Black tyres with plated wheel hubs bearing Mercedes logo. Metal Mercedes star to filler cap on radiator. Tinprinted interior. Battery compartment clean. Length 9.5"/24cm. Excellent in good plus illustrated card box. An outstanding example. **Sold for £420, Vectis, June.**



Tinplate Saloon (Germany - possibly Huki). Orange and cream tinprinted clockwork saloon car. Registration number on rear plate "HK 550". Clockwork motor needs attention. Length 9"/23cm. General play wear and some re-touching to sides. Fair to good. **Sold for £30, Vectis, June.**



Schuco (Germany) Patent Motor Car. Scarce early example from circa 1935 with mid-blue tinplate body and black base. Plated radiator and front bumper. Clockwork motor working when tested. Length 4"/10cm. Minor light rubbing to base (this model has rear wheels only with dummy front wheels pressed into base). Bodywork is near mint. A very rare example in this condition. **Sold for £260, Vectis, June.**



MS (Germany) Tram Car. Friction drive tinplate tram in red and cream with grey roof and base. red tinplate pantograph. Circa 1950's. Length 10"/26cm. Excellent plus in fair illustrated card box (taped and lacks one inner end flap). **Sold for £70, Vectis, June.**



HMS Nautilus British Tinplate Submarine. Circa 1950's/early 60's. Maker unconfirmed (possibly Wells or Mettoy). Tinprinted in grey with red and yellow detailing. Plastic deck gun and white plastic propeller. Working crank-wound motor. Complete with rubber bungs. Length 10"/26cm. Near mint in good plus illustrated card box. Rare in this condition with box. **Sold for £120, Vectis, June.**



Schuco (Germany) Telesteering Car. Pre-war example in blue tinplate. Includes all accessories apart from control cable. Clockwork motor working when tested. Length 4"/10cm. Car is excellent in good illustrated box. **Sold for £70, Vectis, June.**



Yonezawa (Japan) Pan Am Airliner. Friction drive tinplate aircraft in white and silver tinprinting with blue and red detailing. Also marked "ECCO" to fuselage. Wing span 11.5"/29cm. Some rubs and light surface scratches to underside but generally good plus for display. **Sold for £100, Vectis, June.**



Tri-ang (UK) M114 Army Control Vehicle. Tinplate Bedford articulated lorry with control vehicle trailer. Metal wheels with black plastic tyres. Trailer with rear opening door and "Army Control Vehicle BK.517.541/36" printed to sides. Complete with all accessories. Near mint in good plus illustrated card box. A rare example in this condition. **Sold for £320, Vectis, June.**



Rico (Spain) R.S.A. "Campsa" Petrol Tanker. 1930's tinplate clockwork tanker in yellow and red with tinprinted detail. Pressed tinplate wheels. Fixed key piano wire clockwork motor working when tested. Length 7"/18cm. Condition is good plus for age. **Sold for £150, Vectis, June.**



Schuco (Germany) Curvo 1000 Motorcycle. Clockwork tinplate blue motorcycle and red jacketed rider. This is the hardest colour variation to find. With original key. Clockwork motor working when tested. Length 5"/12cm. Near mint. **Sold for £280, Vectis, June.**



Modern Toys (Japan) large scale Radicon Oldsmobile "New Sedan". Includes grey tinplate radio control unit and both original aerials. Circa 1956. Some tarnishing and chips. Generally good for display. **Sold for £100, Vectis, June.**



Mettoy (UK) Tinplate Routemaster Double decker Bus. Corgi 50th Anniversary Limited Edition. Clockwork drive with operating bell and front wheel steering. Mint in near mint box with "ticket" certificate confirming that this is No.576 of 2006 produced. **Sold for £80, Vectis, June.**



SSS (Japan) MG Midget Car, "55 style". Tinplate friction drive sports car, spare wheel with tyre attached to boot. Registration plate "S-333". Light tarnishing but generally excellent in a fair illustrated card box. **Sold for £50, Vectis, June.**



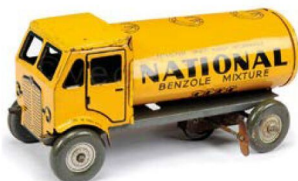
Marx (UK) Tinplate Racing car. Circa 1950's. Racing number 410 to rear. Clockwork motor needs attention. Lacks windscreen and some age wear. Good to fair for display. **Sold for £60, Vectis, June.**



A Marx clockwork Tinplate Grand Prix Racer, in red with white detail, tin driver and key, in original box, good-very good, lacks windscreen, good box. **Sold for £280, Special Auction Services, July.**



Tri-ang Minic (UK) Push and Go Space Cruiser. Friction drive tinplate space craft. Includes 2 plastic "flying saucer" spinners. Excellent in a dood illustrated card box. **Sold for £50, Vectis, June.**



Mettoy (UK) National Benzole Petrol Tanker. Fixed key clockwork motor working when tested. Some light pitting to roof of cab and minor age wear. Generally good plus. **Sold for £130, Vectis, June.**



A Chad Valley Tinplate clockwork Single Deck Bus, in cream and red with wire clockwork drive, fair, scratches and general play wear, together with Midget Saloon in green, in original good box, paint loss to wheels, box good. **Sold for £75, Special Auction Services, July.**



Bandai (Japan) TR3 Sports Car. Friction drive motor. Length 8"/21cm. Crack to rim of plastic steering wheel, otherwise excellent. **Sold for £110, Vectis, June.**



Bandai (Japan) Mercedes Benz 219 4-door Saloon, from "Automobiles of the World" series. Near mint in good plus illustrated card box with "Automobiles of the World" leaflet (one corner of lid split). **Sold for £260, Vectis, June.**



A Lehmann Aut OHO Clockwork Motor Car, Cat Ref EPL 545, in green with green and white patterned seats and floor, brown driver/chauffeur, with fixed key, circa 1906-1916, fair-good, general wear, clockwork tested well at time of cataloguing. **Sold for £170, Special Auction Services, July.**



A Wells Tinplate Clockwork Express Transport Van, detailed tin printed body including driver, wood panelled sides. Registration M4514, very good. **Sold for £140, Special Auction Services, July.**



An Arnold 680 clockwork Tinplate Tank, in grey with forward and reverse and sparking turret, with original key, in original box, very good, box good. **Sold for £110, Special Auction Services, July.**

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Wells (UK) large scale tinplate saloon car. Interior with tinprinted seats and chauffeur figure. Wired for electric headlights but lacks bulbs and some fittings. Extensive play wear and surface rust spots. Sold for £100, Vectis, November.



Crawfords (UK) General Omnibus tinplate biscuit tin. A scarce example modelled on an NS Series No.48 General Omnibus open top double decker bus. Revolving tinplate wheels. Lacks rear staircase. Sold for £260, Vectis, November.



Ranlite (UK) Austin Saloon clockwork Bakelite and tinplate car. Bakelite body with opening sun roof, interior seats and steering wheel. Bakelite wheels with rubber tyres. Good plus. Sold for £480, Vectis, November.



Citroen (France) pressed steel clockwork truck. Large scale model, cab with opening doors, seat. Tipping mechanism and opening tailgate. Sold for £700, Vectis, November.



Lines Brothers Triang (UK) large scale pressed steel clockwork No.1E 2 door sedan. Scarce pre-war model. Opening doors, black seats. Steering wheel operates front wheel steering. Hand brake by driver's seat. Electrically powered headlamps. Clockwork motor working when tested, with key. Some chips to paint, otherwise good plus. Sold for £600, Vectis, November.



Ranlite (UK) Austin saloon clockwork Bakelite and tinplate car. Light paint chipping to mudguards and running boards and light tarnishing to radiator surround, lacks cap. Diecast front axle fractured. Generally good plus for display in fair to good lift off lid red box (some staining, one lid corner split and wear to edges). Sold for £540, Vectis, November.



Lehmann (Germany) "Autobus" No.590. Red and yellow tinplate clockwork open top double decker bus. Tinplate upper deck and interior seating and uniformed driver. Steerable front wheels. Fixed key piano spring clockwork motor working when tested. Some general age wear, top deck rails a little bent and one interior bench seat needs re-fixing but generally a good example. Sold for £300, Vectis, November.



Lehmann (Germany) "Also" No.700 tinplate clockwork car. Fixed key piano wire clockwork motor working when tested but requires slight adjustment. Some age wear and rusting to right hand rear corner of body but generally good. Sold for £130, Vectis, November.



Lehmann (Germany) "Motor Car" tinplate clockwork horseless carriage in red and black with seated driver/coachman figure in blue jacket. Adjustable steering to front wheels. Fixed key clockwork motor working when tested. General age wear and some paint loss to driver's arm. Sold for £100, Vectis, November.



Nomura (TN Toys Japan) Mobile TV Unit, tinprinted battery operated example, lacks figure but generally fair for display with trailer. Sold for £40, Vectis, December.



Huntley, Bourne, Stevens (UK) Noah's Ark biscuit tin. Simply lithographed in green with orange roof and blue hull. Opening lid to one side of roof. Fair to good. Sold for £70, Vectis, November.



Mettoy (UK) Biplane. Gold tinplate clockwork model with red propeller and nacelle. Folding wings. No makers mark but "made in England" printed on wing and registration "K5083" on upper wings is known to have been used by Mettoy. **Sold for £90, Vectis, November.**



Carousel/Chair-O-Plane. Maker unconfirmed - possibly German. Tinplate clockwork toy with fixed key clockwork motor rotates canopy and rings bell, spinning 4 tinplate aeroplanes with celluloid propellers. **Sold for £60, Vectis, November.**



Structo (USA) Touring Car, large scale tinplate clockwork model. "Structo" decals to front of radiator. Rear wheels driven by prop shaft and bevel gears from fixed key clockwork motor under bonnet. Lacks steering wheel and part of steering mechanism. Rear of body missing. **Sold for £70, Vectis, November.**



Lehmann (Germany) Gustav The Miller No.230. Tinplate novelty toy, the bag of flour is attached to a hook in the windmill and Gustav climbs the pole and picks up the bag on his head. Later version, a good plus example. **Sold for £110, Vectis, November.**



Distler (US Zone, Germany) Auto Union 1937 Bonneville Record Car, tinplate clockwork model circa 1950. Clockwork motor working when tested. General play wear, small dent to left side of body. **Sold for £60, Vectis, November.**



Mak's (Hong Kong) County Police Van, plastic friction drive Commer Van with chromed detailing with chromed wheels with black tyres. "County Police" paper stickers to sides. Detachable "blue light" still taped to base. Good plus to excellent. **Sold for £70, Vectis, November.**



Rico (Spain) Double Decker Bus., Scarce green and cream tinplate friction drive example with right hand drive half cab. Red wheels with plated hubs and black rubber tyres. Translucent celluloid windows over tin profiles of passengers and driver. "Line Toy Rico" to one side of bus and "Trenes Electricos Rico" to other side. Some minor scuffs to edge of roof and light tarnishing to radiator but generally good plus to excellent. **Sold for £360, Vectis, November.**



Gunthermann (Germany) Double Deck Half Cab 6-wheel clockwork bus. Internal bench seating, staircase and driver figure. Fixed key clockwork motor working when tested. Some play wear, otherwise good to good plus. **Sold for £500, Vectis, November.**



Lehmann "Luxus" Limousine No.EPL785. The largest of the Lehmann tinplate clockwork cars. Electric lights to front and rear, opening doors, interior seats and lithographed chauffeur figure. Steerable front wheels, fixed key piano wire clockwork motor needs attention. General age wear and corrosion. **Sold for £240, Vectis, November.**



Arnold (Germany) A4 "Silver Flyer" tinplate clockwork locomotive. This is the scarce large version with "whistling" sound when in motion. "1938" to tender sides and "foreign" to rear of tender. Clockwork mechanism working when tested. **Sold for £20, Vectis, November.**



Wells Brimtoy (UK) A.R.P. Lorry. Tinplate clockwork lorry tinprinted in grey with cream and black detailing. Wartime toy featured in 1941 British Toys Trade Directory advert. Fixed key piano wire clockwork motor working when tested. Some playwear, tarnishing to radiator, otherwise good. **Sold for £160, Vectis, November.**



KO (Japan) Flying Saucer. Tinplate battery operated toy with bump and go action. Red and white with tin printed astronaut under clear plastic dome. Battery compartment clean. Two small scratches to top but generally good plus. **Sold for £60, Vectis, August.**



Japanese Double Decker Bus, maker unconfirmed. Tinprinted clockwork model in red with detailed tinprinting. Internal seating and staircase. Plated wheels with rubber tyres and friction drive mechanism. A scarce example. **Sold for £100, Vectis, November.**



KSG (Japan) "Poochie Peddler". Novelty clockwork tinplate toy of a dog pushing a red cart loaded with oranges. Eccentric wheel action and moving rear legs give realistic impression of dog pushing cart. Clockwork mechanism working when tested. Good plus to excellent. **Sold for £25, Vectis, November.**



Schuco (Germany) Old Timer 1229 Mercedes Simplex 1902. Rarer Staff Car version in green tinplate with German eagle crest to sides. Brown plastic seats. Front wheel steering. Includes Schuco Key. Novelty clockwork mechanism activated by turning starting handle (working when tested). Tinprinted crest on drivers side is off-centre and slanted. Lacks figures otherwise excellent. **Sold for £30, Vectis, November.**



KT (Marked "Foreign") Tinplate Clockwork Aeroplane with spinning propeller and "take-off" action. Cast metal blue uniformed pilot figure in cockpit. Fixed key clockwork motor working when tested. Wings repainted and some touching-in elsewhere, otherwise good. **Sold for £30, Vectis, November.**



Haji (Japan) "Donkey Boy". Tinplate clockwork donkey with tinprinted boy rider. Fixed key clockwork mechanism working when tested. Lacks plastic tail, otherwise near mint in excellent illustrated box. **Sold for £20, Vectis, November.**



Gama (Germany) tractor and trailer, tinplate clockwork tractor. Operating steering from steering wheel. Composition driver figure with non-original key. Clockwork motor working when tested. Tractor air intake and exhaust missing. Some rubs and paint wear especially to exposed edges, generally good. **Sold for £35, Vectis, November.**



N Toys (Japan) "Sparky Robot". Metallic green with detailed tinprinting. Clockwork motor working when tested, though no sparks from flint. Some light scratches to top of head and feet but generally good plus. **Sold for £30, Vectis, November.**



Yonezawa "Krome Dome" latic battery operated robot, scarce example from circa 1950s with plated tinplate head and plastic body, replacement flexible arm but a still a fair scarce example for display. Came in a repro box. **Sold for £45, Vectis, December.**



Y Toys (Japan) tinplate battery operated "S-17 Space Scout", scarce space related toy, with tinprinted detail, clear plastic cockpit with protruding gun, astronaut operator, some surface rust particularly to front and rear plated parts and replacement antenna to rear. Fitted with a mystery action to underside (untested). **Sold for £35, Vectis, December.**



Planet Special (UK). Maker unconfirmed - possibly Wells Brimtoy. Friction drive rocket tinprinted in blue, yellow and red. Circa 1950's. Tail fin replaced. Some surface play wear. Good for display. **Sold for £15, Vectis, November.**



Saunders (USA) pressed steel "Marvellous Mike" tractor, with plastic robot driver, lacks rubber tracks and some surface corrosion coming through but otherwise a scarce example circa 1952. **Sold for £30, Vectis, December.**

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Gama (Germany) Tinplate "Space Robot", scarce tinplate battery operated robot, often referred to as "Tulip Head", comprising and original head with 3 x opening tinplate segments, some replacement parts and a handmade tinplate body. **Sold for £20, Vectis, December.**



Cragstan "Talking Robot", battery operated, made to broadcast four different messages - red skirt and body, silver head had swinging arms, untested but with a clean battery compartment - light age-wear to edges but overall good plus example for display. **Sold for £200, Vectis, December.**



Yone (Japan) scarce tinplate "English Soldier" robot, circa 1950s, working order with marching action, tinprinted uniform and face, black plush hats, some surface corrosion to front mounted bell and would benefit from polishing but overall fair to good. **Sold for £20, Vectis, December.**



Waco (Japan) "Hook Robot", one of the rarest tinplate friction drive Robots from the 1950s, the light metallic blue version, replacement hook to rear of head, and some surface corrosion to edges but otherwise a fair to good original example with swinging arms, turning head. **Sold for £130, Vectis, December.**

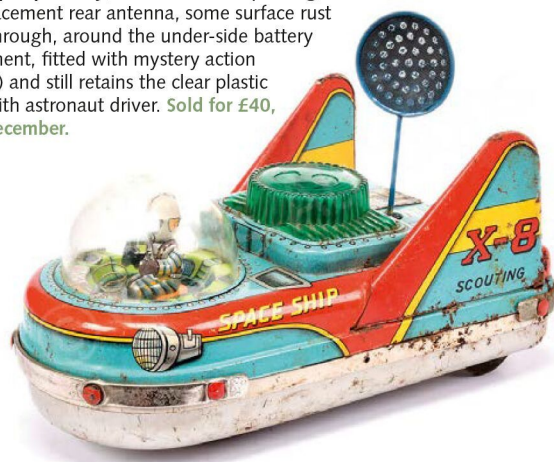


Yone (Japan) battery operated "Talking Robot", some surface corrosion to tinplate front panel and some silver superdetailing, untested but claimed to be in working order with a "Spanish Voice". **Sold for £20, Vectis, December.**



Marumiya "Star Strider" tinplate battery operated robot, scarce example is pale metallic green, some surface rust started to come through and spidering of the paintwork, plastic interior to the clean battery compartment - otherwise good. **Sold for £70, Vectis, December.**

Tada (Japan) tinplate battery operated "X-8 Scouting Space Ship" space toy, with detailed tinprinting, fitted with replacement rear antenna, some surface rust coming through, around the under-side battery compartment, fitted with mystery action (untested) and still retains the clear plastic cockpit with astronaut driver. **Sold for £40, Vectis, December.**



MorToys (Hong Kong) Plastic "Robbie Robot", circa 1962 - scarce plastic example with open battery compartment to the rear, red plastic body, yellow arms and legs, dark blue head and feet, rubber rollers to underside. **Sold for £25, Vectis, December.**



Horikawa "Swivel-O-Matic Astronaut Robot", scarce tinplate battery operated example is very dark grey, some surface rust appearing otherwise good. **Sold for £45, Vectis, December.**



Modern Toys (Japan) Tinplate "Atom Rocket 7", two-tone blue with tinprinted detail, includes replacement tail fin and antenna but does include the clear plastic cockpit dome with astronaut pilot to interior, clean battery compartment. Fair. **Sold for £25, Vectis, March.**



Horikawa (Japan) "Attacking Martian" tinplate battery operated robot, replacement grey arm and head assembly, opening doors to reveal 2 x red plastic guns in chest compartment - still a fair example. Sold for £35, Vectis, December.



Horikawa "Battery Powered Mr Hustler Tinplate Robot", some overall age-related wear and some surface corrosion to rear, but with a relevantly clean battery compartment. Untested but overall good. Sold for £120, Vectis, March.



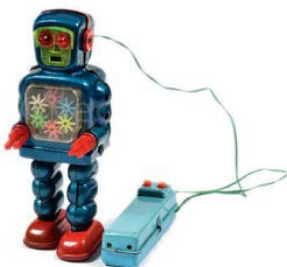
TN Toys (Nomura Japan) "Zoomer The Clockwork Robot", scarce early example, includes the coiled spring to rear back pack. Motor with permanent key is in working. Sold for £80, Vectis, March.



TN Toys (Nomura Japan) remote controlled piston action robot, scarce battery operated example. Still has (replacement) remote control cable attached and repro antenna ears have been fitted. Some play-wear but overall fair to good. Sold for £70, Vectis, March.



TN Toys (Nomura Japan) reworked tinplate battery operated example of "Zoomer the Robot", repainted with bulbs to eyes, coiled spring to head, metal hands with spanner. Some refurbishment has taken place. Fair including repro box. Sold for £35, Vectis, March.



KO Toys (Japan) "Battery Operated Remote Control High-Wheel Robot", scarce 1960s example including plastic hands, visible gears to clear plastic chest cover, small piece of plastic missing above right eye and some overall wear to paint work. Untested but generally good for display. Sold for £70, Vectis, March.



Minimodels, tinplate and clockwork model of the Railton land speed record car, aluminium silver body with flag transfers to front and 'John Cobb' signature transfer to centre, with key and the original box. Sold for £170, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Victory Industries 1/18 scale Austin Cambridge, large scale plastic battery operated model finished in pale blue with cream tinplate interior, includes metal fittings, missing flying A badge, battery compartment cover to underside, numberplate missing to front, otherwise good. Sold for £75, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Nomura (TN Toys, Japan) Mystery Action Emergency Service tinplate battery operated truck, white body with "AAA" livery, beige uniformed driver, in the original all card box. Sold for £150, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Mettoy (UK) Police Patrol Car with Siren. Tinplate friction drive car loosely based on a Standard Vanguard. Tin printed detailing. Lacks plastic "siren" on roof, otherwise excellent. Sold for £35, Vectis, June.



TN Toys (Nomura Japan) "Earth Man Robot", scarce tinplate battery operated example. Some detail parts have been refurbished/repainted but otherwise a good example for display of this scarce robot. **Sold for £100, Vectis, March.**



Linemar (Japan) "Electric Remote Control Battery Operated Robot", early example tinprinted detail, battery compartment and remote control cable attached, with bulbs to eyes. Mechanism may be incomplete and is untested. **Sold for £50, Vectis, March.**



Taiyo (Japan) large scale Tinplate "Blink-A-Gear", some restoration and repainting to the left arm and to the right-hand plastic foot. Fair scarce example. **Sold for £60, Vectis, March.**



Chinese tinplate and clockwork MS857 tractor and driver, with original key in all card box. **Sold for £55, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Tipp Co, Germany, large tinplate 6 wheel tipper delivery lorry, finished in blue, red and yellow, fixed single key mechanism in working order, with driver, number plate 10962. **Sold for £50, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



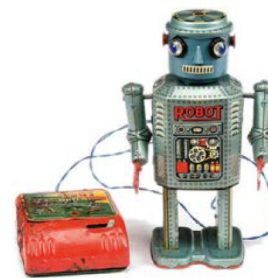
EHN tinplate and clockwork musical clowns, with fixed key operation and on/off lever, working order. Good to very good condition. **Sold for £60, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Marx Toys (USA) "Electric Robot and Son", includes red "Son" robot figure, some corrosion to metal battery cover and is untested. **Sold for £60, Vectis, March.**



Horikawa "Battery Operated Fighting Robot", dark grey tinplate body with some spidering effect, untested but fair to good for display. **Sold for £70, Vectis, March.**

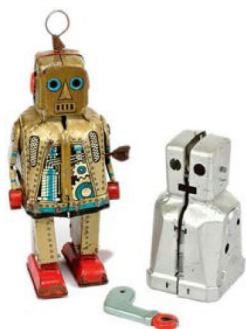


Linemar Toys (Japan) electric remote control battery operated R-35 "Robot", scarce example, tinprinted detail, repainted left hand. Some surface corrosion to his rear shoulders and to the battery compartment. **Sold for £110, Vectis, March.**

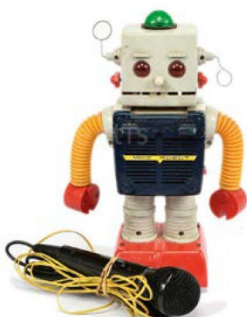
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Tinplate clockwork sparky robot, bronze, with tinprinted detail, clockwork operation in working order with walking action and antenna to head, some overall wear. **Sold for £35, Vectis, March.**



Tomy (Japan) large plastic "Mike" Robot, scarce plastic robot circa 1965, made to be pushed along and to have voice transmissions and broadcast through the front mounted speaker, appears to have been refurbished but is untested. **Sold for £100, Vectis, March.**



OROBR (Germany) tinplate and clockwork Limousine, grey/cream body, with red trim and luggage rack to roof, cream chassis, grey spoked wheels, with chauffeur, permanent fixed key, working order. **Sold for £400, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Daiya (Japan) "Astronaut" robot, scarce large scale tinplate battery operated robot marked "Cragstan", with replacement parts including gun, rear tanks and right hand. A fair scarce example. **Sold for £35, Vectis, March.**



Mettoy (UK) Clockwork Royal Mail Delivery Van. Cast metal body and base. Opening rear doors. Clockwork motor needs attention. Chips to finish, particularly to roof but generally good. **Sold for £90, Vectis, February.**



Dinky Toys, 60H pre-war Singapore flying boat, cast silver fuselage with silver tinplate wings, 4x2 blade propellers, RAF roundels, red roller, in the original blue lift-off lid box, has been restored to rear of fuselage, re-painted. **Sold for £80, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Daiya of Japan, tinplate and battery operated Highway Patrol Police Car, finished in black and white with detailed tin printed interior, roof light and bonnet light, in the original box. **Sold for £65, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Mettoy (UK) tinplate clockwork AA motorcycle and sidecar, diecast spoked wheels, JLY 500 registration number. Motor not tested - requires a male key. Some rubs but generally good. **Sold for £80, Vectis, February.**



Joustra of France, tinplate and friction drive "Rallye" aircraft, finished in red and white, with detailed tinprinted cockpit, and pilot, working order. **Sold for £20, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



NBN (Germany) Clockwork Clown. Unusual tinplate figure brightly tinprinted. When wound it doffs its hat, nods its head and shuffles around. A few small chips to finish on rear of figure but generally Excellent. **Sold for £60, Vectis, February.**



Daiya (Japan) tinplate and battery operated Space Conqueror Robot, blue tin printed body with clear space helmet, missing antenna, un-tested, in the original heavily worn all card box. **Sold for £380, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Kohler (Germany) Tinplate Clockwork Pecking Rooster. Brightly lithographed with felt comb and plastic tail. Includes Tri-ang Minic key. Clockwork mechanism working when tested. **Sold for £10, Vectis, March.**



Tipp and Co. (Germany) or similar. Tinplate clockwork fire engine in red with detailed tin printing and yellow ladder. "Dunlop Cord" tin balloon wheels. Piano wire clockwork motor working when tested. Lacks firemen figures and front scuttle/windscreen. Generally fair. **Sold for £25, Vectis, August.**



Michael Seidel (Western Germany) "Satellite" space toy. Clockwork tinplate globe that rotates on a tinplate base representing the night sky tin printed with the constellations. Tinplate satellite and a plastic flying saucer contra-rotate round the globe while the mechanism makes a "beeping" sound. Mechanism working when tested. Condition is excellent to near mint in a fair illustrated box. **Sold for £160, Vectis, August.**



Ideal (India) double decker bus. Scarce and unusual tinplate clockwork model with tinplate driver figure. Key included. Clockwork motor working when tested. Some play wear and surface pitting to roof but generally good. **Sold for £260, Vectis, February.**



N Toys (Japan) tinplate "Wind Up Walking Astronaut with Razer", would benefit from a light clean, some retouching to feet but overall a fair example, in working order with walking action. **Sold for £25, Vectis, February.**



Osaka Tin Toy Institute (Japan) "Walking Mechanical Astroman" tinplate robot, has been repainted and retro fitted with a replacement helmet and head, otherwise a fair scarce example with clockwork motor in working order and walking action. **Sold for £35, Vectis, February.**



Distler (Germany) tinplate clockwork opentop car, includes windscreen and plastic driver but lacks steering wheel. Clockwork motor in working order with brake. **Sold for £70, Vectis, February.**



Citroen DS Sedan (China) friction drive tinplate model of a DS Estate car. Plated metal details, plastic wheels and plated hubs. Detailed tinprinted interior. Some small paint chips, generally good. **Sold for £25, Vectis, February.**



Bandai (Japan) MGA 1600 Mk.2. friction drive tinplate car, with red top and tinprinted interior detail. Plated metal detailing. Some light surface rubs to paintwork and slight tarnishing to windscreen surround. **Sold for £50, Vectis, February.**



Bandai (Japan) Plymouth Valiant Sedan. Tinplate friction drive model with plated metal detailing and detailed tinprinted interior. 1963 rear number plate. Excellent in good box. **Sold for £120, Vectis, February.**



Schuco (Germany) 4012 radio car. Clockwork tinplate model with retractable aerial and detailed tinprinted dashboard. Steerable front wheels. With Schuco key. Two working clockwork motors. **Sold for £80, Vectis, February.**



Schuco (Germany) No.1050 studio racing car. Tinplate clockwork model of a 1936 Mercedes Grand Prix Racer. Near mint in a good plus card box. **Sold for £25, Vectis, February.**



Minimodels (UK) Goldie Gardener's MG Racing Car. Pull-back action clockwork model with aluminium body. "Goldie Goldman" signature to top and white "MG" flashes to sides with MG logo and two flags to front. **Sold for £110, Vectis, February.**



Sutcliffe (UK) "Sea Wolf" Atomic Submarine. Clockwork submarine with yellow tinplate hull and red plastic conning tower and missile. Black rubber bung. With key in paper bag. Excellent in an excellent illustrated card box. **Sold for £60, Vectis, March.**



Marx (USA) battery operated jet plane. Tinplate and plastic jet airliner in TWA livery. Tinplate upper fuselage and wings with detailed tinprinting. Grey plastic undersides. Red plastic lighted engines. Battery compartment clean. Some light scratches to top. Dents to tail fin and rear of fuselage. Good in a poor illustrated box. **Sold for £40, Vectis, February.**



Triang Minic (UK) 75M Ambulance. Friction drive Push and Go version. Would benefit from a light clean and some minor paint loss to rear door from catch rubbing but generally good plus to excellent. **Sold for £50, Vectis, February.**



Gunthermann (Germany) Double Decker "General" bus. Clockwork 6 wheeled example in red and cream with tinprinted details. Silver roof and cab top. Tinplate driver and interior bench seating and staircase. Fitted with electric lamp holders to front. Fixed key clockwork motor working when tested. **Sold for £160, Vectis, February.**



Daiya (Japan) "Road Construction Roller". Scarce tinplate battery operated tinplate road roller, with Robby the Robot type driver. Some corrosion to battery compartment, one plastic hand is a replacement. **Sold for £170, Vectis, March.**



"World Cup News Car" (China). Very unusual tinplate large scale battery operated car with mystery stop-start action. **Sold for £70, Vectis, March.**



Ideal (India) Single Decker Bus. Tinplate clockwork model in red with brown roof and blue mudguards. Black tinplate balloon tyres. Fixed key clockwork motor working when tested. Some light play wear and rubs to edges of roof. Generally good to good plus. **Sold for £170, Vectis, February.**



Sutcliffe (UK) "Merlin" electric speed boat. Battery operated tinplate boat. Battery compartment clean. Lacks plastic flag otherwise good plus. **Sold for £25, Vectis, March.**



Arnold (Germany) MGA. Friction drive with blue plastic body and black tinplate base. Red interior with white steering wheel. Silver detailing to bumpers, radiator and headlights. Plated hub caps with white wheels and black rubber tyres. Some age distortion to plastic of body on driver's side, otherwise good plus to excellent. **Sold for £60, Vectis, February.**



Sutcliffe (UK) "Jupiter" Ocean Pilot. Clockwork tinplate boat. Complete with mast and key in paper bag. Motor working when tested. Good plus to excellent in a good illustrated card box. **Sold for £25, Vectis, March.**



Joseph Wagner (Germany) Motor Cycle with Rider. Friction drive black tinplate model with nicely tinprinted engine detail etc. Wagner logo to tank sides. Excellent to near mint. **Sold for £45, Vectis, June.**

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Mettoy (UK) Clockwork Ambulance, cast metal body and base. Finished in cream with black rubber wheels. Steerable front wheels. With key clockwork motor working when tested. Generally good to good plus. **Sold for £80, Vectis, February.**



Bing (Germany) Torpedo Boat. The largest version of the pre-WW1 tinplate three funnel clockwork torpedo boat No. 121. Includes anchors, 4-wheeled trolley and 3 later cast metal crew members. Powerful clockwork motor driving four bladed screw, working when tested. A rare and very impressive model. **Sold for £2000, Vectis, August.**



JNF (Germany) Mercedes Sports Car. Tinplate friction drive model in metallic silver with tin printed interior. Steerable front wheels. General play wear but fair to good. **Sold for £80, Vectis, June.**



Yonezawa (Japan) Plastic battery operated "Acrobot", untested, lacks rear battery cover, otherwise fair to good. Scarce example, comes in a repro card box. **Sold for £25, Vectis, March.**



Bing (Germany) Clockwork Submarine. Tinplate hull finished in light grey with black band, gold trim and white conning tower. Brass winder cap to top of conning tower. Clockwork motor working when tested. Age related wear but generally good. **Sold for £160, Vectis, August.**



Triang Minic (UK) 16M Caravan, finished in cream over maroon. Opening door and partitioned interior. Cast metal hubs with black rubber tyres. Generally excellent in a good box. **Sold for £45, Vectis, June.**



Sutcliffe (UK) Fury Torpedo Boat. Tinplate clockwork boat with tin printed decal to front of deck. Complete with mast and key. Clockwork motor working when tested. Generally good plus. **Sold for £70, Vectis, June.**



Arnold (Germany) No. 2005 Submarine U.29. Pre-war tinplate clockwork submarine in grey/green camouflage and red with tin printed detailing. Deck gun and bow cable cutter. Kriegsmarine Ensign to the rear of the Conning Tower. With key. Generally excellent. An extremely rare model. **Sold for £520, Vectis, August.**



Mettoy (UK) Supertype Child's typewriter, tinplate with detailed tin printing and generally good. Together with Tri-ang (UK) Puff-Puff Pressed Steel Push-along locomotive. Bellows inoperative but generally good. **Sold for £20, Vectis, June.**



Reproduction TN Toys (Nomura Japan) "Earth Man Robot". Tinplate battery operated robot with tin printed detail. Battery compartment of remote control unit clean. Some retouching, including Nomura trademark but otherwise good. **Sold for £50, Vectis, June.**



Sutcliffe (UK) "Unda-Wunda" Clockwork Submarine. Later issue. Sutcliffe decal to front and "Unda-Wunda" to side of hull. Gun mounted on conning tower. Black rubber bung with periscope. With key. Clockwork motor working when tested. Near mint in good Plus illustrated box card packing. **Sold for £60, Vectis, August.**



Lehmann (Germany) 645 "Paak-Paak". Tinplate duck pulling basket of 3 ducklings. Propelled by fixed key clockwork motor (working when tested). 1903 USA patent date printed to underside. Some light age wear but generally good to good plus. **Sold for £130, Vectis, June.**



A Tri-ang Series Mechanical Toys Magic Sports Car No MT4, clockwork, painted green with darker green chassis, mudguards and dummy hood, folding windscreen, steering and electric headlamps, in original box, good. Sold for £520, Special Auction Service, March.



A rare Tri-ang pressed steel Glasgow Corporation Double Deck Bus, painted cream, green and pink, chrome-plated radiator grille, No.42 Glasgow and Glasgow coat of arms transfers, black rubber tyres and pull-operated bell. Fair to good. Sold for £600, Special Auction Service, March.



A Lines Bros Tri-ang pressed steel clockwork No 1E Saloon, painted dark green with opening doors, red wheels with black tyres and electric headlamps. Fair to good. Sold for £500, Special Auction Service, March.



A Lines Bros Tri-ang Series lithographed tinplate Shell Motor Petrol Tanker No.52/1, red, yellow and black with driver, clockwork motor and white rubber tyres, very good. Sold for £400, Special Auction Service, March.



A Lines Bros Tri-ang Series lithographed tinplate Motor Lorry No.50/1, red with black and white lining with driver, clockwork motor and white rubber tyres, good. Sold for £160, Special Auction Service, March.



A Lines Bros Tri-ang Series lithographed tinplate Motor Dust Lorry No.51/1, red cab and yellow back with black, yellow and red lining, driver, clockwork motor and white rubber tyres, good. Sold for £160, Special Auction Service, March.



A Lines Bros Tri-ang Series lithographed tinplate Motor Box Van and trailer No.53/1, blue with white and black lining, clockwork motor and white tyres, poor to fair. Sold for £130, Special Auction Service, March.



A Tri-ang clockwork tinplate No.1 Sports Car, painted grey, folding windscreen, steering wheel and lithographed tinplate Tri-ang Cord, fair. Sold for £380, Special Auction Service, March.



A Tri-ang pressed steel Green Line Single-Deck Bus, painted green, red interior, 704 Tunbridge Wells to Windsor via London, chrome-plated radiator, pull-operated bell and black rubber tyres, very good. Sold for £360, Special Auction Service, March.



Gebruder Einfalt (Germany) tinplate clockwork Bullfighter with Bull novelty clockwork motor in working order, fitted with spoked wheels, produces to and fro charging and fighting effect, detailed tinprinting to the bull and matador who still retains his dagger, some age related wear but otherwise a good scarce example. Sold for £160, Vectis, May.



A Tri-ang Toys tinplate Saloon Car No.541, painted green and red with lithographed tyres and driver and clockwork motor, circa 1937, fair to good. Sold for £160, Special Auction Service, March.



A Lines Bros Tri-ang pressed steel clockwork No 1E Saloon, painted beige and red with opening doors, black rubber tyres and electric headlamps, fair. Sold for £500, Special Auction Service, March.



A Tri-ang pressed steel London Transport Single-Deck Bus, painted red with white interior, chrome-plated radiator grille, No.98, black rubber tyres, pull-operated bell and 'British Made' cardboard tag, very good. Sold for £620, Special Auction Service, March.



A rare Tri-ang pressed steel dark turquoise Green Line Single-Deck Bus, with destination 704 Windsor, via Victoria, chrome-plated radiator, black rubber tyres and pull-operated bell, good. Sold for £360, Special Auction Service, March.



A rare Tri-ang pressed steel Thames Trader 'Pickfords' Mechanical Horse and Pantechnicon, painted dark blue with diecast cream and blue cab, opening rear doors, uncoupling mechanism and black rubber tyres, good. Sold for £270, Special Auction Service, March.



A Tri-ang pressed steel Thames Trader Mechanical Horse Rocket Transporter, with black and yellow diecast cab, yellow painted steel back, white, red and black steel US Army rocket, winching mechanism and six wheels with black rubber tyres, poor to fair. Sold for £360, Special Auction Service, March.



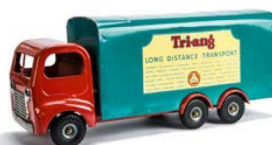
A Tri-ang pressed steel Bedford Breakdown Lorry No.6165, painted red with tinplate radiator, red wheels with black rubber tyres, working crane and Tri-ang transfer on roof, fair to good. Sold for £130, Special Auction Service, March.



A Tri-ang pressed steel Diesel Series Mobile Concrete Mixer, No.6011, painted red and blue with black rubber tyres and operating instructions, good. Sold for £150, Special Auction Service, March.



A Tri-ang pressed steel Thames Trader Breakdown Truck, painted blue and yellow diecast cab, blue steel back with transfers of saluting man, operating crane and black rubber tyres, fair to good. Sold for £220, Special Auction Service, March.



A Tri-ang pressed steel 300 Series Long Distance Transporter, painted red cab and mudguards, dark turquoise back, chrome-plated radiator grille, transfers to side, opening back and six black rubber wheels, good. Sold for £210, Special Auction Service, March.



A Tri-ang pressed steel 300 Series Horse Transporter, painted red and white with transfer to sides, opening rear doors and side door, brown and white horse plastic horse on wheels and black rubber tyres, very good. Sold for £260, Special Auction Service, March.



A Tri-ang pressed steel 200 Series Transport Van No 200, painted red and green, paper advertisements on side for Frog Penguin aircraft, Pedal Motors, Tricycles, Pedigree Pets Soft Toys and Dolls, Pedalkars and Wakouwa and rear opening door. Sold for £160, Special Auction Service, March.



A Tri-ang pressed steel Metal Milk Lorry, painted an unusual blue, lithographed tinplate radiator, red wheels with black rubber tyres and six Triangtois Dairy lithographed tinplate milk churns. Sold for £130, Special Auction Service, March.



A Swallow Toys steel and wood Milk Delivery Lorry, painted red and green with yellow lining. Swallow Toy sticker to cab roof, eight lithographed tinplate Swallow Dairy milk churns and white metal wheels with black rubber tyres. Sold for £190, Special Auction Service, March.



An SFA France 756 clockwork Military Motorcycle and Sidecar, white lithographed tinplate with dark blue detail, red driver and passenger with machine gun, fair to good. Sold for £260, Special Auction Service, March.

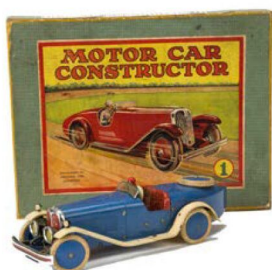
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A Structo No 12 Automobile Deluxe, blue painted steel, crank handle keywind mechanism with gears, Structo transfer to grille, windshield, dummy hood and spare wheel. **Sold for £140, Special Auction Service, March.**



A Meccano pre-war No 2 Motor Car Constructor, made up as boat-tail racer, painted blue and cream, red seats, white-clothed driver with red helmet, clockwork and transfer to rear. **Sold for £580, Special Auction Service, March.**



A Burnett Ubilda Racing Car, orange lithographed tinplate with black lining, No1., clockwork and electric headlamp, in original box. **Sold for £340, Special Auction Service, March.**



An early Wells clockwork lithographed tinplate Ambulance, cream with black detail, red cross to roof and back, driver, Wells logo on side and W1929 number plate. **Sold for £200, Special Auction Service, March.**



A Hessmobil flywheel-drive lithographed tinplate Open Tourer, red with black and white lining, No.16 on radiator, JLH on doors, driver and hand crank. **Sold for £260, Special Auction Service, March.**



A Structo Traction Engine and Trailer, painted green and red steel, crank handle keywind mechanism and brake. **Sold for £120, Special Auction Service, March.**



Carette (Germany) or similar tinplate clockwork Single Funnelled River Boat scarce example from the early part of the 20th Century with white/green hull, gold painted trim, cream/white superstructure with red edging, no key but clockwork motor in working order driving rear propeller, comes with adjustable rudder and built-in stand. **Sold for £180, Vectis, May.**

An early tinplate Circus Toy dating from the late 19th Century possibly French or German and Spirit painted. Originally a drive belt would have run between the pulleys on the axle and the trapeze bar. **Sold for £100, Vectis, May.**



Gunthermann, Kico (Hubert Kienberger Germany) tinplate clockwork Billiards Player. Scarce novelty toy from the early part of the 20th Century featuring tinprinted man dressed in a suit and tie, with brown billiards table with decorative embossed sides, lacks balls and stand but the clockwork motor is in working order. **Sold for £180, Vectis, May.**



FROG large scale model of a De Havilland 80A Puss Moth 3-seater Cabin Monoplane, aluminium fuselage with printed paper wings, left hand wing strut requires repair, but is fitted with wooden propeller, and comes with various accessories and literature including a torn leaflet. **Sold for £70, Vectis, May.**



FROG Mk.IV Interceptor Fighter scarce example with aluminium fuselage and printed paper wings, with green/white/red Italian markings, one rear wing requires reattachment but does including the blue plastic propeller and undercarriage. Good overall in a fair to good card box. **Sold for £70, Vectis, May.**



Mettoy (UK) tinplate "Clown Riding Motorcycle" multi coloured, with tinprinted detail, 2 x balloon wheels, clockwork motor with integral key in working order, "1st Prize" to riders back - otherwise a fair to good scarce example. **Sold for £200, Vectis, May.**



Schuco (Germany) No.1070 Grand Prix Racer tinplate clockwork larger scale racing car, the clockwork motor is in working order and comes with a Schuco key, red, with racing number 3, would benefit from further cleaning, good plus. **Sold for £45, Vectis, May.**



SSS (Japan) large friction drive tinplate car transporter with articulated trailer and 2 cars, opening rear doors, yellow baseplate and sliding rear ramp. Friction drive cars comprise a blue Sedan and a green Station Wagon. Some of the roofs have some scratches but otherwise an excellent plus bright example. **Sold for £90, Vectis, May.**



Tinplate and hard rubber Mechanical Fruit Seller and Cart c.1930 of unconfirmed French manufacturer, lady has red top and blue skirt, hand cart with load of fruit and weighing scale, tinplate spoked wheels, clockwork motor with key in working order providing walking action, good plus. **Sold for £130, Vectis, May.**



Yonezawa large scale tinplate friction drive MGA Sports Car red, with tinprinted interior and hub caps, bright plated grille and bumpers, glazed front windscreen - some play wear marks to the roof - otherwise good plus to excellent. **Sold for £70, Vectis, May.**



Triang Minic pre-war Town Coupe tinplate clockwork model is in brown, with bright plated wings and running boards, some cracking to the original tyres and chipping particularly to rear corner, no key but the motor was in working order on test, includes rear luggage rack and wooden seat. Good scarce example. **Sold for £50, Vectis, May.**



Lehmann (Germany) No.723 'KADI' early tinplate toy featuring Chinese figures carrying a tea chest. A very scarce novelty toy dating from the early part of the 20th Century. The mechanism is in working order and is actuated by a rotary knob to the right hand side. Some age related wear but overall a good example. **Sold for £440, Vectis, May.**



1950s tinplate Mechanical Arnold (Germany) Opentop Car with mechanical remote control and cable. Black, with tinprinting tartan seating, bright plated bumpers and grille, including plastic driver figure, complete with remote control and cable. Good plus to excellent for display. **Sold for £130, Vectis, May.**



'Universal Truck' - tinplate friction drive Space Toy of Japanese manufacture from the 1950s blue, with tinprinted detail including driver figure to cab, lacks rear tailboard, manufactured by Marusan (San Toys Japan) with tinprinted rocket detail to rear flatbed. **Sold for £80, Vectis, May.**



Schuco (Germany) 'Rolly' Roller Skating Clown c.1950, some repair to his rubber face covering around the neck and back of the head - otherwise fair to good. **Sold for £110, Vectis, May.**



Fernand Martin (France) No.138 tinplate clockwork Piano Player scarce piece of Automata featuring a black piano with printed card keys and music sheet, seated figure with red felt jacket and black trousers, clockwork motor with integral key. The mechanism is in working order driving a musical movement whilst the piano player moves his hands. **Sold for £520, Vectis, May.**



Wells (UK) tinplate clockwork Bluebird Landspeed Record Car blue, with red trim and tinprinted exhaust detail, including driver figure to cockpit, integral key, clockwork motor in working order driving rear wheels, some surface corrosion to top surface but overall good for display, 10.5"/27cm long. **Sold for £110, Vectis, May.**



A pair 1950s Japanese made clockwork mounted Cowboys & Indians figures. Haji larger scale Indian on Horseback, integral key the clockwork motor is in working order. Smaller Cowboy on Horseback with integral key, clockwork motor in working order, excellent in a fair card box. **Sold for £50, Vectis, May.**



CIJ (France) tinplate clockwork Fire Engine. Red, with clockwork motor in working order, forward motion with stop/start action, ringing bell, elevating roof mounted ladder, opening rear door with catch, on/off lever to sides, good plus. **Sold for £70, Vectis, May.**



Crawford's Biscuits "Pride of London" tinplate Airliner shaped biscuit tin very scarce example in metallic gold finish, with tinprinted detail and A-ONE registration number. The biplane wings are made to fold lengthways with folding tail plane and rear wing section for storage. **Sold for £620, Vectis, May.**



Technofix (Germany) tinplate friction drive Scooter orange/yellow with tinprinted detail, includes male rider and female pillion passenger with tinprinted dog, twin rubber wheels to rear axle and balloon wheel to front, light age related wear overall, lacks its clear plastic windscreen, otherwise a good plus. **Sold for £130, Vectis, May.**



KT Toys (Japan) No.NP5357 Liliput Robot, very scarce tinplate clockwork toy robot. Liliput is generally acknowledged as being the first toy robot produced. Some tinprinted detail to front, comes with a key and is in working order with walking action, lacks his nose. Some age related wear but otherwise good for display. **Sold for £1,200, Vectis, May.**



Mettoy (UK) No.830 "Mechanical Racer" green diecast body with tinprinted balloon wheels, the brake, clockwork motor and steering are in working order, good. **Sold for £50, Vectis, July.**



Marx Toys (UK) tinplate clockwork 1950s Tractor yellow, with tinprinted detail, lacks the caterpillar tracks and the wheels have been retro fitted with thin rubber tyres but is in working order and does include the driver figure, good. **Sold for £45, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang Minic 1950s Double Decker Bus red, with cream upper deck window surrounds, broken spring to mechanism and would benefit from replacement tyres. Otherwise good plus for display, comes in a poor box. **Sold for £50, Vectis, July.**



CKO Kellermann (Germany) tinplate clockwork "Cabrio Super" Flip Top Convertible, scarce larger scale example, lacks key but the clockwork motor is in working order driving the rear wheels, lever operated steering to underside and a 2nd lever flips the car roof. Some play wear but generally good plus. **Sold for £80, Vectis, May.**



Mettoy (UK) pre-war large scale tinplate clockwork car and caravan. The car is dark blue with cream trim, blue wheels, uniformed chauffeur figure and sliding roof. Clockwork motor with integral key driving rear wheels in working order, includes sliding roof and rear hook. The caravan is cream with matching wheels, also has a sliding roof, some surface corrosion and wear, fair to good. **Sold for £260, Vectis, May.**



JNF (Germany) scarce larger scale tinplate battery operated 34cm/14" Mercedes Racing Car metallic lavender with racing number 5, untested, not fitted with driver but with working steering, good. **Sold for £60, Vectis, July.**



Mettoy (UK) No.830 diecast "Mechanical Racer" scarce boxed example, with tinprinted balloon wheels. The clockwork motor is in working order but the brake is inoperative, fitted with steerable front wheels. **Sold for £90, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang Minic articulated lorry with packing cases. Green forward control cab, red trailer, with 6 wooden cases, some wear particularly to cab and roof. **Sold for £20, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang Minic Forward Control Tipper Lorry mid green forward control cab, red tipping body, push & go motor in working order, diecast hubs, good plus to excellent. **Sold for £60, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang Minic 1/20th scale electric model of a Jaguar 2.4 litre RAF blue plastic body with tartan effect tinprinted interior seating, includes steering wheel and glazing, light wear to some plated parts particularly at the front, untested but good plus. **Sold for £70, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang large pressed steel Routemaster Bus red, with blue interior, cream floors, early example with thick rubber wheels and tinplate chassis, some wear particularly to sides and lacks advertisements, fair to good. **Sold for £150, Vectis, July.**



Sutcliffe tinplate clockwork "Victor" Motor Torpedo Boat. Motor in working order, comes with key and separately applied mast in a bag within the box. The boat is fitted with rear propeller and rudder. Generally good plus. **Sold for £35, Vectis, July.**



Marklin large scale tinplate clockwork Mercedes Racing Car, of recent limited edition production. White, with red seat and exhaust, with "Marklin" and other wording to body, clockwork motor in working order and comes with a key. **Sold for £140, Vectis, September.**



Marklin large scale tinplate clockwork "Standard" Petrol Tanker of recent 1993 limited edition production, with opening cab doors and rear compartment, the clockwork motor is in working order, the model comes with a key, certificate and leaflet. Near mint. **Sold for £220, Vectis, September.**



Marklin No.19801 tinplate clockwork model of the Junkers JU52/3M Aircraft with Swiss markings to wings and tail. This model is of recent limited production and issued in 1999, comes with certificate and booklet, fitted with controls for operating wing flaps and tail plane, clockwork motor in working order driving 3 propellers, comes with a key. Near mint. **Sold for £240, Vectis, September.**



Mamod Live Steam Roadster No.SA1 of steel construction in the shape of a vintage car. White, with red wheels and chassis, would benefit from further polishing, has had some use but appears generally good plus in a fair illustrated box, comes with burner tray and steering control knob. **Sold for £80, Vectis, September.**



Marx Toys (USA) large tinplate friction drive "Sparkling Warship" grey, with tinprinted detail, 2 x deck mounted guns, named "USS Washington" to stern, 15"/37cm long. Excellent and comes in a fair card box (lacks a couple of end flaps). **Sold for £80, Vectis, July.**



Mettoy larger scale tinplate clockwork Articulated Lorry brown, with cream trim and grey chassis, clockwork motor in working order with integral key, good plus. **Sold for £120, Vectis, July.**



Marklin No.1101 tinplate clockwork "Geldtransporter" tinplate clockwork Security Van of limited edition production light blue with black chassis and roof, opening side and rear doors, wired for electric headlamps, clockwork motor in working order and comes with a key and brake, battery compartment for the headlamps to the underside, fitted with roof-rack. **Sold for £110, Vectis, September.**



Pre-War tinplate clockwork Japanese Pennytoy style fire engine red, with driver figure and elevating yellow ladder, tinprinted detail. The clockwork motor which has an integral key is in working order. **Sold for £50, Vectis, September.**



Tri-ang Minic No.32M Short Bonneted Dust Cart mid green forward control cab, red rear body, bright plated shutters, later model with red plastic wheel hubs, no key but clockwork motor in working order - an excellent example. **Sold for £60, Vectis, September.**



Tri-ang Minic No.85M Post-War Forward Controlled Transport Van with red short bonneted cab and mid green van body, includes rear locking bar and both opening doors, diecast hubs. Good card box (for the Push-n-Go version). **Sold for £70, Vectis, September.**



Ichiko (Japan) large tinplate friction drive Oldsmobile Police Car c.1958, black, with white bonnet and boot, tinprinted detail to interior and hub caps, bright plated parts, some play wear but overall good for display. **Sold for £40, Vectis, September.**



Minic No.29M Post-War Traffic Control Car dark blue, with 2 x policeman figures to interior and black plastic loud speaker to roof, clockwork motor in working order and comes with a replacement key. A good plus bright example in a fair card box. **Sold for £80, Vectis, September.**



Lincoln (Hong Kong) plastic friction drive Rolls Royce Silver Cloud approx 1/43 scale, pale greyish blue with bright plated fittings, some slight age discolouration to the front wings - otherwise a good example with red interior and motor in working order and comes in a fair illustrated box. **Sold for £220, Vectis, September.**



Ichiko (Japan) tinplate "Friction Powered Stock Car Racing Series" Renault Floride based on the Renault Floride 2-door Coupe. Blue, white roof with tinprinted interior and plated metal parts - good plus, 8"/20cm long and comes in a good illustrated box. **Sold for £50, Vectis, September.**



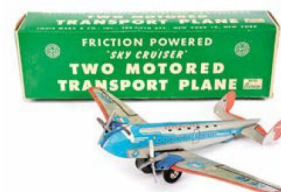
Cragstan (Japan) tinplate friction drive "Searchlight Jeep" military green with yellow seats, includes bonnet mounted gun and revolving searchlight to rear. Good plus in working order, comes in a good illustrated box. **Sold for £45, Vectis, September.**



Pre-War Hornby "Racer I" tinplate clockwork Speedboat in original box cream with green trim and engine cover, includes rudder and Meccano key, the clockwork motor is in working order with brake. Unusually still comes with guarantee slip, "tested" label, envelope for the key and (torn into several pieces) instruction slip. Good plus in a fair to good card box with colourful illustration to lid. **Sold for £90, Vectis, September.**



FROG Mk.IV Interceptor Fighter "with foreign markings" scarce example is green with US Army insignia and roundels to the orange paper clip-on wings, includes bare wooden propeller, oil bottles and the box is marked "Patented USA". Good in a fair illustrated card box. **Sold for £70, Vectis, September.**



Marx Toys (USA) scarce tinplate friction drive "Skycruiser" 2-engined Transport Plane in blue/silver Strato Airlines livery and badged as a "Stratoliner 700" Aircraft. Each engine has a silver plastic propeller, the plane is fitted with a substantial giro motor to the underside, slight bending to the axle but fitted with a working siren effect and large rear jockey wheel, a good plus scarce example and comes in a good card box with inner packaging. **Sold for £110, Vectis, September.**



Mobo (UK) pressed steel Toy-toise yellow shell with painted detail, 4 x legs and head, mechanical remote control with cable, cable requires attention but otherwise good for display, c.1950s, 10"/26cm long. **Sold for £20, Vectis, September.**



Arnold (West Germany) tinplate friction drive Lorry Mounted Aeroplane Launcher scarce German toy from the 1960s with military green MAN Tractor Unit and Trailer, grey cab roof and trim, Rocket Launcher to trailer with spring elevation control, requires an elastic band to launch the plastic aeroplane. **Sold for £190, Vectis, September.**



Sutcliffe Models tinplate clockwork Sea Wolf Atomic Submarine yellow, with red fittings, includes rubber bung and key in an old toy shop paper bag. The submarine has some light age related wear including to part of the transfer. Otherwise a good plus bright example. **Sold for £80, Vectis, September.**



Tri-ang Minic No.81M Post-War LNER Railway Delivery Van tinplate clockwork model is dark blue, with 2 x opening rear doors and locking bar, paper advertising stickers. Overall a good example with clockwork motor in working order. **Sold for £70, Vectis, September.**



Arnold (US Zone of Germany) "Candidat" tinplate clockwork car with figures scarce example is black with tinprinted tartan interior seating, detailed dashboard, comes with an "Arnold" key, the clockwork motor is in working order. **Sold for £90, Vectis, September.**



Bandai (Japan) large scale tinplate battery operated Volkswagen Beetle Sedan metallic red, with tinprinted interior, bright plated parts, see-through rear engine cover, with mystery action to underside and a clean battery compartment. Excellent plus in a fair box. **Sold for £160, Vectis, September.**



Bing (Germany) tinplate clockwork car in garage. The car has a working clockwork motor however the motor assembly is loose but still displayable, the garage is tinprinted cream with grey roof and opening doors, some play wear but otherwise good. **Sold for £160, Vectis, September.**



Tri-ang No.290 "Convertible with Garage Tools & Spares" large scale plastic American Car, resembling a Cadillac (similar to the Gama model) is red, with cream interior, plated parts, opening bonnet and boot, fitted with aerial - the car came with a number of accessories. Excellent plus to near mint. **Sold for £130, Vectis, September.**



French tinplate clockwork Fire Service Van red, with black upper body and roof, tinprinted fireman passenger detail to windows, free-wheeling tinplate construction, Dunlop balloon wheels. Some light age related wear. **Sold for £60, Vectis, September.**



Georg Fischer Toys (Germany) large Pennytoy style 2-door Vintage Car light khaki in colour with matching tan roof and rear boot, grey perforated wheels, tinprinted side windows with chauffeur impression, c.1920, being marked with the "GES.GESCH." marks to the lower edge, some creasing to roof. **Sold for £60, Vectis, September.**



Unique Art (USA) tinplate clockwork Police Motorcycle beige, with tinprinted detail to the bike and to the blue uniformed police officer rider, the clockwork motor is in working order turning the rear wheels which are fitted with a brake, the motor bike travels round in a circular motion. **Sold for £150, Vectis, September.**



Kohler (GKN Germany) tinplate clockwork Horse with Red Indian Rider marked "Made in the US Zone of Germany". Cream tinplate horse, lacks key but with clockwork motor in working order producing galloping action to front legs, the Red Indian figure is plastic, excellent plus. **Sold for £70, Vectis, September.**



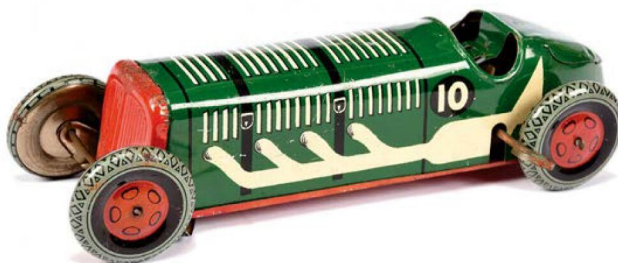
Tri-ang Minic No.31M Post-War Articulated BP Petrol Tanker all red with forward control cab to tractor unit, some light wear to transfers - otherwise a good plus to excellent example, no key but with the motor in working order. **Sold for £80, Vectis, September.**



Mettoy tinplate clockwork Farm Tractor green/yellow with driver figure, c.1950s, clockwork motor in working order and comes with the correct "Mettoy" key, detailed tinprinting including driver figure, some light age related marks but overall good plus to excellent. **Sold for £80, Vectis, September.**



Mettoy large scale tinplate clockwork 12"/30cm Racing Car yellow/red, lacks the drivers head - otherwise a good plus example with racing number 17, balloon wheels and clockwork motor in working order. **Sold for £70, Vectis, September.**



Wells (UK) tinplate clockwork 1950's Racing Car dark green with racing number 10, clockwork motor with integral key in working order, lacks driver figure, otherwise a good plus bright example. **Sold for £70, Vectis, September.**



Welsotoys (UK) "Highway Patrol Gyro Siren" large scale tinplate friction drive police car with tinprinted detail featuring Broderick Crawford from the 1950s American Series Highway Patrol, near mint bright example with working motor, 11"/28cm long and comes in an excellent colourfully illustrated card box. **Sold for £110, Vectis, September.**



Large tinplate friction drive West German made No.139 Racing Car red, with tinprinted detail, working friction motor with Gama style wheels and rubber tyres, near mint, 11"/28cm long and comes in a fair to good colourfully illustrated card box. **Sold for £80, Vectis, September.**



Wells Brimtoy (UK) 1950's "Space Ship with Siren Motor" bronze/red with see-through rear sparking compartment (sparking effect inoperative), working gyro motor. Otherwise good plus for display, 10"/25cm long and comes in a fair illustrated box. **Sold for £190, Vectis, September.**



A S.J.M (Taiwan) Battery-operated Piston Robot, plastic upper body, tinplate lower body, legs and feet, in original box, very good-excellent, tested well at time of cataloguing. **Sold for £55, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Horikawa S.H (Japan) Battery-operated Engine Robot, early version silver-grey tinplate robot, clear plastic chest panel, red and green gears, good, two cracks to chest panel, rust treatment to interior of battery cover and surround tested well at time of cataloguing. **Sold for £80, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Yonezawa (Japan) Clockwork Winky Robot, blue-grey tinplate robot, winking lenticular eyes, off-centre on/off switch, oxygen meter on chest panel, good, arms and ears replaced tested well at time of cataloguing. **Sold for £150, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Nomura T.N (Japan) Battery-operated Remote-control Earth Man, fawn yellow lithographed tinplate astronaut, silver helmet, red feet, green remote, good, oxygen tanks restored, antenna reproduction, areas of retouching mainly to body tested well at time of cataloguing. **Sold for £110, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Horikawa S.H (Japan)
Battery-operated Super-Giant Robot, large 16" rotate-o-matic tinplate and plastic robot, in original Japanese text box, very good-excellent, box fair, lid neatly repaired, box base and inserts replaced tested well at time of cataloguing. **Sold for £70, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Yoshiya K.O (Japan)
Battery-operated Chief Robotman, light blue tinplate body, red tinplate arms, green plastic chest panel, first of the Yoshiya skirted robots, very good, some wear. **Sold for £200, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Yoshiya K.O (Japan)
Clockwork High Wheel Robot, black tinplate body, red hands and feet, six gear version, fixed key motor, very good-excellent. **Sold for £85, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Nomura/Nikko (Japan)
Battery-operated Giant Three Stage Rocket, silver tinplate three section rocket, red plastic dome to front section, marked 'USAF', very good, a few small losses to red plastic engine thrusters, all connecting pins undamaged tested well at time of cataloguing. **Sold for £140, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Horikawa S.H (Japan)
Battery-operated TV Spaceman, plastic and tinplate robot, dark blue plastic body, tinplate legs, chrome TV screen, red feet, in original Japanese text box with inner packing, excellent. **Sold for £65, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Horikawa S.H (Japan)
Battery-operated Attacking Martian, early version silver tinplate robot, green plastic inserts, white painted metal battery compartment, good-very good, minor repainting. **Sold for £85, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Masudaya Modern Toys (Japan)
Battery-operated X-7 Space Explorer Ship, metallic blue lithographed tinplate flying saucer, multi-coloured plastic lights, tinplate astronaut with vinyl head in clear plastic dome, in original box, very good, tested well at time of cataloguing. **Sold for £45, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Yonezawa (Japan)
Battery-operated Mechanic Robot, black/grey tinplate and plastic robot, orange and red plastic head, clear plastic chest panel with four rotating gears, in original box, excellent. **Sold for £90, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Horikawa S.H (Japan)
Battery-operated Fighting Robot, silver-grey tinplate body, clear plastic chest panel, clear head dome with four rotating gears, very good, small chip to top right corner of chest panel, a few minor scratches. **Sold for £95, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Marx Toys (USA)
Clockwork Rex Mars Planet Patrol Sparkling Tank, large tinplate tank, reworking of an earlier military model, detailed space related lithography, in Marx 'Sparkling Tank' box with key, excellent, one end flap faded and repaired tested well at time of cataloguing. **Sold for £100, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Taiyo (Japan)
Battery-operated Blink-A-Gear Robot, large tinplate and plastic robot, black body, red plastic arms and feet, clear chest panel with multi-coloured gears, in reproduction box, very good, one good quality reproduction arm, small crack to chest panel, minor repair to battery terminal. **Sold for £180, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Scarce Nomura T.N (Japan)
Battery-operated Space Robot X-70 Tulip Head, detailed lithographed chest panel and head panels, in original box, very good-excellent, box good-very good, lid with small internal repairs, staples removed staple holes and minor marks touched in. **Sold for £900, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Sutcliffe Model 20'000 Leagues Under The Sea 'Nautilus' Submarine, tinplate clockwork model, copyright Walt Disney Productions decal, in original box with key and rubber cork, excellent. **Sold for £85, Special Auction Services, August.**



Schuco Varianto-Lasto Vehicles No3042, blue and grey Pick-up truck, with red VW Beetle, very good, vehicle tested well at time of cataloguing. **Sold for £30, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Masudaya Modern Toys (Japan) Battery-operated USA-NASA Apollo Space Ship, chrome/silver lithographed tinplate body, astronaut pilot with vinyl head, in original box with inner packing piece, very good-excellent, lacks astronaut on wire, tested well at time of cataloguing. **Sold for £45, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Yonezawa (Japan) Battery-operated Talking Robot, red tinplate body, silver head and arms, clear plastic eyes, white plastic ears, lithographed chest panel, in reproduction box, very good tested at time of cataloguing, not talking. **Sold for £210, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Suzugen For Horikawa S.H (Japan) Battery-operated Busy Cart Robot, detailed lithographed tinplate robot, early version yellow plastic ribbed helmet and wheelbarrow, litho knee detail, short feet, in reproduction box, very good-excellent. **Sold for £270, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Horikawa S.H (Japan) Battery-operated Golden Roto-Robot, tinplate body, plastic head, legs and arms, in original box, very good, minor repair to small crack at top of left leg, box good, minor neat repair to interior of lid. **Sold for £170, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Horikawa S.H (Japan) Battery-operated Engine Robot, tinplate body, plastic head and arms, plastic legs, clear chest panel, in original box, excellent, box good tested well at time of cataloguing. **Sold for £90, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Scarce Nomura T.N (Japan) Battery-operated Mechanized Robby Robot, 2nd issue with flat battery compartment knobs, in original box with handmade plaster figure of the Maiden as depicted on the Forbidden Planet poster. **Sold for £600, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Taiyo (Japan) Battery-operated Blink-A-Gear Robot, large tinplate and plastic robot, black body, red plastic arms and feet, clear chest panel with multi-coloured gears, in original box, excellent, just a minor internal scratch to chest panel. **Sold for £500, Special Auction Services, August.**



Alps (Japan) Battery-operated Television Spaceman Robot, first version robot with metallic grey tinplate body, clear plastic face, metal antenna, plastic hands, in original box, very good, area of respraying to backside and rear of arm, minor chips and repainting to tab covers. **Sold for £140, Special Auction Services, August.**



A T.P.S (Japan) Magic Colour Dome Mercury Explorer, hovercraft style vehicle, detailed red lithographed tinplate body, orange and white plastic dome with white propeller, in original box with instruction sheet and inner packing piece, excellent, tested well at time of cataloguing. **Sold for £85, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Linemar (Japan) Battery-operated Robotrac Bulldozer, yellow/red tinplate Bulldozer, red blade, rubber tracks, removable Robot driver, very good, yellow slightly faded, tracks replaced tested at time of cataloguing, head bulb not working. **Sold for £70, Special Auction Services, August.**



TM Modern Toys 1960s Tinplate Battery-operated Tank and Marx plastic Tank TM M-40 Tank, with battery box, tested at time of cataloguing, forward and reverse and turret swivels, Marx cap firing Tank with barrel and aerial, in original box. **Sold for £40, Special Auction Services, August.**



A Rare Bing Clockwork Tinplate 4-seat Touring Motor Car, in original hand-painted off-white, with orange lining and seats, bevelled glass windscreen, two doors, each with cast handles, painted composition Driver and Passenger, key, circa 1912, good, some scratches and general wear, one lamp unattached, clockwork appears to work soundly. **Sold for £12,000, Special Auction Services, August.**



A modern tinplate John Deere "Model M" Tractor, green, approximately 1:18th scale, boxed. **Sold for £18, Sheffield Auction Gallery, October.**



A Schuco #01011 Studio 1050 Classic Modern re-issue tinplate clockwork model Mercedes-Benz, key present, boxed. **Sold for £15, Sheffield Auction Gallery, October.**



'Sprite Day Cruiser' by Sutcliffe. A tinplate clockwork boat, very good, boxed. **Sold for £28, Sheffield Auction Gallery, October.**



A tinplate Electro-Car 7000 by Distler of Germany, finished in red, significant corrosion to base, boxed. **Sold for £30, Sheffield Auction Gallery, October.**



A 1960s Police Auto Cycle by Bandai, tinplate remote control with rubber rider, boxed, wear to box lid. **Sold for £40, Sheffield Auction Gallery, October.**



An early/ mid 20th Century 0/1 tinplate station of German origin, perhaps Kibri, some signs of restoration including repainted roof areas, replacement small parts etc. **Sold for £65, Sheffield Auction Gallery, October.**



A modern Japanese tinplate Volkswagen 'Samba' by Ichiko, complete and boxed. **Sold for £20, Sheffield Auction Gallery, October.**



A modern tinplate vintage car, circa 30cm long, modified with some Mamod live steam parts, missing piston. **Sold for £70, Sheffield Auction Gallery, June.**



A large pre-war tinplate clockwork Six Wheel Tipper Truck by Tippco, finished in blue/red. Missing tailgate, one wheel, steering wheel. Bent. Driver, grill, clockwork, running boards intact. Good basis for full restoration of a rare item. **Sold for £55, Sheffield Auction Gallery, June.**



An original Japanese tinplate robot 'Attacking Martian', battery operated, silver. Some corrosion to battery box, boxed. **Sold for £160, Sheffield Auction Gallery, June.**

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A Chad Valley No.239 dust-cart, comprising green body with grey tinplate sliding side panels and grey hubs, in the original all-card box. Some pitting to body of model, good. Sold for £110, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.



A modern Toys of Japan tinplate plastic and battery operated Planet Explorer X-80, comprising silver and blue body with tinprinted decoration in the original all-card box with box insert, near mint. Sold for £100, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.



An SH Toys of Japan tinplate and battery operated Fighting Robot, comprised of metallic grey body with red feet and open view chest plate, battery box compartment very clean, in the original all-card box, near mint. Sold for £180, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.



A Gama Toys of West Germany tinplate, and battery operated space tank No.9940 comprising metallic blue detailed tin printed body with clear plastic dome and funny action mechanism, with grey aerial, in the original pictorial lidded all-card box. Sold for £80, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.



An SY Toys (Yoneya) of Japan, tinplate and clockwork robot with spark action comprising silver body with red, yellow and other coloured detailed tin printing with fixed key mechanism and sparking chest action, loose example, good. Sold for £55, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.



An early Scalex tinplate and clockwork model of a Ferrari, 4.5ltr comprising red body with racing No.7 and blue interior, silver wirework detailed hubs in the original all-card box, near mint. Sold for £140, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.



A Burnett of London tinplate and clockwork four seater, open top saloon comprising a black, cream and blue body, requires some restoration. Sold for £55, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.



Sans Toys of Japan, and later exported to Great Britain, tinplate and clockwork submarine toy HMS Nautilus, circa 1960, comprising of grey, red and yellow body with fixed key mechanism and silver gun turret to front, model is marked 'Made in Great Britain', sold in the original all-card pictorial box, near mint, model No.187. Sold for £140, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.



A Victor Bonnet tinplate racing car, comprising silver and blue body with blue interior and racing number 5, missing driver figure, with five balloon style wheels. Sold for £85, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.



Sutcliffe "Meteor" clockwork driven Speedboat, white plastic hull with simulated wooden deck, red seating, clockwork motor requires attention - otherwise good plus for display, includes rudder and propeller. Included is a good plain cardboard box with illustrated label to lid. Sold for £50, Vectis, December.



A Yonezawa tinplate and battery operated sleeping bear, in original all-card box, with alarm clock attachment. Sold for £70, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.



Sutcliffe "Valiant" tinplate clockwork Battleship, grey, with black lower hull, includes mast and key, together with a stand and instruction slip. Excellent including illustrated box. **Sold for £100, Vectis, December.**



Sutcliffe scarce pre-war "Commodore" tinplate clockwork Cabin Cruiser, with motor in working order, substantial key, rear rudder and finished in cream/green. Some age related wear but otherwise a good scarce example from the pre-war period, 16"/40cm long. **Sold for £170, Vectis, December.**



Sutcliffe "Grenville" tinplate clockwork model Destroyer, grey, with red lower hull, lacks masts but with clockwork motor in working order, includes a key. Good in a poor illustrated box. **Sold for £120, Vectis, December.**



Sutcliffe Models tinplate clockwork "Nelson" Battle Ship, scarce 1920s example is two-tone grey, lacks mast and key but the clockwork motor is in working order with rear propeller and rudder, some age related wear but overall otherwise good for display. **Sold for £220, Vectis, December.**



A Wells Brimtoy tinplate and clockwork Walter's Palm Toffees promotional delivery van, fitted with friction drive flywheel motor, sold in the original Palm Toffee branded all-card box, very good. **Sold for £160, Lacy, Scott & Knight, November.**



Sutcliffe "Diana" tinplate clockwork Cruiser, white, with powder blue hull and engine cover, clockwork motor in working order, comes with a separate small paper bag containing the key and rear plastic flag. Excellent plus to near mint and comes in an excellent illustrated cardboard box with inner packaging. **Sold for £60, Vectis, December.**



Sutcliffe "Viking" tinplate clockwork Boat, scarce "1953 Coronation" issue. White deck with red hull and 2 funnels, clockwork motor in working order, includes rear rudder and propeller. Good plus. **Sold for £80, Vectis, December.**



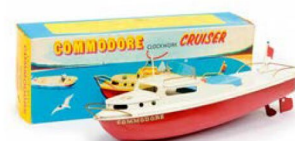
Sutcliffe "Valiant" Hot Air Warship, scarce tinplate model, one of the first from the Sutcliffe range featuring the Hot Air principle, scarce two-tone red/grey, replacement flags but includes rear rudder and stand, lacks burner otherwise good. **Sold for £180, Vectis, December.**



Sutcliffe Models "Unda-Wunda" tinplate clockwork Submarine, grey with red lower hull, clockwork motor in working order with key. Good condition. **Sold for £60, Vectis, December.**



Sutcliffe Models "Nautilus" tinplate clockwork Submarine from Walt Disney Productions, sea green with rubber bung, in working order, would benefit from further cleaning, otherwise good plus including illustrated box and some inner packaging. **Sold for £150, Vectis, December.**



Sutcliffe "Commodore" tinplate clockwork Cruiser, red, with white superstructure, blue engine cover, includes antenna, rear mounted plastic flag and key, the clockwork motor is in working order and the model is generally excellent in a good illustrated box with some inner packaging. **Sold for £40, Vectis, December.**



Sutcliffe "Sooty's Speedboat", scarce licensed tinplate clockwork promotional Boat, includes a key but the motor requires attention. These limited edition boats were produced by Kenneth Sutcliffe himself in the 1980s and the Sooty figure was hand painted by the Sutcliffe children. Excellent plus in a good plain card box with explanatory literature to inside. **Sold for £190, Vectis, December.**



Tri-ang Minic Petrol Tanker (15M). A post-war example with dark blue cab, red tank and chrome wings. Boxed, minor wear. Tanker very good mint, some discolouration. **Sold for £85, Wallis and Wallis, February.**



Tri-ang Minic Carter Paterson van (22M). A pre-war example with white tyres and petrol can to running board. Good-very good, some wear to decals. **Sold for £60, Wallis and Wallis, February.**



Tri-ang Minic Fire Engine (62M). A pre-war example with electric headlights and a brass bell. Together with the remains of the roof ladders. In an early picture box with lift off lid. Very good. **Sold for £80, Wallis and Wallis, February.**



Tri-ang Minic articulated lorry with boat trailer (114M). A post-war example with red forward control cab, green trailer and red and cream clockwork Penguin plastic boat. Very good. **Sold for £85, Wallis and Wallis, February.**



Tri-ang Minic Caravan (41M). A post-war example in two-tone red and cream with diecast wheels, black tyres, wire tow hook and opening door. In early box, one end flap missing. Very good. **Sold for £55, Wallis and Wallis, February.**



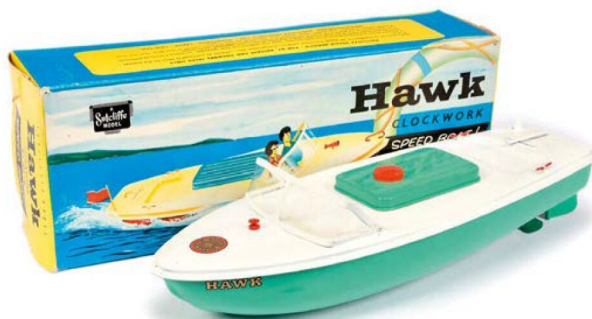
Tri-ang Minic ATCO Delivery Van (21M). A post-war lawn mower delivery van in red with ATCO and Tri-ang decals to sides and black tyres. Good, some rust marks and damage to decals. **Sold for £80, Wallis and Wallis, February.**



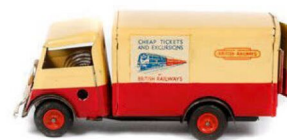
Tri-ang Minic Ford Light Van (2M) A pre-war example in green with white tyres and Minic Transport decals to sides. In the remains of an early box, end flaps missing. Van good, dent to the roof. **Sold for £85, Wallis and Wallis, February.**



A scarce 1930s Dinky Toys Chrysler Airflow Saloon (30a). An example in dark purplish blue with no chassis, separate bumpers, black smooth wheels with thin axles and original white rubber tyres. Very good, minor chipping. **Sold for £90, Wallis and Wallis, February.**



Sutcliffe "Hawk" Speedboat tinplate clockwork example, in working order. Includes clear plastic windscreen, together with a key and separately applied flag within a paper bag in the box. Excellent plus in a Ggood illustrated box and some brown paper packaging. **Sold for £30, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang Minic forward control BR Delivery Van (107M). An example with two-tone red and cream cab and body and red diecast wheels. Good, rear locking bar broken (modern replacement included). **Sold for £80, Wallis and Wallis, February.**



Tri-ang Minic Streamline Saloon (9M). A pre-war first series example in green with black tyres. **Sold for £80, Wallis and Wallis, February.**



A scarce late 1930s Dinky Toys Studebaker (39f). A seldom seen example in bright yellow with a light gold lacquered baseplate, black smooth wheels and black rubber tyres. Very good for age, a few chips only. **Sold for £85, Wallis and Wallis, February.**



Dinky Toys Frazer Nash BMW (38a). In mid blue with grey seats, mid blue wheels, black rubber tyres, complete with steering wheel and screen. Very good/mint very minor wear only. **Sold for £70, Wallis and Wallis, February.**



Nomura (TN Toys Japan) American Airlines "Electra II" Airliner tinplate battery operated aircraft with plastic lower fuselage and wings, 4 white revolving propellers, untested. **Sold for £70, Vectis, July.**



Modern Toys (Japan) "Roaring Gorilla" battery operated Shooting Gallery Game. Scarce example from the 1960s comprising a tinplate tinprinted Gorilla figure 10"/26cm high, a spring loaded Pistol "Pop Gun" with spring loaded action and cork on a piece of string. All contained in a fair card box with illustrated lid. **Sold for £130, Vectis, July.**



Tinplate Vertol 107 US Army Helicopter friction drive example of unknown Japanese manufacture, circa 1960s is military green with tinprinted detail, 2 sets of rotors which revolve as the model is pushed along, friction drive in working order. Excellent plus in a good card box with colourfully illustrated lid. **Sold for £45, Vectis, July.**



CK Toys (Japan) tinplate clockwork Cowboy on Rocking Horse colourfully tinprinted base, grey horse with tinprinted saddle and cowboy rider, clockwork motor in working order with integral key, produces rocking action as cowboy moves to and fro appearing to fire his gun, the horse has a pair of leather ears and a woollen tail, circa 1950s. Good plus, 6"/14cm long. **Sold for £60, Vectis, July.**



Triang Minic 1950s promotional London Transport Double Decker Bus. Very scarce tinplate clockwork example produced as a promotional item for London Transport advertising of No.20 Cranbourn Street London WC2 in the 1950s. The destination transfers feature the address of the company, other paper stickers are applied to front and rear showing advertisements could be placed on full size buses. Some nicks and scratches and wear to some of the transfers and paper stickers. **Sold for £200, Vectis, July.**



Linemar (Japan) friction Rocket Launcher tinplate articulated model is military green, with elevating spring loaded launcher to trailer, comes with 2 plastic rockets, when the spring loaded plunger is pressed to its limit it can be released by means of a lever and the rocket is propelled from the top of the tube - excellent plus to near mint in a good plus card box with colourfully illustrated lid and instruction slip. **Sold for £220, Vectis, July.**



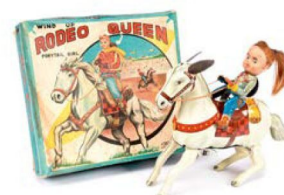
Bandai (Japan) No.556 "Mechanical Monkey Cycle" red motorcycle with colourfully dressed monkey rider, clockwork operation with integral key in working order, when wound the cycle is propelled forward in a circular motion, the monkey rings a bell and his eyes pop in and out, comes with drive band to rear wheel and "Come Circus" to rear flag. Good plus, comes with a fair box base only. **Sold for £60, Vectis, July.**



Wells Brimtoy promotional Bedford Van from range of friction drive Lorries. Scarce promotional for the British Transport advertising company of Cranbourn Chambers Leicester Square Station London WC2. Dating from the 1950s, some light age related wear but overall a good plus example, 7"/18cm long. **Sold for £130, Vectis, July.**



CK Toys (Kuramochi of Japan) tinplate clockwork Fire Engine scarce pre-war 1930s example - red, with yellow elevating ladder and fireman driver, clockwork motor in working order with integral key. Good plus, 4"/10cm long. **Sold for £35, Vectis, July.**



Haji (Japan) tinplate clockwork "Rodeo Queen" Horse and Cowgirl Rider white horse with tinprinted saddle detail, tinprinted clothing to the rider, hair in a ponytail, the horse has 2 felt ears, the clockwork motor with integral key is in working order and produces a galloping action as the rider moves forwards and backwards. Good plus, 8"/21cm long and comes in a fair card box which lacks one side of the base but does have a complete illustrated lid. **Sold for £60, Vectis, July.**

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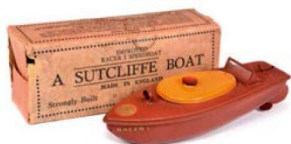
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Early Sutcliffe "Racer I" Speedboat tinplate clockwork example in an unusually brick red colour with mustard/yellow engine cover and cork bung, includes rear propeller, no key but with motor in working order. Some wear but overall good. **Sold for £70, Vectis, July.**



CK Toys (Japan) "Mechanical Marionette Theatre" comprising chrome plated frame, with swinging tinprinted platform which is clockwork operated. When the motor is wound the platform swings from side to side. Overall a good plus to excellent early example. Circa 1930s. **Sold for £180, Vectis, July.**



Leeway large pressed steel Tipper Lorry repainted in blue and red, would benefit from more detailed cleaning, tipper mechanism in working order and fitted with rubber tyres. Repainted to a fair standard, 19"/47cm long, a scarce item. **Sold for £60, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang 200 Series large pressed steel Fordson Shell Petrol Tanker scarce example with turquoise cab and chassis, red rear tank, some indentation particularly to the top of the tank and lacks its rear delivery valve and screw on top but otherwise a fair basis for restoration and would benefit from further cleaning, 18"/46cm long. **Sold for £45, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang 200 Series pressed steel Fordson Poster Van, red cab and tinplate wheel centres, green van body with both opening rear doors and locking bar, lack most of the paper posters but "Transport Van No.200" transfers are still intact on each side. This is the rarer early version with solid steering wheel. **Sold for £45, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang Minic 39M pre-war Taxi Cab scarce colour variation is maroon, with black roof and wings, would benefit from further cleaning, fitted with white tyres - pre-war example fitted with Shell Petrol Can to running board, includes front headlamps, some age related wear and the clockwork is in working order but would benefit from some lubrication. Good together with a good illustrated box. **Sold for £140, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang Minic 35M post-war Taxi Cab dark blue with black roof and wings, includes headlamps, some surface rust to rear spare wheel cover and rear bumpers. Good to good plus with motor in working order and comes in a fair card box with one replacement end flap. **Sold for £80, Vectis, July.**



Ichiko (Japan) large tinplate Volkswagen Transporter Minibus with Zoo Animals tinprinted to sides and roof. Colourful vehicle which is friction drive, 10"/26cm long and comes in a fair to good card box with illustrated lid. **Sold for £90, Vectis, July.**



CKO Kellermann No.353 "Socius" tinplate clockwork Motorcycle silver bike with tinprinted detail, both riders wearing metallic brown effect overalls, motor in working order although there is no key as the bike turns the pillion passenger leans into the turn. Good and comes in a fair, colourfully illustrated card box. **Sold for £280, Vectis, July.**



Marusan (Modern Toys Japan) large tinplate 4-door American Car battery operated, appears to have been made for the Radicon style of radio control, with clean battery compartment to underside, steerable front wheels, untested. A good scarce example dating from the 1950s, 15"/37cm long. **Sold for £70, Vectis, July.**



Mettoy large tinplate clockwork Rolls Royce circa 1940s, powder blue with cream side panels, tinprinted detail including balloon wheels and chauffeur figure, red interior seating, some surface corrosion showing through and may benefit from further cleaning but the clockwork motor is in working order. Fair to good. **Sold for £70, Vectis, July.**



Bandai (Japan) tinplate "Mustang Gear Shift Car" metallic red with tinprinted interior detail, bright plated parts. Near mint in a good box. **Sold for £120, Vectis, July.**



Gama (Germany) scarce large scale tinplate friction drive Cadillac 4-door Sedan, with tinprinted detail, friction drive would benefit from cleaning, some play wear otherwise fair. **Sold for £170, Vectis, July.**



A large tinplate clockwork Pool Table with 2 players. Possibly of USA manufacture from the 1930s/40s. In working order, lacks pool balls. Some age related wear, is generally fair to good for display. **Sold for £60, Vectis, July.**



Wells Brimtoy large tinplate clockwork Green Line Single Decker Bus, scarce half cab version with tinprinted wheels and interior lithographed detail. Good plus to excellent, working clockwork motor. **Sold for £60, Vectis, September.**



Wells (UK) larger scale pre-war tinplate clockwork Double Decker Bus in the London ST style with "World Service" logo. Tinprinted window and passenger detail, with conductor figure to rear platform. Clockwork motor in working order. **Sold for £170, Vectis, September.**



Mettoy clockwork tinplate Royal Mail 6-wheeled Delivery Van, with opening rear door and locking catch, some play wear otherwise fair to good. **Sold for £70, Vectis, July.**



Welsotoys (UK) Military Series 627 Rocket Launcher tinplate friction drive Bedford Lorry with plastic top to cab, tinprinted interior, rear mounted spring loaded rocket launcher. Near mint in an excellent box. **Sold for £45, Vectis, July.**



Betal (UK) tinplate clockwork full fronted Trolleybus, with tinprinted window and passenger detail. Swivelling trolley poles to rear, clockwork motor in working order. Good plus to excellent. **Sold for £180, Vectis, September.**



Wells (UK) "W Alexander & Sons Ltd" tinplate clockwork Double Decker Bus. Produced in small numbers as a promotional item. Tinplate wheels, conductor figure to rear, clockwork motor working. **Sold for £1500, Vectis, September.**



Bandai (Japan) King Size Volkswagen Beetle, large scale tinplate battery operated model. Tinprinted interior, replacement sunroof and lacks the battery compartment cover. Some play wear, untested but otherwise good. **Sold for £90, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang Minic No.32M post-war Dust cart, bright plated shutters and wings, tinplate wheels, no key but the clockwork motor is in working order. Excellent plus to near mint in a good box. **Sold for £60, Vectis, September.**



Wells tinplate clockwork large scale "Private" Touring Coach, scarce half cab example is cream, with red trim, tinprinted interior and wheel hub detail, clockwork motor in working order with integral key. **Sold for £130, Vectis, September.**



Burnett (UK) early 1930s large scale Green Line Coach, tinplate clockwork example. Balloon wheels, clockwork motor with key, some slight surface corrosion otherwise good to good plus. **Sold for £300, Vectis, September.**



Gescha (Germany) No.R-558 tinplate Porshe, passenger detail to windows, friction drive, bright plated parts, Bump & Go action. Good for display. **Sold for £80, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang Minic 60M pre-war Double Decker Bus, tinplate wheels, Bovril and Ovaltine adverts to sides with Bisto to rear, Mitchum destination. Some surface corrosion otherwise good, clockwork motor in works. **Sold for £100, Vectis, September.**



Wells Brimtoy Pocketoy 9/517 tinplate clockwork Double Decker Bus, plastic wheels, tinprinted detail including driver and conductor, clockwork motor working. Excellent plus to near mint in a fair box. **Sold for £60, Vectis, September.**



Chad Valley 10006 "Green Line" large scale tinplate clockwork Double Decker Bus, could also be used as a confectionary tin. Tinprinted window and passenger detail, constructed in the style of a London STL Bus. No key but clockwork motor in working order driving rear wheels. This model was issued post 1953 and has Her Majesty's Royal Warrant printed to the baseplate. Overall an excellent scarce example. **Sold for £540, Vectis, September.**



Schuco (Germany) 5500 Real Elektro Mercedes 230SL Sports Car, tinplate body with plastic seating, includes steerable front wheels and opening boot. Some rust to the battery compartment. Good in a fair box. **Sold for £110, Vectis, July.**



Wells Brimtoy "Ideal Coaches" large scale tinplate clockwork Touring Coach, red, with tinprinted passenger detail and wheels, circa late 1940s, good plus. **Sold for £400, Vectis, September.**



Wells Brimtoy Pocketoy tinplate clockwork "Pocketoy Coach" scarce example, plastic wheels, tinprinted detail, sliding door. Excellent plus to near mint. **Sold for £60, Vectis, September.**



Lehmann (Germany) "852 Galop" tinplate clockwork Cowboy on 2-wheeled Zebra Cart, colourfully tinprinted, clockwork motor working with key, hinged legs to the Zebra, produces galloping action. Excellent plus in a good plus illustrated box. **Sold for £90, Vectis, December.**



Mettoy (UK) Big Bedford electrically operated Tipper, scarce model comprising cream Bedford S type cab with red tipping body, diecast chassis, rubber tyres, some bowing to the rear body and the cab requires reattachment, but the opening tailgate is present, untested but otherwise good. **Sold for £50, Vectis, December.**



Schuco (Germany) 4002 Tacho-Examico tinplate clockwork Car, pinkish-red in colour with dark green seats, steerable front wheels, clockwork motor in working order with correct Schuco key and brake. Good plus and comes in a good card box. **Sold for £160, Vectis, December.**



Tipp & Co (Germany) 1930s tinplate clockwork Hotchkiss Racing Car, dark blue with tinprinted detail, racing number 11, fitted with balloon wheels, some age related wear but overall good for display. **Sold for £40, Vectis, December.**



Replicar (Lincoln International Hong Kong) Zephyr Convertible, 6"/15cm long friction drive model is pale yellow, with grey interior, manufacturers ill-fitting windscreen but does come with the opening boot and separate Suitcase accessory (in a bag within the box), some minor age-related wear, otherwise good plus. **Sold for £30, Vectis, December.**



Telsalda (Hong Kong) 25030 Land Rover and Racing Car set, comprising green friction drive Land Rover with grey interior and white roof, a blue Lucky Toys Transporter Trailer and a red Cooper Racing Car with driver figure and removable engine cover, twin racing flags and number 2 decals applied to the bonnet. Excellent plus ex shop stock example. **Sold for £140, Vectis, December.**



Lines Bros. (Tri-ang UK) or similar 1920's "Royal Mail GR" Delivery Van, scarce example of all wooden construction, lacks one rear opening door but includes both cab side doors, pressed steel front wings, tinplate headlamps, disc wheels with rubber tyres, unusually fitted with wooden bonnet and radiator grille. A fair (some woodworm holes) scarce example but with good printing to each side of the van body, 21"/54cm long. **Sold for £130, Vectis, December.**



Telsalda (Hong Kong) a large Ford Consul Corsair Saloon with Speedboat on Trailer, light green car with tan interior, roof rack, with 3 pieces of luggage and spare wheel in opening rear boot, opening engine compartment. 2-wheeled Boat Trailer with jockey wheel and tow hook, Speedboat with outboard motor. Excellent plus in a good illustrated box. **Sold for £200, Vectis, December.**



Ichida (Japan) "Overland Stagecoach" large tinplate battery operated toy from the 1960s. With tinprinted detail, Cowboy driver figure and tinprinted horse, untested but does have a clean battery compartment. Generally good plus to excellent. **Sold for £60, Vectis, December.**



Victory Industries 1/18 scale Triumph TR2 Sports Car, white, with red seats and tonneau cover, includes clear plastic aero screens, body detached from chassis, unchecked for completeness but appears fair including illustrated box with instruction slip. **Sold for £60, Vectis, December.**



Merit (UK) Shell BP Petrol Tanker, scarce example based on an AEC Mammoth Major plastic model with friction driver motor to front wheels. "Shell BP Petroleum Products" decals, fitted with black catwalks and access ladders. Near mint. **Sold for £140, Vectis, December.**



Rosko (TN Nomura Toys of Japan) battery-operated "Bartender", 1960s novelty figure standing 12"/30cm high with black felt trousers and burgundy coloured jacket, shirt with dickie bow, tinprinted bar and floor area, untested but good plus for display and comes in a good plus illustrated card box. **Sold for £50, Vectis, December.**



Fairlylite Hong Kong plastic Racing Car Transporter, larger scale version of the Matchbox King Size vehicle, includes interior deck and silver opening ramp to rear, comes with 2 red and blue racing cars and is a near mint ex-shop stock example. **Sold for £45, Vectis, December.**



Nomura (TN Toys of Japan) "Batman" battery-operated tinplate Robot, very scarce example dating from 1966, finished in two-tone blue, detailed plastic head resembling Adam West. Excellent plus example which still retains a good plus illustrated box. Still includes inner cardboard packing pieces. **Sold for £3000, Vectis, December.**



A Bandai tinplate and friction drive model of a Nash Rambler station wagon, comprising metallic red body with white roof and detailed tinprinted interior, loose example. **Sold for £50, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Bandai (Japan) tinplate Triumph TR3 Sports Car, metallic red/white, friction drive, with tinprinted interior, folding windscreen, some minor scratches near the lower windscreen/bonnet area but overall an excellent example from the Automobiles Of The World Series. **Sold for £40, Vectis, December.**



Bandai (Japan) tinplate Volkswagen Minibus friction drive model, two-tone metallic grey lower and sage green upper, tinprinted interior seating and dashboard, includes roof rack with rear access ladder, some minor marks here and there but overall an excellent scarce example. **Sold for £150, Vectis, December.**



A Taiyo of Japan tinplate and battery operated model of a Volkswagen Beetle, comprising red body with chrome hubs and detailed tinprinted interior, with funny action steering and clean battery box. Very good to near mint. **Sold for £70, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



Sutcliffe "Grenville Model Destroyer", pre-war tinplate clockwork model boat with red lower hull, grey upper, lacks both of its masts and the key spindle is worn but the motor is in working order. Some wear to the paint, otherwise fair in a fair box. **Sold for £110, Vectis, December.**



A Bandai of Japan tinplate and friction drive model of a Cadillac, comprising of metallic grey body with white roof, loose example, some minor playwear and surface scratches, very good. **Sold for £40, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



A Bandai tinplate and friction drive Rambler station wagon, comprising of metallic blue and white body with tinprinted detailed interior, loose example, with roof rack. Very good to near mint, length 28cm. **Sold for £65, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



A Bandai of Japan tinplate and battery operated model of a Ford Mustang, comprising of metallic blue body with black roof and red rear lights, fitted with funny action mechanism, good to very good. **Sold for £60, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



A Peter Pan Toys of England 1950s tinplate and clockwork model of a Banana Joe Monkey and Banana Cart, working example, comprising of monkey in jacket and boots with detailed tinprinted banana cart, very good. **Sold for £80, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**



A Bandai of Japan tinplate and friction drive model of a Chevrolet Impala, comprising of metallic light green body with white side flash. Missing one hub cap to off side, very good. **Sold for £50, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.**

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A foreign tinplate and friction drive model of an Embassy Sedan car, ref No.CA-37-26, finished in red and white with detailed tinprinted interior and chrome fittings, very good to near mint. Sold for £40, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



A Bandai of Japan tinplate and friction drive model of a Ferrari Super America, comprising metallic red and silver body with Ferrari badge, clear plastic lights and detailed tinprinted interior, in working condition, near mint. Sold for £60, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



A Ruck Buck pre-war tinplate and clockwork model of a three-wheeled car, comprising of silver, red and blue detailed tinprinted body, with spoked wheels and single fixed key mechanism, with driver figure, loose example. Sold for £180, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



A Blomer & Schuler German tinplate and clockwork model of a Jumbo elephant, comprising light grey body with original fabric tail, working example, very good. Sold for £80, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



A Modern Toys of Japan Masudaya tinplate and friction drive model of The Lady & The Tramp Disney coach, comprising of green, white and red detailed tinprinted body, with Lady and Tramp dog passengers, model No. 3399 housed in the original Walt Disney Productions branded all-card box. Sold for £120, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



An Alps of Japan tinplate and clockwork model of a walking peacock, comprising of blue, green and yellow tinprinted body with yellow legs and feet with fan effect tail, loose example, rare. Sold for £100, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Victory Industries 1/18 scale Austin Somerset Saloon, mid grey battery operated model with clean battery compartment and removable plastic cover to underside, some wear to numberplates front and rear but does include the metal fittings including the flying A badge to the bonnet, steerable wheels, otherwise good plus and comes in a good plus illustrated box. Sold for £130, Vectis, August.



An early 20th century tinplate and clockwork model of a circus pig and monkey figure, comprising of pig with orange, yellow and blue cloak, being ridden by a clown monkey, fitted with a single fixed key mechanism. Very good. Sold for £260, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Victory Industries 1/18 scale MG TF Sports Car, cream with brown interior seating and removable black tonneau, lacks one aero windscreen but includes bumpers and metal fittings, steerable front wheels. Discolouration to the rear bodywork, otherwise good plus. Sold for £70, Vectis, August.



An SG Gunthermann tinplate and clockwork model of a continental holiday touring coach, comprising blue and cream body with detailed grey and orange interior, complete with 'Made in US Zone, Germany FG' trademark to base, with nicely detailed tinprinted map base plate, loose example. Sold for £130, Lacy, Scott & Knight, February.



Arnold (Germany) 1950s "Dare Devil" tinplate Loop the Loop Circus toy, comprising a circular track clockwork Racing Car, no key but the mechanism is in working order with brake and sparking action, spring loaded lever to base of track. Good plus in a plain cardboard box with some of the original colourfully illustrated box attached to the lid. Sold for £170, Vectis, August.



Georg Fischer (Germany) larger scale tinplate friction drive Single Decker Bus No.339, tinprinted detail including passengers, 6"/15cm long, excellent plus. Sold for £60, Vectis, August.



Pre-war Tri-ang Minic Open Tourer, scarce peach colour with brown wings, some play wear includes Shell Petrol Can to the running boards. Overall good, clockwork motor is in working order. **Sold for £90, Vectis, August.**



Tri-ang Minic pre-war 6-wheel Army Lorry in scarce 2-colour camouflage livery, some deterioration to the tyres but the clockwork motor is in working order, fitted with original cloth tilt and no tailgate fitted to rear, otherwise good plus. **Sold for £100, Vectis, August.**



TN Toys (Nomura of Japan) pre-war tinplate clockwork Racing Motorcycle, lithographed in red and cream with orange rider and racing number 8, similar pressing to the Schuco examples, clockwork motor in working order with self righting mechanism to the motorbikes turning action, some age related wear but otherwise generally good, circa 1930s. **Sold for £110, Vectis, August.**



Saalheiner and Strauss (Germany) 1930s tinplate clockwork Motorcycle & Sidecar with rider and passenger, tinprinted detail, No.14 to front numberplate, some age related wear and there is no key but the motor is in working order driving the rear balloon wheels, otherwise a good scarce example. **Sold for £100, Vectis, August.**



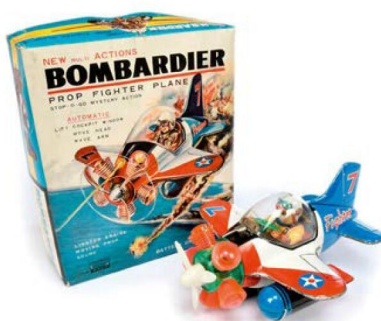
Wimmer (West Germany) or similar a large tinplate friction drive "North West" Floor Train Locomotive and Tender, circa 1950s. With friction drive in working order, detailed tinprinting. Excellent and still retains the poor remains of the illustrated box. **Sold for £60, Vectis, August.**



J Chein (USA) "Mechanical Navy Frogman" tinplate figure, blue with detailed tinprinting, made for clockwork operation with permanent key, untested as appears to still be sealed to the backing card although the cellophane is torn. Good plus including packaging, the figure is 11.5"/29cm long. **Sold for £120, Vectis, August.**



Rare German made friction drive "Oxford University" Racing Scull, with 4 x composition rowers (one lacks his body), the friction drive mechanism and wheels are in working order but the linkage may require adjustments, the boat is marked "Oxford" near the bal and has tinprinted plank detail, of unconfirmed manufacture, possibly Arnold or similar, 14.5"/37cm long - otherwise good to good plus. **Sold for £110, Vectis, August.**



Waco (Japan) tinplate battery operated "Bombardier" Fighter Plane, tinplate example with plastic propeller is red, white and blue, numbered No.7, tinprinted detail including pilot figure to the clear plastic opening cockpit. Battery operated mystery action to underside, untested but appears good plus to excellent. **Sold for £60, Vectis, August.**



Tinplate "Train Va Et Vient" clockwork Train Layout, tinprinted baseplate with figure of 8 track, some of the vehicles in the pictures are marked "MALTA", of unconfirmed manufacture, comes with a clockwork 4-wheeled Steam Locomotive in working order. With permanent key and a 4-wheeled Van with coupling hook, the set is No.519. **Sold for £35, Vectis, August.**



Nomura (TN Toys of Japan) tinplate GD Grumman F111A Jet Fighter, battery operated Fighter Plane with sweeping plastic wings of tinplate/plastic construction in pale green US Airforce livery. Untested but appears excellent plus, in a good illustrated box. **Sold for £60, Vectis, August.**



Tri-ang "Orcades" battery operated Passenger Liner, electric model is untested but does include the rear rudder and propeller, may lack some deck fittings but is finished in cream/white and is overall good for display, 20"/51cm long and comes in a good illustrated box. **Sold for £30, Vectis, August.**



Sutcliffe Models pre-war tinplate clockwork Motor Boat, removable varnished wooden cover to the motor compartment, lacks plastic windscreen but includes most of the frame, together with rudder and propeller, the motor is in working order with brake and comes with a none standard key, dent to one side of the hull at the rear otherwise good. **Sold for £130, Vectis, August.**



Wells Brimtoy or similar "The Speed King" tinplate friction drive Police Motorcycle with rider, of British manufacturer, tinprinted detail to bike and policeman rider, fitted with rubber stabiliser wheels, light wear particularly to front mudguard. Good plus to excellent and comes in a good plus box. **Sold for £60, Vectis, August.**



CKO Kellermann No.214 tinplate clockwork Circus Toboggan run toy, colourfully tinprinted detail with elevated roadway, features hand operated lift, car falls by gravity to lower track section. Good plus early example circa 1930s, comes with 4-wheel Toboggan Car. **Sold for £100, Vectis, August.**



Ichiko (Japan) large tinplate Mercedes 2-door Saloon, impressive model, 24"/60cm long - metallic red with tinprinted interior and bright plated parts, friction drive to rear wheels in working order, includes bonnet mascot - excellent plus to near mint. **Sold for £80, Vectis, August.**



Usagiya (Japan) tinplate bonneted Fire Engine circa 1950s, ex shop stock item is red, with tinprinted detail including 5 fireman figures, friction drive motor, rubber tyres, elevating and extending 2 sectional ladder. Excellent plus to near mint bright example in a good plus. **Sold for £100, Vectis, August.**



Tri-ang large pressed steel Routemaster Bus, red, with white interior, yellow steering wheel, Epsom Station desalination to front, side and rear, lacks the bell clapper to the underside and the side adverts are torn. A good plus bright example which still retains a fair box, circa early 1960s. **Sold for £380, Vectis, August.**



Victory Industries 1/18 scale Hillman Minx Convertible, cream, with red front seat, lacks the rear seat and battery cover, white in colour, but does include the bright plated front and rear bumpers, still a scarce example - fair. **Sold for £70, Vectis, August.**



Chad Valley (UK) tinplate Jeep based Fire Engine, red, with bonnet mounted gun, detailed tinprinting including fireman figures, made as a friction drive toy but the mechanism appears to require adjustment, good plus. **Sold for £30, Vectis, August.**



Tri-ang large pressed steel Thames Trader Stake Backed Lorry with diecast Thames Trader Cab, light play wear to the edges but generally good plus to excellent, includes 8 x cream and black plastic pigs (one lacks its tail). **Sold for £140, Vectis, August.**



Tri-ang Minic 1/20 scale Vauxhall Victor, battery-operated electric model with dark red plastic body, tartan effect tinplate interior, bright plated parts, light box scuffs to roof - otherwise an excellent plus to near mint example and comes in a good (slightly crushed) window box with card display type base. **Sold for £140, Vectis, August.**



Arnold (Germany) tinplate Rowing Boat with composition rowing figure and tinplate oars, clockwork motor in working order produces rowing action and comes with a key, some age related wear particularly to the top otherwise a good scarce example. **Sold for £170, Vectis, August.**



Tri-ang Minic 1/20 scale Sunbeam Rapier, scarce battery-operated electric model with dark red plastic body, cream tinplate interior, bright plated parts, would benefit from further polishing and light glue repairs to the side trim and a crack in the plastic below the passenger door - otherwise a good plus to excellent scarce example in a good illustrated box with card display base. **Sold for £130, Vectis, August.**



Scarce tinplate Huntley & Palmers Pram biscuit tin, circa 1930, blue and black pram with lithographed lift of top showing a baby holding its Teddy Bear, condition good, some scuffs and minor wear mainly to edges and few scratches to top. **Sold for £460, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Tri-ang Minic Forward Control Builders Lorry, scarce later issue clockwork example with green cab, red rear body and loose fitting headboard, comes with a black chassis and scarce black plastic hubs and a wooden plank load - otherwise excellent plus. **Sold for £70, Vectis, August.**



Bandai 767 (Japanese) Automobiles Of The World Rolls Royce Silver Cloud Sedan, metallic blue/cream roof tinplate body, tin printed interior/hub caps, working friction drive motor, in excellent original condition, flying lady mascot loose, with a very good original illustrated lidded box, split to one corner of lid. **Sold for £150, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Yonezawa Talking Robot, Japan 1950s, red tinplate body, silver head and arms, white plastic ears and lithographed chest panel, condition generally good, battery cover missing, mechanism is working but needs attention, Robot does not talk. **Sold for £150, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Daiya Space Conqueror, Japan 1950s, tinplate battery-operated toy with detailed lithographed body in blue with yellow/red oxygen tanks, clear plastic helmet, good to fair condition, lacks antenna, some rust to battery box/contacts. **Sold for £220, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Yonezawa tinplate battery operated NASA Moon Explorer, Japan 1950s, lithographed M-27 Explorer with clear plastic ends with engine and cockpit with astronaut, side opening door remote control battery box, fair to good condition, lacks radar and astronaut with camera, slight loss/damage to battery box, not working. **Sold for £120, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Lehmann (Germany) Tinplate Clockwork The Balking Stubborn Donkey, clown with fabric clothing, holding reins of a donkey, lithographed tin plate, clockwork motor mechanism, not working, with fixed key, in good original condition, circa 1897. **Sold for £70, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Lehmann Tut-Tut Automobile, cream and red car with cream suited driver holding horn to his lips, with spring mechanism to rear wheel, fair to poor condition, lacks bellows and winding mechanism. **Sold for £150, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Scarce Tri-ang Minic 78M Pool Tanker, circa 1940-41, wartime grey body/front grille, working clockwork mechanism, in fair to good original condition, some decal loss to 'Pool' on both side of tank. **Sold for £130, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Tri-ang Minic Pre War 29M Traffic Control Tinplate Police Car, dark blue body, black wings, two lead police man figures, roof mounted speaker, Shell petrol can, missing key, clockwork motor is working, in good original condition, early card box is in good original condition, one end flap has been repaired. **Sold for £60, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Tri-ang Minic Shutter Van, dark green tinplate body, red wheel hubs, opening rear shutter door 'Minic Transport Road Rail Air & Sea' in very good original condition, missing key, clockwork motor is working, with a excellent original box. **Sold for £60, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Boxed Tri-ang Minic Steam Roller, green tinplate body, grey plastic roller/wheels in fair original condition, missing key, clockwork motor is working, with a fair original illustrated box. **Sold for £30, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Tri-ang Minic Boxed Pre War No 13M Racing Car, dark blue tinplate body, red plastic exhaust, No.3, working clockwork mechanism, with key in excellent original condition, with a very good original box. **Sold for £85, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Tri-ang Minic Boxed No 13M Racing Car, post war, red tinplate body, back plastic exhaust, no.6, working clockwork motor, with key in good original condition, with a very good original box. **Sold for £50, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Tri-ang Minic Boxed No 13M Racing Car, post war, light blue tinplate body, red plastic exhaust, no.6, working clockwork motor, with key in good used original condition, with a good original box, some age wear. **Sold for £60, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Gilbert Aoshin (Japan) James Bonds Aston Martin DB5, as seen in "Goldfinger and Thunderball" battery operated (untested) Tinplate model, silver with chrome trim, in excellent original condition with James Bond figure (missing bandit) with a fair lidded original box. **Sold for £320, C&T Auctioneers, September.**

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Bandai (Japan) 705 Austin Healey 100/Six Convertible, scarce variation with open top is metallic blue with tinprinted interior, friction drive - excellent plus and comes in a good card box with correct illustration to lid, 8"/21cm long. **Sold for £130, December, Vectis.**



Bandai (Japan) "Stock Car Series" tinplate friction drive Austin Healey, scarce example is red with white side panels, black roof with tinprinted interior detail, checker effect to rear boot, racing number 8 to roof and sides with Austin Healey Script to bonnet, the mechanism is worn but bodily the model is excellent plus, 8"/21cm long and comes in a scarce window box for this series. **Sold for £80, December, Vectis.**



Bandai (Japan) "Race Car Series" tinplate Austin Healey in competition finish, two-tone orangey red/white with tinprinted blue interior, racing number 8 to bonnet and sides with Austin Healey Script to rear. Excellent plus, 8"/21cm long and comes in a good plus window box. **Sold for £90, December, Vectis.**



Bandai (Japan) tinplate friction drive Austin Healey, 8"/21cm model is metallic red, with tinprinted brown interior and blue dashboard, friction drive in working order - excellent plus. **Sold for £70, December, Vectis.**



Joustra (France) tinplate friction drive "Austin Healey Cabriolet", scarce early example is red, with tinprinted interior detail, black roof, racing number 3, early version has opening bonnet to reveal engine detail, fitted with white plastic hubs and rubber tyres, 21cm/8" long. Good plus and comes in a good card box. **Sold for £70, December, Vectis.**



Joustra (France) Austin Healey hard top, cream, with tinprinted detail to interior, racing number 3 to sides, this version with detailed tinplate hub caps, may benefit from further cleaning - otherwise generally excellent, 8"/21cm long. **Sold for £45, December, Vectis.**



Joustra (France) "Remote Control Austin Healey", rare example is red, 8.5"/21cm long, black roof with tinprinted interior detail, chrome hubs, steerable front wheels and brake to rear, the motor is in working order and comes with a key, the mechanical steering control is attached to the rear. Excellent plus scarce toy which comes in a good plus illustrated box. **Sold for £80, December, Vectis.**



Joustra (France) tinplate Austin Healey Convertible, later free-wheeling model is dark blue, with racing number 11 to bonnet, tinprinted interior. Excellent plus, 8"/20cm long. **Sold for £90, December, Vectis.**



Joustra (France) tinplate clockwork remote control Austin Healey, early example with opening bonnet to reveal engine detail, finished in red with black roof and tinprinted interior detail, racing number 3, not fitted with key but the motor is in working order with brake and untested mechanical remote steering control attached, 8"/21cm long. Some age related wear otherwise good plus. **Sold for £45, December, Vectis.**



Joustra (France) tinplate free-wheeling Austin Healey, light green, tinprinted interior detail, with tinplate spoked wheels, racing number 11. Excellent, includes clear plastic windscreen. **Sold for £45, December, Vectis.**



Tri-ang Minic 1/20th scale electric Austin Healey Opentop Convertible, red plastic body, cream interior, fitted with after market racing number 5 stickers and cream infill panel behind front bumper - otherwise good plus to excellent. Unusually this model comes in a good Harlequin pattern card box. **Sold for £90, December, Vectis.**



Tri-ang Minic 1/20th scale Austin Healey 100/Six Opentop Convertible, metallic grey plastic body with cream interior and infill panel behind front bumper, the original windscreen requires reattachment but is present. Excellent plus and comes in a good illustrated box with inner card display base. **Sold for £110, December, Vectis.**



Tri-ang Minic electric Austin Healey 100/Six Opentop Convertible, dark red with cream interior, the original windscreen requires refitting but is present - otherwise the car is excellent plus and comes in a good plus illustrated box with inner card display base and foldout 4-sided colour catalogue. **Sold for £120, December, Vectis.**



Tri-ang Minic 1/20th scale Austin Healey Convertible Opentop, 1/20th scale electric model with metallic grey plastic body and cream interior, windscreen intact. Near mint in a good illustrated box with inner card display base and 4-sided instruction book showing contemporary range. **Sold for £150, December, Vectis.**



Startex tinplate clockwork Austin Healey, 1/32nd scale in scarce two-tone metallic blue/cream finish. Composition driver, clockwork pull-cord to rear is present, light wear to the drivers door otherwise good plus to excellent. **Sold for £260, December, Vectis.**



Schuco Varianto Cabriolet 3045, tinplate clockwork car resembling an Austin Healey in beige, clockwork motor in working order and comes with a key - excellent. **Sold for £80, December, Vectis.**



Tri-ang large Circus Van, in blue and red in played with condition, needs cleaning, fair. Sold for £50, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



An Arnold tinplate and mechanical Primal Saloon comprising of maroon body with white wall tyres, driver and passenger figures, with working hand control, loose example. Sold for £100, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



A Corgi Toys Mettoy re-issue tin plate and clockwork limited edition London Transport bus, fitted with clockwork mechanism and housed in the original re-released box. Sold for £20, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



A Schuco No. 763 Cyra Ambassador 38 yacht comprising of plastic white and red hull with Schuco lettering, complete with brown and white superstructure, housed in the remains of the polystyrene packaging with power unit. Sold for £30, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



A Schuco No. 351226 Elektro BMW turbo race car, comprising of orange body with a removable battery box and handset, housed in the original polystyrene packaging. Sold for £20, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



Tri-ang Minic Articulated Transport Lorry, coupling requires re-assembling but all parts present. In very good condition but with marks to roof of cab, very good, box good. Sold for £120, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



Arnold of West Germany, 87001 (re-issue) tinplate steamer boat, mint in box. Sold for £50, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



Taiyo Tinplate battery powered Ford Mustang, tiny rub mark to roof, very near mint in box. Sold for £90, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



Early 20th Century Tinplate Penny-Toy train, LMS, play worn in fair condition for its age. Sold for £65, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



Paramount Electrical Toys, 3 piece Miniature Flood Light, Petrol Pump and Light House set, in the original box, with repaired lid. Sold for £60, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



A boxed "Cryo Cycle" by Tri-ang, complete with card insert, cycle in very good to near mint condition, box complete but is a bit tired. Near mint, good box. Sold for £110, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



A Gunthermann tinplate clockwork continental holiday touring coach, complete with key in very good condition for age. Sold for £70, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



A Schuco vintage tinplate clockwork car in a garage "Kommando Anno 2000" circa mid 40s complete with original key. Good. Sold for £60, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



A Shackleton Models FG6 tipper comprising of blue to grey and scarlet red body, fitted with clockwork motor and bearing the Shackleton Toys emblem to inside of trailer, model petrol tanks have been overpainted, housed in the original Foden FG6 tipper, all card box, mechanism is in working order. Sold for £340, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



A Shackleton Toys clockwork model of a Foden FG flat bed truck, comprising dark blue cab and back with grey chassis and red mudguards, fitted with silver hubs and housed in the original heavily worn all-card box, with key and wrench, and a reproduction instruction leaflet. Very good, box good. Sold for £260, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



A Shackleton Toys model of a Foden FG flatbed lorry, comprising dark blue cab and back with red mudguards and grey chassis, petrol tanks have been over painted, housed in a replacement all-card box. Very good. Sold for £200, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



A Shackleton Models model of a Foden FG6 tipper truck, comprising two-tone blue body with repainted mudguards and petrol tanks fitted with grey chassis and housed in a reproduction all-card box. Sold for £220, Lacy, Scott & Knight, April.



Tri-ang Spot-on 404 (N104) Morris Mini Van, yellow body, cream interior, silver trim and chrome hubs with "Ferodo" labels to van sides - promotional model. Small label peel to nearside otherwise near mint unboxed. Sold for £320, Vectis, April.

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Tri-ang Minic "Minic Brewery" Forward Control Lorry with Articulated Trailer, green cab with red rear body, includes load of 8 x wooden barrels and a key, the motor is in working order - generally good in a fair card box. **Sold for £140, Vectis, April.**



Tri-ang Minic 30M Mechanical Horse and Pantechnicon Trailer, scarce tinplate clockwork model from the 1950s, unusual to find "Carter Paterson and Pickfords Joint Parcels Services" to the green trailer, which also has its opening rear doors and locking door. The prime move has a red standard cab, some deterioration to the rubber tyres, no key but the clockwork motor is in working order, some age related wear but overall a good plus to excellent. **Sold for £200, Vectis, April.**



Tri-ang Minic Dust Cart, dark blue standard cab with red rear body, bright plated parts, slight corrosion to the front wing near the keyhole, no key, the motor is in working order, slight paint loss near keyhole area otherwise an excellent bright example which comes in a fair card box. **Sold for £70, Vectis, April.**



Tri-ang Minic Pre-War Rolls Royce Sedan 50ME, with electric lights. Scarce model is two-tone green with green hood, black plastic seats, opening rear boot to reveal battery compartment and wire, 2 x bulbs to front headlamps. Lacks its key but the motor is in working order, generally good plus to excellent. **Sold for £360, Vectis, April.**



Tri-ang Minic 1/20th scale Hillman Minx electric model Car scarce example finished in sage green with cream interior, bright plated parts, clean battery compartment to underside, excellent. **Sold for £110, Vectis, April.**



Yonezawa (Japan) Lincoln XL-500 tinplate "Concept Car" futuristic model is red, with clear plastic roof, detailed tinprinted interior, some slight surface corrosion to the plated parts - otherwise a good. **Sold for £220, Vectis, April.**



JNF Favorit large tinplate Open Top Car, lime green with red interior, tinprinted dashboard, the motor is in working order and comes with a key, steerable front wheels, circa 1950s. Excellent in a poor box. **Sold for £120, Vectis, April.**



Arnold (Germany) 2800 "Primat" tinplate remote control Car with tinprinted interior, male driver and female passenger, cable attached to rear with mechanical remote control, wind-up remote control powers the vehicle forwards. Excellent in a poor box. **Sold for £110, Vectis, April.**



Joustra (France) large tinplate Ford "Pick-up Truck with Camera" clockwork mechanism, no key but the motor is in working order. Finished in orange with light blue roof and tinprinted interior detail, bright plated parts. **Sold for £140, Vectis, April.**



Ichiko Chevrolet Impala Police Car, friction drive tinplate car circa 1960s. Black/white Police livery, detailed tinprinted interior, friction drive in working order with oscillating roof beacons together with aerial, otherwise good plus. **Sold for £60, Vectis, June.**



Tri-ang Minic 22M "ATCO Lawn Mowers" Promotional Van circa 1950s, scarce example with mid-green standard cab, red rear van body, some surface corrosion coming through on the wings and age related marks, lacks rear locking bar motor is in working order - fair. **Sold for £45, Vectis, June.**



Tipp & Co (Tippco Germany) tinplate clockwork Mercedes Unimog Breakdown Truck. Scarce item is orange, with red jib, tinprinted cab detail, no key but clockwork motor is in working order with brake lever in the cab, tilting clear plastic windscreen with tan coloured plastic roof attached, steerable front wheels, some scratching to the roof otherwise good plus example becoming harder to find. **Sold for £80, Vectis, June.**



Kenton/Arcade cast iron Mack 6-wheeled Lorry Mounted Crane with Shovel Loader attachment. Circa 1920s scarce American toy with wooden hubs and white rubber tyres, some overall play wear including the rubber tyres but generally a good unusual example which has survived very well. **Sold for £80, Vectis, June.**



Marklin 1102 tinplate clockwork Mercedes Sports Car. Of recent limited edition production, this tinplate model is finished in silver with red seat, racing number 4, steerable front wheels, includes a key, with "Karl Kling" signature to bonnet. Mint in an excellent card box with inner packaging and certificate. **Sold for £70, Vectis, June.**



Tri-ang Minic "Mechanical Horse and Cable Trailer". Articulated Lorry with red standard cab, mid-green Low Loader Trailer with 2 x grey plastic BICC containers, circa 1950's with cast metal hubs, no key but the motor is in working order, slight spidering to the roof otherwise good plus to excellent and comes in a fair illustrated card box. **Sold for £100, Vectis, June.**



Mettoy 1940s large tinplate clockwork articulated lorry, dark green with tinprinted detail including 8 x balloon wheels, clockwork motor requires attention, lacks front mudguards otherwise fair. **Sold for £25, Vectis, June.**



Tippco (Tipp & Co of Germany) "Express" Delivery Van, scarce tinplate friction drive example circa 1960 is dark green/cream with opening rear door and locking catch - an excellent plus bright example. **Sold for £80, Vectis, June.**



Tri-ang Minic mid 1950s tinplate clockwork Double Decker Bus, one of the last of clockwork versions, fitted with red plastic hubs, pedal motors and Bovril adverts, no key but the motor is in working order, some light play wear but overall a good to good plus bright example. **Sold for £120, Vectis, June.**



Wells (UK) Mickey Mouse tinplate clockwork hand operated Railway Truck, designed to run on O Gauge track, detailed tinprinting with substantial clockwork motor, comes with painted plaster figures with metal hands of Mickey Mouse and Donald Duck, some repairs to Mickey's ankles and faint cracks above Donald's feet. Otherwise a good example with no key but with clockwork motor in working order. **Sold for £140, Vectis, July.**



Arnold (US Zone of Germany) tinplate clockwork Monkey on a Tricycle, detailed tinprinting, no key but the novelty figure has a pedalling action as the tricycle is propelled forward and the monkey periodically turns the handlebars. Just light age related wear - otherwise a good plus. **Sold for £80, Vectis, July.**



Schuco (Germany) Curvo 1000 tinplate clockwork Motorcycle red/cream with rider wearing shirt and brown pants, detailed tinprinting, no key but the motor is in working order. Light age wear otherwise generally excellent for display. **Sold for £100, Vectis, July.**



Technofix (Germany) tinplate clockwork Motorcycle with registration number GE258 red, with grey/cream tinprinted detail, rider wearing grey trousers and beige shirt, racing number 4 to his back, clockwork motor with integral key in working orders, light surface rust to the small stabiliser wheel at the rear on the right hand side. Excellent plus and comes with the remains of a instruction slip. **Sold for £70, Vectis, July.**



Tipp & Co (Tippco of Germany) large friction drive tinplate Police Motorcycle circa 1950s. Green/cream tinprinting, some age related wear here and there, a small hole has been drilled in the top of the petrol tank and lacks the clear plastic windscreen. Good plus with friction drive still in working order. **Sold for £160, Vectis, July.**



Technofix (Germany) 202 friction drive Scooter with Rider and Lady Passenger, friction drive in working order, tinplate model with colourful tinprinting, lacks the windscreen but does include the rear spare wheel, otherwise good plus. **Sold for £70, Vectis, July.**



Sutcliffe Models (UK) "The Bluebird Wonder Speedboat" clockwork model blue hull, white deck and orange fittings, the motor requires attention but does include the propeller and rudder for display and comes in a fair card box. **Sold for £50, Vectis, July.**



Sutcliffe Models "Nautilus" Submarine from Walt Disney's 20 Leagues Under the Sea by Jules Verne, tinplate clockwork model is green, some nicks and scratches but the motor is in working order with a plain key. Good including illustrated box with inner packing piece. **Sold for £100, Vectis, July.**



Bandai (Japan) "Cadillac with Dashboard", large scale tinplate battery operated Cadillac as a 2-door Coupe, finished in metallic gold with tinprinted interior and hub caps, remote control cable attached with tinplate dashboard style control unit, untested but with a clean battery compartment includes steering wheel and gear shift handle, some nicks and scratches to the car and lacks a wing mirror. Generally good, in fair illustrated box. **Sold for £260, Vectis, July.**



Lehmann (Germany) 688 "Mensa" tinplate clockwork 3-wheeled Table Top Delivery Van with Rod, early version circa late 1920's with driver figure, some surface corrosion and age related wear, the clockwork motor is present but the spring requires attention but does include the opening rear compartment door and locking catch. Fair. **Sold for £180, Vectis, July.**



Mettoy (UK) tinplate clockwork AA Motorcycle Patrol dark blue bike with tinprinting, yellow uniformed rider and petrol tank, clockwork motor in working order with stabiliser wheels. Generally good overall. **Sold for £150, Vectis, July.**



Roy Cox (Thimble Drone Champion) aluminium Tether Racing Car red, with blue baseplate, racing number 99, includes part of a glow plug type motor to interior, unchecked for completeness with some wear particularly to the rear end - otherwise generally good. **Sold for £110, Vectis, July.**



Meccano Constructor Aeroplane, built as a Biplane, red, with silver wings, blue struts and propeller, fitted with 2 floats and RAF roundels, some age related wear, dating from the 1930s - otherwise fair to good. **Sold for £80, Vectis, July.**



Meccano Constructor Aeroplane - constructed as a Biplane, with cream fuselage and red wings, RAF roundels, this model fitted with 2 x wheels to the undercarriage, when propelled forward on its wheels the propeller revolves, some age related wear but overall fair to good for display. **Sold for £120, Vectis, July.**



Kenton (USA) or similar cast iron 2-wheeled Coal Cart circa 1930s, red cart with shafts, 2 yellow spoked wheels with cast iron horse and driver and reins - fair to good scarce example. **Sold for £60, Vectis, July.**



Marx Toys (USA) 1940s tinplate Tank, green, with tinprinted detail, fitted with substantial clockwork motor and integral key, drives the vehicle forward with clicking action, includes both rubber tracks and fitted with a working brake. Excellent example. Sold for £60, Vectis, July.



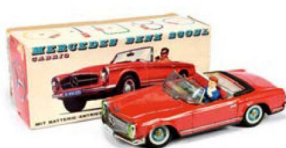
Bandai (Japan) tinplate Lincoln Continental, red, with tinprinted interior detail and hub caps, friction drive in working order to rear wheels and includes the clear plastic windscreen, some light play wear to some of the edges and discreet retouching to a repair to the drivers side rear fin - otherwise good for display. Sold for £70, Vectis, July.



Gama (Germany) friction drive Opel Kapitän 4-door Saloon, 1950s tinplate friction drive example is metallic blue with matching off-white roof, detailed tinprinted interior, included whitewall tyres with all 4 hub caps, some age related wear but does include the Opel plastic bonnet logo and Kapitän printing to both front wings together with steerable front wheels - otherwise a good scarce example. Sold for £120, Vectis, July.



CK Toys (Kuramochi of Japan) tinplate clockwork "Streamline Highspeed Passenger Train", scarce example of a clockwork Railcar, no key but the motor is in working order, fitted with 6 x wheels to underside, silver in colour with red/yellow printing to sides, possibly a pre-war example - good plus for display. Sold for £100, Vectis, July.



Alps (Japan) "Mercedes Benz 230SL Kabrio" battery operated tinplate sports car is red, with tinprinted detail including hub caps, some slight rippling effect to the bonnet but does include the plastic driver figure, steerable front wheels and a clean battery compartment. Good in a good plus illustrated box. Sold for £160, Vectis, July.



Blomer and Schuler (Germany) tinplate clockwork Walking Peacock novelty toy dating from circa 1920s/30s with detailed tinprinting, no key but the motor is in working order producing a walking action with fanning movement to the tail. A good plus example. Sold for £150, Vectis, July.



Masudaya (Modern Toys of Japan) "Non-Stop Lavender Robot" this is an original mega rare Robot from 1959, highly prized by robot collectors from what is known as the Golden Era circa 1960s and is one of the "Gang of 5" rare robots from that period. Owned by the vendor from new, lilac in colour with tinprinted detail. The head is loose owing to lacking one of the 4 securing tabs but is lightly tacked onto the body using the other 3 for display. The robot is fitted with the on/off toggle switch to the front and a clean battery compartment to the underside, untested but fitted with mystery action wheels to the baseplate, very light age related wear and minor spidering to the vintage paint work but otherwise a good plus example for display. Sold for £1500, Vectis, July.



Tri-ang Minic 1950s tinplate Caravan, scarce item produced towards the end of production has a cream upper and red lower body, opening door, later issue black plastic wheels, includes tow hook. Excellent plus to near mint bright example which comes in a good illustrated box. Sold for £80, Vectis, July.



Tri-ang Minic 119M Watneys Barrel Lorry, dark green standard cab with wooden barrel to trailer, includes red painted diecast hubs and plastic barrel to the cab roof, would benefit from further polishing, comes with a key - otherwise good plus to excellent bright example which comes in a good plus illustrated box marked "Watney Lorry" and a fair colour foldout catalogue showing contemporary range. Sold for £170, Vectis, July.



Tri-ang Minic "Jabberwock" tinplate/plastic novelty toy circa 1950s, scarce example is blue/green, no key but in excellent working order, 8"/20cm long and comes in a fair card box which lacks an end flap. Sold for £100, Vectis, July.



Tri-ang large pressed steel Routemaster Bus circa 1960, red, 22"/56cm long, fair example. Sold for £100, Vectis, July.



Taiyo (Japan) tinplate "Screaming Siren" Police Car, tinplate battery operated large scale Ford 4-door Sedan. Excellent plus and comes in a good window box. Sold for £100, Vectis, July.



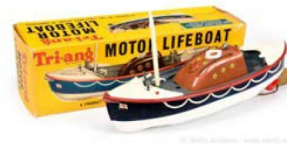
Biller Toys (US Zone of Germany) tinplate clockwork Racing Car, red/cream with racing number 7, some light age related wear - otherwise generally a good plus bright example with no key but in working order. Sold for £30, Vectis, July.



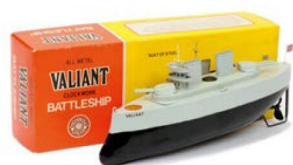
Tri-ang large pressed steel Routemaster Bus circa 1960's, has had some partial restoration to the roof and other panels with some reproduction stickers, red with white interior. Done to a fair standard. Sold for £150, Vectis, July.



Tri-ang Minic "Watney Lorry" circa 1950's with green forward control cab, trailer with large wooden barrel, red painted cast metal hubs, some light wear but in working order with correct key. Good plus in a fair to good illustrated box. Sold for £60, Vectis, July.



Tri-ang "Motor Lifeboat" white/blue, the deck fittings are unchecked for completeness but overall the boat is excellent and in working order with correct Minic key, includes rudder and brass propeller. Sold for £300, Vectis, July.



Sutcliffe Models "Valiant" tinplate clockwork Battleship, scarce example with black lower hull, grey upper hull and super structure, later issue in working order, complete with key and catalogue depicting contemporary range, rear propeller and rudder both in working order but lacks mast. All contained in excellent illustrated box. **Sold for £130, Vectis, August.**



Sutcliffe Models "Hawk" tinplate clockwork Speedboat, sea green, white deck, lacks rear plastic flag but motor is in working order, complete with key, rear propeller and rudder. Small scratch to front of deck otherwise good plus to excellent in fair illustrated box. **Sold for £35, Vectis, August.**



Sutcliffe Models "Sea Wolf" tinplate clockwork Submarine, yellow, includes rubber bung (rubber is perished), in working order and complete with key, propeller and rudder. Excellent in good illustrated box with inner packaging. **Sold for £60, Vectis, August.**



Sutcliffe Models "Comet" tinplate clockwork Speedboat, scarce example in powder blue, lacks key and some wear around deck area but motor is in working order, with rear propeller and rudder. Good in fair illustrated box (missing end flaps at one end). **Sold for £30, Vectis, August.**



Sutcliffe Models "Racer I" tinplate clockwork Speedboat, scarce earlier example with red hull, orange deck and blue engine cover, with replacement key, motor in working order together with propeller and rudder. Good to good plus. **Sold for £90, Vectis, August.**



Sutcliffe Models "Fury" Torpedo Boat, tinplate clockwork early example with red hull, metallic grey deck and super structure, working order and comes with Chad Valley key, propeller and rudder. **Sold for £90, Vectis, August.**



Hornby pre-war Speedboat "Swift", red hull and engine cover, cream deck - working order with replacement key, together with rear rudder and propeller, motor is fitted with brake. Some age related wear particularly to edges otherwise generally good in fair early card box with illustrated label to lid. **Sold for £60, Vectis, August.**



Victory Industries (UK) "Miss England" Super Silent Speedboat, scarce boat of aluminium construction from the immediate post-war period circa 1948, 2-piece aluminium construction, fitted with internal burner and works off hot air system. Good for display and measuring 14"/36cm long, in fair illustrated box. **Sold for £180, Vectis, August.**



Victory Industries (UK) "Vosper" Triple Screw Express Turbine Yacht, scarce example featuring black hull, tan/white deck and super structure, made for electric propulsion - untested, superstructure slides forward to give access to electric motor and battery compartment, unchecked for completeness. Fair in poor to fair remains of illustrated box. **Sold for £45, Vectis, August.**



Kellner/Lines Bros 1930s clockwork wooden Speedboat "Triang Speedboat No.4" 2922, painted cream with red/blue lining, no key but motor appears to be in working order and is fitted with brake, rudder and propeller, in original finish. These "K" wooden boats were in the 1930s Tri-ang Toys catalogue following a deal with the German manufacturer Kellner. Does have glue repair to loose engine cover otherwise overall a good example measuring 24"/61cm long and unusually still retains a fair to good card box marked "WS7CW Boat" and with Kellner label at one end. **Sold for £260, Vectis, August.**



Lindberg (USA) 1/125 scale "Blue Devil Destroyer" large scale kit, unchecked for completeness and appears to be a body only kit but otherwise parts are good to excellent in good illustrated box with 8-page instruction book. **Sold for £45, Vectis, August.**



TMY/ITO (Japan) electric powered Naval Gun Boat, light blue, red lower hull, abundance of metal fittings including guns, ventilators, levers etc. The super structure is removable to reveal the engine and battery compartment and brass control levers. There are 2 x TMY vintage electric motors fitted with horseshoe magnets driving the rear propellers (one shaft lacks propeller) together with rudder, one of the torpedo tubes is loose inside hold while the other is missing, crack in woodwork on deck area near to opening compartment. Whole ship would benefit from further cleaning otherwise fair. **Sold for £240, Vectis, August.**



TMY/ITO (Japan) battery operated Warship, light blue, with metal fittings to deck including guns, ventilators and electric lamps etc., one of the torpedo tubes is detached but present (in the hold), the vessel includes both propellers to rear and rudder, super structure is removable to reveal engine compartment which has only one TMY vintage electric motor with horseshoe magnet (other motor is missing) but does include brass control levers and battery compartment, removable decking area lacks piece of wooden deck in one corner. Ship is painted in light blue with red lower hull - would benefit from further cleaning and some light restoration but otherwise a fair to good scarce. **Sold for £70, Vectis, August.**



French made large wooden Pond Yacht, solid wooden hull with lead weight to keel, main mast with 3 x sails - one is marked No.504, main mast stands 30"/75cm above the deck. Some light wear but overall good plus. **Sold for £30, Vectis, August.**

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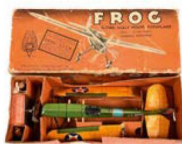
Large Seifert-Boot - German made Pond Yacht, with red and white plastic hull and keel, lever operated rudder, varnished wooden deck, some metal fittings, may lack sails to an additional mast otherwise a Good project for some restoration, 36"/91cm long. **Sold for £30, Vectis, August.**



Hornby pre-war tinplate Speedboat "Coronation" issue, scarce clockwork example finished in red with cream deck. This issue has applied transfer to bow celebrating the coronation in 1937 with profile portraits of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth within a laurel wreath. With non-standard key, clockwork motor is in working order driving the rear propeller and is fitted with rudder and working brake - good together with poor to fair illustrated box. **Sold for £60, Vectis, August.**



Bing (Germany) tinplate clockwork 3-Funnelled Liner, metallic copper coloured lower hull, black upper, white/yellow super structure, lacks lifeboat and rear flag, plus both masts have been repainted otherwise clockwork motor is in working order with key and does include rear propeller and rudder - Good overall. **Sold for £170, Vectis, August.**



FROG Mark IV Interceptor Fighter Aeroplane "With Foreign Markings", scarce example, the aluminium fuselage body is finished in US Army green, paper wings and US markings. Also includes white painted propeller, various tools, oil bottle and clockwork winding mechanism - unchecked for completeness but generally good in fair illustrated box. **Sold for £60, Vectis, August.**



Burnett (Chad Valley UK) "Ubilda Loco", scarce pre-war tinplate, clockwork kit for 4-4-2 Tank Locomotive. Tinprinted in green, unchecked for completeness but does come with body parts and wheels etc. together with 4-wheeled clockwork driving mechanism. Excellent, scarce example in good plus illustrated box with 8-sided catalogue depicting contemporary range. **Sold for £110, Vectis, August.**



Chad Valley (UK) "Ubilda Locomotive", tinplate, clockwork parts to build 4-4-2 LMS Tank Locomotive - unchecked for completeness but contents appear excellent in good plus to excellent illustrated post-war box. **Sold for £110, Vectis, August.**



Chad Valley (UK) "Ubilda Touring Car", kit with parts to build tinplate, clockwork 2-seater Open Top Car. Unchecked for completeness but contains 4 wheels, clockwork motor to rear axle, radiator grille, body parts, seats, running boards etc. Kit has had some use but otherwise good to good plus in good illustrated box. **Sold for £200, Vectis, August.**



Burnett "Ubilda Airliner", scarce pre-war kit comprising tinplate wings, fuselage and other parts, clockwork under carriage and some tools - to produce pre-war mechanically propelled airliner. Unchecked for completeness but appears good plus to excellent in good plus illustrated box and instruction sheet. **Sold for £170, Vectis, August.**



Sutcliffe "Chris-Craft Special Race Boat", late production tinplate clockwork produced for the Windermere Steam Boat Dock Museum, issued by Chris-Craft of Florida, USA, no key but motor is in working order, with rudder and propeller. Near mint in plain card box, with some literature. **Sold for £380, Vectis, September.**



CK Toys (Karamochi Toys of Japan) 1930s tinplate Submarine, scarce example finished in grey, black trim, white superstructure, fitted with gyro motor although handle is not quite engaging through wear, but does include rear flag, rudder and propeller, metal stand detached but present. Good plus for display, 13"/33cm long. **Sold for £140, Vectis, September.**



Hornby Speed Boats "Swift", pre-war tinplate clockwork speed boat. No key but motor is in good working order with brake, rudder and propeller, 13"/34cm long. **Sold for £45, Vectis, September.**



Hornby Speed Boats "Racer II", powder blue with white deck and dark blue trim, lacks part of windscreen and rubber, motor winds but spring requires attention otherwise fair. **Sold for £45, Vectis, September.**



Lehmann (Germany) 672 "St Vincent" tinplate clockwork Warship, grey/red, with tinprinted deck detail, some repainted deck fittings otherwise generally good, clockwork motor is in working order with integral key although motor may require lubrication, unchecked for completeness but a scarce pre-war item, 14"/35cm long. **Sold for £90, Vectis, September.**



TPS tinplate "Champion Stunt Car", battery operated model based on Ford Mustang, with drag racing style tinprinting, rubber tyres, untested but appears excellent plus, 11"/28cm long - in good illustrated box. **Sold for £60, Vectis, September.**



Mettoy (UK) 6-wheeled "Pool" Tanker, large tinplate clockwork model circa 1940s - grey, clockwork motor with integral key in working order, some play wear and repainting to back panel plus Mettoy or similar spring loaded Gun - 3-colour camouflage, fair. **Sold for £120, Vectis, September.**



Gunthermann or similar clockwork Car, repainted in pale metallic blue, registration number SGC 1010 to front and rear, no key but motor is in working order, otherwise overall good for display, 10.5"/26cm long. **Sold for £45, Vectis, September.**



Mettoy (UK) Articulated Army Lorry, large scale example finished in 2-colour camouflage, with 4-wheeled tractor unit and trailer, detailed tinprinting, includes uniformed driver figure, opening rear tailgate, with "44th Division No.128" insignia to each cab door initials "RASC" to body sides, some wear to loading deck otherwise Fair to Good example with working clockwork motor - unusual in this livery, circa 1940s. **Sold for £90, Vectis, September.**



Marx Toys or similar tinplate clockwork 2-door Sedan, dark green, fitted with balloon wheels, some age related wear and no key but clockwork motor is in working order, with brake, circa 1940s, 12"/30cm long. **Sold for £50, Vectis, September.**



Burnett (Chad Valley of England) tinplate Fordson type Tipper Lorry, a very scarce example dating from 1939. This model was first shown in the 1939 catalogue but was not continued in the same form after the war. Finished in orange, with tinprinted detail, balloon wheels, nut & bolt construction, the winding gear is complete but does require attention otherwise a good plus example. **Sold for £120, Vectis, September.**



An Eastern European tinplate Space Gun, scarce friction drive ex-shop stock example is black/pale blue with tinprinted Spaceman images, friction drive. Near mint, 10"/24cm long and comes in a good illustrated box with manufacturers instruction slip and some inner packaging. **Sold for £80, Vectis, September.**



An unboxed Yonezawa vintage car, battery operated, driven by man in bowler hat. Battery box corroded. **Sold for £35, Hansons Auctioneers, September.**



Gunthermann (Bavaria) pre-war Tram Car, scarce tinplate clockwork model is green/cream, lacks the trolley pole but does include the tinplate driver at one end, brass lamp bezels at each end, the clockwork motor appears in working order but does need attention, the spoked tinplate wheels have been re-soldered onto their axles but overall a good scarce example circa 1930's. **Sold for £160, Vectis, September.**



Schylling "Lionel Lines" tinplate Railcar with propeller, scarce limited edition production model of recent issue, comes with a key, the rear propeller is in working order with brake. Excellent plus to near mint in excellent packaging (although some yellowing to the clear plastic cover). Designed to run on O Gauge track. **Sold for £30, Vectis, September.**



DMI "Winner 93 Motorcycle", friction drive tinplate racing bike with clicking action and moveable rider, some adhesive tape marks otherwise excellent in a good plus illustrated box. **Sold for £35, Vectis, September.**



A boxed tinplate Rosko, Bartender with Revolving Eyes, battery powered, in need of some attention but does appear to work. **Sold for £30, Hansons Auctioneers, September.**



Burnett (Chad Valley of England) pre-war Single Decker Bus, scarce large scale tinplate clockwork example with registration number 32554 in grey/red "Red & White" livery. A wooden replacement roof has been retro fitted and painted cream and replacement tinplate balloon wheels have been fitted, the motor has been disconnected but otherwise still a fair scarce example which could be improved. **Sold for £50, Vectis, September.**



Mohr & Krauss "Centrimobil" tinplate Gyro powered open-top Car, green with red embossed trim, includes uniformed chauffeur figure, motor is in working order, actuated by a winding handle at the front (gearing slightly worn), some nicks & scratches but otherwise generally a good bright example for display. **Sold for £60, Vectis, September.**



West German tinplate pair of spinning planes, in need of some attention. **Sold for £35, Hansons Auctioneers, September.**



A boxed tinplate, clockwork motorcycle, working order, in original box, damaged. **Sold for £35, Hansons Auctioneers, September.**



An unboxed Nomura Mystery Police Car, battery operated, in need of some attention, length approx. 25cm. **Sold for £22, Hansons Auctioneers, September.**



A boxed tinplate battery operated toy fire command car made by Nomura (T.N.) of Japan. In original but played with condition. Some parts detached but present. Missing aerial. Untested. Original box in poor condition. **Sold for £20, Hansons Auctioneers, September.**

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Schuco (made in the US Zone of Germany) 5311 Ingenico tinplate 2-door Car, scarce battery operated example is red, with tinprinted interior detail, steerable front wheels, overall good plus. **Sold for £60, Vectis, November.**



Large tinplate All Terrain vehicle, green, with substantial clockwork motor driving the front wheels, in working order with key and brake, opening rear boot reveals battery compartment for the front headlamps, fitted with replacement rubber treads to the wheels. A fair to good unmarked example. **Sold for £70, Vectis, November.**



Modern Toys (Masudaya of Japan) large tinplate Police Motorcycle, scarce battery operated model is white, with tinprinted detail, uniformed rider figure, battery operated with clean battery compartment, some light play wear but otherwise generally good plus to excellent. **Sold for £130, Vectis, November.**



Arnold (Germany) 1930s tinplate Armoured Car, scarce example in 3-colour camouflage with tinplate wheels, no key but the clockwork motor is in working order with effective sparking action and brake, some age related wear but does include the driver figure and steerable front wheels, otherwise good, circa 1935. **Sold for £100, Vectis, November.**



Rocket USA large tinplate "Robot One" R1, scarce battery operated large scale tinplate robot of recent limited edition production - grey, tinplated detail, clean battery compartment, together with miniature clockwork example. Near mint in excellent boxes. **Sold for £40, Vectis, November.**



Nomura (TN Toys, Japan) "Atomic Fire Car", tinplate, battery operated space vehicle. Scarce example, mystery action to underside - good for display. **Sold for £130, Vectis, November.**



Nomura battery operated Swinging Monkey, circa 1960s, tinprinted tinplate base, golden mohair effect monkey, unchecked for operation but generally good for display. **Sold for £40, Vectis, November.**



Roman (Spain) clockwork, plastic "Vagabundo" novelty figure, plastic man with suitcase, no key but motor is in working order, walks in circular motion and twirls his walking stick. Good plus with fair card box (lacks part of end flap). **Sold for £35, Vectis, November.**



Modern Toys (Japan) "Hardworking Diesel Locomotive", battery operated tinplate Train Set featuring locomotive and delivery van with tinprinted figure of 8 baseplate. Excellent plus to near mint in good illustrated box, circa 1960s. **Sold for £35, Vectis, November.**



Philip Niedermeier (PN Toys, Germany) tinplate Police Car resembling a Jaguar XK120, friction drive, white/blue with tinprinted detail, includes aerial - good plus. **Sold for £35, Vectis, November.**



Triang Minic 1/20 scale electric Jaguar 2.5 Litre Saloon, scarce battery operated model is powder blue with tartan tinplate interior, small crack above front wheel arch and rear body requires rescoring to baseplate otherwise good. **Sold for £30, Vectis, November.**



Gama (Germany) 2991 Lorry Mounted Searchlight, large scale tinplate battery operated models circa 1960s finished in military green, revolving searchlight with control knob, lacks plastic battery compartment cover but friction drive is in working order, with detailed tinplate interior. Excellent in fair illustrated box. **Sold for £80, Vectis, November.**



Schuco (Germany) tinplate clockwork Duck with Drum, some fading to red felt jacket, with key and clockwork motor is in working order producing a drumming action and faint quacking sound. **Sold for £380, Vectis, November.**



Rico (Spain) Passenger Autogiro tinplate clockwork aircraft, motor requires attention but model does include rotor and propeller, fair to good. **Sold for £70, Vectis, November.**



Ichiko (Japan) or similar tinplate Oldsmobile, larger scale friction drive American car, 10.5"/27cm long, finished in red, black roof, tinprinted interior detail, some, bright plated parts, some light age related wear otherwise a good plus to excellent bright example which still retains a fair illustrated box. **Sold for £60, Vectis, November.**



Ideal Toys (India) large tinplate clockwork Double Decker Bus, British style double decker bus with half cab, clockwork motor driving the rear wheels, advertisements include "Bose and Bose Plaster of Paris Bandage" to one side and "Ideal Toys" to the other, on Route 25, "Specially Made for Art Museum" label to rear. Some age related wear otherwise a fair to good example. **Sold for £100, Vectis, November.**



Schuco (Germany) Elektro Radiant 5600, large scale battery operated tinplate Passenger Aircraft in "BOAC" cream/blue/silver livery - untested but does have all four propellers, crew of two in clear plastic cockpit. Good for display in fair card box. **Sold for £120, Vectis, November.**



Schuco (Germany) Radiant 5600 tinplate Aircraft, scarce battery operated example finished in "Swiss Air" grey/yellow/white livery, some peeling of paintwork to upper fuselage and lacks one undercarriage wheel, does have all four propellers, with crew of two in clear plastic cockpit, untested but otherwise good. **Sold for £110, Vectis, November.**



Jouet Mont Blanc (France) tinplate Caravelle Passenger Aircraft, tinplate, friction drive in working order, plus clean battery compartment to underside, lacks some decals to tail plane otherwise good. **Sold for £70, Vectis, November.**



Meccano Constructor Car No.2, scarce pre-war smaller scale example, constructed from pressed steel, bolted together, no key but the substantial clockwork motor is in working order with brake acting on back wheels, lacks one securing nut to back wheel hub but does include headlamps, tyres and steerable wheels, some light age related wear particularly to wings but otherwise a good plus to excellent example. **Sold for £360, Vectis, November.**



Wells Brimtoy large Bedford Articulated Car Transporter, tinplate clockwork example in working order with plastic top to the cab, includes chain type winch, opening tailgate and sliding ramp, includes the scarce plastic Morris Minor Car accessory with tinplate base, almost 12"/30cm long. **Sold for £60, Vectis, February.**



Bing (Germany) tinplate clockwork Model T Ford 2-door Saloon, circa 1920's, finished in black, with detailed tinprinted lady driver at the wheel, spoked wheels including spare to the rear, registration number 19872, clockwork operation with permanent key driving rear wheels with working order, circa 1920's, some light age wear to the high spots but overall a good plus to excellent. **Sold for £220, Vectis, February.**



Tipp & Co (Tippco of Germany) 7911 tinplate clockwork 4-door Limousine, light blue with contrasting dark blue trim, grey roof and wings, detail tinprinting including uniformed chauffeur to interior, steerable front wheels, clockwork motor lacks the spring otherwise good, circa 1930s. **Sold for £90, Vectis, February.**



Distler (Germany) 1614 British style Fire Engine, impressive tinplate clockwork example is red, with 3 x uniformed firemen figures (lacks 2 figures), balloon wheels, includes brass bell, includes elevating and extending 2-sectional ladder finished in yellow, no key but the motor is in working order. A good scarce example. **Sold for £140, Vectis, February.**



Wells (UK) 127 large tinplate clockwork Tipper Truck, red chassis with green cab, yellow roof, rear tipping body and trim, balloon wheels, opening tailgate, working ratchet mechanism to the tipping gear and clockwork motor in working order driving the rear wheels with integral key, circa 1940's. A good plus bright example which still retains a fair plain card box with correct "Tipp Truck" stamp to one end. **Sold for £130, Vectis, February.**



Wells Brimtoy large tinplate clockwork Greenline Single Decker Bus, green, with yellow trim, tinprinted window detail, clockwork motor in working order driving the rear wheels with integral key, registration number GLX553, some light wear and paint mark to front of roof - otherwise a good to good plus example. **Sold for £40, Vectis, February.**



Wells Brimtoy tinplate clockwork "Transport" Double Decker Bus, circa 1950 - red, with tinprinted detail including Regent Petrol advertising, balloon wheels, tinprinted passenger detail, wear to some of the edges - a good plus example with clockwork motor in working order and an integral key. **Sold for £50, Vectis, February.**



Wells of London (UK) "World Service" tinplate clockwork Double Decker Bus, circa 1930's with "Thanks for Buying British" adverts, world-wide destinations to front panel, this version fitted with flat conductor to the rear platform, some age related wear and the rear clockwork spring needs attention - a good plus early example. **Sold for £60, Vectis, February.**



Wells Brimtoy 1950's large scale tinplate Trolleybus, scarce example with Buy British adverts - red, with white roof, includes swivelling trolley poles to roof, balloon wheels, clockwork motor in working order driving rear wheels, light age related wear to edges, circa 1950's - a good plus bright example. **Sold for £80, Vectis, February.**



Mettoy (UK) "Giant Racing Car" from 1950, scarce large scale impressive tinplate clockwork racer, finished in light blue, with yellow trim, detailed tinprinting and racing number 7, includes steering wheel and steerable front wheels, no key but the motor is in working order, some minor play wear here and there particularly on the wheel treads - a good plus to excellent example. **Sold for £280, Vectis, February.**



Rossignol (France) Delahaye large tinplate Racing Car, scarce example circa 1935, impressive example in two-tone red lower and cream upper, with tinprinted driver, steering wheel, balloon wheels, racing number 52, no key but the motor is in working order driving the rear wheels. **Sold for £460, Vectis, February.**



Tipp & Co (Tippco of Germany) 9581 tinplate clockwork Racing Car, scarce example from 1930, finished in red, with cream/black tinprinted detail, uniformed driver with "TC" to his shoulders, balloon wheels, racing number 1, some age related wear to upper surfaces but overall good to good plus scarce example. **Sold for £280, Vectis, February.**



Tipp & Co (Tippco of Germany) 1930's tinplate clockwork Car and Caravan Set, very scarce impressive example together measuring 19"/48cm long, comprising 4-door car in beige/cream, with balloon wheels, clockwork motor driving rear wheels, comes with seated uniformed chauffeur with "TC" to his shoulder, clockwork motor in working orders and includes tow hook and chain to rear. Also included is a matching vintage caravan - brown/cream with sliding roof, opening door with locking bar, includes folding stand to underside and tow bar - some light age related wear and some retouching to roof and bonnet - otherwise a good to good plus scarce toy which has survived very well. **Sold for £340, Vectis, February.**

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Bing (Germany) 7213 "Bing Brake" large scale tinplate clockwork vintage car. Dating from 1902 and featured in the 1902 Bing catalogue this toy car is one of the hardest to find and comprises tinplate body with 2 x padded bench seats, steering wheel, red generic bonnet (resembles a De Dion), 2 headlamps, steering wheel, black running boards and wings combined and is finished in a cream with green side panels. The car also has red seat backs and is fitted with plated metal spoked wheels. Powered by a substantial clockwork motor with automatic steering device fitted which enables the car to run in an irregular circle. **Sold for £20,000, Vectis, February.**



Distler (JDN of Nuremberg) 603 large tinplate clockwork limousine, scarce example is red with black roof and running boards, detailed tinprinted balloon wheels, fitted with uniformed chauffeur, clockwork motor is present but does have a weak spring, battery compartment fitted and wired for 2 electric headlamps and a red rear stop lamp, some overpainting to the black areas and general over varnishing but otherwise still a good scarce example for display circa 1930. **Sold for £240, Vectis, February.**



Tipp & Co (Tippco of Germany) large tinplate clockwork Limousine, scarce example circa 1930 with registration number PU9491 - mid blue with black roof and running boards, includes rear spare wheel cover with "8-cylinder" to rear and uniformed chauffeur to interior. Fitted with balloon wheels. The top of the bonnet and roof have been repainted but the clockwork motor is in working order - otherwise a good scarce example. **Sold for £150, Vectis, February.**



Georges Carette (Germany) 33cm/13" tinplate clockwork Limousine, very early large scale model car dating from the 1911 catalogue, this version is grey, with black roof, metal spoked wheels, black running boards, fitted with 2 front lamps, this version also fitted with real glass windows and 2 x opening rear doors, uniformed chauffeur figure, poseable axles for the front wheels, some previous repainting to the black roof and wings to a good standard, the model is fitted with a working clockwork motor (no key), lever for forward and reverse and a brake together with a reproduction trunk to the roof. A good very scarce item. **Sold for £750, Vectis, February.**



Horikawa (Japan) Attacking Martian style tinplate battery operated Robot circa 1960's, very dark grey, fitted with red tinplate feet, some surface corrosion to the edges of the rear body and discreet repair to the battery compartment door hinge but includes the opening chest compartment to reveal guns - otherwise a fair to good scarce example. **Sold for £80, Vectis, February.**



1960's tinplate Attacking Martian style battery operated Robot, scarce example is very dark brown, opening front doors to chest reveal weapons, fitted with red feet, clean battery compartment to rear - otherwise good. **Sold for £130, Vectis, February.**



KO Toys (Japan) tinplate battery operated "Planet Robot", circa 1960's scarce example is metallic blue, with red feet and claw type hands, lacks his left hand antenna, untested, a good example for display with a clean battery control box with cable still attached. **Sold for £140, Vectis, February.**



Yonezawa tinplate "Talking Robot" battery operated robot from the 1960's, red skirt style body, with silver fittings and arms, orange cap, includes both plastic ears, lacks battery compartment cover to base and a glue repair to one of the electrical connections, some paint loss to the rear corner of the body - otherwise a good scarce example. **Sold for £240, Vectis, February.**



Gunthermann (Germany) tinplate clockwork Bar Billiards Game from the 1925 catalogue, nicely detailed table with green surface and numbered holes, clockwork motor in working order, man figure stands 6"/15cm tall, no balls are supplied but the item is in working order. **Sold for £260, Vectis, February.**



Schuco tinplate clockwork Car, red, with opening bonnet, steerable front wheels, working order, comes with a Tri-ang key, some play wear but overall good for display. **Sold for £60, Vectis, February.**



Betal (UK) large tinplate clockwork Bluebird Record Car, very scarce example circa 1930's finished in blue, with USA and British flags front and rear, tinprinted driver figure, double wheels to rear (the right hand outer rear wheel is loose), the motor is in working order with permanent key. Interestingly this model has been signed "Malcolm Campbell" to the bonnet - fitted with steerable front wheels, some spidering to the original paintwork but good. **Sold for £280, Vectis, February.**



Mettoy (UK) 3086 tinplate clockwork "Mechanical Racing Car", yellow/orange with tinprinted detail, includes rubber drivers head, racing number 17, tinprinted balloon wheels, no key but the motor is in working order driving the rear wheels, very minor wear - otherwise excellent. **Sold for £300, Vectis, February.**



Marx Toys (USA) tinplate clockwork 1948 Indianapolis 500 mile race tinplate clockwork Racing Car, scarce example is red/yellow, with detailed tinprinting, includes white plastic driver figure, balloon wheels - otherwise good to good plus. **Sold for £60, Vectis, February.**



Wells (UK) tinplate clockwork Racing Car circa 1950 red/blue/white tinprinted detail, includes driver figure, clockwork motor in working order with integral key, some age related wear otherwise fair to good. **Sold for £45, Vectis, February.**



Wells (UK) 1940's tinplate clockwork Racing Car, red/yellow, with flat driver figure, includes racing number 77, scarce example, the clockwork motor is in working order with integral key, some age related wear, this early example not fitted with a baseplate - otherwise generally good. **Sold for £50, Vectis, February.**



Mettoy (UK) tinplate "Esso Motor Oil" 6-wheeled clockwork lorry, circa 1950, finished in red with tinprinted detail including balloon wheels, includes the cast metal delivery valve and hand wheel to rear, some nicks and scratches but overall a good plus bright example. **Sold for £110, Vectis, May.**



Wells (UK) pre-war tinplate clockwork "Char-a-Banc", scarce example of this British Single Decker Coach, known as a Char-a-Banc, produced by this British Company, finished in brown, with silver trim and tinprinting, includes very clear passenger detail and comes with tinplate balloon wheels, cream finish to the roof and running boards, clockwork motor working - good plus. **Sold for £340, Vectis, May.**



Wells (UK) "Carter Patterson Express Carriers" larger scale tinplate clockwork van, scarce item circa 1928, with registration number CP1928 to rear, includes uniformed driver, both opening rear doors with locking catch, finished in green with black roof, wings and trim, some minor wear, generally good plus. **Sold for £340, Vectis, May.**



1920's tinplate toy featuring 4 tinprinted flat Clown Figures, with red central chassis and heavy pulley to centre, made to produce a walking action, some touching-in to one of the clown figures otherwise a fair to good unusual example. **Sold for £200, Vectis, February.**



Mettoy tinplate clockwork Fire Engine, circa 1940's, finished in red, with 3 x seated firemen figures, elevating 2-sectional ladder in beige, some very light wear and minor creasing to the lower section of the ladder. Otherwise a good plus to excellent example with clockwork motor in working order and integral key. **Sold for £140, Vectis, May.**



Tipp & Co (Tippco of Germany) pre-war tinplate clockwork Tipper Lorry, light blue with orangey red detail and balloon wheels, tipping mechanism and clockwork motor in working order with integral key, some minor wear to the edges otherwise a good plus scarce example. **Sold for £90, Vectis, May.**



Wells (UK) large tinplate clockwork Racing Car, circa 1930's, finished in red with cream tinprinted detail and driver figure, racing number 4 to rear, some minor wear and lacks the securing tab to the top of the front grille but not obvious on display and is otherwise a good plus bright example. **Sold for £180, Vectis, May.**



Hess (Germany) or similar tinplate Hansom Horsesdrawn Cab, dark blue/black, with dapple grey horse and driver to rear, gilt coloured spoked wheels, clockwork motor to underside in working order, horses legs have a walking action - a good scarce example. **Sold for £140, Vectis, February.**



Mettoy tinplate clockwork Tipping Lorry circa 1940's, orange cab with brick red roof, yellow tipping body, clockwork motor in working order with integral key, minor age wear particularly to right hand side of body - otherwise a good plus bright example, 7.5"/19cm long. **Sold for £60, Vectis, May.**



Strauss (USA) large tinplate "Interstate Bus", scarce open topped Double Decker Bus by this American manufacturer, finished in dark green with yellow trim, balloon wheels, includes spiral staircase to rear, with uniformed driver, bench seats to upper deck and simulated floorboard detail, circa 1920's/30's period - a good plus example. **Sold for £420, Vectis, May.**



Mettoy (UK) large tinplate clockwork 1930's Racing Car, impressive example, 12.5"/32cm long, finished in red with cream/black trim and detailed driver figure, racing number 7, fitted with Dunlop tinplate balloon wheels, some minor age related wear but otherwise overall a good plus bright example. **Sold for £220, Vectis, May.**



Ichiko (Japan) tinplate "Highway Patrol Cadillac", scarce battery operated model circa 1960, black/white with tinprinted interior detail, bright plated parts including wheel hubs, roof beacons, includes aerial and a clean battery compartment to the underside, very minor storage wear otherwise generally excellent plus and comes in a good plus card box with colourfully illustrated lid and some inner packaging. **Sold for £100, Vectis, May.**



Mettoy tinplate clockwork Articulated Lorry, similar cab to the previous item, finished in orange with grey chassis and cream trim, clockwork motor in working order with integral key, fitted with 6 x grey balloon wheels, some wear particularly to edges but overall a good to good plus example, 9"/23cm long. **Sold for £60, Vectis, May.**



Joustra (France) tinplate clockwork Trolleybus, circa 1950's, scarce example finished in the Paris Bus livery of green/cream, on route "Gare-Mairie", the clockwork motor is in working order with integral key, as the vehicle is propelled forward it produces a ringing action. Some age wear but overall good. **Sold for £80, Vectis, May.**



Tipp & Co (Tippco of Germany) pre-war tinplate clockwork 1930's Racing Car, orange with black/white trim, tinplate balloon wheels, includes detailed driver figure still with steering wheel, clockwork motor in working order with integral key, some spidering effect to the paintwork with age, overall good plus bright example. **Sold for £300, Vectis, May.**



Martinan and Larnaude (France) tinplate clockwork Racing Car, scarce example circa 1928, catalogue No.510, finished in grey with orange trim, includes composition driver figure, racing number 63 in working order with integral key, some light age related wear but overall a good plus. **Sold for £90, Vectis, May.**



Tri-ang Junior Diesel Series Ice-Cream Van, large press steel Lorry in white/blue, has both opening rear doors and locking catch, some scratches through age but the windup musical chime movement is in working order - good. **Sold for £35, Vectis, May.**



Technofix (Germany) tinplate clockwork Racing Motorcycle, beige, detailed tinprinting, some paint loss and wear particularly to the right hand side, but does have the racing number 2 and colourfully dressed rider, no key but the motor is in working order - fair, 7"/18cm long. **Sold for £45, Vectis, May.**



Schuco (Germany) 1050 Studio Racing Car, tinplate, clockwork 1936 Mercedes Grand Prix Racer, finished in burnt orange with racing number 2, comes with vehicle stand, tools, key and accessories together with a fold-out instruction leaflet and catalogue - near mint to mint in an excellent illustrated box, of recent limited edition production. **Sold for £50, Vectis, May.**



Japanese tinplate Ford Mustang, 1960's example, with none specified Japanese manufacturer, the Mustang is the Fastback version - finished in cream with red interior, bright plated parts, some minor dents to roof otherwise excellent, appears to approx 1/32 scale. **Sold for £20, Vectis, May.**



Triang Junior Diesel Series pressed steel Circus Lorry and Trailer, circa 1960 - both vehicles have white chassis and blue cage bodies, each has opening rear doors and locking bars to the rear of the cage, the cab is white with large chrome plated grille, some scratches but does include the towing hook. **Sold for £45, Vectis, May.**



Schuco (Germany) Kommando Anno 2000 tinplate clockwork Car, circa 1930's, comes with correct Schuco key, in working order with opening bonnet and steerable front wheels, finished in very dark blue, good. **Sold for £45, Vectis, May.**



Large tinplate Streamlined Art Deco style 1930's 4-door Sedan, impressive tinplate model of unconfirmed manufacture, possibly French, finished in turquoise, free wheeling model not fitted with any internal mechanism, circa 1950's, manufacturers thin paint application to the right hand side doors otherwise good plus. **Sold for £80, Vectis, May.**



Marx Toys or similar large pressed steel "Continental Express" Articulated Truck, the model has a similar pressing to the cab as the Marx Toys version but is unmarked and appears to have Gama style wheels, finished in green/yellow with an opening hatch to the rear of the trailer - good. **Sold for £60, Vectis, May.**



Schuco (Germany) Examico 4001 tinplate clockwork car, circa 1950's production finished in orange with dark grey seating, no key but the motor is in working order with brake, some small dents to the bodywork and lacks its windscreen otherwise still a fair to good example. **Sold for £20, Vectis, May.**



West German Telesteering Car from the 1950's, scarce example of simplistic design featuring a green car with tinprinted detail, control wire attached to a tinplate control box with winding handle, when wound the car is propelled forwards or backwards - excellent, 3"/8cm long and comes in a good colourfully illustrated box. **Sold for £30, Vectis, May.**



Wuco (Germany) or similar tinplate "Red Arrow" Racing Car, blue with red baseplate, tinprinted detail including racing number 11, still retains the composition driver figure, some light age related wear but otherwise good plus. **Sold for £25, Vectis, May.**



Mettoy (UK) large tinplate clockwork Biplane, scarce 1940's example finished in 3-colour camouflage, large propeller, clockwork motor with integral in working order which propels aircraft forward and makes the propeller revolve. The aircraft is also fitted with a machine gun which originally had a sparking action and the battery compartment with light bulb (untested) - otherwise a fair to good unusual example. **Sold for £200, Vectis, May.**



Ha Ha Toys (Schylling China) "Mechanical Planet Robot", tinplate clockwork robot of recent limited edition production, finished in red with black feet and hands, bright plated parts, working order with sparking action to chest and comes with a key - near mint to mint, 9"/24cm tall and comes in a fair to good card box with splits to two corners of the illustrated lid but does include the inner packaging. **Sold for £35, Vectis, May.**



Enwex (Sweden) tinplate clockwork Sedan Car circa 1950's, finished in cerise, motor in working order with integral key, fitted with white hub caps, rubber tyres and some plated parts, some overall age wear otherwise a good plus bright example, 8"/20cm long, a scarce item. **Sold for £40, Vectis, May.**



Chad Valley (UK) tinplate clockwork "London Transport" Double Decker Bus, of tinprinted aluminium/tinplate construction, often used as a confectionery container with removable dark grey roof, in red livery with cream window surrounds, advertising includes Carr's Biscuits, tinprinted detail includes conductor and driver, fitted with balloon wheels, no key but the motor is in working order, some minor age related marks otherwise an excellent example. **Sold for £520, Vectis, July.**



Chad Valley (UK) tinplate clockwork London Transport Double Decker Bus, this non-powered version produced as a confectionery container for Carr's Table Water Biscuits, finished in red London Transport livery, includes removable grey roof for access to the interior, includes tinprinted detail including driver and conductor, advertising etc, good plus. **Sold for £360, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang Minic Push and Go 1950s tinplate friction drive Double Decker Bus, all over red, with cast metal hubs, Pedigree Dolls and Prams advertising, some minor marks and a scratch to the roof otherwise a good plus to excellent bright example. **Sold for £40, Vectis, July.**



HS Toys (Japan) larger tinplate Greyhound Scenic Cruiser, 4-wheeled friction drive model circa 1960's, finished in blue/white with tinprinted detail, motor in working order - excellent plus to near mint. **Sold for £45, Vectis, July.**



Joustra "Air France" tinplate Single Decker Bus, scarce colour variation, finished in blue with white upper, interior seating, front windscreen with windscreen wipers and uniformed driver to the cab, lacks rear bumper and some paint loss to the right hand side of the roof otherwise a fair to good large scale example with working friction drive motor and luggage rack. **Sold for £20, Vectis, July.**



Chad Valley (UK) "Green Line" tinplate clockwork Double Decker Bus, often used as a confectionery container, finished in green livery with yellow trim, some tinprinted passenger and crew detail, some dents otherwise a good to good plus bright example. **Sold for £260, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang Minic early 50's tinplate clockwork Double Decker Bus, finished in red London Transport livery with cream upper deck window surrounds, cast metal hubs, advertising for Pedal Motors and Penguin Boats, the motor is in working order and comes with a key - an excellent bright example. **Sold for £90, Vectis, July.**



Horikawa (Japan) or similar tinplate Double Decker Bus, large impressive friction drive model, made in Japan, with London destination, Goodyear and Dunlop advertising, friction drive in working order, includes glazed front upper deck and rear lower deck windows - a good plus bright example. **Sold for £30, Vectis, July.**



Chad Valley (UK) tinplate clockwork Single Decker Bus, scarce example circa 1947, finished in dark blue/cream, the clockwork motor is present but requires attention and the model has been fitted with a well made wooden replacement radiator grille and surround otherwise good for display. **Sold for £70, Vectis, July.**



Mettoy tinplate clockwork "London Transport Routemaster Bus", of recent limited edition production, finished in red with tinprinted tartan seats to the interior, steerable front wheels, clockwork motor, hand wheel to sides actuates the bell, a little dusty but otherwise near mint to mint. **Sold for £30, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang Minic tinplate clockwork Double Decker Bus, early 1950s example finished in orange-red with early Bovril and Ovaltine adverts, some deterioration to some of the rubber tyres, no key but the motor is in working order, otherwise generally good plus to excellent example for display. **Sold for £60, Vectis, July.**



Horikawa (Japan) or similar "Long John" tinplate Double Decker Bus, scarce Japanese made promotional bus, similar pressing to the previous lot, finished in orange with white window surrounds, interior seating and "Long John Scotch" adverts to each side. The model is free wheeling, friction drive disconnected, there is a large crease to the rear of the bus otherwise a fair to good scarce example. **Sold for £50, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang Minic tinplate Routemaster style Single Decker Bus, in green London Transport livery, some wear to the left hand side and the roof otherwise a fair to good example with working friction drive motor and cast hubs, wooden seating to interior. **Sold for £35, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang Minic 1950s tinplate clockwork Double Decker Bus, scarce later version finished in all red with Bovril and Pedal Motors advertising, comes with red plastic wheel hubs, some nicks and scratches to the edges otherwise a good plus bright example overall, no key but the motor is in working order. **Sold for £45, Vectis, July.**



Wells (UK) tinplate clockwork "Transport Trolleybus", finished in red, with tinprinted passenger detail, includes the roof mounted trolley poles, fitted with a white roof, balloon wheels, clockwork motor with integral key is in working order, overall good plus for display. **Sold for £40, Vectis, July.**



Horikawa (Japan) or similar "CIE Double Decker Bus", very scarce friction drive example finished in the Irish Bus Company's livery of dark blue lower and cream upper with "56 Bus Arus" destination (Dublin Bus Station), friction drive in working order - an excellent plus bright example. **Sold for £60, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang Minic post-war Single Decker Bus, one of the later issues of this model, finished in dark green lower and mid-green upper, wooden seating, black plastic wheel hubs, no key but the motor is in working order - some light manufacturers paint loss to the cream stripe on the left hand side otherwise an excellent plus bright example and comes in a fair box. **Sold for £70, Vectis, July.**



Chad Valley tinplate clockwork London Transport Double Decker Bus, circa 1940s, orange with cream upper window surrounds, no key but the motor is in working order, fitted with Victoria destination panels - otherwise good plus. **Sold for £70, Vectis, July.**



Chad Valley 1940's "National Express" Coach, mid-blue with cream roof, no key but the motor is in working order, some light age related wear but overall a good scarce example. **Sold for £70, Vectis, July.**



Wells Pocketoy tinplate clockwork Trolleybus, circa 1950s, finished in red with tinprinted window and driver detail, includes trolley poles, no key but the motor is in working order with stop-start action and ringing bell, minor age related wear otherwise excellent. **Sold for £50, Vectis, July.**



Wells Brimtoy Pocketoy tinplate Green Line Single Decker Coach, dark green with tinprinted detail, grey plastic wheels, no key but the motor is in working order - excellent in a poor to fair card box. **Sold for £35, Vectis, July.**



Wells Brimtoy larger scale "Transport" Double Decker Bus 1950 tinplate clockwork example is red, with balloon wheels, tinprinted window and passenger detail, clockwork motor in working order. Good plus to excellent example. **Sold for £35, Vectis, July.**



Wells Brimtoy tinplate Touring Coach circa 1950, scarce example is cream/red, some age related wear but the motor is in working order with integral key, fair. **Sold for £35, Vectis, July.**



Wells (UK) "World Service" pre-war tinplate clockwork London Bus some age related wear and the motor requires attention but is present, but does include the flat Conductor figure standing on the rear platform and tinprinted window and passenger detail - otherwise fair to good. **Sold for £40, Vectis, July.**



Japanese Tinplate Double Decker Bus, British style bus, finished in red, with friction drive, Dunlop and Mineral Water advertisements, interior seating, the radiator grille resembles a Guy - excellent. **Sold for £40, Vectis, July.**



Tina Toys "Double Decker", Indian made tinplate friction drive model, red with tinprinted windows and passenger detail, some minor age related wear otherwise generally excellent. **Sold for £20, Vectis, July.**



HS Toys (Japan) large tinplate "Greyhound Bus", 1970's 6-wheeled friction drive example - white/silver/blue, some minor storage wear otherwise a generally excellent plus bright example. **Sold for £30, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang pressed steel Routemaster Bus circa 1960 impressive heavy model finished in orangey-red London Transport livery with Tri-ang Railways and Pedigree Prams advertising, Epsom destination panels, some age related wear and rust spots particularly to the roof otherwise a good bright example with white interior. **Sold for £260, Vectis, July.**



Tri-ang pressed steel Single Decker Routemaster Green Line Bus, green, with white interior, Windsor destination panel, some age related wear to the paintwork and transfers otherwise good and comes in a fair (torn) "Tri-ang" cardboard box. **Sold for £420, Vectis, July.**



Mettoy (UK) Tinplate 6-Wheeled "Refreshments" Mobile Snack Bar, orange/cream, with 6 tinplate balloon wheels, includes opening rear door with locking catch, clockwork motor in working order with integral key driving rear wheels, some nicks and scratches particularly to the roof but otherwise overall a good plus to excellent. **Sold for £110, Vectis, July.**



Linemar (Japan) "Friction Drive Allied Van", scarce 1960 Japanese Tinplate Articulated Removals Van, finished in orange with silver roof to trailer, includes both opening rear doors and locking bar, a couple of minor marks otherwise an excellent plus bright example. **Sold for £110, Vectis, July.**



Linemar (Japan) "Friction Powered Allied Van Trailer", tinplate articulated Tractor Unit with "Allied" Trailer, the tractor unit is red, orange with a grey roof, includes both opening rear doors but no locking bar, some small scratches particularly to the cab otherwise overall excellent and comes in a good plus illustrated box. **Sold for £80, Vectis, July.**



Linemar (Japan) "Friction Hauler & Trailer", Tinplate American GMC Semi Truck & Trailer finished in red and yellow "North American Van Lines" livery, friction drive to tractor unit in working order, trailer still has both opening rear doors & locking bar plus Jockey wheels - excellent plus and comes in a good plus to excellent illustrated box. **Sold for £110, Vectis, July.**



Gamaichi (Japan) "Friction Toy Moving Van", Tinplate American Articulated Truck with Van Trailer finished in yellow/red with silver roof, friction drive in working order, includes both opening rear doors - excellent plus and comes in a good illustrated box (repair to one corner of lid). **Sold for £120, Vectis, July.**



Fischer litho-printed tinplate taxi or Landau circa 1910 with driver, folding fabric hood, clockwork motor in working order with integral key, 150mm (6") long, printed in green, yellow, black and blue. Tinplate in excellent condition, some wear to fabric hood. **Sold for £280, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Bing Two Funnel Battleship, circa 1912, painted grey, clockwork mechanism not working, with superstructure, front/back/side guns, two masts, lifeboats added, in fair condition, L 20" (51 cms). **Sold for £740, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Carette Screw Ship, painted red, cream, grey and black c1905 working clockwork motor with integral key, 300mm (12") long, catalogue model number 721/3, red part of hull well restored, superstructure, both anchors and mast flag original, fore and aft flags replaced in excellent condition. Photocopy of Carette 1905 catalogue page 91 included. **Sold for £280, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Fleischmann tinplate clockwork single funnel Ocean Liner, German 1930s, red and black painted hull, brown decks and white superstructure, 8" (21.5cm) long, condition: good overall condition, flags replaced, left upper deck tab missing. **Sold for £140, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Arnold tinplate twin funnel Ocean Liner, German 1920s, black and red hull with lithographed wood effect deck and anchor and lifebuoys, white superstructure, hull with friction motor wound from the stern, 8" (20cm) long, condition, generally good to fair, flag pole replaced. **Sold for £160, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



A GFN Fleischmann German Tinplate Clockwork model Cruising Boat, circa 1930s with working clockwork motor, complete with superstructure, rudder added, missing masts/life boats, ideal for restoration. **Sold for £140, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Chad Valley Tinplate National De-Luxe Express single deck bus, London to Glasgow working clockwork with key lithographed tinplate light blue and cream CV 10073 number plate. Generally very good, light scratches to roof. **Sold for £80, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Gunthermann clockwork tinplate General Double Decker bus, German 1920s, lithographed in red and cream with rear stairs to upper deck, Ballon Cord tyres and driver, electric lights, advertisements for Ford's Automobile, Dunlop, BP, Heinz Baked Beans and FL Caillier's Chocolates, clockwork mechanism to rear wheels generally fair. **Sold for £360, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



A 'Jolly Clown' tinplate clockwork novelty toy, German 1920s, with flat lithographed head and shoulders mounted on a clockwork motor operating a cam which moves the mouth and head in a seemingly random manner, good condition, clockwork motor working, wire operating movement detached. **Sold for £140, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Toyiyama (Japan) Tinplate Battery Operated Firebird Race Car, Indianapolis 500, 1107 on rear fin, litho printed body, racing no '3' to front of model, vinyl head/hands on tinplate driver, plastic windshield present, but broken, one rubber tyre on front of model has perished, fully working, lited engine, signalling driver, in good used condition, battery compartment is excellent. **Sold for £200, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Nomura TN (Japan) Tinplate Battery Operated Police Patrol Jeep, white body, lithographed tinplate police man, spare wheel, jerry can to rear, fully working, mystery action, driver steers wheel, as jeep stops buzzer starts to sound and policeman picks up receiver. As buzzer goes light in the radio blinks, in excellent original condition, approx. 11" (28cms) long. Illustrated lidded box is fair with edge/age wear, inner card packing. **Sold for £80, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Boxed Joustra Air France Boeing 707 Tinplate Aircraft, Intercontinental 1950s, friction driven Boeing F-BHSB markings, in white, blue and silver livery, boxed with inner packing, 12.5" (31cm) long, condition: generally good and clean, box fair, complete but dirty with some rubs and couple of tears. **Sold for £40, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Joustra (France) 2004 Observation Car Greyhound Tinplate Bus, lithographed body, in good unboxed working condition, with key, approx 14cms in length. **Sold for £50, C&T Auctioneers, September.**



Nomura TN (Japan) Mechanised "Robby" The Robot, battery operated, black and red tinplate body, with clear plastic dome, black rubber hands, battery compartments are excellent, in very good to excellent working condition, original illustrated lidded box is fair, with edge/age wear. **Sold for £1300, C&T Auctioneers, September.**

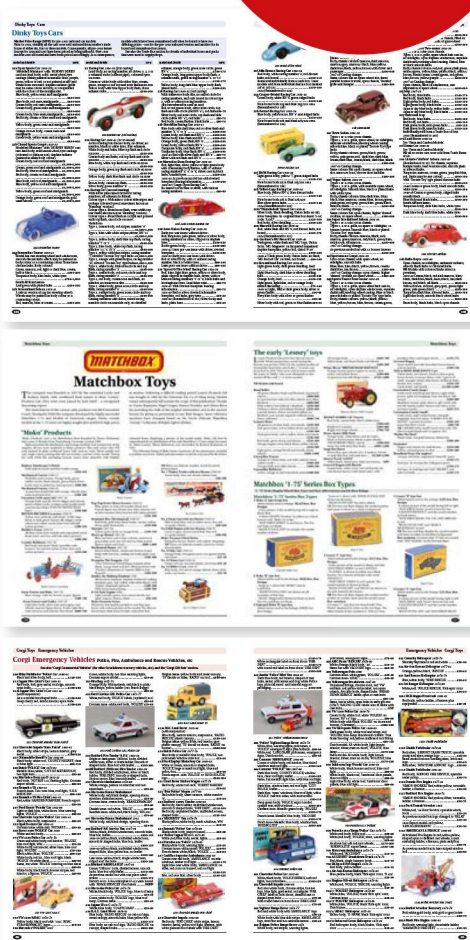


A boxed 'Jolly Sambo' (sic) tinplate clockwork novelty toy, German 1920s, with flat lithographed head and shoulders mounted on a clockwork motor operating a cam which moves the mouth and head in a seemingly random manner, generally good working condition, some slight wear, box fair some loss to lid side flaps and label dirty. **Sold for £220, C&T Auctioneers, September.**

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