

## News from Trains, Planes & Automobiles August 2021

## First Monday Toy Auction Monday 2nd August 2021

## Highlights include:

- Superb range of Dinky including military vehicles and Dublo Dinky
- Plenty of other diecast vehicles including Corgi and Matchbox Superfast
- Aircraft including kits, diecast models and wooden models
- Great selection of HO/OO including Hornby Dublo, Triang, Trix Twin, and Australian models
- O-gauge from Hornby, Bassett-Lowke, Bing, Lionel, and many others
- Framed locomotive prints including Australian paintings from Brian Baigent & Kenneth Bowen
- · Railway books



Featured item: Lot 360 Dinky No. 23 pre-war Racing Car Set

We're still in lockdown here, but that won't stop us from giving you another great auction in August.

We had a little break from Dinky recently, so we're making up for it with another lovely selection of them. Some of these come from the Adrian Nash collection but didn't make it into our two British Model Cars auctions. There are also many from other vendors, notably the military vehicles and the excellent range of Dublo Dinky. Of special note is our featured item, Lot 360, the beautiful pre-war racing car set.

There's also a good selection of Corgi, both early and modern, and a nice range of Matchbox 1-75s, mostly Superfasts.

This auction has plenty to offer the train enthusiasts, too, with lots of HO/OO as well as O-gauge, including locomotives, rolling stock, sets, track, accessories, and sundry bits and pieces. There's a nice selection of Australian HO, and some more of the superb locomotive prints by Kenneth Bowen, Brian Baigent, James Kelso and Terrence Cuneo.

And this time we have planes again, including diecast models, wooden models, plastic kits, and books.

So if you're stuck at home and running out of toys to play with, you know where to get some more, at great prices!

The auction starts at 6:00pm next Monday, August 2nd. During lockdown you can't come to the auction in person, but you can leave absentee bids by calling us on (02) 4787 7974 or emailing us at auctions@antiquetoys.com.au. You can also participate at invaluable.com,

where you can watch the live stream and bid online.

Unfortunately we can't open our Auction Rooms for viewing, but photographs of all lots are available on our website antiquetoys.com.au.

For those of you who normally pick up your purchases, we can arrange to have them available for pickup from our coffee shop "On the Soul Side" – a great place to get a takeaway while you're there. We're also happy to hold onto goods until you're able to travel again, or we can post them to you. We'll do what we can to get them to you, since you can't be deprived of toys in these difficult times!

## THIS MONTH'S NEWS FROM TPA

The main news at present is of course the ongoing lockdown in the Greater Sydney area. Like so many other businesses, we have been closed to the public for the past four weeks and we have to remain closed for at least another four.

But we're still here – most of the time – and you can phone or email us for your urgent toy requirements. Also the lockdown has given us time to sort through our stacks of boxes to ensure that our auctions continue to offer the best antique toys and collectables. We're also taking the opportunity to update our website, which is taking a bit of time, so you may find a few pages missing, but they will be back again soon.

We hope you are all keeping well and safe and getting vaccinated. We look forward to being able to see our regular customers in person again, whenever that may be!

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