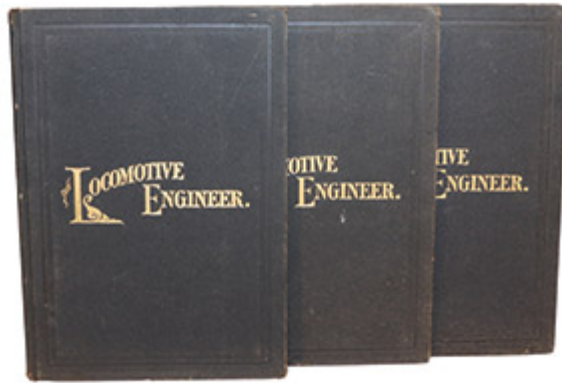


First Monday Toy Auction

Monday 7th August 2023 at 6:00pm

Highlights include:



Featured item: Lot 241
Three Bound Sets of "The Locomotive Engineer" Magazine
(1888, 1889 & 1890)

- European HO-gauge locomotives and rolling stock including Marklin, Roco, Trix, and Electrotren
- OO-gauge including Hornby, Tri-ang, and Bachmann
- HO/OO track, power & control, buildings, and accessories
- Huge range of railway books, magazines, and DVDs
- Great variety of diecast cars including Dinky, Corgi, Matchbox, Bburago, and Vanguards
- Selection of aircraft models and books
- Maritime books

Welcome to our First Monday Toy Auction for August. Once again, we have a good mix of **trains, planes and automobiles**, plus a few other things.

There's quite an assortment of HO-gauge trains, including many power & control items, track, buildings, accessories, parts, kits, and of course lots of rolling stock. There's also plenty of OO-gauge from Hornby, Tri-ang, Bachmann Branch-Line, and many other brands.

We also have a very large selection of railway books, magazines, DVDs, and other publications, notably our featured item, "The Locomotive Engineer" magazine set, which is over 130 years old and in lovely condition.

For the car buffs we have some very nice Dinky and Corgi, including some film & TV models, also plenty of Matchbox Models of Yesteryear, all sorts of other vehicles from various brands, a few motoring books, and other bits and pieces including a set of Holden cigarette cards.

Finally, there is a small selection of aircraft books and models, and some interesting maritime books.

So there's a bit of everything this month and we hope you find something that suits your hobby and collecting interests.

The auction starts at 6:00pm next Monday, August 7th, in our Auction Rooms at The Gearin in Katoomba. All are welcome to attend. There is plenty of parking and refreshments are available.

If you can't join us in person, you can participate by sending us absentee bids before the auction, or bidding live online at invaluable.com.

The lots can be viewed in our Auction Rooms on Saturday 5th, Sunday 6th and Monday 7th August, from 10:00am to 4:00pm.

If you have any questions, please call us on (02) 4787 7974 or send us an email.

THIS MONTH'S NEWS FROM TPA

More Hidden Treasures

Our recent "**Hidden Treasures of Leuralla**" two-day auction was a roaring success, with record numbers of people attending the viewing and auction days, and many happy customers going home with a memento or two of the historic Leuralla Toy and Railway Museum, which sadly is no more.

But... there were so many hidden treasures to unearth that we couldn't fit them all in two days. So **there will be a third day** in the not too distant future. Leuralla has closed its doors, so the Day 3 auction will be held in our Auction Rooms at The Gearin in Katoomba. If you missed out, you now have another chance to acquire a piece of Leuralla. You can be sure we will let you know well in advance when this extra auction is going to take place.

In the meantime, we have resumed our regular auction programme, which includes the First Monday Toy Auction every month, as well as occasional mid-month auctions. As always, we'll be in touch with full details before each auction.

Keith's Trivia

We've been so busy with the Leuralla auction that we haven't had time to produce a newsletter since April. So for those of you who have been hanging out for the answers to the April trivia questions, here they are:

Question 1: What was colloquially known as the "Dockers' Umbrella"?

Answer: The "Dockers' Umbrella" was the colloquial name for the Liverpool Overhead Railway, apparently the first electric overhead railway in the world.

Question 2: Is the person in charge of a hovercraft a "driver" or a "pilot"?

Answer: The person in charge of a hovercraft is called a "pilot".

Question 3: Who held Dinky Toys Collectors Licence No. 1?

Answer: Dinky Toys Collectors Licence No. 1 was held by Sir Stirling Moss.

Question 4: Which royal launched the Oriana (famous for the P&O England to Australia route) in 1959?

Answer: The Oriana was launched by HRH Princess Alexandra.

Things are still pretty hectic here at **Trains, Planes and Automobiles**, so that will have to keep you going for a while. We'll have more trivia questions when Keith has time to come up for air.

Come Up and See Us Some Time

Our shop in Katoomba is now packed to the gunwales with our regular stock, the extra hidden treasures that are being catalogued for the Leuralla Day 3 auction, also the unsold lots from Days 1 and 2, and all the lots in our August auction. So you're welcome to visit us if you dare! There's not a lot of space, but there's a huge variety of fascinating toys, antiques, collectables, and curios to see.

We are open on Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from 10:00am to 4:00pm. We're also open next Sunday, August 6th, for auction viewing. It's a great time of the year to visit the **Beautiful Blue Mountains**, so come and see us if you can and we'll help you with all your toy and hobby needs.

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