

News from Trains, Planes & Automobiles *March 2025*

First Monday Toy Auction Monday 3rd March 2025 at 6:00pm

Highlights include:

- Action figures, robots, and scifi toys
- Great range of tinplate & pressed steel toys including Australian and Japanese
- Minic clockwork cars & trucks including Minic Motorways
- 1:43 scale diecast European cars
- More diecast from Dinky, Corgi, and others
- Car badges
- Aircraft including diecast models and kits
- Live steam engines including cars & locomotives
- Model boats, books, and other interesting things



Featured item: Lot 271 Hand-made live steam American 4-2-0 Locomotive

Here's another one of our auctions of fun things.

There's a great variety of tin toys, including Japanese, and pressed steel toys, including Australian. There are lots of clockwork vehicles and other toys, cars of all sorts, action figures, robots, planes, a few boats, a lovely selecton of live steam engines, and various other odds & ends.

The auction starts at 6:00pm next Monday, March 3rd, 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 1st and Monday 3rd March, 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

It's a slow news month, so we don't have anything to tell you except that no news is good news. But we do have...

Keith's Trivia

Here's our round of trivia for March.

- 1. Which famous locomotive appeared in the 1951 film "Lady With a Lamp" about Florence Nightingale?
- 2. What brand of toys were made by Artlay Manufacturing Company of Surrey Hills, Sydney?
- 3. What does "A.B.C." stand for as printed on Dinky models of TV outside broadcasting vehicles No. 987 and No. 988?
- 4. What does a "tegestologist" collect?

Here are the answers to our February trivia questions:

- 1. The first steam powered monorail ran in 1872 between Brooklyn and Coney Island, New York, USA.
- 2. Sir Christopher Cockerell was credited with inventing and naming the hovercraft.
- 3. The Mysterons wanted to destroy the Earth because of an unprovoked accidental attack on their city by a Spectrum space probe.
- 4. "AMF" stands for American Machine and Foundry.

How did you go? Tell us at trivia@antiquetoys.com.au.

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