

SA1094961**Biscuit Tin Tractor By William
Crawfords & Son Ltd**

Price

GBP 3,000

| USD \$4,090 | EUR 3,501

Item Reference: SA1094961**Date of manufacture: 1920**

Dimensions

Height = 10 cm (3.9")

Width = 12.5 cm (4.9")

Depth = 18 cm (7.1")

Description

1 Museum Piece British Biscuit Tin Tractor By William Crawfords & Son Ltd. Subject in the model form of a country farmers tractor unboxed. Having pictorial image on the sides showing the tractor engine piping litho printed tinplate, the front lid opens up to reveal the inner empty storage compartment where the biscuits would of been Made from tin. Fully functional moving wheels and steering wheel. On the back having the Royal warrant stamp logo by appointment along with the makers name shown William Crawford & Son Ltd Biscuit Manufacturers Edinburgh, Liverpool & London Great Britain. A charming size being 10 cm high and 18 cm in length. Circa early 20th century. Brief history of William Crawfords, they started as a Scottish baker of ship's biscuits in a public house on The Shore, Leith in 1813. The bakery was acquired by Robert Mathie in 1817 and then William Crawford in 1856, when Mathie retired. William Crawford & Sons established large factories in Leith and Liverpool so that, at its peak, it was one of Britain's largest biscuit manufacturers and claimed to be its oldest. The company was acquired by United Biscuits in 1960 and is now a brand within their portfolio. T...

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