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Staffordshire temperance figurine

Price

GBP 150

| USD \$203 | EUR 176

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Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Description

The temperance movement was formed in the early 19th century. The aim of the movement was to act as social reformers, encouraging the abstinence of alcohol which was proving to be the downfall of many! And therefore linked with poverty, family and child neglect. This is a typical temperance figurine. Manufactured to promote the temperance morals and earning of the downfall. Battered hat, dishevelled clothing, odd shoes and an unhealthy look to the gin drinker. Whereas the puritan water drinker, looking healthy and dapper. A genuine piece of social history, depicted by the Staffordshire potters. Fabulous condition

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