

SA509240

Antique silver 'Acme Lever' pocket watch

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA509240****Date of manufacture: 1900**

Description

An antique silver Acme Lever pocket watch by H Samuel. In 1862 when Harriet Samuel took over her father-in-law's clock-making business in Liverpool, she renamed the business H Samuel and moved the business to Manchester's Market Street where she ran the company as a mail order business. Later on, Harriet's son concentrated on the retail side of the business, and the first H Samuel retail store opened in Preston in 1890, closely followed by branches in Rochdale and throughout Lancashire. Since then the company has become nationwide with branches in many British High Streets today. This particular watch has a fully signed Swiss key-wound movement which is working nicely. The movement is protected by an inner fitted cover. The watch itself measures 51mm diameter excluding the stem and the loop. The case is silver and there are Swiss hallmarks inside both of the back covers. There are scratches to the inner parts of the case but the outer case just has the odd minor mark but overall is in good condition. The watch glass has a few very small nibbles around the perimeter but not too noticeable to the naked eye. The signed dial is in good condition. The watch will be ...

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