

SA623490

A boxed "Everite" full hunter pocket watch from H Samuel.

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA623490

Date of manufacture: 1930

Description

A boxed "Everite" full hunter pocket watch from H Samuel. The watch has a 15 jewel stem-winding movement which is working nicely. The movement is signed "Everite" H Samuel, Manchester... Everite was H Samuel's brand name for watches sold in their own shops. 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. The watch itself measures 50.4mm diameter excluding the winding stem and the loop. The case is gold plated and is the Star model made by the Dennison Watch Case Company. The case has minor marking from use and some mild bruising to the back but overall it is in nice condition for a 1930s piece. The winding crown pushes in to open the front cover. Inside there is a glass lens. The signe...

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