

SA859227

1930s "Everite" pocket watch from H Samuel

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA859227****Date of manufacture: 1930**

Description

1930s "Everite" pocket watch from H Samuel. The watch has a Swiss 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. It is all protected by an inner hinged cover which has a few scratches and a ding. 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 measures 50mm diameter excluding the winding stem and the loop. The case is nickel. The front is in good condition while the back has a handful of small dings. The watch glass is in good condition... there is an arc shaped line which is just a manufacturing fault, not too noticeable. The signed dial is i...

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