



FOR SALE BY AUCTION

17th October 2009 – Moreton Pinkney Village Hall – 10.30 am

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Stained Glass
Original Signed Paintings
17th Century Armour, Asian Helmet
Muskets, Flintlock & Percussion Pistols,
Daggers, Spears, Powder Flasks

Formerly owned by

E W Twining

Model Maker, Artist and Engineer
Detailed pictures on Moreton Pinkney Catalogue tab





Ernest W Twining (1875-1956) was a model-maker, artist, author and stained glass maker who designed and made models through his own Northampton company Twining Models Ltd and on commission for Bassett-Lowke. He also made a number of the models which appear in Queen Mary's Dolls House which is now on display at Windsor Castle.

He was a talented and versatile man who designed scale locomotives, cars and glass cased dioramas; wrote articles for many model locomotive magazines; and wrote a number of books on model making, commercial art and stained glass making.

Before becoming a model maker he was a commercial artist with a studio in London and designed advertising pictures for businesses. The black and white picture of the cavalier in the Sale was designed for Ironside Window Frames and the armour and musket in the Sale were purchased by him at auction (original receipt with the armour) to use for this model. (There is only one suit of armour in the sale – the picture show different angles).



He was also a collector of stained glass and it is not certain whether the glass in the auction was of his own making or part of his collection – but it is thought to be part of his collection. His stained glass windows are still in churches such as Hardingstone and Semilong, Northampton.

