Basic Detail Report



Toy

Date

c. 1918

Primary Maker

A. Schoenhut & Company

Medium

Wood; Paint; Leather; Metal brads; Elastic cord

Description

Wooden toy sea lion, part of a Schoenhut Humpty Dumpty circus set. Wooden body painted a dark-brown color, underside is lighter brown; turned legs and carved head pivot in sockets in the body, attached by means of elastic cord and wire brads. Painted leather ears; carved wooden tail; hand-painted eyes, nostrils, whiskers, mouth, etc. Leather flippers fit into slots in front paws. Toy appears to be overcoated with a glossy varnish.

Dimensions

4.25 x 3.5 x 9 in. (10.8 x 8.9 x 22.9 cm)