

	<p>Object: Dockor och tennsoldater: Dolls and toy soldiers</p> <p>Museum: Szent István Király Múzeum - Hetedhét Játékmúzeum, Székesfehérvár Oskola u. 2-4. 8000 Székesfehérvár +36 22 202601</p> <p>Collection: Könyvtár</p> <p>Inventory number: MAd/63-2016</p>
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Description

Toy soldiers of lead and tin have been popular playthings for some two hundred years. After A. Hilpert, a pewterer and tin-moulder in Nuremberg started in 1760 to cast small flat soldiers, animals, flowers, etc., the idea spread rapidly. With Frederick the Great's wars, tin soldiers became particularly popular with boys. In Finland tin soldiers were already being cast at the end of the 18th century.

Basic data

Material/Technique:

Measurements:

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Events

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