

Point Evidence Explanation Arthur Birling

Arthur Birling is an opinionated man

[**DOGMATIC**, of fixed views, of preconceived ideas, dictatorial, domineering, assertive, positive, confident, assured; cocksure, pompous, self-important, adamant, arrogant, obstinate, stubborn, pig-headed, bull-headed, obdurate, headstrong, wilful, single-minded, inflexible, uncompromising, prejudiced, biased, bigoted.
-opposite: OPEN-MINDED.]

as we see when he says: ...

He is also prejudiced

[**BIASED**, bigoted, discriminatory, one-sided, jaundiced, intolerant, narrow-minded, unfair, unjust, non-objective, blinkered, coloured, distorted, warped, loaded, weighted; racist, racialist, anti-Semitic, chauvinistic, chauvinist, sexist, heterosexist, ageist, homophobic, fatterist.
-opposite(s): UNBIASED, IMPARTIAL, FAIR.]

towards the working class as we learn from his comments about Eva Smith: ...

By presenting him in this way, J B Priestley wants us to judge him harshly and agree with him that such men are ...