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GENERAL INFORMATION AND TERMS OF SALE

PROFESSIONAL Fully licensed firearms brokerage, including collector class three weapons.

LISTS All new items acquired are first offered here. Un-sold items will then be listed in general advertising such as SGN, Gun List etc. Lists are published approximately every 90 days. The acquisition of collector arms is unpredictable and this schedule is approximate.

DISCREET My client information is kept totally confidential, your privacy is protected.

SUBSCRIPTIONS \$10.00 per year for U.S. and Canada, \$20.00 via Air Mail to anywhere else. If your list is marked [SAMPLE], you must subscribe to receive any future current lists.

NO SURPRISE All items contained in my lists are accurately and honestly described. Every item will have only the original finish and matching serial numbers with exceptions noted.

GUARANTEE Your complete satisfaction is assured. Full three day inspection privilege, full refund (less shipping), upon return in condition as originally shipped. All returns must be shipped back within three days of receipt via UPS 2nd Day Air. All items are sold with the understanding that they are 'Collectors Items' only. No guarantee on firing safety.

FIREARMS Modern firearms can only be shipped to holders of a current Federal Firearms License. 'Curio and Relic' firearms can be shipped to holders of a 'Federal Firearms Collectors License'. Applications for this are available on request. If you have no License of your own I can usually arrange a transfer thru a local dealer in your area. Please call for details.

TRADES Are most welcome, please phone or write with descriptions if you have any trade items

WANTED I represent several serious collectors and will pay the highest possible prices for the following; Colts, Lugers, Walthers, Mausers, SIGs, Bergmanns, Brownings, Military Rifles machine guns, pistol holster-stocks, and optical items. Also all accessories for the above.

PHONE CALLS To inquire, reserve or order. Hours:9AM-9PM PST. Answering machine on line also.

CONSIGNMENTS These are accepted on very large collections only. I prefer to buy items and most collections outright. This saves much time and effort and keeps things straight.

SHIPPING Is normally via UPS ground service. Shipping and insurance charges are \$5.00 per handgun, [\$8.00 Air Freight]. Longguns are \$10.00 ground service, [\$15.00 Air Freight]

WANTED FILE We have a very active 'WANTED FILE' and if you have specific needs for your collection please send a note with phone number. When the item(s) become available you will be contacted directly with a description and price. This system works out very well for all.

EXPORTS All items on these lists are available for export including all firearms. We have a U.S. State Department Export License and will handle export permits for foreign buyers. We will also handle exports for overseas buyers who have items purchased from other U.S dealers on a per item basis. Please call for a quote. Shipping is normally via U.S. Registered Mail.

APPRAISAL Call during normal hours for a no-charge verbal estimation on any item or items.

PAYMENT Cashiers checks, money orders, personal checks (must clear if I don't know you), And Visa-Mastercard can be accepted with a 3% surcharge. LAYAWAYS available, call for details.

- 36) CZECH 'PRAGA MILITARY' 7.65, sn:485X, dated:11/1920. This was the First pistol purchased by the new Czech Government formed in 1919 for Issue/Trials! Less than 11000 were made and they are Scarce! Wood grips are nice and overall the condition is 95% showing normal use. Gun is also unit marked on left slide 'P.R.59.'(Infantry Regiment 59). Nice!\$295.00
- 37) CZECH 'C.Z. vz-1922' 6.35, sn:1035X. This was the first model pistol made at the famous C.Z. factory. Pistol is dated 1927 and is in Excellent 98%+ Condition showing only minor wear. Black H/R grips are about perfect and have the C.Z. logo. Very Scarce Gun!.\$295.00
- 38) DETONICS 'MK VI' .45, sn:CR209XX. All stainless compact in 99.9%+ New Condition complete with manual, 3 separate rear sight blades, lubricant, tool. Handmade Quality!....\$595.00
- 39) GLOCK 'MODEL 17' 9mm, Latest Austrian production. As-New w/2-magazines,case,etc..\$375.00
- 40) GYROJET 'MK I-MODEL B' 13mm, sn:B554X. Now Scarce 1960's invention of a true 'Rocket Gun and in Brand New condition in the original box w/2-rounds of ammo, manual, etc!.\$695.00
- 41) ITALIAN 'GLISENTI MODEL 1910' 9mmG, sn:M91X. The very first Italian automatic. Condition is a Fine 98%+ with Beautiful checkered wood grips. Nice bore too! W/Tool! Nice!.\$595.00
- 42) JAPANESE 'GRANDPA NAMBU' 8mm, sn:142. Rare 'Royal IMPERIAL ISSUE'! On the right side of the slide where the serial usually appears, there are 6 additional Japanese Characters that are unlike anything seen before! Standard serial marks are also different and are in different locations! Rough Condition, missing; grips, cocking cap. But it still has the matching magazine! A Truly Rare and Historic Variation! Needs research!.....\$1495.00
- 43) JAPANESE 'T.14' 8mm, sn:1627X, (18.8) dated. August,1943. Standard large-triggerguard an complete with 2 matching magazines! Condition is a Fine 99% Also! Wood grips are superb with no 'groove' from the safety! Hard to find this nice and Complete! Fine!.....\$295.00
- 44) JAPANESE 'T.94 SQUAREBACK' 8mm, sn:6896X, (20.3) dated. March,1945. Very late last-ditch production. Smooth wood grips, 98%+ Condition with a matching magazine! Quality?.\$275.00
- 45) D.W.M. 'MODEL 22' 7.65, sn:125X. Very early post-WWI copy of the Browning/F.N. M1910. As most were sold outside Europe to avoid lawsuits, (most to Japan), very few have survived and they are Scarce! An Condition is a Fine 98%+ showing only slight use and the bore an grips are about New! Has usual 'DWM' logo on the slide (same as Luger marking)...\$595.00
- 46) LUGER 'DWM M1900 AMERICAN EAGLE U.S. TRIALS' 7.65, sn:67XX. One of about 1000 purchased in 1901 by the U.S. Army for Trials to adopt an automatic pistol. All were subjected to actual field trials and after the adoption of the Colt M1911, the surviving pistols were sold at auction in about 1912/13. Little more than 100 of the original 1000 have turned up and most are Very Rough! This one is without a doubt, the Nicest 'TEST LUGER' we have seen or owned! Condition is a Beautiful 99% with just a Trace of Honest wear at the high points! Bore is bright but lightly pitted, grips are not matching but are Beautiful with only the slightest wear showing. 'Straw' is 96% Also! A Very Special Gun!.....\$4995.00
- 47) LUGER 'DWM M1900 AMERICAN EAGLE' 7.65, sn:5678. Neat Serial! As above but this was a std commercial gun sold here in the early 1900's. Condition is a Fine 90% showing normal and honest use. Grips are Excellent, bore is about gone though. Has the 'Marble' ivory bead front sight. No pitting and has sharp crisp markings. Early checkered safety.....\$995.00
- 48) LUGER 'DWM M1902 FAT BARREL AMERICAN EAGLE' 9mm, sn:2249X. This Rare gun is from R.Green collection in Mexico City! Condition is rough with light pitting all over. Markings are good though and could be restored nicely. Grips are very rough and the bore is gone. But it is all matching and 100% Authentic and complete (less magazine!) It also comes with a spare M1902 frame that is complete with most small parts. A great 'project'!....\$1195.00

- 49) LUGER 'DWM M1906 DUTCH' 9mm, sn:390X. Scarce contract with 'RUST' safety marking, Crown 'W' proof on left receiver. Barrel dated '1916'. Most went to Indonesia and were used by the Japanese and came back from the Pacific, after WWII. Scarce and most had heavy use. This one has some small areas of pitting, but not bad, and the grips are original replacements. Gun is 'gray' and would be a great one to restore. Typical Shape..\$495.00
- 50) LUGER 'DWM M1906 9mm COMMERCIAL' sn:334XX. Scarce variation that has been restored to As-New condition. All markings are sharp & Crisp! Grips and "Straw" color is perfect. I had this done as there was only about 50% blue left. Gun had no pitting before the work was done! A really Beautiful gun that has been restored correctly! 'BUG' proofs\$1195.00
- 51) LUGER 'DWM 1916 MILITARY' 9mm, sn:885X'o'. Standard WWI German Issue in Beautiful Shape with over 98% Condition! Perfect grips, Excellent Bore, magazine is Nice but mismatched and the 'Straw' colors are about perfect! This would be hard to ever upgrade!...\$895.00
- 52) LUGER 'DWM 1917 ARTILLERY' 9mm, sn:826X't'. Another Beautiful WWI German Issue also in Superb 98%+ Condition and with a Matching Magazine! The grips are perfect and the bore is Excellent! Comes complete with the issue board-stock that is also 'Imperial' proofed (but the lug is a unnumbered commercial type). Nice Honest Artillerys are very hard to find and this is a Nice Set! Also has the 'Prussian' Eagle on left chamber!....\$1750.00
- 53) LUGER 'DWM 1918 MILITARY' 9mm, sn:193X'f'. Another Really Nice 98%+ Condition WWI issue also with a Matching Magazine! Gun shows only slight honest wear on the barrel from a holster. Grips are Mint, Excellent 'Straw', and the bore is lightly pitted. Nice\$995.00
- 54) LUGER 'DWM 1920 COMMERCIAL BOXED' 7.65, sn:22 Very low serial! In the original unmarked cardboard shipping/storage box! Crown 'N' proofed, 3-3/4" barrel. Excellent bore, grips are perfect and the frame is 'Germany' marked. Extractor is mismatched. 98%+!...\$695.00
- 55) LUGER 'DWM 1920 COMMERCIAL' 7.65, sn:505X'o'. Standard model with 3-3/4" barrel. And in Super 99%+ As-New Condition! Bore and Grips are perfect! Hard to find this Nice!\$695.00
- 56) LUGER 'DWM 1920 DATED MILITARY' 9mm, sn:31X'b'. Rare post-WWI German Military issue! It has 3 'Eagle/AyA4' proofs on the right receiver, no sear-safety, (Military), and comes with matching magazine! '1920' Chamber date. Condition is a Beautiful 99% showing just a trace of wear on the gripstraps! Bright bore is lightly pitted. Rare Gun!....\$1295.00
- 57) LUGER 'ERFURT 1917 POLICE' 9mm, sn:30X. Post WWI German Police. Many 'Crown/RC' proofs. Correct sear-safety, 2-matching magazines! Mint bore, Nice grips and the finish is 97%+ and the receiver is 'notched' for the Artillery rear sight. Fine Weimar Issue!..\$795.00
- 58) LUGER 'DWM 1918 POLICE' 9mm, sn:141X. As above, but this has the all blue (post-1937)! finish! Most likely done by Mauser at that time! Condition is a Beautiful 99%+ and best of all comes with 2-matching magazines, and matching Holster & Tool! Super Rig!\$1495.00
- 59) LUGER 'SIMSON & CO. POLICE ISSUE' 9mm, sn:12X'b'. Very Scarce post WWI as Newly made by Simson (most were reworks). And in Beautiful 99%+ Condition with 2-Matching magazines! 'E/6-E/81-E/67' proofs on right receiver. Perfect grips and bore! Correct 'thick' grips that are unique to the Simson Lugers also! These are a true Rarity this Fine!..\$2250.00
- 60) LUGER 'KRIEGHOFF/DWM REWORK' 9mm, sn:997X'i'. Very Scarce variation with the horizontal 'C/N' proofs! Brown Krieghoff grips, 'HK' in circle logo on backframe and also a 'E/2' Military Issue proof on the right receiver! Frame is a standard DWM M1908 type with no stock lug and the 'holdopen' has been added. Matching magazine too! 'E/2' proof is also on the bottom of the barrel! A very Scarce and unique Military/Commercial! Condition is a Superb 98% showing only slight honest holster wear. Bore rough, Nice 'Straw'!\$2250.00
- 61) DWM/BORCHARDT BOARD STOCK Very Rare stock for the pre-Luger Borchardt pistol! Stock is As-New and sn:6XX. No cheekpiece. Came from the Abermann Collection. Fine!.....\$1495.00

- 62) LUGER 'MAUSER POLICE SNEAK' 9mm, sn:406X't'. Very Early Nazi period Police Issue. Blank chamber and 'S/42' marked toggle. This was of the Very First Guns actually of New Mfg. to be made by Mauser! Correct sear-safety and magazine safety (disconnected). Best of all the gun is in Beautiful 99%+ Near New Condition! Excellent bore and grips! and with matching magazine, tool and 1933 dated police holster! Frontstrap is marked 'L.H.18' an would denote issue to the Rural Police, city of Hannover. Scarce city code as Hannover was about leveled during WWII. Correct 'E/WaA66' proof on right receiver. Great\$1750.00
- 63) LUGER 'MAUSER PERSIAN ARTILLERY' 9mm, sn:356X (in Farsi). One of the most unique Lugers made! All serials and markings are in the Farsi language! Delivered in 1935, only 1000 were produced total! Most were never used and sold as surplus to an English dealer in the 1950's. Since the easing of import restrictions, some have made it to the U.S.. And this one is Beautiful, 99%+ with perfect bore and grips! Magazine is not matching, but is the correct type. This has no stock or holster (some turn up loose though)..\$2995.00
- 64) LUGER 'MAUSER 'S/42-1937' 9mm, sn:424X'q'. Early production with the rust blue finish & 'Straw' parts. Condition is a Beautiful 99% showing just a trace of wear at the muzzle and edges. 'Straw' is perfect (possibly redone) and the grips are Mint! Bore is bright but has some light pitts. Overall one of the Nicest '1937's' we have had! Fine!.\$895.00
- 65) LUGER 'MAUSER '42-1939' 9mm, sn:277X'x'. Another Nice example in Fine 98%+ condition! A perfect bore, Excellent grips, and only a trace of wear at the edges. Excellent!\$795.00
- 66) LUGER 'MAUSER '42-1939' 9mm, sn:267X'w'. Superb Example with 99%+ Condition! Also with a Matching Magazine, Mint Bore, Brown issue '1939' dated holster and correctly proofed tool! Complete 'Rigs' in this condition are Scarce! Outstanding Grips! Fine!...\$1295.00
- 67) LUGER 'MAUSER 'POLICE BANNER-1941' 9mm, sn:957X'x'. Scarce WWII Police Issue in As-New condition! Beautiful wood grips, Nice Bore, mag. not matching. About 99%+!.....\$1195.00
- 68) LUGER 'MAUSER 'byf-42' 9mm, sn:841X'i'. Among the very last Lugers made before it was replaced by the P.38. 'P.08' sideframe marking, black plastic grips, correct 'fxo' mag. Condition is 98%+ with only slight honest wear at the edges. And complete with correct dated '1942' holster, tool, and spare correct 'fxo' magazine! Beautiful 'Rig'!.\$1195.00
- 69) MAB 'MODEL A' 6.35, sn:296XX. Made from 1921 to date! Top quality 'Baby' Automatic. And from the serial, this was probably made during the 1930's. Condition is a Nice 99% with perfect H/R grips. Very few of these are found and are Scarce this Nice!.....\$195.00
- 70) MAUSER 'C.96 LARGE-RING' 7.63, sn:1272X. This was a Transition model produced when the last 'Conehammers' were being assembled. This has 'British Proofs', Early pinned 50-500 meter rear sight and a special 'Bead' front sight. Usually found only on Mausers that were exported to England.Made probably around 1899/1900. Fine Bright bore and grips! It is a Nice Honest 98%+ Example showing only slight usual wear. Correct & Nice!..\$1195.00
- 71) MAUSER 'C.96 FLATSIDE' 7.63, sn:2559X. Another Early pre-WWII example in 100% Restored condition! And done right! Nice bore, perfect grips, and the correct Blue! Gun was very 'gray' but had no pitting when received. Now it looks As-New! A Beautiful Gun!..\$995.00
- 72) MAUSER 'C.96 'FRENCH GENDARME BOLO' 7.63, sn:43237X. Another restoration also done very correctly! Perfect Rust Blue w/Fire blue small parts (as above). Perfect H/R Black 'MW' standard size grips. Bore lightly pitted but bright with good rifiling. A unique model with the short 'bolo' barrel, standard grip size and a front barrel band sight!\$1595.00
- 73) MAUSER 'C.96 RED-9' 9mm, sn:10992X. Special WWI German Army Contract with the Big Red 9 branded in the grips. Bore is bright and Excellent, grips are As-New and the finish is a Fine 98%+ with honest wear on the high spots only! And complete with the matching #ed wood holster-stock and a Literally As-New Harness complete with cleaning rod and spare follower spring. Harness is well marked and outstanding! Rare set this Fine!...\$2250.00

- 104) WALTHER 'P.38 FIRST MODEL ZERO SERIES' 9mm, sn:08XX. These were the very First P.38's! As tested by the German Army in 1938! They are Very different than the later guns, all have 'Concealed Extractor', Thick Slide, different sights. Very few parts will interchange! This example has been restored and correctly! Finish is a Very High-Polish Blue and the quality is Top Notch! No pits or dents! Bore is a bit pitted. These were used very hard in German Field Trials and Very Few survive. A Choice Beautiful Gun!\$1995.00
- 105) WALTHER 'P.38 AC-45' 9mm, sn:418X'a'. Very late war in Brand New Shape! Reddish grips are mint as is the bore! All matching (scarce for the 1945 guns) and Superb!...\$449.00
- 106) WALTHER 'P.38 CVQ' 9mm, sn:784X'z'. As made by Spreewerke also in Superb 99% Condition with perfect Reddish grips and a Nice bore! 'Cog' hammer, 'jvd/WaA706' magazine\$395.00
- 107) WALTHER 'P.38 MAUSER BYF-44 GRAY GHOST' 9mm, sn:581X'h'. So called because of the Gray phosphate finish, combined with the stamped steel phosphate grips! These were made and reworked by the French after WWII for a very short time. This was brought to the U.S. by a returning GI and has no 'importer' marks and the 'original' gray finish! (unlike most of the recent imports!) Mint bore, and a Beautiful 99%+ As New Throughout!\$449.00
- 108) WALTHER 'P.38 POSTWAR STEEL FRAME' 9mm, sn:11871X. Very Early '7/1954' production made for the W.German BH (Army)! Slide has the early 'Crossed Rifles BH' proof! About 98%+ condition with perfect grips! Very Few were made with Steel Frames postwar!...\$449.00
- 109) WEBLEY & SCOTT '.455 AUTOMATIC' sn:1306, dated:1913. This is one of the British Royal Navy guns as identified by the 'N' marking. Finish has about all faded to gray, right' grip has a small chip, bore is excellent! Gun has the # '72' on chamber? A typical and well used (or carried) example with no pitting, only honest wear. And with many buyers sending them back to England, they have become Scarce! Priced very right!.....\$895.00

PISTOL ITEMS*****

- 01) HOLSTER-STOCK, Astra, M903, Brand New! (also for;M900,M902,M904) Scarce!.....\$695.00
- 02) HOLSTER-STOCK, Browning-Ingليس, High-Power, Brand New Condition! Original!.....\$295.00
- 03) BOARD-STOCK, Browning-F.N., High-Power, Original, (Not a repro!), Brand New!....\$295.00
- 04) HOLSTER-STOCK, Finnish, Lahti, As-New w/lanyard. Not a Repro! Super Rare!.....\$2995.00
- 05) HOLSTER-STOCK, Japanese, Grandpa Nambu, 1-small crack, refinished, Excellent!..\$1750.00
- 06) HOLSTER-STOCK, Mauser, Model M1912/14, Original Mauser mfg.! As-New!.....\$1995.00
- 07) HOLSTER-STOCK, Mauser, C.96, 'Conehammer', sn:4560, 1-tiny crack, Excellent!....\$395.00
- 08) HOLSTER-STOCK, Spanish, AZUL, missing;door lid, door hardware, stock lug lever..\$150.00
- 09) HOLSTER, Beretta, M1934/35, Green Leather, Excellent Condition, WWII Vintage!....\$75.00
- 10) HOLSTER, Japanese, T.14, brown leather w/all straps & Cleaning rod. Excellent!..\$150.00
- 11) HOLSTER, Luger, P.08, 'K-Date', brown, '1934' dated, mkr.mkd, unit#'4/AR26', Exc\$150.00
- 12) HOLSTER, Luger, P.08, 'K-Date', black, unmarked, Excellent Condition!.....\$150.00
- 13) HOLSTER, Luger, P.08, 'jhg-41', & 'P.08' mkd. Beautiful, About New!.....\$175.00
- 14) HOLSTER, Luger, P.08, 'dtu-41', & 'P.08' mkd. Brown back, balance black. Mint!..\$175.00
- 15) HOLSTER, Luger, P.08, 'cey-42', & 'P.08' mkd. Black, Excellent! Missing pull-up.\$150.00

RIFLES*****

- 01) AUSTRALIAN 'L1A1A/FAL' One of 135 Newly made guns imported few years back. Butt & forend. are blond oak! As New in box with all papers! Very Scarce and the Best Quality!\$2250.00
- 02) BROWNING 'BLR-22 GRADE II'.22Lever action, As-New (no box), Beautiful wood!Nice!\$225.00
- 03) BROWNING 'BAR BELGIUM' .243. As New in fitted Browning Deluxe luggage Case!.....\$595.00
- 04) BROWNING-F.N. 'FAL-PARA' Folding-stock, carry handle, std.barrel. New! no box..\$1750.00
- 05) BROWNING-F.N. 'FAL .22LR CONVERSION UNIT' New in hardcase! H&K mfg. works Great!\$495.00