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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.

 $\overline{\text{U.S.}}$ All items on these lists are available for export including all firearms. We have a $\overline{\text{U.S.}}$ 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.

- 39) HUNGARIAN 'FROMMER BABY' 6.35, sn:35299X. Very Rare 'Baby' that is seldom seen. Less than 1000 were probably made as all known are in the 352XXX range. Condition is 96% an shows honest use only. This is one of the most complicated .25's ever made!....\$395.00
- 40) ITALIAN 'BRIXIA' 9mmG, sn:D69X. Scarce Italian Service issue that is basically a much improved Glisenti Model 1910. Condition is a Super 98%+ showing just a trace of honest high-edge wear. Grips are Mint and the bore is bright but slightly frosted.....\$895.00
- 41) JAPANESE 'TYPE 14' 8mm, sn:3569X, 12.9 date, mfg: Sept.1937. Early Japanese Military with small triggerguard and 'rust' blue finish. Condition is a Beautiful 99%+ with no pitts or frost. Magazine is not matched but correct type. Grips/Bore are Mint!.\$395.00
- 42) JAPANESE 'TYPE 14' 8mm, sn:2185X, 19.3 date, mfg: Mar.1944. Later issue with the large triggerguard and 'salt' blue finish. Condition is a Superb 99%+ and the bore and grips are Mint! Magazine is matched also! No frost or pitts! A Beautiful Example!....\$395.00
- 43) LAHTI 'MODEL M40' 9mm, sn:189XX. Very unusual Husqvarna Manufacture made from Finnish parts. Has the 'VKT' marking on slide top, small triggerguard frame and Finnish type barrel without the large barrel nut. Reddish grips and bore are Mint! Condition is a Beautiful 99%+! Right triggerguard has the Rare WWII era German Eagle/L Proof!.\$795.00
- 44) LUGER 'DWM M1900 AMERICAN EAGLE U.S. TRIALS' 7.65, sn:678X. One of 1000 purchased by the U.S. Military in 1901 to select an automatic pistol. Most were used in field tests and show much use/wear. After the Colt M1911 was selected, these 'Test Lugers' were auctioned off in 1912. I have had many over the years and this is the Nicest I've seen showing 98%+-99% Bright-Blue with just a trace of honest high-edge wear. 'Straw' is a Nice 96%+ and the bore is bright but slightly frosted, grips about perfect!...\$3995.00
- 45) <u>LUGER 'DWM M1906 9mm COMMERCIAL'</u> sn:3344X. Scarce 4" barrel with blank chamber and BUG proofs. Condition is 100% Restored with all markings sharp and crisp. Perfect grips an the bore is bright but frosted. 'Straw' colors are perfect. Super Restoration!.\$795.00
- 46) LUGER 'DWM M1906 AMERICAN EAGLE' 7.65, sn:3457X. Beautiful 'Crisp' example with only a bit of slight honest wear at the sideplate hump and a trace of wear at the muzzle! A real Superb 99%+ Condition Piece! Mint bore and near perfect grips! Correct 'LOADED' marked extractor. This gun is one of the Finest Condition Examples around!....\$1995.00
- 47) LUGER 'WAFFENFABRIK BERN M1906/24' 7.65, sn:17XXX. Beautiful Early Swiss Military made at the Bern Arsenal under License from DWM. Swiss Lugers are probably the Finest ever in fit and finish! The condition of this one is As-New, 99%+ with Mint Bore and Grips that have the unique smooth border. 'Straw' is 99%+ too! Looks like it was made as they say 'tomorrow'! Has the Swiss Military release date 'P.52' (1952). Fine!\$2250.00
- 48) LUGER 'DWM M1908 GERMAN MILITARY' 9mm, sn:432X'b'. Very early 1st issue German Army in Superb 99% Condition with Exc+ grips, bright bore has a trace of frost, 'Straw' colors are Excellent! Un-dated chamber, holdopen added, Commercial type serial numbering. Mag is not matched but the correct type. These are very hard to find this Nice!....\$795.00
- 49) LUGER 'DWM M1914 COMMERCIAL' 9mm, 4" Barrel, sn:7228X. Super Rare Variation in Simply Stunning 99%+ Condition! 'Straw' is as close to perfect as it gets! These are almost never seen as most were pressed into German Military Service at the outbreak of WWI. A straight Commercial is RARE! This is the first production Luger to have a stock lug. It also comes complete with the correct issue holster complete with cleaning-rod, tool and spare magazine, all in As-New Condition! Mint bore and Grips! The Best!...\$2995.00
- 50) LUGER 'DWM M1920 CARBINE STOCK' As used on the Rare Carbine Model! Stock has had the buttplate replaced, and there are some small holes in the very bottom (?) that look drilled. Lug is in excellent condition. Still a very Nice item to find loose!..\$795.00

- 51) LUGER 'DWM M1920/K MILITARY' 9mm, sn:5992X, 9mm, 4" barrel. A M1908 Commercial Pistol that was pressed into German Military Service in 1934 as the chamber is marked '1920/K which makes for a very unusual variation! Condition is a Super 98% showing just a bit of high-edge holster wear. Crown 'N' proofs, grips are Mint and the bore is frosted. The takedown hole on the right side of frame has some small dings (not bad)....\$795.00
- 52) <u>LUGER 'DWM 1921 DATED MARTZ CUSTOM'</u> 7.65, 4" barrel, sn:6260'i'. Beautiful custom gun by the noted John Martz. Finish is in the 'white' (looks like Stainless Steel) and is flawless! Grips are Beautiful contrasting light walnut. All matched and Choice\$895.00
- 53) LUGER 'DWM/KREIGHOFF 1921 CHAMBER DATE' 7.65,4"barrel, sn:587X'i'. Very Rare Kreighoff with the rear frame marking 'KREIGHOFF SUHL'. Condition is 100% restored and it was a Beautiful correct type job! No frost or pitts! Bore is Mint and the 'Swiss Style' type smooth border grips are perfect! 'Straw' is correct color too! Rare Gun, Nice!\$1495.00
- 54) LUGER 'MAUSER S/42-1936' 9mm, sn:508X'L'. Beautiful Early German WWII Issue with the High-Quality Rust Blue Finish! Condition is a Superb 99% with just a trace of honest high-edge holster wear! Superb 'Straw' color and the bore is perfect and the grips are Mint! Magazine is not matched but the correct type. Early Militarys in this condition are almost impossible to find. A really 'Choice' example! Hard to ever better!.\$995.00
- 55) <u>LUGER 'MAUSER S/42-1937' 9mm</u>, sn:407X'u'. Standard WWII German Army Issue in Fine 95%+ condition. Most wear on gripstraps, no pitts or frost. Droop Wing 'E/63' proofs. Grips are Exc. and the bore is perfect! A Nice example showing normal honest use....\$595.00
- 56) LUGER 'MAUSER 1939 DATED FACTORY HOUSE GUN' 9mm, sn:NONE. Very unusual with only one 'E/135' proof on barrel. Has '42' code on; toggle, receiver, sideplate, takedown, with no other marks whatsoever! Walnut grips are Mint and the bore is Perfect! Condition is overall 99%+ As-New! A very unusual Luger Variation and the condition is Superb\$995.00
- 57) LUGER 'MAUSER S/42-1939' 9mm, sn:510X'p'. Standard WWII German Army Issue in Fine 95%+ condition. No pitts or frost. Shows honest holster wear only. Grips are Excellent and the bore is decent but frosted. Just a common WWII Luger in decent shape......\$595.00
- LUGER 'KREIGHOFF' 9mm, 4" barrel, sn:48X. Super Rare variation as made at the factory just after U.S. Troops occupied the plant. These were made as 'gifts' for the kind US troops who agreed to transport the plant and personel to the US Zone prior to it being handed over to the Russians. It is believed that less that 200 total were produced and this gun is the Highest Serial Number of its type Known. The gun has been examined by noted Kreighoff Expert and author of the REFERENCE on Kreighoff Lugers and he agrees that it is 100% Correct and the Highest Known Kreighoff produced during WWII. The REAL LAST KREIGHOFF! Best of all, the condition is 99.9% As-New and complete with 2-matched magazines, Kreighoff proofed tool and tan holster that is Kreighoff proofed and serial numbered to the pistol! All in NEW CONDITION. This is the Finest Kreighoff outfit we have had in condition and perhaps one of the most historically important! Superb!!!!!
- 59) <u>LUGER 'MAUSER POSTWAR SWISS PATTERN'</u> 9mm, RARE 6" Barrel!, sn:11.00270X. Condition is a Fine 99%+ showing just a trace of use. These were made in the late 60's early 70's. 'American Eagle' Crest on Chamber, Mauser Banner on toggle. Mint grips/bore!...\$595.00
- 60) LUGER 'MAUSER POSTWAR SWISS PATTERN' 9mm, 4" Barrel, sn:11.00616X. As above but with the standard length barrel. Mint grips and bore, condition is 100% Brand New! It has the 'American Eagle' Crest on Chamber and the Mauser Banner on toggle also. Comes in the original factory box complete with manual, test target, spare magazine, cleaning rod and combination tool. Gun, all accessories and box are Perfect! Nice Set!..\$795.00
- 61) LUGER 'MAUSER POSTWAR SWISS PATTERN' 9mm, 4" Barrel, sn:11.00796X. As above but no box or extras. Gun has been fired but would still rate 99%. Mint Bore & Grips. Nice\$550.00

- 112) WEBLEY & SCOTT MODEL 1913 AUTOMATIC' .38, sn:6665X. Super Rare Automatic that is the Rarest Webley Automatic! Condition is a Beautiful 96% of the early Bright High-Gloss Blue! Black H/R grips are mint and the bore is frosted. This is the first of this one type that we have owned or seen! A great addition to any Collection! Superb!.\$2495.00
- 113) WEBLEY & SCOTT 'MODEL 1909 AUTOMATICS *CONSECUTIVE PAIR* sn:5247 & 5248! This is the first 'set' I know of! One is 97% showing slight honest wear only and the other is a decent 80% with areas of light frost. Both have crisp markings and Exc+ Grips! This is a true 'one of a kind' set! They are very scarce models anyway and a pair!\$1495.00
- 114) WEBLEY & SCOTT 'MODEL 1909 AUTOMATIC' 9mm, sn:5545X. As above but this is a single! A fine condition example showing 97% condition. Black H/R grips are about mint and the bore is frosted but bright. The fit and workmanship on these is outstanding!..\$895.00
- 115) <u>WEINER 'LITTLE TOM'</u> 6.35, sn:5209X. This 'Classic' Austrian double-action 'Baby' auto is in Superb 99%+ Condition! Austrian proof dated '1923'. Correct 'brass' magazine. This gun was so far ahead of its time its really surprising that it did not remain in production! Black H/R grips with 'W/W' logo are perfect! Rare and Outstanding!\$595.00

*LU	GER ITEMS************************************
01)	IDEAL HOLSTER-STOCK RIG, Leather is aged and cracked but intact, metal fittings are a
	smooth gray finish. Wood grips are Exc+. Correct for all M1900, M1902, M1906\$995.00
02)	SWISS-LIENHARD BOXED 4mm CONVERSION SET, Complete with insert rounds, barrel, ammo,
	tools, targets and target stand. For all Lugers in 7.65mm caliber! Scarce Set!.\$395.00
03)	CARBINE AMMUNITION-BOXED Green box, orange label, box-50, box marked, 50 Patronen No.
	471A/zum Selbstlade Karabiner Kal. 7.65mm/"Parabellum"/0,40 Pulver Hohlspitzengeschose
041	/geschwarzte Hulsen'. The box is Exc.+ and one of the scarcest Carbine Items!\$295.00
04)	COMBINATION-TOOL Swiss, All Brass, Complete and Exc+! Rare! for M1900 Swiss!\$195.00
05)	TOOL German WWI Imperial Proofed, Exc+\$35.00 TOOL German WWII 'Eagle/63' proofed, Exc+\$35.00
07)	TOOL German WWII 'Eagle/655' proofed, Exc+\$35.00
08)	AMMUNITION 7.65/.30 Luger, Commercial, Remington or Winchester, old, N/C, box-50\$25.00
09)	MAGAZINE Swiss M1900 W/insert discs on base, Exc+, (not flat button), Superb!\$150.00
10)	MAGAZINE .45ACP!, For the custom 'MARTZ' Luger, Exc+, Scarce to find Loose!\$195.00
11)	HOLSTER Swiss, M1900, Brown, Exc+, w/straps\$195.00
12)	HOLSTER Swiss, M1906/24, Brown, Exc, dated '1923', has extra mag pouch on flap.\$125.00
13)	HOLSTER Finnish, M1923, Brown, Exc+, has loops for belt and Board Stock! Scarce\$150.00
14)	HOLSTER German Military, '1915' dated and maker marked, Brown, Exc!\$125.00
16)	HOLSTER German Military, 'DLWP/1940' and 'P.08' marked, black, Exc++!\$175.00 HOLSTER Portuguese, 'A.E.' Marked, with; tool, rod-oiler, punch, Exc+\$225.00
*MA	USER ITEMS************************************
011	C.96 STRIPPER-CLIPS Original and Excellent!\$15.00
02)	MAGAZINE Model 1910 'Sidelatch', Mint!\$125.00
03)	MAGAZINE Model 1910 'Banner' base, Mint!\$75.00
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05)	HOLSTER-STOCK Conehammer, #5617, No Cracks, leather belt loop added, Vintage!\$695.00
06)	
07)	HOLSTER-STOCK Commercial, #072, No Cracks, w/loop, Exc+!\$450.00
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11)	HOLSTER-STOCK 'M1930', 'Banner', No Cracks, Exc+\$595.00 HOLSTER-STOCK 'M1930', 'Banner', No Cracks, w/leather harness & Rod, All Exc+!.\$895.00
	HOLSTER-STOCK 'M1930', Balmer', No Cracks, W/leather harness a Rod, Arr Excr. 1955.00 HOLSTER-STOCK 'M1932 SCHNELLFEUR BANNER', missing; door release hardware, 2-screws on
4.0	the hinge, No Cracks, wood is aged. Rare!
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13) HOLSTER-STOCK 'M1932 SCHNELLFEUR BANNER', w/harness and rod! Exc++! Choice!....\$995.00