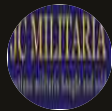


JOSLYN FIRE ARMS Co., STONINGTON,
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Calibre Single Shot Breech Loading
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Description

MINT BORE, VERY RARE, American Civil War Era, U.S. Cavalry Joslyn Model 1864 .54" Obsolete Calibre Single Shot Breech Loading Carbine With 2 Leaf Rear Sight Saddle Bar & Ring. Sn 15143 - 15143

The Joslyn carbine Model 1864 used an innovative breech loading, single-shot, .52 calibre system invented and patented by Massachusetts gun designer Benjamin Franklin Joslyn in 1861. His company, the Joslyn Fire Arms Company of Stonington, Connecticut, produced these carbines for the U.S. Government. Designed for field use with Federal horse soldiers, the Joslyn was simple to use and employed a cartridge very much like the Spencer's .56-.56 cartridge or its own special .54 Joslyn cartridge. Joslyn's unique loading arrangement consisted of pulling out the breech block knob, pivoting the breechblock up and then inserting the round. The US Government contracted a total of over 16,500 Joslyn carbines during the American Civil war. The M1864 Joslyn carbine has a 22" long barrel fitted to a one-piece walnut stock which has just light bumps and bruises to be expected. The weapon has an overall length of 38½". The barrel of our example retains its original bluing. The bore is near mint, clean with crisp rifling. It has a case hardened action plate and mountings have a dark patina. The action plate in front of the hammer is stamped with "JOSLYN FIRE ARMS Co STONINGTON CONN" while the rear of the breechblock exhibits the clear patent stamping of "B.F. JOSLYN'S PATENT / OCTOBER 8TH 1861 / JUNE 24th 1862". The breech cover is numbered '11281'. It has a 2 leaf rear sight with fixed 'v' notch plate at the rear of the barrel while at the front is a large pinched blade sight. The tang of the steel butt plate is stamped with the 'U.S.' Army mark. The breech loading and firing mechanisms work perfectly with tight strong actions. This Civil War Joslyn Model 1864 carbine is an excellent representative weapon used by the Federal Cavalry in the Civil War. The price for this

very rare piece of American Civil War history includes UK delivery. NB As an antique obsolete calibre carbine no licence is required to own this item in the UK if retained as part of a collection or display.

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Condition Used

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Make JOSLYN FIRE ARMS Co., STONINGTON,
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Calibre .54

Model Joslyn Model 1864 .54" Obsolete Calibre
Single Shot Breech Loading Carbine With

Manufactured Year American Civil War Era

Antique yes

Certificate No Licence

Barrel length 22 inches

Overall length 38 inches

Your reference 15143

Gun Status Activated

Recommended Usage Collection item
