

NATIVE AMERICAN, MILITARY, & SPORTING AUCTION

SATURDAY, MARCH 12, 2016 9:30 am

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DIRECTIONS: From Interstate 89 exit 12 proceed north on Rte 2-A towards Essex Jct. for 2.5 miles, turn left by Shell station.

PREVIEW: Friday, March 11th from 1:00- 5:00,
Saturday, March 12th from 8:00 am till 9:30 am, & or by prior appointment.

Duane Merrill & Co. has been commissioned to sell a Northern Vermont three generation family collection of prehistoric artifacts including Paleo, Archaic, & Woodland lithic points, VT & NE potsherds, celts, plummets, & bannerstones; other highlights to include several stunning Carl Moon photographs & an outstanding Pacific NW Coast lodge model. A partial listing to include:

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19th c Sioux moccasins



Colt Govt Model 1911 in 45 auto



Northwest Coast lodge model with totem pole and polychrome decoration circa 1890-1900



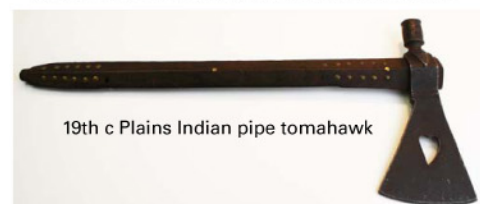
Joseph Knowles (AM 1874-1957)
Jumping Trout ob



US pattern 1881 military uniform owned by
Capt Dwight Kelton Montpelier VT



Collection of Native American First Nations artifacts including baskets wampum belt and moccasins



19th c Plains Indian pipe tomahawk



Many Decoys including Mitchell canvasback



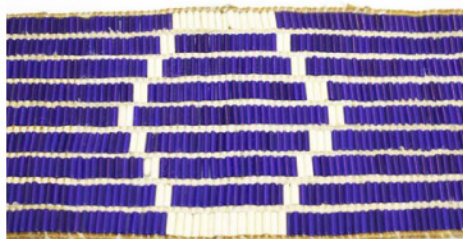
Navajo blanket



Carl Moon large format colored photo



Prehistoric Irish Elk Antlers and skull



5 Nations wampum belt



Winchester Model 21 Side by Side 12ga shotgun and other modern firearms



Early and historic firearms



18th c Japanese katana



30+ lots of identified lithic points and artifacts

ANTIQUÉ FIREARMS: early 19th c Kentucky percussion rifle w/ full curly maple stock; historically important Maine percussion rifle, 62 cal, w/ old label "Carried in Aroostook War 1826 by William Beedle"; Whitney Phoenix .38 cal breech loading rifle; 19th c N. Kendall Windsor, VT underhammer percussion 45 cal oct barrel hunting rifle w/ curly maple stock; 19th c N. Kendall Windsor, VT percussion underhammer octagonal barrel target rifle, cal 45, 33" engr long barrel, original rear peep sight; 19th c New England percussion rifle, cherry half stock, 38" long, 45 cal, half oct barrel; rare Phoenix Model 1884 Plattsburgh, NY 40 cal single shot center fire breech loading rifle; US Springfield Model 1884 45/ 70 trapdoor musket; US Model 1842 Johnson pistol lock marked "Midd TN";

MODERN FIREARMS: Winchester Model 21 double barrel 12 gauge shotgun 30" barrel, high grade walnut stock 2 3/4" chamber; Browning Arms Model A-5 12 ga (2 3/4) cased semi automatic shotgun w/ extra barrel; 1911 Colt 45 cal. Gov semiautomatic pistol; German DWM Luger semiautomatic pistol. SN 3177; German Knupp Stahl Nitro over/ under drilling- 20 gauge over 30 cal; single shot Stevens type 22 cal target rifle; Browning "Light Twelve" A5 auto loading shotgun; Browning "BPR" pump rifle in .308 Win; Winchester Model 1892 in 44 WCF. 19 1/2" dbl. saddle ring. SN 302076; Remington Model .700 in 30-06 - bolt action; Stevens Mod 620 12 ga pump shotgun;

MILITARY & WESTERN: Captain Dwight H. Kelton 1881 pattern US 10th Infantry dress uniform w/ coat, helmet, pants, sword & belt, gloves & box (VT Civil War veteran- d 1908); 18th c Edo Period Samurai Katana, signed, single hole tang, w/ early iron Tsuba; Buffalo Bill Cody 1/4 plate photo on milk glass; Civil War letters from Col. Henry F. Dutton 8th Vermont Vols. incl letters from Camp Babcock; US 45 star silk flag;

NATIVE AMERICAN: important 1890-1910 Northwest Coast Tlingit lodge model lodge w/ clan totem; excellent group of large Carl Moon photographs; ca 1890 Sioux beaded moccasins; Five Nations wampum belt descending from Ken Mynter (Tonorioko, Mohawk Bear Clan); Apache coil basket; Pima "Gila Monster" basket; 19 c Eastern Sioux engraved Catlinite 2 part pipe; 19th c Great Plains pipe tomahawk w/ heart cut-out, raised geometric decoration; Hopi Kachinas, North West Coast whale effigy pipe; 20 c Alaskan walrus tusk ivory cribbage board signed Joe Ignatius; Inuit carved walrus oosik bone club; Plains Indian hairbone breastplate w/ quilled wheel decoration; 1950 Ethel Washington (1889- 1967) Alaskan Eskimo carved wooden doll; 19 c Penobscot root war club;

PREHISTORIC LITHIC MATERIAL: large collection of lithic points from NW Vermont & across the US; copper knife found on Clark's Plain, Milton, VT; Sandusky dovetail point; Paleo Indian Clovis point from Ross County, Ohio; Mississippian spud/ scepter; Vermont prehistoric pottery rimsherds; Midwestern Paleo fluted point; ground stone implements;

Iroquois flared pottery pipes;

SPORTING ART & BOOKS: Joseph Knowles (Am 1874-1957) signed o/b of speckled trout taking wet fly; etchings signed Roland Clark (Am 1874-1957); David Hagerbaumer (1921-2014) signed w/c flying pintail; 1838 Bowen hand colored lithos; Peter Hanks signed w/c of flying partridge; 1910 Warren K Moorehead "The Stone Age in North America, 2 vols; large collection of reference books on sporting & firearms;

SPORTING ACCESSORIES: outstanding 19 c Adirondack birchbark box; 19 c VT or Quebec shooter's box in old red paint, VT or Canada, w/ molds, powder tins, etc; Canadian Indian-made snowshoes; Marbles & Puma knives;

DECOYS: Archie Bodette goldeneye drake; pr of George Paquette (Verdun, Quebec) decoys; Robert Davis Londonderry VT miniature decoys; other Lake Champlain decoys;

ANIMAL MOUNTS: rare Prehistoric Irish Elk antlers and skull, Megaloceros Gigangeus, late Pleistocene era, 9' span, 16 points, (old repairs); front torso Mt Goat mounts; flying turkey mount;

AMMUNITION: quantities of 12 ga, .223, 7.62 x 39, 308, 30-06; .338 Win Mag, 9mm, 45 auto, & more.

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