



Most of the 22 "One of One Thousand" rifles thus far uncovered are engraved as the one above owned by Granville Stuart Abbot of Lewistown, Montana.

ONE OF ONE THOUSAND

Small Towns First in Ownership Of Rare Model American Rifle

Smaller towns are first in the ownership of a newly discovered rare variety of American rifle that has almost overnight sky-rocketed to fame and become one of the country's most sought-after collector's items.

Of the 22 historic "One of One Thousand" variety of the Winchester model 1873 rifle thus far reported in a nationwide search, 16 were found in towns of less than 50,000 population and an even dozen in towns of 10,000 or less.

These scarce rifles of which only about 130 were produced from 1874 to 1881 were bought by their present owners for as little as \$4.50. One owner reported he had been offered \$1,000 for his rifle.

Collector's Item

Since the search for these rare rifles started in May of this year, the ordinary model 1873, known as "the gun that won the West," has also doubled in value. Winchester produced 720,610 of the model 1873 from the year 1873 until 1924, according to James C. Hartley, director of research of the Winchester Repeating Arms company division of Olin Industries, Inc. How many are still in existence is anybody's guess, Hartley said.

Prior to May, ordinary model 1873's were sold at from \$18 to \$25, depending upon condition. Then an article announcing the search for "One of One Thousand" rifles appeared in the American Rifleman. Today the ordinary 73's have graduated to collector's items and are quoted at double this price, depending upon condition. With the great attention now being paid to all 73's, it will not be surprising if the price goes even higher, according to Robert Abels, well known New York dealer in antique firearms.

The unsuspected value of rifles owned by thousands of persons who were unaware that their old Winchesters were valuable may be the start of a renewed interest in the hobby of gun collecting and any one who owns a model 1873 Winchester has the start of a collection, Mr. Abels says.

Just how much will be paid for a genuine "One of One Thousand" depends upon what collectors will pay for them, based largely upon the condition of the individual rifle. Yet, with only about 130 of these rifles manufactured, and only 22 known to exist, it is likely that the prices will be substantial, Mr. Abels said.

Used by Bad Men

The "One of One Thousand" search uncovered hundreds of model 73's. Many had colorful histories and were used by famous bad men as well as famous good men. One was taken from the Dalton gang, another was used by Granville Stuart, discoverer of gold in Montana. Still another was described as "the gun that won the South."

Following is the list of owners of authentic "One of One Thousand" rifles: Lloyd Bender, Gallion, O.; James T. Fowler, Oswatomie, Kan.; Louis A. Ostendorf, Berywn, Ill.; Scott Merry, Tacoma, Wash.; Stanley W. Ollason, Hollister, Cal.; D. W. Peckham, Middlefield, Conn.; F.P.L. Mills, Old Deerfield, Mass.; Glenn E. Ellington, San Bruno, Cal.; James R. Smith, Seattle, Wash.; Granville Stuart Abbot, Lewistown, Mont.; William W. Kessler, Whitmore, Cal.; Charles A. Alden, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Thomas H. Oster, Cloverdale, Cal.; John D. Morley, Lodi, Cal.; Sam G. Bachelder, Santa Cruz, Cal.; Richard Larsen, Visalia, Cal.; Phil M. Brown, Watseka, Ill.; T. R. Jordan, Seattle, Wash.; Oliver R. Jones, North Hollywood, Cal.; Harry L. Kemp, Judith Gap, Mont.; Clyde Schurman, Woodland, Wash.; and John S. Friend, Cassaway, W. Va.

Winchester Rifle Won Fame in West

Many of these guns, now worth as much as \$5,000, played important roles in the settling of the west. Some of them were owned by famous gunmen and outlaws while others were used by officers. One was taken from the Dalton gang when it was finally wiped out.

One of the greatest feats of marksmanship, only nine misses out of 72,500 at wooden blocks, was accomplished by Ad Toepfenwein using a model 73 Winchester rifle.



STEPPING STONE TO THE PRESIDENCY? . . . Capt. Eldon A. Cox of the 129th field artillery battalion is shown at right giving instructions for his battery to go into firing position during practice at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri. Captain Cox is commander of Battery D, which was commanded by a Capt. Harry A. Truman in World War I. That captain went on to become president of the United States. In left rear above is Sgt. Charles Smith, Sugar Creek, Mo., and in left foreground, Pvt. Monte Ross, Independence, Mo. Captain Cox is from Kansas City. Truman frequently has reunions with his old battery mates.



FIRST BULLETS, NOW BLOOMS . . . Constantine Fotich, former Yugoslav minister to the United States, is placing a wreath sent by exiled King Peter of Yugoslavia at the base of the marble monument in Arlington, D. C., cemetery to five United States airmen shot down by Marshall Tito's air force over Yugoslavia in 1946. Standing in the background are Arthur B. Lane (white suit), former United States minister to Yugoslavia, and General Carl Spaatz, former United States air force chief. The monument was erected with funds contributed throughout the U.S. in a drive sponsored by the Serbs national foundation.

'GREENWOOD PLAN'

Grass Roots Drive Proposed to Counter Russian Propaganda

From the small southern city of Greenwood, S. C., located about 75 miles northwest of Columbia, has originated a plan that amounts to a grass roots campaign to promote peace and combat Russian propaganda.

Greenwood, settled in 1800, is a town with a population of less than 14,000 people. Situated in a hilly region, it is the trading center of an area producing cattle, dairy products and small grains, peaches and cotton. Its main industries are the manufacture of cotton textiles, cotton oil, shirts, dresses and men's underwear.

Greenwood Mills have worked on a 3-shift basis since the end of World War I and in 1943 were operating "the largest single unit manufacturing spun rayon cloth in the world." One of the more unusual industries is a bell carillon foundry, a branch of the Dutch foundry that produced the Callie Self Carillon.

Ideas From Small Towns

It is one of the grass root towns of America and from it has come a plan that is claiming the attention of the nation.

Sponsored by the Greenwood chamber of commerce, the 'Greenwood Plan' is an expansion of the 'Marshall plan of ideas' as suggested by Sen. William O. Benton of Connecticut, and would be set up on a nationwide level.

As envisioned, a 'Greenwood Plan' committee would be established in every community in the nation. To this committee would be sent the ideas of the average citizen for telling the American story to the peoples of the world, especially those behind the iron curtain of Soviet domination.

The local committees would screen the ideas and forward the best ones to a national committee in Washington, which would put the ideas to work.

The plan was originated with the belief that many excellent ideas for piercing the iron curtain and promoting permanent peace could be had from Americans in small towns.

Sell America Abroad

A typical suggestion from a stenographer as received by the 'Greenwood Plan' committee in Greenwood: "I suggest that the Voice of America select refugees and displaced persons now in this country and schedule them on Voice of America broadcasts beamed to their respective countries. These refugees and displaced persons would have great influence on the people in the areas from which they have come and could and would effectively 'sell' America to their countrymen abroad."

The Greenwood chamber of commerce is serving as the central clearing agency until an overall Marshall plan of ideas organization is set up in Washington to do the job.



MALIK ARRIVES FOR QUICKIE SECURITY SESSION . . . Soviet delegate Jacob Malik casts a glance in the direction of U.S. delegate Warren Austin, surrounded by newsmen, outside the conference room before a private meeting of the U.N. security council summoned by Council President Malik. The meeting adjourned after only 35 minutes discussion. Malik announced that the meeting failed to reach an agreement on the issue of inviting the North Koreans to the council's public sessions. The U.S. and others have declared they will not consider any invitation to the North Koreans until council security resolutions are obeyed.



PLEAD FOR UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING . . . Gen. Omar Bradley (left), chairman of the joint chiefs of staff, and defense secretary, Louis Johnson (right), went before the senate armed services committee recently to strongly endorse universal military training legislation for the assured safety of this country throughout the years to come. Bradley said he believes some provision must be made to dovetail selective service and universal military training. The defense secretary stated that lack of United States preparedness is "alarming our friends and encouraging potential aggressors." Sponsors of universal military training say UMT would have prevented the Korean war.

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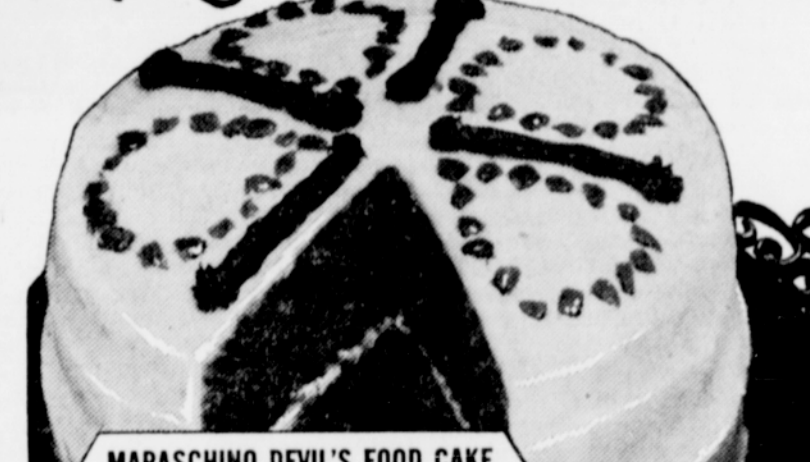
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2 cups sifted cake flour

1 teaspoon salt

1 1/2 cups sugar

Add: 1/2 cup Snowdrift

1/2 cup buttermilk

1/4 cup maraschino cherry juice

Mix enough to dampen flour. Beat 2 minutes. If by hand, count beating time only. With electric mixer

use "low speed." Scrape bowl often; scrape beaters after 2 minutes.

Add: 2 eggs

3 squares unsweetened chocolate, melted and cooled

Beat 1 minute, fold in:

1/2 cup chopped maraschino cherries, dusted with flour

Bake in 2 greased 8-inch layer pans, lined with plain paper in slow oven (325° F.) about 35 minutes. Cool. Frost with:

FONDANT ICING: Cream 2 tbs. Snowdrift with 3 tbs. butter; add 1/4 tsp. salt. Add alternately 3 cups sifted confectioners' sugar with 1/4 cup milk or cream. When smooth, add 1 tsp. vanilla. Frost cake. Decorations: 1/4 sq. chocolate, melted; 4 chopped maraschino cherries; make alternate designs with chocolate and bits of cherry (see picture).



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