Gun Collectors News

New Mexico Gun Collectors Association May / June 2015

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NMGCA
Membership Dues:

Annual renewal for regular members, under age 62, is \$35.00.
Renewal for spouse: \$15.00.

Annual Renewal for senior members, over age 61, is \$30.00. Renewal for senior

spouse is \$10.00.

JUNE 2015 CUN, SWORD & KNIFE SHOW

Buy, Sell, Trade & Browse June 6th & 7th

New Mexico State Fairgrounds Manuel Lujan Buildings A & B Central Ave. & San Pedro Albuquerque

> 8 ft. Table \$80.00 (Member \$70.00) Cost for electrical hook up is extra

For Table Reservations, Contact Our Show Host:

NMGCA Show Host, P.O. Box 13687, Albuquerque, NM 87192. Ph. 505-262-1350. Email: newmexicogca@aol.com.

Set-Up (Table Holders Only) Fri 12:00 Noon - 8:00 pm, Sat. 8:00 - 9:00 am. **Open to Public**: Sat 9:00 am to 5:00 pm, Sun. 9:00 am to 4:00 pm.

Admission: \$7.00 - General Admission. NRA Members with Card \$6.00. Uniformed Law Enforcement Officers – Free. Active Duty Military with ID and Law Enforcement Officers with Badge or Commission Card -- \$2.00. NMGCA MEMBERS FREE with current membership card. 2 day passes are \$8 and are available at the admission booth.

Children under 12 - Free with Adult.
Under 18 must be accompanied by adult, I.D. required.
No Alcohol, No Smoking, and No Dogs.



Herter's pistols were very well made but are not well known. They were strong, Single Action (SA) revolvers that were manufactured by J. P. Sauer in Germany. They were also noted for having a longer grip than other SA's in order to fit "man-sized" hands. There were three calibers, 357, 401, and 44 (all magnums). The revolver

depicted here is in 357 Magnum and has custom walnut grips.

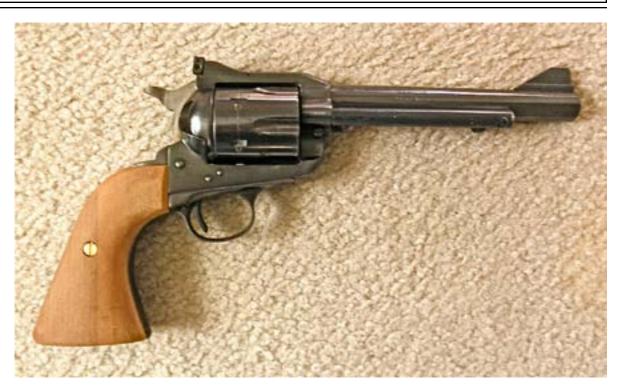
The revolvers were almost a give-away in the 1960s, as were most of George Herter's offerings back then. The revolvers were removed from Herter's catalogs following

the 1968 gun control legislation because Herter could no longer ship them directly to his customers. However, the new Herter's catalogs were still eagerly awaited each year.

George Herter touted having the "world's best"—and sometimes he really did have 'the best'! Herter boasted that he offered the highest quality and workmanship at the lowest prices. His guarantee was to provide a full refund to his customers if they were not fully satisfied with the product. And Herter stood behind his guarantee!



Herter's .357 Magnum with Custom Walnut Grips.



Second General Membership Meeting Set for August 8

Although the NMGCA 2015 pocket calendars indicate 4 General Membership Meetings, the Board of Directors voted to cancel those meetings due to lack of participation by NMGCA members.

A special General Membership meeting was held during set up at the March Gun Show. The Board has decided to hold a 2nd

General Membership Meeting at 5:30 pm during vendor set-up at the Albuquerque Old West & Military Collectible Show (AOWMCS) on Friday, August 8th.

Snacks, speakers, and entertainment will be provided to members. The event will again be closed to the public so please remember to bring your 2015 membership cards for entry.

New Show Vendors Sought for 2015

The NMGCA is continuing to offer new vendors a special table rate for 2015 shows. If you have never been an NMGCA show vendor (or haven't been a vendor in at least in the last 10 years) you are invited to take advantage of our "New Vendor" table rate.

The NMGCA is offering one discount table to new vendors at the introductory rate of \$35.00 for our June or October Gun Shows or the August Old West and Military Show. (Additional tables would be at the normal member or non-member rates per table.)

Contact us at newmexicogca@aol.com or call us at 505-262-1350. You can also reach us by mail at P.O. Box 13687, Albuquerque, NM 87193. We look forward to hearing from you.

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NEW MEXICO GUN COLLECTORS ASSOCIATION MAY / JUNE 2015

2015 SHOW CALENDAR GUN SHOWS

June 6th and 7th October 3rd and 4th

Albuquerque Old West & Military Collectible Show:

August 8 & 9

General Membership Meetings*

*The General Membership Meetings listed on the NMGCA 2015 pocket calendar have been cancelled due to lack of NMGCA member participation.

Check Out Website

Please check the NMG-CA Web site, www.nmgca.net, for new information as well as for table applications and table layouts. Membership applications are also available online.

In addition, there is now a legislative link where you can check for legislative information.