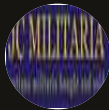


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Description

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John Dickson (1794-1880) was an Edinburgh based Gunmaker first recorded as working in 1830 at 60 Princes Street, then as John Dickson & son at 60 & 63 Princes Street between 1840 & 1929. The family business continued as John Dickson & Son Ltd at other Edinburgh addresses and is finally listed as operating under the name Dickson & MacNaughton between 1997-2000 (see page 207 of British Gunmakers Vol.2 by Brown). This is a quality private purchase .577 Calibre 2 Band Enfield Rifle by Dickson & Son. It has excellent all original walnut woodwork throughout. The wood is marked 'W&CS' together with indistinct numbers no doubt stock maker marks. Its steel action plate is nicely signed ' John Dickson & Son Edinburgh 1859'. It has a steel butt plate, trigger guard & fore end block. The rifle measures 49" inches overall with a 33" barrel and is complete with sling swivels, ram rod, ladder rear sight, block & blade fore sight & bayonet bar. The barrel has crisp proof/ inspection marks and the bore has crisp multi groove rifling and just staining consistent with age. Its cocking and firing

actions work crisply. The rifle is accompanied by an original period socket bayonet. The bayonet has a 17 1/4" triangular blade stamped with number that looks like '63' and small inspection mark. The socket has the correct locking ring. The price includes UK delivery. NB As an antique muzzle loading rifle no licence is required to own this item in the UK if retained as a part of a collection or display. Sn 20008

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Condition Used

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Subcategory Muzzleloader

Sale type Trade

Calibre .577

Model Muzzle Loading Percussion Rifle, Stock Maker Marked 'W&CS' & Socket Bayonet

Mechanism Percussion
