

# EXCEPTIONAL MILITARY, FIREARMS, & FIREARMS AUCTION

**SATURDAY, JULY 26, 2014 • 12:00 PM**

**AMERICAN LEGION • 521 SW 3RD STREET • ANKENY, IA 50023**

**UNIFORMS, HELMETS, FIELD GEAR, ETC.:** German Fire/Police & Luftschutz Helmets; Afrika Korps SS Pith. Fragment of a JU88 plane. Zeltbahn; Luftwaffe Gaiters & buckles inc. SA, HJ, Red Cross, Army & Police; plus RAD w/belt. German dinnerware. WWI U.S. Aero Squadron Garrison side cap w/insignia; WWI Pioneer Infantry tunic w/insignia; Leather jerkin w/blanket lining; WWII Cloth Flight Helmet. Mint 1942 British helmet w/net. Indian Wars Canteen. AZ Civil Patrol Flight Suit. Ike jacket with "Thundering Herd" tab. 50's USAF Uniform; USN/USMC Aviation Flight Jacket & Captain's leather flight jacket.

**EDGED WEAPONS, FIREARMS, & RELATED:** Rare Wolfe & Clarke's NY 1830's knife w/partial scabbard. Unmarked finely-crafted Bowie knife/scabbard. WWII Luftwaffe dagger; Mauser bayonets; German Sawback (Solingen). Japanese bayonets w/scabbards! Swords inc. Japanese & others. Neat "Mattie Silks Sidewalk Companion" boot dagger w/MOP handle. Guns: Springfield 1864 Musket; British Bulldog-style revolver; Hopkins & Allen Ranger; Pinfire Revolver; & others (see "groups" below)! Inert, dummy & training shells. Full box US Cartridge Co. .32 short.

**CIVIL WAR & SPAN-AM ITEMS:** Period Crocker's 1st Iowa Brigade 17th Army Badge (Shiloh & Vicksburg). Ladder badge Co. K 7th Iowa Vol. Cavalry, and one for vet of Co. A of 1st Nebraska Cavalry. Cased tintype & other images. Span-Am Uncle Sam stickpin! Hat Emblems from "Thurston Rifles" & photo of the Unit in the Philippines. Beautiful GAR & WRC badges & other memorabilia. 1864 Harper's centerfold of Gen. Sherman.

**NAMED GROUPS:** Exceptional WWI group inc. high-grade US Mod. 1917 w/holster, Sam Browne belt, medical bag, photos, letters! Border War/WWII 32nd Div. Officer group (KIA France 1918), inc. medal, insignia, photos, funeral flag. Fantastic group from Warrant Officer WWII-Korea. CBI Army Nurse items; Wave & Soldier group; WWII 70th Division group with "Shoot me while I'm Happy" armband; more!

**FLAGS, INSIGNIA, PATCHES, MEDALS, EPHEMERA, & HOMEFRONT:** Incredible "Patch Blanket" sewn by a woman honoring her relatives! Rare signed edition: Col. Ross Greening's "Not as Briefed" (Doolittle Raider Pilot born in Iowa). "Employees in Service Banner" 31 stars (one gold). Kriegs Flag & many other WWII German banners. Marshal Petain pin. Dozens of German medals/insignia inc. Iron Crosses, Panzer & Kriegsmarine badges, stickpins, etc.; Gold Mother's Cross (cased); Customs Cufftitle & armbands. Great US Medals/insignia....many silver "Wings" inc. paratrooper & glider. Cigarette Card albums; scrapbooks; Unit Histories; more. Great trench art. Spitz "Nazi Vision of Greatness" print. Great souvenir jackets; plus, Australian coin bracelet!

**COINS & CURRENCY:** Complete Book/Set of Peace Dollars! 1996 Olympics Set (8 Proof Coins). Confederate, Postal, Fractional & Railroad Notes. \$10 Nat'l Currency, Okey-Vernon Corning, IA; Neat WWII Short Snorter. Silver Certs & Star Notes. High-grade slabbed Dollars, Half Dollars, Nickels, more! Gold coins inc. 1995 W Olympic Torch Runner \$5 Gold (PF69); 1852-O \$1 (PCGS XF45) & Cayman Islands \$25 Proof "Royal Anniversary." Silver Eagles, "groups" of Silver Dollars, War Nickel set; see full list on website.



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