

FIREARM INFORMATION SHEET

COLLECTION NUMBER: 9063

TYPE: Pair of Flint Lock Holster Pistols with brass sheathed barrels

IGNITION SYSTEM: Flint lock

LOCK MARKINGS/DECORATIONS: Lockplate and hammer engraved

DATE OF MANUFACTURE: Circa 1720

PLACE OF MANUFACTURE: Probably Leige, Belgium

MAKER: Unknown

LENGTH OVERALL: 19 3/4 inches

BARREL LENGTH: 12 3/4 inches

CALIBER: .60

WOOD TYPE: European Walnut

MOUNTINGS: Brass open work sideplate, masked butt, escutcheon at wrist.

BARREL MARKINGS/DECORATION: Barrels sheathed in brass and engraved.
Buttcaps cast in relief with masks and floral decorations.

STOCK MARKINGS/DECORATION: Floral, scroll work relief carved around rear
ramrod thimble and underside of forestock and at tang.

REPAIRS/RESTORATION: None

HISTORICAL/ARTISTIC SIGNIFICANCE: Brass sheathed steel barrels are rarely
encountered.

PROVENANCE: Charles Kauffman Collection

PUBLICATIONS:

COST:

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