

Purday                      Serial # 21,171  
1914                      20-bore Hammerless Ejector  
29" Whitworth steel barrels  
Action with 3rd Grip and clip sides  
2 3/4 chambers, ejectors, self opener  
Pistol grip, Spring bladed front trigger  
chokes m/f, wt. 6 lbs 3 oz.  
Bores - Rt .619 Lt - .619  
Min. Wall R. .034 - L. .034  
Restacked & restored 2004-2006 H. Hyatt

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MAKER: James Purday & Son Ser # 21,171  
MODEL: 20 bore hammerless ejector SXS  
MFG.: 1914                      BARREL LENGTH: 29"  
SPECIAL FEATURES: 3rd grip, clip sides  
pistol grip, articulated front trigger  
self opener, ch m/f, wt 6 lbs 3 oz  
completely reworked 2004-2006  
OWNER: Herb Hyatt



INSTRUCTIONS  
for  
Purdey  
Guns.

W. W. Hyatt W.S.G.  
California

Jan 26.05

To James Purley & Sons  $\$ \frac{10}{2}$  21171  
20 box LC  $\frac{11}{100}$ .

Rejoint barrels to action new crosspin  
inspired & machined - finished  
\$950.-

Offer up action / make fit draw  
\$375.-

offer up action / make fit w/o drop  
\$375.-

Bills: raise all clints (7) lapp  
horns (revised meas. .616 both / both  
nos. .617) strike up barrels post  
\$345.-

Supply fit new loss spring \$195.-

Shipping to P. McGinnis ins \$20.-  
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Total Due \$2405.-

CK

January 28, 2005

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July 19.06

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In 1466 a large contingent of Asmaghacs (30000 of foot) laid siege to the city of Basel (Place of Birth)

Basel a "free" city allied to Switzerland applied for help.

A reconnoitering contingent of 6000 Swiss not only killed the messengers from Basel but strode forth to give battle at once. (A habit which has not changed much!)

On the next 24<sup>h</sup> starting late in the afternoon through the night it went on.

By the end of the next day the last of the Swiss were dying around the cloister of St Jacob and its infirmary known as "Sickentum" (a place for the afflicted with Leprosy Black Death & paupers)



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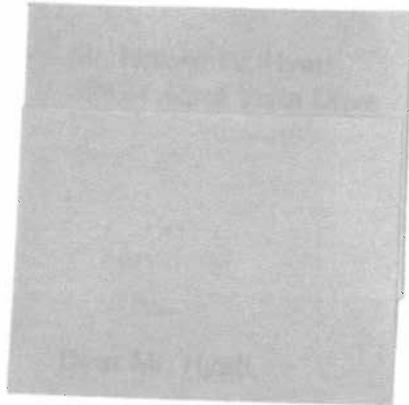
*Thankyou for your business  
 P.H.*

DATE	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
	PURSEY 20 bore S&W No. 21171	
	Make new stock to: 14 1/16 x 14 1/2 x 14 15/16 LOP; 2 5/8 x 1 1/2 bend; 1/2 x 3/4 cast off -	4,500.00
	make new fore-part	2,500.00
	Best quality Walnut stock wood	1,600.00
	Make & fit new ebony grip cap	
	New pint: - breech	185.00
	guard	85.00
	Grip cap	85.00
	Fore-end iron	85.00
	lip	85.00
	New gold oval	325.00
	Black internal parts	298.00
	Polish & charcoal blue; guard, top lever, safety slide, fore-end iron & tube	325.00
	Reblack barrels (includes handling etc.) new lead polish chump, face etc.	550.00
	Paid 3rd April 2006 CK 5949 for wood blank	Total 10,623.00
	Return Shipping & Handling	Balance 1600.00
	Fed Ex Next Day \$500.00 decribed value	3023.00
		156.00
		<b>GRAND TOTAL \$9,179.00</b>



# PURDEY

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**Re: Purdey Shotgun No. 21171**

As per our recent telephone conversation, please find below the details of the above gun, as recorded in the original dimension book.

Completed in 1914

Commissioned by Mr. P.W. Charleson

20-bore Double Barrel Hammer Ejector

29" Whitworth Steel Barrels

Action with 3<sup>rd</sup> Grip and Clip Sides

2 3/4" Chambers

Stock length of 14 3/8" pistol grip with horn cap and silvers heel pad.

Restocked in 1940 to a length of 14 1/4"

Weight of gun was 5lb 14 1/2oz

Spring bladed front trigger

I hope this information is useful, please do not hesitate to contact me should you require any further assistance.

Yours sincerely

  
Alastair Bowles  
Gunroom

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From:  
To:  
Subject:  
Date:

Dear Mr.

Further to your telephone call, we have researched our records and can confirm the following information:

20-bore Purdey gun no. 21171  
Completed in 1914

29" barrels  
Third grip  
Clip sides  
Original Stock length: 14 3/8"  
Re-stocked in 1940 to 14 1/4" with new Silvers heel pad  
Original weight of gun: 5lb 14 1/2 oz

I hope this information is of assistance.

Best regards  
Linda Corkill

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21<sup>st</sup> July '06

Dear [redacted]

of appreciation for a job well done are rare but much appreciated by the recipient, i.e. me! When they arrive in liquid form, even more so; when they arrive in the form of a liquid of a very fine nature, well, I fall to my knees in worship at the altar of the very fine liquid God.

I am very happy with the work to your Purdey and am equally as pleased that you are also although at first I was a little apprehensive that you were at all but now I know that all is well.

It remains to be said that I am very grateful for your generosity in sending the "very-fine-amber-liquid" and have no doubt that it will be greatly enjoyed. I look forward to working for you again in the future,

kindest regards Paul Hodgins

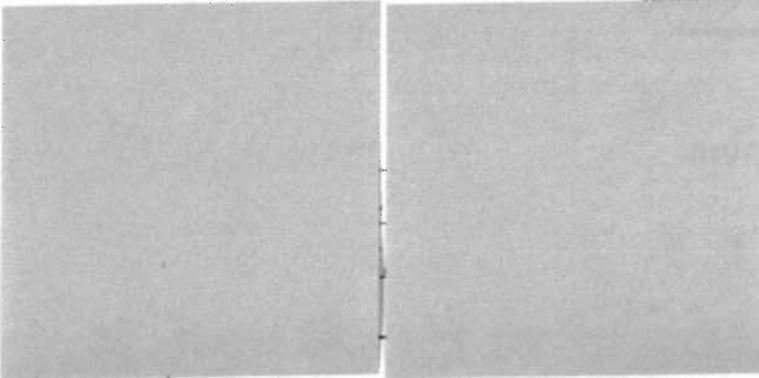
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27/  
13/06

PURDEY 20 bore S&W No. 21171

Best Quality, figured walnut blank  
to re-stock above-mentioned gun

\$1600.00

TOTAL

\$1600.00