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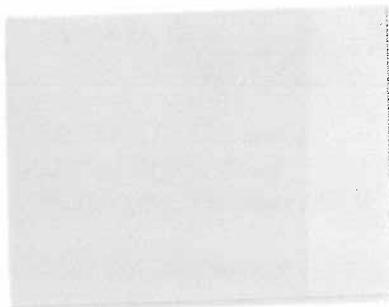
1903-1941
1942-1945

Charles Coles
Ron Wagner

1950-1965
1957-1972

Martin Huber
Kathleen Hoyt

1972-1993
1988-2009



Colt, by the means of this letter, is proud to authenticate the manufacture of the Colt firearm with the following serial number:

COLT LAWMAN SERIES-WYATT EARP
Buntline Special Revolver

<i>Serial Number:</i>	<i>369WYE</i>
<i>Caliber:</i>	<i>.45 Colt</i>
<i>Barrel Length:</i>	<i>16 1/8"</i>
<i>Finish:</i>	<i>Royal blue and nickel with case hardened frame.</i>
<i>Type of Stocks:</i>	<i>Walnut with nickel Colt medallions.</i>
<i>Presentation Case:</i>	<i>Black leatherette with lawman motif, THE LAWMAN SERIES/"Wyatt Earp", and the Colt logo embossed in gold on the lid. The interior is lined with red satin in the lid with gold embossed lawman motif and burgundy velvet in the bottom.</i>
<i>Shipped To:</i>	<i>John Warren Hardware Inc.</i>
<i>Address:</i>	<i>771 Willamette</i> <i>Eugene, Oregon</i>
<i>Date of Shipment:</i>	<i>January 8, 1971</i>



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Remarks: The revolvers in this commemorative offering feature a special flattop frame configuration, which is inset with an adjustable folding leaf style rear sight, and include a nickel shoulder stock. In addition, the special marking "LAWMAN SERIES-WYATT EARP" is located on the right side of the barrel, highlighted in silver. Also included with each revolver is a copy of the 20-page booklet "The Lawman Series-Wyatt Earp", by E.B. Mann.

The records further indicate this commemorative revolver was returned to the factory on March 10, 2012 for additional customizing. The customizing was processed on Colt Sales Order Number 51600 and included Class "B" custom scroll engraving with one gold inlaid band at the muzzle end of the barrel and the front of the ejector tube, two gold inlaid bands at the rear of the barrel and ejector tube, and two gold inlaid bands at the rear of the cylinder. The engraving and gold inlays were done by Colt Master Engraver, Steve Kamyk.

Upon completion of this work, the revolver was returned to Mr. John Abbruzzese of Washington, Vermont. The date of this return shipment was May 15, 2013.

We trust you will find the historical information, retrieved from the original Colt shipping records, to be of interest.

Sincerely,

Beverly Jean Haynes
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