

# **Research Collections**

### Flare Gun

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Title:	Flare Gun
Date:	1914 – 1919
Material:	metal; wood
Dimensions:	15.0 x 4.0 x 21.0 cm
Description:	Military issue gun for shooting flares. The gun is a top break single action, with a short, wide brass barrel and breech, steel trigger, hammer, barrel release and joining screws, and a rounded wooden grip. There is a steel ring at the butt end of the grip. The flare gun is marked: inside action: "697"; inside action on underside of barrel: "39697"; left side of barrel: "16"; an arrow; two stamps with crowns and numbers; on frame underneath barrel on left side: "WEBLEY & SCOTT LTD LONDON & BIRMINGHAM"; an arrow; "16"; "III"; same stamps as above; on frame underneath barrel on right side: "W&S" beneath a stamped logo; serial number "39697."
Subject:	souvenirs
	military
	rescue equipment
	emergency equipment
Credit:	Gift of Pearl Evelyn Moore, Banff, 1979
Catalogue Number:	105.05.0001

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## Avalanche Transceiver

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Title:	Avalanche Transceiver
Date:	1980 – 1985
Material:	metal; plastic; fibre
Dimensions:	11.7 x 7.0 cm
Description:	Motronic "Pieps 2" avalanche beacon or transceiver. Orange plastic with metal parts. Labeled on side with "Pieps 2. Motronic. Made in Austria." and instructions for use. Yellow fabric case with black cord marked "Pieps 2. Motronic. Canada."
Subject:	sports
	skiing
	climbing
	communication
	rescue equipment
Credit:	Gift of Douglas Leonard, Canmore, 1998
Catalogue Number:	105.04.1013 a,b

#### Images



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