



### 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<br>skiing<br>climbing<br>communication<br>rescue equipment                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Credit:           | Gift of Douglas Leonard, Canmore, 1998                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| Catalogue Number: | 105.04.1013 a,b                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |

### Images



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## 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:      | <p>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 &amp; SCOTT LTD LONDON &amp; BIRMINGHAM"; an arrow; "'16"; "III"; same stamps as above; on frame underneath barrel on right side: "W&amp;S" beneath a stamped logo; serial number "39697."</p> |
| Subject:          | <p>souvenirs</p> <p>military</p> <p>rescue equipment</p> <p>emergency equipment</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| Credit:           | Gift of Pearl Evelyn Moore, Banff, 1979                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Catalogue Number: | 105.05.0001                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |

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