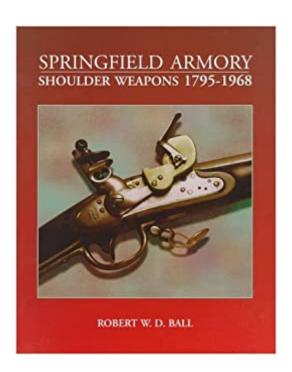


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Excellent Book!

This is an excellent book for the time period and weapons. My only criticism is that some of the long rifle pictures are too dark to make out details. I think that would be an excellent improvement on an already great book for collectors and enthusiasts. Mark

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