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LOT 95 - Japanese Ariska Tokyo Arsenal Type 44 Carbine Bolt Action Rifle



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Description

Japanese Ariska Tokyo Arsenal Type 44 Carbine Bolt Action Rifle

Type 44 carbine

Similar to the Type 38 carbine from the middle band back. The [Type 44 cavalry carbine](#) is almost entirely different from the middle band forward with an under-folding bayonet, metal nosecap, stacking hook to the left side of the nosecap and wide front sight guards. This model was introduced in 1911. There are three variations of this rifle. Each variation based entirely on the nosecap size and the spacing of the nosecap screws. They have a unique storage compartment in the buttstock for a cleaning rod. These additional features increased the cost of the carbine to 86.2 [yen](#) per unit by 1939.^[14] It was produced in three arsenals:

- Tokyo Arsenal from 1912 to 1932; 56,900 units (est.)^[21]
- Kokura arsenal from 1935 to 1941: 21,800 units (est.)^[21]
- Nagoya arsenal from 1935 to 1942: 14,300 units (est.)^[21]

**This rifle is in it's original conditon post war and never restored.
Seems to operate but it is untested. The built-in bayonet extends
with ease!**

Quantity: 1