



Plate 6-35 (left). A large, high-quality 12mm caliber pinfire revolver having magnificent decoration and displaying pristine condition, made in France by and marked "Ch. T. Colard." Courtesy the NRA Museum; NRA Museum photograph

Plate 6-36 (right). A nickel-plated, 12mm caliber pinfire revolver of unknown origins. It is five-shot, solid frame, and quite small for a gun chambered for this large-caliber cartridge. Courtesy private collection; F.W. Hulbert photograph



Plate 6-37 (right). A large 12mm caliber pinfire revolver, marked "Kirschbaum Solingen" on the right side of the barrel, "Sme Lefauchaux" on the left side, and "12mm" atop the barrel. German maker's marks are on the cylinder, which has counterbored chambers common to dual-ignition revolvers of the period for firing either pinfire or centerfire ammunition. Courtesy private collection; F.W. Hulbert photograph

