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**This exhibition will remain open to the Public
from 20th Sept. to 30th Sept.**

between 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. (Excepting Fridays)

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The Salar Jung Museum is widely known for the variety and versatility of its collections. The art and crafts pertaining to the different peoples and lands of the world are housed at one place representing the gradual evolution in varying techniques, traditions and trends towards the development of man's creative instinct. In fact, the museum provides a unique opportunity to study and compare the cultural growth of mankind at different places and times.

The collection of firearms in the Salar Jung Museum is a rare one so far as the period, variety, and nature of objects are concerned. The flint-locks, match-locks, percussion-locks, muzzle loading, breech loading and automatic guns, blunderbusses, ordinary pistols, duelling pistols and revolvers ranging from the 17th century A.D. to the present era form a sizable and interesting collection to the public and discerning visitors. It is equally interesting to find a few inscribed weapons of major historical significance. The pistol bearing inscription referring to the warrior Prince, Tipu Sultan along with the corresponding date will be a proud possession for any museum in India.

The value of firearms of the Salar Jung Museum is twofold. Apart from their utility, the guns, pistols and revolvers are profusely ornamented. The artistic embellishments with different materials, such as gold, silver, ivory and mother of pearl represent the high quality and richness of the art of the gunsmith.

The firearms in the Salar Jung Museum are so far not on display owing to the paucity of space in the present museum building. The idea of holding a temporary exhibition to exhibit this remarkable collection to the public is well thought out and timely. I am sure that the present exhibition will enable the visitors to view and enjoy the collection. It will surely go to augment the display of medieval arms and weapons in the new building.

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Secretary to Government Education Department,
Government of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

LIST OF FIREARMS

S. No.	Museum No.	Description.	Make.	Country.	Date.
1.		Ivory cross bow.		European	16th C.
2.	26	Long barrelled matchlock gun with a square and engraved barrel.		Indian	Late 17th C.
3.	29	Long barrelled matchlock gun.		Indian	17th C.
4.	31	Long barrelled mach lock gun.		Indian	17th C.
5.	32	Long barrelled match lock gun.		Indian	17th C.
6.	33	Small match lock gun; engraved inscription over the butt.		Indian	17th C.
7.	34	Long barrelled match lock gun.		Indian	17th C.
8.	47	Flint lock gun; hammer plate is engraved with "Hans Conrat V. A. A. Schaffaaien."			European 1677

9.	60	Light Flight lock gun with an octagonal slender barrel.	638 Limping un mefeat.	European	1638
10.	64	Flint lock gun.		Indian	17th C.
11.	18	Long barrelled match lock gun.		Indian	18th C.
12.	19	Long barrelled match lock gun having an engraved barrel.		Indian	18th C.
13.	20	Long barrelled match lock gun.		Indian	18th C.
14.	21	Long barrelled match lock gun.		Indian	18th C.
15.	22	Long barrelled match lock gun.		Indian	18th C.
16.	23	Long barrelled match lock gun.		Indian	18th C.
17.	24	Long barrelled match lock gun.		Indian	18th C.
18.	25	Long barrelled match lock gun.		Indian	Late 18th C.
19.	27	Long barrelled match lock gun.		Indian	18th C.

20.	28	Long barrelled match lock gun.	Indian	18th C.
21.	30	Long barrelled match lock gun.	Indian	18th C.
22.	35	Long barrelled match lock gun.	Indian	18th C.
23.	36	Long barrelled match lock gun.	Indian	18th C.
24.	37	Long barrelled match lock gun.	Indian	18th C.
25.	38	Long barrelled match lock gun fitted with silver plate.	Indian	18th C.
26.	39	Long barrelled match lock gun.	Indian	18th C.
27.	48	Flint lock gun; hammer plate is engraved : "Flopets."	English	18th C.
28.	49	Short barrelled flint lock gun; Date '1226' is inlaid in panel below the hammer.	Indian	18th C.
29.	50	Short barrelled flint lock gun.	East India Co.	18th C.
30.	51	Flint lock gun.	T. J. Mortimer James St.	English 18th C.

31.	52	Flint lock gun.	H. Nock.	English	18th C.
32.	54	Flint lock gun.		Indian	18th C.
33.	55	Flint lock gun.	Saintong A Orleans.	French	18th C.
34.	56	Flint lock gun—engraved with a standing lion hold- ing a ball in its paws.		East India Co.	18th C.
35.	57	Flint lock gun.	N. Shaw.	East India Co.	18th C.
36.	61	Flint lock gun.	—		18th C.
37.	62	Flint lock gun inscribed with the name "Muttian."	—		18th C.
38.	63	Small sized flint lock gun.	—		18th C.
39.	173	Muzzle loading gun.		Indian	18th C.
40.	42	Flint lock gun.		Indian	19th C.
41.	43	Flint lock gun.		Indian	19th C.
42.	44	Flint lock gun.	Jas Williamson & Son.	English	19th C.
43.	45	Flint lock gun.		Indian	19th C.
44.	46	Flint lock gun.		Indian	19th C.
45.	53	Flint lock gun.	A. F. Binen Regent Street Waterloo place.	English	19th C.
46.	58	Flint lock gun.	Wilson.	East India Co.	1802

47.	59	Flint lock gun.	W. Parker.	English	19th C.
48.	1	Double barrelled hammer gun. Bore 12.	E. M. Reilly & Co.	English	19th C.
49.	2	Double barrelled gun. Bearing monogram of Nawab Mahboob Yar Jung. The Inscription "Presented by His Highness the Nizam G.C.S.I. to Mahboob Yar Jung on 27th May 1885 At Ootacamund." Bore 9..	Holland & Holland London.	English	19th C.
50.	3	Single barrelled hammerless rifle; inscribed with the title "The Nawab Mahboob Yar Jung Bahadur." Bore 476.	Righby & Co. London.	English	19th C.
51.	4	Single barrelled hammer rifle, engraved "The Nawab Mahboob Yar Jung Bahadur." Bore 9.	Righby & Co. London.	English	19th C.
52.	5	Double barrelled hammer gun engraved with Nawab Mahboob Yar Jung's monogram Bore 577/500	Righby & Co. London	English	19th C.

53.	6	Stick gun with a screwable butt. Bore 400.		Indian	19th C.
54.	7	Muzzle loading gun.	Enfield.	English.	Early 19th C.
55.	8	Muzzle loading gun with an extra large engraved barrel.			Early 19th C.
53.	9	Muzzle loading gun engraving of the British Crown and the initials V.R. below.	1863 Tower.	English	Late 19th C.
57.	10	Large barrelled muzzle loading gun.	C. Lark.	English	Early 19th C.
58.	11	Muzzle loading gun inscription "W.H. Harben, Briter."	H. Nock, London Gun Maker to His Majesty.	English	19th C.
59.	12	Princess patent muzzle loading gun with breech loading arrangement.	James Woodward London.	English	19th C.
60.	13	Muzzle loading gun.	SE' G.	European	Early 19th C.
61.	14	Muzzle loading gun.		European	Early 19th C.
62.	15	Double barrelled muzzle loading gun with initials in gold "S.J. M.O.M."		European	Late 19th C.

63.	16	Double barrelled muzzle loading flint lock gun.		Early European	19th C.
64.	17	Seven barrelled muzzle loading flint lock gun.	Samuel Rock, 180, Fleet Street London, Gun Maker to His Majesty.	English	Early 19th C.
65.	40	Muzzle loading gun.		Arabic	19th C.
66.	41	Muzzle loading gun.		Arabic	19th C.
67.	66	Flint lock blunderbuss.		Indian	18th C.
68.	67	Flint lock blunderbuss.		Indian	18th C.
69.	68	Flint lock blunderbuss.		Indian	18th C.
70.	76	Small sized muzzle loading blunderbuss.		Indian	18th C.
71.	65	Flint lock blunderbuss.		Indian	19th C.
72.	69	Short barrelled flint lock blunderbuss with a crown and numeral 2 underneath and the date 1809.		East India Co.	1809
73.	70	Flint lock blunderbuss.		Indian	19th C.
74.	71	Small sized flint lock blunderbuss.		Indian	Early 19th C.

75.	72	Small sized flint lock blunderbuss bearing the engraving E.V.H.8 T.	Indian	Early 19th C.
76.	73	Very small sized flint lock blunderbuss.	Indian	19th C.
77.	74	Double barrelled small sized flint lock blunderbuss.	Indian	19th C.
78.	75	Small sized muzzle loading blunderbuss.	East India Co.	19th C.
79.	171	Match lock Pistol-Barrel and butt bear Chinese Inscription.	Chinese	Late 18th C.
80.	146	Single barrelled gilded flint lock pistol.	English	Late 18th C.
81.	147	Short barrelled ivory handled flint lock pistol.	A. Akes, London. English	Late 18th C.
82.	148	Short barrelled ivory handled flint lock pistol.	A. Akes, London. English	Late 18th C.
83.	149	Small sized single barrelled flint lock pistol.	Indian	Late 19th C.

84.	150	Ornate flint lock pistol, single barrelled.	H. W. Mortimer.	English	Late 18th C.
85.	151	Ornate flint lock pistol, single barrelled.	H. W. Mortimer.	English	Late 18th C.
86.	152	Single barrelled flint lock pistol.	Dust, London.	English	Late 18th C.
87.	153	Ornate large sized single barrelled flint lock pistol.			Late 18th C.
88.	154	Single barrelled flint lock pistol.	Lazari, Cominaz.	European	Late 18th C.
89.	155	Single barrelled flint lock pistol.	Lazari, Cominaz.	European	Late 18th C.
90.	156	Ornate single barrelled flint lock pistol.	P. Girard & Compagnies.	European	Late 18th C.
91.	157	Ornate single barrelled flint lock pistol.	P. Girard & Compagnies.	European	Late 18th C.
92.	158	Ornate single barrelled flint lock pistol.		European	Late 18th C.
93.	159	Ornate single barrelled flint lock pistol.		European	Late 18th C.
94.	160	Ornate single barrelled flint lock pistol.	Boulet Directeur Arms.	European	Late 18th C.

95.	161	Ornate single barrelled flint lock pistol.	Man A. Versai	European	Late 18th C.
96.	162	Ornate single barrelled flint lock pistol.	Fuller Morrice.	European	Late 18th C.
97.	163	Ornate single barrelled flint lock pistol.	Fuller Morrice.	European	Late 18th C.
98.	164	Ornate large sized single barrelled flint lock pistol.		European	Late 18th C.
99.	166	Small sized flint lock pistol.		European	Late 18th C.
100.	167	Small sized flint lock pistol.		European	Late 18th C.
101.	168	Double barrelled flint lock pistol.	Moori, Lymington.	European	Late 18th C.
102.	169	Four barrelled flint lock pistol.		European	Late 18th C.
103.	170	Four barrelled flint lock pistol.		European	Late 18th C.
104.	145	Single barrelled, gilded flint lock pistol.		English	Late 18th C.
105.	102	Muzzle loading pistol—Inscribed : "Time, Truth, Energy."	T. Schrage in Coblentz.	European	Late 18th C.

106.	103	Muzzle loading pistol—Inscribed : "Time, Truth, Energy."	T. Schrage in Coblenz.	European	Late 18th C.
107.	104	Muzzle loading pistol.	Josh Manton, London.	English	Late 18th C.
108.	105	Muzzle loading pistol.	Josh Manton, London.	English	Late 18th C.
109.	106	Muzzle loading pistol inscribed : "T. E. Magne."	James Richard Birmingham.	English	Late 18th C.
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111.	108	Muzzle loading pistol.	E. S. Evans, Cambridge.	English	Late 18th C.
112.	109	Muzzle loading pistol.	E. S. Evans, Cambridge.	English	Late 18th C.
113.	110	Muzzle loading pistol.	Wood & Sons London.	English	Late 18th C.
114.	111	Muzzle loading pistol.	Wood & Sons London.	English	Late 18th C.
115.	114	Muzzle loading pistol. Engraved with emblem of an antelope.	Champion Chichester.	English	Late 18th C.

116.	117	Muzzle loading pistol.	Lacy & Co. London.	English	Late 18th C.
117.	118	Muzzle loading pistol.	Lacy & Co. London.	English	Late 18th C.
118.	119	Small sized muzzle loading pistol.	Chas Osborne, London.	English	Late 18th C.
119.	120	Small sized muzzle loading pistol.	Chas Osborne, London.	English	Late 18th C.
120.	122	Small sized muzzle loading pistol.	Chas Osborne, London.	English	Late 18th C.
121.	123	Small sized muzzle loading pistol.	Chas Osborne, London.	English	Late 18th C.
122.	124	Double barrelled muzzle loading pistol.	D. Egg, 4, Pall Mall, London.	English	Late 18th C.
123.	125	Double barrelled muzzle loading pistol engraved with title "Ahmed Yar Jung."	Chase Osborne.	English	Late 18th C.
124.	128	Double barrelled small sized pistol.		English	Late 18th C.
125.	129	Double barrelled small sized pistol.		English	Late 18th C.

126.	91	Muzzle loading revolver.		Indian	Late 18th C.
127.	139	Single barrelled ornate flint lock pistol. "H. H. the Nizam" is inscribed.	John Blissetti, London.	English	Early 19th C.
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130.	142	Single barrelled ornate flint lock pistol. "H. H. the Nizam" is inscribed.	John Blissetti, London.	English	Early 19th C.
131.	143	Double barrelled ornate flint lock pistol. "H. H. the Nizam" is inscribed.	John Blissetti, London.	English	Early 19th C.
132.	144	Double barrelled ornate flint lock pistol. "H. H. the Nizam" is inscribed.	John Blissetti, London.	English	Early 19th C.
133.	96	Single barrelled pistol— Inscribed with the title 'Ahmed Yar Jung' in Urdu. Bore 25.	Unwin & Rodgers	English	Late 19th C.

134.	97	Single barrelled pistol.	Unwin & Rodgers	English	Late 19th C.
135.	98	Electroplated rim fire small sized pistol. Bore 41. Cal. Colt.		English	Late 19th C.
136.	99	Electroplated rim fire small sized pistol. Bore 41. Cal. Colt.	Unwin & Rodgers.	English	Late 19th C.
137.	100	Electroplated rim fire small sized pistol. Bore 41. Cal. Colt.	Unwin & Rodgers.	English	Late 19th C.
138.	101	Electroplated rim fire small sized pistol. Bore 41. Cal. Colt.	Unwin & Rodgers.	English	Late 19th C.
139.	112	Muzzle loading pistol.	Manton Patent, London.	English	Late 19th C.
140.	113	Muzzle loading pistol.	Manton Patent, London.	English	Late 19th C.
141.	115	Muzzle loading pistol. Bore 41 Cal. Colt.		Indian	Early 19th C.

142.	116	Muzzle loading pistol.		English	Early 19th C.
143.	121	Short barrellled muzzle loading pistol.		Indian	Early 19th C.
144.	126	Double barrellled muzzle loading pistol.		Indian	Early 19th C.
145.	127	Double barrellled muzzle loading pistol.		Indian	Early 19th C.
146.	133	Muzzle loading pistol.	Samuel Nock, London.	English	Early 19th C.
147.	134	Muzzle loading pistol.	Samuel Nock, London.	English	Early 19th C.
148.	135	Muzzle loading pistol.	R. B. Rodda, London.	English	Early 19th C.
149.	136	Muzzle loading pistol.	R. B. Rodda, London.	English	Early 19th C.
150.	137	Muzzle loading pistol.	Westely Richards, London.	English	Early 19th C.
151.	138	Muzzle loading pistol.	Westely Richards, London.	English	Early 19th C.
152.	131	Breech loading pistol.	Jougen Feres A Liege.	European	Early 19th C.

153.	132	Breech loading pistol.	Jougen Feres A Liege.	European	Early 19th C.
154.	77	Electroplated revolver engraved with monogram "M.A.K." Bore 74/7.	Alexander Henry Edinboroug, London.	English	Late 19th C.
155.	78	Large sized revolver cum-rifle. Bore 700.	Smith & Wesson, U.S.A.	U.S.A.	Late 19th C.
156.	79	Ivory handled, gilded revolver in a wooden case. Bore 30.	R. B.	European	Late 19th C.
157.	80	Ivory handled, small sized rim fire gilded revolver. Bore 22.		European	Late 19th C.
153.	81	Baby hammerless revolver. Bore 22.		European	Late 19th C.
159.	82	Very small sized ivory handled rim fire revolver bearing the mark U tipped with a crown. Bore less than 20.		European	Late 19th C.
160.	83	Very small sized revolver.		European	Late 19th C.

161.	84	Electroplated revolver. Bore 28.	BTE S.G.D. En France Et. AD' Et. Ranger, Paris.	French	Late 19th C.
162.	85	Electroplated revolver. Bore 22.	BTE S.G.D. En France Et. AD' Et. Ranger, Paris.	French	Late 19th C.
163.	86	Pin fire revolver. Bore 30.	Devisme A Paris.	French	Late 19th C.
164.	87	Four barrelled Sharps' patent revolver. Bore 22.	Tipping & London.	English	Late 19th C.
165.	88	Muzzle loading revolver.	Dean & Son, London Bridge.	English	Late 19th C.
166.	89	Muzzle loading revolver.	Wood Worcester.	English	Late 19th C.
167.	90	Muzzle loading 6 barrelled revolver.	J. Blissett, London.	English	Late 19th C.
168.	92	Automatic pistol. Bore Cal. 7 m/m65.	Fabrique Nationale D'Armes de Guerre Herstal, Belgique.	Belgium	Early 20th C.
169.	93	Automatic Brownings patent pistol. Bore Cal. 7 m/m65.	Fabrique Nationale D'Armes de Guerre Herstal, Belgique.	Belgium	Early 20th C.

170.	94	Automatic pistol. Bore 276.	Gacdenan V.C.H. Buhl.	European	Early 20th C.
171.	95	Electroplated double bar- relled rim fire pistol. Bore 41.	Remington Arms Co.	U.S.A.	Early 20th C.
172.	130	Small sized double barrelled pistol.	Henry Tatham, London.	English	Early 20th C.
173.	176	Small sized cannon with fluted mouth and dragon handles.		Chinese	17th C
174.	177	Small sized cannon.		European?	17th C.
175.	178	Miniature cannon engraved panel depicting the British Crown with the intertwined G.R. below.		English	18th C.
176.	179.	Miniature cannon. George III.		English	18th C.
177.	180	Miniature cannon. George III.		English	18th C.
178.	181	Miniature cannon. George III.		English	18th C.
179.	182	Miniature cannon. George III.		English	18th C.

180.	185	Miniature cannon. George III.		English	18th C.
181.	184	Miniature cannon. George III.		English	18th C.
182.	185	Miniature cannon. George III.		English	18th C.
183.	186	Miniature cannon. George III.		English	18th C.
184.	187	Miniature cannon.		English	18th C.
185.	188	Small sized cannon.		Chinese	18th C.
186.	189	Big sized cannon.		Chinese	18th C.
187.	174	Miniature gun on carriage. 880 F.	W. R. A. Co. U.S.A.		20th C.
188.	175	Miniature gun on carriage. 630 E.	W. R. A. Co. U.S.A.		20th C.

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