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## YOUR MAY-JUNE COVER

The Colt Army Model 1895 .41 Long Colt on this month's cover was manufactured between 1899 and 1900. The gun, with hard rubber grips, carries a six-inch barrel. The extra barrel is a three-incher. Loading equipment includes a Winchester tong-type tool complete with box, patented October 20, 1874, November 7, 1882. The tool is complete with decapping insert and brass 20-grain powder measure. The bullet mould is also a Winchester, in .41 L.C.D.A. It casts an inside lubricated, extremely blunt, semi-round-nose bullet with three lubrication grooves. Also pictured is a box of .41 L.C. smokeless cartridges with the 195-grain cast bullet. Theodore Roosevelt was said to have carried his Army Model revolver similar to this when he charged up San Juan Hill. Materials for the cover were loaned courtesy of Tom Foster, Sharlot Hall Museum, Prescott, Arizona. Photo by Rick Jamison.



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