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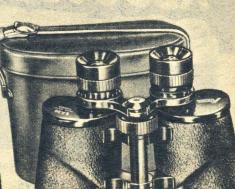
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Adams GOOD Binoculars. Coated lenses. Zeiss-type, die-cast metal body, black leatherette covered. Supplied with sheath-type Pigskin carrying case, straps.

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| Mag. Power and   Siz<br>Objective Diam.   Clos                 | re   Field at<br>sed   1000 yds. | Act.   Catalog   Ship.   Cash<br>Wt.   Number   Wt.   Price |
|--|----------------------------------|---|
| A GOOD Adams Qua<br>6-Power x 30mm. 45/16<br>7-Power x 50mm. 7 | in. 393 ft.                      | 20 oz. 6/ R /001   5 10s. 1015.00                           |
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Note. All binocular and field glass prices include 10% Fed. Exc. Tax.

Enjoy Precision Optics on Easy Terms . . . See Page 52 for Details.

### Important Facts You Should Know to Help You Buy Binoculars

### BINOCULAR BUYING GUIDE

E-Excellent; G-Good;

| Subject          | 0 00 | 1705 | TAT A * | 7 50   | 18-40 | 10x50 |
|------------------|------|------|---------|--------|-------|-------|
| Subject          | 6X3U | /X33 | W P     | 7 8 30 | - C   | 270   |
| All Purpose      | E    | E.   | G       | G      | G     | NR    |
| Sports           | E    | E    | E       | G      | G     | NR    |
| Horse Racing     | E    | E    | E       | E      | E     | NR    |
| Bird Watching    | E    | E    | E       | G      | E     | G     |
| Hunting, Wooded. |      | G    | G       | G      | G     | F     |
| Hunting, Open    | -    | G    | E       | G      | E     | G     |
| Mountain Use     | -    | E    | G       | G      | G     | E     |
| Water Sports     |      | E    | E       | E      | G     | G     |
| Night Use        | G    | G    | G       | E      | G     | F     |

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50 WARDS

\*7 x 35 Wide Angle—40% Extra Field

#### HELPFUL TERMS

RELATIVE BRIGHTNESS compares the brilliance or light-gathering power of one binocular to another. A Relative Brightness of 25 is about average; The large 50 mm objective of the 7x50 binocular provides a very brilliant relative brightness of 49, which is especially well suited for use in dim light.

FOCUSING. Most binoculars have center focusing and separate right eye adjustment. Once the right eye adjustment is made, you can leave it at that point and use the center focusing knob for scene changes. All Adams binoculars feature center-focus—superior in speed and ease of use, plus adjustable right eyepieces for utmost viewing pleasure.

#### MAGNIFICATION







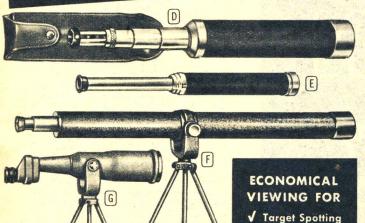


CHART ABOVE compares the size of subject as you see it with various magnifications (also called Power). One-power (IX) is what you see with the unaided eye. Sixpower (6X) means the image is 6 times greater in size. For example, if an object is magnified 6X, at 600 ft. it will appear to be 100 ft. away from you.

FIELD OF VIEW, means the actual width of the picture you see through the lenses, and is given as the width in feet of a scene 1000 yards away.

## POWERFUL SCOPES

FOR LONG RANGE VIEWING



40-Power—Wards Finest Pocket-sized Telescope. Precision-made by the skilled craftsmen of Hertel & Reuss, Germany. Scope has 4 magnifications in preset "click" stops: 15, 20, 30, and 40 power. Chrome plated draw tube adjusts instantly for desired power. Coated lenses. 31 to 79-ft. field of view at 1000 yds. depending on magnification used. Black leather covered 5-section body closes to only 9 in. Complete with brown leather protective case.

√ Astronomy
√ Sports

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Economical, Good-Quality Pocket Telescope. 12-power, with 30 mm objective. Lenses coated for greater brightness, image quality and protection. Fine for general use or for youngsters. Black leather-covered, chromed tube.

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67 R 7224 L—Ship. wt. 3 lbs. Only \$2.50 Down on Terms.......Cash \$24.95

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Bausch & Lomb BALscope Sr.—Wards Finest Full-Size Telescope... One of America's top favorites. Superior craftsmanship and design, for rugged all-purpose use. Requires separate eyepieces—choose from selection below, 15 to 60-power. A trim 16½ in. overall—act. wt. only 3 lbs. Airtight, dustproof construction. Adjusta-prism internal focusing with external knob. 60 mm objective with 2-in. sunshade attached. Extra-hard, anti-reflection Balacted optics.

67 RP 7217 LT—Order eyepieces extra below. Postpaid. \$5.00 Down, Cash \$90.00

J Eyepieces Only—B & L BALscope Sr. State Power Desired.

| Power of Eyepiece        | 15  | 20    | 30   | 60   |
|--------------------------|-----|-------|------|------|
| Field in ft. at 1000 yds | 140 | 111.8 | 78.4 | 28.6 |
| Relative Brightness      | 16  | 9     | 4    | 1    |

67 RP 7218 LT—Postpaid......\$2.50 Down on Terms, Cash ea. \$25.00



## 25 THROUGH 60

POWER IN ONE MOTION

### Single-Motion, ZOOM Focusing Complete With Deluxe Leather Case

NEW German Telescope Featuring True Z-O-O-M Focusing. You've seen it on TV... you've seen it in the movies... those sweeping shots that zip in close, then drop back to get the Big picture in full-width—that's real Z-O-O-M focusing!

This New Hertel & Reuss Scope permits this same Z-O-O-M action. One universal eyeplece provides a continuous range of magnifications from 25X to 60X, which you select easily by a simple turning motion. Use lowest power (25X) for wide-field viewing (98 ft. at 1,000 yds.), such as sports events. . middle powers to bring you in closer (at 40X the field is 65 ft.) . . . Z-O-O-M to 60X for high-power close-ups (field now 52 ft.). Everything you look at, wire-sharp, up close, at just the right magnification. Sure SEE-POWER for anyone desiring a single scope for all uses—spotting, target or field, general viewing, at home or on vacation, plus celestial work, watching airplanes, stars, plants and those elusive space satellites.

Large 60mm Objective. All lenses coated for crisp, clean images. Lightweight, all-metal construction—actual weight only 2½ lbs. Black wrinkle finish—sunshade extends 1½ in. Compact—only 15 in. closed.

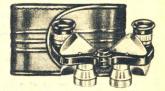
Complete with Deluxe German-made Case of saddle-stitched top-grain leather, with convenient shoulder strap. Tripod not included—order extra on Page 46 (takes any American-thread tripod). Precision made in Western Germany, Ship, wt. 3 lbs. 8 oz.

67 R 7230 L..... Only \$5 Down on Terms, Cash \$99.50



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ONLY \$ 365 With Case



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