

.22 Rim Fire Boxes
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Southern Cartridge Company
Houston, TX

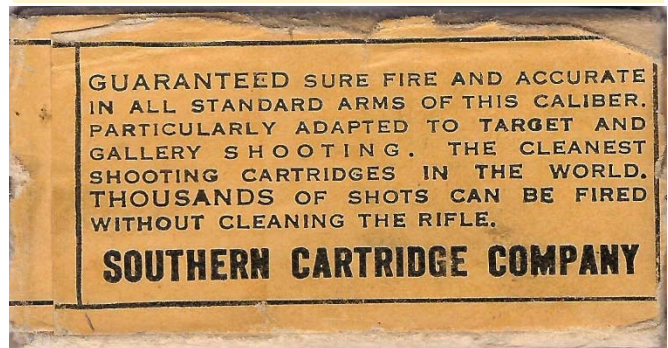
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The SOUTHERN CARTRIDGE Co.
Houston, TX

S-1



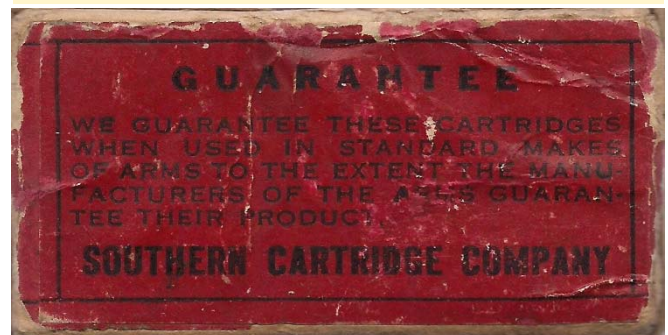
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S-2



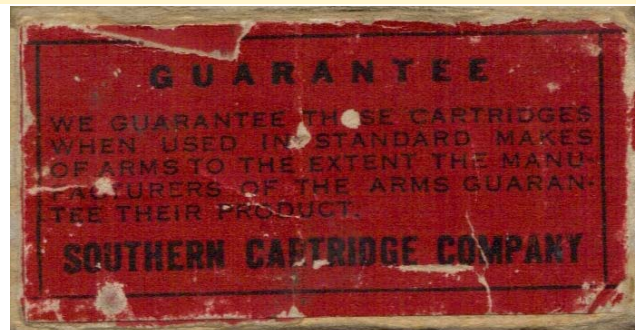
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L-1



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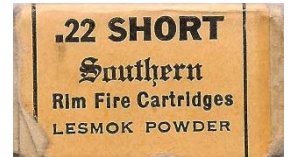
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This company probably was in operation during the early 1920's. They were probably a private label seller with their loadings being produced by the WESTERN CARTRIDGE CO.

S-1 .22 SHORT. "LESMOK" Yellow label with black printing. Buff, two-piece, full cover box. Full wrap-around end label. No h/s on a copper case. Lead bullet.

Image from the Jerry Hanewinckel collection



S-2 .22 SHORT. "SMOKELESS". Red label with black printing. Buff two-piece box. Full wrap-around end label. No h/s on a copper case. Lead bullet.

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L-1 .22 LONG. Red label with black printing. Buff two-piece, full cover box. Full wrap-around end label. No h/s on a copper case. Lead bullet.

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Opposite end examples from Short, and Long boxes



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L-2



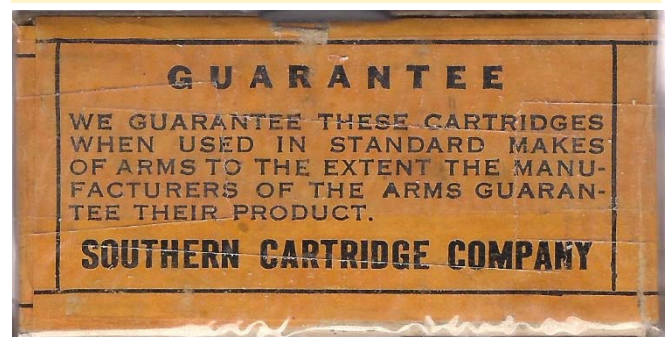
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L-3



L-3 Bottom



LR-1



LR-1 Bottom



LR-2



LR-2 Bottom



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L-2 **.22 LONG (SHOT).** "LESMOK" . Yellow label with black printing. Buff, two-piece, full cover box. Full wrap-around end label. No h/s on a copper case. Bright blue wad.

Image from Dave Clemence collection



L-3 **.22 LONG.** "LESMOK" Yellow label with black printing. Buff, two-piece, full cover box. Full wrap-around end label. No h/s on a copper case

Image from the Jerry Hanewinckel collection



LR-1 **.22 LONG RIFLE.** Yellow label with black printing. Buff, two-piece, full cover box. Full wrap-around end label.. Slight difference on ends. One end does not have the period before the 22.

Image from the Jerry Hanewinckel collection



LR-2 **.22 LONG RIFLE.** Same as lr-1 but slight difference to the top label format.. Over-stamp on one end in black ink stating "1052"

Image from the John Kuntz collection



LR-3 **22 LONG RIFLE.** Red label with black printing. Buff, two-piece, full cover box. Full wrap-around end label.. Top image below.

Image from the Rich Rains collection

NO IMAGE
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LR-3



**All end
images
on this page
from the John
Kuntz
collection**