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In Module 6, we'll cover the procedures used in the finishing of metal. This module will cover polishing, plating, bluing, Parkerizing, browning, engraving and jeweling. This, if done correctly, can be very profitable work for a gunsmith. However, since metal parts of a firearm are easily seen, any imperfection in the finish will ruin the reputation of the gunsmith.

The lessons in Module 6 have been designed for study in a particular order. This permits each lesson to serve as a foundation for succeeding lessons. For the best results, therefore, you should study these lessons in the following sequence:

Lesson	Title
2191	Metal Polishing and Preparation
2192	Bluing Gun Metal
2193	Browning Gun Metal
2194	Parkerizing and Plating
2195	Metal Engraving and Jeweling
2196	Restoring Metal Finishes

Please be sure to submit your exam answers for each lesson as you complete the lesson questions. Additional materials are shipped to you based on your rate of study.

If you should have any questions concerning your lessons, please call Student Services at (480) 314-2102 to request assistance. Provide as much detail as you can in your request and we will respond in a timely manner.

Good luck with your studies!

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