

flintlock *(flint-lock)*

Definition

n. 1 a gunlock in which a flint in the hammer strikes a metal plate to produce a spark that ignites the powder; 2 an oldfashioned gun with such a lock

Example Sentence

John snapped; swinging the **flintlock** up and pulling the trigger.

Synonyms

gunlock; firing mechanism; firelock; muzzle loader

Antonyms

deer

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