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HELBARD

German, end of the 16th century, Kempten/Allgäu.

Long, square tip, inclined blade with slightly concave edge. Flat beak-shaped hook.
Mark: "three-leafed clover with a short stalk, in a shield" (Claus Lerchli, Kempten). Two langets and two shaft bands, clamp. Original octagonal shaft is eight feet long.

L 232 cm.

Provenance: - Collection M. Sigrist, Lucerne. In the period from 1586 to 1591, Claus Lerchli from Kempten supplied Zurich with helbards, murder axes and bill hooks. Rare, hitherto unknown variant of a halberd produced by Lerchli, cf. Jürg A.Meier, Stangenwaffen aus Kempten für Zürich, in: Rapports 3 & 4, Schweiz. Waffeninstitut,

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Grandson 1979, pp. 213-224.

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