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Mr. David Westbrook
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Dear Mr. Westbrook:

I have just read your nice letter concerning our new Model Seven rifle.

This rifle was designed primarily for use in hunting in close cover and mountainous areas such as found all along the Eastern United States. As such, it was developed mainly for use with hunting calibers such as the .243, 6mm, 7mm-08 and 308. The .222 was added for a relatively large number of customers who preferred it when it was offered in our old Model 600. It is true that to gain maximum efficiency from this cartridge a longer barrel is needed such as in our M/700 Varmint Special with a 24" barrel.

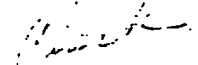
As for the schnabel fore-end tip, it is one of those things, like fried liver, that people like or hate, very few in between. I'm sure if enough customers like yourself feel strongly enough about it to write, a change will be made.

I will pass your letter along to our Marketing Department along with a copy of this letter.

I am sending you a set of Trajectory Charts comparing the .222 Caliber in the Model Seven and in the M/700 Varmint Special with a 24" Barrel.

Thank you for your interest in our products and good hunting.

Very truly yours,


C.B. Workman, Manager
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