

Arms Division Minute 4, 1958

Pilot operations
Machinery conditioning
Purchased parts
Nylon parts

To start the latter part of July
On schedule
To be requested September 1
Initial production delayed by re-
jection of one color. Pilot
molding now scheduled for latter
part of June.

The Ilion Plant considers this program to be on schedule.

The two colors authorized for Production are green and walnut. The Sales Department was urged to decide as soon as possible on the name to be applied to these colors.

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Legal advice regarding trademark use of "Nylon 66."
ATTORNEY CLIENT—WORK PRODUCT

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Management Staff
Minutes of the meeting of May 2 record Management approval. The name "Nylon 66" is therefore considered officially approved as a designation for the Model 555.

SIGHTS

Research and Development reported that revised samples were submitted for Sales consideration on May 27, and as a result of suggestions made at that meeting, have been returned for revision. Two general types of sights are being considered. One is a modification of the sight being used on the "Nylon 66" model and the other is a traditional type of sight with a modified leaf to give a more massive appearance. Research and Development will submit new samples as soon as available. They point out that although it is hoped to produce these modified sights at a substantially lower cost than the Winchester type previously considered, they will undoubtedly cost more than the sights now being used. In view of this, costs will be obtained both on the basis of adoption for the whole line and on the basis of retention of the present type of sights on the cheaper bolt action rifles.

MAPLE STOCKS AND FORE-ENDS

The Ilion Plant reported that a shipment of approximately 200 blanks has been received and it is expected that a quantity of Model 572 light weight guns from maple wood will be available for Sales review before the end of June.

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