

Arms Division Minute 4, 1958

The Sales Department notes that although this forecast is submitted as requested, they are concerned about the safety aspects of the use of colored guns in hunting. They desire, therefore, to give this further consideration when samples are available.

Further progress on this item depends on the development of a satisfactory method of coloring steel components. This is being investigated in connection with the deflector for the Model 552.

C-3 Sporter Type Stock for the Model 721, 722

The Sales Department has estimated that adoption of this type of stock for all guns in Models 721 and 722 without any change in selling price would increase sales by 3000 units per year, with no effect on the sale of the Model 725. 83

The Ilion Plant is preparing cost figures.

C-4 Autoloading Carbine Based on the Model 740

The Sales Department has no present interest in this model and prefers that consideration be deferred in favor of Item C-1.

C-5 Light Weight Slide Action Carbine Based on the Model 760

The Sales Department has no current interest in this model and suggests consideration be deferred in favor of Item C-1.

C-6 Bolt Action Carbine Based on the Model 721

The Sales Department suggests consideration be deferred in favor of Item C-1.

C-7 Heavy Barrelled Version of the Model 722

The Sales Department can foresee no demand for such rifles at the present time.

C-8 Model 721 and 722 Barrelled Action

This item was reported above in connection with the regular agenda.