

Arms Division Minute 5, 1958

The revised sample rear sight leaf was shown on the teal-wing blue Model 572. The reception by the Committee was most enthusiastic. As soon as tooling is available to produce additional samples, Ilion was requested to provide samples for the other guns in the line. In the opinion of the Committee, however, there was no question that the improvement in appearance of the colored guns would be sufficient to warrant the additional cost. If necessary authorization is received, the Ilion Plant will proceed with tooling for the rear sight leaf and front sight and will advise the Committee when it will be possible to introduce this feature in the 572 and 552 lightweight.

Decision:

The Operations Committee, Arms Division, recommends approval of the use of the modified sights submitted by Research and Development on the Models 552 and 572 Lightweight. 83

GENERAL

MAPLE STOCKS AND FORE-ENDS

The use of maple stocks and fore-ends wherever sun grain finish is specified has been approved by the Management. Orders have been placed for blanks. It now appears that assembly of guns with the maple stocks will commence in December.

FIREARMS SURVEY - MASTER DEVELOPMENT LIST

In the absence of S. M. Alvis, H. L. Hameister reported on the status of items on the master development list. Comments below are referred to similarly numbered items on the list.

C-1 Model 760 Carbine

The Sales Department had previously submitted a forecast of a carbine in three different calibers at list price of \$79.95. Since it was considered that this price was unrealistically low for a gun of the Model 760 type, Sales was requested to reconsider their forecast at the same list price as the Model 760. Sales Depart-