

RIM FIRE RIFLES - contd.MODEL 40XB STOCK - contd.

In order to be competitive on future government bids, the government specifications might be changed to specify the proposed Stock features. Competitors would then have to bid to a revised specification. Or to be competitive, sufficient cost reductions would have to be effected to offset the added factory cost of the proposed Stock and Rail change.

The plant was requested to expedite the evaluation of the proposed product improvement changes being considered by R & D.

Any rifles presented to the government agencies for approval should include such modifications as are now proposed by R & D.

Committee Action

Rifles incorporating the proposed features are to be reviewed with government procurement sources.

Revisions in the estimated factory cost, if completed prior to the next committee meeting, are to be sent to committee members for review.

MODEL 580 SINGLE SHOT, 581 BOX &
582 TUBULAR BOLT ACTION RIFLES
MODEL 788 CENTER FIRE RIFLE

The plant reported that the remaining standard and Tri-Ordinate machines should be received in March. Installation of all rim fire Receiver and Bolt equipment should essentially be completed by the end of March. A production lot of three thousand (3000) rim fire Receivers has been started.

Daily meetings are held so that plant personnel are advised of items of tooling and equipment that are holdups to pilot or production operations.