

FIREARMSSHOTGUNSWOOD PRESS FORMINGModel 1100, 12-16-20 Gauge Stock Press Forming

Construction work on the operating area for wood press forming is continuing. Three (3) profile presses (one for the Model 742-760) are being fabricated. The Remington machine to mill the butt end of the Stock should be completed in December. The Remington machines to size the Butt Plate and Grip Cap are scheduled for March 1970. Toolroom work is continuing on one set of master and profile dies. This program is still two months behind schedule.

Model 742-760 Regular Grade Stock Press Forming

The program to press form Model 742-760 regular grade Stocks is on schedule.

Model 870 Fore End Press Forming

R & D reported that construction of both presses and tooling for the Model 870 Fore End is proceeding satisfactorily. The form dies which were held up due to steel shipments are now under construction. Design of a special machine to provide the required contours on both sides of a carved Fore End is near completion.

Trial startup is scheduled for March 1970.

MODEL 870 SHOTGUNWhite Line Spacers
(Introduction 1970)

As reported in November, production of Model 870, 12-16-20 gauge Stocks with white line spacers started the first part of November.