

SHOTGUNS - contd.MODEL 870-1100 LEFT HAND SHOTGUNS - contd.Committee Action:

The Model 870, 12 and 20 gauge left hand shotguns are to be announced in 1971. The introduction of the Model 1100, 12 and 20 gauge left hand shotguns is to be scheduled for 1972.

MODEL 870, 20 GAUGE LIGHTWEIGHT SHOTGUN  
(Introduction 1972)

The revised economics for the Model 870, 20 gauge field grade and magnum lightweight shotguns were reviewed. Exhibit 1 covers the estimated full factory costs. Exhibit 2 covers the cash or project result for the third year 1974. 83

Committee Action:

The Committee recommends General Management approval to release for production the Model 870, 20 gauge lightweight field grade and magnum shotguns.

MODEL 1100 SHOTGUN

Production reported that since June 23, 1970, an additional ninety-four hundred and sixty (9460) rounds have been fired at Bridgeport in the Model 1100, 12 gauge shotguns having the reduced depth of the locking notch in the Barrel. One gun has been fired sixteen thousand seven hundred and ninety rounds (16,790) using target loads, and a second, seventeen thousand six hundred and thirty-five (17,635) using hi-base shells. No cracking of Barrel Extensions or Receivers has been reported.

To date, there have been no cracked Barrel Assemblies having the reduced depth of the locking notch returned from the field. This change has been in effect approximately one year.