GENERAL

R & D reported that samples of Stocks made of molded polyurethane foam material may be available for the July meeting. There are problems in producing graining to simulate wood.

There was discussion on the availability of walnut wood. Production was requested to study and report on the current and long range availability and cost of all grades of American walnut wood.

Production was requested to resume the program on learning how to use other wood as was done with the alternates now being used.

BENCH REST BULLETS

R & D reported that production of bullets is running at about the same rate as last reported, slightly over 100,000 per month.

Interruptions will occur for installation of items to improve production volume.

A degreaser has been installed and should be in operation this month. Work on converting the Black Rock cutoff is progressing slowly. Plans to install electronic sensors to prevent smashups are essentially complete.

The Syntron people are still working on feeding problems. Solutions such as double hoppers hav be proposed.

Markening reported that the Borecast production of 200,000 bullets per month can be sold. This bullet is winning major shoots and a searning a good reputation.

TRAPS

ELECTRIC TOURNAMENT TRAP (Introduction 1973)

Production reported that all purchased parts for the Electric Tournament Trap have been ordered. Delivery schedules indicate that custom shop assembly of the initial order of ten traps can start the first week in September.