

SHOTGUNS - contd.MODEL 1100 AUTOLOADING SHOTGUN - IMPROVEMENTS - contd.

9. Receiver - to reduce cracking.
10. Barrel Extension - to reduce cracking.
11. Barrel Alignment Stud - improve attachment.

The new Fore-end Tube is ready for trial run in the plant. This liner is thicker metal and will be glued in place. There are no tabs to break. A sample was shown.

A prototype improved Action Bar Assembly was shown. It is possible to add more metal at the front and a rib at the cam cut. This can be in production in 4 to 6 months.

An Interceptor Latch sample with a shield for the spring was shown. Further work must be done on this improvement.

Marketing plans additional review of the improvements needed.

MODEL 1100X AUTOLOADING SHOTGUN
(Introduction Not Established)

R & D reported that testing of the 5-shot Model 1100X showed some problems at 20,000 rounds. A revised prototype will be tested in January.

Five prototypes of the 2-shot multi-gauge gun will be completed by June 1, 1974. This gun will be interchangeable with all 5 gauges. This will be a true 2-shot skeet gun. There is no Magazine Tube. One shell is in the chamber and the other on the Carrier. To change gauges requires changing Barrel and Bolt Assemblies.

CENTER FIRE RIFLESMODEL 742X RIFLE - AUTOLOADING CENTER FIRE
(Introduction 1977)

R & D reported that the spring gas lock system has been redesigned to reduce cost and weight. A prototype system will be in test in