

SHOTGUNS - contd.MODEL 3200 SHOTGUN AND PREMIER TRAP SHOTGUN - contd.

- . Notch on least used Main Hammer was broken (one).
- . Stress mark on Bottom Tang at cross pin hole (one).
- . Top Lock Lever Screw broke (two). Can go to one size larger screw.

Twenty production prototype guns are being built for further testing.

An analysis of returned guns for loose Bottom Tangs is being made.

Production reported that tool design revisions for the Model 3200 Frame Assembly design change are in progress. Trial and pilot operations are to start in July and final assembly is to be completed in August. Design testing of production guns will be required.

Premier trap shotgun assembly has started. There may be enough wood to complete 50 guns.

Guns being returned show an increase in wood breakage. A problem at Stock assembly concerning proper use of the epoxy has been corrected. Analysis of returned broken wood is being made by R & D.

The rate of returned guns remains higher than desirable. Guns produced before September, 1973 are the highest rate of return. "Fails to fire" is the major problem area. Although improvements have been made, continued effort on product improvement is required to reduce returned guns. (Changes to the Frame Assembly should have a significant effect.)

MODEL 3200 ONE OF 1000 AND PREMIER SKEET SHOTGUNS
(Introduction 1974)

Production reported that Model 3200 One of 1000 skeet shotguns have been released for invoice shipment. About 200 guns have