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PETERS MAGNUM #4 BUCKSHOT

The results of the tests conducted by Remington using the July 1977 codes were reported to the Subcommittee. Forty rounds, conditioned at -20° F., were fired in a used Model 870 Magnum. Four of the forty rounds lodged both the "H" and Pakline wads in the barrel. In each instance where wads were lodged, a normal pressure ambient round was fired against the lodged wads with no damage to the gun.

Approximately 35 rounds of the same code, conditioned at -20° F., were fired in the same gun with the barrel held vertically. Most of the rounds when fired resulted in lodging of wad components in the barrel. In no instance, however, did the shot fail to clear the barrel.

All shot was removed from five rounds of the same code and fired in the gun used for the previous tests. The wads lodged