

- b. Rifle and shotgun stocks that are brown, (walnut color), medium to dark in shade, and dull in finish.
  - c. Rifle and shotgun barrels that are blue-black in color, dull, and with a velvet texture.
  - d. Rifles that are factory drilled for 'scope mounts.
  - e. Center fire rifles (except "varminters") that are materially lighter than pre-war models.
  - f. Shotguns substantially lighter in weight than pre-war shotguns.
  - g. A "medium" grip,--one to fit a palm measuring 8.375 inches in girth.
  - h. Guns that are moderately streamlined, i.e., present contours are preferred.
  - i. Rifles, in general, with take-down frames; shotguns, definitely.
  - j. Checkering on grips and fore-ends of guns costing more than \$35 or \$40 retail.
  - k. Rifle barrels of different lengths, varying by caliber; shotgun barrels of different lengths according to use.
  - l. 'Scope sights on varmintier center fire rifles (257 Roberts, 2R Lovell, 22 Varminter), on the 300 Magnum and possibly on the 270 Winchester and 30-06; flat top V notch open sights on other calibers.
  - m. Bead front sights (if no 'scopes)--and these to be dove-tailed rather than fixed.
- 6. About 3 out of 8 sportsmen who are interested in high power center fire rifles prefer soft rubber recoil pads to butt plates.
  - 7. Almost 55% of the respondents interested in 12 and 16 gauge shotguns prefer soft rubber recoil pads to butt plates; over 60% of those interested in 20 gauge shotguns prefer recoil pads.
  - 8. Approximately 50% of the "gun nuts" and regular shooters specify rifle fore-ends that are larger than present designs,--and slightly more than