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## FIREARMS HIGHLIGHTS

THE PEERLESS O/U PRELIMINARY TRIAL AND PILOT TESTING CONTINUES WITHOUT MAJOR INCIDENT.

THE M/700 DETACHABLE MAGAZINE BOX DESIGN ACCEPTANCE TEST WAS TEMPORARILY HALTED DUE TO MALFUNCTIONS. BASED ON ANALYSIS OF THE PROBLEM THE MAGAZINE BOX WAS MOVED HIGHER TO PRESENT MORE OF THE SHELL TO THE BOLT FACE. THIS APPEARS TO HAVE SOLVED THE PROBLEM AND TESTING HAS RESUMED.

## AMMO HIGHLIGHTS

DEVELOPMENT OF 20GA COPPER SOLID AND 12GA 3" MAG COPPER SOLID PRODUCTS IS PROCEEDING WELL. TWO VERSIONS OF THE 12GA MAGNUM ARE BEING DEVELOPED. (SEE SCARLATA REPORT)

RELOADABILITY PROBLEMS STILL EXIST IN THE .410 ROTARY CAM. THESE WILL PREVENT THE TIMELY INTRODUCTION OF THIS PRODUCT. (SEE BASZCZUK PEPOSET)

A TRIAL AND PILOT RUN OF .223 REM 40gr JHP WAS COMPLETED. RESULTS WERE EXCELLENT. (SEE HERRING REPORT)