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Gentlemen:

Examination has been completed on the Mohawk 600 243 Win. caliber rifle, serial number A6354021, that you returned to us because, "Gun goes off when cocked."

The returned firearm, which was produced in September of 1976, has been thoroughly examined and found to have our high-pressure proof test, gallery test, and final inspection stampings, indicating that it had successfully passed all necessary tests and inspections prior to being shipped from our factory.

The general condition of the rifle appeared to be very good and, it was noted that a scope base had been added after the firearm originally left our factory. In going over the individual parts, we found the headspace, recoil shoulders and chamber all to be normal.

Our initial testing and functioning of the rifle, in its as received condition, revealed that upon closing the bolt to cock the rifle and then pulling the trigger to fire it, the trigger would not disengage and allow the firing pin to fall.

Subsequent disassembly of the rifle disclosed that the trigger assembly had been grossly misadjusted after it left our facility, as evidenced by the sealant having been removed from the over-travel and sear-engagement adjusting screws and that they had been altered to the degree that the trigger assembly was not operational. In future use, we strongly advise that the trigger not be adjusted by untrained non-Remington personnel.