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Dear Sirs:

I am sending you this rifle in reference to the CBS TV 60 Minutes program which aired on March 20, 1984 in regard to several guns which had a tendency to misfire. One of the guns in question was the Remington 700 rifle.

I wrote a letter to your company in Wilmington Delaware. That letter was evidently forwarded to your company in ILION, N.Y., because I received a telephone call from N.Y. requesting that I send you this rifle for an inspection about the misfiring of said rifle.

This rifle misfired on me years ago after a day of deer hunting. I was in the process of unloading the rifle outside of our cabin when it misfired.

The bolt cannot be moved unless the safety is off. The misfire could have happened when I threw the safety off. Anyhow it misfired precisely when I started to unload the rifle, either by taking off the safety or by moving the bolt.

of the rifle spring ready

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MODEL AND GRADE

700 25-06

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It stands to reason when unloading the rifle, the left hand is on the forearm and the right hand is on the belt. Hardly anyway could the trigger be touched.

I don't believe this rifle has been fired since this incident in question as I gave up hunting and the rifle has been in my gun cabinet ever since.

I would appreciate your inspecting this rifle for the possible cause of it misfiring.

I also had conversation with a Jerry Belmont in your company.

Respectfully Yours
Charles Austin

These people need a good exchange of good info.

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