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C.O. Pardee (2)	R.L. Stafford	D.V. Pearson	J.W. Brooks
J.J. Burns	L.B. Bosquet	T.C. Douglas	J.C. Hutton
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TRIAL & PILOT COMMITTEE MINUTES '

January 12, 1982

A. NEW/REVISED PRODUCTS

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- o M/870 Competition Trap
- o XP-100 7MM BR Rem

B. NEW/REVISED PRODUCTS - 1981 INTRODUCTION

- o Model Four Limited Edition
- o Model 788 Safety Redesign o Model 700 Bolt Lock

C. NEW/REVISED PRODUCTS - 1982 INTRODUCTION

- o 1982 Ducks Unlimited - Commemorative, Special, Trade
- o Model 552-572 BDL Restyle

D. NEW/REVISED PRODUCTS - 1983 INTRODUCTION

- o Bolt Action Carbine
- E. COMPONENTS DESIGN/PROCESS CHANGES
 - o Model 1100 Formed Ejector

A. NEW/REVISED PRODUCTS

MODEL 870 COMPETITION TRAP

Receiver Assembly

o Magazine Tube Slot resizing (E-45797) try out 1/5/82 L.B. Bosquet K.W. Augustine

Gas Cylinder

o Tooling moved to Shotgun Barrel Shop

L.B. Bosquet K.W. Augustine

- Update process
- Requires Machine Study

Fore End Tube Assembly

o Heat Set Fixture

P.G. Johnson

- New insulating material due 1/22/82
- o 1035 Steel Tubes Brazing Fixture

P.G. Johnson

- Try week of 1/4/82

Breech Bolts

o 200 .006 oversized diameter

G.J. Hill

MODEL XP-100 7MM BR REM

Front Sight

o Mill Dovetail Slot

G.J. Hill

- Uncontrollable 3 characters
- M/D change required
- Complete by 1/15/82

Barrel

o Turn on Production Lathe

G.J. Hill

- Engineering estimate complete
- Need I&E evaluation

NEW/REVISED PRODUCTS - 1981 INTRODUCTION

MODEL FOUR LIMITED EDITION

- o Product approved
- o Drawings transmitted
- o L.E. finish standards apply
- o Plant order being written

Receiver Assembly

- o Etched and plated (Fountain Plating)
- L.B. Bosquet

- Samples due 1/15/82

Barrel

o Need GFM Blank, Form Template, Finish Turn Template

Barrel Assembly

- o M/Four Rear Sight and Front Sight Base L.B. Bosquet
- o Williams Ivory Bead Front Sight

Trigger Plate Assembly

o TC-type Trigger

L.B. Bosquet

o 3½ to 5 lb. pull

Magazine Box

o Bottom polished and buffed

L.B. Bosquet

Stock Assembly

o Sanded C-Grade M/7400 Stock

L.B. Bosquet

- o Rosewood Grip Cap
- o Rifle-type Pachmayr Recoil Pad
- o Satin finish

B. NEW/REVISED PRODUCTS - 1981 INTRODUCTION - cont'd.

Stock Assembly - cont'd.

- o Cut Checkering
 - New formers or 100% touch up
 - One set of tooling available

L.B. Bosquet

- Pattern being developed

Fore-end Assembly

o Metal F.E. Tip, with high polish

L.B. Bosquet

o No Spacer

MODEL 788 SAFETY REDESIGN

New Safety

o New safe arm samples available 1/18/82 Purchasing

- Revised C'sink, Start 1/4/82 G.J. Hill Complete 1/15/82

- Identified by punch mark G.J. Hill

o Safety Detent plunger G.J. Hill

- Nitre Draw

o Safety Detent Spring

- Nitre Color for identification

o Old style safeties hold for 580 Rimfires G.J. Hill

MODEL 700 BOLT LOCK

o Delete Bolt Lock L.B. Bosquet

- New lever arm (shorter) will not engage bolt slot

- Samples due 1/82

- Old style required for M.J. Kantor customer repair

C. NEW/REVISED PRODUCTS - 1982 INTRODUCTION

1982 DUCKS UNLIMITED - COMMEMORATIVE

- o M/870 12/30 FVT Mag.
- o 2,800 guns forecast
 - Ship July to October

Receiver

- o D/U Rollmark gold filled
 - One each side due 2/12/82
- o Bronze Medallion on left panel
 - Requires new rivets
- o S/N DU 82-0001 to DU 82-2800

Barrel

o Ivory Bead Front Sight

L.B. Bosquet

L.B. Bosquet

Fire Control

o Gold plated trigger

L.B. Bosquet

Stock

- o B-Grade
- o Cut Checkered (TS/TC Pattern)
- L.B. Bosquet

- Try 1/6/82
- o Pachmayr Field Pad
- o 870 TC Grip Cap

Fore-end

- o Design alteration of Competition Trap Fixture 1/8/82
- L.B. Bosquet

C. NEW/REVISED PRODUCTS - 1982 INTRODUCTION - cont'd.

Shipping Case

o Protecto Hard Case

M.J. Kantor

o Packaging procedure needed

L.B. Bosquet

Medallion

o Approved artwork at vendor

L.B. Bosquet

o 200 ordered for Trial & Pilot

1982 DUCKS UNLIMITED - SPECIAL

o M/870 LW 20/28 MOD VT

L.B. Bosquet

o 2,800 guns forecast

- Ship July to October

Receiver

o DU Rollmark, gold filled

L.B. Bosquet

o S/N 0001-DU 82 to 2800-DU 82

1982 DUCKS UNLIMITED - TRADE

o M/870 12/32/FVT Magnum

L.B. Bosquet

- o Receiver has D/U Rollmarks
 - Left panel on order 2/12/82
 - Right panel add use
- o 7,000 units forecast

MODEL 552-572 RESTYLE

- o Add use M/870 LW Stock.
 - New TC-Type Grip Cap
- o Restyled checkering pattern on Fore-end

D. NEW/REVISED PRODUCTS - 1983 INTRODUCTION

Bolt Action Carbine

- o 1983 Forecast 28,500
- o Short Action only; 6mm, 7mm-08, .243, .308

Receiver

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o Modified M/600

L.B. Bosquet

Barrel

o New design, slim profile

L.B. Bosquet

Bolt Handle

o Modified M/700

L.B. Bosquet:

- Improved finished, handle and plug

Trigger Guard Assembly

o New Design

L.B. Bosquet

Magazine Follower

o New Design - No bind follower

L.B. Bosquet

<u>Sights</u>

o Modified M/700

L.B. Bosquet

Trigger Assembly

o Add use from M/700

L.B. Bosquet

Stock Assembly

- o New Design
- o Walnut Cut Checkering

L.B. Bosquet

- o Sling Swivel Studs
- o "Classic" Recoil Pad
- o M/Four Grip Cap

E. COMPONENTS - DESIGN/PROCESS CHANGES

MODEL 1100 FORMED EJECTOR

o LT-20 Formed Ejector approved J.W. Brooks
- Larger sample required G.J. Hill
- Research to retest J.W. Brooks

o New tooling ordered

o Old Style Ejectors required until 4/82 M.J. Kantor

K.W. Augustine, Engineer Trial & Pilot

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