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<u>SHOTGUNS</u>		
M/878 "Automaster" 16 & 20 Ga. Guns	Basic development accomplished. Further work deferred pending decision to add 16 and 20 ga. guns to the line.	1-2
3" Magnum	Feasibility of 878 Magnum established. Design modifications outlined. Further work deferred pending decision to add this item to the line.	2-3
Sportsman-58 3" Magnum	Production problems delayed release until end of April. Revised warehouse schedule presented. Test results discussed. Feeding problems exist with our longer roll crimp shells which require testing of production guns with these shells. Committee accepts test results, provides for testing of production guns, and agrees that shell length notice be packed with new guns.	3-4
Barrel Cut	Committee approves addition of the barrel cut to Trap and Skeet grades of the Spts.-58 based on economics presented.	5
XS-6 (Autoloader)	Models expected by July 1. Sales and R&D define certain design features. Both wood and nylon stocks are contemplated in design. Nylon stocked model to be provided with recoil reducer for sale at premium price.	5-6

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