

PELLET RIFLES AND PISTOLS

R & D is making a comprehensive design investigation of CO₂ and spring action pellet guns and pistols. The development of a satisfactory pump action is questionable. As reported in January, to meet the economic goals it is necessary to design a family of guns with maximum interchangeability.

The program is being coordinated as to gun and ammunition (pellet) requirements at monthly meetings of Bridgeport and Ilion R & D personnel.

TELESOPES AND MOUNTS

High spot costs were developed on the proposed manufacture of scopes and mounts. The economics for mount manufacture appear satisfactory. The factory costs for the scope approximated the factory selling price. R & D is making a further analysis of scopes before submitting the program for committee action. 83

SEMI-ANNUAL ARMS DEVELOPMENT SCHEDULE

The draft of the Semi-Annual Firearms Development Schedule was reviewed at the meeting. Several changes were recommended.

Committee Action

The revised Semi-Annual Development Schedule is to be submitted to Management for approval.

The meeting adjourned at 10:50 a.m.

The next meeting is scheduled to be at Bridgeport, Tuesday, April 12 at 1 p.m.

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