

SHOTGUNS - contd.CBC - SINGLE BARREL SHOTGUN

Approximately ninety (90) of the initial shipment of CBC 12 gauge shotguns were sent to distributors in the Ontario Province. These were in turn delivered to dealers. While not all of the guns have been sold, there were some returns due to misfires. This may be due to failure to remove the heavy cosmoline from the action. However, in Ilion testing, misfires had been reported due to insufficient Firing Pin indent. Recommendations had been made to CBC as to corrective action. It was reported that the five hundred and fifty (550) guns ordered by Canada would be corrected, presumably by increasing the length of the Firing Pin.

There appears to be an adverse reaction to the purchase of the CBC shotgun as such. As reported in March, CIL has ordered ten thousand (10,000) shotguns. It is understood there will be marketed under the CIL name at a lower price than proposed by Remington. 83

Remington has ordered five hundred and fifty (550) shotguns from CBC for sales in Canada. When received, the selling price to be competitive will have to be determined.

While there is little interest in marketing CBC shotguns in the United States, Marketing plans to discuss the design, packaging and other items with CBC management. A representative from CBC is scheduled to visit the United States in May. A report will be made after the review.

CENTER FIRE RIFLESMODEL 600 MAGNUM BOLT ACTION RIFLECaliber 6.5mm Remington

Using the commercial ammunition available, the plant has produced to the warehouse approximately five hundred (500) rifles. Recently Marketing has held shipment until an adequate supply of ammunition is available for the distributors.