SHOTGUNS - contd.

Fore End - contd.

The plant has received a model drawing of the Fore End recess. Tooling will be designed.

Equipment to fasten the fiberglass in the Fore End is being fabricated by the toolroom. It is indicated Fore End production will start in March.

R & D is to develop the heat and time cycle for the optimum strength. The fixtures will have time and temperature controls.

The field continues to report Fore End breakage as the major complaint on the Model 1100.

MODEL 879 AUTOLOADING SHOTGUN (MODEL ERI 600A MONTGOMERY WARD & CO.)

The contract for 12 gauge shotgans for delivery starting May 26, 1967 has been received from Montgomery Ward & Company. Remington Management approval is required.

At a meeting January 10 with a representative of Marketing, Ilion personnel responsibilities for the Items reviewed were established.

Orders are being issued for purchase parts. The control component will be the formed action Bar for which new dies are required.

Replacement of obsoleted tooling and a Remington special machine has started. Purchasing has ordered the four (4) standard machines.

Assembly must start in May to meet the contract delivery schedule.

SHOTGUN RECOIL PAD

Firestone has been authorized to change the Recoil Pad mold to the Remington design. The design does not infringe on the Pachmayr registered "trade mark." Samples are expected in April. 83

