

GENERAL

R & D reported that new samples of Stocks made of molded polyurethane foam material will be available for the June meeting.

BENCH REST BULLETS

R & D reported that production of bullets is now over 100,000 per month which is just keeping up with the orders.

A .30 caliber Black Rock cut off machine has been received from Bridgeport. It will be converted to handle 22 caliber jackets. The extent of the work involved is now being ascertained. Syntro representatives will be in again next week to attempt to improve the feed rates to meet specifications.

Unless otherwise directed, no work is planned on 6mm until a "break even" position is reached on the 22 caliber.

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Production reported that delivery of purchased components for the electric autoloading trap will permit custom shop assembly to start in October, 1972.

SWEDISH TRAPS

Marketing reported that information has been received from K. D. Nyegaard, Schreiner Hansen's representative, indicating the autoloading skeet trap we returned to Hansen has been improved and our recommended changes made. The current model has just undergone a 500M cycling test during which they experienced the following problems:

The throwing spring broke after 330M cycles (cycled without targets- which means about 30% overweight). In normal use, the spring would probably be changed after 100M cycles.

The small spring for the target holder was changed about every 75M cycles.

The throwing slat was changed after 25M-50M cycles (this change is generally dependent upon the quality of the targets thrown).

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