

SHOTGUNS - contd.MODEL 3200, 20, 28 AND 410 GAUGE SKEET BARREL SETS
(Introduction June, 1976)

The Chairman reported that the project is to be rewritten and be ready for a board meeting as soon as possible, hopefully in May.

Prior to adjourning the meeting, a prototype Model 3200 with 12, 20, 28 and 410 gauge Barrel Sets was shown. In reviewing and discussing these prototypes, the following points were noted:

- . 100 proof rounds have been fired through each Barrel Set.
- . Endurance will be tested to 75,000 rounds.
- . Balance, weight and point of impact are satisfactory.
- . The small gauge Mono blocks will be ground to match the 12 gauge.
- . There are definite problems in manufacturing matched sets.
- . Economics reflect costs - on items that are known.

It was requested that competitive guns and Barrel Sets be brought to the next Operations Committee meeting (Browning and Winchester).

MODEL 3200 SINGLE BARREL TRAP SHOTGUN
(Introduction 1977 - to be revised)

R & D reported that work has resumed on the single barrel trap gun. This is the gun, as will be remembered, which has an adjustable point of impact, recoil reduction system, special Remington trap chokes, and locks which put the gun in a class by itself. Preliminary economics will be available for the July meeting.

Shooting prototype guns will be needed for Marketing evaluation.

MODEL 1100 AUTOLOADING SHOTGUN - IMPROVEMENTS

R & D reported that all current product improvements have been transmitted to the Plant. Testing of production samples as received from the Plant continues. There have been minor problems which have led to some design changes in the product improvements. R & D is working closely with Process Engineering to resolve these.