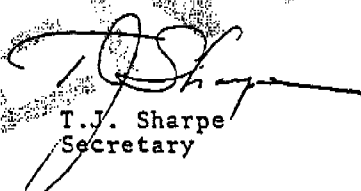


Test results showing the depth of indentation of simulated primers in the prototype 3200 Shotgun and several other double guns were reviewed. In this test the guns were dropped on the muzzles from a height of six feet on wood and steel surfaces with hammers up and down. The prototype compared favorably with the other guns in all cases.

The design prevents the firing pins from striking the breech ends of the barrels by retracting the firing pins with rotating motion of the top lever when the breech is unlocked to open. Similarly, the counter-rotating movement of the top lever lowers the firing pins after the breech is closed.

COMMITTEE ACTION

The Sub-Committee approved the concept and the design for the firing pin system for The 3200 Shotgun.


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