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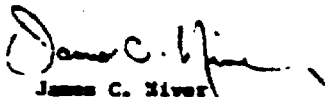
Remington Arms Co.  
Arms Service Division  
Ilion, New York 13357

RE: Model 700LN  
Serial No. 6859417  
Safety Problem

Gentlemen:

The enclosed rifle fired when I was trying to unload it, moving the safety from the safe position to the fire position so that the bolt could be pulled to eject the shell in the chamber. The firing and recoil caused a cut on my left thumb and possible ear damage. The slightest pressure on the right side of the trigger (not pulling the trigger) while moving the safety from safe position to the fire position will cause the gun to fire. This has been verified by the Freer Gun Shop in Houston, Texas, who have advised me that the gun has a definite safety problem. Therefore, I am returning the gun to you for service correction and/or other disposition of the gun. The base for the scope remains on the gun.

Yours very truly,

  
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