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the rifle did not produce any problems and, we can attribute the malfunctions to the facts that the trigger was out of adjustment and that the trigger connector-fit on the trigger was not correct.

We trust that we have clarified the circumstances that may have caused the accidental firings and, to insure that your faith in the rifle is restored, we would like to replace the trigger assembly, at no-charge, with the new-style assembly that is found on our current Model 700 rifle which does not have the bolt lock feature. This trigger design will allow the bolt to be opened with the safety switch in the "safe" position. Or, if you so desire, we can replace the assembly with a new one of the same design that is presently on your rifle. We will await your decision and reply.

We apologize for the inconvenience caused you and your sons, Mr. Fernandez, and thank you for having afforded us the opportunity to examine the rifle and to be of service to you.

Sincerely,

J.A. Stakl, Supervisor
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