

Jim

This was packaged poorly
Teel stock broke

John

Jim:
WE COULD FIND NO REASON FOR THE CASE SEPARATION - AND I CAN'T FIND ANYTHING OBVIOUSLY WRONG WITH THE GUN - THE CASE SEPARATED AHEAD OF THE EXTRACTOR GROOVE.

THE OLD GAL SOUNDS PRETTY NICE BUT MAY HAVE A WORN OUT GUN

Bill

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Dear Mrs. Harlow:

We have our ballistics report on the 222 Rem mag cartridges you returned for examination.

The unfired rounds were fired in our ballistics laboratory and tested for velocity. The cartridges performed satisfactorily. The velocity was slightly low but the rounds are 15 years and may have deteriorated slightly since they left our plant.

The cartridge that separated when you fired it was examined by our metallurgist and no metal defects were found.

Based on these tests we have been unable to duplicate the problem which you experienced or to find a cause for it. Accordingly, we have shipped your rifle to our firearms plant in Ilion, NY, for examination by our firearms experts. You will hear directly from a technician at that plant as soon as the examination has been completed.

In the meantime, to compensate for the product returned for our tests, please find enclosed a check for \$26.00 to cover the cost of two boxes of 222 Rem Mag cartridges.

We hope this is satisfactory and please advise if we can be of any further service. Again, you will hear shortly from Ilion regarding your rifle.

Cordially yours,

W. T. Smith

W. T. Smith, Supervisor
Product Service

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