

Monthly Report - February
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A project has been written requesting an appropriation to cover development of draw rifling for commercial use.

The detail drawings on the M/Lx-721 are 85% complete and 50% of the parts are fabricated.

A test was made on 5 M/710's and 2-M/510's to determine if a more economical receiver (open bottom) affected the accuracy in any way. The preliminary test indicated that no significant difference exists between the regular and the experimental type.

A test was made of Pentrated and Parker Lubrized M/610 barrels. The Parker Lubrized bore was very inaccurate. Results with the Pentrated bore indicated that further work would be necessary to evaluate it completely.

Preliminary tests on draw rifled M/37 barrels show promising results.

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