

bolt closing hard

Discussion Thread

Response (Dell)

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Dear Robert,

Thank you for your inquiry. We recommend shipping the firearm to the following Remington Premier Repair Center for inspection.

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Customer (Robert Garrison)

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I like to get it working properly so I can hunt. I have a Model 700 in 30-06 chambering.

I have a problem with the bolt closing hard on some cartridges, this happens with factory ammo as well as hand loads.

When it occurs you have to bump the handle down into the locked position. When you do this the bolt shaves a minute portion of brass from the case head.

I have taken it to a gunsmith and he has told me the spring in the ejector is causing the problem and has removed several coils from it. The problem improved and is not as prevalent and I still have a very positive ejection of cases.

I am wondering if maybe the ejector pin is too long. I have milked the ammo and all specification meet specifications and they fall freely into and out of the chamber.

Any help would be greatly appreciated, as this rifle is very accurate and fits me very well. I would wish it.