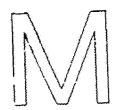
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A new bolt action rifle is being detaloped and a replacement for the Model 700 BDL. Introduction is scheduled for 1988. Technical improvements include a safety to block both the sear and trigger, a detachable magazine box, a revised extractor, a lightweight firing pin, an enclosed bolt plug, an independent bolt lock, and integral scope mounts.

The ten engineering development test rifles are all at the 500 round level and are currently being inspected. According will be shot Monday. The endurance and accuracy testing will continue to the 2500 round level after which the destructive drop testing and strength testing will be done. Magazine Box development components are in the Hodel Shop and are expected by March 24.

A Computervision stock model is complete except for a cheekpiece and will be given to the N/C Shop for prototyping. Marketing is selecting the cheekpiece configuration to be used.

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