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By appointment to H.R.H. The Duke of Edinburgh, Rifle Makers

**HOLLAND & HOLLAND
LIMITED**

33 Bruton Street, London W1X 8JS

Telephone 01-499 4411 · Cables ARMOURER LONDON W1

WMcK/JPC

8th. February 1983

Thank you so much for your letter. I am so pleased that you are delighted with the quality and value of the rifle recently purchased.

Your question is a good one, well beyond my capability to answer. I have therefore communed with the experts in the form of David Winks, because he has all the answers.

The weapon which you purchased is variously a 10 and 12 bore, being a rifled barrel the diameter at the top of the lands approximates 12 bore, which accounts for the proof stamping; at the base of the land, or the true bore size, it is of course a 10 bore.

I trust that this explanation will clarify the position for you, as indeed it has for me.

I too will look forward to seeing you in April, and will in the meantime continue to keep a weather eye open for any other suitable additions to your collection, which I think might be interesting to you.

Yours sincerely,

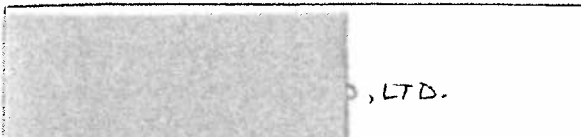

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DATE JAN 4, 1983

DRAWEE BANK WILL BE ADVISED OF ISSUANCE OF CHECK. PRESENTATION FOR PAYMENT SHOULD NOT BE MADE PRIOR TO DRAWEE BANK'S RECEIPT OF SUCH ADVICE. PURCHASER SHOULD FORWARD LETTER CONTAINING CHECK BY REGISTERED MAIL.

No. N013794

PURCHASER'S
NAME AND
ADDRESS

, LTD.

WE HAVE ☐CHECK ☒ RECEIVED CASH
T TO
REOF.

SETTLEMENT WITH PURCHASER

RATE SOLD AT	DOLLAR EQUIVALENT	AIRMAIL CHARGE	COMM CHARGED	TOTAL AMOUNT
1.67	11,690.00		5.00	11,695.00

THE DOLLAR SAVINGS & TRUST COMPANY
#7993615

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6th. December 1982



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24th January 19 83

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To:-

AN ANTIQUE WEAPON BUILT 1876.

An antique 10 bore Holland & Holland
rebounding hammer lever under guard
sporting rifle No. 8243 engraved and
inlaid complete in original leather
case with some cleaning implements

Packing, air freight & insurance
charges London - Pittsburg

Made 1876, in England.

£	8000	-
£	120	-
£	8120	-

Made in the European Communities - United Kingdom

Certified true and correct
For Holland & Holland Ltd.

W. J. Jeffery
Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
BUREAU OF ALCOHOL, TOBACCO AND FIREARMS

January 25, 1983

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Thank you for your recent correspondence.

- ☒ We are pleased to provide the material you requested.
☐ We will send you the information you requested as soon as it becomes available.
☐ We have forwarded your request to the Bureau's Regional Office in: ☐ New York ☐ Atlanta
☐ Chicago ☐ Cincinnati ☐ Philadelphia ☐ San Francisco
☐ We are unable to provide the information you requested and have forwarded your request to Bureau Headquarters.

☒ The Holland & Holland 10 bore blackpowder double rifle, you wish to import, bearing serial number 8243 & manufactured in 1876 is a true antique as described in the attached ATF P 7570.7 and letter and requires no import permit from this office.

Stephen C. Higgins
Acting Director



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Dear [REDACTED]

I have pleasure in confirming that arrangements have now been made to forward to you the 10 bore rifle.

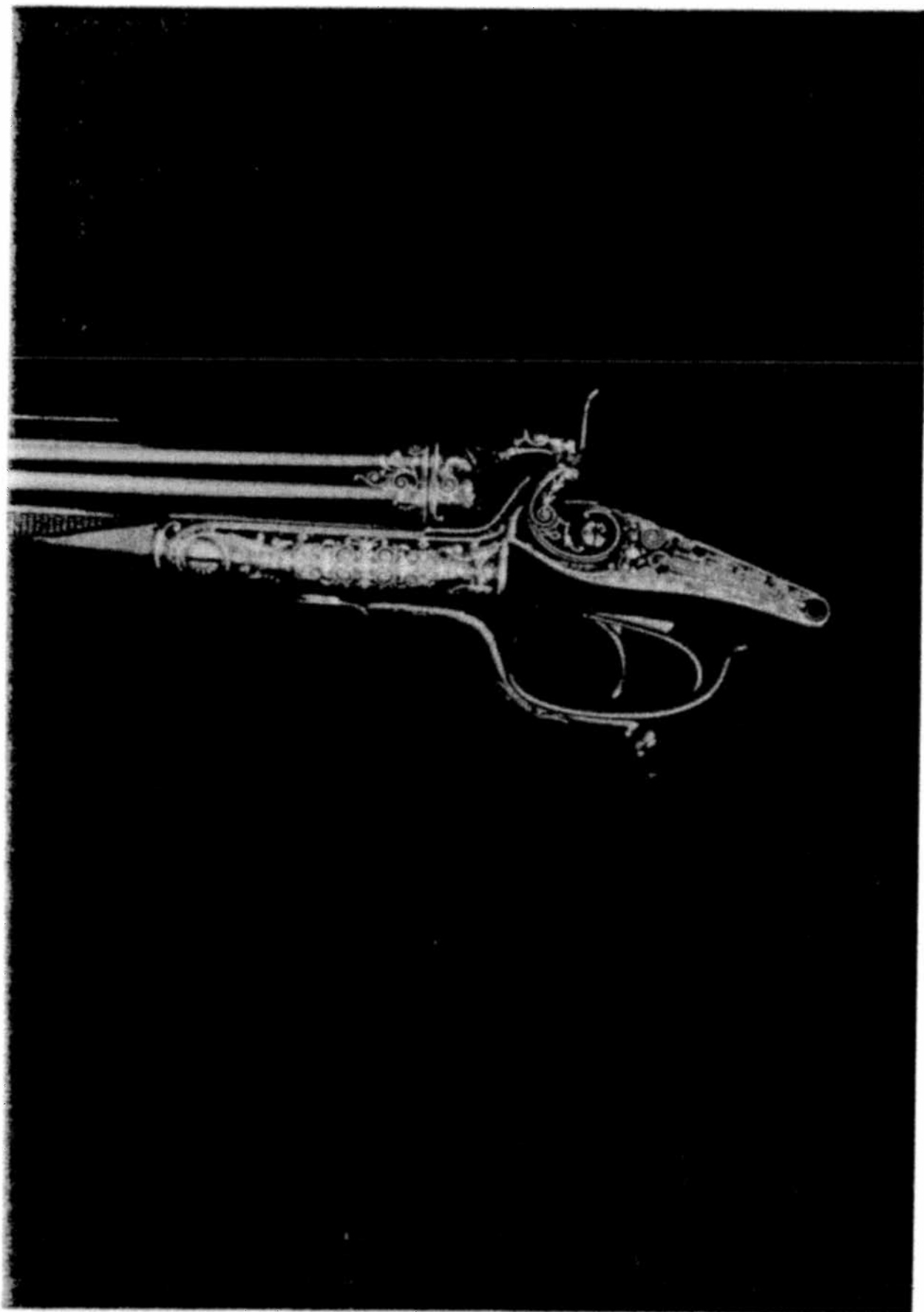
Unfortunately I have discovered that there is no airline other than TWA going through from London to Pittsburg and we have, therefore, booked the consignment on TWA flight No. TW 763 leaving London tomorrow, 25th. January, on airwaybill No. 015 9182 1505 via New York. Whilst we try to avoid New York whenever possible, any alternative routing would have involved a change of airline as well as a change of aircraft, whereas with TWA the consignment will be monitored by them throughout, and it should I hope arrive on Wednesday.

I have pleasure in enclosing two copies of the invoice, the original of which will go forward with the consignment to facilitate speedy clearance through customs on arrival at Pittsburg, and I look forward to hearing from you when you have received the weapon and had an opportunity of drooling over it.

Yours sincerely,


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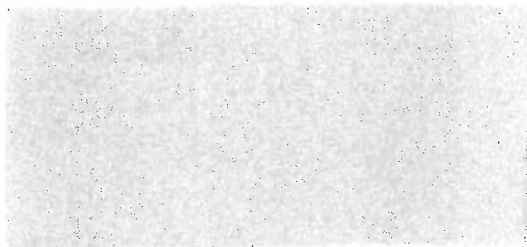
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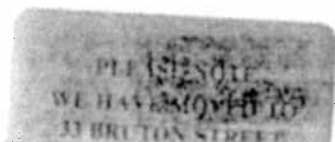
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M. a ring bullet-cock case
Sight 50-100¹⁵⁰

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Aug 13 Rogers Rock Co ~~D495~~
10 Bore Rifle back action
lever guard lever form extend
rib rebounding locks piston
hand cheek piece recoil knifed plate
length of barrel 24 7/10 Height
Bore 2 1/2 7/16 1 5/8
Length 14 x 13 7/8 x 14 1/2
Set-off 7/4 7/8
Shot with 8 drams S&W ball
Mould 574 Chambers 5 1/4 inches
Sight 88 Gold inlaid 8243

Aug 14 S. S. Stephenson D120
L.O.G. 5 1/2 cf.
Bore cylinder rebound.
Balts forepart to pattern Serial No 114731.