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Parker shotgun, serial number 117791, was ordered by H. H. Kiffer Company in New York, NY on February 10, 1903 and shipped on February 29, 1903. According to Parker Bros. Order Book No. 58 it was a VH hammerless, 20-gauge. It featured Vulcan steel barrels with a length of 26 inches. Its stock configuration was a capped pistol grip. The chokes were patterned RH full and LH full. According to Parker Bros. Order Book No. 58, the requested weight was 6 pounds. No dimensions were listed in the order. The stock book is missing for this gun. The price was \$100.00.

Parker Bros., Remington Arms Company Inc. and others repaired and reconfigured guns as a major part of the gun trade. Over the years, this Parker may have undergone changes to suit its owners, either at the factory or other competent facility. Complete factory return and repair records **do not exist** therefore our research team cannot comment, report, or have any responsibility for work performed. It is important to note that those Parker records remaining are hand written and show considerable fading from their age. The research committee has done its best to interpret and report our findings in answer to this request and assumes no responsibility for the recorded accuracy or other work completed.

Sincerely,

  
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