

CIMARRON T.T.N. MODEL 1878 COACH GUN 12 GAUGE 3-INCH SIDE-BY-SIDE, \$480

GUN TESTS GRADE: A-

This ancient design pointed fast and shot devastating patterns at both Cowboy competition ranges and home-defense distances. Triggers need a little work to be just what we want.



SPECIFICATIONS

OVERALL LENGTH 36.5 IN.
 BARREL LENGTH..... 20.0 IN.
 DROP @ COMB..... 2.25 IN.
 DROP @ HEEL..... 3.0 IN.

LENGTH OF PULL (FRONT TRIGGER) 14.25 IN.
 LENGTH OF PULL (BACK TRIGGER)..... 13.5 IN.
 WEIGHT (UNLOADED)..... 7.5 LBS.
 CAPACITY 2
 CHOKE (FIXED) C/C
 ACTION FINISH BLUE STEEL
 BARREL FINISH BLUE STEEL

STOCK..... HALF-PISTOL GRIP OIL-FINISHED WALNUT
 FOREARM SPLINTER OIL-FINISHED WALNUT
 TRIGGER PULL WEIGHT (FRONT TRIGGER)..... 7.0 LBS.
 TRIGGER PULL WEIGHT (BACK TRIGGER) 9.25 LBS.
 WARRANTY 1 YEAR
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An English-style splinter forearm felt good with this shotgun, but might not offer a lot of protection from barrel heat if the shooter is burning up a lot of rounds in a shooting session. Control of the shotgun, even using heavy loads, was no problem.



We were originally concerned about the large amount of drop @ heel in the stock (typical of an old-time side-by-side), but we really liked the feel of the half-pistol grip.



Very simple to assemble and re-assemble for cleaning or storage, we appreciated the way the shotgun was a neat, compact package.



Double triggers and double hammers require a little get-acquainted time for many inexperienced shooters. Get a gunsmith to tweak the triggers.