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THE COVER

The engraved shotgun is Italian, but its new sideplates were engraved by a young American with a very English name. Winston G. Churchill, 31, of Ludlow, Vt., who studied under the noted German engraver Josef Fugger and now works for Griffin and Howe, gunsmiths, did the work. Shown alongside the new plates for the Beretta are his tools and loupe.

A Remington New Model .44 percussion revolver which Churchill restored and engraved appeared on the cover of our July. 1969, issue.

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