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Hi to all,

Just wanted to let you know what is going on with the Anniversary pistols. I have all of the parts in house to start building. The slides came in and danged if they didn't make the front sight cuts too narrow. I returned them and they are telling me that they will have them re-cut to the proper size and returned to me next week. We will begin to build pistols as soon as they get here. I will do my best to deliver the pistols by order date and not serial number. I appreciate your patience.

The manual that I am having done that gives you the history and the special parts information is almost done. I should have samples of the disassembly/assembly tool in a couple of weeks. I will send an attached picture of the tool as soon as I have samples. I hope to get them polished and heat blued if I can do so without running the cost up to much.

I will have the special parts for sale later for those of you who have a 1911 that has incorrect parts in it. The hand checkered grips are just beautiful. The retail price per set is \$150.00 but for those of you on this list you can purchase them for \$120.00. Hand checkering is pricey but correct. I do have some extras already on hand if any of you need some. If you want to order a pair be sure to tell my staff that you are on my special 1911 email list and I have given you dealer pricing on them.

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