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The manufacturer's data for Model 1873, serial number 253836B, as extracted from the original Winchester records housed in the museum, are as follows.

Carbine  
44 caliber  
Sights: "Front sights fine"  
1/2 magazine  
Rifle butt  
Received in warehouse on December 20, 1887  
Shipped from warehouse on December 20, 1887, order number 3216

No other information is available for this serial number.

Sincerely yours,

Waddy Colvert  
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