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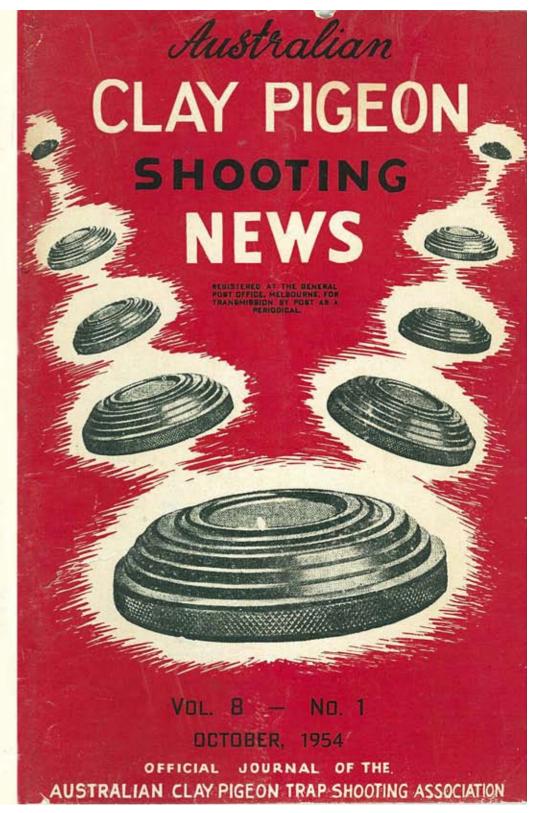
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revenue is permitted from an optional sweepstake attached to an event for which trophies are provided. It would seem that the query embraces an event, optional, which is attached to a trophy event. No deduction is permitted by the Association from optional sweepstakes attached to open championships-that means Commonwealth, State and District Championships. However, in the case under review it would appear that the club would be entitled to make a small deduction. The sweepstake is an optional one and shooters need not enter unless they so desire. At all events the matter is one for club management to decide. No deduction above fifteen per cent. is

permissible in events of this type.

A club recently enquired

whether a deduction for club

There were many applications from clubs in New South Wales for permission to stage open championships, State or Commonwealth, during the holiday week-end of October 2 and 4. Several were not approved. It has always been policy of the Association to refuse to permit Commonwealth or State titles to be shot on the same day in the same State, particularly by adjacent clubs. Shooting of these major titles on the same day by adjacent clubs is not good for the clubs, the shooters or the sport. With the football season drawing to a close, many clubs are endeavouring to get their title events decided before the close of the year. Whilst the Association is desirous of assisting in every way possible, no good purpose is served by permitting clashes to occur.

A shooter from a country centre recently queried as follows, "A shooter on the mark calls for a clay pigeon which leaves the trap O.K. The shooter pulls the trigger of his gun, nothing happens, calls for the referee. On examination, the gun was found not to have been cocked,



and the decision 'lost bird' was given, under Rule 9B. This gun, a hammerless D.B., cocked on opening and worked O.K. for the rest of the day, but has been known to not cock before. Was the decision correct?" The referee's decision was quite in order. Obviously the gun has a fault and the shooter should ensure that the fault is corrected before again facing the trap.

A Victorian country club recently sought permission to conduct an open shoot and at the same time queried whether it was necessary to apply to the Association for date approval. All open shoots must be approved by the Association; this direction includes days on which Commonwealth, State and District championships are held as well as all days during which more than £50 is provided in any one event as prize money. Once a programme contains an event with prize money in excess of £50 for any one event, it must have Association approval.

A rather lengthy and somewhat contentious unsigned letter has been received at Association headquarters. This letter will not be published. As has been advised through these columns from time to time, the Association will take no notice whatever of mail matter which is unsigned.

A number of enquiries have been received for a "pre-view" of the Interstate Team scores. These will not be made known until after the Executive Committee meeting later this month. At the moment of going to press, all scores are not in. Those which have been received are sealed until finally dealt with by the governing committee.

The Postal Department has advised that a mail bag fell from the Sydney-Brisbane express recently. The bag was later mutilated by a following train. Unfortunately the bag contained most of the copies of "News" for "beyond" centres in Queensland—that is, towns beyond Brisbane. Efforts will be made to replace those lost, on application to the Secretary of the Association. In some cases those who receive copies might be able to assist by passing the edition around.



George Stainton, recent winner of the Victorian Double-Rise Championship.

NEWS

Warracknabeal Diggers

VICTORIA

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

. . DAY AND NIGHT SHOOT . .

Saturday, 23rd October, 1954

Commencing 1 p.m.

Day Programme:

No. 1 Event — 5 BIRD EYE-OPENER. Nom., 10/-. Comp. Div.

No. 2 Event -

10 BIRD TROPHY - Handicap Marks

1st Trophy valued £35 - 2nd Trophy valued £15/15/-12/13 yard Trophy. Nom., £1/10/-. Op. Sweep 10/-.

No. 3 Event —

MIXED RIRIDS

5 Clay Pigeons, 5 Clay Sparrows. Nom., £1.

OPENING NIGHT SHOOTING:

Browning U. and O. Gun 1st Prize - 2nd Trophy

Handicap Marks

Nom., £3/10/-. Op. Sweep 10/-.

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The Club reserves the right to alter programme.

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"Tips" and "Tails"

The Boorowa Club (N.S.W.) recently held its annual meeting. The club secretary, J. R. Geary, did not seek reelection and his place was taken by J. Peters Kelly. Other officials remain as before, except that P. Cusack did not stand for the

committee and was replaced by M. J. Corcoran.

The Harcourt Club (V.) will conduct its official opening of the club's new ground at Mt. Alexander on November 27. Shooting will start at 10 a.m. Among many specially attractive events is a £50 Handicap. Programme is advertised. Enquiries to M. J. Pellas (secretary), Harcourt North.

The Kiata and District Gun Club (Victoria) has recently started up and has already affiliated with the A.C.P.T.S.A. Secretary of the club is H. B. Carey, Country Club Hotel, Kiata.

The Balmoral Club in Western Victoria will conduct the South-Western Districts D.B. Championship and a £50 Handicap on Saturday. November 27. Full supporting programme has also been arranged, for which details are advertised. En-quiries to W. F. Duncan (secretary), Balmoral (Phone 13).

St. Arnaud Club in the Victorian Wimmera area will conduct a £100 Handicap at 15 birds on Saturday, October 23. The club intends opening its night shooting following the day event. Programme is advertised. Enquiries to A. C. Bray (secretary), St. Arnaud (Phone 64).

The splendid lay-out of the Colac Club in Western Victoria will again be in operation on October 23, when the club will hold a shoot, commencing at 12 noon. Main event is the Western District Deauville Doubles Championship: handicap events will follow. Programme is advertised. Enquiries to D. Corstorphan (secretary), 6 Rae Street, Colac (Phone

Those interested in attending the South Coast Gun Club's Annual Carnival Shoot will be well advised to write for accommodation as soon as possible, as we are advised that bookings are already heavy. The dates are 22nd to 31st January, inclusive; actual days and times appear elsewhere in this issue. Improvements to grounds and amenities are well in hand, including the installation of a third trap and lighting on all three traps, enlargement of office and various other improvements for shooters' and visitors' convenience and comfort. Watch for the full programme in next issue of News.

The Bothwell Club in Southern Tasmania is rapidly developing, according to latest reports from the Apple Isle. On November 20 the club will conduct the Tasmanian Mixed Birds title and a £50 Handicap, as advertised. Enquiries to secretary, Max Bale ("Hillside", Bothwell, Tas., or K. Pulford (President), Great Lake, Tas. well as other events. Details are

Officials of the Herbert River Gun Club at Ingham (Queensland), appointed at the club's recent annual meeting, are: Patron, C. G. Jesson, M.L.A.; President, N. Dossetto; Act. Sec., M. F. Origlasso; Treasurer; I. A. Rotondo; Senr. Vice-President, A. J. Nucifora; Vice-Presidents, S. Di Bartolo and S. Spina; Committee, Messrs. S. Spina, A. J. Nucifora, R. Russo, M. Strano, F. and L. Girgenti, A. Catuli and S. Rogers; Handicappers. R. Dunstan, S. Di Bartolo, A. Pavetto.

A new club is in process of formation on the border town of Wodonga (Victoria). The present official handling administration of the new formation is A. J. Birrell of 6 Huon Street, Wodonga, V.

The Jeparit Club in the Victorian Wimmera will shoot the Jeparit Grand Prix on November 2, in conNEWS

Portarlington Clay Target Club

VICTORIA

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

Three Championships

SATURDAY, 30th OCTOBER, 1954

Commencing 10 a.m. sharp

No. 1 —

Bellerine Peninsula Deauville Doubles Championskip

4 Trophies

No. 2 —

Bellerine Single Barrel Clay Sparrow Championship

4 Trophies and Sash

No. 3 —

.. Club .. Mixed Bird Championship

4 Trophies and Sash

Sweeps on all Championships.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING

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REFRESHMENTS ON THE GROUND.

R. KRENTZLIN President.

R. JORGENSON, Hon. Sec., Nargoondy, Portarlington, Vic. nection with the Back to Jeparit festivities. On November 13 the club will shoot the North Wimmera D.B. Championship and at night the North Wimmera D. Rise title. Full details are as advertised. Enquiries to B. C. Witney (secretary), Box 13, Jeparit (Phone 198).

Information received from the Rainbow Club reveals that the club has decided on a slight change in connection with the programme for the Rainbow Grand Prix, on New Year's Day, January 1, from that advertised last month. J. Wishart Junr., the club secretary, advises: "After careful consideration the committee have decided to cut out yardage trophies and make seven cash prizes of £12/10/- each to 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th place-getters. The event will start at 9.30 a.m. sharp, and there will not be an eye-opener. The grounds will be available on Dec. 31st for practice. Visitors are assured of good fishing and swimming. Lake Hindmarsh, the largest fresh-water lake in Australia, is just 9 miles from Rainbow and is teeming with red fin. Rainbow has excellent tennis courts and bowling and croquet greens, and a modern filtrated swimming pool. With a prize list worth £1,250, the Rainbow Club are confident of a successful shoot and would recommend shooters to get their entries in without delay, as the field may have to be limited."

The Sydney Club at Waterfall, N.S.W., advertises details of a double championship series to be shot on November 20. The two main events are the Sydney single-barrel and Sydney mixed birds titles. Shooting will start at 1.30 p.m. Enquiries to A. H. Johnston (secretary), Box 27, Miranda, N.S.W.

The New South Wales Gun Club, with its spacious shooting grounds at Terry Hills, just outside Sydney, reports that its night lighting installations will be ready for service during the second week in October. The club invites shooters to enjoy the service provided and enquiries should be directed to Bert Nicholas (secretary) at 13 McLellan Street, Randwick (FX 4484).

Robinvale Club on the Murray will hold a day and night shoot on November 20. The day programme includes a £50 Trophy Handicap and at night a £30 Cash Handicap, as well as many supporting events. The entire programme is inexpensive and should attract a big field. Details are as advertised. Enquiries to A. M. Telford, Box 78, Robinvale, or Fred Riggs (President), Box 91, Robinvale, V.

Joe Wishart, secretary of the Rainbow Club in Western Victoria, advises that a forend off a double-barrel gun, probably a Beretta, was left at Rainbow club grounds following the club shoot on September 18. Owner can secure this by applying to J. Wishart Junr., Box 50, Rainbow.

A report from the Footscray Club (V.), which conducted a charity shoot for Footscray & District Spastic Children's Appeal, indicates that the club had a most successful function. Altogether a total of £1,028 was received as a result of the fixture—this total must surely be a record for a single afternoon shoot. The club wishes to thank all those who gave their services and cash for this worthy charity.

The Bega Gun Club (N.S.W.) has affiliated with the A.C.P.T.S.A. Secretary of the new formation is N. F. Anderson, Prospect Street, Newtown, Bega, N.S.W.

The Townsville Club in North Queensland will stage a big two-day shoot on Saturday and Sunday, November 27 and 28. On the opening day skeet will be shot, with the Queensland Skeet title as main event. On November 28 the Commonwealth Single-barrel Championship and a £100 Handicap are main attractions. Full particulars as advertised. Enquiries to Fred Blackman, secretary, Box 415, Townsville, Qld.

Dates fixed for North Queensland clubs have been approved by the North Queensland Gun Clubs' Association, of which Fred Blackman is secretary. These dates have also been formally approved by the A.C.P.T.S.A. The dates are:

Tully Club: Queen's Birthday weekend, June, approx. 11th, 12th and 13th and October 29th and 30th.

Atherton Club: April 16th and 17th and September 24th and 25th.

Townsville Club: April 23rd and 24th and November 19th and 20th.

FOOTSCRAY GUN CLUB

(Affiliated with A.C.P.T.S.A.)
No. 2 Ground: TOTTENHAM, VICTORIA.

OCTOBER 30th-

2 p.m. sharp-

No. 1 - 5 BIRD S.B. Nom., 8/-.

No. 2 -

£50 HANDICAP

15 Birds - Double Barrel

Nomination, £2.

OTHER EVENTS TO FOLLOW.

NOVEMBER 13th-

5 BIRD S.B. Nom., 8/-.

.. Club . . Intermediate Championship

15 Birds - Double Barrel

(5 birds from 12 yds., 5 from 14 yds., 5 from 16 yds.)
1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies.

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The Committee reserves the right to alter any Shoot should the necessity arise.

A. STEWART, President. T. GORE, Hon. Sec., 3 Yardley St., Maidstone. Cairns Club: May Day week-end, Sunday and Monday.

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Burdekin Club: May 21st and 22nd and October 15th and 16th.

Charters Towers Club: March 26th and 27th and September 17th and 18th.

Giru Club: September 3rd and 4th and December 10th and 11th.

Herbert River Club: June 25th and 26th and November 5th and 6th for their 1955 fixtures.

Hargrave Park Club (N.S.W.) will shoot the Sydney Double-rise Championship on November 13. On November 27 a £25 Handicap and trophy event is listed. Details of forthcoming shoots are as advertised. Enquiries to C. W. Plummer, 74 Brandling Street, Alexandra, N.A.

The Mildura Club, with its spacious grounds right on the northern Murray River, will stage the Commonwealth Walk-up Championship during a day and night shoot on December 4. At night a £50 Handicap will be the main event. The club advertises all details in this issue. Enquiries to secretary, K. J. Peake, c/o 58a Langtree Avenue, Mildura (V.), or E. Bruce (President), 110 12th Street, Mildura.

Barellan Club in New South Wales will shoot the Riverina Deauville Doubles title and a good supporting programme on October 23, which will include a £30 Handicap. Programme is advertised. Enquiries to G. E. Morris (secretary) (Phone 28), Barellan, N.S.W.

Macarthur Gun Club in Western Victoria will shoot on November 6, when the 15-bird Club D.B. Championship is main event. Details are advertised. Enquiries to R. Trigger (secretary), High Street, Macarthur (V.).

The recent annual meeting of the Australian Gun Club, with shooting headquarters at East Burwood (V.), was held in the Board Room of the Commercial Travellers' Club in Melbourne. The club reported a successful year. Officers are: President, E. G. Biggs; Vice-Presidents, C. Cornish, G. Anderson and A. F. Johnson; Committee, Messrs. R. Andrews, J. Veal, F. C. Johnson, Ross Smith, T. R. Brown and G. H. Stainton.

At the Footscray Club's annual meeting, held in Ascot Vale (Melbourne), the retiring President, Alex. Stewart, was re-elected for a second term. All other officials were reappointed. The club's refreshment entertainment following the meeting was enjoyed by a good muster of members.

The Warracknabeal Diggers' Club (V.) will shoot on October 23, with a day and night programme. The night programme will officially open the club's night shooting activities, when a Browning Under and Over gun will be first prize in the main night event. Full details are advertised. Enquiries to C. Ricketts (secretary), Box 159, Warracknabeal.

Warwick Club on Queensland's Darling Downs will shoot on the night of October 23, when a 30 birder for £50 prize money will be offered to competitors. Shooting will start at 6.30 p.m. Enquiries to A. J. Dempster, Box 70, Warwick, Q. Programme is advertised.

A new club has been formed at Pooncarie on the Darling River, New South Wales, about 100 miles from Mildura. The club has already affiliated with the A.C.P.T.S.A. President is C. J. Reid, and Secretary, C. F. Dennis, c/o Box 156, Mildura, Y.

Robinvale Club, also in the Murray River area, has its official opening on August 21. No fewer than 71 shooters were in attendance and the club got away to a great start.

Portarlington Club, where Bob Jorgenson, has charge of affairs, will stage a triple championship series on October 30. The Bellerine Peninsula Deauville Doubles, and similar single-barrel title, and the club mixed birds title are all listed for decision.

The Coburg Club (V.) will shoot its regular Melbourne Cup Day holiday shoot on November 2, when the Coburg Stakes (20 birds) and Coburg Grand Prix (30 birds) will be decided. The club also shoots on October 23, November 6, and November 20. Full details of programmes are as advertised. Enquiries to C. J. Colledge, secretary, 12 Adler Grove, Merlynston, N.14.

A new club is in process of formation at Mudgee, where in pre-war years there was quite an up-to-date

Harcourt Gun Club

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

Official opening of new ground on Mt. Alexander (North end)

SATURDAY, 27th NOVEMBER, 1954

Commences 10 a.m.

Event 1 - 10 BIRDS S.B. I.C.I. Trophy Event Trophies: I.C.I., 1st; 2nd, 3rd, 12/13, 14/15, 16 and over. Nom., £1. Op. Sweep 5/- (div. 60-30-10).

Event 2 -

£50 HANDICAP

20 Birds D.B. Nom., 50/-. Op. Sweep 10/-. All cash divided 60-30-10.

Event 3 —

Club Deauville Doubles Championship

10 Pairs from 16 yards. Trophies, 1st and 2nd pairs. Nom., £1 pair; Sweep, 10/- pair. - Pick your own partners -

OTHER TROPHY EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

The Committee reserves the right to alter any event should the necessity arise.

Luncheon. Afternoon Tea and Cartridges available.

H. SMITH, PRESIDENT. M. J. PELLAS, HON. SECRETARY.

organization. The club will be known as the Mudgee Gun Club. A. N. M. Taylor, of the Town Hall Hotel, is main convener.

Ted Wedgwood, the Coffs Harbour (N.S.W.) club's official correspondent. records a sporting action of unusual character at his club. Ted writes: "At a club trophy shoot recently, an act of sportsmanship was witnessed which deserves recording, if only for the fact that clay pigeon shooting engenders such ideals. A shoot-off was necessary for a trophy and one contestant, who is no longer young, was giving his younger opponent the 'worries'. However, from excitement or maybe exhaustion, the oldster collapsed on the track and had to receive attention before he could get to his feet. He missed his bird and the younger man won. At presentation time later in the afternoon, the trophy was duly presented to the winner and in a spontaneous action he presented the trophy to the veteran. Remarking that the veteran should have won, as he, the winner, thought he got a kill given him and reckoned it was the wad the referee saw. The round of applause and the pleasure afforded the veteran was some recompense for the winner's action, who proved himself a 100% sportsman."

The Pelican Creek Gun Club (Q.) has affiliated with the A.C.P.T.S.A. Secretary of the newly affiliated unit is C. K. Cooper, of "Scotstoun". Aramac, Qld.

During the progress of the New South Wales Interstate Match shoot south Wales Interstate Match shoot at Hay recently a pleasant function was performed by President of the Hay Club, Jack Houston, when he made presentations to Mr. and Mrs. Les McKinney. Les is secretary of the Hay Club, and he takes great pride in preparing the grounds for shooters. In this he makes a garden shooters. In this he makes a garden setting a feature and all who visit Hay enjoy Les's garden effect, even if they are not successful in grassing the elusive clay. Mrs. McKinney takes equal pride in ensuring that catering arrangements are in keeping with the club's great reputation in this regard. The McKinney's have done much for the Hay Club and recognition of their efforts was well merited.

The Yass Club (N.S.W.) will shoot the Southern Districts of N.S.W. Double-rise and Walk-up championships, with a good supporting programme, on November 13. Full details are as advertised. Enquiries to B. L. James, secretary, Yass, N.S.W. (Phone 166).

T. R. (Dick) Wightman has relinquished the position of President of the Camberwell Club (V.). The position has been accepted by Roy W. Johns. J. Rayner has also taken over the secretaryship from Fred Byers.

The Frankston & Peninsula Club. on Mornington Peninsula (Victoria) will hold an official opening series on November 20. W. (Bill) Twyerould, well known to Victorian shooters of the pre-war era, has been re-elected President of the Club, and he extends a cordial invitation to all metropolitan (Melbourne) and others to visit Frankston on that day. Proceeds will go to the Orthopaedic Hospital at Mount Eliza. The club advertises its programme.

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WAREHAM, D	24	25	25	25	99
GUNN, R. W	23	25	25	25	98
THOMASEN, J. B		25	25	25	98
HEYNES, N	22	25	25	25	97
LIDDLE, R	25	24	24	24	97
GREEN, E	25	23	23	25	96
DOBSON, J	23	$\overline{24}$	24	25	96
CURTIS, L.	25	23	23	25	96
McILWRICK, R	24	23	$\overline{24}$	25	96
SPOONER, R. M.	23	$\tilde{25}$	$2\hat{4}$	24	96
BALL, C. L.	23	$\frac{25}{25}$	$\frac{5}{22}$	25	95
NIX, W	20	25	25	25	95
WILLIAMS, B. W.		24	22	24	94
DDINKWODELI W	23	23	22	25	93
BRINKWORTH, W	23	23	22	25	93
MITCHELL, D	23		$\frac{22}{22}$		93
NORTH, D. P	21	25		25	
NEWMAN, H. B	23	24	23	23	93
McKENZIE, J. W	19	25	24	24	92
DARRALL, C	23	21	23	24	91
BENTON, C. J		19	22	25	90
MARSTON, S	23	22	21	23	89
JOBLIN, F. L	23	23	20	22	88
ROBINSON, W	21	20	24	23	88
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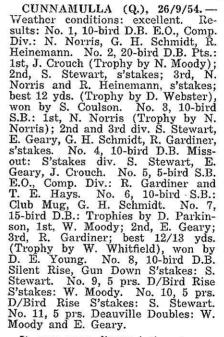
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Name			Stage Scor	es ex 25		Total (ex 100)
RIMMER, S. T	*****	25	24	25	24	98
POSKITT, A		25	24	24	22	95
BEAL, A. J	******	24	23	25	23	95
BAMBER, T. S	,,,,,,	25	23	24	22	94
WHEATER, J	*****	23	25	22	24	94
HORLOCK, E	*****	24	24	23	23	94
CLARKE, E. A	ranet.	24	25	24	21	94
BOOTH, C, R	*1***	25	23	24	21	93
FIELD, L. T	*****	24	21	23	25	93
FEAR, E	******	25	24	22	22	93
McFARLAND, F. M	*****	25	24	23	21	93
BLAMIRE, W	*****	25	25	23	20	93
WILKINSÓN, R	*****	22	25	24	22	93
BROWNING, R. D		23	22	24	23	92
HARRIS, W. E. (Capt.)	*****	24	23	22	23	92
BASSETT, W. J. C		24	22	21	23	90
CAESAR, B. H	dorret	24	22	23	21	90
HEALD, W	411444	24	22	22	22	90
SABLE, W. J	*****	22	22	23	22	89
BAIGEŃT, J. A		21	24	23	20	88
BROWNING, A. E	*****	23	24	22	19	88
SKEWES, W. R	*****	22	23	23	19	87

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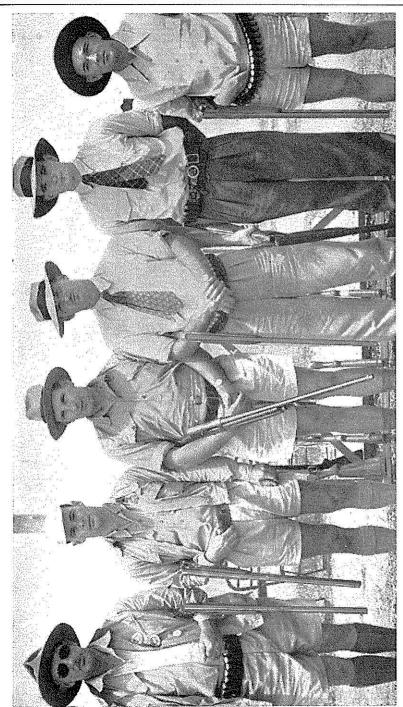


It was very disappointing to see so few of our shooters present on such an excellent day for shooting. However, those present recorded some good shooting. Congratulations to Buster Schmidt on winning the Club Mug, also to R. Coulson and D. E. Young as the best 12 and 13 ydrs. for the day. J. Crouch and S. Stewart appeared to be in top form. We take this opportunity to say "Welcome" to Stan Cripps, our new Treasurer, who had his first day at the shoot on Sunday.

28/8/54. — Weather conditions: clear, with occasional slight breeze. Results: No. 1, 10-bird S.B. Eyeopener, Comp. Div.: W. Moody, T. Stone, J. Crouch, B. Moody, W. Davis. No. 2, South-West Qld. S.B. C'ship, 20-bird S.B.: 1st, E. Geary, won Sash and Trophy presented by G. H. Bignell; 2nd, G. H. Schmidt, won Trophy by R. Marks; 3rd, D. Webster, won Trophy by Invincible Picture Coy.; best 12/13 yds., D. Fletcher, won Trophy by Mr. H. Lander. No. 3, 30-bird D.B.: 1st, G. H. Schmidt, won cash £15 and Trophy by A. Beil; 2nd, R. Heinemann, won cash £10 and Trophy by R. Heinemann; 3rd, R. Holle, won cash £5 and Trophy by Mr. McLeod. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. Points: C. Webster and T. Stone, div. cash £25 for 1st and 2nd; 3rd, cash £5 div. G. H. Schmidt, E. Geary, R. Holle. No. 5, 5-bird S.B. S'stakes: N. Norris, W. Moody, B. Moody, D. Law, T. Stone, W. Davis, E. Geary, R. Holle. D. Webster.

NEWS

The Cunnamulla Gun Club conducted their first South-West Qld. S.B. C'ship on Saturday and Sunday, and was favoured with almost perfect weather conditions on both days. There were 38 competitors, visitors being present from Goondiwindi, Roma, Surat, South Coast and Bourk, arriving both by cars and private plane. We were disappointed to see some of our local members missing and other close clubs not represented. E. Geary shot very consistently to win the Championship Sash and Trophy. The shooting was of usual high standard and some



Queensland shooters competing at South Coast (Southport), Qld.

Seymour Gun Club

VICTORIA

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

SATURDAY, 23rd OCTOBER, 1954

1.30 p.m.—

No. 1 — 5 BIRD S.B. CASH SWEEP. Nom., 6/-. Comp. Division

2.15 p.m.—

No. 2 -

Goulburn Valley Single Barrel Championship

20 Birds from 16 yds. Nom., 25/-. Op. Sweep 5/-. 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 12/13 yds. Trophies.

SATURDAY, 20th NOVEMBER, 1954

1.30 p.m.—

No. 1 — 5 BIRD D.B. CASH SWEEP. Nom., 6/-. Comp. Division after 8th round.

2.15 p.m.—

North Eastern Double Barrel Championship

20 Birds from 16 yards. 1st, 2nd, 3rd and and 12/13 yds. Trophies.

- Championship Sash for winner -

All Refreshments will be provided by Club.

LANCE DRUMMOND, President. Phone: Seymour 194.

A. H. JONES, Hon, Secretary. good breaks recorded: A. Moody, 56: W. Prow, 65 unfinished: T. Stone missed his 100 break by four birds.

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missed his 100 break by four birds.

29/8/54. — Weather conditions: clear, cool, with occasional slight breeze. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Eye-opener, Comp. Div: A. McIntosh, L. Stewart, D. Webster, R. Heinemann, T. Stone, R. Holle, T. Hays, W. Moody, G. H. Schmidt, E. Law, R. Gardiner, G. Prow, R. Akers. No. 2, 30-bird D.B.: 1st, R. Heinemann, won Trophy by Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Browne; 2nd, T. Stone, won Trophy by Mr. J. Fraser; 3rd, D. Webster, won Trophy by Mr. B. Keene; best 12/13 yds., C. Webster, won Trophy by Mr. Reg Norris; best 14/15 yds., S. Stewart, won Trophy by Mr. E. Ecroyd; best 16/17 yds., D. Law, won Trophy by Mr. D. E. Young; best 18 yds. and back markers, L. Stewart, won Trophy by Mr. and Mrs. E. won Trophy by Mr. and Mrs. E.

Moody. No. 3, 30-bird D.B. Points (3-2): 1st, B. Moody, won cash £45 and Trophy by Mr. G. H. Schmidt; 2nd, G. Prow, won cash £15 and Trophy by Messrs. Moody Bros.; 3rd, A. McIntosh, won cash £5 and Trophy by Mr. A. Arthur; best 12/13 yds., C. Webster, won Trophy by Mr. J. A. McGregor (Brisbane). No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: D. Law won Trophy by Mr. R. Gardiner. High Gun over two days Gardiner. High Gun over two days won by T. Stone—Trophy by Mr. W. Schiewe.

Our younger members seemed to be in top form and proved tough competition, particularly G. Prow. Congratulations to visitor T. Stone on winning High Gun over two days with a possible 144/150. We take this opportunity to welcome three new members, J. Vetter, I. Fraser and C. MacDonald. Incidentally, readers, the yarns told by both visitors and locals at the Buffet Dinner Saturday night and on the grounds on Sunday after the presentation of the Trophies were well worth hearing.—A most enjoyable week-end for all, thanks to generous supporters who donated trophies, Our younger members seemed to supporters who donated trophies, caterers, workers, local and visiting shooters, not forgetting willing helpers when the trap broke down.

(Drouin), H. Sawyer (Morwell), E. Webb (Moe), div. S'stake. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Trophy Event: 1st, C. Budge Morwell), 57/57; 2nd, R. Glover (Sale), 56/57. No. 3, Teams Shoot: Drouin, 84 pts.; Morwell, 82; Moe, 76. P. Rowley (Maffra), R. James (Morwell), R. Glover (Sale), J. Oliver (Drouin), J. Jones (Morwell), J. Hansen Moe), C. Budge, D. Davey (Morwell).

NEWS

One of the best shoot-offs were seen on Saturday at the Morwell ground between Charlie Budge and R. Glover of Sale. Charlie has an unfinished 68 straight.

24/7/54.—Weather conditions: fine and showery. Results: No. 1, 5-bird P.D.: div. J. Budge, H. Pearson, J. Hudson, P. Spinks. No. 2, 10-bird D.B., Case Cartridges: div. L. Robinson, L. Mason, O. Ayton, H. Austin. No. 3, 10-bird P. Dec., Carv. Set and Clock: 1st, C. Budge, 41/45 pts.; 2nd, S. Gude, 40/45 pts.

Shooters had a good day, but the programme was delayed at times due to heavy showers. The wind played many tricks with the birds, as the results showed.

results showed.

28/8/54.—Weather conditions: very good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird P. Dec.: div. L. Bourbaud, P. Rowley, T. Gleson, J. Hudson, J. Hansen, T. Peterson, J. Budge, L. Elston. No. 2, 15-bird D.B., Club C'ship (10 div.): 1st, T. Gleson (Sale), 51/51; 2nd, C. Budge (Morwell), 50/51; 1st prize, Case Cutlery and Sash. No. 3, "Ultra" Trophy, 15-bird D.B. (10 div.): 1st, D. Cahill (Moe), 22/22; 2nd, J. Lowe (Drouin), 21/22.

The club held their Club D.B. Championship and "Ultra" Trophy event, and a very good day was had by all. Highlight of the day was the shoot-off for the Club Championship by ten shooters. The club hopes to have their new ground with two automatic traps completed and in use before Christmas.

(Fred D. Jenkins, Hon. Sec.)

caterers, workers, local and visiting shooters, not forgetting willing helpers when the trap broke down.

(Miss F. Osborne, Hon. Sec.)

MORWELL-YALLOURN (V.), 25/
9/54. — Weather conditions: fine and warm. Results: No. 1, 5-bird P. Dec.:
O. Ayton (Dunbalk), J. Oliver

CAMBERWELL (V.), 25/9/54. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B. Sweep: div. V. Dudley, L. Turner, G. Walter, A. J. Byers, L. Davies, J. McInnes, R. Johns and G. Stainton, each 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: 1st, Sylvester Schlitz (Quambatook), 42/42:

2nd, Cyril, 41/42; 3rd, Ross Smith, 24/25; F.M., F. Hakey, 21/22. No. 3, 5-bird Points Dec.: div. G. Walter, R. Johns, W. Bray, F. Skate, Des O'Callaghan, each 15/15 points. No. 4, 5-bird Points: div. G. Walter, Des O'Callaghan, H. Sweeney, G. Stainton, F. Skate, D. Mansell, each 15/15. Highest break, S. Schlitz (Quambatook).

A good muster turned up on the 25th Sept., despite many counter attractions, and spectators were treated to some clever marksmanship in the main event, won by a Quambatook farmer in Sylvester Schlitz, a comparative beginner, but can "he" shoot those clays—52 straight and a total of 58/59 for the day. Shooters will see more of him in the future. Mrs. Fankhauser won the Ladies' Trophy. The ladies must be congratulated on the fine afternoon tea. Pleasing to see Des O'Callaghan again handling that "auto" with his accustomed skill. Des before the war was one of the State's best shots. H. A. Phillips was welcomed back.

11/9/54. — Weather conditions: strong N.W. wind, light good. No. 1,

5-bird D.B. Sweep: div. L. Davies, V. Dudley, Fred Thatcher, J. McInnes, A. W. Alley, A. Brenk, T. R. Brown, A. J. Byers, each 12/12. No. 2, 15-bird Points Dec.: 1st, A. H. Brenk, 45/45; 2nd, Fred Thatcher, 92/93; 3rd, A. Mansell, 91/93; 14/16 ydr., Cyril, 43/45; 12/13 ydr., W. Hunter, 51/57. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: 28 possibles and after long shoot-off in the dark, was div. A. H. Brenk and Fred Thatcher, each 13/13.

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The windy conditions did not keep the shooters away; 40 turned up and had a good shoot. Eddie Brenk and Fred Thatcher both finished the day with 56 break unfinished. They never missed a bird for the day. They should have gone to the interstate team shoot. Thatcher is a much improved shot over the traps. Our popular President "Dick" Wightman is retiring after a very strenuous and grand three years; he will be sadly missed at the helm; he has made this one of the best metropolitan clubs at present. Good luck, Dick. We'll welcome you back any time you wish.

(W. R. Johns, Press Corresp.)

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6.30 p.m., SATURDAY, 23rd OCTOBER

DURING RODEO CELEBRATION

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W. A. R. MARSHALL, President.

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A. J. DEMPSTER, Secretary.

DROUIN (V.), 18/9/54.—Weather conditions: cold and showery. Reconditions: cold and showery. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: div. T. Pedersen, C. Budge, R. Glover, L. Elston, H. Guyatt, all 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Club C'ship: 1st, L. Swain, 25/25; 2nd, L. Schlipalius, 23/25; 3rd, 37/38, H. Guyatt. No. 3, 5-bird P.D. Sweep: div. J. Lowe, L. Swain, D. Maddock, C. Budge; best 12 ydr. for day, W. Colquhoun.

The D.B. Club Championship was held in cold and showery weather. only two shooters finishing with the possible. In the shoot-off Len Schlipalius missed his first and third birds, whilst Lloyd Swain continued on to shoot his five birds straight. The shoot-off for third placing saw Herb Guyett have to grass a further 18 birds before he could beat veteran Les Elston. The club is holding their S.B. Championship on the 18th Oct., when it is hoped that better weather conditions will make shooting less difficult.

(W. J. Dingwall, Hon. Sec.)

GERALDTON (W.A.).—Clay pigeon shooters, numbering approx. 70 from all clubs in Western Australia, participated in a series of champion-ship events fired on the grounds of the Geraldton Clay Pigeon Shooting Club last week-end, 28/8/54, the fixture being an unqualified success ture being an unqualified success from every aspect. Conditions throughout were almost perfect, except for a slight cross wind. Preceded by a 3-bird barrel warmer, shooting began on Saturday morning last with the Great Northern District D. Rise C'ship (12 pairs of birds off 16 yds.). W. R. Elliott (Geraldton) and E. Metcalf (Perth) each shot 11 pairs, and after a shoot-off was won pairs, and after a shoot-off was won by the latter.

The proceedings were officially opened early on Saturday afternoon by the Mayor (Dr. J. McAleer), following which firing in the State Deauville Double C'ship was begun. W. R. Elliott and G. Elliott (Geraldton) tied with N. J. Glass and H. W. Teakle (Geraldton), 19 pairs, and in a shoot-off W. R. Elliott and G. Elliott excelled in securing the possible. N. J. Glass and H. W. Teakle were the runners-up and C. Mitchell and K. Goulden finished 3rd.

On Sunday morning the Great Northern District Walk-up (20 birds)

Profound regret is expressed at the passing of Mr. J. R. Schutt, who answered the final call early in September.

Mr. Schutt was a sportsman in the truest sense of the word and his influence on the sport of clay pigeon shooting in its early days in Australia was pronounced.

In the pre-war era Mr. Schutt was a regular competitor at all the Nobel Club fixtures, as well as at many other clubs.

He served for several years on the Executive Committee of the A.C.P.T.S.A. and at one stage was a joint guarantor for the Associa-

Mr. Schutt was managing Mr. Schutt was managing director of Messrs. Schutt & Barrie of Geelong Road, Footscray, V., and a brother of the late Judge Billy Schutt, a prominent figure in the legal sphere and also a prominent Australian Rules League footballer.

The deepest sympathy and regret is expressed to Mr. Schutt's relatives.

was decided, the winner being C. Ferguson (Perth); R. W. Maslen (Geraldton) and T. Young (Katanning) tied for 2nd, and in a shoot-off Maslen gained 2nd place, with Young 3rd. The concluding event, the State Mixed Birds C'ship, was also conducted on Sunday last. It resulted in a victory for R. Carter (Cunderdin), with C. Ferguson (Perth), 2nd.

Women's trophies were won by Mesdames B. Gratte, J. Heal, Forbes and F. Cottam, whilst a special award was made to Miss Diana Williamson, who was the only feminine competitor in the championships. On both days of the fixture afternoon tea was served by ladies of the local club.

BALMORAL GUN CLUB

VICTORIA

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

SATURDAY, 27th NOVEMBER, 1954

Commencing 10 a.m.

Event No. 1 — 5 BIRD D.B. H'CAP SWEEPSTAKE Nom., 5/-. Compulsory Division.

Event No. 2 -

South Western Districts Double Barrel Championship

20 Targets off 16 vard Tracks.

Nom., 25/-, with Optional Sweepstakes, 10/-, on each 10 birds. Additional 20/- Sweepstake over all. Div. 60, 30, 10. 1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies to the value of £30, and Championship Sash.

Event No. 3 —

£50 DOUBLE BARREL HANDICAP

15 Targets off Association Handicaps

Nom., 40/-. Optional Sweepstake. Nom., 10/-. Div. 60, 30, 10.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

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G. G. PERN, PRESIDENT. PHONE 8. ENGLEFIELD.

W. F. DUNCAN, HON. SECRETARY. PHONE 13. BALMORAL.

The trophies were presented at a buffet tea and social in Birdwood House on Sunday night, when approx. 170 people were present.

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(W. R. Elliott, Hon. Sec.)

WERRIMULL (V.), 18/9/54. — Weather conditions: S.W. wind and showers. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. S'stake: B. Ferguson, D. Bruce, A. W. Barnes, A. Cooper, G. Wakefield, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: B. Wright, 1st, shoot-off; S. Giddings, 2nd. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. S'stake: B. Worthington, J. McConnell, 10/10; A. W. Barnes, R. Cavanagh, 9/10. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. Night Shoot S'stake: div. 18 shooters. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: D. Bruce, T. Ribarits, 10/10; shoot-off, D. Bruce, 1st; T. Ribarits, 2nd. No. 6, 5-bird S.B. Club C'ship: T. Ribarits, 5/5; J. Cullen, M. Doyle, 4/5; shoot-off: J. Cullen, 2nd; M. Doyle, 3rd.
Werrimull Gun Club wishes to

Werrimull Gun Club wishes to thank all shooters from near and far for their attendance at our first day and night shoot. Although the wind was cold and dust rose, shooters were in good spirit. Our main shoot, 10bird D.B. Trophy, went to young Don Bruce of Mildura, with T. Ribarits (also Mildura), 2nd. Good luck, boys, and good shooting. 49 shooters.

(G. W. Simpson, Hon. Sec.)

TULLIBIGEAL (N.S.W.), 18/9/54. -Weather conditions: windy, follow-—Weather conditions: windy, following birds. Pesults: No. 1, 10-bird Eye-opener: F. Singleton, D. Osborne, W. R. Johns, H. Anderson, L. Sim, H. Sim, Alan Tyack, L. Laneyrie, R. Selems, J. Dillon, W. Ridley, R. McNamara, R. Bushby, A. Martens, A. Tyack, W. Gifford, 10/10. No. 2, Sth. Western District D.B. C'ship: 1st, F. Singleton, 55/55; 2nd, M. Webb, 79/80; 3rd, Mick Smith, 78/80; 12 yd. Trophy, D. Lucas, 49/50. No. 3, Sth. Western District Mixed Birds C'ship: 1st, Mick Smith, 20/20; 2nd. Newton 1st, Mick Smith, 20/20; 2nd, Newton Thomas, 30/32; 3rd, C. Campbell, 39/45. No. 4, £50 H'cap: A. Tyack, C. Campbell, Newton Thomas, W. Gavel, F. Barnes, F. Singleton, B. Gordon, 15/15.

One of the best shoots held at Tullibigeal; visitors present from Griffith, Leeton, Narrandera, Grenfell, Sydney, Melbourne, Barellan, Condobolin, Bathurst and Cobar. Very fine shooting was witnessed by

the large attendance of spectators, the first two squads in the D.B. Championship only dropping 3 birds in 200; 15 shooters shot the 20 out of a field of 29. Frank Singleton is to be complimented on a faultless 55/55; he was master of the situation from start to finish. Then a duel between Merv. Webb of Leeton and Mick Smith of Sydney began to decide 2nd and 3rd; Webb, with a near miss, shot one about 2 ft. off the ground and then went on to 79/80 to take 2nd trophy. Roy Johns, a cousin of the secretary's, shot well to put up a break of 55. Well done, Roy, and thanks for the assistance.

In the Mixed Bird Championship Mick Smith was the only one to shoot the possible. Mixed birds seem to be his long suit, this being the second or third one that he has won. Newor third one that he has won. Newton Thomas only missed one in the shoot-off to take 2nd. Eric Evans (Griffith) and C. Campbell (Bathurst) shot the Walk-up and Double Rise, but missed in the Single and Double Barrel. Evans, missing a double barrel, left Campbell the winner. On the presentation of the trophies to the winners, all who received them complimented the club trophies to the winners, all who received them complimented the club on the high standard of the trophies and predict bigger and better shoots for the Tullibigeal Club in the future. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded Mrs. Grinter, who donated 1st trophy in the Double Barrel, also many thanks to E. Bruce and B. Pollard (Mildura) for 2nd and 2nd trophies (Mildura) for 2nd and 3rd trophies. A very fine afternoon tea was served by the wives of the shooters.

(G. L. Sim, Hon. Sec.)

HERBERT RIVER (Qld.), 12/9/54 HERBERT RIVER (Qld.), 12/9/54
— Weather conditions: windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: div. I. Rotondo, G. Spina, A. Nucifora, S. Di Bartolo, R. Russo (T.), R. Russo (H.), N. Dossetto, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird S.B., F. Russo Memorial Cup: J. Clift, 1st; N. Dossetto, 2nd. No. 3, 5-bird S.B. Novice Cup: L. Girgenti, 1st; A. Girgenti, 2nd. No. 4, 15-bird D.B. Patron's Cup: L. Girgenti, 44/44 birds, 1st; N. Dossetto, 43/44, 2nd. No. 5, Double Rise, Di Bartolo Trophy: J. Clift, 1st, 5/5 prs. No. 6, 3 prs. Deauville Doubles: N. Dossetto and R. Russo, 12/12 prs. 1st: A. to and R. Russo, 12/12 prs., 1st; A. Nucifora and R. Dunstan, 11/12 prs., 2nd. No. 7, Teams Shoot, 10-bird

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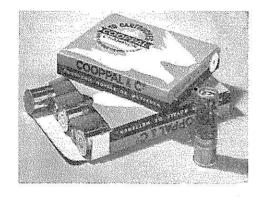
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S.B.: won by "Ducks" from "Drakes" by one bird.

This was our Club's annual shoot, and even though conditions were tricky, some exceptional shooting was witnessed. Congratulations from all members to L. Girgenti, who qualified for a 50 break badge. N. Dossetto was unlucky to miss his 44th bird. The Fraser Shield for the most consistent shooter of the year went to N. Dossetto. The Pavetto Trophy was won by I. Rolondo and the Nucifora Trophy was won by R. Dunstan.

ROYAL AERO CLUB (N.S.W.), ROYAL AERO CLUB (N.S.W.), 28/8/54.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eyeopener: div. C. Nichols, E. Bullen, J. N. Thomas, W. Craig, R. Reid, M. Smith, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. H'cap Sweep: 1st, J. N. Thomas, 10/10; 2nd and 3rd, div. F. Hudson and W. Chapman, 9/10. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. Trophy and Sweep: 1st Trophy and Sweep, M. Smith, 20/20; 2nd Trophy, C. Nichols, 19/20; 2nd and 3rd Sweep, div. C. Nichols, F. Hudson, E. Ginty, J. N. Thomas, W. Bullen and W. Craig, 19/20. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. Sweep from 16 yds.: 16 yds. and under Sweep: 1st, W. Bullen, T. Capell, 19/20; 3rd, W. Reid, 18/20; 17 yds. and over Sweep: div. C. Nichols, J. N. Thomas, W. Craig and M. Smith, 20/20. No. 5, 15-bird D.B. H'cap Sweep: 1st, J. N. Thomas, 15/15; 2nd and 3rd div. E. Bullen, M. Smith, W. Chapman, T. Capell, 14/15. No. 6, 10-bird D.B. H'cap Sweep: div. J. N. Thomas, C. Nichols, W. Reid, M. Smith, W. Craig, 10/10. No. 7, 10-bird D.B. H'cap Sweep: div. C. Nichols, J. N. Thomas, M. Smith, T. Capell, W. Craig, 10/10. No. 7, 10-bird D.B. H'cap Sweep: div. C. Nichols, J. N. Thomas, M. Smith, T. Capell, W. Craig, 10/10. Visitors included A. J. Baker 28/8/54.—Weather conditions: good.

Visitors included A. J. Baker (Tumut), T. M. Capell (Trundle) and G. S. Martin (President, Surfers Paradise).

4/9/54. — Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eye-opener: div. J. N. Thomas, R. Faunt, opener: div. J. N. Thomas, R. Faunt, C. Nichols, R. Weinert, W. Reid, S. Scattergood, W. Craig, W. Hanley and W. Rutty, 5/5. No. 2, 15-bird D.B. H'cap Point Score Sweep: 1st, C. Anderson, 15/44; 2nd, C. Nichols, 15/43; 3rd, D. Burton, 14/42. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. H'cap Trophy & Sweep: Trophy, 12/14 yds., R. Weinert, 15/15: Trophy, 16 yds, and over D. 15; Trophy, 16 yds. and over, D. Burton, 15/15; Sweep div. C. Nichols,

G. Anderson, D. Burton, R. Weinert and N. Townsend, 15/15. No. 4, N.S.W. Intermediate D.B. C'ship, 20-bird D.B. from 16 yds. Trophy and Sweep: 1st Trophy and Sash and Sweep, H. Weinert, 20/20; 2nd Trophy, R. Weinert, 19/20; 3rd Trophy, W. Bullen, 19/20; 2nd and 3rd Sweep div. R. Weinert and W. Bullen, 19/20. No. 5, 20-bird D.B. £25 H'cap Sweep div. R. Faunt and W. Chapman, 20/20; 3rd, div. E. Bullen, W. Bullen, J. Catt, 19/20. No. 6, 15-bird D.B. H'cap Sweep: div. A. Scattergood, W. Craig, 15/15; 3rd, div. R. Faunt, W. Bullen, W. Reid, A. Matthews, W. Rutty, 14/15. G. Anderson, D. Burton, R. Weinert

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Visitors included A. Rowe, H. Weinert and R. Weinert (Bathurst), H. Heat and N. Betts (Goulburn), H. Phillips and G. Anderson (Vic-toria), and R. Morton and A. Morton (Mayfield).

11/9/54.—Weather conditions: fine 11/9/54.—Weather conditions: fine and windy. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Eye-opener: 1st, H. Townsend, 10/10; 2nd, div. W. Chapman, F. Werner, R. Webb, H. Phillips, A. W. Fraser, 9/10. No. 2, 15-bird S.B. H'cap Sweep: 1st, H. Townsend, 13/15; 2nd and 3rd, div. W. Chapman and H. Phillips, 12/15. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. H'cap Sweep: 1st, R. Webb, 19/20; 2nd, div. H. Phillips, R. McAdam, 17/20. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. H'cap Sweep: 1st, R. Webb, 19/20.

Visitors included Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Fraser and friend from New Zealand, H. Townsend, R. Webb and Dr. Lee from Illawarra Club Wollongong, and R. M. MacAdam.

18/9/54.—Weather conditions: fine and windy. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Eye-opener: div. C. Gibbons, W. Bullen, D. Burton, A. Matthews, C. Michael, G. West, C. Nichols, 10/10. No. 2, 15-bird D.B. H'cap Sweep: div. W. Bullen, R. Webb, W. Rutty, 15/15 each. No. 3, Hudson Challenge Shield, teams of 5, 20-bird D.B. per Shield, teams of 5, 20-bird D.B. per Shooter H'cap Sweep: 1st, R.A.C. of N.S.W. No. 3 Team (R. Thompson, J. Catt, F. Hudson, E. Ginty and C. Nichols, 94/100); Sweep div. C. Michael, F. Hudson, J. Catt, 20/20. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. H'cap Sweep: div. W. Bullen, A. Matthews, C. Michael, 20/20. No. 5, 15-bird D.B. H'cap Trophy Sweep: Trophy, 16 yds. and over, F. Hudson, 15/15; Trophy, 12/15 yds., R. Webb, 15/15; Sweep, div. NEWS

YASS GUN CLUB

New South Wales

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

SATURDAY, 13th NOVEMBER, 1954

Commencing 11 a.m.

No. 1 - 5 BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER. Comp. Div.

No. 2—10 BIRD D.B. HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKES Nomination, £1.

No. 3 -

Southern Districts Walk-Up Championship

No. 4 -

Southern Districts Double-Rise Championship

SWEEPSTAKES TO FOLLOW, TIME PERMITTING.

Cartridges, Luncheon and Refreshments available on Ground.

W. B. GROGAN, PRESIDENT.

B. L. JAMES, HON. SECRETARY, PHONE 166.

F. Hudson, C. Nichols, R. Hall, R. Webb, H. Townsend, E. Ginty, R. Faunt, 15/15.

Visitors included Ray Hall (Wagga), J. Finlayson (Epping), R. Webb, E. Webb, H. Townsend, J. Waples and A. Henderson (Wollongong), and two teams from Sydney Gun Club. The shoot by six teams for the Hudson Challenge Shield took place in fairly good weather, slightly marred by a brief shower of rain which was part of variable wind conditions. Keenly contested, this event was well supported by shooters before a good field of friends.

(W. C. Hudson, Hon. Sec.)

SOUTH COAST (Qld.), 11/9/54.—Weather conditions: fine, S.E. wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. E.O.: div. D. Hoffman, L. Ardon, A. Walker, H. Walker, C. Whitney, G. S. Martin, H. Hodge, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. off 16 yds.: div. D. Hoffman, A. Walker, O. Walker, C. Whitney, B. Mackey, H. Hodge, 5/5. No. 3, 1954 Club C'ship, 40 Mixed off 16 yds.: 1st, L. Ardron, 35/40; 2nd, C. Ferguson, 34/40; 3rd, H. Hodge, 33/40. No. 5, Captain's Trophy, 10 prs. Deauville Doubles: 1st, O. Walker and H. Walker, 18/18, on shoot-off from A. Walker and B. Mackey, and P. Woulfe and H. Moore.

Very pleasant day, although we had hoped to see more shooters for the Club Championship. Improvements in grounds now being made in readiness for January Carnival, 22nd to 31st January, 1955. Notice elsewhere in this issue of News.

(G. O. Martin, Hon. Sec.)

HOBART (Tas.). — Commonwealth Championship meeting, September 25. H. M. Eddington of the Hobart Club, with a possible score of 40/40, annexed the blue ribbon event of clay pigeon shooting when he won the Commonwealth D.B. Championship at Brighton on Saturday, Sept. 25. The event was part of a two-day programme sponsored by the Hobart Gun Club. Shooters from all gun clubs in the State, and three Victorian marksmen, contested the four events on Saturday.

In the Championship, Eddington and R. Rockliffe of Launceston were leading at the half-way mark with possibles of 20/20. A. Nelson, J.

Blake, J. D. Bryan and G. Gourlay were next with 19/20. At the 30 mark Eddington and Rockliffe still had possibles. It was a tense last round, and possibly over-anxiety on Rockliffe's part robbed him of victory as he missed a bird in the final 10. Nelson and Blake hung on to add 10 each, making their scores 38/40. The shoot-off for third place went to Nelson, when he added 15 straight for the remarkable total of 53/55. Fiftyseven took part in the shoot yesterday. J. Blake of Cressy provided excellent shooting when he carried his previous day's break to 147 straight.

The Tasmanian team in the interstate contest compiled an aggregate score and was three up on its score of last year. The Championship trophies were presented by Mr. Eric H. Round, patron of the club. The title sash was presented to H. M. Eddington by Mrs. E. Nelson. Details:

Saturday. D.B. C'ship: H. M. Eddington (Hobart), 40/40, 1st; R. Rockcliffe (Launceston), 39/40, 2nd; A. Nelson (Collinsvale), 53/55, 3rd; J. Blake (Cressy), 52/55, 4th. 5-bird 12/13 yd. event: L. A. Warren, 19/20. 1st; A. Marshall, 18/20, 2nd; B. Bailey, 7/8, 3rd; J. Mircea, Miss E. Nelson, D. Boyes, R. Goodwin, F. M. McDonald, R. Hortin, P. McCarthy, 4/5, equal. 10-bird D.B. H'cap: W. Doddridge, N. Frith, T. Cannan, G. Gourley, J. D. Bryan, A. Birchall, F. McDonald, H. M. Eddington, R. Powell, I. Hallam, J. McKenzie, 10/10, div. £50 H'cap, 20 birds: J. Tubb, P. McCarthy, R. Wighton, C. Allwood, J. Mircea, J. M. Tyquin, J. Blake, B. Bailey, 20/10; shoot-off: J. Blake, 58/58, 1st; J. Tubb, 57/58, 2nd, J. Mircea, 52/53, 3rd.

Sunday. £50 D.B. C'ship: E. Pulford, K. Pulford, A. Quinton, F. Dobson, J. Taylor, P. McCarthy, J. Tubb, S. Marshall, W. Doddridge, 10/10, div. 20-bird Elimination Contest: A. Birchall, E. G. McRae, E. Coleman, J. Blake, 20/20; J. Tyquin, J. Tubb, S. Marshall, N. Fich, P. Powell, 27/28; G. Gourlay, 39/41; W. R. Morgan, 38/41. 5-bird D.B. H'cap: R. Lapham, J. D. Bryan, P. Fairfield, R. Powell, R. Andrews, S. Marshall, W. Potter, R. Pulford, H. M. Eddington, J. M. Tyquin, W. Rainbird, G. Gourlay, S. Bailey, J. Mircea, E. Pulford, C. Allwood, K. Pulford, J. Blake, J. Jetson, A. J. Lowe, T. Cannan, E.

JEPARIT GUN CLUB

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

will conduct a "Back-to-Jeparit" Shoot

TUESDAY, 2nd NOVEMBER, 1954

Commencing at 10 a.m.

1st Event - 5 BIRD EYE-OPENER.

2nd Event -

Twartz and Livingston Handicap

10 Bird D.B. Trophy Shoot

1st Trophy valued at £10; 2nd, £5; 3rd, £3. Nom., 20/-. Op. Sweep 10/-.

Jeparit Grand Prix

20 Bird Double Barrel Handicap

1st, D.B. Beretta Gun valued at £70; 2nd, Trophy, £10; 3rd Trophy, £5. Nom., £2/10/-. Op. Sweep, £1.

10 Bird Single Barrel Handicap

Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd. Op. Sweep, 10/-.

ALSO NIGHT SHOOT UNDER FLOODLIGHT

Afternoon Tea and Refreshments available on Ground.

Cartridges available.

The Committee reserve the right to alter the programme should the necessity arise.

ALL PROCEEDS TO JEPARIT & DISTRICT BRASS BAND.

F. L. O'LOUGHLIN, President. B. C. WITNEY, Hon. Secretary.

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North Wimmera Championships

SATURDAY, 13th NOVEMBER, 1954

Commencing at 10.30 a.m.

5 BIRD EYE-OPENER. Comp. Division 1st round.
10 BIRD TROPHY EVENT.

North Wimmera Double Barrel Championship

20 Birds off 16 yards. Nom., 25/-. Op. Sweep 10/.
1st, Sash and Trophy; 2nd and 3rd Trophies.

£50 Handicap

Divided 60-30-10. Trophy for best 12/13 yarder.

NIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

North Wimmera Double Rise Championship

12 Pairs. Nom., 30/-. Op. Sweep 10/-. 1st, Sash and Trophy; 2nd and 3rd Trophies.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

Afternoon Tea and Refreshments available on Ground. Cartridges available.

The Committee reserve the right to alter the programme should the necessity arise.

F. L. O'LOUGHLIN, President. B. C. WITNEY, Hon. Secretary. Coleman, I. Hallam, W. R. Morgan, E. G. McRae, J. Taylor, L. A. Warren, S. Baird, H. Munning, N. Frith, A. Quinton, F. Dobson, 5/5, div.

COBURG (V.), Sept. 11th.—Interstate Teams Match, 30 birds elimination: In this event Geoff Cookson was outstanding in a field of 81, with a score of 30/30 to win the event outright. He went on to carry off the high Gun Sash with a score of 49/50 in the Victorian team. Taking into consideration the gale that was blowing from the north, making shooting conditions as bad as they could be, Geoff's performance was the best that we have witnessed at Coburg for quite a long while. Results in detail as follows: 30 birds elimination: 1st, G. Cookson (Alexandra), 30/30; 2nd, F. Johnson, 40/42; 3rd, W. Finnegan, 33/35; 12/13 yds., M. Parrow. 20 birds D.B.: 1st, M. Hamilton, 40/41; 2nd, A. Tie, 39/41; 3rd, R. Dale, 23/24; 12/13 yds., H. Pearson, 19/20.

Sept. 25th. No. 1, 5 birds Walkup: div. F. Olver, W. Finnegan, H.

Belmore, L. Turner, R. Ribarits, J. Fewster, R. Hooker, Veal, G. Anderson, F. Burns, 4/5. No. 2, Metropolitan Walk-up: 1st, R. Jorgensen, 17/20; 2nd, R. Ribarits, 23/30; 3rd, F. Burns; 12/13 yds., D. Glover. No. 3, 5 birds Points: 1st, R. Jorgensen, 42/42; 2nd, H. Henry, 39/42. No. 4, Club D.B. C'ship: 1st, F. Burns, 30/30; 2nd, H. Henry, 29/30; 3rd, H. Belmore, 21/22; 12/13 yds., D. Glover, 11/15. No. 5, 20 birds D.B.: Fred Burns put on a superb performance. ance to win this event from 25 yds. with a score of 30/30 from C. Mudford, 31/32, with R. Dale, 3rd, 30/32; 12/13 yds., Fred Furlong, 19/20.

(C. Mudford, Club Corresp.)

NEWCASTLE (N.S.W.), 4/9/54.— NEWCASTLE (N.S.W.), 4/9/54.—Weather conditions: very good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird E.O. Sweep: R. Young, N. William, H. Bowden, 5/5, div. No. 2, 5-bird S.B. Jack-pot: I. Hoare, 10/10; R. Young, 9/10. No. 3, 10-bird Trophy D.B.: R. Young, 23/23; N. Mitchell, 22/23; A. Hancock, 17/18. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: A. Hancock, R. Melville, 10/10, div.;

Macarthur Gun Club

VICTORIA

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

SATURDAY, 6th NOVEMBER, 1954

Event No. 1 — 5 BIRD SWEEPSTAKE. Nom., 10/-. Comp. Div.

Event No. 2 —

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP 15 Bird Double Barrel

1st Prize, BROWNING Auto Shotgun. 2nd Prize, Electric Shaver.

Trophy for best 12 yarder. Nom., £3. 10/- Op. Sweep.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

J. B. SULLIVAN, PRESIDENT.

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R. TRIGGER, HON. SECRETARY.

J. Fryer, R. Young, 9/10, div. No. 5, 5-bird Points: R. Young, 15/15; W. Thoroughgood, 14/15; R. Melville, 13/15. No. 6, 10-bird D.B.: I. Hoare, 16/16; N. Mitchell, 16/16, div.; R. Melville, N. Williams, 14/15. No. 7, 5-bird D.B., 24 yds.: R. Melville, 16/16. A Hancock 15/16. No. 8 5-bird 16; A. Hancock, 15/16. No. 8, 5-bird D.B. Points, 24 yds.: R. Young, 14/15; A. Hancock, 12/15.

The conditions were perfect for shooting, the shooting not being up to the usual standard, although isolated shooters put up some reasonably good scores.

18/9/54.—Weather conditions: fair, 18/9/54.—Weather conditions: fair, slight head wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: R. Morton, W. Tickle, K. Pierpoint, D. Scowcroft, A. Hancock, I. Hoare, R. Young, 5/5, div. No. 2, Trophy, 10-bird Points: H. Pankhurst, 30/30; D. Scowcroft, 29/30; R. Melville, 29/30. No. 3, Sweep, 5-bird S.B.: D. Scowcroft, A. Hancock, J. Erwey, H. Bowden, 5/5 Hancock, J. Fryer, H. Bowden, 5/5, div. No. 4, Sweep, 10-bird D.B.: D. Scowcroft, R. Morton, 17/17, div.; R. Melville, 16/17. No. 5, Sweep, 5-bird Points: J. Fryer, N. Mitchell, 15/15, div. No. 6, Sweep, 24 yds. D.B.: R. Melville, 10/10; A. Hancock, 9/10; R. Young, 8/9.

Clear day, with a gusty head wind making the targets difficult at times; the attendance was the best for quite some time. D. Scowcroft putting up the best performance for the day,

(H. Bowden, Hon. Sec.)

HARGRAVE PARK (N.S.W.), 14th HARGRAVE PARK (N.S.W.), 14th Aug., 1954. 10-bird D.B. "Sparrow" H'cap: W. Handley, 1st, 8/10; C. Plummer, A. Spiter, C. Nicholls, div. 2nd and 3rd, 7/10. Club D.B. "Sparrow" C'ship: Newton Thomas, 1st, 20/20; C. Plummer, 2nd, 16/20; A. J. Matthews, 3rd, 22/30, after shoot-off with J. Catt; C. Michael won frontmarker Trophy. 13/20. 10-bird D.B. marker Trophy, 13/20. 10-bird D.B. H'cap: M. Throsby and C. Nicholls, div. 1st, 8/10; A. Spiter, C. Ander-son, C. Michael, W. Handley, Newton Thomas, div. 2nd and 3rd.

28th Aug., 1954. 10-bird D.B. H'cap: R. Croft, A. Catt, A. Spiter, C. Bean, 10/10, div. 10-bird D.B. H'cap: E. Brazenall and A. Catt, div. 1st and 2nd, 10/10; C. Plummer, A. Spiter, div. 3rd, 9/10. 15-bird D.B. H'cap: C. Plummer, 1st, 15/15; J. Finlayson and D. West, div. 2nd and

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3rd. 14/15. 10-bird D.B. H'cap and Trophy: C. Bean, 1st, 10/10; C. Plummer, G. West, A. Spiter, J. Finlayson, div. 2nd and 3rd, 9/10.

layson, div. 2nd and 3rd, 9/10.

11th Sept., 1954. 31 shooters attended to contest the Sydney D.B. C'ship. 10-bird D.B. Eye-opener: J. Edgell, M. Smith, R. Croft, L. Hughes, C. Nicholls, 10/10, div. Sydney D.B. C'ship: D. Osborne, 1st, 20/20; six shooters, 19/20, faced the trap to shoot-off for 2nd and 3rd place. Result: Luke Hughes, 2nd, 44/45; Dr. Gibbons, 3rd, 47/50; C. Plummer, 46/50; J. Catt, 38/40; C. Nicholls, 33/35; R. Faunt, 28/30. 10-bird D.B. H'cap and Trophy: C. Michael, 1st; W. Reid, 2nd; A. J. Matthews won front-marker Trophy. (C. W. Plummer, Hon. Treas.)

(C. W. Plummer, Hon. Treas.)

BANGALL (Q.), 25/9/54.—Weather conditions: clear, no wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: K. Brown, 6/6, 1st; G. R. Poole, 5/6, 2nd. No. 2, 5 Points: K. Brown, 14, 1st; A. Hathaway, C. Hoffman, W. McIntyre, 12, 2nd. No. 3, 5-bird S.B.: C. Hoffman, 6/8, 1st; A. Hathaway, 5/8, 2nd; G. R. Poole, 4/6, 3rd. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. (5 clays, 5 sparrows): K. Brown, 15/15, 1st; C. Hoffman, 14/15, 2nd; C. C. McClymont, 10/11, 3rd. No. 5, 5-bird S.B.: C. Hoffman, 12/12, 1st; K. Brown, 11/12, 2nd; two others, 6/7, 3rd. No. 6, 20-bird S.B. Trophy: C. C. McClymont, 18, 1st; J. Crombie, C. Hoffman, K. Brown, 17, 2nd. No. 7, 3 pr. Deauvilles: C. Fielder and H. Owens, 10/12, 1st; P. C. Johnston and C. C. McClymont, 9/12, 2nd. No. 8, 5-bird S.B. Ladies: Mrs. J.

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SYDNEY GUN CLUB

New South Wales

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

GROUNDS: PRINCES HIGHWAY, WATERFALL

Double Championship

TWO AUTOMATIC TRAPS

To be held on

SATURDAY, 20th NOVEMBER, 1954

Commencing 1.30 p.m.

Sydney Single Barrel Championship

1st, Sash and Trophy; 2nd and 3rd Trophies. Optional Sweep. Div. 60%, 30%, 10%.

Sydney Mixed Birds Championship

1st. Sash and Trophy; 2nd and 3rd Trophies. Optional Sweep. Div. 60%, 30%, 10%.

- AFTERNOON TEA -

R. MORRIS. PRESIDENT. PHONE WOLLONGONG 8 4130.

A. H. JOHNSTON, HON, SECRETARY, PHONE LB 6818.

AUSTRALIAN

(J. Crombie, Hon. Sec.)

CAIRNS (Qld.). - The Cairns Gun Club conducted a Championship Shoot on the week-end 4/5th Sept., the main event on the programme being the Queensland D.B. (Sparrow) C'ship, which was won by Towns-ville shooter, J. Carrington. Weather conditions were good and attendance of 40 shooters. Results:

First Day. Event 1, 5-bird Eye-Opener: J. Carrington, T. Jones and G. Kelly, 5/5. Event 2, 10-bird D.B. Sparrow: A. Collins, 27/30; P. Mazzer, 26/30; T. Jones and A. Moses, 24/30. Event 3, 5-bird Walk-up: T. Jones, C. Mealing, W. Jago, 5/5. Event 4, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: W. Jago, 21/21; C. Grigg, 20/21; T. Jones,

Second Day. Event 1, 5-bird Sparrow S'stake: J. Page, N. Stevens, R. Kelly, C. Grigg, 5/5. Event 2, £30 S.B. H'cap and Calcutta Sweep: W. Jago, J. Dwyer, S. Day, 15/15. Event 3, Qld. D.B. Sparrow C'ship: J. Carrington, 26/30; H. Nasser, 25/30; A. Moses, 23/30; A. Collins, 22/30; P. Mazzer, 21/30. Event 4, Deauville Doubles: J. Dwyer and A. Moses, 11/11. L. Lyert and E. Clayson 10/ 11/11; J. Izatt and F. Claussen, 10/ 11; M. Collins and A. Collins, 7/8.

(H. H. Veivers, Hon. Sec.)

RIVERSIDE (N.S.W.), 22/9/54.— Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eye-opener: div. G. McWilliams, E. Redman, A. Brown, C. Grills, R. Barnes, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: div. N. Smith, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: div. N. Smith, L. Brown, E. Redman, A. Brown, R. Middleton, R. Barnes, D. Smith, F. Stranieri, 5/5. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Trophies: 1st Trophy, T. Chandler, 40/40; 2nd, E. Redman, 39/40; 3rd, A. Brown, 30/31; R. Chandler, 14/15; R. Barnes, 13/14. No. 4, 10-bird D. Rise Club C'ship and Sash and Open Trophy: R. Middleton, Club C'ship, 23/30 pts.; L. Brown, Open Trophy, 24/30 pts. No. 5, 20-bird Point Score Treasurer's Trophy and Open Trophy: 1st. G. McWilliams, Open Trophy: 1st, G. McWilliams, 54/60; 2nd, C. Grills (Open Trophy), 57/60; T. Chandler, 53/60; N. Smith, 53/60; E. Redman, 53/60; R. McCosker, 56/60; R. Middleton, 52/60; R. Barnes, 51/60. No. 6, 10-bird D.B. "Ultra" Trophy: E. Redman, 10/10.

No. 7, Miss-out Sweep: N. Smith, 5/5. No. 8, Miss-out Sweep: L. Brown, 11/11.

Seventeen shooters contested the main event, 10-bird Double Rise Club Championship and Sash, which was won by R. Middleton. Good shooting, Rod. Congratulations to other Trophy winners: T. Chandler, E. Redman, L. Brown, A. Brown, P. Psaros, C. Grills, R. McCosker; best 12 ydr., G. McWilliams (first time), to be won twice in succession or three times in all, Treasurer's Trophy. We all enjoyed a good day's shooting and we appreciate the Inverell Club members visiting our club, as this makes the shooting much more interesting and competitive.

(T. J. E. Chandler, Hon. Sec.)

SOUTH BURNETT (Qld.), 26/9/ SOUTH BURNETT (Qld.), 26/9/54.—Weather conditions: fine, with slight wind gusts. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eye-opener: P. Dennis, 5/5; E. Kanauer, S. Horn, 4/5. No. 2, 10-bird S.B. S'stakes: M. Champney, G. Towne, 9/10; S. Horne, W. Proposch, E. Kanauer, H. Robertson, 8/10. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. Points 3-2, Garden Cafe Trophy: G. Towne, 59/60; S. Horne, 59/60; G. Towne won on hsoot-off: W. Proposch, 3rd, 55/60. on hsoot -SHR DSHRDL SHRD HR on shoot-off; W. Proposch, 3rd, 55/60. No. 4, 10-bird S.B. S'stakes: W. Pro-posch, 10/10, 1st; R. Powell, N. Kef-ford, G. Towne, 9/10, 2nd and 3rd. No. 5, 5 pr. Double Rise: G. Towne and S. Horne, 4/5, tied. No. 6, 5 pr. Deauville Doubles, 3 prs. scored the possible 5 prs. and as result of shootoff P. Dennis and W. Proposch, 1st; R. Powell and S. Horne, 2nd; M. Champney and J. Smith, 3rd.

Attendance was not the best. Reason being that there was a storm about one hour before the starting fime. All shooters were in good form, but G. Towne and S. Horne shot very well and proved too good in the main event. Sel Horne, who had got his 50 straight at Roma and won the £50 Handicap, has been very consistent for some time now and deserved his re-handicap to 14 yds. W. Proposch was always close to the money, and it won't be long before his handicap will be altered.

(R. Powell, Hon. Sec.)

BIRCHIP (V.), 17/9/54. — Weather conditions: showery night. Re-

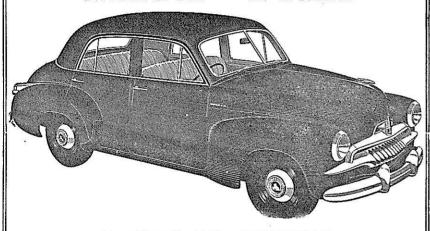
NEWS

RAINBOW GUN CLUB

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

NEW YEAR'S DAY Saturday, 1st January, 1955

RAINBOW GRAND PRIX



20 BIRDS D.B. HANDICAP

Commencing 9.30 a.m.

1st, Standard Model HOLDEN CAR, valued £1,000. 2nd, D.B. Empire Greener Gun, valued £110. 3rd, £50 Cash.

4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th, £12/10/- Cash each. Nom., £12/10/-.

Entries accompanied by Nom. £12/10/- will be accepted now.

It may be necessary to limit the field. OTHER EVENTS TO FOLLOW.

Two Grounds — both Auto Traps

Accommodation available for all shooters. Grounds open for practice on Friday, Dec. 31st.

Refreshments :: Booth :: Cartridges

W. H. MARK, President. J. WISHART Jr., Hon. Sec., Phone 39. P.O. Box 50, Rainbow.

sults: No. 1, 5-bird Comp. Cut: 15 shooters cut this event. No. 2, 5-bird Trophy Event: 1st Trophy, R. Cook, 12/12; 2nd Trophy, R. Reseigh, 11/12; Sweep cut by R. Cook, M. Nalder, R. Reseigh, S. Adams, E. Knight. No. 3: 1st Trophy, M. Connelly, 13/13; 2nd Trophy, S. Reseigh, 12/13; 3rd Trophy, H. Hillgrove, 11/13. No. 4, Sweep cut by C. Ferrier, P. Nalder, E. McIntyre, G. Burton; Trophies won by, 1st, G. W. Burton, 13/13; 2nd, C. Ferrier, 12/13; 3rd, P. Nalder, 9/10. shooters cut this event. No. 2, 5-bird der. 9/10.

It turned out a cold, showery night for the first night shooting we have held. It is the first competitive clay shoot we have held; have had a lot of practice shoots. We are holding our official opening on Sat., Oct. 9th, when Shire President will open the shoot and trophies have been donated by various business people for opening night. 55 shooters.

(H. G. Taylor, Hon. Sec.)

GOONDIWINDI (Qld.). - The results of shoot 26/9/54 are: Event 1, sults of shoot 26/9/54 are: Event 1, 5 birds D.B.: A. W. McIntosh, Les Raymond, R. Thorsborne, S. J. O'Shea, A. Lillyman, R. Park, W. Pendock, div., 5/5. Event 2, 10 birds D.B.: A. W. McIntosh, W. Turner, W. Pendock, R. Park, L. W. Lillyman, div., 10/10. Event 3, 10 birds Point: Les Raymond, 30/30. Event 4, 10 birds Trophy Shoot: A. W. McIntosh, 85/85: Les Raymond, 84/85: R. 85/85; Les Raymond, 84/85; R. Thorsborne, 34/35; 12 ydr., J. Stehr, 14/15. Event 5, 10 birds D.B.: A. W. McIntosh, 15/15; W. Turner, W. Pendock, A. Lillyman, W. Nichol, 15/15. Event 6, 10 birds Point: div. W. Pendock, R. Thorsborne, A. Lillyman, R. Park, 30/30.

(S. J. O'Shea, Hon. Sec.)

COLLARENEBRI (N.S.W.), 18/9/ 54. - Weather conditions: gusty hot wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eyeopener: R. H. Clark, J. Crighton, 5/5. No. 2, 15-bird S.B. Patron's Trophy: No. 2, 15-bird S.B. Patron's Trophy: H. B. Wade, 15/15; H. Morse, 23/25; K. R. Black, 22/25; 12/13 yd., F. Mackey, 13/-. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. H'cap: E. A. Holmes, 30/30; J. C. Thompson, 29/30; Phillips, 28/30; 12/13, B. Denyer, 32/35. No. 4, 30-bird Point £100 H'cap: E. A. Holmes, 84/00; P. J. Whife Y. Cappeck, B. 84/90; R. J. White, V. Coppock, B. Denyer, div., 82/90; K. White, 12/-; K. Badgery, 13/-. No. 5, 10-bird

Point: L. Bingham, 30/30, outright winner.

NEW

Gusty wind, making shooting tricky, E. A. Holmes winning the two main events, a Lady's Bracelet, then following with a win in the £100 Handicap. It was an open shoot and the club enjoyed having visitors from Moree, Mungindi, Goodooga, St. George, Talwood. The shooting was of a good standard, with E. A. Holmes shooting 56 straight, his second 50 in a fortnight. In welcoming the visitors the President thanked them for travelling long distances, to enable that type of shoot to take place.

(F. K. Badgery, Hon. Sec.)

QUEANBEYAN (N.S.W.). — An open shoot was conducted on Saturday, 25th Sept., under adverse shooting conditions, with attendance well below average. The Deauville Doubles C'ship of the Southern Districts of N.S.W. was the principal event of the day and was won by M. J. Edlington and W. Mackay, O. Hallam and N. Edlington filling 2nd place.

Results: Event 1, 5-bird Eye-opener C.D.: W. Mackay, M. Edlington, J. Tilyard, J. Neeld, F. Morton and W. Hedges, 5/5, div. Event 2, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: W. Mackay, F. Morton, W. Jordan, L. Blewitt, J. Neeld and A. Bradley, 10/10, div. Event 3, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: W. Mackay, J. Til-yard, G. Tilyard, F. Morton, W. Hedges and O. Hallam, 10/10, div. Event 4, 10-bird Point Score: 1st, O. Hallam; best 12 yds., G. Morton. Event 5, 20 prs. Deauville Doubles C'ship of Southern Districts of N.S.W.: 1st, M. J. Edlington and W. Mackay; 2nd, O. Hallam and N. Edlington. Event 6, 15-bird D.B. £50 H'cap: W. Mackay, M. Edlington, A. J. Tilyard, O. Hallam, N. Betts and K. Webster, 20/20, div. Event 7, 5-bird Double Rise: 1st, J. Watt; 2nd, J. Tilyard. Event 8, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: W. Mackay, A. Bradley, G. Tilyard, F. Morton, N. Betts, A. Leahy and G. Read, 10/10, div. Event 9, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: W. Mackay, M. Edlington, A. Bradley, F. Morton, J. Watt and W. Jordan, 10/10, div. Watt and W. Jordan, 10/10, div. (F. C. Morton, Hon. Sec.) Event 4, 10-bird Point Score: 1st, O.

(F. C. Morton, Hon. Sec.)

GUNDAGAI (N.S.W.), 14/9/54.— Weather conditions: cloudy but fine.

Hargrave Park Gun Club

PIGEON

N.S.W.

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

Shooting Grounds situated "Bella Vista", Old Windsor Road,

SEVEN HILLS (near Parramatta)

NOVEMBER PROGRAMME. 1954:

NOV. 13th — OPEN SHOOT

Sydney Double-Rise Championship

12 Pairs from 16 vards.

Trophies for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and best Front Marker. Optional Sweep, div. 60%, 30%, 10%.

NOV. 27th — CLUB SHOOT (Visitors welcome)

-£25 HANDICAP AND TROPHY EVENT

(£25, div. 60%, 30%, 10%)

EYE-OPENERS, SWEEPSTAKES AND TROPHY EVENTS WILL BE HELD IN ADDITION TO THE MAIN EVENTS PROGRAMMED ABOVE.

- Afternoon Tea provided -

Club Shoots commence 2 p.m.

Open Shoots commence 1.30 p.m.

C. ANDERSON, President, 70 Bradley's Head Rd., Mosman. C. W. PLUMMER. Hon. Treasurer. Phones: Private, XM 4815; Business; WB 1712.

T. HORNE,

Hon. Secretary.

Results: No. 1, Eye-opener: C. True, R. Elworthy, D. Ballard, K. Foley, W. Burkins, P. Monaghan, K. Scott, D. Louther, 5/5. No. 2, No. 1 Sweep: C. True, M. Wren, P. Foley, P. Rusconi, R. Hall, P. Monaghan, K. Foley, D. Louther, A. Baker, N. Goodsall, W. Ballard, 5/5. No. 3, £20 H/C: N. Goodsall, C. True, 15/15, div. No. 4, S.B. H'cap: R. Elworthy, 10/10. No. 5, 10 Mixed Birds H/C: R. Elworthy, W. Butler, C. True, 10/10. No. 6, Team Shoot: R. Hall, S. Sheldon, M. Wren, P. Monaghan, 46/60. No. 7, No. 2 Team Shoot: P. Foley, K. Foley, W. Burkins, G. Baker, 52/60. 52/60.

Shooting conditions were very good and competition very keen. An excellent afternoon's shoot was had by all who took part.

(N. Goodsall, Hon. Sec.)

HAY (N.S.W.), 25/9/54, Day and Night.-Weather conditions: reasonably perfect, fair sth.-west wind. Re1 sults: No. 1, 15-bird D.B. Opener, Ass. H'cap Mks.: div. K. Soames Snr., N. S. Soames, J. Headon, J. Scott, A. Headon, D. Taylor, R. Bushby, D. A. Headon, D. Taylor, R. Busnby, D. Osborne, Max Gibson, C. Campbell, M. Webb, F. Singleton. No. 2, State Team Elimination, 30 birds off 16 yds.: J. Houston, 40/40, 1st; F. Hudson, 39/40, 2nd; R. A. Richardson, 24/25 2nd offer cheat offer T. Down. son, 39/40, 2nd; R. A. Richardson, 34/35, 3rd, after shoot-off; J. Donohoe, 12/13 yd. Trophy. No. 3, £50 H'cap, 20-bird Ass.: div. B. S. Gordon, E. V. Cox, W. Ronald, A. A. Tyack, M. Smith, M. Michall, R. Bushby, E. Daly, 20/20. No. 4, Hay Dist. D.B. C'ship: W. Warren, 53/55, 1st; D. Osborne, 52/55, 2nd; W. Bullan, 34/25, 3rd, after shoot-off; W. 1st; D. Osborne, 52/55, 2nd; W. Bullen, 34/35, 3rd, after shoot-off; W. Wilson, 12/13 yd. Trophy. No. 5, State Team Score: N. Thomas, 50; D. Osborne, 50; S. Lamb, 50; E. Alberts, 50; High Gun, E. Alberts (Barellan), 112/112. Night: No. 6, 10-bird D.B. Opener as H'cap Mks.: div. T. R. Thompson, C. Campbell, Max Gibson, W. Cross, R. and A. Headon, C. Michall, Jim Donohoe, 10/10. No. 7, 5 prs. D. Rise off 16 yds.: div. Max Gibson, C. Campbell, N. A. Milliken, 5/5 prs. No. 8, Commonwealth Development of the Carbon Commonwealth Carbon Commonwealth Carbon Commonwealth Carbon Commonwealth Carbon Commonwe monwealth Double Rise Night C'ship: Max Gibson (Hay), 18/20 prs., 1st; R. Bushby (Narrandera), 16/20 prs., 2nd; A. Headon (Hay), 22/30 prs. after shoot-off, 3rd; Front Marker, H. Cox (Hay).

An excellent roll-up of 80 shooter for the day and night programme The State Team's score is considere very good, with only dropping 23 pts out of the possible 500. A gram performance by veteran shooter it Emil Alberts (Barellan) in securing High Gun with 112/112, also the per formance of Hay Gun Club shoote in Max Gibson shooting 18/20 pre to win the Commonwealth Double Rise Championship (Night). The Hay Jubilee Shield being retained by the club against 9 teams. W. War ren's performance in the Hav Distric D.B. Championship (in failing light against seasoned shooters outstand ing, and last by popular Hay Gui Club's President, John Houston, in winning the elimination shoot with a grand score of 40/40.

11/9/54 (Night Shoot). — Weather conditions: perfect for night shoot ing. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Club Mks.: E. V. Cox, J. Headon, A Headon, H. Cox, J. Pocock, W. Ron ald, J. Houston, div., 5/5. No. 2 10-bird D.B., Club Mks.: W. Ronald 10-bird D.B., Club Mks.: W. Ronald J. Pocock, div., 10/10. No. 3, 5-bird S.B., Club Mks.: J. Houston, J. Pocock, div., 5/5. No. 4, 5 prs. Double Rise off 16 yds.: T. Dancey, H. Cox E. V. Cox, div., 3/5. No. 5, 5 prs. Deauville Doubles (drawn partners) H. Cox and R. Headon, E. V. Cox and W. Ronald, J. Pocock and T. Dancey B. Hanna and K. Smith, div., 5/5 No. 6, 5 prs. Double Rise, Club Mks. W. Ronald, 4/5.

A perfect night for shooting and a good roll-up of 22 shooters for the shoot. Due to the local show held or the day, an excellent attendance of the general public and district visitors. Good consistent form was shown by J. Pocock and W. Ronald (L. McKinney, Sec.)

HORSHAM (V.), 25/9/54—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1 Skeet 10-bird Eye-opener: T. McKay 1st; K. Foster, 2nd, Sweep div. No 2, Club Skeet C'ship: C. Ball, 1st; T. McKay, 2nd; Trophies 1st and 2nd No. 3, 5-bird Double Rise: J. O'Don-No. 3, 5-bird Double Rise: J. O'Donnell, 1st; C. Long, 2nd; Trophies 1st 2nd and 3rd. No. 4, 5-bird Dowr Line: C. Ball, 1st; K. Foster, 2nd; Sweep div. No. 5, 5-bird Down Line: J. Cullen, E. Giddings, J. Ball, N Smith, C. Long; Sweep div. No. 6, 5-bird Down Line: E. Giddings, B.

Mildura Clay Target Club

(VICTORIA)

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

Championship Shoot . . . Day and Night

AT OLYMPIC PARK SITE

SATURDAY, 4th DECEMBER, 1954

Commencing 10 a.m.

Event No. 1 — 5 BIRD WALK-UP EYE-OPENER (Compulsory Division). Nomination, 5/-.

Event No. 2 —

Commonwealth Walk-Up Championship

(To be shot under Championship Conditions) Championship Sash and Trophy for winner, also 2nd and 3rd Trophies. Nomination, 30/-.

10/- Optional Sweep to be divided 60%, 30%, 10%. OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

AT NIGHT (under Floodlights): Event No. 1 — 10 BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER (Compulsory Division). Nomination, 10/-, Event No. 2 -

> £50 HANDICAP 15 Birds Double Barrel

Divided 60%, 30%, 10%. Nomination, 50/-. 10/- Optional Sweep, divided 60%, 30%, 10%.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

Two Automatic Traps :: Cartridges available on Ground Morning and Afternoon Tea - Cold Luncheon (Turkey & Ham) - Barbeque at Night -

Please Note. - The Secretary reserves the right to make any alteration considered necessary in the Programme. Whilst this Club is covered by Public Liability Insurance, and takes all precaution, no responsibility is accepted for damage to person or property.

Shooters requiring accommodation ring Mildura 385 (between 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.) or Mildura 425 (after 5 a.m.).

E. BRUCE, President, 110 12th Street, Mildura. K. J. PEAKE, Secretary, C/- 58a Langtree Ave., Mildura.

Golder, J. Cullen; portable radio, 1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies. No. 7, 5-bird Down Line: J. Ball, C. Long, C. Ball; auto tray and 2nd and 3rd Trophies. No. 8, 5-bird Down Line: C. Ball and E. Giddings, div.

AUSTRALIAN

Conditions very good. Shooters well pleased. Afternoon and night shoot cold at night, but burners made things comfortable.

(F. Latus, Hon. Sec.)

PORTARLINGTON (V.), 4/9/54—Weather conditions: good. Results: Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: div. Bristow, Vicars, Allen, 5/5. No. 2, Club S.B. Sparrow C'ship, 15 birds: R. Jorgenson, 1st, 14/15; 2nd, Bristow, 10/15; L. Davies, 3rd, 9/15. No. 3, 5-bird Walk-up: div. R. Jorgenson, Bristow, 5/5. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.P.: div. Bristow, Allen Lorgenson, 15/15. tow, Allen, Jorgenson, 15/15.

(R. Jorgenson, Hon. Sec.)

HAMILTON (V.), 21/8/54. — Weather conditions: fine, mild, show-Weather conditions: fine, mild, showers late afternoon. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener: div. A. Baugh, H. Smith, R. Catton, J. Watson, P. Ireland, S. Cameron, B. Peacock, R. Peacock, W. Hinchliffe, R. McPhee. No. 2, 15-bird "Ultra" H'cap: A. Baugh, 1st, 21/21; H. Vaughan, 2nd, 20/21; R. Catton, 12/13 yd., 17/18; attached S'stake div. also. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: div. H. Smith, L. Hodge, N. Silvester, D. Murrell, F. McEwan, W. Hinchliffe, W. Duncan, R. McPhee. W. Hinchliffe, W. Duncan, R. McPhee, 10/10. No. 4, Miss-out off Fence: div. A. Baugh, L. Hodge, N. Silvester, W. Duncan, R. McPhee, 6/6.

Shooters present from Portland, Macarthur, Willaura, Balmoral, Casterton, Condah, Geelong and Bairnsdale. Considering other attractions in the district, there was a good muster, for once the weather was fairly kind to shooters, a light shower of rain later in the afternoon. Afternoon tea was in the hands of the Hughon Park Ladies' Committee.

(H. A. Vaughan, Hon. Sec.)

ALEXANDRA (S.A.), 12/9/54.— Weather conditions: fine, light wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Sweep: 14 div. No. 2, 15-bird H'cap, £30 and Trophy: L. Sheringham, 1st, 22/22; H. L. Potts, 2nd, 21/22; D. Prescott, 3rd, 18/19; G. Knight, 12 yd., 12/15. No. 3, D. Rise, 5 prs.: A. V. Potts. No. 4, Deauville Doubles: 5 prs. div. No. 5, 5-bird Sweep: 5 div.

A smaller field than usual were on the tracks for this shoot, but some keen shooting was witnessed. L. Sheringham (Adelaide) shot well with 22 straight to head H. L. Potts Alexandra) for 1st in the h'cap shoot; D. Prescott (Lake Albert), 18/19, 3rd. This, coupled to the five birds killed in the first sweep, I understand, gives Doug his 50 break from his previous shoot. A. V. Potts got his 5 pairs in the D. Rise to win this outright. Deauville Doubles created interest, 5 pairs getting the possible. A second trap will be installed before next shoot.

(L. Pope, Hon. Sec.)

COLAC (V.), 18/9/54. — Weather conditions: showery. Members enjoyed a programme of varied events at clay targets on Saturday, 18/9/54. Shooting conditions were good, but most competitors found the small targets (clay sparrows) difficult to targets (clay sparrows) difficult to hit. Main results: Event 1, 5 Clay Pigeons: possibles, V. O'Shannassy, R. Boylan, A. Hay, H. Eldridge; tie shoot went to V. O'Shannassy, 13/13. Event 2, Trophy, 10 Clay Pigeons: D. Corstorphan, 10/10, 1st; H. Eldridge, 15/16, 2nd. Event 3, Trophy, 10 Clay Sparrows: N. Westwood, 15/17, 1st; D. Corstorphan, 14/17, 2nd; A. Hay, 8/10, 3rd. Event 4, 5 presented as a constant of the constant of t A. Hay, 8/10, 3rd. Event 4, 5 prs. Deauvile Doubles: H. Mills and R. Boylan, 7/7, 1st. Event 5, 3 prs. Double Rise: R. Boylan, 2/3 prs. Event 6, ditto: won by C. Grist, 3/3 prs. Event 7, ditto: won by R. Boylan, 3/4 prs.

LAKE ALBERT (S.A.), 19/9/54-Weather conditions: dull and cloudy, strong south-west wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener: 18 div. No. 2, £75 H'cap: W. Ayres, F. Starling. No. 3, £25 H'cap: J. Winckel, J. O'Bryan.

Weather conditions dull and cloudy, strong south-west wind. The clays shooting opened with 5-bird Eye-opener, which resulted in 18 div. The main event was £75 H'cap and Trophy shoot, and the wind kept participating shooters very much on the alert. Sixty-two shooters entered for this event of 20 birds, and six were successful in shooting the possible, namely W. Ayers, F. Starling, J. Forbes, D. May, J. Wilson, E. Sheringham. The shoot-off for the trophy was won by W. Ayres with a break

of 73 unfinished. Second event was 15-bird S.B., and was div. J. Winckel and J. O'Bryan, 15/15, magnificent shooting under the weather conditions. Many thanks to visiting shooters, many from over the Victorian border, as well as from north and south of Lake Albert. We are going to try and make this an annual event. We also hope to be shooting under the lights in the very near future.

(K. A. May, Hon. Sec.)

LASCELLES (V.), 11/9/54. — Weather conditions: gusty winds and showers. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eyeopener D.B.: div. A. Hall, A. Hinneberg, B. Cavanagh, C. Walsh, T. Mc-Linden, M. Parkinson, R. Binder, 5/5. No. 2, 15-bird £20 H'cap: 1st, B. Cavanagh (Walpeup), 15/15; 2nd, div. T. McLinden (Las.) and A. Hinneberg (Underbool), 17/19. No. 3, 10-bird Trophy: 1st, K. Davidson (Lascelles), 12/12; 2nd, S. Jardine (Ouyen), 11/12; 3rd, A. Hall (Berriwillock), 16/17. No. 4, 5-bird Strange Gun: div. G. Kidman, J. Schack, K. Davidson, T. McLinden. There were

several more s'stake events not included.

Football finals must have affected attendance, as there was not many shooters from surrounding clubs, but a good day's shooting was had by all. We expect to have the automatic trap in for future shoots and are hopeful of some more shooters attending the function.

(S. J. Schack, Hon. Sec.)

AUSTRALIAN (V.), Sept. 4.—The small field contesting the £100 H'cap again endorsed the initial policy of the A.C.P.T.S.A.: "Keep the big money out of clay target shooting." My personal experience in amateur sport has been, when money creeps in, enthusiasm creeps out, and with it the true sports. What should be a pastime becomes a business, and as we have left behind a hectic five days of money making to seek relief in the wide open spaces, we are not again interested in clamouring for the filthy lucre on this, our day of sport. Tenbird Trophy events were, and still are, the most popular. Some useful

Barellan Gun Club

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

RIVERINA DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP A.C.P.T.S.A. Rules.

Saturday, 23rd October, 1954

Commencing at 1 p.m.

Event No. 1 — 5 PAIRS DOUBLE RISE

Event No. 2 -

Biverina Deauville Doubles Championship

Sashes and Trophies.

Event No. 3 — £30 HANDICAP

FURTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

E. ALBERT, President. Clear Hills, Moombooldool, N.S.W. G. E. MORRIS, Hon. Sec., Barellan, N.S.W. Phone 28. household article with its added pleasure when presenting it to the hand that rocks the cradle, an embellishment hard cash does not so readily afford. Of the 30 entrants for this 40-bird event, E. Lawton, R. Hering and T. Pederson secured possibles and div. £50. For best score over the first 20 birds, £25 div. by the first three, plus J. Veall, L. Swain, R. Smith and A. Hamilton. For the best score over the second 20 birds, £25 div. by the first three plus G. Biggs, F. C. Johnson and T. Spall. The stiffs—and there were quite a few with 9-10-10-9, their 20 in the wrong setting—shared the fresh air. A very high standard was maintained over the three events, J. Veall completing a break of 50, E. Lawton (Echuca) 60, R. Hering 60 straight.

A comp. div. on the opening s'stake was shared L. Murphy, E. Lawton, J. Lowe, T. Pederson, A. Crow (N.S.W.), R. Ayre, Reg McNamara (N.S.W.), K. Mark, R. Hering, E. Brenk, L. Swain, G. Stainton, R. Smith, A. Hamilton, J. Veall, 10/10. The final event was div. E. Lawton, Nimrod, J. Fogg, L. Swain, T. Spall, D. Glover, R. McNamara (N.S.W.), R. Hering, J. Lowe, R. Dale, J. Veall, G. Stainton, 10/10.

At the annual meeting Geo. Biggs again accepted the presidential chair. He will have as Vice-Pres. Aub Johnson, G. Anderson, C. Cornish; Com., Frank Johnson, T. R. Brown, Ross Smith, J. Veall, R. Andrews, G. Stainton and R. Grosby; Sec., A. Nolan. Financially sound, said the balance sheet, but expenses high; the new unimproved rating jumped from £5 to £65. A shoot now costs £13. R. Wightman, President of Camberwell Club, congratulated the President on his successful two years of office, and in reply of thanks Mr. Biggs spoke of the chosen site "Laverton" as being totally unsuitable for the important Olympic Games shooting event. Known as the windy west, that part of the country west from Melbourne to Geelong, is a wind-swept plain unsuitable for clay pigeon sport. Regulation height in this type of country cannot be maintained, and as this is a worldwide test of skill, in fairness to the competitors, a more wind-protected ground should be chosen. The Ladies'



W. Twyerould, President, Frankston Gun Club (V.).

night held in the Wattle Park Chalet was a great success, where Pres. and Com. entertained members and ladies. Dancing and musical items were enjoyed until midnight.

Sept. 18 and a 50-bird D.B. H'cap carrying 10 trophies. Of the 38 contestants, L. Martin (N.S.W.) returned a lone possible; 2nd, J. Veall, 53/54; 3rd, E. Brenk, 52/54; 12 yd., D. Glover, 48/50; 13 yd., R. Andrews,

South Coast Gun Club (QId.)

SOUTHPORT

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

Preliminary Notice

... 1955 ... ANNUAL CARNIVAL

SHOOTING DATES AND TIMES:

Saturday, 22nd January 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

6 p.m. Entertainment, Saturday, 22nd January Shooters and friends.

..... 10 a.m. Sunday, 23rd January

Tuesday, 25th January 7 p.m.

Thursday, 27th January 10 a.m.

Thursday, 27th January 7 p.m.

Saturday, 29th January 10 a.m.

Saturday, 29th January 7 p.m.

..... 10 a.m. Monday, 31st January

Subject to any necessary alteration by Committee.

Full programme to be advertised in next issue of News.

Any shooter requiring accommodation is advised to book early, as this time of year is heavily booked.

Mrs. G. MARTIN, Secretary, G. S. MARTIN, President, Moorong, Moorong, Surfers Paradise, Qld. Surfers Paradise, Qld. Phone: Surfers Paradise 238.

56/64; 14 yd., R. Dale, 46/50; 15.yd., G. Stainton, 46/50; 16 yd., W. Finnegan, 48/50; 17/18 yd., Alf Hall (N.S.W.), 47/50; 19/24 yd., A. Tie, 48/50. Sixteen shooters received a share of the comp. div. on the opening 10 birder.

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(H. H. Ball.)

MYER'S FLAT (V.), 14/9/54, Night. - Weather conditions: very Night. — Weather conditions: very cold. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: div. R. Barnes, W. Santon, 8/8. No. 2, 10-bird D.B., 2 Trophies: 1st, E. Lanyan, 14/14; 2nd, V. Harrison, 13/14. No. 3, 15-bird Points, 3 Trophies: 1st, A. McGilvray, 42; 2nd, E. Lanyan, 40; 3rd, A. Scott, 39.

Very poor crowd, but an interesting evening's sport.

MT. BARKER (S.A.), 29/8/54. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener: 11 shooters div., 5/5. No. 2, District S.B. C'ship: 1st, K. Childs, 33/35; 2nd, D. Fleetwood, 32/35; 3rd, H. L. Potts, 23/25; 12 yds., I. Stacey, 19/21. No. 3, District D.B. C'ship: 1st, F. Starling, 50/50; 2nd, H. L. Potts, 48/49; 3rd, K. Childs, 44/45, 12 yds. I. Potts. K. Childs, 44/45; 12 yds., J. Butler,

A pleasing attendance for these Championship events, with some fine shooting, particularly in the D.B., Frank Starling getting 50 straight to win. The trophy for the S.B. Dist. Championship was donated by J. Howard of Mt. Barker; this was a 400-day clock with a glass dome; the winner, K. Childs, a local lad, really earned this fine trophy, with 33/35. The weather smiled upon us for a change, remaining fine and clear all day and quite a picnic atmosphere prevailed, with lots of grilled chops being consumed. The ladies provided afternoon tea, which was most appreciated; many thanks to them for their support.

(F. C. Wittkowsky, Hon. Sec.)

BOTHWELL (Tas.), 18/9/54. -Weather conditions: fair. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: G. Gourlay. No. 2, Southern Districts S.B. C'ship: P. Marshall, 1st; R. Powell, 2nd; C. Churchill, 3rd. No. 3: R. Powell, 1st; C. Allwood, 2nd. No. 4: J. Blake, 1st; S. Bailey, 2nd. No. 5: div. R. Powell, C. Allwood. No. 6, R. Powell, 1st; B. R. Morgan, 2nd; P. Marshall, 3rd.

Good shooting was witnessed by a good crowd of shooters and spectators in wet weather. Paul Marshall shot well to win the Championship from Rex Powell, Cressy secretary. Rex shot well all day after working on the trap for hours before the shoot commenced. Thanking you for what you have done for us, Rex.

(Max Bale, Hon. Sec.)

NEWS

CROOKWELL (N.S.W.), 28/8/54. -Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S'stake: J. Howard, N. Willis, 5/5, div. No. 2, 5-bird S'stake: J. Howard, N. Willis, div., 5/5. No. 3, 5-bird S'stake: H. Anderson, A. Howard, R. Lewis, D. Churchill, J. Howard, J. Anderson, 5/5, div. No. Howard, J. Anderson, 5/5, div. No. 4, Trophy: J. Howard, 1st, 15/15; H. Anderson, 2nd, 14/15; R. Churchill, 3rd, 13/14. No. 5, Cup Trophy, P.S. over 4 shoots, 1st round: D. Churchill and N. Willis, 42/45 pts.; J. Howard, 40. No. 6, Trophy, R. Evans, 1st, 7/7; J. Emery, 2nd, 6/7. No. 7, Box Sweep, 22 yds.: J. Howard, 5/6: A. Howarth, 4/6. ard, 5/6; A. Howarth, 4/6.

Attendance is rising as the weather warms up. Shooting of most members is improving with practice. The Cup shoot started this month will be run point score for four shoots. Afternoon tea was catered for by the usual happy faces.

(A. N. Willis, Hon. Sec.)

BATHURST (N.S.W.), 18/9/54.—
Results: No. 1, 5-bird Sweep: H.
Jaques, S. Bressington, R. Weinert,
5/5, div. No. 2, 5-bird Points: K. S.
Soames, W. Byers, R. Weinert, H.
Weinert, div., 15/15. No. 3, 10-bird
D.B.: K. R. Soames Jnr., W. Byers,
R. Weinert, O. Roberts, 10/10, div.
No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: W. Byers, S.
Bressington, div., 10/10.

Weather bright, but strong tail wind. A high-gun trophy was shot off, the shooters being W. Byers and R. Weinert, W. Byers shooting 7/7 and Weinert missing his seventh bird.

(B. Goodman, Hon. Sec.)

DERRINALLUM (V.), 18/9/54.— Weather conditions: gusty and showery. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.S.: div. A. Denzley, R. Grant, K. Grant, N. Pilgrim, I. Morrison, J. O'Donnell, P. King, J. Muir, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.S.: R. Boyd, J. O'Donnell, C. Long, J. Steele, 5/5. No. 3, 10-bird Trophy

Colac Gun Club

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

GROUND LOGATION: RACECOURSE RESERVE,
3 MILES SOUTH OF COLAC

SATURDAY, 23rd OCTOBER, 1954

at 12 noon.

Western District Deauville Doubles Championship

20 Pairs Clay Pigeons from 16 yards

Trophies to 1st and 2nd Pairs and best Pair from Colac Club.

Nomination, 30/- per shooter. Op. 10/- Sweep.

Standard Cartridges not exceeding 18 ozs. shot are to be used.

HANDICAP EVENTS TO FOLLOW.

Afternoon Tea will be served on the Ground.

V. T. O'SHANNASSY

D. GORSTORPHAN, HON. SEC. 6 RAE ST., COLAC, PHONE COLAC 406 H/C: J. O'Donnell, 1st, 30/30; A. Denzley, 29/30, 2nd; K. Grant, 3rd, 13/14; Front Marker, R. Grant, 11/12. No. 4, 5-bird, 5 prs.: div. C. Fletcher, K. P. King, I. Barr, 5/5. No. 5, 5-bird Pts.: div. N. Pilgrim, K. Grant, H. Steele, 15/15. No. 6, 5-bird S.S.: div. R. Grant, C. Long, C. Fletcher, K. Grant, J. White, K. P. King, H. Steele, J. O'Donnell, I. Wilson, 5/5. No. 7, Off Box: div. J. O'Donnell and R. Grant, 3/3. No. 8, Off Box: J. O'Donnell, 4/4.

A very successful shoot was held in spite of inclement weather. The number of shooters present indicated a successful future for the Derrinallum Clay Target Club, shooters being present from Mortlake, Darlington, Dundonnell, Camperdown, Noorat, Pomborneit, Skipton and Lismore. High Gun for the day was J. O'Donnell with 53/55, at one stage having 43 straight. Some very good shooting was recorded, although gusty winds at times varied the birds to some extent and made conditions tough for the best of shooters. Derrinallum Club welcomed a new shooter in C. Fletcher (late of Queensland).

(S. M. Lakey, Hon. Sec.)

BOOROWA (N.S.W.), 4/9/54. — Weather conditions: fine with gusty winds. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eye-opener: div. J. Wales, L. Grogan, M. Corkery, J. Regan, M. Corcoran, P. Cusack, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird (5 S.B., 5 D.B.): W. Warren, 9/10, won shoot-off. No. 3, 10-bird H'cap: P. Cusack, 1st; this is for a trophy donated by the club, which has to be won three times in all. No. 4, 10-bird Point Score: B. Johnson, 30 pts. No. 5, Box Sweep: W. Warren.

The attendance was good, although a lot more members could attend. The shooting was good; the trap was throwing the targets higher than usual and a strong gusty wind made the targets very difficult. On the day W. Warren, B. Johnson and P. Cusack were in top form, with P. Cusack winning the first heat of the Club's trophy. The shooting as a whole was of a higher standard than at previous shoots.

(J. P. Kellip, Hon. Sec.)

PORT FAIRY (V.), 18/9/54. — Weather conditions: sea breeze. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Opener: W. Gres-

selle, H. Smith, A. Treganowan, H. Peters, R. Wythe, R. D. Arnott, G. Mitchell, L. Millard, J. Poole, H. Vaughan, V. Coates, A. Kelsall. No. 2, 10 birds D.B.: 1st, H. Smith and J. Kinghorn, div. 1st and 2nd. No. 3, 10-bird Point System: H. Smith and A. Treganowan, div. 1st and 2nd, 29/30; R. Wythe and G. Mitchell, div. 3rd, 27/30. No. 4, 5-bird: J. Malone, W. Martin, J. Kinghorn, J. Poole, M. Nicholson, div. No. 5, Novice, 5 birds: F. Dumesny, 5/5.

Weather conditions were good considering time of year. The attendance was excellent and everybody had a very enjoyable afternoon. On one 5-bird shoot all men using automatic guns changed with men using double-barrel guns. This caused some excitement, with plenty of comments about their old guns. Shooters attended from as far as Cavendish, Hamilton, Portland, Warrnambool and Koroit. Thanks a lot, everybody that made the day a good one.

(A. Treganowan, Hon. Sec.)

CROYDON (V.), 21/8/54—Weather conditions: windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. J. Donovan, F. Emslie, V. Dudley, F. Skate, N. Kneebone, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird Points: div. 'Dick'', J. McInnes, C. Fankhauser, 30/30 pts. No. 3, 15-bird D.B.: J. Hagan, 15/15; F. Skate, 23/24; 12/13 yds., F. Thatcher, 14/16. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: "Dick", 16/16.

Good scoring all day in the high wind. J. Hagan the only one to get the possible in the main event. Five shooters missing one bird and Fred Skate going on to take second with 23/24. Mrs. Wightman won ladies' trophy.

4/9/54.—Weather conditions: dull. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 12 possibles, div. V. Dudley, J. Mc-Innes, N. Kneebone, J. Hagan, W. Dunn, W. Hunter, 10/10. No. 2, 15-bird D.B.: "Dick", 17/17; K. Smith, 16/17; 12/13 yds., H. Sweeney, 16/19. No. 3, 10-bird Pts.: 4 possibles, J. McArthur, R. Johns, W. Dunn, V. Dudley, 30/30. No. 4, Miss-out: "Cyril", N. Kneebone, 17/17.

Dull conditions made shooting a bit difficult for the start, but as the day brightened, less doubles were used, "Dick" taking the honours in the main event from Keith Smith. An

TOWNSVILLE GUN CLUB

NORTH QUEENSLAND

TWO CHAMPIONSHIPS SHOOT

Saturday 27th and Sunday 28th, November, 1954

FIRST DAY — commencing 1.00 p.m. Sharp:

SKEET SWEEPSTAKES - 6 BIRDS. Nom., 6/-.

1954 Queensland Skeet Championship

20 BIRDS. Nomination, £1/5/-.
Optional Sweepstakes — Nom., 10/-.
Sash and Trophy to Winner — Trophies to 2nd and 3rd.

SECOND DAY — commencing 9.00 a.m. Sharp: Full day's shoot — NO LUNCHEON ADJOURNMENT

Two 5 BIRD SINGLE BARREL SWEEPSTAKES each 5/- Nomination.

1954 Commonwealth Single Barrel Championship

40 Birds from 20 yards. Shot in 4 rounds of 10 Birds. Nomination, £2. Optional Sweepstakes, 5/- on each round. Sash and Trophy to winner — Trophies to 2nd and 3rd.

£100 - HANDICAP - £100

20 BIRDS SINGLE BARREL. Nomination, £3/10/-.
1st, £51 — 2nd, £25/10/- — 3rd, £8/10/£5 to each best unplaced 12/13 yd., 14/15 yd., 16 yds.
and over shooters.

£15 DOUBLE RISE HANDICAP

5 pairs (Shot squad system). Nomination, 10/-.
1st, £9 — 2nd, £4/10/- — 3rd, £1/10/FURTHER EVENTS EACH DAY, TIME PERMITTING.
2 Automatic Traps :: Ammunition available
Refreshments each day and Luncheon Sunday.

W. J. HANRAN,

F. A. BLACKMAN, HON. SECRETARY, BOX 415, TOWNSVILLE, QUEENSLAND.

interesting miss-out was div. C. Fankhauser and N. Kneebone at 17/17. Mrs. Wightman again won the ladies' trophy.

18/9/54. — Weather conditions: heavy rain. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 11 possibles, tie shoot, div. 10/10, J. McArthur, D. Turner, C. Fankhauser, V. Dudley, H. Underwood. No. 2, 25-bird D.B.: 1st, F. Skate, 45/46; 17 yds. and over, J. McArthur, 38/39; 14/16 yds., C. Fankhauser, 44/46; 12/13, E. Hart, 23/25.

A good attendance of 29. Main event of 25 birds for a silver service donated by D. Bristow. Four shooters scored the possible, J. Garlepp missing his 32nd bird and the President, Jim McArthur, his 39th. Both F. Skate and C. Fankhauser missed the 40th, Fred eventually winning 45/46

(F. Emslie, Hon. Sec.)

RAINBOW (V.).—Rainbow Gun Club put on an attractive programme on Sat., 18th Sept. The Grand Final of the Wimmera League Football held at Horsham the same day was responsible for a small attendance of regular shooters. In spite of that, some excellent shooting took place and once again the boys from Swan Hill district were conspicuous. 17 shooters cut the Eye-opener. The £50 H'cap was div. on the 15th round by 5 shooters, J. R. Strauss, J. Wishart, S. Drendel, T. Pearse and T. McLindon. A 10-bird H'cap event was won in grand style by Gilbert Knight from Berriwillock with 24 straight from Berriwillock with 24 straight kills; J. Pearse (Nyah West), 2nd, 23/24; K. Wishart (Rainbow), 3rd, 19/20. A miss-out for Trophy donated by K. Wishart was won by R. Drendel (Rainbow), 22/22, when Club President W. Mark retired "not out". Night shooting followed. E. McMillan (Rainbow) won a "Nom" in the "Holden Car" shoot with 18/18. A. J. Clarke had to concentrate to toss E. Knight (Berriwillock) in a similar event and won with 30/30. But in the final event Clarke was beaten by M. Bryant (Nyah), who shot 23/23.

Work is in progress clearing trees for the new ground, and the club has fenced in an area behind the clubhouse and planted 60 trees.

(J. Wishart Jnr., Hon. Sec.)

ECHUCA (V.), 15/9/54.—Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 5-bird, Comp. Div.: div. L. Gibson, A. Quinton, C. Dalton, A. McGillivray, R. Grinter, C. Scriven, G. McLeod, J. Lindner, R. Koch, B. Coleman, G. McBeth, C. McDonald, A. North, K. Dobson, A. Rickards, C. Sims, A. Easton, W. Ludbey, B. Rogers, K. Lawrence, T. Vick, R. Kelvy, 5/5. No. 2, 40 birds, 6 Trophies: 1st, A. Quinton, 57/57; 2nd, K. Dobson, 65/66; 3rd, A. McGillivray, 64/66; 12/13 yd. Trophy, J. Lindner, 39/40; 14/15 yd. Trophy, L. Scriven, 52/53; 16 yd. and over Trophy: G. McDonald, 39/40.

K. Dobson shot 50 break; A. Quinton, 50 break; A. McGillivray, 50 break; L. Scriven, 50 break; G. McDonald, 50 break.

(A. Rickards, Hon. Sec.)

YEOVAL (N.S.W.), 11/9/54. — Weather conditions: cloudy and calm. Results: No. 1, Eye-opener 5-bird: R. Woodbridge, 7/7. No. 2, 5-bird Sweep: M. Veitch and W. Riley, div., 5/5. No. 3, 5-bird S'stake, Cock of Walk: J. Howland, 1st, 9/9; C. L. Wykes, 2nd, 8/9. No. 4, Club Trophy: R. Woodbridge, 5/5. No. 5, 5-bird Sweep: R. Woodbridge, C. L. Wykes. M. Veitch, 5/5. No. 6, Double Rise: W. Riley, R. Woodbridge, Jordan, 3/5 prs. No. 7, off the Box, shot in dark Miss-out: W. Strahorn, C. Hodge, Jordan, 3/5.

Cock of Walk contest was keenly contested for, 15 club members competing. Congratulations to Mr. J. Howland, who took the prized trophy from Mr. C. Hodge.

(B. Bruckhauser, Hon. Sec.)

NARRAWA (N.S.W.), 11/9/54.—Weather conditions: fine and dull. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener: L. Webster, W. Warren, P. Shepherd, N. Churchill, C. Hall, H. Kensit, 5/5, div. No. 2, 5-bird S'stake: C. Hall, D. Churchill, L. Webster, H. Ford, P. Shepherd, E. Reeves, 5/5, div. No. 3, 10 birds D.B., Club C'ship: 1st, W. Warren, 10/10; 2nd, H. J. Howard, 9/10; 3rd, H. Anderson, 9/10. No. 4, 5 prs. birds Deauville Doubles: H. Seery and H. Ford, H. Anderson and W. Webster, 5/5, div. No. 5, 5-bird S'stake: B. Johnston, H. Anderson, D. Hall, 5/5, div. No. 6,

Robinvale Clay Bird Club

VICTORIA

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

AFTERNOON AND NIGHT SHOOT

SATURDAY. 20th NOVEMBER, 1954

- Programme -

5 BIRD EYE-OPENER (Comp. Div.). Nom., 10/-. 10 BIRD D.B. SWEEPSTAKE. Nom., 20/-. 15 BIRD

£50 TROPHY SHOOT

1st, Pair of Binoculars valued £35; 2nd, Crystal Set valued £10; 3rd, Barometer valued £5. Nom., £2. Op. Sweep 10/-.

BARBECUE STEAK

- 6 o'clock -

Night Shoot starts 7.30.

5 BIRD EYE-OPENER (Comp. Div.). Nom., 10/-. 10 BIRD

£30 Handicap

Div. 60%, 30%, 10%. Nom., 30/-. SWEEPSTAKE TO FOLLOW.

Refreshments Automatic Trap :: Afternoon Tea Cartridges available (Shooters Note - £6 covers Day and Night)

FRED RIGGS. PRESIDENT. BOX 91, ROBINVALE, VICTORIA. A. M. TELFORD, HON. SECRETARY. BOX 78, ROBINVALE, VICTORIIA.

Box Sweep, from 20 yds.: C. Hall, 4/4.

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Our usual club shoot was held in fine but rather dull weather owing to cloudy conditions. Attendance was fair, and shooting was below average considering that there were several good shots competing. The Club D.B. Championship was the main event, which carried a sash and three good trophies. Bill Warren ran out an easy winner with the only possible, whilst H. Howard and H. Anderson were 2nd and 3rd respectively after a short shoot-off with three others, who all scored 9/10. Congratulations once again to Bill Warren for his performance.

(E. E. Reeves, Hon. Sec.)

COFFS HARBOUR (N.S.W.) .-On Saturday, 11th, our usual monthly shoot took place at Macaulay's Headland. We had a good roll-up and conditions were good, bright, with a slight nor-easter. Shooting was of a high standard throughout the afternoon. The programme, except for one 5-bird Skeet Sweep, was points. This gave members practice for the big shoot on Oct. 2nd and 4th, and most of them were certainly on the target.

Results: 5-bird Points Sweep: V. Wuillemin, E. Wedgwood, Dick Scccombe, 15/15, div. Wedgwood Trophy, 15 birds Points: A. Herdegen and Bill Golden had to shoot off for this, and Bill had to pull a second on this, and Bill had to pull a second on the 21st clay, leaving the result: A. Herdegen, 1st; Bill Golden, 2nd; Dan Seccombe, 41/45, 3rd; Rex Bennett, 40/45, 4th; best 12 ydr., Wal Keft. 5-bird Points Sweep: G. D. T. Seccombe, A. Herdegen, J. Knight, 15/15, div. No. 3, Sweep: G. D. T. Seccombe, Rex Bennett, Reg Hannaford, 15/15, div. No. 4, Sweep: G. D. T. Seccombe, Dick Seccombe, Dan Seccombe, Keith Seccombe, E. Wedgwood, V. Wuillemin, 15/15, div. No. 5: Peter Thompson, 15/15, 1st; A. 5: Peter Thompson, 15/15, Ist; A. Herdegen, Dick Seccombe, Dan Seccombe, 14/15, div. 5 birds Skeet: G. D. T. Seccombe, Dan Seccombe, 4/5, div. Box Sweep: Some splendid 4/5, div. Box Sweep: Some spiendid shooting was seen from the "long range" and the sweep was finally div. G. D. T., Dan, Dick and son Keith Seccombe. High Gun for the afternoon, Ted Wales Trophy (this has to be won three times): A. Her-

degen. Alf and Gordon Jarrett each have 1 point in this trophy.

(Ted Wedgwood, Hon, Sec.)

ISISFORD (Q.), 12/9/54.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, Eye-opener, 5 birds off 12 yds.: F. Aitchinson. No. 2, Novice, 5 birds off 12 yds.: W. Brittain. No. 3, Walter Reid Cup: A. McFadden, G. Geary, 2nd. No. 4, McIntyre Shield, Club Members, 10 birds D.B.: J. Walker, B Division (Shield); A. McFadden, A Div.; W. Brittain, C. Div. No. 5, Headrick Cup, 20 birds S.B.: W. Hannah, 1st; W. Brittain, 2nd. No. 6, 10-bird D.B.: G. Geary, 1st; W. Brittain, 2nd. No. 7, 20-bird D.B. Clay Sparrow: G. Geary. No. 8, Deauville Double: J. Walker and F. Aitchinson. Eye-opener, 5 birds off 12 yds.: F. Aitchinson.

Club Trophy for best shooter of day on points went to W. Brittain, with G. Geary runner-up. An enjoyable social buffet tea was held after the shoot, when Club President, Mr. J. Winter, presented the handsome array of trophies to their respective winners.

(J. Dowie, Hon. Sec.)

ABERMAIN (N.S.W.), 28/8/54. — Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener: W. Hile, W. Bailey, div., 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: W. Davies and W. Bailey, div., 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Points, Cesco Trophy: H. Pank-D.B. Points, Cesco Trophy: H. Pankhurst, 29/30. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: O. Cesco, W. Bailey, H. Pankhurst, 5/5. No. 5, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: O. Cesco, 7/7; H. Pankhurst, 7/7. No. 6, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: N. Mitchell, J. Barker, W. Davies and W. Bailey, 5/5. No. 7, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: N. Mitchell, 7/10. No. 8, Walk-up: J. Barker, 4/5. No. 9, Walk-up: N. Mitchell, 4/5.

Not a good roll-up of shooters, but all who attended had a real good day's shooting. Congratulations to H. Pankhurst of Newcastle Club, who won the Cesco Trophy. Secretary would like to welcome Bill Davies and Bill Bailey back to the club shoots, as they have been absent for too long.

(J. H. Johnston, Hon. Sec.)

PERTH (W.A.), Sunday, 12th Sep. -Weather good. 1st Event, 10-bird Walk-up, birds per cent: won by a

BOTHWELL GUN CLUB

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

SATURDAY, 20th NOVEMBER, 1954

Commencing 12 noon sharp.

Event No. 1 — 5 PR. DOUBLE RISE SWEEPSTAKE Nom., 10/-.

Event No. 2 --

Tasmanian Mixed Birds Championship

A.C.P.T.S.A. Rules.

Nom., 30/-. 10/- Op. Sweep, 60-30-10.

Sash and 1st Trophy donated by Neale Edwards Pty. Ltd. 2nd and 3rd Trophies, also 12/13 yard Trophy.

Event No. 3 —

£50 HANDICAP

20 Birds - Double Barrel

Div. 60%, 30%, 10%. Nom., £2/10/-.

OTHER EVENTS IF TIME PERMITS.

Hot Saveloys and Afternoon Tea on the Ground.

K. PULFORD, President. Great Lake.

MAX BALE, Secretary, Bothwell.

OCTOBER-1954

new member, T. Yozzi, 10/8; 2nd, F. Bailey, 9/9; 3rd, O. Sanderson, 9/8. 2nd Event, 30-bird D.B. D.T.L. Club C'ship: won brilliantly by Jack McKinnon, 30/30. Jack has hit his straps this season; in a further 20 birds shoot he dropped his 50th bird. He looked a certainty to get a 50 break badge; however, the most important one got away, much to Jack's disgust. In this event Col. Ferguson, our President, broke 29/30, but on birds per cent. basis he didn't get in the money. Final result was Jack McKinnon, outright winner, Sash and Trophy, Club Champ. Birds per cent.: 1st, G. Smith, 35/2; 2nd, A. Wilson, our captain, 33; J. Conlan, 32/3, 3rd. In this event scores were all good; Perth members are all looking for-Perth members are all looking forward to the coming Championships to be held in Perth on the 2nd and and October. Prior to that we will be invading Cuderdin for their big shoot on the 26th of this month. 3rd Event, 20 birds D.B. Down the Line from 16 yds., birds per cent.: won by the popular man of the club, our handicapper, Lex Smith; after his shoot, all members are agreeing with me that we need a handicapper for the handicapper. All members are glad to see Lex on his bird; the score glad to see Lex on his bird; the score was 24/4; 2nd, Graham Smith, a shooter who has also become a good each-way bet with 23/8; Tommy Holt, 3rd, 22/8. In this last 20-bird event one squad scored 98/100; let's hope they will be able to keep up these good scores in the forthcoming Interstate Teams Match.

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terstate Teams Match.

15/8/54. — Weather good. No. 1, 5 birds: K. Barker, 1st, 9/10, after shoot-off with J. Steer, 8/10, and T. Hold, 7/10. No. 2, 10 birds Deauville Doubles, birds per cent.: T. Woodhead and R. Mead, 11/6, 1st; K. Barker and E. Metcalf, 11/5, 2nd; J. Mc-Allister and S. Elliott, 11/2, 3rd. No. 3, 10 prs. Double Rise, birds per cent.: T. Blakely, 8/5, 1st; F. Bailey, 7/9, 2nd; J. Steer, 7/8, 3rd. No. 4, 10 birds Walk-up, birds per cent.: T. Woodhead, 12/5, 1st; P. Humphries, 9/8, 2nd; C. Ferguson, 9/3, 3rd. No. 5, 10 birds D.B.: P. Humphries, 11/8, 1st; J. Steer, 11/7, 2nd; S. Elliott, 11/4, 3rd.

(J. F. Conlan, Publicity Officer.)

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LONGREACH (Qld.), 8/9/54 (Diggers' shoot). — Weather conditions:

perfect. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: L. Walker, B. Miller, J. Walker, J. R. Dunne, R. Whip, P. Rudd, R. Hannan, 10/10. No. 2, Moffat Trophy from 16 yds., 20-bird S.B.: G. King, 29/30; B. Miller, 28/30; D. Russell, 18/20. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: O. G. Hill, L. Walker, A. R. Tibbitts, D. Russell, B. Miller, R. Whip, G. Rudd, 10/10. No. 4, Henderson Cup, 20-bird D.B. Points, 3-2, 16 yds.: A. R. Tibbitts, 60/60; D. Russell, 57/60. No. 5, 30 Sparrows D.B. H'cap: R. Hannah, 29/30; G. Dowling, 28/30; P. Rudd, L. Walker, A. R. Tibbitts, 26/30. perfect. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.:

Both automatic traps were in use for the first time for this shoot. We were very pleased to have visitors from other clubs and congratulate Geoff King (Rockhampton) and Russell Tibbitts (Barcaldine) on winning the main events.

9/9/54. — Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.; J. Gibson, A. Graham, C. Hoffman, R. Macintosh, J. Walker, A. R. Tibbitts, W. Purcell, C. McClymont, 10/10. No. 2, Teams shoot, 20-bird D.B. Points 3-2: Norbert Park, 1st, 223/240 (A. R. Tibbitts, B. Miller, R. Hannah, G. Rudd); Kelly's Creek, 2nd, 205/240; Rockhampton, 201/240. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: G. King, L. Walker, D. Russell, A. R. Tibbitts, A. Cameron, A. Purcell, G. Coxon, F. Aitchinson, A. McFadden, R. Macintosh, R. Hannah, S. Henderson, H. Owens, 10/10. No. 4, £100 H'cap, 20-bird D.B. Points 3-2: A. Purcell, 88/90; C. McClymont, 86/90; R. Hannah, 84/90; G. Rudd, best 12 ydr., 83/90. No. 5, 20-bird S.B. H'cap: A. R. Tibbitts, 20/20; G. Rudd, 24/25; L. Walker, 28/30. No. 6, 5 prs. D. Rise: G. Rudd, 5/5; E. Marks, 4/5. Congratulations to Alec Purcell on 9/9/54. - Weather conditions: per-

Congratulations to Alec Purcell on winning the £100 Handicap. He has been the best 12 yarder in this event for the last two years. His young son Bill, aged 13, also put up a very stout effort; in fact, some considered him to be better than his father. Bill, using a single shot gun, was just behind the place-getters in the big events and shared in some 10 birders. No doubt he will be one of our leading shots in the near future. We also congratulate Russell Tibbitts on shooting 50 straight for the first time. This shoot was run for the benefit of the R.S.L. and a cheque

Horsham Clay Pigeon Club

VICTORIA

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BURNT CREEK GROUND, HORSHAM, VIC.

· 2 NIGHTS and 1 DAY SHOOT

Friday, 26th and Saturday, 27th, November, 1954

FRIDAY NIGHT — commencing 7.30 p.m.—
1st Event — 5 BIRD EYE-OPENER. Comp. Div. Nom., 10/-.
2nd Event —

10 Bird Trophy Handicap

1st, Canteen Cutlery, £25; 2nd, Trophy, £10; 3rd, Trophy, £3. 10/- Optional Sweep. Nomination, 30/-. Other Events Time Permitting.

SATURDAY -- commencing 10 o'clock a.m.-

1st Event - 14 BIRD SKEET SWEEP. Nom., £1.

- LUNCHEON ADJOURNMENT -

1st Event - commencing 2 p.m.-

.. WIMNERA.. SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

1st, Trophy and Sash; 2nd, Trophy; 3rd, Trophy.
Other Events Time Permitting.

SATURDAY NIGHT — commencing 7.15 p.m.—
Presentation of Sash and Trophies made by Mr. M. Mibus, M.H.R.
1st Event —

£215 - Trophy Handicap - £215

1st, Browning Under and Over "D" Grade Single Trigger Gun, Special Stock, £180.

2nd, Silver Tea Service, £25; 3rd, Set Crystal Goblets, £10/10/-. Optional Sweep, £1. Nom., £6/10/-.

MEALS AND REFRESHMENTS ON GROUND.

Postal Entries accepted for whole or part of programme. Book early with Secretary for accommodation.

T. MACKAY, President. E. BYE, Vice-President. F. LATUS, Secretary-Treasurer, T. & G. Building, Horsham. Horsham 1140. for £252 was handed to the local Sub-Branch. We were a little disappointed in the fact that only 45 shooters turned up, but many members were shearing at the time.

(W. H. N. Walsh, Hon. Sec.)

SALE (V.), 4/9/54. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, Gun Warmer, 10 birds P/D: John Cobain, Perc. Rowley, M. Atkinson, R. Glover, J. Hudson, div. No. 2, P/D. 10 birds: J. Hudson, C. Budge, Len Robinson, div. No. 3, Trophy and Sweep, 20 birds: Jim Patterson Snr., 1st; Tom Gleson, 2nd; Jim Patterson, T. Gleson, L. Robinson, div. Sweep. No. 4, 5 S.B., 5 D.B.: Dr. Martin and Tom Gleson, div.; Perc. Rowley, 3rd.

Conditions good, fair field considering big Semi-final of our football league was also on that day. 31 shooters.

(L. J. Robinson, Hon. Sec.)

YASS (N.S.W.), 11/9/54.—Weather conditions: ideal. Results: No. 1, 5 birds Eye-opener: 7 div. No. 2, 12 birds D.B.: W. B. Grogan, 12/12; J. S. Magennis, 12/12; L. Grogan, 11/12; M. J. Shannan, 11/12; A. Connell, W. Warren, J. Weir, 10/12. No. 3, 10 birds (5 S.B., 5 D.B.): J. R. Medway, 10/10; W. B. Grogan, 9/10; M. J. Shannon, J. Weir, D. Shannon, H. Heat, 8/10; A. Connell, W. Warren, 7/10. No. 4, Deauville Doubles, 5 prs.: H. Heat, W. Castle-Roche, 5/5; D. Shannon, J. R. Medway, 4/5. No. 5, Double Rise, 3 prs.: J. R. Medway, L. Grogan, D. Shannon, 2/3. No. 6, Box Sweep, Miss-out: J. R. Medway.

A very enjoyable afternoon which produced some good shooting. The clay sparrows were released again and are creating keen interest, although some get away.

(B. L. James, Hon. Sec.)

COHUNA (V.), 10/8/54.—Weather conditions: poor. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. K. McLean, R. Eagle, K. McLoughlan, G. Wilson, O. McLoughlan, N. Bruhn, Reg Hipwell, 7/7 each. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. and Trophies: Trophies, 1st, A. Easton, 20/20; 2nd, A. McGillivray, 19/20; Sweep, cut by R. Eagle, A. Easton, A. McGillivray, G. Wilson. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: div. K. McLean,

A. Easton, K. McLoughlan, Ray Hipwell, P. McMahon, H. Lunghusen, 10/10 each. No. 4, Miss-out: div. A. Easton, O. McLoughlan, 25/26.

Despite a cold and showery night, a very good number of shooters attended. The highlight of the night was the fine performance by A. "Kelly" Easton with a break of 57.

24/8/54.—Weather conditions: cold night. Results: No. 1, 2-bird D.B.: div. K. McLoughlan, Fred Hipwell, G. Wilson, N. Kilpatrick, Ray Hipwell, O. McLoughlan, 6/6 each. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. and Trophies: 1st, A. McGillivray, 14/14; 2nd, O. McLoughlan, 13/14; Sweep cut by W. Challis, Reg Hipwell, W. Wilson, A. McGillivray, O. McLoughlan, M. Spencer, 9/9 each. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. Points Dec.: won by A. McGillivray, 15/15. No. 4, 20-yd. Miss-out: div. C. Wilson, O. McLoughlan, 2/2. No. 5, H'cap Miss-out: div. A. Easton, W. Wilson, Ray Hipwell.

Heavy rain during the day kept a lot of shooters away, but an enjoyable time was had by those who came along, particularly the hot supper provided by the ladies.

7/9/54. — Weather conditions: fine night. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. L. Martin, K. McLean, A. Simpson, S. Wilson, A. McGillivray, C. Wilson, Reg Hipwell, D. Bateman, 5/5 each. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. and Trophies: 1st, A. Easton, 36/36; 2nd, N. Bottcher, 35/36; Sweep div. A. Easton, G. Wilson, A. McGillivray, N. Kilpatrick, P. Masters, N. Bottcher, 10/10. No. 3, Miss-out: div. K. McLoughlan and N. Bottcher, 10/10. No. 4, Miss-out: div. A. Easton and K. McLoughlan, 6/6.

Feature of the night's shoot was the consistency of "Kelly" Easton, who finished the night with 50/52, and he was closely followed by Neil Bottcher with 47/49. Not a great deal of shooting took place, as there were quite a few novices turned up, so gave them some shooting and encouragement. As from September 28 we will be shooting every alternate Tuesday night.

(W. M. Wilson, Hon. Sec.)

KEILOR (V.), 18/9/54. — Weather conditions: windy. Results: No. 1, 10 birds D.B.: J. Senserrick, F. Furlong, M. Landers, R. Cornish, W.

Williams, div., 10/10. No. 2, 30 birds Williams, adv., 10/10. No. 2, 30 birds D.B.: 1st, F. Furlong, 30/30; 2nd, W. Williams, 36/37; 3rd, R. Wallis, 35/37; 12/13 yds., R. Cornish, 26/30; 14/15 yds., J. Senserrick, 26/30; 16/17 yds., M. Parrow, 28/30; 18/13 yds., R. Reid, 28/30. No. 3, 10 birds D.B.: 1st, W. Williams, 30/30; 2nd, M. Landers, 29/30; 3rd, R. Wallis, 25/26; 12/13, R. Cornish, 26/30.

Congratulations are due to Bill Williams, who obtained his 50 break, also the fine shooting of Fred Furlong, who shot a break of 46. It was also good to see front markers R. Wallis and R. Cornish shoot well.

21/8/54. — Weather conditions: windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. (Comp.): T. Senserrick, F. Caurtero, (Comp.): T. Senserrick, F. Caurtero, F. Rosewane, D. Glove, S. Page, div., 5/5. No. 2, 30-bird D.B.: F. Caurtero, 1st, 37/39; R. Wallace, 2nd, 36/39; M. Landers, 3rd, 33/36; 12/13 yds., T. Senserrick, 26/31; 14/15 yds., T. Spence, 32/36. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: R. Hunter, W. Locke, D. Glover, div., 10/10. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: D. Glover, A. Torr, T. Senserrick, div., 5/5.

Today everyone had a cut or a div. in at least one event; it is good to

see Frank Caurtero bursting them. and his new "F" grade seems to be suiting him. We were glad to see our ex-secretary, C. Page, get a cut in the first event, and also the fine shooting of Dan Glover, who cut the 1st, 3rd and 4th events.

4/9/54.—Weather conditions: win-4/9/54.—Weather conditions: windy. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: M. Landers, J. Fewster, J. Senserrick, div., 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, M. Landers, 22/22; 2nd, J. Fewster, 21/22; 3rd, M. Kitchell, 20/22; 12/13, F. Furlong, 17/18. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, M. Landers, 11/11. 2nd J. Senser. M. Landers, 11/11; 2nd, J. Senserrick; 3rd, M. Kitchell, 22/24; 12/13, K. Leahey, 14/16. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: M. Landers, R. Reid,

Congratulations are in order to M. Landers, who never missed a bird for the day, shooting 53 straight; it was also pleasing to see the return of form of our hard-working official, A. J. Fewster, who shot a break of 31/32. (Robert Reid, Hon. Sec.)

DALBY (Q.), 28/8/54. — Weather conditions: windy. Results: No. 1.

5-bird D.B. E.O.: L. V. Price, Lex Winten, W. E. Shand, S. Dun, N. A. McGilp, 5/5. No. 2, 25-bird D.B.P., Campbell Bros. Shield: L. V. Price, 1st, 70/75; J. Burling, 67/75, 2nd; C. Flegler, 66/75, 3rd; G. Reed, best C. Flegler, 66/75, 3rd; G. Reed, best 12 yds., 54/75. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: A. Seis, M. Swaby, 10/10. No. 4, 15-bird D.B. Sparrows: A. Seis, 1st, 14/15; N. McGilp, 2nd, 22/25; M. Swaby, 21/25, 3rd; J. Mahon, 14/20, best 12 yd. No. 5, 10 pr. D.D.: C. Seis and D. Price, 1st, 10 pr.; A. Seis and L. Price, N. McGilp and M. Swaby, L. Winten and S. Dun, div. 2nd and 3rd, 9 pr. each.

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The weather being a little on the windy side made conditions a bit on the tough side today, more particularly the sparrow events, as in the wind the small target played unpredictable tricks on the shooters.

(C. E. Flegler, Hon. Sec.)

BOURKE (N.S.W.), 3/9/54. — Weather conditions: very clear and ideal shooting conditions. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: J. Robinson, K. Soames, C. Campbell, F. Barnes, K. Cross, W. Moody, M. Burgess, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: J. Whittaker, C. Campbell, B. Hall, F. Carson, J. Howland, W. McPhee, K. Cross, W. Moody, W. Davis, W. Manns, 10/10. No. 3, 20 birds Point Score: J. Hanns, B. Schmidt, 60/60 pts., 20/20 birds. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: 20/20, J. Hanns, R. Norris, J. Murphy, L. O'Mally. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: 20/20, J. Hanns, R. Norris, J. Murphy, L. O'Mally, J. Howland, W. Moody, K. Cross, W. Manns, M. Burgess, W. Cross, N. Singleton. No. 5, 20-bird D.B.: 20/20, Schmidt, N. Soames, R. Norris, M. Smith, W. Moody, J. Howland, K. Soames, F. Singleton, B. Moody, J. Hanns, L. Sharpe, W. Cross. No. 6, 5-bird S.B.: J. Murphy, H. O'Mally, W. Manns, L. O'Mally, R. Norris, W. Nash, 5/5.

Some very good shooting witnessed, outstanding being W. Moody with 80 straight, J. Hanns, 80/85; J. Howland, 78/80; K. Cross, 82/85; W. Manns, 83/85; H. O'Mally, 75/85; M. Burgess, 77/85; L. O'Mally, 60/65.

4/9/54.—Weather conditions: very good. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: McPhee, W. Davis, B. Schmidt, H. O'Mally, W. Cross, D. Webster, J. Robinson, L. Morris, W. Moody, W. Manns, 20/20. No. 2, C'ship D.B., 20 birds 16 yds.: 1st, C. Campbell, 60/60; 2nd, M. Smith, 59/60; 3rd, L.

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Morris, 53/55; best 12 ydr., L. O'Mally, 21/23. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: Hanns, McKinnon, McPhee, Burgess, Hegarty, Aldridge, H. O'Mally, M. Smith, N. Norris, B. Moody, B. Schmidt, Tyack, 10/10. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Point Score: H. O'Mally, E. Brown, 10/10. No. 5, 3 birds D.B. from 23 yds.: A. Honeyman, 19/19.

Some very good shooting in the Championship. Congratulations go to Chas. Campbell with a break of 60/60; 2nd, Mick Smith, 59/60; 3rd, Len Morris, 53/55, and the Champion 12 ydr. to Len O'Mally. Mick Smith also ran 2nd last year. The two days were suggested with the champion of the congratulation of the champion of th two days were very successful, over £1,000 being paid out in prize money. Sashes and Trophies were presented at the Gun Club dinner at night, and so terminated another two days of very enjoyable shooting.

(J. Whittaker, Hon. Sec.)

NORTHAM (W.A.), 5/9/54. — Weather conditions: fine, east wind. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. D.T.L.: shoot-off between A. Coutts, D. Holtfreter, R. Holtfreter, D. Martin, P. Humphries, P. Dempster, each 9/10; won by A. Couttes. No. 2, 10-bird S.B. D.T.L.: P. Humphries, 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird Walk-up: between A. Coutts, R. Holtfreter, B. Humphries, 10/10; won by R. Holtfreter. No. 7, High Gun: a shoot-off for high gun was held between A. Coutts, R. Holtfreter and P. Humphries, each scoring 28/30; won by P. Humphries.

(R. M. Holtfreter, Hon. Sec.)

HORSHAM CLAY PIGEON GUN CLUB

BURNT CREEK GROUND, HORSHAM, VIC.

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

Charity Shoot

SATURDAY. 30th OCTOBER. 1954

Commencing 2 p.m.

AFTERNOON AND NIGHT

Good Trophies :: Numerous Events

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— Refreshments on Ground —

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5 BIRD SINGLE BARREL SWEEP

Club Single Barrel Clay Sparrow Championship

1st, Trophy and Sash; 2nd, 3rd, 12/13, 14/15, 16/17.

Saturday, 13th November, 1954

ALL DAY SHOOT

Commencing at 10 a.m.

'No. 1 -

Metropolitan Double Rise Championship

1st, I.C.I.A.N.Z. Trophy and Sash; 2nd, 3rd, 12/13, 14/15.

No. 2 -

Club Deauville Doubles Championship

1st pair, Sashes and Trophies; 2nd pair, Trophies.
(Donated by J. McCraith)

No. 3 —

P. C. McHenry Memorial Handicap

1st, M. Kenny Trophy; 2nd, 3rd, 12/13, 14/15, 16/17 yd.

— LUNCHEON AVAILABLE —

G. HUNTER, President, 3 Market St., Essendon. FX.8103. R. J. REID, Sec., 103 McCracken St., Essendon, Vic. FX 8065. DONALD (V.), 4/9/54. — Weather conditions: calm. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener (comp. Cut): cut by 27 shooters. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Trophy Event: 1st Trophy won by R. Mules, 31/31; 2nd Trophy, L. Ritchie, 30/31; 3rd Trophy, J. Strauss, 29/30. S'stake, optional, cut by J. Clarke, R. Mules, L. Ritchie, Dr. Connard, J. Rizzo, W. Codyow, L. Simpson, J. Strauss, G. Smith, C. Reading, Les Young, G. Sellick, G. Freeman.

Sixty-seven shooters took part in the night shoot, with R. Mules (Adelaide, S.A.) shooting particularly well to win the trophy event with a break of 31/31; L. Ritchie (Quambatook) (which is installing the lights shortly), 2nd, 30/31; Jack Strauss (Rainbow), 3rd, 29/30. Our thanks go to Mrs. C. Ferrier, the Manuel sisters and other visiting shooters' women-folk who helped us with the supper in the absence of our good club supporter, Mrs. Leeder.

(R. S. Reseigh, Hon. Sec.)

TASMANIAN (Launceston, Tas.).

On Saturday, 21/8/54, the Tasmanian Gun Club conducted a most successful shoot at the St. Leonards Ground. Although weather conditions were adverse, 40 shooters attended from clubs throughout the State. Shooting in all events was very keen and a high standard was maintained. Highlight of the day was the outstanding performance of 14-year-old Peter Rockliffe of Latrobe. This junior broke 5/5 in the first event and followed with 20/20 in the £50 Handicap. At the conclusion of shooting, Club President W. Rainbird presented Rex Powell of Cressy Club with the Tasmanian D.B. Championship Sash won at the previous meeting.

Results: 1st Event, 5-bird D.B. S'stake: div. P. Rockliffe, A. Birchall, R. Powell, W. Rainbird, J. Hart, N. Frith, E. Coleman, K. Littlejohn, V. Allen, J. Taylor, S. Baird, S. Bailey, J. Blake, 5/5. 2nd Event, 10-bird S.B. S'stake, 12/15 yd. shooters: div. A. Birchall, V. Allen, R. Horton, 10/10. 3rd Event, 10-bird S.B. S'stake (shooters over 16 yds.): W. Rainbird, 10/10; C. Poxon, N. Frith, 9/10, R. Rockliffe, A. Poxon, J. Blake, 8/10. 250 H'cap: P. Rockliffe, N. Frith, J. Taylor, J. Hart, V. Allen, S. Marshall, 20/20. (J. F. Bennell, Sec.)

LISMORE (N.S.W.), 4/9/54. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: 11 shooters, with possible 5/5. No. 2, 20-bird S.B. Trophy: W. Gorrie, 22/22, 1st; J. Bruggy, 21/22, 2nd; E. Hodge, 19/20, 3rd. No. 3, 20 birds D.B. Trophy, Points: A. Hicks, 59/60, 1st; H. Hodge, 71/75, 2nd; W. Richardson, 83/90, 3rd. No. 4, Legacy H'cap P.S.: K. Lee, 89/90, 1st; E. Hodge, 88/90, and A. Hicks, 88/90, div. 2nd and 3rd. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: J. Bruggy, 34/34, 1st; J. Heiman, 23/24, 2nd; N. Gorrie, 25/26, 3rd. No. 6, 10 prs. Double Rise: C. J. Lee, A. Hicks, D. Powell, J. Neill, div., 6/10 prs.

Attendance below average owing to possibly an open shoot at St. George. Being a Legacy day, the attendance was disappointing. Kevin Lee shot well to take the Legacy Handicap with 89/90 points. Our sincere thanks to Clarrie and Mrs. Lee for the fine job of refereeing and scoring. Pleased to receive the Southport "boys" support and to see them taking home a few trophies.

(Sid Elphick, Hon. Sec.)

ARRILALAH (Qld.), 5/9/54. — Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, Pipe-opener, 5-bird D.B.: 1st, G. Coxon, 5/5; F. Aitcheson, R. Whip, D. Milne, J. Brodie, P. Doyle, all 4/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Points: 1st, G. Coxon, 27/30; 2nd, F. Aitcheson, 26/30; 3rd, W. Newton and J. Brodie, 22/30. No. 3; 5-bird S.B.: A. McFadden, F. Aitcheson, R. Whip, P. Hoyle, M. Barnes, W. Newton, S. Henderson, all 4/5. No. 4, 10 Sparrows D.B. Points: 1st, L. Walker, 30/30; 2nd, W. Newton, 27/30; 3rd, W. Grayson, 24/30. No. 5, 20-bird D.B. Pts.; 1st, W. Newton, 55/60; 2nd, A. McFadden, 53/60; 3rd, R. Whip, 52/60. No. 6, Ladies' 5-bird D.B.: 1st, Miss A. Rogers, 3/5. No. 7, 10-bird S.B.: 1st, L. Walker, 10/10; 2nd, A. McFadden, 9/10; 3rd, F. Aitcheson and J. Brodie, 8/10.

Due to a shortage of black clays, we were forced to use whites for the greater part of the shoot, which made shooting more difficult. We were pleased to see members of the Isisford Club, who travelled some distance to take part in the day's shooting. Thanks for the support, Isisford. Lloyd Walker shot well to win the Sparrows and the 10-bird S.B.

CLAY

SHOOTING



Recent Western Australian Championship Winners. (L. to R.): Eddie Metcalf, Roy Carter, Geo. Elliott, Bill Elliott, Colin Ferguson (scated), Tom Blakely.

He scored the possible in each. Congratulations, Lloyd.

(S. G. Doyle, Hon. Sec.)

FRANKSTON (V.), 7/7/54. — Weather conditions: clear, Results: No. 1, 5-bird E.O., Comp. Div. 8th round: L. Baker, J. Twyerould, B. Baker, G. Oke. No. 2, 10-bird (5 bird Driven, 5 bird D.T.L.): I. Evans, No. 3, 7½-bird Deauville Trebble (drawn partners): W. Twyerould, R. Horwood. No. 4, 5-bird S.B.: div. I. Evans, R. Horwood. No. 5, 5-bird D.B.: div. A. Bryan, F. Hyde.

The day was good and so was the shooting. Bill certainly thinks up some good ones like his drawnpartner Deauville Trebble - same as usual except we let one from the plus trap in front of the auto straight at us. Same time as the pair left the auto. Wonder he didn't use sparrows. Congrats, again to Ian Evans. Good Berettas? Also to Len Baker's son. Watch out. Dad!

21/8/54—Weather conditions: rain. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B., Comp. Div. 8th round: div. I. Evans, E. Alaimo, A. Bryan, A. Saltmarsh, N. Miller. No. 2, President's Trophy, 20-bird Points Dec.: 1st. E. Alaimo. 68/75; 2nd, G. Oke, 67/75; 3rd, A. Saltmarsh, 60/75; Front Marker, A. Perrin, 52/75. No. 4, 5 pr. Double Rise: 1st, J. Perrin, 5/5; Front Marker, M. Thomas, 2/5.

Our Pres., Bill Twyerould, gave us a good day's shooting for his day at home. The weather was a bit unkind, but didn't stop Mannie Alaimo from seeing 'em and busting them. Congrats. and also to Jack Perrin, the handicapper wants to see your glen. The boys want to know if the building inspector has seen your steps yet? Thanks to all for our working bees. We need a lot more of 'em, so see you all there.

25/9/54.—Weather conditions: fine and cloudy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener, Comp. Division, 8th

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Round: div. J. Twyerould, L. Swain, A. Bryan. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Club Championship from 18 yds.: 1st, L. Baker, 24/25; 2nd, M. Hamilton, 22/25; Front Marker, N. Miller, 18/20. No. 3, 5-bird Silent Rise: div. R. Chipperfield and L. Swain, 5/5. No. 4, 5-bird S.B., 5-bird D.B.: G. Oke, 10/10. No. 5, 5-bird D.B.: div. J. Perrin and M. Hamilton, 12/12.

Not a bad roll-up of shooters. 20 started in the Club D.B. C'ship and the old-stagers battled it out. Mick let Len Baker in and he is now our D.B. Champ., but not for long. Judging by the way some of the new boys bust 'em. Bill Twyerould presented the trophies and again reminded the visitors not to forget to come again. That means all shooters. Len Baker thanked the ladies for their very good care of the inner man. Then we got on to a few from the fence. Don't forget third Saturday of every month.

(E. N. Miller, Sec.)

KATANNING (W.A.), 5/9/54. — Weather conditions: fine and cold. Results: No. 1, 20-bird D.B. D.T.L.: 1st, K. Norrish; 2nd, R. Aitken; 3rd, P. Martyn. No. 2, 12 Skeet Sweep: E. Brown, 1st; R. Aitken, 2nd.

This season's most successful shoot. with Neville Beeck and Keith Norrish shooting 55 straight off 16 yds. Being a country club, the members prefer Skeet and field events, and this 20bird event, the first D.B. D.T.L. on the 1954 programme, provided surprises and particularly good shooting with two 50 breaks. Our ladies provided their usual excellent afternoon tea, and appreciate the improved amenities and facilities. A second auto trap is being installed for the annual championships, which has de-ferred the erection of a high tower for the time being.

(R. Young, Hon. Sec.)

HARCOURT (V.), 4/9/54. —Weather conditions: fine and mild. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. S'stake, C/D. Assoc. H'caps: T. Botten, L. Williams (Coburg), G. Drife, V. Harrison, V. Michell, H. Smith, div., 5/5 (the middle three from Daylesford). No. 2, Club D.B. C'ship, 20 birds, 16 yds., with 2 Sweeps: H. Smith, 20/20, 1st; W. Blakeley, 33/34, 2nd; A. Quinton, 32/34, 3rd; H. Kelly, 22/24, 12 yds.;

H. Smith, 1st money in minor sweep; total cash in major sweep with W. Blakeley, A. Quinton, H. Kelly, M. Luhrs, each 19/20, div. 2nd and 3rd in minor sweep. No. 3, 5-bird S.B., Assoc. H'cap, 2 Trophies and Sweep: L. G. Williams, 1st, 10/11; A. C. Tie, 2nd, 9/11; former two and C. Rodgers, B. Norris, Geo. Bull, div. sweep, 5/5. No. 4, Miss-out off 24 yds.: H. Smith and R. Lewis, div., 13/13.

SHOOTING

A pleasant day for all, with visitors from Echuca, Melbourne, Daylesford, Creswick, Bendigo div. cash and trophies with the local boys. Ladies' trophy went to Mrs. Mossop of Daylesford. Thanks, ladies, for afternoon tea.

(M. J. Pellas, Hon. Sec.)

ALEXANDRA (V.), 4/9/54. — Weather conditions: calm, cloudy. Results: No. 1, 5 birds D.B. Sweep: div. Denis Doyle, Barry Doyle, Leo Doyle, G. Cumming, 5/5. No. 2, 10 birds D.B. Trophies and Sweep: Sweep div. Gene Moffatt, H. Belmore (Coburg), Barry Doyle, G. Cookson, Leo Doyle, E. Hillman, W. Lock (Coburg), 10/10; 1st Trophy, Gene Moffatt, 16/16; Back marker, Barry Doyle, 15/16; 15/16 yd., Leo Doyle, 11/12; 12/14 yd., E. Hillman, 13/14. No. 3, 10 birds Points Dec., Trophies

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Trout opening day shoot and a happy day spent by all present. Keen competition in the events and added pleasure to the social side of the day was given by visitors from Coburg, Shepparton, Yea and Eildon. The unfailing support of the Coburg boys, who were the guests for whom the first "Trout opening shoot" was put on some years ago, is a source of pride and pleasure to us all. Their sportsmanship and happy spirits always made this shoot one to look forward to. Nice to have Geoff Cookson and Bob Nicholson back with us after quite a long absence and also splendid to see Gordon McLeod in good form, with a borrowed gun. Club thanks to the ladies, and to Gordon McLeod for donating ladies' trophy.

(Luke Doyle, Corresp.)

ROBINVALE (V.), 21/8/54. — Weather conditions: cloudy and windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eyeopener: div. 20 shooters, 5/5. No. 2, 15-bird H'cap: W. Shields, R. Keens, A. McFarlane, N. Domaille, L. Richardson, B. Cavanagh, A. Adcock, D. Pilkington, R. Litchfield, div., 15/15. No. 3, 10-bird Trophy Shoot, 1st, 2nd, 3rd: 1st, L. Richardson, 37/37; 2nd, D. Pilkington, 36/37; 3rd, B. Ferguson, 26/27; A. Adcock, best 12 ydr., 23/24. No. 4, 10-bird S'stake: A. McFarlane, R. Keens, B. Cavanagh, T. Ribarits, A. Henneberg, J. Cullen, D. Pilkington, L. Richardson, div., 10/10.

First shoot of club was very successful, with 71 shooters being present. Excellent shooting by L. Richardson of Burtundy with 62 straight (unfinished) was the highlight of the day. Visiting shooters from Mildura, Nyah, Manangatang, Walpeup, Werrimull, Underbool, Ouyen and others gave the club a great start.

(A. M. Telford, Hon. Sec.)

MILDURA (V.), 25/9/54.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eye-opener: Geo.

Wakefield, John Doyle, K. W. Barnes, W. K. Wakefield, S. Purdue, G. Wilkinson, A. Smith, R. Crean, K. W. Wakefield, B. Pollard, L. Bruce, div., 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Pts. Dec.: J. Doyle, 29/30; C. Purdue, 29/30; div., 1st; L. Richardson, 28/30; R. Crean, 28/30, div. 2nd and 3rd. No. 3, Trophy Shoot, 15-bird D.B. (Stewart & Kilcullen Trophy): John Doyle, 40/40, 1st; Les Richardson, 39/40, 2nd; G. Wilkinson, 31/32, 3rd; L. Bruce, 28/29, best 12/13 yds. No. 4, 5-bird S.B.: A. Metcalf, 5/5; C. Purdue, 5/5; B. Pollard, 5/5; E. Bruce, 5/5; A. W. Barnes, 5/5, div.

NEWS

At Night. No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eyeopener: E. Bruce, H. A. Faux, A. Smith, L. Metcalf, A. Metcalf, K. Wakefield, R. Crean, M. Doyle, H. L. Faux, L. Bruce, G. Wakefield, C. Purdue, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Pts. Dec.: B. Pollard, 29/30; Syd Mills, 29/30, div. 1st; L. Bruce, 28/30; Geo. Wakefield, 28/30, div. 2nd and 3rd prize. No. 3, £30 H'cap, 15 birds D.B.: R. Crean, 15/15, 1st; C. Purdue, E. Bruce, A. Smith, G. T. Wakefield, D. Bruce, J. Austin, 14/15, div. 2nd and 3rd prize. No. 4, Missout: G. T. Wakefield, 6/6.

A successful day and night shoot was conducted by the club. The main event on the day's programme was the Stewart & Kilcullen trophy shoot, the 1st trophy being generously donated by Alec Stewart and Ern Kilcullen of the Footscray Gun Club. The event was won by John Doyle, who shot extra well, with a score of 40/40, also completing a 50 break. The main event at night was the £30 H'cap of 15 birds, which was won by Roy Crean, who has only been shooting at clays for a short time. Saveloy stalls, afternoon tea and cool drinks conducted by the Ladies' Committee helped swell the funds of the club.

(K. J. Peake, Hon. Sec.)

WARRACKNABEAL (V.), 25/9/54
—Weather conditions: good. Results:
No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener: E. Giddings,
R. Golder, W. Mark, J. Clark, S.
Peters, C. Ricketts, G. Kidman, R.
Schilling, Miss P. Manuel. No. 2,
10-bird Trophy: 1st, R. Manuel; 2nd,
S. Peters; 12/13 yd., G. Kidman, with
R. Golder, div. op. sweep. No. 3,
£15 H'cap and Op. Sweep: div. J.
Cullen, W. Mark, G. Dunn, R. Schilling, G. Kidman, T. McLindon, K.

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Saturday, 6th November, 1954

- 10 BIRDS POINTS DECISION.
- 10 PAIR AUTO & DRIVEN.
- 20 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL.

Saturday, 20th November, 1954

10 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL (Sparrows).

Club Double Barrel Clay Sparrow Championship

10 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL.

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McIntyre. No. 4, £1 5-bird Sweep: div. E. Giddings, S. Peters, T. McLindon, D. McPherson. No. 5, Deauville Doubles: div. R. Manuel, K. McConville, J. Cullen, A. Featherby, E. Giddings, C. Ricketts. No. 6, 5-bird Trophy: 10 possibles; shoot-off, R. Manuel, 1st; A. Featherby, 2nd. No. 7, 5-bird Sweep: R. Manuel, B. Melbourne, T. McLindon. No. 8, 5-bird Sweep: div. E. Giddings, J. Clarke, R. Schilling, C. Ricketts.

Visitors from Mildura, Rainbow, Watchem, Lascelles, Kerang, Stawell, Beulah, Birchip. A good day's shooting was had by all present.

(C. Ricketts, Hon. Sec.)

JERILDERIE (N.S.W.). — Highlights of the Jerilderie War Memorial Shoot, conducted by the Jerilderie Gun Club on 18/9/54 were £50 nett for the Jerilderie War Memorial Fund. High-class shooting by Garry Daley of Deniliquin, who did not miss a bird for the shoot, finishing with an unfinished break of 64 birds. Mrs. Daley shot the possible in the Jerilderie War Memorial Handicap and won the Evans and Balfour Trophy of 22 birds straight. R. Ferris Junr. of Jerilderie shot the possible in two out of the three events and div. the sweep money in each event

Junr. of Jerilderie shot the possible in two out of the three events and div. the sweep money in each event and finished with a break of 29 straight. Twenty-eight shooters were present from Melbourne, Albury, Corowa, Shepparton, Cobram, Mooroopna, St. James, Deniliquin, Finley, Narrandera, Benalla and Jerilderie.

1st Event, 10-bird Trophy: 8 possibles, sweep div. R. Ferris Junr. (Jerilderie), A. Jamieson (Corowa), L. Hanel (Albury), J. Callaghan (Mooroopna), G. Daley (Deniliquin), E. Daley (Deniliquin), J. Cowie (Finley), J. Lindner (Shepparton). Shoot-off resulted G. Daley, 1st, 31/31; A. Jamieson, 2nd, 30/31; Front-marker, R. Ferris Junr., 23/24. 2nd Event, Jerilderie War Memorial H'cap, 20 birds: 5 poss., sweep div., G. Daley, E. Daley, Mrs. Daley (Deniliquin), J. Callaghan (Mooroopna), J. Lindner (Shepparton). Shoot-off resulted: G. Daley, 1st, 30/30; J. Lindner, 2nd, 29/30; Front-marker, D. C. Dwyer, 19/20. 3rd Event, S'stake off 23 yds. Miss-out: div. R. Ferris Junr., D. C. Dwyer, H. Sweeney, G. Daley, 3/8 D. C. Dwyer, H. Sweeney, G. Daley, 3/3.

(R. Ferris, Hon. Sec.)

WARREN (N.S.W.) .- Ken McCalman gave a grand display of shootring to win the Warren Gun Club C'ship on the club grounds last Sat-urday, Sept. 25. McCalman, off the 16-yd. mark, collected the 20 clay pigeons released from the trap to gain the handsome trophy and sash. Despite a strong southerly wind, which blew all afternoon, members produced fine shooting.

Other scorers in Saturday's championship shoot were: J. Noonan, 19; R. Lane, 19; N. Montgomery, 18; L. Du Vernet, 18; J. Ferguson, 18; B. Rowe, 18. The trophy for 12-yd. markers went to Mrs. Firth, who shot extremely well for 17 "kills" out of extremely well for 17 "kills" out of the possible 20. The opening shoot, 5-bird Eye-opener S'stake: div. J. Noonan, J. Agnew, N. Montgomery, K. McCalman, B. Rowe, R. Lane. 2nd Event, 5-bird S.B. and 5-bird D.B. S'stake: outright F. Firth, 10/10. 4th Event, 5 sparrow D.B. S'stake: div. J. Ferguson and B. Rowe, 5/5. The final event, 5-sparrow D.B. S'stake: N. Montgomery, 5/5.

(B. H. Grainger, Hon. Sec.)

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No. 2 — 20 Bird Double Barrel Trophy Shoot

Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Nomination, £1/10/-. No. 3—

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20 Birds from 16 yards. Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd; also best 12/13 yarder. Also Sash for winner. Nomination, £1/5/-.

No. 4 — 10 BIRD D.B. TROPHY SHOOT — Point Score Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Nomination, £1/10/-. OPTIONAL SWEEPS ON EACH ROUND IN ALL SHOOTS. Second Day - Sunday - commencing at 9 a.m. sharp. No. 1 — 5 BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER. Comp. Div. Nomination, 6/-.

No. 2 —

Balonne Double Barrel Championship

20 Birds from 16 yards. Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd; also best 12/13 yarder. Also Sash for winner. Nomination, £1/5/-.

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(From Rex Miles)

The 1954 Grand American is history. As I know many Australians will be interested, I am enclosing you reports from the Dayton, Ohio, newspapers. They had a record attendance of 2,009, officially correct. As you know, our State Shoot was held at Walla Walla prior to the Grand American. Strange as it seems, a tough shot like Riegger is, he seems to get beaten for State Championships; this year and last year he finished in the runner-up position. Stan Brock of Walla Walla broke 198 to win. Riegger broke 196. Brock also won the doubles. Riegger won the All-round Championship and Class AA on the first day with 199/ 200. Following our State Shoot, the Grand Pacific was held at Spokane Gun Club. Riegger really cleaned up, he won every one of the championships, singles, doubles, handicap and all-round, and was, of course, high-gun on all targets.

AUSTRALIAN

Grand American (from Dayton papers):

"VANDALIA, Ohio, Aug. 28 (AP). This Miami valley village pulled the cotton from its ears today and settled down to quiet normalcy as the Grand American trapshoot ended the biggest shotgun barrage in its 55year history.

More than 2,000 shooters from all parts of the United States and Canada fired 1,166,900 12-gauge shells in competition here the last eight days.

The total targets thrown, including practice rounds and shoot-offs, approached 1.500,000.

In today's wind-up events, Maynard B. Henry, 39-year-old Los Angeles attorney and the new president of the Amateur Trapshooting Association, broke 99 of 100 to win the national doubles championship. Franklin Westover of Centerville, Ind., broke 98 from 20 yards to triumph in the Vandalia open han-

Tied for second in the twin-target race with 97 were E. H. Henke of

Ventura, Calif., Bud June of Scotts Bluff, Neb., and Arnold Riegger of Seattle, Wash.

Seven sharpshooters tied at 97, one target off the pace in the handicap.

In a shoot-off Joe Junglas, Easton, Pa., finished second; Charles J. Parkinson, London, Ont., Canada, third; Richaard Webber, Thiensville, Wis., fourth, and James C. Anderson, Franklin, Ohio, fifth.

Others in the 97 bracket were Dale Brown, Heppner, Ore., and Ray Wackler, West Milton, Ohio, and George A. Buck of Beardstown, Ill.

Riegger, who won four titles during the week, wound up as the individual star of the 1000 target barrage by breaking 975 of 1000 targets for the overall championship.

Julius Petty of Stuttgart, Ark., who led Riegger by four targets going into today, lost a dozen to the west coast marksman in today's two races and finished second with 967.

Iva Pembridge, the 29-year-old schoolteacher from Phillipsburg, Kan., won the women's overall title with 946 out of 1000, taking the Mrs. Frances King trophy for the third time in four years to gain permanent possession of the \$1000 cup.



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Helen Watkins, Wasco, Ore., farm woman, was second with 928.

The junior overall crown went to Nick Egan of Flushing, N.Y. The 14-year-old boy won Friday's Grand American handicap, the number one feature of the week.

Egan defeated Paul Wright of Optima, Okla., and Baxter Moore of Tillamook, Ore., in a shoot-off after the trio had tied at 949 of 1000. Cliff Doughman of Morrow, Ohio, nosed out Don Flewelling of Harvey, Ill., 959 to 958, for the professional overall title.

The all-round championship based on the 200-target 16 yards North American clay target championship, the Grand American handicap and the national doubles, went to Henry, who broke 389 of 400.

Riegger and Bob Allen of Des Moines, Iowa, tied for second, a target behind. Miss Pembridge won the women's crown with 366. David

Brooks of Kewanee, Ill., led the juniors with 382, and Doughman topped the professionals with 386.

Riegger, who shot all of the pre-liminary and championship pro-gramme, was involved in at least six shoot-offs during the week, won the preliminary doubles title, the champion of champions, the class AA and the high overall."

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No. 2 Event -

30 Bird Birthday Handicap

£120 and Presidents Trophy

First Prize, £60 and Trophy; Second Prize, £30; Third Prize, £10. £5 each 12/13/14/15 yarders. Nomination, £3/5/-. 5/- Optional Sweep each 10 birds.

BARBECUE AT NIGHT, when shooters will be guests of the Committee.

Second Day, 12.30 p.m. sharp

D.B.N.S. CHARITY SHOOT

No. 1 Event - 5 BIRD SWEEP. Comp. Div.

No. 2 Event -

15 Bird Handican

Nomination, 25/-.

First Prize, £10 (Trophy presented by Colin Barr, Mac's Hotel, Mt. Gambier); Second, Third and 12 yd. Trophies. 5/- Optional Sweep each 5 birds.

Shooters must produce current A.C.P.T.S.A. Handicap Cards. No Nominations accepted after start of second round. Committee reserves the right to alter Programme.

Refreshments and Cartridges on Ground. Accommodation arranged if required.

J. WOODROW, President. Milang. Phone 27.

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ELEMENTARY OPTICS

Many shooters have discovered that their sport can be made easier and more interesting with the aid of a telescope, field glasses. or binoculars, and in some branches of shooting such as deer stalking and on the rifle range, an optical aid of some sort is almost indispensable. The rough shooter and wildfowler will derive much advantage by spotting his game at a distance, and will be able to increase his knowledge of wild life if he carries a glass, and these notes are offered to assist him in choosing an instrument best suited for his purposes.

Telescopes, binoculars, field glasses and rifle 'scopes are all telescopic instruments, and all function in the same basic manner. An astronomical telescope is the simplest form, and as no light need be wasted on lenses or prisms to erect the image, objects are seen upside down. Terrestial instruments are slightly more complicated. A large objective (or entrance) lens receives light from the target, an erecting system of lenses or prisms turns the image the right way up, and an eyepiece lens magnifies and adapts the light to the observer's eye. Rifle 'scopes require an image in line with the target, and image erection is effected by a somewhat lengthy system of lenses. Binoculars have a "stepped" prism erecting system that is more compact, and the advantage of wide double objectives that give a useful stereoscopic effect, i.e., the image appears to have "depth".

The magnification of an optical instrument is obtained by dividing the diameter of the objective aperture (or lens) by the diameter of the eveniece (or exit pupil), and the larger the eyepiece (up to the diameter of the human pupil, say 1 in.) the brighter the image. A glance through a telescope or binoculars will show an apparent circular field of about 30 degrees, but the actual field of view is the apparent field divided by the magnification. Thus a high magnification will both restrict the field of view and reduce the brightness of the image. There is

no such thing as a compact instru-ment with a high magnification, and a wide field of view, and a bright image, any more than there is a .410 gun that will fire an ounce of shot. As with a gun, an optical instrument should be chosen of sufficient power, but no more power than is necessary for the purpose intended. For practical shooting and bird watching, image brightness is more desirable than very high magnification. The following table gives the relative brightness values of the more common instruments:

Magnifi-	Diam. of	Relative
cation	Objective	Brightness
	mm	
4 X	20	25.0
Remarks: R	ifle 'scope	
6 X	25	17.6
6 X	30	25.0
7 X	35	25.0
Racing gl	asses for d	ay use
7 X	50	50.4
Best all 1	rounder day	/night
7 X	60	72.75
Bird wate	hing, heavy	•
8 X	30	14.3
High pow	er race glas	SS
9 X	35	14.4
High pow	er.	
13 X	60	21.2
Stalking	'scope	
20 X	40	4.0
Stalking 5	scope and/	or rifle range
20 X	55	7.9
Stalking 5	scope and/	or rifle range
35 X	60	2.9
High pow	er telescope	9

Supported 'Scopes.

It should be remembered that all instruments with a magnification greater than 8 X cannot be held in the hand, and need a rest or tripod. A deerstalker traditionally supports his telescope on his stick, and a range spotting 'scope is always fixed on a rigid tripod to keep the target in the very restricted field of view. The severely limited field of view of a high-power telescope is a great disadvantage, and can be very tiring to

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Friday, 29th October, 1954, Night Shoot at 7 p.m.

2 Traps under excellent lights.

1st Event — 5 BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER Nom., 10/-. Comp. Div.

2nd Event -

£50 HANDICAP

60%, 30%, 10%.
OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

Saturday, 30th October, 1954

Commencing 9.30 a.m.

1st Event — 5 BIRD EYE-OPENER Nom., 10/-. Comp. Div.

2nd Event —

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100 BIRDS D.B. per Team (Handicap Marks)
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the eye. A power of 15 X is needed to read 1-inch letters at 100 yards, and 30 X to read them at 200 yards, and so on.

Average "racing" binoculars are 6 X 30, and are good enough for watching horses, but birds are much smaller targets, and the happiest compromise of power, relative brightness, and size is 7 X 50. This is fairly expensive in binoculars, but it is a really excellent instrument for all-round use, and is quite effective after dusk or in moonlight. The writer's own choice for shooting, bird-watching, and all purposes is a 7 X 50 monocular of 20 ounces. It is half the size, weight, and price of the equivalent binoculars, has the same optical efficiency, and may easily be carried in the jacket pocket. From the above table it would appear that the 7 X 60 is the best instrument. which of course it is from the optical point of view, but it is very expensive and bulky. It is ideal for a wealthy bird-watcher, but too heavy to carry at the same time as a gun and cartridge bag, etc.

For Deer Stalking.

For deer stalking, an extending telescope with a power of 12 X to 20 X is usually chosen, and is usually rested on a rock or walking stick. The 20 X will clearly show a deer at three miles. The .22 rifle is not normally used over 100 yards, and 2½ X is quite sufficient power for a small-game rifle 'scope. Big-game rifles which may be used on moving targets may be fitted with a 4 X 'scope giving a 30-foot field of view, and a 6 X 'scope is often used for mountain shooting at static targets.

Good quality articles are seldom cheap, and a pair of fine quality prismatic binoculars may cost as much as a medium price gun. There are from 10 to 14 optical surfaces in each half of a pair of binoculars, and each one has to be ground to microscopical accuracy, and fitted with meticulous care to ensure optical perfection. The objective lenses in good glasses are compound or achromatic (two or more lenses cemented together) to correct colour aberration, and any instrument that shows a "rainbow" fringe to the image is necessarily a poor one and should be rejected however cheap it may be.

The latest modern refinement in optical instruments are "bloomed" lenses . . . originally introduced for high quality military gun sights. An exceedingly thin coating of magnesium fluoride on each air to glass surface increases the light transmitting power up to 50 per cent. by reducing surface reflection. With glasses so treated, it is possible to see a clear image without glare against a bright sunset. If it is intended to take binoculars (or cameras) to the tropics, they should be kept in a humidor, or be fungus proof. In humid climates the cement of the lenses is attacked by a fungus which in time renders them opaque, and so makes the instrument useless until it is sent to the makers for an expensive overhaul.

It is an advantage if each half of a pair of binoculars can be separately focussed for the user's vision, and there should be an eye guard properly designed to hold the eye in the centre of the exit pupil, and wearers of spectacles can now get an instrument specially designed for them.

In order to obviate the risk of injury to the eye from the recoil of a rifle, rifle 'scopes are designed with "eye relief". This is the distance from the eye to the eyepiece and is usually from 1½ to 4 inches. In general, the higher the magnification, the smaller the eye relief.

(L. R. James in "Shooting Times")

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"You needn't face them, dear—

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Announcing programme of forthcoming major events.

Saturday, 23rd October, 1954

BEGIN 1.30 P.M.

5 BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER C.D. Nom. 5/ 10 BIRD D.B. H'CAP SWEEP Nom. 15/

0 Bird Double Barrel Ladies Trophies Event

1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies.

Ladies may draw for, or be nominated for draw by shooters on ground.

4. 15 BIRD D.B. H'CAP POINT SCORE 3 and

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Saturday, 30th October, 1954 BEGIN 1.30 P.M. 10 BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER C.D. Nom. 10/-10. BIRD D.B. H'CAP SWEEP Nom. 15/-

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0 HANDICAP - 20 Bird Double Barrel

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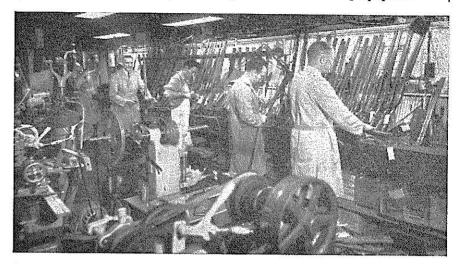
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