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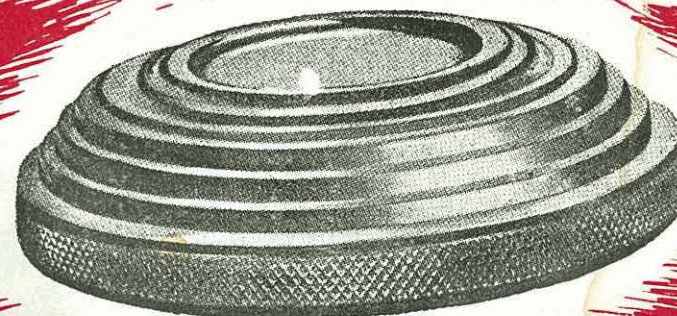
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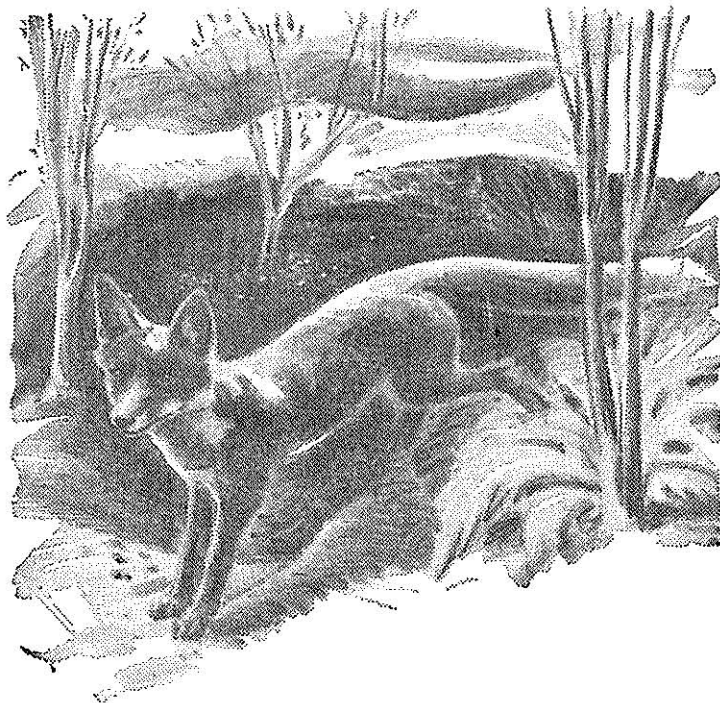
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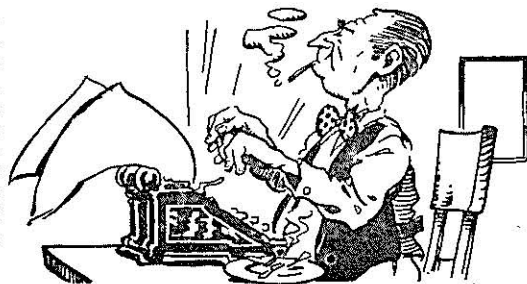
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The Editor's Notebook

With the passing of the big March Association shooting series and settling down to the clearing up process, is it possible to obtain some estimate of the magnitude of the fixture and the importance and bigness of the occasion, compared with the early days of the sport of clay pigeon shooting in Australia.



In the mid-1930's, when 50 shooters attended the fixture for the first time, the pioneers of the sport felt they had reached a pinnacle in attendance figures which would hold for many years. Similarly about the same period when the late Lew. Bertram of Bentleigh (V.) returned a break of 77 straight during the meeting, his figures appeared, at that time, to be of such gigantic proportions that these, too, would hold for a long time. Looking back on the recent fixture, when 245 shooters took part and breaks of 50 and 100 and more were common-place, it will be observed how both the attendance figures and the standard of shooting has improved over the past decade or two.

The figure of 245 is only six off the record attendance of 1950, when 251 faced the traps. Had it not been for the disastrous floods in New South Wales, the 1950 record would have been easily exceeded. Many regular competitors at the series were facing much greater hazards during the period of the matches than was normal procedure.

Whilst on the point of the N.S.W. flood disaster, it is pleasing to report that the Association was to the fore in providing donations to the Flood Relief Fund. The Association itself donated £50 when the first call for assistance came. Later, during the carnival at East Burwood, by providing a miniature shooting series, plus proceeds from the donation of a gun, another £161 was raised—a total of £211. A noteworthy achievement. One for which thanks are

extended to all who contributed or assisted in any way.

Congratulations are expressed to winners of all events during the big fixture.

The thanks of the Association is also extended to all those who assisted in the running of the fixture. Organization of the series is much more important than is generally realised. With so many shooters present, everything must run according to schedule and, except for one or two minor setbacks, it can be said that the programme ran as anticipated. The staff is extended special thanks for co-operation and efficiency and, similarly, are thanks expressed to those who "took over" for varying periods during the progress of the fixture.

The annual meeting, the 19th, of affiliated club delegates intervening, held on the Sunday of the shooting series, was the largest attended in the history of the Association. Over 60 clubs were represented by appointed delegates, and there were also present a number of interested shooters as spectators. A full report of this meeting will appear in the next issue of "News". One important decision reached was that club affiliation fee from January 1, 1956, was fixed at £5, instead of the figure of £1/1/- as at present. The latter fee was fixed more than 25 years ago, when money values were very different from those prevailing today.

In recent weeks several instances have come forward of clubs holding open shoots; in one or two instances open championships were concerned, when clubs allotted these events had conducted same, or intended to do so, without first obtaining Association approval. It is pointed out that all open shoots must have the approval of the Association, and this also means the dates on which same are held. Another point, all "holidays" are in charge of the Association, and a club may not conduct even a club shoot on a public holiday without first securing Association approval. This information should be noted by all clubs for future guidance. Whilst discussing this point, clubs are again reminded that a shoot becomes an "open shoot"

when more than £50 is allocated in prize money for one event. In such cases Association handicaps must be used.

During the recent annual meeting it was decided to appoint one representative to the Executive Committee from each of the States of South and Western Australia. Accordingly the newly appointed Executive Committee members are: South Australia, Mr. J. Woodrow, Milang, S.A.; Western Australia, Mr. C. Ferguson, Minora, W.A.

Mr. Roy Alexander, of 256 Wellington Street, Perth, W.A., has been appointed official referee examiner for the State of Western Australia.



Colac Team, winners Australian Teams' Championship, at Association shoot (L. to R.—G. Crosse, R. Jorgenson, J. Hay and R. Krentzlin).

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Hay Club's spacious grounds are on the adjacent area to the Hay racecourse. During a March fixture of the Hay Racing Club it was noted that a horse named Arsenic was a hot favourite for the "Final Flutter Handicap".

Writing from Cairns in North Queensland, Jock Izzatt, a shooter well known on southern shooting tracks and also an official of the Cairns Club, referring to the recent National series conducted by the Association at East Burwood (V.), says, "I suppose by the time you receive this the great March shoot will be over. The interest displayed by these far-away gunmen in the International shoot is remarkable and it is with great speculation the relative merits of the possibles for the Champ. of Champ. are discussed. Names are quite familiar to the chaps here, but, of course, a lot of them have never been to Melbourne or met any of the names in the gun game, but the regular receipt of the 'News' keeps all of the northern folk in touch." Izzatt, continuing, mentions that local clubs are progressing well and would be much better with less rain. He mentions that recently Tully had three feet of rain in one week. The Cairns club would very much like to see a party of Melbourne shooters in the north during the coming winter. Izzatt outlined details of the welcome they could expect.

Office-bearers of the Cohuna Gun Club for the ensuing year are: President: R. W. Farrant; Vice-Presidents, O. McLaughlin, A. F. Lister; Secretary-Treasurer, W. M. Wilson; Committee, Messrs. F. Trezise, H. F. Robertson, H. Lunghusen, J. Poole, C. M. Wilson, K. McLaughlin, F. Thrum, R. Ottrey, D. Wilson,

E. L. Strachan, W. J. Peace, S. F. Wilson.

Ken. Bassett of Ventura Downs, Surat (Q.) has again taken over the secretaryship of the Surat Club in Western Queensland. Wal. White has relinquished the position on account of pressure of private business. Ken Bassett is a former secretary of the club.

The New South Wales Gun Club at Terry Hills, just outside Sydney, is coming along very well and will shoot on April 30 and May 14, day and night on each occasion. On April 30 a £50 handicap and the Night C'wealth. Double-rise title are listed among other events. On May 14 another £50 Handicap and the Sydney Night S.B. title are chief events. Enquiries to secretary at Phone JJ 0775.

Cairns Club in North Queensland is advertising a two-day fixture on May 1 and 2. The North Queensland Walk-up title and a £30 Handicap are chief interests on first day. The State Intermediate D'ville Doubles and a £50 handicap are main events on second day. Enquiries to H. H. Veivers, 129 Esplanade, Cairns (secretary), Phone 2555.

Kaniva Club in far Western Victoria will hold a day and night shoot on April 30 in aid of Kaniva Soldiers' Memorial Swimming Pool. Full details are as advertised. Enquiries to A. M. McDonald, P.O., Kaniva, Phone Miram 18R (secretary). A Browning Under and Over gun is principal night trophy.

St. George Club, Western Queensland, one of the first to be affiliated with the A.C.P.T.S.A., will conduct a two-day fixture on April 30 and May 1. The Balonne S.B. title and other events are listed for first day. On Sunday, May 1, the Southern Queensland D.B. title and a £100 Handicap, with other events, are listed for decision. Programme is advertised. Enquiries to W. H. Macartney, Box 88, St. George (Phone 88) (secretary).

Warracknabeal Diggers Gun Club

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

DAY AND NIGHT SHOOT
SATURDAY, 14th MAY, 1955

Commencing 1 p.m.

No. 1 Event — 3 PAIR DOUBLE RISE
Nom., 10/- Comp. Div.

No. 2 Event —

Wimmera Double Rise Championship

10 Pairs from 16 yards.
1st Trophy valued £20, and Sash;
2nd Trophy, £10; 3rd Trophy, £5.
Nom., £1/5/- :: Op. Sweep, 10/-.

No. 3 Event —

£25 Handicap

10 BIRD. Handicap Marks.
Nom., £1 :: 5/- Op. on each 5 birds.

NIGHT SHOOT:

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15 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL HANDICAP
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ASSOCIATION FEES

Clubs and shooters are reminded that Association affiliation and registration fees became due on January 1, for the period ending 31st December, 1955. All payments should be completed not later than January 31st, in accordance with the rules.

The Combined Club's annual fixture (Tambo, Clara Creek and Charleville), of Western Queensland, will be held on July 29, 30 and 31. £1000 is listed for distribution. Preliminary announcement is made in "News" this issue. Enquiries to Reg Akers, "Spring Hill", Charleville, Q.

The Winchelsea Club, situated just beyond Geelong, in Western Victoria, is a newly affiliated unit of the A.C.P.T.S.A. Secretary is Alan Reynolds, cr. Alsop and Batson Sts., Winchelsea.

Errol (Holden) McMillan, winner of the Rainbow Grand Prix on New Year's Day, with which went a Holden car, has had a silver plate suitably engraved mounted on the dash-board of his prized Holden. It creates great interest at all shoots he visits.

White sparrows are an unusual sight and when one turned up at Portland (V.) recently local residents took notice. Two birds were observed to be fighting. One appeared to be a canary and the other an ordinary sparrow. The lighter coloured bird was rescued from its attacker, but despite careful treatment, it died. On examination, the bird was found to be a completely white sparrow which now reposes in the Portland museum.

A new club has been formed at Tottenham (N.S.W.) and the body has affiliated with the A.C.P.T.S.A. Max Holmes is secretary.

Officials of the South Burnett Club for the ensuing year are: Patrons, Messrs. N. Reed and H. Robertson; President, P. Dennis; Vice-Presidents, W. Proposch, R. Kefford, L. Towne, A. Ritching; Secretary, M. Champney; Treasurer, S. Horne.

Tawonga Club (V.) has affiliated with the Association. Secretary is A. L. Hore, Tawonga.

Mount Gambier (S.A.) shooter, J. G. Campbell, mentions in a brief note that "News" does a wonderful job in keeping all shooters and clubs in touch with current happenings all over Australia. He adds, "It is far more informative than the press, which seems to be reluctant to give the sport much space, so I should think 'News' is looked forward to by

a great many shooters as well as my humble self."

The annual meeting of the Dalby Gun Club (Q.) was held on February 28. Officers elected were: President, M. J. Swaby; Vice-President, L. D. Winten; Secretary, D. A. Price; Treasurer, W. Moore; Captain, L. V. Price; Armourer, C. E. Flegler; Asst. Secretary and Correspondent, G. Campbell; Committee, Messrs. H. McGilp, G. Campbell, R. L. Sparkes, R. Winten, R. S. Winterbottom, D. C. Ferguson and C. Seis.

Wilcannia Club (N.S.W.) is a new affiliation with the A.C.P.T.S.A. Secretary, R. McKay, Box 29, Wilcannia.

Bathurst Club's officials for 1955 are: Patron, K. S. Soames; President, S. H. Edwards; Vice-President, K. McEwen; Secretary, S. Bressington; Asst. Secretary, E. Brackenrig; Treasurer, A. Rosconi; Ground Captain, A. Rowe; Asst. Ground Captain, J. Hadson; Armourer, H. Jaques; Trap Maintenance, C. Campbell; Committee, C. Hall, H. Weineter, L. Williams, L. Healy.

Goondiwindi Club (Q.) will conduct a three-day fixture on the dates May 14, 15 and 16 next. The Queensland S.B. title and a £75 Handicap will

Frankston and Peninsula Gun Club (Vic.)

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

SATURDAY, 30TH APRIL, 1955

Starting at 1 p.m.

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

2nd Event —

Metropolitan Mixed Birds Championship

1st Prize — PORTABLE RADIO, valued £35

2nd Prize — CANTEEN CUTLERY, valued £15

3rd Prize — ELECTRIC PERCOLATOR, valued £7/10/-

12, 13/14, 15/16 yard Trophies. Nom., £3.

1½ oz. load Cartridges only to be used in this event.

3rd Event —

20 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL

Nom., £5.

1st — "BRED" AUTOMATIC SHOTGUN, valued £72

2nd — CASE 500 ICIL CARTRIDGES, £25

3rd — 250 SPECIAL TRAPLOAD CARTRIDGES, valued £10/12/6
12, 13/14, 15/16 yard Trophies.

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A.C.P.T.S.A. Handicaps will be used in all future events of the Club.

The Committee reserve the right to alter the Programme.

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be shot on the opening day, with supporting events. A £150 Handicap is main item on second day and £50 Handicaps are listed as chief interests on final day. Full details are as advertised. Enquiries to S. J. O'Shea (secretary), Herbert Street, Goondiwindi, Q.

Tully Club in North Queensland is sponsoring a three-day fixture on June 11, 12 and 13. The club has night lights and these will be used during the series. A £100 Handicap is chief interest on opening day with a £50 Handicap at night. On Sunday, June 12, a £200 Handicap, plus the Queensland Double-rise title, followed by a night series, will take place. On final day, the North Queensland S.B. title is listed as among other events. Complete details are as advertised. Enquiries to Mrs. E. McLeod (secretary), Box 369, Tully, N. Qld.

Shooters in Western Queensland who take their holidays around the seaside resorts of Nambour, Tewantin, Maroochdore, Mooloolaba and Caloundra have been making enquiries regarding the formation of a club at Nambour. Interest has quickened in recent weeks and support is being given to a Saturday and Sunday shoot on April 30 and May 1, in conjunction with the Golden Pineapple Festival on the Near North Coast. Enquiries concerning this preliminary shoot should be directed to Bert McFadden, "Chronicle" Office, Nambour, Qld.

The Mortlake Club in western Victoria, has affiliated with the Association and registered its shooters. Secretary of the club is A. J. Goodall, Webster Street, Mortlake, V.

Another new Victorian affiliation is that of the Boort Club. Secretary is P. C. Everall, Boort; President, L. Toose; Vice-Presidents, W. Tatt and F. Maynard; Committee, J. Kerr, H. Toose, E. Lanyon, K. Tennatt and R. Eagle.

Inverleigh Club, another Western Victorian unit, has affiliated with the A.C.P.T.S.A. Secretary is I. C. Cutts, Inverleigh (V.).

A new club is under way at Geurie in New South Wales. Secretary is D. K. Williams at "Pine Grove", Geurie, N.S.W.

The Camberwell Club, which shoots at North Balwyn (V.), will shoot on April 23, May 7 and May 21. The first day will be known as Ladies' Day. On May 7 all proceeds will go to aid the St. George's Hospital Camberwell Ladies' Auxiliary. On May 21 the Club clay sparrow title will be decided. All details are as advertised. Enquiries to J. F. Rayner (secretary), 5 Lawson Street, North Balwyn, E.9 (Phone WL 4309).

Footscray Club (V.) will shoot at Tottenham (V.) on April 30, May 14 and May 28. The club single-barrel championship will be decided on April 30. All details are as advertised. Enquiries to T. Gore (secretary), 3 Yardley Street, Maidstone (V.).

E. T. Pettit, well known on Eastern grounds, is President of the Geraldton Club (W.A.) for the ensuing year. Secretary is P. J. Henderson, Box 29, Geraldton; Treasurer, J. Jones; Captain, L. Jones.

Writing from Blenheim (New Zealand), registered shooter D. G. Wareham mentions that he "enjoys 'News' very much. Our N.Z. Championship meeting is being held on March 23 to 30 and the International, of course, is creating a great deal of excitement. The year Newton Thomas was over here I had to shoot one bird to win the N.Z. Championship and £350 cash, and I promptly missed it. I saw the humorous side of it, though, and had a real good laugh. That was the money I was hoping to take me to Aussie. The funny thing after that was, that I shot another 87 straight unfinished break, so you can see it wasn't meant to be my turn."

Rockhampton Club (Queensland) will shoot over four days and two nights between June 12 and June 19. The Central Queensland D.B. night title is listed for the night of June 12. Many cash events, including £50 handicaps and one £250 handicap, under single-barrel conditions, are included through the series. Full details are as advertised. Enquiries to D. G. Russell (secretary), 58 Eton Street, West Rockhampton (Q.).

Officials of the Kellerberrin Club in Western Australia for the ensuing 12 months are: President, C. H. McClelland; Vice-Presidents, E. J. Heal,

C. H. J. Pascoe; Secretary, Donald Forsyth; Treasurer, D. B. G. Sherwood; Captain, H. R. McClelland; Vice-Captain, D. B. G. Sherwood.

Tullibigeal Club (N.S.W.) will shoot the South-Western Districts of N.S.W. Mixed Birds title on Saturday, May 14. The Tyack Challenge Shield will also be decided, together with other events. Enquiries to W. Cross (secretary), Phone 42R. The programme is advertised.

The Mansfield Club in the North Central section of Victoria is a recent affiliation with the Association. This club is under the sponsorship of Luke Doyle, President of Alexandra Club and a member of the Association Executive. Luke journeyed through the darkness of a very wet night recently from his home at Alexandra to assist in the formation of the Mansfield club.

The Frankston Club, with its spaciouly laid out grounds close to the Eastern shores of Port Phillip Bay, will hold a big shoot on Saturday, April 30. The main event will

be the Metropolitan Mixed Birds title. Valuable trophies are allocated for the entire programme and the club should be rewarded with a first-class roll-up of shooters. The winner of the title event will receive a £35 portable radio. Association handicaps will prevail throughout the meeting and the club intends retaining Association handicaps for all events in the future. Full details are as advertised. Enquiries to W. Twyerould (President), 76 Jasper Road, Moorabbin (Phone XU 4200) and Mrs. Gray (secretary), 9 Cecil Street, Frankston (Phone Frankston 1230).

A new club has been formed at Lethero, a small centre between Wentworth and Pooncarie in N.S.W. on the Darling River. There are quite a number of shooters in the Lethero area and all are reported to be members of the Mildura Gun Club. President of the new formation is A. E. Wilkinson, and secretary, C. F. Dennis, Box 156, Mildura. The Lethero Club has already affiliated with the A.C.P.T.S.A.

The 1955 Champion of Champions Cup winner, Sperry Marshall, writing from his home at Bridgewater, Tasmania, mentions, "Paul and I are just beginning to settle down after our strenuous efforts in Melbourne. We had a really marvellous trip and will always be indebted to you people over there for your hospitality. We are much looking forward to seeing everyone again and will surely be there again next year."

The Coburg Club will shoot on April 23 and May 5. 20-bird events are listed as main attractions on both days. Programmes are advertised. Enquiries to C. J. Colledge (secretary), 12 Adler Grove, Merlynston, N.14.

Queanbeyan Club, adjacent to the Australian Capital Territory at Canberra, will shoot on April 23. The Southern Districts of N.S.W. D.B. title and a £50 Handicap are main

events. Programme is advertised. Enquiries to F. C. Morton (secretary), Wood Avenue, Queanbeyan, N.S.W. (Phone Q'byn. 350).

Cohuna Club (V.) advertises full details of its programme for Tuesday night, April 26, when the Victorian Night S.B. title is main event. Enquiries to Winston Wilsom (secretary), Box 109, Cohuna, Vic. (Phone Cohuna 23).

The Sebastopol Club, adjacent to Ballarat in Victoria, is another new affiliation with the A.C.P.T.S.A. Secretary is Vic. Harrison, Sebastopol.

Hargrave Park Club (N.S.W.) will shoot the Sydney S.B. title on May 28. The club will also conduct a club series on May 14. Details are advertised. Enquiries to C. W. Plummer (Treasurer), 74 Brandling Street, Alexandria, N.S.W. (Phone LA5554).

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£50 DOUBLE BARREL HANDICAP

20 BIRDS

NIGHT, 12th JUNE. Commencing 7.30 p.m.

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20 Birds off 16 yards.

2nd Day — Tuesday, 14th June, 1955

Commencing 10 a.m.

5 BIRD SINGLE BARREL EYE-OPENER

£50 SINGLE BARREL HANDICAP

20 BIRDS

NIGHT, 14th JUNE. Commencing 7.30 p.m.

5 BIRD SINGLE BARREL EYE-OPENER

£50 SINGLE BARREL HANDICAP - 20 BIRDS

3rd Day — Thursday, 16th June, 1955

Commencing 10 a.m.

5 BIRD EYE-OPENER

£250

SINGLE BARREL HANDICAP

30 BIRDS, NOMINATION £6.0.0.

1st, £150; 2nd, £40; 3rd, £25.

£5 each best 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 yarder. £10 best Back Marker.

4th Day — Sunday, 19th June, 1955

Commencing 10 a.m.

5 PAIR DOUBLE RISE EYE-OPENER

£50 - 15 Pair Double Rise

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Eton St., W. Rockhampton.

Letters to the Editor . . .

The Editor,
A.C.P.S. News.

Dear Sir,

I feel that the remarks made of Mr. C. J. Colledge in A.C.P.S. News, March, 1955, should not go unchallenged. Of course, I don't know what qualifications Mr. Colledge has to challenge single-handed the administration of the A.C.P.T.S.A., but I do know that quite a lot of eminent people see no harm to the sport in having those various Championships allotted.

It would appear that Mr. Colledge would run the sport to suit himself, that is, of course, given the opportunity.

Most districts have a lot of clubs, so I would say that district championships would be a natural sequence to club championships.

Clubs advertise championships as an added attraction to a programme. In one instance at least it would appear that the fact that a man has won considerably more than 100 championships has enhanced his prestige in the eyes of the firm that employs him. The young shooters of today are the champions of tomorrow, so let them have all the championship shooting they can get. Everyone knows that the Champion of Champions Cup is the most important event in Clay Pigeon shooting, so I don't know why Mr. Colledge should suddenly suggest it should be so. He is very worried about clubs allowing shooters to join on the day of a Championship, and compete. I don't think it need vitally concern anyone outside the club if that shooter was not a member for three months prior, providing all club members were agreeable. I fail to see how it would affect the sport in Perth if I joined the Townsville Club on the day of a Championship, and competed.

He complains, "Even now some clubs are shooting two championships on one programme." Again, what concern is it of anyone outside the clubs concerned? The fact that,

as he says, "New Clubs are being formed" would hardly bear out his contention that "the holding of ever increasing numbers of Championships" is detrimental to the sport. I have never won a Championship, and don't expect I ever will, but I do know that it is highly gratifying to the chap who has the District, Club, Sparrow or Night Championship Sash put on him at the end of a shoot, and why not? He's won that Championship, and good luck to him. Of course, you could have something like this: "A shoot will be held at the end of the year to see who can hit the most clays," or alternatively, "to see who is the best shot in the district!"

As for night shooting, which is airily dismissed as "at best no more than a novelty event", let me say that in the hotter months in parts of Queensland, anyhow, night time is the only time that the sport can be indulged in in any degree of comfort, so why not night Championships, Club's 1st best man in each club, then best in District Championship? Anything detrimental to the prestige of the sport in that?

Clay sparrow shooting is similarly dismissed. Maybe Mr. Colledge is such a good shot that they can only be treated as novelties by him. I once attended a State Clay Sparrow Championship at which some of the best shots in Australia competed, and I can assure Mr. Colledge that a glance at the scoreboard at the conclusion of the event did not give me the impression that it was a sport to be dismissed so airily. Also he states, "The District Championship set up would be laughable if it were not so serious." I think that the only laughable part would be if his remarks were taken seriously and it could only be serious for the same reason.

No, Mr. Colledge, the sport of clay pigeon shooting is in no danger so far nor is it faced with any loss of prestige. The only danger I can see to the sport is that it may be subject to too much of the "strict supervision" which you advocate, then

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quite a few would drop out—that, of course, would be detrimental to the sport.

Undoubtedly the title of "Walk-up Championship of Bandy Wallop" (your words) would not have any prestige or standing with you, but equally so the same title "of Coburg" could scarcely be expected to have any prestige or standing with anyone in "Bandy Wallop", yet both could mean quite a lot to the respective winners and club members.

Most sports can only be played one way. The fascination of clay pigeon shooting lies in the fact that it can be played with so many variations, so why not have Championships for all of them?

Mr. Colledge also says, "To my mind no Champion of Champions has ever been specifically invited to defend his title the following year against all-comers." Why should he have to be specifically invited? The contest for the Cup is set down for a certain date and if he wants to defend his title, he takes part. If not, he stays at home. If a couple of hundred shooters competing for that Cup are not indirectly (not specifically) challenging the holder, then all I can say is "they're going mighty close to doing so." Having it that way gives everyone a chance without having to footle round with elimination shoots under, I suppose, "strict supervision".

He says, "Other sports lionise their top men and, what is more, insist that they lose their titles either in competition or by default." Well, there's nothing new about that. If you don't compete, how can you win or lose? If you are beaten, how can you hold the title? In what manner other than those two have any of our Champion of Champions Cup holders ever been deprived of their title? Incidentally, I have never heard of a tennis or golf champion being specifically challenged to defend his title. And I don't think the sports mentioned lose any prestige thereby. They enter for the championships and if beaten, someone also takes their place until in turn beaten. Pugilists, of course, issue challenges.

So much for the Champion of Champions. As regards our own

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Walk-up, Sparrow, Night, Club and District Championships, let us keep them, Mr. Colledge. I declare they are for the betterment of the sport, they keep the game interesting. I know how eagerly clubs try to get Championships allotted to them. They keep things lively out in "Bandy Wallop" and if you would read through the lists of registered shooters and see the number of "Bandy Wallopers", you would agree that they contribute in no mean manner to the solvency of headquarters. Remember, thousands of "Bandy Wallopers" have no chance of getting down for the big time, for after all, the country must be kept in a state of solvency.

We have enough restrictions, rules, taboos and what not to cope with in our every-day life, so let us enjoy the sport we love the most, unfettered by a host of unnecessary can's and can'ts, even if "strictly supervised".

I remain, yours, etc.,

G. K. KING,

27/3/55.

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Event No. 4—5 PAIRS DOUBLE RISE TROPHY EVENT

— at 7 p.m. —

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Event No. 6—

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Three Trophies, and Sash to winner. Nom., 45/-.

Event No. 7—10 BIRD D.B. TROPHY AND SWEEP

Saturday, 14th May, 1955

Commencing 2 p.m.

Event No. 1—5 BIRD EYE-OPENER. Nom., 5/-.
Event No. 2—

£50 D.B. HANDICAP - 20 BIRD

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Event No. 3—10 BIRD SINGLE BARREL TROPHY EVENT
Event No. 4—DEAUVILLE DOUBLE TROPHY EVENT
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— at 7 p.m. —

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A. G. WATERS, Phone to Grounds Secretary, G.C.,
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Editor, A.C.P.T.S.A. "News".

Could I claim a small amount of space to express my appreciation of a wonderful day the Coburg Gun Club put on at Darley yesterday in the form of a Picnic. Fred Olver and his committee are to be commended on their work and organisation in making it such a success; they forgot nothing; everybody really enjoyed themselves. Even the Footscray G. Club cricketers, who won the cricket match by 10 runs. I'll bet there were many stiff and sore muscles today. Fred Burns gave

his usual polished exhibition of batting, bowling and fielding; Andy Tie top-scored for Coburg.

This is the type of entertainment the shooters enjoy and would appreciate more picnics. I understand there has already been a challenge between Footscray and Coburg to a football match at an early date.

Good luck and thank you to Fred Olver and committee for a wonderful day.

Yours faithfully,
W. R. JOHNS.

Malvern, V.,
28/3/55.

Obituary

Mr. Lionel Byrne.

Profound regret is expressed at the recent passing of Mr. Lionel Byrne of Vermont (V.). The victim of a road accident in December last, Mr. Byrne never regained consciousness.

An active member of the Australian Gun Club at East Burwood, Mr. Byrne allied himself with many of the lay-out arrangements of the club and he was conspicuous for his manual co-operation when the club needed assistance on the grounds. His tractor and other implements did yeoman service in this regard.

A bird-lover, Lionel Byrne carried this into practice by maintaining a sanctuary for wild-duck on his orchard property at Vermont.

He was delegate for the Burdekin Club to the A.C.P.T.S.A.

Last year he was elected to the Nunawading Council and took much general interest in local civic affairs.

Deepest sympathy is expressed to his wife and three young sons.

Mrs. E. C. Wedgwood.

Mr. E. C. Wedgwood, better known among the shooting fraternity as

Ted, suffered a very sad bereavement on February 13, when his wife passed on. Mrs. Wedgwood was a keen supporter of the Coffs Harbour Gun Club, N.S.W. (of which Ted was a one-time President and now Publicity Officer), and provided much of the driving force to ensure that her husband was on time for meetings and shoots, as well as taking an active part in club matters herself.

The sympathy of all is extended to fine sportsman, Ted Wedgwood.

Mr. Harry Headland.

Mr. Harry Headland, father of Executive Committee member, Jack Headland, passed on just following the recent big Association shooting series. Well over the "three score and ten" span of life, Mr. Headland's demise was, to some extent, not unexpected.

In the long ago the late Mr. Headland was secretary of the Benalla Gun Club, also the Benalla Racing Club, in North-Eastern Victoria.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mr. Jack Headland and members of his family.

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THREE DAY SHOOT

14th, 15th and 16th MAY - 1955

First Day - SATURDAY, 14th MAY, 1955 at 9.30 a.m.

No. 1 Event — 5 BIRD SINGLE BARREL EYE-OPENER. Comp. Division. Nomination, 6/-.

No. 2 Event —

Queensland State Single Barrel Championship

of 30 BIRDS. Nomination, 30/-.

Optional Sweepstakes of 2/6 on each round of 10 birds, plus 10/- Sweepstakes on total.
1st, Trophy and Sash; 2nd, 3rd and best 12 yarder Trophies.

No. 3 Event —

£75 HANDICAP of 20 Birds Double Barrel

Nomination, £2/10/-, plus Optional Sweepstakes of 2/6 on each round of 10 birds. Div. 60, 30 and 10 per cent.

No. 4 Event — 20 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL HANDICAP. Nomination, £1/10/-,
plus Optional Sweepstakes of 2/6 on each round of 10 birds. 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 13/14 ydr. and best 12 ydr. Trophies.

Second Day - SUNDAY, 15th MAY, 1955 at 9.30 a.m.

No. 1 Event — 5 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL EYE-OPENER. Comp. Division. Nomination, 6/-.

No. 2 Event —

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60 BIRDS - DOUBLE BARREL

Nomination, £5, plus Optional Sweepstakes of 2/6 on each round of 10 birds. Calcutta to be run on this event.

Third Day - MONDAY, 16th MAY, 1955 at 9.30 a.m.

No. 1 Event — 5 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL EYE-OPENER. Comp. Division. Nomination, 6/-.

No. 2 Event —

£50 HANDICAP of 20 Birds Double Barrel

Nomination, £2, plus Optional Sweepstakes of 2/6 on each round of 10 birds.
Divided 60%, 30%, 10%, plus £5 best 12/13 yarder.

No. 3 Event — 20 BIRDS POINT HANDICAP. Nomination, £1/10/-,
plus Optional Sweepstakes of 2/6 on each round of 10 birds. 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 12 yarder Trophies.

No. 4 Event — 20 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL HANDICAP. Nomination, £1/10/-,
plus Optional Sweepstakes of 2/6 on each round of 10 birds. 1st, 2nd, 3rd and best 13/14 yarder Trophies.

COMPULSORY DIVISIONS IN ALL SWEEPSTAKES.

The Committee reserve the right to alter or add to any prize monies should more shooters nominate.
For further particulars regarding accommodation please contact Secretary. Intending shooters should book early,
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International Shooting Carnival

The annual National and International series, conducted by the A.C.P.T.S.A., were decided on the East Burwood grounds of the Australian Gun Club, over the period March 11 to March 15, 1955.

Attendance figures were excellent. A total of 245 shooters took part in the Saturday series—only six off the record figure of a few years ago. The actual total of shooters who took part in the meeting would reach approximately 300. Of the 245 who took part in the National Double-barrel title 143 were Victorians, 65 from New South Wales, 14 from Queensland, 13 from Tasmania, 8 from South Australia, and 2 from Western Australia. Also one New Zealander was a competitor on the final day.

Weather conditions generally were good, although the Monday (March 14) came in somewhat cold and rather restricted movement for some shooters who were taking part in the International Match.

Proceedings opened on Friday, March 11, with the National Single-barrel championship, an event staged for the first time. The scheduled conditions of the contest were 40 targets from 16 yards, single-barrel. Many possibles were recorded in the good calm conditions. In the tie shoot the winner was returned in J. Blake of Cressy, Tasmania, who grassed 50 straight to win from C. Campbell of Bathurst, N.S.W. and Don Scowcroft (Newcastle, N.S.W.), each 49/50. Then followed another Newcastle entrant in R. Melville, 48/50. Others close up each with 39/40 were: Doug. Osborne (Sydney), R. Glover (Sale, V.), B. Addison (Moulamein, N.S.W.), a newcomer to major competition shooting; J. Smith (Caloundra, Q.), S. E. Lamb (Goulburn, N.S.W.), L. A. Martin (Barham, N.S.W.), Ross Smith (Box Hill, V.), and Leo Haseler (Clara Creek, Q.); following were W. Cross (Tullibigeal, N.S.W.), J. Bryant (Blackburn, V.) and W. A. Commons (Broken Hill, N.S.W.), each 57/59. The sectional awards

went to: 12 yarder, C. Spence (Tathra, N.S.W.), 31/40; 13 yarder, N. Betts (Goulburn, N.S.W.), 34/40; 14 yarder, J. Walker (Longreach, Q.); 15 yarder, G. Akers (Charleville, Q.), 37/40; 16 yard, A. Coward (Congupna, V.), 37/40. Best woman competitor was Miss Nyla Fankhauser of East Burwood (V.), with 34/40. State awards went to Queensland, J. L. Nunn (Boonah, Q.), 47/50; New South Wales, F. Singleton (Cobar, N.S.W.), 54/57; Tasmania, S. Marshall (Bridgewater, Tas.), 43/46; South Australia, J. Woodrow (Milang, S.A.), 36/40, and Western Australia, F. N. Bailey (Perth, W.A.), 34/40. A £100 Handicap which followed resulted in no less than 57 possibles. The Association "jacked-up" the prize money by another £70 and all possibles gained a division. A night shoot followed in which a £50 Handicap was cut by C. Campbell (Bathurst), J. Bourke (Mentone, V.), A. McDonald (Nhill, V.), M. Smith (Sydney), D. Scowcroft (Newcastle), "Tambo" (R. J. O'Day) (Swift's Creek, V.), G. Williams (Echuca, V.) and W. Bray (Hughesdale, V.), all of whom returned possibles of 20 straight.

On Saturday, March 12, the line-up for the National Double-barrel title was probably equal to the best, both in numbers and quality, ever arrayed for the event. The 1955 International Teams were selected from the top 30 scorers in this event. The contest, staged at 60 targets from 16 yards, double-barrel, both barrels equal value, "kills" only to count, got under way to a good start. It was observed early that, in view of the number of contestants, difficulty would be experienced in completing the series that day. Ultimately it was decided to complete the final six squads on the Monday morning, March 14. When final figures were consulted, it was noted that no less than 38 had returned possible totals. This is by far the greatest number of possible scores ever produced in the event. The tie shoot produced great excitement and interest from the competitors and hundreds of

spectators. Excitement continued to mount; the tieists gradually dropped out until only J. O'Donnell of Camperdown (V.), W. Schooley (Morven, Q.) and Newton Thomas (Sydney) were left. O'Donnell missed his 120th release and retired. Schooley and Thomas fought out another 20 rounds before the Queenslander got behind a right quartering target and pulled too late with both barrels, leaving Newton Thomas the winner with the grand total of 140 straight. Schooley was next with 139/140; O'Donnell, 119/120; J. Smith (Q.), 99/100; E. Evans (Griffith, N.S.W.), 94/95; E. G. Biggs (Burwood, V.), 79/80; J. Blake (Cressy, Tas.), 78/80; D. Osborne (Sydney), 75/76; J. Headon (Hay, N.S.W.), 74/76; D. Scowcroft (Newcastle), 68/70; R. Krentzlin (Geelong, V.), 72/74; L. Baker (Tyabb, V.), 67/69; S. Bressington (Bathurst, N.S.W.), 71/74; John Bryant Junr. (Blackburn, V.), 64/66, and H. L. McMasters (Burrumbutlock, N.S.W.), 69/70. The sectional awards were allotted; 12 yarder, E. A. Hamilton (Foster, V.),

56/60; 13 ydr., N. Betts (Goulburn, N.S.W.), 58/63; 14 ydr., F. J. Ezard (Swift's Creek, V.), 58/60; 15 ydr., Jim Collins (Ensay, V.), 59/60; 16 ydr., F. N. Bailey (Perth, W.A.), 59/60. The women's trophy went to Mrs. Gary Daly of Deniliquin (N.S.W.), 53/60. State awards were: Queensland, Leo Haseler (Clara Creek, Q.), 73/75; New South Wales, L. A. Martin (Barham, N.S.W.), 69/70; Tasmania, P. Marshall (Bridgewater, Tas.), 89/90, and South Australia, A. W. Forbes (Aldgate, S.A.), 75/77.

On Monday, March 14, after completion of tie shoots for the National double-barrel contest, the two teams representative of Australia, faced up to do honours for the Nation in the Ninth International Match. A spirited contest resulted for high-gun. Fred Burns (Footscray, V.) and Newton Thomas tied for the honour of high-gun, each with 99/100. In the tie shoot to decide the honour, Burns stopped 20 straight and Thomas 19. C. Mudford was third high-gun, also after a tie shoot.



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No. 1—5 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL EYE-OPENER. Comp. Div.
Nomination, 6/-.

No. 2—20 BIRD SINGLE BARREL TROPHY SHOOT
Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Nomination, £1/10/-.

No. 3—

Balonne Single Barrel Championship

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

No. 4—20 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL TROPHY SHOOT
Point Score. Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Nom., £1/10/-.

SECOND DAY - 1st MAY, COMMENCING 9 A.M.

No. 1—5 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL EYE-OPENER. Comp. Div.
Nomination, 6/-.

No. 2—

Southern Queensland 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/-.

No. 3—

£100 Handicap - 30 Birds

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All scores are sealed in this match until figures for all contesting countries are released when the International series is completed in Dublin (Ireland) late in June. The 7th Grand Australian Handicap, shot on March 14, again attracted a good entry. The number of targets was reduced to 30 in order to ensure equity of competition for all competitors. Twenty-two returned possibles and decided to shoot on for the honour of collecting the much coveted sash for the event. Ultimate success went to Norman Milliken of Hay (N.S.W.), who registered 74/74 to win from J. L. Nunn (Boonah, Q.), 73/74. The Commonwealth Teams' Match (teams of any four men for any affiliated club in the Commonwealth) was won by Camberwell Club (V.), 114/120.

Interest was well maintained on the final day of the series, March 15. In fact, attendance figures surprised officials. The popular Intermediate Championship, shot at 20 targets from 16 yards, provided 19 possibles. The tie shoot went another 40 rounds before the winner emerged in F. J. Ezard of Swift's Creek (V.), who grassed 60 straight to win from B. Addison (Moulamein, N.S.W.), 59/60, then R. Young (Newcastle, N.S.W.), 54/55, with N. Mitchell, also of Newcastle, and Bruce Mackey of Brisbane (Q.), each 39/40.

The Champion of Champions Cup, the premier contest of the series, was the final match. Again the entry was excellent, quality and quantity were present in abundance. The match is staged at 40 targets from 20 yards, double-barrel. Ten returned possibles; these were: Sperry Marshall (Bridgewater, Tas.), P. Marshall (Bridgewater, Tas.), R. Heinemann (Qld.), A. W. Catt (Sydney), J. R. Bushby (Narrandera, N.S.W.), E. G. Biggs (East Burwood, V.), F. Hudson (Sydney), C. Mudford (Preston, V.), E. Hodge (South Coast, Q.) and J. Blake (Cressy, Tas.). Another 35 rounds were necessary before Sperry Marshall gained the verdict with 75/75 from Eric Hodge (Q.), 74/75; C. Mudford, 69/70; J. R. Bushby, 64/65, and P. Marshall (brother of the winner), 63/65. The winner's victory was very popular and completed a good double for Tasmanian shooters, J.

Blake having previously won the National S.B. title on the opening day. It is only the second occasion on which the title has gone from Victoria.

The principal teams' match of the meeting, the Club Teams' Championship, shot at the first 30 targets released in the National D.B. title on March 12 (in conjunction) was won after a tie and shoot-off by Colac (V.) (G. Crosse, R. Krentzlin, R. Jorgenson, and R. Boyd), with a total of 157/160, from Newcastle (N.S.W.), 137/141, and Hobart (Tas.), 136/140. Hobart had twice previously won the event.

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BATHURST (N.S.W.), 12/2/55.—Weather conditions: humid, light rain. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Sweep: div. C. Hall, H. Hearne, H. Hadson, S. Bressington, W. Byers and H. Jaques, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird Sweep: K. Soames Snr., K. McEwan, C. Hall, W. Byers and H. Jaques, each 5/5. No. 3, 10-bird Sweep: K. McEwan, C. Campbell, W. Byers, H. Jaques, each 10/10. No. 4, 5-bird Sweep: K. Soames Snr., A. Rowe, H. Weinert, S. Bressington, W. Byers, H. Jaques, L. Farnham, each 5/5. No. 5, 5-bird Sweep: K. McEwan, A. Rowe, H. Hearne, C. Campbell, S. Jones, H. Weinert, W. Byers, H. Jaques, L. Farnham and J. Radburne, each 5/5.

5/3/55.—Weather conditions: fine and hot. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. S. Bressington, H. Weinert, A. Rowe. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: div. L. Healy, A. Rowe, B. Jenkinson, A. Rosconi. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: div. H. Jaques, S. Bressington, L. Healy, A. Rowe, S. Edwards, L. Farnham. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: div. S. Bressington, L. Healy, A. Rowe, C. Hall, L. Farnham. No. 5, 5-bird D.B.: div. H. Jaques, S. Bressington, L. Healy, H. Weinert, E. Brackenrig. No. 6, 5-bird D.B.: div. H. Jaques, S. Bressington, L. Healy, C. Hall, E. Brackenrig. No. 7, 5-bird D.B. Sparrows: div. H. Jaques, S. Bressington, L. Healy, A. Rowe, E. Brackenrig.

26/3/55.—Weather conditions: fine and warm. Results: No. 1, 10 birds D.B.: L. Healy, A. Rowe, K. Soames Snr., N. Soames, C. Campbell, D. Hall, J. Taylor, G. Fitzpatrick, W. Byers, Mick Smith, H. Weinert, 10/10. No. 2, £25 H'cap, 15 birds D.B.: L. Healy, Alf Campbell, J. Brazier, K. Soames Snr., J. Taylor, W. Byers, L. Farnham, 15/15. No. 3, 10 birds: L. Healy, Alf Campbell, H. Jaques, K. Soames Jnr., L. Farnham, Mick Smith, C. Campbell, J. Taylor, W. Byers, H. Weinert, H. Hearne, D. Hall, 10/10. No. 4, 10 birds: L. Healy, Alf Campbell, J. Brazier, H. Jaques, K. Soames Snr., K. Soames Jnr., Mick Smith, C. Campbell, H. Weinert, 10/10. No. 5, Mid-West Dist. S.B. C'ship: 1st, C. Campbell, 25/25; 2nd, Alf Campbell, 24/25; 3rd, S. Bressington, 29/30; 12 yds. Trophy, J. Chambers, 18/20. No. 6, Trophy, Op. Sweep: 1st, A. Rowe, 90/90; 2nd, S. Bressington, 89/90. No. 7, Sweep: Alf Campbell, A. Rowe, K. Soames Snr., C. Campbell, J. Taylor, W. Byers, T. Harris, R. Weinert, 10/10. No. 8, Sweep: A. Rowe, K. Soames Snr., K. Soames

Jnr., W. Byers, H. Weinert, J. Chambers, 10/10. No. 9, Sweep off Box, 24 yds.: Arch Rowe, 1st.

Shooters came from Sydney, Cowra, Lithgow, Peelwood, Orange, Wallerawang and Mandurama. In beautiful sunshine shooters had a most enjoyable day. Arch Rowe compiled a break of 111 and S. Bressington 103. (Mrs. B. Goodman, Hon. Sec.)

MILDURA (V.), 19/2/55.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 10 birds D.B. Sweep: V. Barnes, Col. Barnes, Geo. Wakefield, L. Bruce, K. W. Barnes, D. Bruce, T. H. Hall, K. W. Wakefield, S. Scherger, all 10/10, div. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Trophy Shoot: H. A. Faux, 30/30, 1st; R. A. Richardson, 29/30, 2nd; Geo. Wakefield, 23/24, 3rd. No. 3, 10 birds D.B. Pts. Decision: S. Scherger, 30 pts., 1st; E. Bruce, 29 pts.; K. W. Wakefield, 29 pts.; V. Barnes, 29 pts., div. 2nd and 3rd. No. 4, Miss-out: R. A. Richardson, E. Bruce, T. H. Hall, H. Pollard, 14/14, div.

Night.—No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: A. Cooper, E. Bruce, A. Smith, D. Bruce, S. Scherger, R. Scherger, M. Doyle, W. K. Wakefield, J. Doyle, T. Ribarits, all 5/5, div. No. 2, £30 H'cap, 10 birds Pts. Dec.: A. I. Smith, 23/30, 1st; S. Scherger, 26/30; L. Bruce, 26/30; H. A. Faux, 26/30, div. 2nd and 3rd. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: L. Bruce, 10/10; D. Bruce, 10/10; S. Scherger, 10/10, div.

The Mildura Clay Target Gun Club conducted the usual monthly shoot, the main event being the 20-bird Trophy Shoot, which was won by H. A. Faux, who had been out of the winning list lately. The Bruce-Summers teams' shield was shot for in conjunction with the Trophy shoot. The Mildura No. 3 Team, namely K. W. Barnes, R. Crean, Geo. Wakefield, D. Bruce, A. I. Smith, were successful in winning the shield, which will be shot for again on July 16th, 1955. Afternoon tea and cool drinks were provided by the Ladies' Committee; proceeds helped swell the funds of the club.

26/3/55.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Eye-opener: O. Tschirp, H. L. Faux, L. Bruce, A. W. Barnes, R. A. Richardson, S. Scherger, A. Smith, J. Cummings, T. Ribarits, Geo. Wakefield, E. Bruce, H. Pollard, B. Pollard, T. Coen, V. Barnes, "Dyson", all 10/10, div. No. 2, £50 H'cap, 20-bird D.B.: T. W. Halls, H. Pollard, M. Doyle, T. Ribarits, S. Scherger

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ger, Geo. Wakefield, V. Barnes, all 20/20, div. No. 3, 10-bird Pts. Dec.: John Doyle, S. Scherger, O. Tschirp, all 30 pts., div. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: S. Scherger, A. Cooper, John Doyle, L. Bruce, "Dyson", E. Bruce, D. Bruce, B. Pollard, H. Pollard, K. Wakefield, W. K. Wakefield, T. H. Halls, W. Commons, all 10/10, div.

At Night.—No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: A. Cooper, H. L. Faux, D. Pilkington, A. Metcalf, E. Bruce, S. Scherger, L. Litchfield, T. Ribarits, Geo. Copeland. No. 2, North Western District S.B. Night C'ship: M. Telford, 19/20, 1st; O. Tschirp, 21/25, 2nd; H. L. Faux, 20/25, 3rd.

Ideal shooting conditions. We were pleased to see more visiting shooters than usual, some coming from as far as Broken Hill and Morook, S.A. Stewart Scherger, young Werimull shooter, scored a 50 break during the afternoon. Afternoon tea, cool drinks and a barbecue at night helped to make it an enjoyable shoot for all shooters present.
(K. J. Peake, Hon. Sec.)

CAMBERWELL (V.), 26/2/55. — Weather conditions: fine and warm, good light. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: div. W. Finnigan, A. Phillips, A. H. Brenk, A. Ginnivan and Ross Smith, 13/13. No. 2, 5-bird S.B. off 16 yds.: div. H. Phillips, F. Hockey, K. Brooks, Johns, J. Sencerriek, 10/10. No. 3, 5-bird Points Dec.: 1st, Ross Smith: 114/114; 2nd, A. H. Brenk, 113/114; 3rd, A. Ginnivan, 53/54. No. 4, 5-bird Walk-up: div. B. Goodear and Johns, 12/12; 3rd, R. Grosby, 11/12. No. 5, 3 pair D. Rise: div. L. Murphy and Johns, 3/3. No. 6, 3 pair Deauville Doubles: H. Phillips and R. Grosby, 18/18 pairs. No. 7, 5-bird D.B. off 24 yds.: div. R. Andrews, Johns and R. Smith, 8/8.

Only 21 shooters owing to the duck opening, but nevertheless they all enjoyed quite a lot of shooting and all voted it a good day's sport. A. Ginnivan, a new shooter, shot really well the whole day and is rapidly improving; if he keeps up this rate of improvement, he will soon be a force to be reckoned with in any event. Eddie Brenk is again in top form. Hugh Phillips proved that recent wins was no fluke. The shooters stood for 1 min. silence out of respect for the late Lionel Byrne, a valued club member. Thanks to the ladies for the afternoon tea.

26/3/55. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Points: div. R. H. Martin, R. Johns, K. Venables, B. Goodear, F. Skate and Dick, each 15/15 (Comp. Div.) No. 2, 5 prs. Deauville Doubles (Drawn Partners): H. Sweeney and R. Johns, 35/35, 1st; J. Clements and A. Mansell, 34/35, 2nd; Dick and J. Harle, 25/26, 3rd. No. 3, 5 pr. D.R.: 1st, R. Johns, 6/6; 2nd, H. Sweeney, 5/5. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: div. H. Fischer, A. Mansell, J. Harle, H. Ball and R. Thoms, each 10/10.

The ladies provided the usual delicious afternoon tea. Many thanks to all the "helpers". Several new shooters made their debut and performed creditably. Harold Sweeney (a committeeman) shot extremely well all day. The Committee are working hard to make sure of the success of their charity shoot on May 7 in aid of the St. George's Hospital Building Fund. J. M. Wilson, Esq., donated £25. Many thanks, "Jock".
(W. R. Johns, Press Corresp.)

GRIFFITH (N.S.W.), 26/2/55. Results: No. 1, 5 pr. S.B. D. Rise: C. McConville, H. Sim, 4/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: R. McNamara, S. Hicken, 10/10. No. 3, 5-bird

S.B.: S. Hicken, 5/5. No. 4, 10-bird S.B. Night: C. McConville, S. Hicken, W. Gibbs, R. Bushby, 10/10. No. 5, 20-bird Skeet: S. Hicken, 17/20; R. McNamara, 15/20; P. Stott, 14/20. No. 6, 10-bird D.B.: W. Gibbs, R. Bushby, D. Muir, B. Lownds, S. Hicken, 10/10.

12/3/55.—Conditions favourable to shooters. No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: Stan Hicken, 10/10. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. and 5-bird S.B.: W. McNamara, R. McNamara, H. Sim, 10/10, div. No. 3, 25-bird D.B.: 1st, R. McNamara, 33/35; 2nd, L. Hicken, 31/35; 3rd, P. Stott, 23/25. No. 4, 10-bird S.B.: Stan Hicken, 10/10. No. 5, 5 pr. Double Rise: Stan Hicken, 4/5 prs.

26/3/55.—Ideal conditions prevailed. Shooters were present from Wangaratta, Tullibigeal, Finley, Narrandera, Deniliquin, Hay, Tyabb, Barellan, Leeton. Afternoon events were as follows: 10-bird D.B.: L. Sim, E. Albert, D. Muir, R. McNamara, 10/10. Riverina Skeet: E. V. Cox (Hay), 19/20 (lost 20th bird): S. Hicken, 27/31; R. McNamara, 25/31. 25-bird D.B.: R. Bushby, 30/30; D. Muir, 29/30; E. Evans, 28/30.

Night Events.—No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: D. Muir, R. Bushby, D. Gibbs, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird: D. Coughlan, 19/20; J. Scott, 25/27; R. McNamara, 24/27. No. 3, N.S.W. Deauville Double Night C'ship: E. Albert and W. Konfeldt, 30/30; B. Scott and R. Headon, 29/30.
(J. L. Sertori, Pub. Off.)

MYER'S FLAT (V.), 5/3/55. — Weather conditions: ideal. Results: No. 1, D/R. M/O S'take: Harold Smith, 4 prs. No. 2, Club Deauville Double C'ship: 1st, H. Smith-T. Bottom, 35/35 prs.; 2nd, B. Ryan-W. Santon, 34/35 prs.; 3rd, W. Blakely-R. Adams, 32/33 prs. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: 1st, H. Smith; 2nd, A. B. Mountjoy.

24/3/55. — Weather conditions: ideal. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. G. Ashman, R. Cornish, A. Mountjoy. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: div. R. Cornish, C. Major, C. Henneberg. No. 3, 5-bird S.B.: 1st, W. Santon; 2nd, R. Cornish. No. 4, 10-bird Points: A. Mountjoy, 1st; V. Harris, 2nd; 12 ydr., A. Goldsmith. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, G. Smith; 2nd, G. Ashman; Novice Trophy, C. Major.

A very pleasant shoot under ideal conditions, a novice trophy attracting quite a few new shooters. The sport seems to be definitely on the up at this club, which up till recently was practically a live bird club.

RIVERSIDE (N.S.W.), 26/2/55.—Weather conditions: bad. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eye-opener: div. N. Smith, C. Grills, E. Redman, L. Brown, T. McCosker, J. Nichols, J. Neil, L. Sharpe, W. Edwards, R. Middleton. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: div. E. Redman, J. Nichols, W. Edwards, D. Smith, 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Trophy and Sweep: C. Thompson, 29/29. No. 4, £20 H'cap, 15-bird Point Score: div. T. Chandler, E. Buchanan, R. Middleton and C. Thompson, 45/45 pts. No. 5, 20-bird D.B. Point Score, Treasurer's and Open Trophies: "Treasurer's Trophy, R. Middleton, 60/60 pts. (1st time); Open Trophy, C. Thompson, 59/60 pts. No. 6, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: div. C. Thompson and N. Smith, 15/15.

Weather conditions were very bad, gusty and choppy winds making the clays extremely hard to catch up with, but despite the unpleasant conditions, Charlie Thompson of St. George was shooting good enough to get a 75 break. Congratulations, Charlie. We appreciated the help of Eddy Buchanan

of Lismore, who assisted with the running of our shoot, and we thank shooters who came such long distances as Lismore, Inverell, Graman, Jondaryn, St. George, Ashford and Townsville.

19/3/55. — Weather conditions: gusty and dull. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eye-opener: T. Chandler, R. Middleton, N. Smith, G. Adamson, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: div. T. Chandler, N. Smith, V. Newlands, G. Adamson, 5/5. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: G. Adamson, 10/10. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: R. Chandler, 5/5. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. Trophies: 1st, R. Middleton, 10/10 (30 pts.); 2nd, T. Chandler, 9/10 (26 pts.); 3rd, V. Newlands, 9/10 (25 pts.). No. 6, 20-bird Point Score Trophies: "Treasurer's Trophy", T. Chandler, 57/60 pts.; Open Trophy, won by Wal Edwards, 59/60 pts. No. 7, 10-bird D.B.: R. Middleton, 10/10. No. 8, Miss-out Box Sweep: R. Middleton, 6/6; 2nd, T. Chandler, 5/6. No. 9, 5 prs. D. Doubles: N. Smith and V. Newlands, 4/5. No. 10, 10 prs. D. Doubles Trophy: T. Chandler and R. Middleton, 7/10.

We were pleased to have with us two new shooters from Inverell—Ron Jeff and George Adamson, who both shot very well. Congratulations to Tom Chandler, who won the "Treasurer's Trophy" for the third time—Tom is now the owner of the 2-gal. beer keg.

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

DONALD (V.), 4/3/55. — Weather conditions: showery but clearing. Results: No. 1, 5/- and 5/-: 1st, J. Pope, 17/17; 2nd, R. Cook, 16/17; Sweep div. L. Henderson, J.

Scarce, G. Smith, A. Young, I. Griffiths, M. Shannon. No. 2, 5/- and 5/- S.B.: 1st, G. Vogel, 17/17; 2nd, G. Burton, 16/17; Sweep div. J. Scarce, G. Vogel, G. Burton, J. Morris. No. 3, 5/- and 5/- Walk-up: 1st, J. Sweeney, 9/9; 2nd, E. Johnston, 8/9; Sweep div. E. Johnston, J. Sweeney, W. Vogel, R. Reseigh. No. 4, 5/- and 5/-: 1st, B. Reading, 16/16; 2nd, C. Tickner, 15/16; cut by S. Reseigh, C. Tickner, B. Reading, G. Smith, I. Griffiths, R. Cook.

This shoot saw many new faces in the final place-getters. Congratulations to Jack Pope in his first big win, breaking 17 straight, also Johnny Sweeney, who won the Walk-up in fine style, while the "old firm" Reading and Tickner carried off the last event. We had a smaller number of shooters owing to the weather; however, a good night's shooting was had by all, particularly the novelty events. Supper was served as usual.

12/3/55 (Night Shoot). — Weather conditions: calm and mild. Results: No. 1, Eye-opener: cut by 22 shooters. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: 1st, S. W. Reseigh, 34/34; 2nd, L. Henderson, 33/34; 3rd, R. Manual, 34/35; Sweep div. S. Reseigh, J. Scarce, F. Beasley, R. Manual, S. McCleary, L. Henderson. No. 3, Miss-out: cut by L. Henderson, M. Jesse, R. Reseigh, 18/18.

The conditions for this night shoot were perfect. Attendance, 45 guns. We thank all those visiting shooters who, without any shoot, could not be a success, also the ladies, who assisted Mrs. Leeder in preparing the supper.

25th. — Weather conditions: calm and mild. Results (Night): No. 1, Trophy, Op. Sweep: 1st, H. Cody, 16/16; 2nd, C. Reading, 16/17. Sweep: H. Cody, C. Reading, J. Scarce, Jim Wright, 1st, R. Matheson, 16/16; 2nd, V. Wright. No. 2, Trophy, Op. Sweep: 1st, R. Matheson, 16/16; 2nd, V. Donnellon, 15/16. Sweep: 1st, S. Adams, 10/10. Sweep: I. Griffiths, R. Reseigh, H. Hill-

grove, L. Broughton, G. Vogel, R. Matheson, V. Donnellon, C. Reading. No. 3, Trophy, Op. Sweep: 1st, Jim Wright, 16/16; 2nd, R. Matheson, 15/16. Sweep: I. Broughton, H. Hillgrove, R. Cook, Jim Wright, V. Donnellon, G. Pope, R. Matheson, C. Reading. No. 4, Trophy, Sweep: 1st, S. Adams, 10/10. Sweep: S. Adams, I. Broughton, R. Reseigh, R. Cook.



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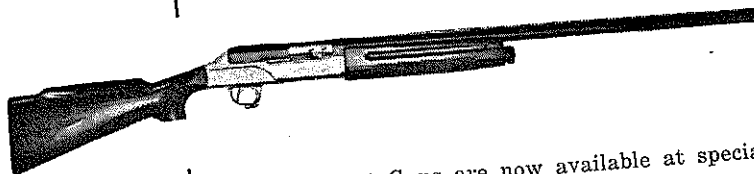
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This shoot was held for the District Hospital and was a success. Many shooters shot well; particularly pleasing to see R. Matheson and S. Adams make a welcome return to the winning ranks, also Jim Wright, who shot well and won a first trophy, plus the novice trophy, which was donated by one of our club stalwarts, Bob Davison—"thanks, Bob". The ground looked well under the lights, as it has just been painted at a working bee. The paint was donated by Broughton Bros.—"thanks, boys". Soon we expect to see a few flying red horses painted on the club buildings to blend with the colour scheme.

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

COHUNA (V.), 25/2/55.—Weather conditions: fine, easterly breeze. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. (Comp. Div.): cut S. Wilson, R. Krentzlin, N. Kilpatrick, C. Bowman, L. Earl, J. Pettigrove, C. Wilson, P. Bentley, M. Spencer, L. Koch, J. Poole, F. Thrum, B. Smith, J. Jones, C. Harris, R. Lung-husen, 5/5. No. 2, 220 H'cap, 10-bird D.B.: div. R. Krentzlin, T. Bristow, W. Wilson, G. Kirkham, B. Smith, C. Harris, 13/13. No. 3, 20 yd. M.O.: div. M. Spencer and H. Smith, 12/14.

After shooting all day at our duck opening shoot, many wanted to shoot at night, so we obliged, and just on 40 shooters turned up to compete at night, and an enjoyable time was had by all. Thanks, shooters, for your help in making the day and night such a success.

1/3/55. — Weather conditions: fine — no wind. Results: No. 1, £50 H'cap, 15 birds D.B.: div. A. Easton, R. Eagle, H. Waight, W. Williams, 40/40.

We really appreciated the excellent turn-up of visiting shooters, as well as our usual competitors. Some appeared to show the strain of the large shooting programme held in the district as well as chasing the elusive ducks. The shoot-off was very keenly contested, having to go to 25 rounds before it was decided to divide it.

15/3/55. — Weather conditions: fine, some wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. (Comp. Div.): H. Graham, G. Wilson, C. Wilson, N. Kilpatrick, A. Chamberlain, Ray Hipwell, M. Spencer, C. Pettigrove, R. Grinter, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B., Trophies and Sweep: 1st, C. Pettigrove, 40/40; 2nd, M. Spencer, 39/40; Sweep div. W. Graham, A. Easton, G. Wilson, N. Kilpatrick, A. Chamberlain, M. Spencer, C. Pettigrove, 18/18. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: div. A. Easton, J. Moylan, C. Pettigrove, 18/18.

Quite a good turn-up of shooters, even though the night was very cool and an intermittent wind caused the clays to do quite a lot of things not in the book. Outstanding for the night was the shooting of Charlie Pettigrove, who finished the shoot with 62/62, thereby compiling his first 50 break.

29/3/55. — Weather conditions: fine, some wind. Results: No. 1, Club S.B. C'ship: 1st, A. McGillivray, 20/20; 2nd, W. Challis, 19/20; 3rd, R. Eagle, 16/17; Sweep cut. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. H'cap Silent Rise: H. Graham, A. Easton, A. McGillivray, 5/5. No. 3, 20 yd. D.B. M/O: A. Quinton, A. McGillivray, F. Dobson, R. Cleave, 4/4. No. 4, 20 yd. D.B. M/O, Pts.: A. Quinton, 4/4, 12 pts.

A good number of shooters were present with visitors from Barham, Echuca and Bamawm. A. McGillivray was in fine form, not missing a bird all night.

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

ROYAL AERO CLUB (N.S.W.), 12/2/55. —Weather conditions: fine and windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird E/O: div. F. Hudson, D. Osborne, J. N. Thomas, E. Bullen, C. McClymont, W. Craig, T. Lacey and S. Seattergood, 5/5. No. 2, 60-bird D.B. 16 yd. (Practice for National C'ships): 1st Section, div. F. Hudson, R. Thompson, D. Osborne and C. McClymont, 57/60; 2nd Section: 1st, W. Reid, 19/20; 2nd, div. R. Croft, J. Kelly and J. Page, 18/20; Sweep div. winners of 1st Section: No. 3, 20-bird Skeet (Graded): "A", D. Osborne, 17/20; "B", W. Bullen, 13/20; "C", J. Page, 14/20. No. 4, 10 pairs Deauville Doubles, 16 yds.: 1st, E. Bullen, M. Smith, 9/10 pr.; 2nd, W. Craig, R. Croft, 8/10 pr. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: div. E. Bullen, M. Smith, W. Chapman and J. Page, 10/10.

26/2/55. — Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 5-bird 16 yds. C.D.: div. R. Thompson, C. Gibbons, E. Bullen, N. Reid, L. Hughes, F. Hudson, M. Smith, J. Walker and J. Hill, 5/5. No. 2, 60-bird D.B. (Practice), 16 yds.: Part 1: 1st, W. Turner, 60/60; 2nd, F. Hudson, 58/60; 3rd, div. C. Gibbons, M. Smith, J. Catt, 57/60; Part 2: 1st, J. Hill, 20/20; 2nd, div. W. Reid, J. Page, 19/20; Sweep: 1st, W. Turner, 60/60; 2nd, F. Hudson, 58/60; 3rd, div. C. Gibbons, M. Smith, J. Catt and J. Page, 57/60. No. 3, R.A.C. of N.S.W., 20-bird S.B., 16 yds. (Sash, Trophy and Sweep): 1st Trophy and Sash, F. Hudson, 37/39; 2nd Trophy, C. Gibbons, 35/39; 3rd Trophy, L. Hughes, 31/35; Sweep, div. D. Osborne, L. Hughes, C. Gibbons and F. Hudson, 19/20. No. 4, 20-bird Skeet (Graded "A", "B" and "C", Sweep): "A", Grade, div. D. Osborne, E. Ginty, 18/20; "B", Grade, W. Reid, 17/20; "C", Grade, J. Page, 14/20.

Visitors included G. H. Elliott (Mandurama), W. Turner (Goondiwindi), W. Gavel (Condobolin).

5/3/55. — Weather conditions: hot. Results: No. 1, 5-bird, 16 yds.: div. J. Hill, T. Crick, E. Ginty, C. Gibbons and W. Reid, 5/5. No. 2, 20-bird S.B., 16 yds.: 1st, G. West, 19/20; 2nd and 3rd, div. J. Hill, L. Hughes and A. Carne, 18/20. No. 3, 60-bird D.B., 16 yds.: 60%, 1st, H. Carne, W. Reid; 3rd, R. Thompson, C. Gibbons; Op. Sweep, 1st, H. Carne, W. Reid; 3rd, R. Thompson, C. Gibbons; 40%, 1st, G. Akers; 2nd and 3rd, W. Chapman, H. Wade. No. 4, 5 prs. Deauville Doubles, 16 yds.: div. R. Thompson, H. Wade and J. Hill, W. Reid, 5/5 pr. No. 5, 5 prs. Double Rise, 16 yds.: 1st, R. Thompson, 3/5 pr.

12/3/55. — Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 10-bird: div. E. Bullen, L. Berryman and F. Badgery, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird Skeet (Graded "A", "B" and "C", Sweep): "A", Grade, E. Bullen, 16/20; "B", Grade, Capt. L. Sumner, 17/20; "C", Grade, 1st, L. Berryman, 18/20; 2nd, W. Chapman, 15/20. No. 3, 20 prs. Deauville Doubles, 16 yds.: div. L. Ray and Capt. L. Sumner, W. Birkin and W. Chapman, 19/20. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. H'cap (Trophy and Sweep): 1st Trophy, H. Wade, 53/54; 2nd Trophy, E. Bullen, 52/54; best 12/15 yd. Trophy, F. Badgery, 28/30; 1st Sweep, div. H. Wade and E. Bullen, 19/20; 3rd Sweep, div. F. Badgery, W. Reid and L. Berryman, 18/20.

A welcome and interesting visitor was Capt. L. Sumner, who is visiting Australia and will no doubt visit other Gun Clubs whilst circling Australia in M.V. "Aros".

19/3/55. — Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Eye-opener C.D.: div. H. B. Grant, E. Ginty, H. O. Hall, R. W. Powell and W. Chapman, 10/10. No. 2,

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Event No. 1 — Two 5 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL EYE-OPENERS, one off each trap. Nomination, 5/- each trap. Points score 3 and 2. Compulsory Division.

Event No. 2 —

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Points score 3 and 2. 20 Birds. Nomination, £3. Optional Sweep, 10/-. 1st, £50; 2nd, £25; 3rd, £10; best 12/13 yarder, £5; best 14/15 yarder, £5; best 16 yarder and over, £5. 1st, 2nd, 3rd not eligible for yardage prizes. THE CALCUTTA FOR THE FOLLOWING DAY WILL BE DRAWN AND SOLD EARLY SATURDAY NIGHT.

Event No. 3 — **£50 - Saturday Night Shoot - £50**

10 BIRD D.B. HANDICAP. Nomination, 30/-. Optional Sweep, 10/-. 1st, £25; 2nd, £15; 3rd, £10.

SECOND DAY - SUNDAY, 12th JUNE, 1955 STARTING 9 A.M.

Event No. 1 — Two 5 BIRD S.B. EYE-OPENERS, one off each trap. Nomination, 5/- on each trap. Comp. Div.

Event No. 2 —

£200 - CALCUTTA SINGLE BARREL HANDICAP - £200

20 Birds. Nomination, £5. Optional Sweepstake each round of 10. 1st, £110; 2nd, £50; 3rd, £25; best 12/13 yarder, £5; best 14/15 yarder, £5; best 16 yarder and over, £5. 1st, 2nd and 3rd not eligible for yardage prizes.

Event No. 3 — **Queensland Double Rise Clay Sparrow Championship**

15 pairs from 16 yards, pairs to count as 1. Nomination, 30/-. Optional 5/- Sweepstake. Divided 60%, 30%, 10%. 1st, Championship Sash and Trophy; 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Trophies. Additionally: Souvenir Spoons, suitably engraved, will be presented to all Competitors in this Event.

Event No. 4 —

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10 Birds D.B. Teams of 5 Shooters from any one Club. Nomination, 15/- per Shooter (5/- Clays, 10/- Sweep). Shield to be held by the winning team for 12 months and to be shot for at TULLY each year.

Event No. 5 —

£35 - NIGHT SHOOT - £35

5 Bird S.B. Handicap. Nomination, 15/-, and 5/- Optional Sweepstake. Divided 1st, £20; 2nd, £10; 3rd, £5.

SUNDAY NIGHT:

Barbecue and Entertainment by Club Committee and Members to Visitors on the Gun Club Grounds.

THIRD DAY - MONDAY, 13th JUNE, 1955 STARTING 9 A.M.

Event No. 1 — Two 5 BIRD SINGLE BARREL EYE-OPENERS. Nomination, 5/- each trap. Comp. Division.

Event No. 2 — **North Queensland Single Barrel Championship**

20 Birds from 16 yards. Nomination, 25/-. Optional 10/- Sweepstake, divided 60%, 30%, 10%. 1st, Championship Sash and Trophy; 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Trophies.

Event No. 3 — **£100 - SINGLE BARREL HANDICAP - £100**

10 Birds. Nomination, £3. Optional 5/- Sweepstake. 1st, £50; 2nd, £25; 3rd, £10; best 12/13 yarder, £5; best 14/15 yarder, £5; best 16 yarder and over, £5. 1st, 2nd, 3rd not eligible for yardage prizes.

Event No. 4 — **DEAUVILLE DOUBLES - 5 Pairs**

Draw for Partners (split handicaps). Trophies to 1st, 2nd and 3rd Pairs. Nomination, 5/- each shooter. Optional 5/- Sweepstake.

1. All events under A.C.P.T.S.A. Conditions.
2. The Committee reserves the right to modify, to add or delete or alter the sequence of any events as advertised herein.
3. The Organizers, while taking every precaution, accept no responsibility for any accidental damage to any person or property on the Grounds, or for the safe custody of any Guns, Ammunition, Clothing, etc., deposited in buildings or elsewhere.
4. All Shooters must produce A.C.P.T.S.A. Registration and Handicap Card.
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6. Refreshments and hot meals available on the Grounds, including sea foods.
7. In the event of ties the Calcutta may be divided, provided the owners are unanimous.
8. Visitors requiring accommodation should contact the Secretary not less than one week in advance.

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20-bird Skeet (Graded "A", "B" and "C" Sweep): "A" Grade, M. Smith, 16/20; "B" Grade, 1st, R. Butt, 15/20; 2nd, W. Reid, 13/20; "C" Grade, R. Beadle, 15/20. No. 3, 20 prs. Deauville Doubles Sweep: 1st, A. L. Ray and W. Chapman, 20/20 pr.; 2nd, div. H. B. Grant and R. W. Powell, C. Gibbons and G. Reed, G. Crowne and R. Beadle, E. Ginty and M. Smith, 19/20 prs. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. H'cap (Trophy and Sweep): 1st Trophy, R. Beadle, 33/34; 2nd Trophy, H. B. Grant, 32/34; best 12/15 yd. Trophy, R. W. Powell, 20/22; Sweep div. H. B. Grant, H. O. Hall, R. W. Powell, W. Reid and W. Craig, 19/20.

Visitors included G. Reed (Yass), A. Morton and R. Morton (Newcastle), B. Mackey (South Coast, Qld.).

21st Feb., 1955. Following a challenge to all-comers, The Royal Aero Club of New South Wales took the Hudson Shield to the Sydney Gun Club on 19th Feb., 1955. Five teams from Wollongong, Sydney and The Royal Aero Club competed, resulting in a win for The Royal Aero Club. Team, namely: Messrs. F. Hudson, R. Thompson, A. Matthews, H. B. Wade and W. Reid.

The Royal Aero Club of New South Wales Teams have successfully shot for this Trophy on six successive occasions and look forward to some keen, competitive shooting at the next shoot at Narrandera.

26/3/55. — Weather conditions: dull, wet. Results: No. 1, 10-bird (C.D.): div. W. Bullen, C. Michael, W. Reid, C. Nichols, E. Ginty, W. Craig, L. Ray and S. Michael, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. H'cap Trophy: 1st Trophy and Sweep: J. N. Thomas, 20/20; 2nd Trophy, 2nd and 3rd Sweep, div. C. Michael, R. Croft and C. Spence, 19/20. No. 3, 20 prs. Deauville Doubles Club C'ship Sash, Trophy: 1st Trophies and Sashes, J. N. Thomas and F. Hudson, 55/55 pr.; 2nd Trophy, W. Bullen and J. Edgell, 54/55 pr.; Sweep div. J. N. Thomas and F. Hudson, W. Bullen and J. Edgell, W. Craig and F. Thompson, L. Hughes and J. Catt, J. Hill and G. West, C. Nichols and C. Michael, 20/20 pr.

It took 55 pairs to decide the Club Deauville Doubles Championship with keen contest in deplorable weather and very bad light.

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

SOUTH BURNETT (Qld.), 27/2/55. — Weather conditions: excellent. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: M. Champney, R. Powell, 5/5; W. Proposch, S. Horne, G. Jesson, 4/5. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: M. Champney, G. Towne, L. Towne, 9/10; G. Jesson, 8/10. No. 3, 5-bird D. Rise: M. Champney, 1st, 4/5; W. Proposch, 2nd, 3/5. No. 4, 5-bird D. Rise: G. Towne, 1st, 5/5; M. Champney, W. Proposch, div. 2nd, 4/5. No. 5, 15-bird Points (3 and 2): M. Champney, G. Towne, div. 1st, 44/45; P. Dennis, 2nd, 41. No. 6, 5-bird S.B. H'cap, 16 yds.: S. Horne, 1st, 5/5; M. Champney, R. Powell, W. Proposch, L. Towne, G. Towne, J. Jurgerson, div. 2nd, 4/5.

A perfect afternoon for clay shooting, with some good scores being recorded, G. Towne getting a possible in the Double-rise event. M. Champney also starting to see them again after too long a lapse. The roll-up of shooters was disappointing, but it is hoped with the new season starting, to be able to get more shooters and members.

20/3/55.—Weather conditions: gusty southeasterly winds. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eye-opener: M. Champney, R. Powell, div.

1st, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird S.B. S'takes: M. Champney, R. Powell, div. 1st, 9/10. No. 3, 25-bird D.B. Points (Learmont Bros. Trophy): P. Dennis, 1st, 70/75; R. Powell, 2nd, 68/75; C. Bleisner, 3rd, 66/75. No. 4, 5 pr. D.D.: C. Bleisner and S. Horne, 1st, 5/5; M. Champney and G. Jesson, 4/5. No. 5, 5 pr. D.R.: L. Towne, P. Dennis, div. 1st, 4/5; C. Bleisner, 3rd, 2/5. No. 6, 10-bird S.B.: R. Powell, P. Dennis, S. Horne, div. 1st, 10/10. No. 7, 10-bird S.B.: M. Champney, 1st, 10/10; R. Powell, P. Dennis, S. Horne, 9/10.

The standard of shooting seems to be improving: if it continues, handicaps will have to be revised. P. Dennis shot well and was the consistent shooter of the day.

(M. G. Champney, Hon. Sec.)

YOUNG (N.S.W.), 5/3/55.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. E/O. Sweep: div. D. Davidson, G. Paterson, W. Warren, R. McNamara. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: div. Davidson, Wallace, Campbell, Tyack. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: div. Wallace, McNamara, A. Campbell, Davidson, Paterson, Soames Snr. No. 4, 5-bird S.B. Sweep: div. 11 shooters. No. 5, Central N.S.W. D.B. C'ship: 4 shooters shot possible, Gordon Beaumont, winner, 50/50; Frank Singleton, 49/50; Soames Jnr., 3rd, 34/35. No. 6, 15 birds D.B. Sweep: div. A. Tyack, McNamara, W. Aston, A. Campbell, F. Singleton. No. 7, 15 birds D.B. Sweep: div. Warren, Braham, Soames Snr., P. Cusack, L. Lupp, N. A. Aston. No. 8, 15 birds D.B. Trophy: W. Aston.

6/3/55. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 10-bird S.B.: div. D. Osborne, F. Singleton, A. Lees, L. Lupp. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: div. Chambers, Paterson. No. 3, N.S.W. S.B. C'ship: shot off, D. Osborne, O. Hallam, 28/30; Osborne, 33/35; Hallam, 2nd, 32/35; C. Campbell, 3rd, 31/35. No. 4, 10 birds D.B. Trophy: shot off, R. Bell, Lupp, Wallace, Soames Jnr., D. Simpson, W. Spies—won by Soames Jnr. No. 5, 10 birds D.B. Trophy: won by D. Davidson. No. 6, 5 prs. D. Rise: Reg McNamara. No. 7, 5 prs. D. Doubles: 5 prs., div. No. 8, 15 birds D.B. Trophy: C. Campbell, 19/19; Soames Jnr., 18/19.

(A. C. Ashley, Hon. Sec.)

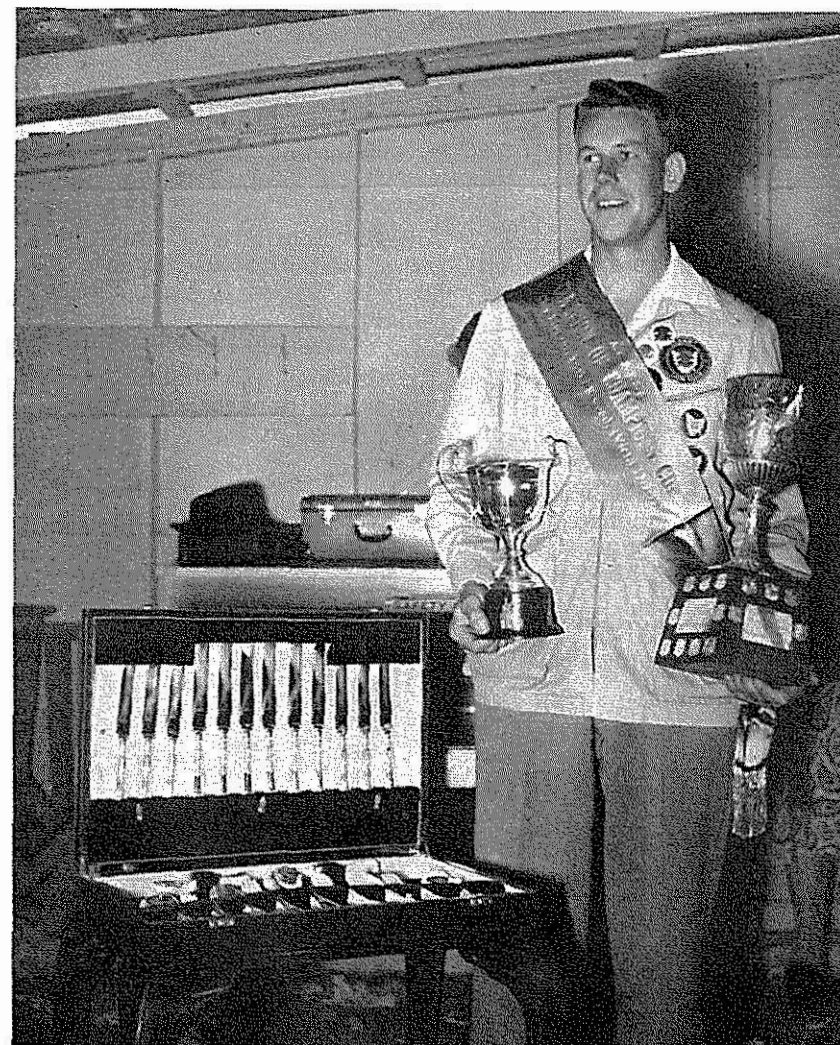
AUSTRALIAN (V.), 19/2/55. — Strong wind reduced scores in the opening 10-bird Points, Eddie Brenk winning with 28/30 pts. from G. Anderson, F. Johnson and J. Veal. Better conditions prevailed in the following 20 birder, which was listed as the Ultra Shoot, carrying 1 case of Ultra Shells as 1st prize, kindly donated by the firm. This was won by H. Fisher, 28/29, from R. Smith, 27/29; E. Brenk, 3rd, 35/37; 12 yd. Trophy, Miss Scrivener, 19/21. The final 20-bird Trophy event was won by J. Veal, 32/32; K. Styles, 2nd, 31/32; W. Bray, 3rd, 20/21. Sectional Trophies were: 15/16 yd., R. Smith, 31/32; 13/14 yd., J. Fogg, 19/20; 12 yd., H. Fisher, 19/20.

23/2/55. — The Club Night D.B. C'ship, listed for this date, was cancelled on account of the death of our Vice-President, Lionel Byrne, who met with a road accident prior to Christmas and passed on Feb. 21st. An active and enthusiastic member whose service to this club was greatly appreciated, he is sadly missed. The Executive and members extend deepest sympathy to his wife and family.

5/3/55.—The C'wealth S.B. Sparrow C'ship. Picking these little fellows out from the raindrops at 20 yds. in murky weather

proved too great a handicap for the majority, W. Finnigan winning the title, 29/40; John Bryant, 2nd, 32/45; K. Lowry, 3rd, 29/45. After lunch the sun did shine, and so did the shooters, five scoring possibles in a 10-bird Points: div. C. Fankhauser, E. Brenk, K. Lowry, L. Baker and F. Johnson, 30/30 pts. A 20-bird D.B. was won by L. Swain,

31/31; 2nd Trophy, T. Pederson, 30/31; 3rd, F. Johnson, 20/21; 15/16 yd., R. Garonne, 19/20; 13/14 yd., R. Ayre, 19/20; 12 yd., R. Thorn, 19/20. A final 10-bird Sweep, finishing 3 yds. on handicap, was div. L. Baker, T. Pederson and G. Stainton, 19/19. 9/3/55.—As an introduction to the National Series conducted by the A.C.P.T.S.A. on



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this ground... the club held C'wealth Night S.B. C'ship. Fred Burns carried this title with 37/40, adding one more C'ship to his long list. His total wins must now be in the vicinity of 150, but don't lose heart when you see him enter for a major event. Quite recently I was amazed to see him with arms folded, intently watching the tie shoot for a D.B. C'ship. He had failed to make the grade. W. Commons (Broken Hill) was runner up, 36/40, with the consistent Clem Mudford, 3rd, 35/40.

10/3/55.—A full day programme over four traps provided good practice for the A.C.P.T.S.A. carnival events. The opening 10-bird Points was div. A. Scowcroft, G. Biggs, Jack Bryant, C. Evans, N. Mitchell, R. Smith, N. Thomas, B. Addison and D. Glover, 30/30 pts. The Club S.B. C'ship followed with 10 possibles. The Tie Shoot went to the 40th round, at which score R. Melville (Newcastle) shook off his opponents, D. Osborne (N.S.W.), 2nd, 39/40; C. Mudford, 3rd, 34/35; C. Spence (Tathra), 12 yd., 15/20. After lunch a £100 H'cap at 30 birds was contested and the 10 possibles decided to div. the spoil; they were: D. Osborne (N.S.W.), C. Cornish, D. Glover, D. Snowcroft (N.S.W.), A. Hancock, R. Johns, N. Mitchell (N.S.W.), R. Glover (Sale), B. Addison (N.S.W.), K. Lowry. A final 15-bird from 16 yds. was div. W. Woodhouse, S. Bressington, A. Barnes, D. Osborne, R. Johns, W. Commons, R. Glover, R. Melville, G. Akers, J. Blake, J. Smith, K. Soames Jr., N. Thomas.

19/3/55.—A. F. Johnson, F. C. Johnson and W. Bray scored possibles in a 10-bird Points and div. 30/30 pts. T. J. Sandy (Swift's Creek) won the main event at 20 birds with 24/24 from W. Bray, 23/24, 2nd; G. Mitchell (Barham), 3rd, 21/22; 15/16 yd., W. Hunter, 19/20; 13/14 yd., R. Grosby, 22/24; 12 yd., G. Wall (Barham), 18/20. Vern Dudley had an outright win with 6/6 pairs in D. Rise; G. Stainton, H. Phillips, G. Biggs and W. Hunter returned 5/6 pairs and div. 2nd money.

(H. H. Ball.)

QUAMBATOOK (V.), 26/2/55.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird; 10 shooters cut sweep, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird; W. Bray, N. Castle, N. Nalder, E. Gross, F. Maynard, cut 10/10. No. 3, 5-bird; W. Bray, 8/8; J. Reading, W. Doyle, C. Ferrier, E. Doyle, E. Gross, G. Free, R. Ellis, D. Moore, L. Ritchie, div. 8/8. No. 4, Miss-out from 20 yds.; W. Bray, C. Ferrier, F. Maynard, L. Gross, W. Doyle, div., 6/6. No. 5, 10-bird £40 H'cap; R. Free, R. Aitken, R. L. Manuel, S. McLeary, div., 18/18. No. 6, Miss-out, 20 yds.; A. Hamilton, D. McIntyre, R. Free, T. Lucas, R. Manuel, C. Ferrier, G. Hart, div., 8/8.

A good day and night shoot was made possible with visiting shooters from St. Arnaud, Birchip, Boort, Ultima, Ouyen, Lalbert, Geelong, Beulah, Sea Lake, Drouin, Framlingham and other districts. W. Bray (St. Arnaud) shot well all day, but could only manage a 49 straight. Better luck next time, Wally.

10/3/55 (Night).—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird E/O. Clay Sparrows: A. Richmond, R. Free, F. James, div., 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird Sparrows and Pigeons: S. Schlitz and R. W. Ellis, div., 10/10. No. 3, Deauville Doubles, 16 yds.: A. Richmond, R. Free and S. Booth, W. Doyle, div., 5 prs. No. 4, Double Rise: R. L. Manuel, 1st; R. Free and M. Keating, equal 2nd. No. 5, 10-bird Sparrows: S.

Schlitz, 1st, 10/10; R. Free, 2nd, 9/10; J. Free, 3rd, 8/10. No. 6, Miss-out from 24 yds.: R. Free, 1st, 6/6.

Our club had their first attempt at clay sparrows; most shooters also shot them very well, considering they are only about half-size to pigeons. Congratulations to Ray Free on arrival of a new daughter; a son next time, Ray.

25/3/55.—Weather conditions: thundery. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Trophies: W. J. Doyle, 1st, 32/32; E. Lanyon, 2nd, 31/32; S. Booth, 3rd, 30/31. No. 2, 5 Sparrows, 5 Pigeons: N. Nalder and S. Booth, div., 10/10. No. 3, Deauville Doubles, 16 yds.: R. Manuel and G. Free, 5/5, div.; E. Doyle and N. Nalder, 5/5, div. No. 4, Miss-out, 24 yds.: R. Manuel, R. Ellis, J. Free, C. Wall, div., 4/4. No. 5, Miss-out, 24 yds.: N. Nalder, R. Ellis, B. Hahnel, div., 8/8.

Quite a nice attendance considering there was a lot of rain around the district. W. Doyle had his first win at our club since our club started. We are now holding night shoots every alternate Thursday.

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

DENILIQUIN (N.S.W.), 26/2/55.—Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.; div. G. Daly, W. F. Robertson, H. Matthews, E. Daly and R. Eagle, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.; div. G. Daly, Mrs. Daly, H. Graham, R. Eagle, 16/16. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. (W. F. Robertson Trophy): 1st, R. Eagle, 12/12; 2nd, E. Willard, 11/12; Front Marker, G. Crowe, 8/10. No. 4, 5-bird S.B.; div. G. Crowe, H. Graham, "Red" (L. W. F. Robertson), 5/5. No. 5, 5-bird Walk-up: div. R. Eagle and J. Cowie, 5/5.

(G. Crowe, Hon. Sec.)

WODONGA (V.), 5/3/55.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B., Comp. Div.; W. Dwyer, A. Hore, I. Schubert, G. McFarland, J. Scott, V. Elliott, J. Huntington, "Dave", N. McFarland, W. Schubert, L. Coulston, S. Smith, S. Birkell, B. Melgard, No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: A. Hore, R. Melgard, N. McFarland, J. Scott, L. Grundy, S. Smith, A. Dunstan, W. Mason, J. Huntington, H. R. Kotie, No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: J. Huntington, 1st; S. Smith, 2nd. No. 4, Teams Shoot, div. J. Huntington, R. Hall, K. Spalding, R. Waite, I. Schubert, L. Holden, P. Collins, B. Seymour, No. 5, Deauville Doubles: J. Huntington and S. Smith.

Weather conditions, good. Main event, shoot-off. Elimination 1 yard after every shoot. Result: J. Huntington, 16 yds., 21/21; S. Smith, 13 yds., 20/21, 2nd prize, 6/6.

(D. Sieger, Hon. Sec.)

LISMORE (N.S.W.), 5/3/55.—Weather conditions: fine, windy. Results: No. 1, 5 birds D.B.: D. Powell, J. Callinan, J. Neill, S. Elphick, C. Goulding, J. Bruggy, R. McLennan, 5/5. No. 2, 20 birds S.B. Trophy: J. Neill, 20/20, 1st; K. Stanton, 26/28, 2nd; J. Callinan, 25/28, 3rd. No. 3, 20 birds D.B. Trophy: K. Stanton, 59/60 pts., 1st, E. Buchanan, 58/60, 2nd; J. Bruggy, 57/60, 3rd. No. 4, J. A. McGregor Trophy: E. Buchanan, 45/45 pts., 1st; S. Elphick, 44/45, 2nd; W. Richardson, 43/45, 3rd. No. 5, 10 birds D.B.: J. Callinan, E. Buchanan, 10/10, div. No. 6, 5 birds D.B.: E. Buchanan, J. Bruggy, J. Neill, 5/5, div.

Good performance by Club President, E. Buchanan, in getting his 50 break. Although conditions were windy, shooting remained at a high standard.

(Sid Elphick, Hon. Sec.)

Cairns Gun Club

NORTH QUEENSLAND.

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

CHAMPIONSHIP SHOOT

TWO FULL DAYS

Sunday 1st and Monday 2nd May, 1955

FIRST DAY:

NORTH QUEENSLAND WALK-UP CHAMPIONSHIP

Supporting Events:

1. EYE-OPENER
2. £30 SINGLE BARREL HANDICAP
3. WALK-UP SWEEPSTAKE
4. DEAUVILLE DOUBLES TROPHY

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KEILOR (V.), 15/2/55 (Night).—Weather conditions: fine and cool. Results: No. 1, 5 birds Points: div. D. Glover, D. Laxham, P. Wray, 30/30. No. 2, 15 birds D.B.: 1st, W. William, 28/28; 2nd, K. Lowry, 27/28; 3rd, D. Hicks, 26/27; 12/13 yd., R. Hull, 14/15.

19/2/55.—Weather conditions: cool and windy. Results: No. 1, 5 birds Points: W. Williams, C. Mudford, P. Hicks and R. Reid, div., 15/15. No. 2, 20 birds D.B.: 12/14, 1st, R. Andrews, 20/20; 2nd, R. Hunter, 19/20; 15/17, J. Stevens, 24/25; D. Glover, 22/25; 18/over, C. Mudford, 19/20; M. Kitchell, 33/35; High Gun, R. Andrews, No. 3, 10 birds D.B.: 1st, J. Senserrick, 19/19; 2nd, F. Burns, 28/29; 3rd, A. Tie, 27/29; 12/13, J. Chappell, 13/14.

The birds were very hard, with the wind blowing in towards the trap and some birds were going very high, but Bob Andrews mastered them; he won his division with 20/20 and also the high gun. He had a break of 45 till he shot behind a right-swinging bird. The 10-bird event saw Jack Senserrick come into form; 2nd, Fred Burns, who finished 32 yds. behind, but Andy Tie pushed him very hard.

5/3/55.—Weather conditions: windy. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: div. A. Kitchell, D. Latham, J. Senserrick, 9/9. No. 2, 30-bird D.B.: 1st, C. Mudford, 33/34; 2nd, N. Tuttleby, 32/34; 3rd, R. Reid, 28/30; 12/13, L. Peel, 26/30. No. 3, 10-bird, 16 yds.: div. R. Reid and C. Mudford, 10/10.

19/3/55.—Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 10 birds D.B.: div. H. Sweeney, A. Byers, J. Senserrick, R. Garrone, W. Williams, S. Marshall, P. Marshall, S. Power, H. Henry, L. Coombes, R. Johns, A. Kitchell, U. McQualter, S. Draper, K. Lowry and J. Garlep. No. 2, Club D.B. C'ship: 1st, W. Williams, 75/75; 2nd, S. Power, 74/75; 3rd, R. Johns, 64/65; 12/13, L. Coombes, 27/30; 14/15, R. Andrews, 59/60.

Fifty shooters.

(R. Reid, Hon. Sec.)

ABERMAIN (N.S.W.), 13/2/55.—Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 5-bird E/O: L. Engel, L. Motum and O. Motum, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: J. Barker, J. Avery and O. Motum, 5/5. No. 3, 7-bird D.B.: L. Engel, D. Scowcroft and R. Melville, div., 7/7. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Points Score Trophy: N. Mitchell, 29/30; 1st, J. Barker, 28/30; 2nd, No. 5, 5-bird D.B.: O. Motum, N. Mitchell and J. Barker, 5/5. No. 6, 5-bird D.B.: N. Mitchell, O. Motum, 5/5. No. 7, 5-bird D.R.: D. Scowcroft, 4/6. No. 8, D. Doubles: D. Scowcroft and R. Melville, 7/7. No. 9, D. Doubles: D. Scowcroft and N. Mitchell, 7/7. No. 10, 5-bird off 24 yds.: O. Motum, D. Scowcroft and N. Mitchell, 4/5. No. 11, 5-bird Walk-up: O. Motum and H. Pankhurst, 4/5.

Fair shooting, many thanks to visitors from Newcastle and Tea Gardens for their attendance. A great pity some of our own shooters do not show the interest they should. The club secretary wishes to welcome new shooters to club, and requests them to persevere, as only by plenty of shooting can they hope to become really proficient.

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

TATHRA (N.S.W.), 19/2/55.—Weather conditions: fine, strong southerly wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener: F. Morton, B. Starr, W. Richards, J. Blaxter, K. Green, div. 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird P.S. Op. Sweep: J. Griffin, W. Richards, J. Blaxter, J.

Disher, K. Sutherland, 26/30; W. R. Richards, 15/15, in shoot-off. No. 3, £20 H'cap: B. Starr, J. Blaxter, J. Griffin, div., 14/15. No. 4, Deauville Doubles (5 prs. off 16 yds.): R. McDonald, J. Blaxter, 8 prs., 1st; W. Richards, J. Disher, 2nd. No. 5, 5-bird Walk-up: J. Disher, 5/5; shoot-off for 2nd, K. Sutherland.

Strong southerly wind made shooting difficult at times, as one can see by the results, the lack of possibles being noticeable in the major events. The day's shooting was nevertheless very enjoyable.

19/3/55.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener: R. Seach, R. McDonald, C. Spence, W. Richards, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird Trophy and Op. Sweep (5 S.B., 5 D.B.): W. Mackey, K. Sutherland, B. Gerathy, 10/10, div. sweep: W. Mackey, Trophy, 16/16. No. 3, £20 H'cap, 10 birds D.B.: W. Mackey, J. Disher, C. Spence, 10/10, div. No. 4, Deauville Doubles, 5 prs. 16 yds.: C. Scarlett and R. Seach, 8/8.

A good day's shooting, the weather conditions being well-nigh perfect. Some good shooting was seen, especially from W. Mackey, who shot a very nice 30 straight off 20 yds.

(Leo Meaker, Hon. Sec.)

GEELONG (V.), 5/3/55.—Weather conditions: windy and dull. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: S. McIntosh, D. Krentzlin, E. Butterworth, R. Bath, Ballard, N. Scarlett, L. Heinrich, T. Robbins, D. Neave, A. McIntosh, T. Meek, J. Forster. No. 2, 30-bird D.B.: 1st, J. Moore, 42/42; 2nd, R. Krentzlin, 41/42; 3rd, R. Scarlett, 32/33; best Front Marker, R. Bath, 29/30; best Back Marker, J. Forster, 32/35.

Breeze coming up the face of the cliff caused many shooters to misjudge flight. Dick Krentzlin collected 46 straight before missing a comparatively easy one. Jack Moore has an unfinished break of 42. Keith Scarlett collected 37 before breaking down.

(J. G. Kelsall, Hon. Sec.)

LEARMONTH (V.), 17/2/55 (Night).—Weather conditions: calm, warm. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. (Comp. Div.): div. 20 shooters, J. Ludbrook, A. Guye, J. Bennett, J. Butler, G. Drife, T. Drife, W. Holmes, G. Kirkpatrick, R. McDonald, C. Smith, B. Cook, M. Luhrs, H. Banty, V. Harrison, P. Fraser, G. Bull, A. E. Smith, J. Hutchins, I. Firms, M. Troup. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, A. Guye; 2nd, T. G. Drife; 12/13 yds., F. Donaldson. No. 3, 5-bird S.B.: 1st, G. Kirkpatrick; 2nd, M. Luhrs; 3rd, F. Donaldson. Novice Trophy: I. Grundell.

A large attendance of shooters (62) and their friends again came to our night shoot from Lake Goldsmith, Beaufort, Mt. Mercer, Daylesford, Newlyn, Clunes, Rokewood, Waubra and Ballarat. The night was ideal for shooting. Many thanks to the ladies, who served supper to almost 80 persons.

23/2/55 (Night).—Weather conditions: cold, S.E. wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: C. Smith, R. Thompson, I. Grundell, M. Luhrs, L. Rice, F. Peach, F. Donaldson, G. Drife, T. Brereton. No. 2, 10-bird S.R.: 1st, M. Troup (only full score); 2nd, A. Guye, I. Grundell, 12/13 yds. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: 1st, I. Grundell; 2nd, M. Luhrs; 3rd, T. G. Drife.

This shoot was an extra put on for duck shooters' practice. The head wind made the clays rise and skip sharply; some very low

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scores was the result, more so in the Silent Rise event. The supper was very much in demand on this cold evening.

14/3/55. — Weather conditions: cold wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. (Comp. Div.): div. F. Donaldson, C. Coghlan, J. Kinnersly, T. G. Drife. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. (3 Trophies): 1st, W. O'Shannessy, 24/24; 2nd, J. Kinnersly, 23/24; 12 yd., N. Paterson, 19/20. No. 3, 10 birds Points (3 Trophies): T. Brereton, 1st, 30/30; M. Luhrs, 2nd, 28/30; G. Walter (Camberwell), 3rd, 30/33.

A good attendance of shooters. Visitors were present from Streatham, Beaufort, Allendale, Harcourt, Camberwell and Balvat. A Ladies' Trophy was run in conjunction with the main event and was won by Mrs. G. Walter, wife of Asst. Sec., Camberwell Club.

14/3/55 (Night). — Weather conditions: cold south wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. (Comp. Div.): div. F. Donaldson, I. Grundell, R. McDonald, E. Smith, A. Guye, G. Drife, N. Paterson, T. Walters, C. Campbell, M. Luhrs, J. Kinnersly, V. Harrison. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. (3 Trophies): J. Kinnersly, 1st, 10/10; N. Paterson, 2nd, 14/15; T. Brereton, 12 yds., 13/14. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. (3 Trophies): M. Luhrs, 1st, 15/15; V. Harrison, 2nd, 14/15; J. Kinnersly, 3rd, 13/14.

A really good muster of shooters on so cold a night.

(A. E. Smith, Hon. Sec.)

NEWCASTLE (N.S.W.), 5/2/55.—Weather conditions: excellent. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: D. Scowcroft, A. Hancock, T. Lacey, I. Eather, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: R. Melville, D. Scowcroft, T. Lacey, R. Meers, W. Thoroughgood, 5/5. No. 3, 5-bird S.B.: T. Lacey, R. Morton, 5/5. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: A. Hancock, 15/15; N. Williams, 14/15. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: R. Melville, D. Scowcroft, A. Hancock, T. Lacey, N. Mitchell, W. Thoroughgood, 10/10.

Shooting on the day very good, with a good roll-up of members, including two visitors from Warren. Congrats. to Tom Lacey on his day's shooting.

12/2/55. — Weather conditions: fine and very hot. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: I. Hoare, 5/5; R. Morton, 5/5; A. Hancock, 5/5; N. Williams, 5/5; R. Hall, 5/5; R. Melville, 5/5; D. Scowcroft, 5/5; D. Macara, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: R. Melville, 28/28; D. Scowcroft, 27/28. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Points: A. Hancock, 105/105; R. Melville, 104/105. No. 4, 20-bird D.B.: D. Scowcroft, 20/20; R. Melville, 20/20; N. Mitchell, 20/20; L. Engel, 20/20.

The weather was very hot and owing to the bad floods, attendance was very poor. Honours must go to Ray Melville for his good day, as he only missed one bird in 103. Everybody hopes the Newcastle boys will give a good account of themselves in Melbourne.

19/2/55.—Weather conditions: very windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: A. Hancock, R. Melville, N. Mitchell, D. Macara, L. Engel, W. Thoroughgood, K. Pierpoint. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: N. Mitchell, I. Hoare, L. Engel, W. Thoroughgood, K. Pierpoint, 10/10. No. 3, 20-bird Point Score: A. Hancock, 54/60; Dr. T. Edmeads, 54/60. No. 4, 5-bird Point Score: R. Melville, R. Morton, H. Bowden, F. Woolley, W. Thoroughgood, 15/15. No. 5, 5-bird Double Rise: I. Hoare, 4/5 pr.

Conditions very windy, making the birds do strange things. Allan Hancock must be congratulated on winning the W. R. Clark Trophy for the second time.

(D. S. Scowcroft, Hon. Sec.)

DALBY (Qld.), 19/3/55. — Weather conditions: very windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: G. McWilliams, N. McGilp, C. Flegler, L. Price, W. Shand, J. Mahon, S. Dun, 5/5. div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Points (Max Swaby Shield): D. A. Price, 57/60. No. 3, 15 prs. Deauville Doubles: N. McGilp and L. Price, 15/15; W. Shand and C. Flegler, 14/15; M. Swaby and D. Price, A. Seis and W. Moore, and J. Grayson and J. Mahon, 13/15. div. 3rd. No. 4, 5 pr. D.R.: W. Shand, 5/5; D. Price, 4/5; G. McWilliams and C. Morgan, 3/5. div. 3rd. No. 5, 20-bird D.B.: G. McWilliams, J. Grayson, D. Price and R. Hirning, 20/20, div.

Considering strong gusty winds, the attendance was good and the standard of shooting was very high. We are pleased to welcome G. H. McWilliams, his son Brian and daughter Aileen to the club and also H. T. Thompson of Toowoomba.

(D. A. Price, Hon. Sec.)

BIRCHIP (V.), 15/3/55 (Night)—Weather conditions: windy and cold. Results: No. 1, Sweep and Trophy: Sweep div. L. King, J. Brooks, H. Hillgrove, V. J. Donnellan, J. Erhardt, H. Erhardt; Trophy won L. King, 17/17; 2nd, J. Brooks, 16/17. No. 2, Sweep and Trophy: Sweep div. K. Hart, R. Ryan, C. Maddy; Trophy, R. Ryan, 26/26; 2nd, R. Atkins, 25/26; 3rd, C. Maddy, 24/25.

A very good shoot and an excellent field of 55 in one event and 47 in other, but turned bitterly cold and no one could stand the sudden change, so club dispensed with supper and closed up.

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

KANIVA (V.), 5/3/55. — Weather conditions: cool, gusty side wind. Results (Day): No. 1, 5-bird Comp. Div. Eye-opener: div. 12 shooters. No. 2, 20-bird Western Border D.B. C'ship: N. Hinneberg, 30/31, 1st; A. M. McDonald, 33/35, 2nd; H. L. Potts, 32/35, 3rd. (Night): No. 1, 10 bird Trophies (1st, 2nd and 3rd): A. Budde, 40/40, 1st (Browning A Grade U. & O.); A. W. Hall, 39/40, 2nd; E. McMillan, 26/27, 3rd; Sweep div. 9 shooters; 12 yd. Trophy, W. Rich, 16/17. No. 2, 5-bird President's Trophy: div. A. Budde and J. Manz, 11/11.

Shooters present from as far apart as Sydney, Melbourne and Adelaide. Very good shooting by A. Budde (Dimboola), who scored 56 straight—first man to shoot 50 straight at Kaniva. Many thanks to A. W. Hall, who again came down from Berriwilllock to referee, and also officially opened the Ladies' luncheon booth. Afternoon tea and supper were provided by the Ladies' Committee.

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

TAMWORTH (N.S.W.), 18/2/55.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. E/O.: D. Scowcroft, D. York, J. Fryer, E. Eather, R. Moore, C. O'Connor, N. Williams, A. Hordigan, J. Squires, J. Tuffrey, C. Mathews, B. Bartlett, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: D. Scowcroft, D. York, J. York, J. Fryer, R. Moore, C. O'Connor, T. C. Seccombe, J. Squires, R. C. Moffat, J. Tuffrey, N. Cory, L. Hockey, L. Dickson, 10/10. No. 3, £100—30-bird Point: M. Smith, D. York, 90; D. Scowcroft, R. Moore, C. O'Connor, 89; J. Squires, 88; L. Yates, T. C. Seccombe, 87; N. Cory, 12/13 yd. No. 4,

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15-bird D.B. Trophy: J. York, 1st; N. Cory, 2nd; C. O'Connor, 3rd; D. Scowcroft, D. York, L. Yates, D. Cassin, N. Williams, J. Squires, S. O'Shea, 12/13 yd., 15 each. Night Shoot: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener: 5/5, J. York, J. Fryer, W. Eather, L. Yates, D. Cassin, C. O'Connor, A. Herdigan, W. Wilson, J. Tuffrey, S. O'Shea, C. Mathews, L. Hockey, J. Dickson, K. Owen, J. Stephens. No. 2, 10-bird S.B. Trophy: N. Schultz, 10/10; M. Smith, D. York, W. Eather, L. Yates, J. Tuffrey, L. Hockey, 9/10; L. Hockey, best 12/13 yd.

Shooters attended from Sydney, Newcastle, Taree, Coffs Harbour, Quirindi, Moree, Manilla, Boggabri and Armidale. The standard of shooting during the day was good and congratulations go to N. Cory, J. Squires and D. Cassin on obtaining their 50 breaks, and G. O'Connor, who shot 85 straight. It was fortunate that the shoot was held that week-end, as the following week-end the range was 3 ft. under water with the flood. Unfortunately, only two events were held on the first night, as the Dinner and Calcutta did not finish in time to permit more events. All round it was a very successful shoot and was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended.

19/2/55. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Eye-opener: M. Smith, M. Fuller, D. York, C. O'Connor, J. Squires, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: M. Smith, D. Scowcroft, M. Fuller, J. York, T. C. Seccombe, J. Fryer, R. C. Moffat, N. Cory, J. Tuffrey, R. Moore, A. G. Moffat, B. Burton, D. Jakes, I. Reed, C. Mathews, J. Squires. No. 3, £50 20-bird D.B.: C. O'Connor, R. C. Moffat, B. Burton, 20/20; D. Scowcroft, D. York, D. Cassin, N. Williams, C. Mathews, 19/20; W. Green, best 12/13 yd. No. 4, 15-bird Point Trophy: D. Cassin, 1st, 45/45; J. Tuffrey, 2nd; D. York, 3rd; shoot-off 2nd and 3rd: M. Smith, 44/45; D. Jakes, best 12/13 yd. No. 5, 10-bird S.B. Sweep: D. Scowcroft, D. Cassin, N. Cory, D. Jakes, I. Reid, 10/10. Saturday Night: No. 1, 5-bird Point Score: J. York, D. Cassin, M. O'Connor, 15/15; M. Smith, D. York, T. Makim, 14/15. No. 2, 10-bird Trophy Point: D. Scowcroft, 1st, 30/30; M. Smith, 2nd, 29/30. No. 3, 5-bird Point Score: D. Scowcroft, D. Cassin, J. Stephens, 15/15.

(W. O'Connor, Hon. Sec.)

COWRA (N.S.W.), 19/2/55—Weather conditions: fine and slight gusty wind. Results: No. 1, Sweep: div. L. Lupp and A. Lanham. No. 2, Shield: G. Pardey. No. 3, Shield and Sweep: div. C. Hamilton, M. Denton, L. Lupp. No. 4, Shield and Sweep: div. C. Sinclair, G. Pardey, M. Press. No. 5, Trophy: A. Campbell. No. 6, Trophy: G. Pardey. No. 7, Trophy: C. Sinclair. No. 8, Trophy: A. Lanham. No. 9, Sweep: C. Campbell.

Shooting was held in fine weather and was of a very high standard, particularly that exhibited by the novices, who recorded some excellent scores. The club is gaining in popularity and has a following of town and district residents. Best break, G. Pardey, 34 straight.

19/3/55. — Weather conditions: excellent. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: C. Sinclair and M. Battey, 5/5, div. No. 2, 5-bird Novice: J. Stanford, J. Pardey, E. Starr, 5/5, div. No. 3, 10-bird Trophy: Lou Lupp, 13/13; R. Rothery, 12/13. No. 4, 5-bird Trophy: M. Webster, 8/8; R. Rothery and Lou Lupp, 7/8. No. 5, 5-bird Teams Shoot: Cowra and Mandurama Clubs (Cowra won). No. 6,

3 pr. Double Rise: Lou Lupp, outright winner. No. 7, 5-bird Trophy: R. Rothery, 1st; G. Elliott, 2nd.

Weather conditions ideal. Shooting was not at all up to standard, but marked improvement was shown by the novice shooters. The Cowra Gun Club is only in its infancy, but 30 shooters faced the trap.

(Lou Lupp, Publicity Officer.)

YASS (N.S.W.), — The Yass Gun Club fired the first shoot from their new grounds on Saturday, 12th March, under ideal weather conditions and had a good roll-up of members. Club President, W. B. Grogan, officially fired the first shot, and scored a "kill" that was enthusiastically applauded. The President and his band of helpers were congratulated on the work done for the club, and it is hoped that within a month or so the grounds and clubhouse will be an accomplished fact.

Results of shoot: 5-bird E/O. D.B.: div. W. Warren, L. Grogan, J. Weir and Gordon Reed, 5/5. 12-bird Accumulative Trophy: Noel McAuliffe, on whose property the Yass Gun Club is now situated, was the only shooter to score 12/12; runners-up were Cec. Walker, L. Grogan, J. Weir, Jim Medway and Gordon Reed, 11/12. 10-bird Point Sc.: div. 1st and 2nd prize, W. Warren and Gordon Reed, 30/30; Leo Grogan, 3rd prize. 5 pairs D/Rise S'take: div. J. Rivers, J. R. Medway, Cecil Walker, E. Glover and Jim Medway. 5 prs. Deauville Doubles: Leo Grogan and N. McAuliffe. 5 prs. Deauville Doubles Consolation: div. Cec. Walker and Gordon Reed, Jim Medway and Alan Shannon, J. Rivers and M. Shannon. Box Sweep from 24 yds., Miss and Out, fired in the dark: div. J. Rivers, Gordon Reed, A. Shannon and Leo Grogan, 3/3.

(Gordon Reed, Publicity Officer.)

WARRACKNABEAL (V.), 19/2/55.—Weather conditions: clear and calm night. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener: 19 possibilities. No. 2, Trophy and Sweep, 10-bird, 13 possibilities: Sweep div. A. Budde, W. Vogel, C. Melbourne; Trophies. 1st, A. Budde; 2nd, W. Vogel; 12/13 yd., B. Melbourne.

Visitors from Rainbow, Beulah, Birchip, Balmoral, Horsham, Hopetoun, Ballarat, Kerang, Mt. Gambier. We saw some good shooting and both Alan Budde and Bill Vogel were both unlucky not to get their 50 break.

9/3/55 (Night).—Weather conditions: cross wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener: div. H. Shannon, J. Pearce, A. Budde, A. Peters. No. 2, 5-bird Trophy: Sweep div. N. Castle, B. Schilling, W. Peters, J. Cullen, M. Shannon; Trophies, 1st, N. Castle; 2nd, J. Cullen; 12 yds., W. Peters. No. 3, 5-bird Sweep: div. K. Hart, A. Budde, A. Peters, J. Cullen, J. Erhardt. No. 4, 5-bird Sweep: div. N. Castle, K. Hart, A. Wollerman, M. Shannon, A. Budde, A. Peters.

A cross wind made targets play up. We were pleased to see our President strike form by taking the front markers' trophy.

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

PORTLAND (V.), 12/3/55.—Weather conditions: fine and still. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener (Comp. Div.): div. 15 shooters. No. 2, £20 H'cap, 10-bird: div. R. D. Arnot, C. Styles, J. Matheson, H. Peters, R. Milhard, J. Gray, J. Pye. No. 3, 10-bird (W. J. Adams Trophy) event: 10 shot possible, B. Guy, 1st; J. Olver, 2nd; J. Pye, 12/13 yd. Trophy. No. 4, Double Rise, 5 pairs: div. G. Sharrock and G. Donaldson. No. 5,

Cohuna Gun Club

VICTORIA

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

Tuesday, 26th April, 1955

Starting at 6.30 p.m.

Victorian Single Barrel Night Championship

30 Birds from 18 yards. Nomination, £1/15/-.

Optional Sweep, £1. Div. 60%, 30%, 10%.

1st, Sash and Trophy; 2nd and 3rd Trophies.

Shooters please note: Only 1½ oz. load cartridges to be used and

1955 Registration Cards must be produced when nominating.

Refreshments and Cartridges available at Ground.

R. W. FARRANT, PRESIDENT,
PHONE COHUNA 87 U.

W. M. WILSON, SECRETARY,
BOX 109, COHUNA,
PHONE COHUNA 23.

Point Shoot, 5 birds: div. R. D. Arnot, J. Gray and R. Knight.

This shoot was held under ideal conditions. Several new shooters attended. The winner of the W. J. Adams' Trophy, a comparatively young shooter, B. Cuy, shot well to defeat the veteran J. Olver. The afternoon tea continues to be efficiently run by various charitable organizations.

(Harold Smith, Hon. Sec.)

YEOVAL (N.S.W.), 12/3/55. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Gun Warmer: R. Woodbridge, L. C. Wykes, div., 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S'take: C. Hodge and P. Kerin, div., 5/6. No. 3, 5-bird S'take: R. Woodbridge, 1st, 5/5. No. 4, Double Rise: J. Black, 1st, 4/6 prs. No. 5, 5-bird S'take: C. Hodge, R. Woodbridge and R. Carpenter, div., 8/8. No. 6, 5-bird S'take: R. Woodbridge (Brownhill), div., 5/6. No. 7, 5-bird S'take: R. Woodbridge, 1st, 5/5. No. 8, Trophy: R. Woodbridge, 1st, 13/13. No. 9, 5-bird Cock of Walk: C. H. Donnelly, 15/15, winner. No. 10, 5-bird Trophy: C. Hodge, 1st, 9/9. No. 11, 5-bird Trophy: D. Hurket, 1st, 8/8. No. 12, 5-bird: C. Hodge, R. Woodbridge, N. Johnson, div., 5/5. No. 13, 5-bird: L. C. Wykes, J. Black, M. Veech, D. Hurket, C. Hodge, div., 5/5. No. 14, 5-bird: C. Hodge, M. Veech, D. Hurket, L. C. Wykes, div., 5/5.

Everybody was overjoyed to see C. H. (Chook) Donnelly win the Cock of the Walk after a long shoot-off with the club's back marker, C. Wykes. It is good to see "Chook" make a come-back after a long list of outs. Also congratulations to an old veteran from Forbes, Dan Hurket.

(B. S. Bruckhauser, Hon. Sec.)

BINGARA (N.S.W.), 5/3/55. — Weather conditions: fine, hot, with gusty south wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eye-opener S'take: N. F. King, 5; J. H. Miller, 5; W. Williams, 5; M. McInnes, 5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. S'take: J. H. Miller, 5; R. P. King, 5; H. Baker, 5. No. 3, 10-bird Point (Trophy) Score: W. Williams, 24; A. J. A. Mack, 24; H. Baker, 24; shoot-off: A. J. A. Mack, 1st; H. Baker, 2nd; W. Williams, 3rd. No. 4, 5-bird S/S. from 15 yds.: H. McDouall, 5. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. S'take: A. J. A. Mack, 10.

(N. F. King, Hon. Sec.)

FRANKSTON (V.), 19/2/55. — Weather conditions: fine, light wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird E.O.: div. 8th, A. Saltmarsh, T. Alaima, N. Ryland, L. Baker, H. Martin; Trapper, B. Layton. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. (Trophies): 1st, H. Martin, 15/15; 2nd, N. Miller, 14/15; 3rd, L. Baker, 20/21. No. 3, 10-bird Double Rise (Trophies): 1st, I. Twyerould, 11/11; 2nd, L. Baker, 10/11; 3rd, B. Layton, 10/11. No. 4, 10-bird Novelty (Trophies): 1st, J. Hood, 9/10; 2nd, I. Evans, 14/16; 3rd, K. Watson, 13/16.

We had the pleasure today of welcoming some visitors to our shoot and we hope they come again. Our President organised some novel events, and we expect our shooters to bring home the ducks after this practice. Congratulations to Len Baker on a fine day's shooting, also to all trophy winners who really had to shoot well to keep in front.

19/3/55. — Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: I. Evans, L. Baker, A. Saltmarsh, J. Kelly, L. Williams, G. Oke, 8/8. No. 2, 15-bird Mixed: 1st, I. Evans, 15/15; 2nd, N. Miller, 14/15; L. Baker, 14/15; A. Saltmarsh, 14/15. No. 3, 10-bird Points Decision: 1st, I. Evans, 30/30; 2nd,

Trapper, 29/30; G. Oke, 29/30. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: div. on 8th, A. Saltmarsh, L. Wood, Trapper.

We are pleased to congratulate club member Len Baker on his fine performance to gain a position in the International team. You'd better buy a larger hat for that badge, Len. We had a perfect day for our March shoot, and members, as usual, put up some good performances; special mention goes to Ian Evans, who missed only one bird during the day. We hope to see many members, and also visitors, and at our next shoot on April 30th, when we will hold the Metropolitan Mixed Bird Championships. See advertisement.

(Mrs. A. E. Gray, Hon. Sec.)

BARHAM-KOONDROOK (N.S.W.), 19/2/55. — Weather conditions: windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird (comp. cut.): R. Eagle, L. Martin, H. Graham, B. Addison, W. Challis, K. McLaughlan, C. Maddy, J. Maddy, K. Cotterill, R. Storm, T. McDonnell, J. Foster. No. 2, 5-bird Trophy: K. Cotterill, 20/20; J. Foster, 19/20; C. Maddy, 17/20. No. 3, 5-bird: D. Mertz, B. Addison, K. McLaughlan, J. Maddy, 11/11. No. 4, Deauville Doubles: J. Maddy and G. Mitchell, B. Addison and W. Challis, D. Mertz and K. McLaughlan, L. Martin and K. Cotterill, 18 pairs.

Once again we experienced windy conditions. A good crowd of 40 shooters, with 11 novices taking the field.

12/3/55. — Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: H. Graham and J. Boyd, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird: H. Graham, P. Disher, B. Pippin, G. Mitchell, R. Disher, P. Beutymen. No. 3, 5-bird: L. Wishart, R. Storm, D. Muller, H. Graham, W. Graham, 5/5. No. 4, 5-bird Strange Gun: P. Disher, P. Beutymen, D. Muller, R. Storm, B. Pippin, 5/5. No. 5, 5-bird Pairs: D. Muller and R. Storm, 6/6. No. 6, 5-bird Miss-out: G. Mitchell, L. Wishart, B. Pippin, 6/6.

A very enjoyable day. Attendance small, owing to quite a few club members being at A.C.P.T.S.A. shoot at East Burwood.

(G. P. Mitchell, Hon. Sec.)

HOLBROOK (N.S.W.), 19/2/55. — Weather conditions: ideal. Results (Afternoon): No. 1, 5-bird D.B. S'take: div. J. Ferris, I. Schubert, F. Schubert, A. Liersch, W. C. O'Brien, J. Quinlan, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.B. S'take: div. I. Schubert, A. Barker, N. Plunkett, 5/5. No. 3, £20 H'cap, 10-bird D.B.: div. H. Baker, A. Barker, W. Birkin, N. Plunkett, 10/10. No. 4, 5 prs. D. Rise S'take: div. W. C. O'Brien, J. Ferris, R. Hall, 4/5 pairs. No. 5, 5 prs. D. Doubles: div. W. C. O'Brien, R. Heriot and N. Plunkett, I. Schubert, No. 6, 5 birds Pts. S'take: div. H. Baker, J. Quinlan, W. Birkin, I. Schubert, 15/15. No. 7, Miss-out: div. I. Schubert, N. Plunkett, L. Hanel, A. Liersch.

19/2/55. — Weather conditions: ideal. Results (Night): No. 1, 5-bird D.B. S'take: div. E. Matthews, A. Liersch, J. Ferris, J. Bunyan, "Johnno", S. Finemore, Lynch Creasy, J. Quinlan, R. Hall, W. Birkin, H. Baker. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. S'take: div. E. Matthews, G. White, R. Hall, H. Burge, S. Smith, J. Bunyan, D. Gittings, W. C. O'Brien, 10/10. No. 3, £20 H'cap, 10-bird Points: div. J. Quinlan, R. Hall, D. Gittings, S. Smith, 30/30. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. S'take: div. A. Liersch, J. Ferris, S. Finemore, R. Heriot, 10/10.

A very pleasant day and night's shooting. We were happy to welcome visitors from

FOOTSCRAY GUN CLUB

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

No. 2 Ground: TOTTENHAM, VICTORIA.

APRIL 30TH—

No. 1 — 5 BIRD SINGLE BARREL. Nom., 8/-.
1st, Trophy; 2nd, Cash.

No. 2 —

... Club ... Single Barrel Championship

20 Birds from 16 yards. Nom., £1/5/-.

Club Tyro Championship, 12 to 14 yds., will be shot for in above event.

1st, Trophy and Sash; 2nd and 3rd Trophies.
(1st Trophy donated by C. Bell)

MAY 14TH—

No. 1 — 5 BIRD SINGLE BARREL. Nom., 8/-.
1st, Trophy; 2nd, Cash.

No. 2 —

20 Bird Handicap

10 BIRD D.B., 10 BIRD S.B. Nom., £1.

1st, 2nd, 3rd and 12/13 yds. Trophies.
(1st Trophy donated by C. Bell)

MAY 28TH—

No. 1 — 5 BIRD SINGLE BARREL. Nom., 8/-.
1st, Trophy; 2nd, Cash.

No. 2 —

£20 DEAUVILLE DOUBLE SINGLE BARREL HANDICAP

10 Pairs. Nom., £1.

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

A. STEWART,
President.

T. GORE, Hon. Sec.,
3 Yardley St., Maidstone.

South Australia and Derrinallum (Vic.) in the persons of H. Baker and A. Barker, who were visiting the district. The club is deeply appreciative of Jack Ferris's assistance in making lightning repairs to the trap, thus enabling the continuation of the shoot when things looked rather blue.

19/3/55. — Weather conditions: delightful. Results (Afternoon): No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. I. Schubert, K. Soames Snr., K. Soames Jnr., J. Ferris, S. Bressington, H. Burge, J. Ross, R. Hall, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: div. K. Soames Snr., K. Soames Jnr., "Johnno", I. Schubert, 5/5. No. 3, £20 H'cap, 10-bird D.B.: div. R. Hall, S. Bressington, K. Soames Snr., I. Schubert, 10/10. No. 4, 5 prs. Double Rise: div. "Johnno" and M. Fuller, 5/5 prs. No. 5, 5 prs. Deauville Doubles Sparrows (Trophies): shoot-off, A. Liersch and I. Reith, 25/25 prs. No. 6, 5-bird D.B. Sparrows: div. T. Montague, A. Liersch, I. Schubert, J. O. Cox, J. Quinlan, J. Ferris, S. Smith, J. Ross, H. Mohr and "Johnno", 5/5. No. 7, 5-bird D.B.: div. S. Smith, J. Pumps, J. Ferris, E. Matthews, J. O. Cox, Lynch Cressy, H. Mohr, M. Fuller, J. Quinlan, R. Melgaard, K. Soames Snr., K. Soames Jnr., S. Bressington, 5/5.

19/3/55. — Weather conditions: warm and pleasant. Results (Night): No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. S. Smith, J. Quinlan, E. Matthews, R. Melgaard, R. Hall, R. Heriot, Lynch Cressy, A. Liersch, A. Dunstan, J. Ferris, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: div. S. Smith, J. Quinlan, J. O. Cox, R. Hall, H. Mohr, S. Bressington, "Johnno", M. Fuller, 5/5. No. 3, £20 H'cap, 10-bird D.B.: div. E. Matthews, J. Ferris, K. Soames Snr., J. Quinlan, S. Smith, R. Hall, K. Hanna, E. Collins, R. Heriot, 10/10. No. 4, Teams Match, 5-bird D.B. (Trophies): winning team, "Johnno", J. Quinlan, H. Mohr, J. Aintie, 20/20. No. 5, 5-bird D.B.: T. McDermott, 10/10.

A very pleasant afternoon and night shoot. K. Soames Snr. and Jnr. and Mrs. Soames, S. Bressington, all of Bathurst, Mal. Fuller and Mrs. Fuller of Sydney broke their journey back north from the National Championships in Melbourne, to be with us for the afternoon and night. They were made very welcome by the club and a pleasant time was had by all. A local ladies' organisation again provided a very nice afternoon tea and tea for the shooters and spectators.

(H. Burge, Hon. Sec.)

BORUNG (V.), 19/3/55. — Weather conditions: fine, light winds. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: E. Lanyon. No. 2, 5-bird (Comp. Div.): W. Wright, E. Lanyon. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: S. Youle, W. Tatt. No. 4, 10-bird Trophy D.B.: E. Lanyon, 1st; W. Wright, 1st Novice. No. 5, 10-bird: C. Stringer. No. 6, M/O.: E. Lanyon. No. 7, M/O.: G. Smith.

The club conducted its first shoot on Sat. last under good conditions.

(J. Potter, Hon. Sec.)

COFFS HARBOUR (N.S.W.). — On Saturday, Feb. 12th, under bright skies and a light nor-easterly breeze, really splendid conditions, the Coffs Harbour Club held the monthly Trophy shoot. Peter Thompson was the donor and keen competition for the prize created some splendid shooting. Wray Cook, a shooter from Manilla (N.S.W.) took part in the programme.

Results: Eye-opener, 5-bird S.B.: V. Wullemmin, G. Jarrett, R. Bennett, A. Herdegen, W. Cook, R. Hannaford, P. Thompson, div., 5/5. 15-bird S.B. (P. Thompson Trophy): C. Bowden, 1st, 19/20; R. Hanna-

ford, 2nd, 18/20; V. Wullemmin, 3rd, 17/20; W. Golden, A. Herdegen, T. C. Seccombe, div. 4th, 17/20. High Gun: V. Wullemmin after shoot-off with Reg Hannaford. Box Sweep: R. Hannaford, G. Jarrett, T. C. Seccombe, div. High Gun, A. Herdegen. The Mixed Bird Trophy shoot created a lot of interest among shooters present and proved a good test of judgment and marksmanship. President Vern Wullemmin welcomed the visitors and looked forward to inter-club visits during the year.

The monthly Trophy shoot was held on Saturday, 12th, at Macaulay's Headland. The handsome Trophy, presented by Dan Seccombe, was won by Bill Unwin, whose shooting has greatly improved over the past few meetings. The day was perfect, a slight southerly and a nearly cloudless sky. Visitors from Kempsey added to the competition, and most of them took divisions of Sweeps.

Results: 5-bird S.B.: A. Herdegen, P. Thompson, T. C. Seccombe, W. Keft, 5/5, div. 15-bird Trophy (5 S.B., 5 Walk-up, 5 pr. D. Rise): W. Unwin, 1st; A. Herdegen, 2nd; after shoot-off, B. Smith (K.), J. Smith (K.), T. C. Seccombe, div. 3rd and 4th. 5-bird Points: No. 1, C. Bowden, T. C. Seccombe, J. Smith, div., 15/15; No. 2, G. Jarrett and T. C. Seccombe, div. 1st and 2nd, 15/15; W. Unwin and W. Saul (K.), div. 3rd and 4th, 14/15; No. 3, W. Golden and T. C. Seccombe, W. Saul (K.) and J. Smith (K.), div., 15/15; No. 4, G. Jarrett, A. Herdegen, W. Saul (K.), J. Smith (K.), div., 15/15. 5-bird Points No. 1: W. Unwin, W. Golden, C. Bowden, div., 15/15. 5-bird Points No. 2: W. Unwin, V. Wullemmin, G. Wedgwood, div., 15/15. 5 pr. D. Rise: A. Herdegen, 1st, 5/5; W. Golden, J. Knight, R. Bennett, W. Cook, P. Thompson, div. 2nd and 3rd, 3/5. Deauville Doubles No. 1, 5-bird: W. Golden - E. Wedgwood, 1st, 5/5; No. 2, W. Golden - E. Wedgwood and A. Herdegen - J. Knight, div. 1st and 2nd, 5/5; P. Thompson - W. Cook, 3rd, 4/5. Box Sweep: V. Wullemmin, W. Unwin, R. Hannaford.

During a break in the shoot the club made a presentation to Rex Bennett. Rex, who is a foundation member of the club and a great worker, and an excellent referee, is taking up residence in Warragul, Vic., and in his remarks, President Vern Wullemmin said Rex's departure will certainly be felt by the club, but the Victorian club who got his membership will certainly gain a very keen supporter of the sport. The club's best wishes were conveyed to Rex and his family. (Ted Wedgwood, Pub. Officer.)

WALWA (V.), 26/3/55. — Weather conditions: sunny, no wind. Results: No. 1, Eye-opener: Ferris, Mildenhall, J. Drummond, S. Collins, G. Jenkinson, J. Wilkinson, J. Collins, D. Gittings, Mackie, Rainbird, Wenske, J. Condon, R. Hall, W. Birkin, S. Smith, F. Miller, L. Miller. No. 2, 10-bird: J. Collins, S. Collins, J. Ferris, Condon, Hanel, Gittings, Elliot, Wilkinson, Jamieson, Birkin, Huntingdon, L. Miller, J. Drummond, Finemore, Angel, Lynch Cressy, S. Smith, J. Bunyan. No. 3, £25 10-bird: Quinlan, Liersch, Bunyan, J. Dean, J. Muller Jnr., Wenske, McGrath, Huntingdon, Condon, J. Collins, S. Collins, L. Drummond, Jenkinson, Mildenhall. No. 4, Eye-opener: J. Collins, Elliot, C. Dean, Hutchinson, N. Ungar, J. Miller Jnr., C. Mildenhall, Lynch Cressy, O. Cox, Finemore, Stoll, G. Jamieson, L. Drummond, Wenske, Rainbird, Condon, Green, Ferris, Miller Snr., R. Hall, Birkin, Matthews, Smith, Bunyan,

COBURG GUN CLUB

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

GROUND LOCATION: MATHIESON ST., NTH. COBURG.

SATURDAY, 23RD APRIL, 1955

10 BIRDS POINTS DEC. Cash. Entry, 10/-.
Entry, 20/-.

20 Birds Double Barrel

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 12/13 yds. Trophies.

5 PAIR AUTO & DRIVEN. Entry, 20/-.
1st, 2nd, 3rd, 12/13 yds. Trophies.

SATURDAY, 7TH MAY, 1955

10 BIRDS POINTS DEC. Cash. Entry, 10/-.
Entry, 20/-.

20 Birds Double Barrel

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 12/13 yds. Trophies. Entry, 20/-.

10 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL. Entry, 10/-.
1st, 2nd, 3rd, 12/13 yds. Trophies.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

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I. Schubert, L. Muller, A. Ungar. No. 5, Browning U. & O. Gun, 20-bird: div. Toby Liersch (Holbrook), J. Quinlan (Holbrook), L. Drummond (Seymour); best 12 ydr., I. Schubert (Barandah).

In all, there were 64 shooters competing in events during the day. The weather conditions were ideal both day and night. Excellent shooting took place throughout whole shoot. There were 44 shooters taking part in the main event for the Browning gun. (J. H. Ferris, Hon. Sec.)

ROCKHAMPTON (Night Shoot), 4/3/55.—The best individual efforts on the night were by J. Wiggington and D. Russell, both of whom shot a total of 43/45 in the down the line events.

Results: 1st Event, 5-bird S.B.: H. Morris, J. Wiggington, F. Skinner, D. Russell, S. Henderson, H. Goodson, 5/5. 2nd Event, 10-bird S.B.: J. Wiggington, H. Goodson, F. Skinner, D. Russell, A. Wust, 10/10. 3rd Event, 10-bird S.B.: G. King, F. Appleton, J. Wiggington, 10/10. 4th Event, 5 pair Double Rise: D. Russell, G. King, 5/5. 5th Event, 10-bird S.B.: G. King, L. Mace, D. Russell, 10/10. 6th Event, 10-bird D.B. Points 2 and 1: C. Clark, H. Morris, S. Henderson, 30/30. (R. Graham, Publicity.)

ECHUCA (V.), 23/2/55.—Weather conditions: very windy. Results: No. 1, 10-bird: div. J. Jones, F. Dobson, R. Stagg, 10/10. No. 2, 5 birds: div. L. Gibson, L. Scriven, R. Koch, D. Grinter, R. Eagle, J. Jones, C. Dalton, G. McDonald, K. Thompson, A. McBeath, J. Planta, F. Dobson, K. Dobson, 5/5. No. 3, 10 birds (Muir Trophy): Sweep div. L. Gibson, L. Scriven, D. Grinter, B. Addison, K. Thompson, F. Dobson, Rod Kelly, 10/10; Trophy: D. Grinter, 33/33; L. Gibson, 32/33; R. Kelly, 26/27; yardage: 12/13, K. Thompson; 14/15, B. Addison; 16 and over, L. Scriven. Ladies' Trophy: Mrs. W. Koch.

Conditions again very windy, nevertheless some very good shooting was witnessed. Visitors were present from Bendigo, Lockington, Bamawm, Kotta, Tongala, Kyabram and Moulamein. A large crowd of spectators again watched the shooting, again proving the popularity of this sport. Shooters are all very keen and looking forward to further successes.

9/3/55.—Weather conditions: fair. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: div. F. Bradley, L. Scriven, G. Williams, D. Grinter, A. Brinsmead, H. Gibson, G. Cameron, C. Dalton, S. McBeath, F. Dobson, R. Stagg, A. McBeath. No. 2, 5 birds: R. Adams, L. Scriven, G. Hodgson, G. Williams, Rod Kelly, A. Brinsmead, W. Gibson, J. Jones, "Rocky", A. McGilivray, F. Dobson, A. McBeath, E. Brinsmead. No. 3, Main Trophy: 1st, J. Jones, 28/28; 2nd, R. Stagg, 27/28; 3rd, A. Brinsmead, 20/21; 12 yds., Rod Kelly, 16/17. No. 4, 5-bird Points: div. S. Oldham, R. Vistarini, F. Dobson. No. 5, 5-bird: L. Scriven, 7/7.

Another very successful shoot was held. Shooters present from Bendigo, Deniliquin, Lockington, Kyabram and Gunbower. (Mick Briggs, Hon. Sec.)

TAWANGA (V.), 12/3/55.—Weather conditions: very good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: div. J. Huntington, I. Schubert, G. Cooper, L. McCullough, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.B. Trophy: S. Drew, 7/7. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: J. Huntington, 1st, 13/13; L. Coulston, 2nd; 12 yd. Trophy: R. Wright, 1st; R. Cooper, 2nd. No. 4,

Teams, 20-bird: J. Huntington, D. Cooper, L. Coulston, A. Lowndes, 18/20. No. 5, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: J. Scott, L. Coulston, div., 8/8.

This was the first shoot conducted by the club, which was well supported by visitors from Wodonga, Bright and Albury districts. Also present was G. McFarlane from the Coburg Club. Jack Huntington again showed his supremacy over the tracks. Sid Drew is another shooter that we'll be hearing a lot more from—nice work, Sid. Low scores were mainly contributed to the difficulty of shooters handling the down-hill grade of the ground. All shooters had an enjoyable day. (A. Hore, Hon. Sec.)

TYRENDARRA AND DISTRICT (V.), 5/3/55.—Weather conditions: choppy S.E. wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: div. R. D. Arnott, C. Styles, J. Pye, H. Smith, 4/5. No. 2, 5-bird: div. J. Matheson and H. Smith, 5/5. No. 3, 5-bird: div. R. Morton, R. Millard, C. Styles, 5/5. No. 4, 5-bird: C. Styles, R. Millard, J. Creelman, P. Pye, 5/5. No. 5, Hon. H. V. McLeod Trophy, 5-bird: C. Styles, 16/16. No. 6, 10-bird Trophy: C. Styles, 1st, 23/23; B. Guy, 2nd, 22/23. No. 7, Novice 5-bird: L. Morton, 1st, 11/11; J. Matheson, 2nd, 10/11; J. Pye, 3rd, 6/7. No. 8, Hon. D. L. Arnot's Trophy, 5-bird: C. Styles, 7/7. No. 9, Ladies' Nom., 5-bird: H. Smith, B. Guy, E. Cook, R. Millard, shot to 13 straight, tossed and won by E. Cook. No. 10, Deauville Doubles, 5 pr.: won 1st round by R. D. Arnott and G. Sharrock, 5/5.

The above shoot was run for the Portland Hospital. The Ladies' Auxiliary canvassed for the trophies and also catered for the luncheon and afternoon tea. Mount Gambier, Portland, Mumbannar, Port Fairy and Macarthur Clubs were represented. Shooting was tricky. A south-east wind made the birds rise and circle back. (W. R. Brownlaw, Hon. Sec.)

COLAC (V.), 19/2/55.—Weather conditions: fine. From a field of 23 shooters, Newt Westwood won the main event at the Colac Gun Club's clay pigeon shoot on Saturday, 19/2/55. The event was shot at 30 targets and Westwood had an outright win with a score of 29/30. The tie shoot for 2nd place carried on for another 17 rounds, and went to Tom Slater when Jack Forster (Geelong) missed his 47th target. Johnny Hay won the 12/13 yard trophy after a tie shoot with Tom McGrath. In the absence of the president, the trophies were presented by life member Theo Norman. New shooter, Les Parker, performed well at his second appearance over the trap.

Main results: Event 1, 30 birds D.B.: N. Westwood, 29/30, 1st; T. Slater, 44/47, 2nd; J. Forster, 43/47, 3rd; 12/13 yd. Trophy, J. Hay, 28/32. Sweep divisions went to H. Smith, R. Boylan, J. Hay, C. Grist, R. Boyd, A. Burns, W. Gange, N. Westwood, S. Lakey, T. McGrath and D. Corstorphane. Event 2, 10 birds D.B.: R. Boylan, 16/16, 1st; W. Gange, 15/16, 2nd; T. McGrath, 11/12, 3rd.

5/3/55.—Weather conditions: dull, gusty wind. Two club championships were decided on Saturday, 5/3/55, in rather difficult weather conditions; both were at clay targets. Bill Arnold maintained his usual championship form by winning the double-barrel with the only clean score of 15/15, with Harvey Eldridge topping the tie shoot for 2nd place. In 1953 and 1954 Arnold won the S.B. titles. Bob Jorgenson (Portarling-

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ton) won the S.B. event outright with a score of 14/15. Twenty-six members attended, some having travelled from Geelong, Terang, Portarlington, Winchelsea and Durdonnell. There was some good shooting, especially in the Double-rise event, when the targets were in the air for very short periods. Frank and Tom Shelton and Harvey Eldridge put up excellent scores of 4/5 pairs, considering the conditions.

The ladies provided an excellent afternoon tea, which was enjoyed by all. The president, Mr. Vin O'Shannassy, thanked shooters for their attendance, and congratulated the winners as he presented the trophies.

Main results: Event 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. R. Boyd, R. Grant, H. Eldridge, N. Westwood, R. Boylan, J. Hay, W. Arnold and D. Corstorphane, 5/5. Event 2, D.B. C'ship, 15 birds from 16 yds.: W. Arnold, 15/15, 1st; H. Eldridge, 22/23, 2nd; F. Shelton, 21/23, 3rd; Front Marker, C. Adamson, 13/15; Sweep div. 1st to Arnold, balance R. Boyd, G. Crosse, H. Eldridge, N. Westwood and F. Shelton. Event 3, S.B. C'ship, 15 birds from 16 yds.: R. Jorgenson, 14/15, 1st; D. Corstorphane, 15/17, 2nd; H. Eldridge, 14/17, 3rd; Front Marker, Bill Worland (Winchelsea); Sweep div. place-getters. Event 4, 5 prs. Double Rise: div. H. Eldridge, F. Shelton and T. Shelton, 4/5 pairs. Event 5, 5-bird D.B. Points: div. Ron Boyd and W. Arnold, 15/15.

HORSHAM (V.), 16/2/55.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: 1st, J. Baker; 2nd, B. King. No. 2, Novice Trophy: Novice Trophy, 1st, J. Baker; 2nd, B. King; Sweep, 7 shooters cut. No. 3, Novice Trophy and Sweep: Novice Trophy, 1st, L. Grubb; 2nd, W. Wick; Sweep, R. Preuss, W. Bolwell. No. 4, Miss-out: W. Bolwell, J. Hinneberg.

This shoot was a novice shoot and trophies were for novices only; it was a most successful night and the club intends holding more. The outstanding shooters of the night in the novice section were J. Baker, B. King, R. Elder and G. Smith, J. Baker getting a break of 43.

(Francis Latus, Hon. Sec.)

BERRIWILLOCK (V.), 19/2/55.—Weather conditions: fine, S.W. breeze. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Sweep: cut D. Bibby and B. Nunn. No. 2, 5-bird Sweep: cut D. Leach and J. Carra. No. 3, 10-bird Sweep: cut J. Cahoon, D. Leach and A. Hale. No. 4, 5-bird Sweep: J. Cahoon, 1st. No. 5, 10-bird Sweep: J. Cahoon. No. 6, 5-bird Sweep: A. Hall. No. 7, 2/- Sweep: A. Hall.

19/2/55 (Night)—Weather conditions: fine, cool S.W. breeze. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Sweep: cut K. Kendall, J. Ellis, D. Leach, N. Nalder, M. Parkinson, M. Austerberry, A. Hall, P. Nalder and M. Nalder. No. 2, 10-bird Sweep: G. Hart, 1st; A. Hall, 2nd; N. Nalder, 3rd. No. 3, 10-bird Sweep: M. Nalder, 1st; P. Nalder, 2nd; A. Richmond, 3rd. No. 4, Final Sweep: cut P. Maxwell and J. Cahoon.

(E. J. Bibby, Asst. Sec.)

MT. BARKER (S.A.), 6/2/55.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener: 16 shooters, 5/5. No. 2, Adelaide Hills D.B. C'ship: 1st, W. Ayres, 53/53; 2nd, D. Prescott, 51/52; 3rd, J. Taylor, 44/45; 12 ydr., L. Papps, 18/20; 13/14 ydr., R. Shephard, 21/22. No. 3, Adelaide Hills S.B. C'ship: 1st, J. Taylor, 22/22; 2nd, L. Sheringham, 21/22; 3rd, R. Mules, 30/31; 12 ydr., S. F. Hall, 13/20; 13/14 ydr., R. Ridgway, 15/20.

Some excellent shooting under good conditions took place, the visitors taking the majority. J. Taylor held up the club reputation, however, in winning the S.B. event. The club was honoured by a visitor from Hay in N.S.W., J. Houston, who was made most welcome. Mr. Houston was most impressed by the standard of shooting here and stated that he believed it would not be long before some of our S.A. shooters could make the International team. We hope so, too!

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

TUENA (V.), 19/2/55.—Weather conditions: light cloud, no wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Sweep: G. King, D. Hall, H. Hearn, T. Johns, L. Johns, div., 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird Sweep and Trophy: M. Johns, 16/16, Trophy; Sweep div. H. Hearn, 15/16; M. Johns, 16/16; T. Johns, 8/9; C. Johns, 7/8. No. 3, 10-bird Sweep and Trophy: R. Hall, 10/10.

An enjoyable day's shooting, with some good scoring by H. Hearn, M. Johns and R. Hall.

ROBINVALE (V.), 5/2/55.—Weather conditions: very good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird E.O.: div. 14 shooters, 5/5. No. 2, £50 Trophy, 15-bird H'cap: 1st, S. Scherger, 22/22; 2nd, G. Wilkinson, 21/22; 3rd, G. T. Wakefield, 18/19. No. 3, 10-bird Point Shoot: A. I. Smith, 30 pts.; G. Wilkinson, 30 pts., div. No. 4, Night 5-bird E.O.: div. 9 shooters, 5/5. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. £50 H'cap: div. R. Scherger, J. Doyle, L. Metcalf, B. Cavanagh, R. Litchfield, 10/10.

Weather conditions: fine, with slight breeze. Attendance down slightly. Excellent shooting by Stewart Scherger of Werrimull to win the main Trophy.

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

TULLY (Qld.), 20/2/55.—Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: tied 1st, T. Jones, A. Collins, W. Jago, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. Sparrows: tied 1st, J. Ling Snr., M. Collins, A. K. Morris, L. Porter, 5/5. No. 3, 10-bird, 3 and 2: 1st, A. Collins, 30/30; 2nd, L. Porter, 29/30, and E. Hartley, 29/30, tied. No. 4, 5-bird S.B.: tied 1st, O. Parnamagi, A. K. Morris, J. Clift, W. Frazer, T. Jones, T. Porter, A. Collins, 5/5. No. 5, 3-bird D. Rise Sparrows: A. K. Morris, 1st, (2); W. Jago, T. Jones, J. Clift, L. Porter, T. Porter, 2nd, 1 each. No. 6, Deauville Doubles, 3-bird Sparrows: W. Jago, T. Porter, 1st. No. 7, 5-bird Walk-up Sparrows: L. Porter (5), W. Frazer (3), W. Jago (2). No. 8, 5-bird: W. Jago, L. Morris, O. Parnamagi, L. Porter, A. Collins, 4/5.

First shoot of the season. The weather was fine and very hot, which resulted in frequent visits for refreshments and in consequence the shooting deteriorated as the day wore on.

(E. McLeod, Hon. Sec.)

GUNDAGAI (N.S.W.), 31/1/55.—Weather conditions: fine and clear. Results: No. 1, £10 Point Score: D. Osborne, R. McNamara, W. Butler, 29/30. No. 2, Gundagai D.B. C/S of 1955: R. Faunt, 60/60; J. R. Medway, 59/60. No. 3, £40 H/C (10 Clays, 10 Sparrows): R. Hall and C. True, 20/20; P. Foley and J. Medway, 19/20, 2nd. No. 4, Deauville Doubles: J. Quinlan, H. Burge, C. True, P. Monaghan, J. Medway, J. R. Medway, 10/10.

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TULLIBIGEAL (N.S.W.), 19/2/55.—Weather conditions: fine, light wind. Results: No. 1, Eye-opener: W. Cross, G. Heinkel, A. Tyack, L. Sim, A. Lansdown, G. Keough, 5/5, div. No. 2, Trophy: W. Cross, 55/55, 1st; L. Tyack, 54/55; 2nd, L. Tyack, shooting 50 straight. No. 3, Trophy: W. Cross, 19/20, 1st; D. Sim, 18/20, 2nd; 12 yd. Trophy, A. Naughton, 15/15, 1st; W. Loftus, 14/15, 2nd. No. 4, Box Sweep: A. Tyack, W. Cross, div.

Attendance for shoot was good and weather was fine, with a south wind keeping birds low. The club was favoured with a visit from G. Heinkel. L. Tyack shot well for 2nd place in the trophy event and shooting 50 straight. Congratulations, Los.

(W. Cross, Hon. Sec.)

LACEYPEDE BAY (S.A.), 13/2/55. — Weather conditions: humid. Results: No. 1, 10-clay Eye-opener: div. 10/10, D. Prescott, L. Sherringham, D. Gibbs, R. Cullen, J. McBain, R. Gibb, L. Earl, L. Koch, A. McDonald, Witmity. No. 2, 20 Clays from H'cap Mks., prize money £200, plus Sweeps on each 5 clays: W. Rivett, D. Prescott, A. C. Cooper, L. Sherringham, D. Fleetwood, J. Woodrow, L. Earl, R. Speiers, H. Baker, R. Gill. No. 3, £1 Miss-out: D. Prescott, J. Wilson, J. Woodrow, D. Edwards, E. Edwards, D. Gibbs, div., 15/15.

This was the best shooting of the day, mostly first barrels.

There was a large attendance, but most were onlookers. Most of our local shooters were afraid of the visiting shooters and would not enter for the big match. The shooters came from Adelaide, Casterton, Mt. Gambier, Kaniva and all nearby clubs. Our automatic trap is good and not many ever get the possible.

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

BALMORAL (V.).—Balmoral Gun Club commenced the 1955 season with a shoot on Feb. 19th; 25 shooters attended. Good conditions prevailed, a stiff frontal breeze making only a few birds lift. In the main event 1st Trophy won by D. Ough (Goroke); 2nd Trophy, J. Long (Hamilton); Front Marker Trophy, L. Warburton (Hamilton). Trophy event, Double Rise: J. Long, G. Austin, 2nd. Miss-out D.B.: div. F. Steer, J. Tully, G. Austin, D. Mayfield and W. Pitman.

(W. T. Duncan, President.)

WILLAURA (V.), 19/2/55.—Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eye-opener: D. Bellew, H. Waring, G. Green, K. Waring, H. Vaughan, D. McArthur, B. Waring, K. Brain, R. Bygrave, R. Peacock, 5/5. No. 2, 15-bird D.B. 226 Trophies: K. Brain, 1st, 27/27; D. Bellew, 26/27; D. Laidlaw, 16, 3rd. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: cut 10 birds, D. Bellew, H. Waring, D. McArthur, R. Bygrave, R. Peacock, 10/10. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. off 20 yds.: D. McArthur, R. Brain, J. Heard, div.

With the adverse wind conditions caused by a gusty south wind, we must congratulate K. Brain, D. Bellew and P. Laidlaw on being the only ones to hit their 15 birds. K. Brain went on to win with 27/27. The club wishes to thank those shooters who came from Hamilton and Victoria Valley to help make our day such a success.

(R. A. Peacock, Hon. Sec.)

ALEXANDRA (V.).—That distance is no bar to good friends, was well proved on the occasion of the combined President's Day and 4th Birthday shoot on Feb. 19th. Visitors were welcomed from Hay and Finley

(N.S.W.), Melbourne, Shepparton, Croydon and Eildon. Apologies were received from the Association President, "Jock" Wilson, and from Roy Johns, Camberwell President. The cold, gusty wind interfered only with the shooting, but even these unpleasant conditions could not take anything away from the goodwill and comradeship of all present. The ladies, as usual, did much to make the day a success. Their help and pleasant efficiency do as much for most clubs as any other unit and is always appreciated. Some good shooting was seen and the President's Trophy was very fittingly won by Lin Cumming, who right since the foundation of the club has been a great worker and club member. The Birthday Handicap brought another popular victory for that grand supporter of the sport since very early days, our good friend "Doch an Doris", always a visitor to the main Alexandra shoots when possible. Everyone was pleased to applaud his great effort in this "points" event. It was a very difficult day for back-markers and George Biggs deserves credit for a great exhibition from 25 yds. to be just outside the places in each event. It was a very great pleasure to all club members to have so many staunch friends come along, and we thank them for making such a happy day for us all.

Results: Event 1, 5 birds D.B. (Comp. Div.): J. Houston (Hay), W. Parsons, Denis Doyle, G. Biggs (Burwood), "Doch an Doris", "Dick", F. Skate (Melb.), R. Cumming, G. Thompson (Shepparton), A. J. Byers (Camberwell), E. Hillman, E. Willard (Finley), Lin Cumming, 5/5. Event 2, President's Handicap, 15 birds D.B.: Lin Cumming, F. Skate, 15/15. Tie shoot for Trophies: Lin Cumming, 17/17; F. Skate, 16/17; 8 shooters with 14/15 shot off for 3rd Trophy; 3rd, Ron Williamson, 27/28; Visitors' Trophy, J. Houston (Hay), 24/26; Local Trophy, G. Cookson, 26/28; 12/14 yd., E. Hillman, 13/15; Ladies' Trophy, Mrs. R. Frean (Shepparton). Event 3, Birthday H'cap, 15 birds D.B. Points, 3 and 2: "Doch an Doris", E. Willard (Finley), Lin Cumming, 44/45 pts.; Tie shoot to "Doch an Doris", 50/51 pts.; 2nd, E. Willard, 49/51 pts.; 3rd, Lin Cumming, 46/48 pts.; Sweep div. place-getters; Visitors' Trophy, R. Frean (Shepparton), 46/48, from "Dick", 45/48 pts.; 12/14 yd. Trophy, A. Blakeney, 40/45 pts.

(Luke Doyle, Corresp.)

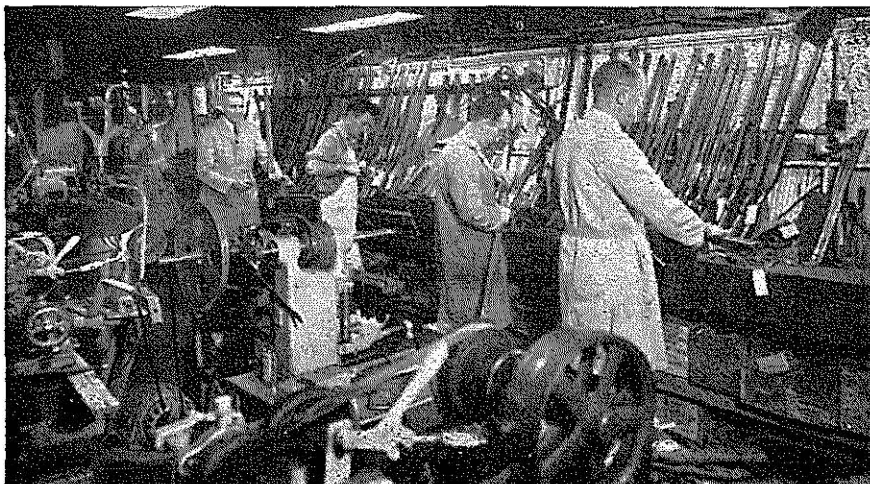
DUNDONNELL (V.) (Night Shoot), 31/1/55. — Weather conditions: moderate S.W. wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. B. Sullivan, W. Veal, H. Waring, W. Gange, J. Robertson, J. Morrison, W. Lyon, I. Morrison, C. Long, S. Lakey, R. Wellman, R. Grant, J. O'Donnell. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, R. Wellman, 21/21; 2nd, R. Boyd, 20/21; 3rd, J. O'Donnell, 23/24; 12 yd., D. Calvert, 12/13. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: div. R. Wellman, J. O'Donnell, J. Morrison, S. Lakey, 14/14. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: div. R. Grant, K. Grant, J. Muir, W. Lyon, C. P. Lloyd, I. Morrison, K. Meek, N. Pilgrim, J. Morrison, S. Lakey, R. Wellman, 5/5. No. 5, 5-bird D.B.: div. R. Grant, W. Lyon, 5/5.

The club conducted its first night shoot and with a field of over 30, it proved a great success. The main trophy event was very keenly contested, seven recording possibilities; Ray Wellman, the Derrinallum President, was the winner with 21/21, closely followed by Ron Boyd, 20/21, and our club back marker, Jim O'Donnell, was 3rd with

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(C. R. Fletcher, Hon. Sec.)

HAY (N.S.W.), 26/2/55 (Night)—Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. N. Milliken, J. Houston, E. V. Cox and T. Dancey, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: Allan Gibson, T. Dancey and E. V. Cox, div. 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: Max Gibson, J. Houston, T. Dancey and A. Headon, div. 10/10. No. 4, 5 prs. D. Rise: W. Ronald, J. Houston, N. Milliken and E. V. Cox, div. 4/5 prs. No. 5, 9-bird Skeet: E. V. Cox, 8/9.

A perfect night for shooting and the club was pleased to welcome old visitors in Messrs. Biggs, Cornish and Oliver and son to the night's sport.

(Les McKinney, Hon. Sec.)

BOTHWELL (Tas.), 19/2/55. — Weather conditions: overcast. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. S'take: K. Pulford, C. Allwood, G. Marshall, E. Nelson, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: K. Pulford, 1st, 21/21; S. Marshall, 2nd, 20/21; E. Marshall, 3rd, 17/18. No. 3, 10-bird S'take: K. Pulford, C. Allwood, F. Baker, 10/10. No. 4, 10-bird S.B.: E. Pulford, 1st, 10/10; E. J. Marshall, 9/10; W. Reynolds, E. Nelson, G. Beard, A. Berry, No. 5, Miss-out: G. L. Archer, A. Berry, K. Pulford, C. Allwood, G. Marshall, 8/8. No. 6, 5-bird S.B. S'take: K. Pulford, A. Berry, C. Allwood, 7/7.

A very successful shoot—overcast and cold wind. Club President (K. Pulford) shot extra well, 40 straight.

(Max Bale, Hon. Sec.)

TASMANIAN (Launceston, Tas.). — On Saturday, 19/2/55, the Tasmanian Gun Club conducted a shoot at the St. Leonards Ground. Main event of the day was the Tasmanian Gun Club D.B. Championship, which was very keenly contested. Messrs. R. Rockliffe, J. Hart, P. Marshall and R. Powell all scored a possible 20/20, and Powell, the final winner, had to break 45 birds straight to take the event. The standard of shooting in the £50 Sweepstake was very high and was won in fine style by N. Frith of Launceston, with the excellent score of 40/40. 5-bird D.B. S'take: div. N. Frith, E. Gibson, P. Marshall, R. Powell, 10/10. Tasmanian G.C. D.B. C'ship: R. Powell, 45/45. 1st: P. Marshall, 44/45, 2nd: R. Rockliffe, 34/35, 3rd. £50 S'take: 1st, N. Frith, 40/40; 2nd and 3rd, div. A. Poxon, S. Marshall, C. Poxon, 39/40.

(J. F. Bennell, Sec.)

BUTE-SNOWTOWN (S.A.), 12/12/54. — Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. A. W. Forbes, R. Winning, W. Whiting, J. Gill, M. Daniel, D. Cameron, D. Petherick, 10/10. No. 2, 15-bird D.B. Trophies: 1st, J. Gill; 2nd, H. Commons; 3rd, P. Dickerson; 13 yd., M. Philbey; 12 yd., D. Cameron; Novice, W. Whiting. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Trophies: 1st, J. Woodrow; 2nd, J. Stanton; 3rd, A. W. Forbes; 13 yd., H. Commons; 12 yd., J. D. Cameron; Novice, K. Brown. No. 4, Trophy Miss-out; div. 1st, J. Woodrow and G. Rowan; 2nd, P. Dickerson.

Combined Xmas and picnic shoot was held near beach and was patronised by shooters who travelled long distances—many thanks to them. Ladies did a wonderful job to cater for the large crowd of spectators and shooters. The committee thank all people who assisted that day. This club has purchased

and will be installing automatic trap in the near future, and good programmes can be expected. New shooters are improving every shoot. Look out, Milang! Seasonal Greetings from Bute-Snowtown (S.A.).

13/2/55. — Weather conditions: hot and sultry. Results: No. 1, 15 birds D.B. Trophy Event: 1st, H. R. Commons; 2nd, L. Kelly; 3rd, T. Burke; 12 yd., L. Millard. Numerous other Sweeps held.

Hot and sultry weather kept shooters from traps. Our new president, H. R. Commons, being the winner of the main event. Women members once again supplied afternoon tea under trying conditions. Thanks to them for their support. Shooters are anxiously awaiting the installation of the auto. trap and must be reminded of their help being needed.

(F. H. Gill, Hon. Sec.)

RAINBOW (V.), 16/2/55.—Weather conditions: fine. Results (Night Shoot): No. 1, 5-bird E.O.: div. C. Friebe, E. McMillan, R. Drendel, A. A. Dunn, M. Wishart, W. Dunn, L. Potter, J. Wishart Jr., A. T. Clarke, 5/5. No. 2, Teams Event, Open Class, A. A. Dunn, W. Dunn, J. Strauss, K. R. Wishart, E. McMillan; Novice Team, J. Merritt, G. Merritt, J. Altmann, W. Horley, M. Wishart. No. 3, Car Frig. H'cap: Sweep cut by J. Wishart, E. McMillan, C. Friebe, A. Anderson, S. Drendel, R. Drendel, J. Altmann. Car Frig. won by R. Drendel, 29/30; 2nd, E. (Holden) McMillan.

Quite a good shoot considering the bad weather we have experienced lately. Rudy Drendel took the honours for the night with a win against our Holden man, who hasn't stopped winning yet. These two shooters shot their last ten birds off 20 odd yards, with Errol missing out on the 30th round. Our President's team just scraped in for a win tonight, but "Hawk Eyes" novice team bolted in like champs. Visitors from Nhili, Jeparit and Dimboola.

(Worrall Dunn, Hon. Sec.)

HARCOURT (V.), 12/2/55.—Weather conditions: fine and humid, some fog at times. Results: No. 1, 5-bird C/D.: 8 div., 5/5. No. 2, Ultra event, 15-bird D.B. H'cap: R. Eagle, H. Michell, M. Luhrs, J. Kinnersley, 15/15, div. Sweep and Ultras (500). No. 3, 10-bird Points Dec. H'cap: R. Eagle, I. G. Drife, J. Kinnersley, 29/30, div.: Trophies, Drife, J. Kinnersley, 1st; R. Eagle, 2nd; T. G. Kinnersley, 3rd. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: W. Blakeley, M. Pellas, Paul, H. Kelly, H. Michell, T. G. Drife, 10/10, div.: Trophies, T. G. Drife, 1st, 17/17; M. Pellas, 2nd, 16/17; W. Blakeley, 3rd, 14/15; Ladies' Trophy, Mrs. R. Pellas.

Heavy rain up till midday kept quite a few regulars away from our "Ultra" shoot; however, our regular visitors from Barham, Daylesford and Learmonth who attended enjoyed good conditions and netted quite a bit of cash and several trophies. Each event had to be shot out, there being no less than 21 full scores on the four events. Thanks, ladies, your efforts are appreciated, and thanks to our visitors for making the shoot worth while.

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

TOWNSVILLE (Qld.). — A programme of five clay pigeon events was shot off at the Townsville Gun Club on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 20th. Weather conditions were good and attracted a good field of local and visiting shooters.

Results: Opening S'takes: K. Russell, W. Carrington, A. Poletti, M. Bennett, J. Mel-

Mildura Clay Target Gun Club

VICTORIA

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

CHAMPIONSHIP SHOOT

OLYMPIC PARK SITE, MILDURA, VICTORIA

June . . 11th and 13th . . 1955

Saturday, 11th June - Commencing at 9 a.m.

Event No. 1 — 10 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL EYE-OPENER. Nomination, £1. Comp. Div.

Event No. 2 —

VICTORIAN STATE DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

20 Birds off 18 yards. Nomination, 30/-.

1st, Trophy and Sash; 2nd, Trophy; 3rd, Trophy. Optional Sweep 10/-, divided 60%, 30%, 10%.

— OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING —

Saturday, 11th June, AT NIGHT, under Floodlights - Commencing at 7 p.m.

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

Event No. 2 —

£100 - HANDICAP - £100

10 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL

Nomination, £4. Divided 60%, 30%, 10%.

— OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING —

Sunday, 12th June-

Visiting shooters and friends will be entertained by a conducted tour of the district, Barbecue and Refreshments included.

Monday, 13th June - Commencing at 9 a.m.

Event No. 1 — 10 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL SWEEPSTAKE. Nomination, £1.

Event No. 2 —

£75 HANDICAP - 5 Bird Double Barrel and 5 Bird Single Barrel

Nomination, £3. Divided 60%, 30%, 10%.

Event No. 3 —

£100 - HANDICAP - £100

10 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL

Nomination, £4. Divided 60%, 30%, 10%.

— OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING —

FIRST CLASS LUNCHEON AND TEA, AFTERNOON TEA, COOL DRINKS AND CARTRIDGES
AVAILABLE ON GROUND.

Two Automatic Traps will be available for practice on Friday afternoon, 10th June. Practice fees, 2/- for 5 birds.

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 please ring Mildura 385 before 5 p.m.

E. BRUCE, President,
110 12th Street, Mildura.

K. J. PEAKE, Secretary,
58a Langtree Avenue, Mildura.

ville, C. Sinclair, S. Horwood, R. McLennan, J. Maguire and J. Gerber div. Second S'takes: W. Carrington, D. Peberdy, M. Bennett, J. Melville, B. Norton, K. Miskin and E. West, div. Trophy event: K. Russell, 1st; A. Edwards, 2nd; second round: J. Maguire, 3rd; D. Peberdy, 4th. Open H'cap: J. Melville, G. Jaques, J. Carrington, E. Vandersee, O. Crother, T. Maguire, S. Sinclair and W. Hanrahan, div. Deauville Double S'takes: J. Carrington and L. Girgenti, 1st; J. Maguire and R. McLennan, 2nd.

(F. Blackman, Hon. Sec.)

GOROKE (V.), 19/3/55.—Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener, 19 div. No. 2, 550 H'cap: 13 in shoot-off: B. England, E. McMillan, C. Watkins, A. Anderson, I. Iredell, D. Bull, J. Wishart, C. Smith, J. O'Brien, div. No. 3, 550 Trophy H'cap (Night Shoot), 6 in shoot-off: 1st, J. Ball (Horsham), 24/24; 2nd, C. Watkins, 23/24; 3rd, I. Iredell, 22/24. No. 4, 225 H'cap: 4 shooters div. prize, E. McMillan, J. Hall, R. Meyer, H. Mitchell.

Opening night shoot in aid of Gorohe Hospital Nurses' Quarters — an outstanding success, 60 shooters taking part. Shooters from Kaniva, Nhili, Horsham, Mt. Gambier, Naracoorte, Miga Lake, Rainbow, Dimboola, Kiata, Bordertown. C. Watkins of Gorohe shot his 50 birds straight.

(Norman R. Fox, Hon. Sec.)

CROOKWELL (N.S.W.), 26/2/55.—Weather conditions: cool and showery. Results: No. 1, Eye-opener 5-bird: M. Hammond, N. Hammond, J. Medway, F. Willis, D. Churchill, H. Churchill, K. Plumb, H. Anderson and N. Willis, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S'take: M. Hammond, F. Willis, D. Churchill, W. Webster, H. Anderson and N. Willis, 5/5, div. No. 3, "Rylstone" Cup (10-bird): M. Hammond, 25/25; N. Hammond, 24/25. No. 4, Team Shoot (2 sides): "Bill's" team, 31/40; "Uncle Dick's" team, 33/40. No. 5, Double Rise: D. Churchill, 5 pr.; N. Churchill, 4 pr. No. 6, Deauville Doubles: N. and M. Hammond, 9/10; N. Betts and N. Willis, 8/10 pr.

First round of the "Rylstone" Cup was taken by M. Hammond, 25/25, with N. Hammond, 24/25, the runner-up. This trophy is well worth winning; now that Mickie has one leg in he is going to take quite a lot of beating in the next round. Most improved shooters were our president, Mr. H. Churchill, and Mr. H. L. Seery. Congratulations to these shooters, also the ladies for the afternoon teas.

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

WINCHELSEA (V.), 26/3/55.—Weather conditions: very good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.D.: B. Stephenson, F. Warner, A. Reynolds, W. Stewart, T. Stephenson, J. Forster, R. Collins, 5/5. No. 2, 10 pair Deauville Doubles: J. McClelland - J. McCarthy, 19/19, div. 1st; O. Stephenson - A. Reynolds, 18/19, 2nd. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: J. H. Forster, 10/10, 1st; G. Schiffele, 12/13, 2nd; W. Worland, 13/15, 3rd.

There was a good attendance to witness the Deauville Doubles, which seemed to be very popular with the shooters and crowd. We would like to thank all visiting shooters for rolling up and helping to make the day a success. It is good to see J. McCarthy making such a grand come-back after so long out of the game, with a good score of 19/19; he was ably supported by a new shooter, J. McClelland.

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

CROYDON (V.), 19/2/55.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. J. T. McArthur, K. Brooks, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: div. McArthur, Brooks, H. Godfrey, 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: H. Godfrey, 18/18; Brooks, 17/18; 12/14 yd. F. Emslie, 10/11. No. 4, 10 pr. D. Doubles: T. Bateson, J. McInnes, 9/10. No. 5, 5 pr. Double Rise: Brooks, 4/5; R. Thom, 5/7.

5/3/55. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B., 19 possibles: div. R. Johns, N. Kneebone, F. Schultess, 15/15; J. McArthur, H. Godfrey, K. Brooks, Max Brown, "Doch an Doris". No. 2, 20-bird (10 D.B., 10 S.B.): 1st, R. Johns, 27/27; 2nd, W. Hurlstone, 26/27; 3rd, E. Lanyon, 24/25. No. 3, 10-bird Points: div. Johns, Brooks, F. Skate, A. Ginnivan, F. Emslie, 30/30 pts.

Shooters from Alexandra, Boort and city clubs farewelled the retiring President, Jim McArthur, after three years of office, and a silver tea service was presented to Mrs. McArthur for her good work providing teas each day. The largest attendance the club has had was a fine tribute to "Mac's" popularity. Shooting was very good, Roy Johns winning the main event from W. Hurlstone; E. Lanyon (Boort), 3rd.

19/3/55. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: J. Hagan, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: 5 possibles, div. J. McArthur, J. Hagan, N. Kneebone, 14/14. No. 3, 15-bird D.B.: J. Hagan, 31/31; N. Kneebone, 30/31. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: 4 possibles, div. N. Kneebone, F. Emslie, 33/33. No. 5, 5-bird D.B.: 5 possibles, div. Hagan, Kneebone, Emslie, 18/18.

The new President, N. Kneebone, and J. Hagan had a keen contest for the main trophy event, J. Hagan winning 31/31, Hagan carrying his score to 82 before missing. F. Emslie and N. Kneebone scoring 53 and 51 unfinished respectively.

(F. Emslie, Hon. Sec.)

COBURG (V.), — After a spell of six weeks, shooters were eager to go on March 26, when the Club's 1955 S.B. Championship was set down for decision.

The weather was delightfully fine and conditions first class. The attendance was good. Visitors included Norm Milliken (Hay, N.S.W.), E. Rowland (Meenyan), Tup Pedersen (Drouin), and half a dozen new members were enrolled.

We started off with a 10-bird S.B. to allow shooters to get their eye in for the big event. There was some good shooting in this, and five cut the sweep with a perfect score. They were Clem Mudford, George Biggs, Harry Belmont, Norm Milliken and Ted Hesketh.

A nice field assembled for the Championship. President Fred Oliver (winner of the title in 1953) and Bill Finnigan (last year's winner) were again starters, but they were lost in the crush.

Fifteen birds from 16 yards was the conditions of the Championship, and at the end of the third visit there were two possibles, Clem Mudford and Ray Garrone. It was an even-money chance who would prevail. Shooting off in best of fives, scores were equal after the first round. In the next five Clem dropped one, and gave Ray a glorious chance, but for some unexplained reason Ray dropped three in a row, and Clem Mudford ran out a nice winner with 24/25. Ray's score was 22/25. Norm Guy took third place with 31/25. Front-mark trophy was won by a new shooter in Warrick McGregor, 12/15.

This is the second time Clem has won this title.

Tup Pedersen put up the good score of 43/43 to beat Harry Belmont, 42/43, in a 20 birds D.B. E. Rowland was 3rd, 40/41. Warrick McGregor again got the front-marker trophy with a well-shot 35/36.

On Sunday, March 27, the club members really let their hair down. Instead of the Ladies' Night, this year we changed it to a picnic at Darley Park. More than 200 shooters and their families and friends took part. Jupiter Pluvius usually manages to get into the act when Coburg goes social. This time we did not let him know anything about it and the day was one out of the box as far as the weather was concerned.

We seized the opportunity to play a cricket match with the Footscray Club. This mob is very cocky and think they can beat us at anything. There was a spot of trouble in picking the teams. Everyone we asked seemed to be playing for Footscray. They seemed to have a hundred in their team, including all the umpires, to our modest little bunch of 15. Out of this Footscray insisted that we supply the drink waiters — and if anyone earned their money, they did.

Footscray scored 104, and as they supplied the scorer, we were supposed to have knocked up 89. Don't take this as official, because we think our score was nearer 890. Camberwell's president, Roy Johns, was an umpire and we are going to ask Bill McCullough to give him another five yards. That'll fix him.

While the cricket was going on, Coburg officials and helpers (regarded as sissies because they refused to play cricket with a hard ball) collected all the ladies and the kiddies and ran races of all kinds.

Around about 5.30 a lot began to make tracks for home, but quite a few stayed behind for a barbecue tea. While they ate, a few presentations were made. President Fred Oliver gave each member of the Footscray team a cigar, and a box of cigarettes to Andy Tie, Coburg's top scorer. Then, of course, Footscray's president, Jack Headland, poked in his oar, and threw out challenges right and left. He wants his club to meet us in anything from marbles upwards. We'll give 'em enough rope and they'll hang themselves.

The picnic was a huge success, and you can bet there will be more of them. We can assure Footscray members and all visitors that we enjoyed their company very much.

—C. J. COLLEDGE, Secretary.

BERRIWILLOCK (V.), 26/3/55.—Weather conditions: fine, cool S.E. breeze. Results: No. 1: cut 16 shooters 6th round. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: J. Clarke, 1st; L. Martin, 2nd; G. Knight, 3rd, all 35/35, drawn out of hat at 35th round. No. 3, Mallee D.B. C'ship: L. Martin, 70/70, 1st; G. Kidman, 69/70, 2nd; T. McLindin, 59/60, 3rd.

26/3/55.—Weather conditions: perfect. Results (Night Shoot): No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eye-opener: div. 12 shooters. No. 2, Mallee Teams Match, 75 birds: Barham-Koondrook, 1st, 75/75; Quambatook No. 1, 70/75, 2nd. No. 3, M/O.: 6 shooters div.

Mallee D.B. Championship was shot under perfect conditions, when 45 shooters faced the traps. The shooting during the day was some of the best seen in the North-west. Congratulations to L. Martin in winning the Championship with 70/70. This shooter, from the start of the programme in the morning till the finish of the programme at

night, never missed a bird and finished up with an unbroken break of 138 — truly a wonderful performance. Other good breaks during the shoot were the local shooter, Gil Knight, 97/98; Geoff Kidman (Laseelles), 65/65, and Terry McLindin, of the same address, 53/59. At night we staged the Mallee teams match, and was of the same standard as the day shoot, Barham-Koondrook with 75/75 very easy winners. We would like to thank any of those that helped us in any way, especially Mr. Robie Manuel of Kerang, who helped with the refereeing; Sea Lake Club for their assistance, and any others I have forgotten or overlooked to mention. Truly a wonderful shoot.

(A. E. Knight, Sec.)

SEYMOUR (V.), 26/3/55.—Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: I. Anderson, M. Gray, 12/12. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: M. Gray, G. Thompson, A. H. Jones, J. Lindner, G. Siggers, A. H. Earl. No. 3, Club D.B. C'ship: 1st, E. Lawton, 35/35; 2nd, G. Thompson, 34/35; 3rd, G. McLeod, 19/20. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, I. Anderson, 12/12; 2nd, E. Lawton, 11/12.

Weather perfect. Five possibles in Championship. Eric Lawton and G. Thompson staged a grand duel, but Lawton was in great form. He finished day with a break of 48. This is the highest recorded on the Seymour Grounds.

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

QUEANBEYAN (N.S.W.), — The usual monthly shoot was conducted on Saturday, 26th March, under ideal shooting conditions, with a good attendance of shooters. The Club Championship was shot off and resulted in a win for W. Mackay of Adamamby. Another new name was added to the R. & R. Canteen when V. Wallace of Jindabyne was successful in winning the 17th round after an interesting shoot-off against 10 other shooters.

Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. C.D.: W. Mackay, J. R. Medway, J. Watt, J. A. Medway, H. Peel, A. McIntosh, I. Hedger, G. Morton, F. Morton, V. Wallace, W. Hedges, W. Ryall, W. Jordan and S. Roberts, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird P.S. (Dulhunty Trophy): J. Tilyard, W. Hedges, R. Sands, W. Woodhouse, 30/30. No. 3, 15-bird Point Score Club C'ship: 1st, W. Mackay; 2nd, J. R. Medway; best 12/13 yds., K. Webster. No. 4, 10-bird (5 S.B., 5 D.B.): R. & R. Canteen Shoot, 17th round: 1st, V. Wallace; 2nd, A. McIntosh; best 12/13 yds., I. Hedger. No. 5, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: 22 possibles, div. No. 6, 5-bird D.R.: J. R. Medway, 1st; best 12 yds., I. Hedger. No. 7, 5-bird Deauville Doubles (Sparrows): 1st, W. Jordan and O. Hallam.

(F. Morton, Hon. Sec.)

DROUIN (V.), 19/2/55.—Weather conditions: fine, cold, windy. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: div. E. Rowland, Wes Colquhoun, L. Swain, Tup Pedersen, W. Dingwall, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird P/D: div. E. Rowlands, Tup Pedersen, Bert Morrison, 30/30. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: div. E. Rowlands and F. Maxfield, 10/10. No. 4, 5-bird P/D: div. E. Rowlands, B. Heppell, H. Pearson and Tup Pedersen, all 15/15. No. 5, 3 pair D. Doubles: div. H. Austin, L. Swain and Tup Pedersen, M. Hore, 7/7. No. 6, 3 pair D/R: E. Rowlands, A. Armstrong and G. Arkinstall, 3/3. High Gun, E. Rowlands, 30/30.

Shoot held in cold windy weather. Since our shoot tragedy has hit our club. Stan Cook passed away as the result of an accident, also our immediate past Secretary's

father has died. To Ian and family and Mrs. Cook and family the club express their sympathy. Congratulations to Eric Rowlands of Dumbalk on winning High Gun. Eric did not pull a second barrel. Watch that handicap, Eric.

19/3/55.—Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 5-bird P/D: E. Rowlands, 1st, 30/30; H. Pearson, 2nd, 30/33; I. Dingwall, 3rd, 27/33. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: H. Pearson, 1st, 10/10; Tup Pedersen, 2nd, 9/10; J. Oliver, 3rd, 8/9. No. 3, 10-bird P/D: P. Spinks, 1st, 54/54; E. Rowlands, 2nd, 53/54; Wes Colquhoun, 3rd, 51/54. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: A. Hamilton, 1st, 28/28; Tup Pedersen, 2nd, 27/28; Wes Anderson, best novice, 4/6. No. 5, 10-bird S.B. (Ultra Trophy): P. Spinks, 1st, 10/10; 2nd and 3rd, div. I. Dingwall, F. Bailey (Perth), H. Pearson and Tup Pedersen, No. 6, 5-bird P/D: A. Hamilton, 1st, 38/39; P. Spinks, 2nd, 36/39; Tup Pedersen, 35/36. No. 7, 3 pr. D/R: H. Pearson, 4/4.

This afternoon's shooting was in aid of the flood victims, N.S.W., and was enjoyed by all in perfect weather. Visiting shooters were present from Dumbalk, Foster, Hedley, Morwell, Melbourne and Perth. H. Pearson shot well all day to win High Gun, 39/40; best 12/13 yarder went to E. Hamilton (Foster), 34/40. Our club is very pleased

with its effort towards the appeal; we have forwarded a cheque for £100 out of the day's shoot. We wish to thank all donors of trophies, etc. With a special thanks to 12-year-old Clinton Rowlands (Dumbalk), who acted as trap boy all day and donated his day's pay back to the effort.

(Joe Oliver, Hon. Sec.)

HAMILTON (V.), 7/3/55 (Opening Night Shoot).—Weather conditions: ideal night. Results: No. 1, 20-bird D.B. H'cap: A. Baugh (Casterton), 37/37, 1st; I. Mouat (Hamilton), 36/37, 2nd; V. Coates (Cavendish), 23/24, 3rd; L. Murray (Hamilton), 22/23, 12/14 yd. Trophy. Shooting finished at 2.30 a.m. Visiting shooters from Dundonnell, Colac, Mt. Gambier, Casterton and district clubs.

The opening of Night Shooting to the Western District was assisted by 77 shooters and approx. 1000 spectators to see Mr. J. R. McClure, M.L.A., smash the first clay. Unfortunately he is not a member of the "Clay Busters' Union" and the bird flew on. Visitors claimed that the lighting is the best they have seen. A feature of the night was the winner of the gun presenting it to his 15-year-old son so that he can take up trap shooting; this was applauded by all present.

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



Camberwell Team, winners Commonwealth Teams' Match, at the recent Association National matches.
(L. to R.—W. Rodda, Ross Smith, F. Thatcher, R. Thom.)

12	Bird, L. F. (Cowra)	12	Carroll, N. (Geelong)	12	Delechantos, F. (Giru)
12	Black, J. S. (Aero Club)	12	Castle, W. (Quambatook)	12	Detering, Ron (Myers Flat)
14	Bland, G. H. (Nhill)	12	Chambers, J. (Cowra)	12	Disher, R. G. (Barham)
	Bloomfield, K. F. (Balmoral)	12	Chambers, Rod (Borong)	12	Downie, W. (Bothwell)
	Bogie, A. (Cressy, V.)	12	Clarke, Noel (Berridale)	13	Drew, S. (Tawonga)
	Bolwell, W. (Horsham)		Cohesfair, M. (Keilor)	16	Drummond, L. S. (Seymour)
	Boodie, S. (Jeparit)		Collier, Lester (Jerilderie)	17	Dumesney, F. (Port Fairy)
	Boyd, J. (Deniliquin)			12	Dunn, R. (Kaniwa)
	Bradshaw, C. W. (Normanville)		Collins, A. (Winchelsea)	12	Durbridge, W. (Perth)
	Breton, T. (Leamington)		Collins, M. Junr. (Tully)	12	Dwyer, M. (Cunnamulla)
13			Collins, R. (Winchelsea)	12	Eagle, R. (Boort)
	Brook, A. J. (Aust.)		Collinson, L. (St. Arnaud)		East, S. (Cressy, V.)
12	Brook, A. G. (Goroke)	12	Constable, D. (Hamilton)		Ebsworthy, J. (Hamilton)
14	Broughton, I. (Donald)	14	Constable, J. (Casterton)		Ellerton, Ken (Mortlake)
15	Broughton, Jim (Donald)	15	Cooper, D. (Tawonga)	12	Elliott, M. (Kaniwa)
12	Broughton, L. (Donald)	12	Cooper, G. (Tawonga)	12	Elrington, G. (Kempsey)
	Brumby, B. (Cressy, V.)		Cooper, R. (Tawonga)	12	Emeng, M. (Hamilton)
	Bucholz, Ron J. (Derrinallum)		Cooper, V. C. (Bronte Park)	12	Fanning, K. (Charlton)
15	Buckley, F. E. (Geelong)	15	Craig, K. (Jeparit)	12	Farley, T. (Port Fairy)
	Buckley, R. L. (Port Fairy)		Crane, E. E. (Quambatook)	12	Farren, J. (Townsville)
13	Bull, W. (Robe)	13	Crawford, D. Senr. (Hughenden)	12	Fawcett, G. (Learnmonth)
12	Bull, W. J. (Bingara)	12	Crisp, Neville J. (Willecania)	12	Fitzpatrick, Mrs. G. M. (Aero Club)
	Butler, Errol (Berridale)				Fitzpatrick, J. G. (Aero Club)
17	Byrne, J. (Frankston)	17	Cannia	13	Fitzpatrick, Tom (Tambo Valley)
	Byrnes, K. (Quambatook)		Croft, R. A. (Aero Club)		Foers, A. (Mortlake)
	Caldwell, D. N. (Richmond)	12	Croft, R. J. (Aero Club)	12	Ford, R. (Macarthur)
	Cameron, B. (Kempsey)		Crowe, G. (Deniliquin)		Foster, K. (Horsham)
	Cameron, Jas. Jr. (Mortlake)		Crowe, G. J. (Aero Club)	12	Fowler, R. (Quambatook)
			Curruthers, A. N. (Crockwell)	12	Fox, N. (Goroke)
	Campbell, R. (Townsville)	12	Curtis, D. H. (Swan Hill)		Frank, H. (Kempsey)
	Campbell, T. G. (Townsville)	12	Curtis, E. L. (Swan Hill)		Funcke, N. (Donald)
		12	Davis, V. (Leongatha)		

Gash, B. (Coleraine)	
Gates, Darel T. (Wilcannia)	
Giddings, J. (Sea Lake)	12
Gilbert, Bob (Berridale)	
Gilbert, Wally (Berridale)	
Gilchrist, G. A. (Condah)	
Glen, E. (Walpeup)	
Glendenning, A. (Richmond)	12
Goodall, A. J. (Mortlake)	
Goodman, G. (Burdekin)	
Graham, W. B. (Barham)	12
Gray, G. S. (Leongatha)	
Gray, J. (Portland)	
Green, A. (Willaura)	12
Green, C. (Willaura)	14
Green, M. A. (Tasmanian)	
Green, R. J. (Tasmanian)	
Greentree, R. A. (Aust.)	
Gregson, S. (Shepparton)	14
Grinter, F. (Geelong)	
Gross, E. (Quambatook)	
Grundell, I. (Learmonth)	13
Guyatt, E. (Shepparton)	15
Guye, A. (Learmonth)	14
Haddow, D. (Keilor)	17
Hall, A. C. (Leongatha)	
Hall, H. O. (Aero Club)	17
Hancock, S. (St. Arnaud)	12
Hand, F. (Jeparit)	12

Harris, L. (Victoria Valley)	12
Harrop, W. J. (Warracknabeal)	12
Hart, G. (Sea Lake)	12
Hay, S. (Mortlake)	
Hayden, Ted (Berridale)	
Hearn, H. (Tuena)	
Hedger, Ian (Berridale)	
Heinemann, T. (Burdekin)	
Heley, Ralph (Mildura)	
Henderson, L. (Donald)	13
Heppell, B. (Drouin)	12
Hill, Roy (Cressy)	
Hinchcliffe, W. (Mortlake)	
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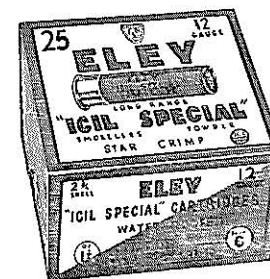
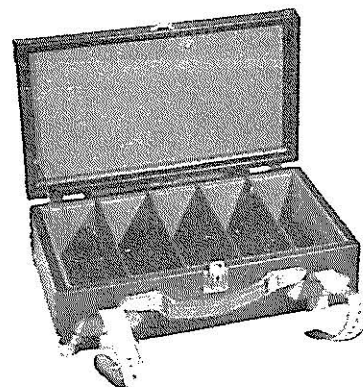
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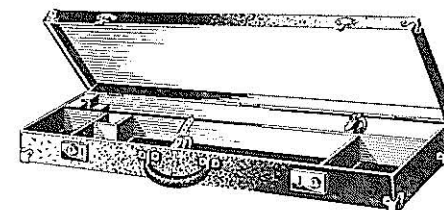
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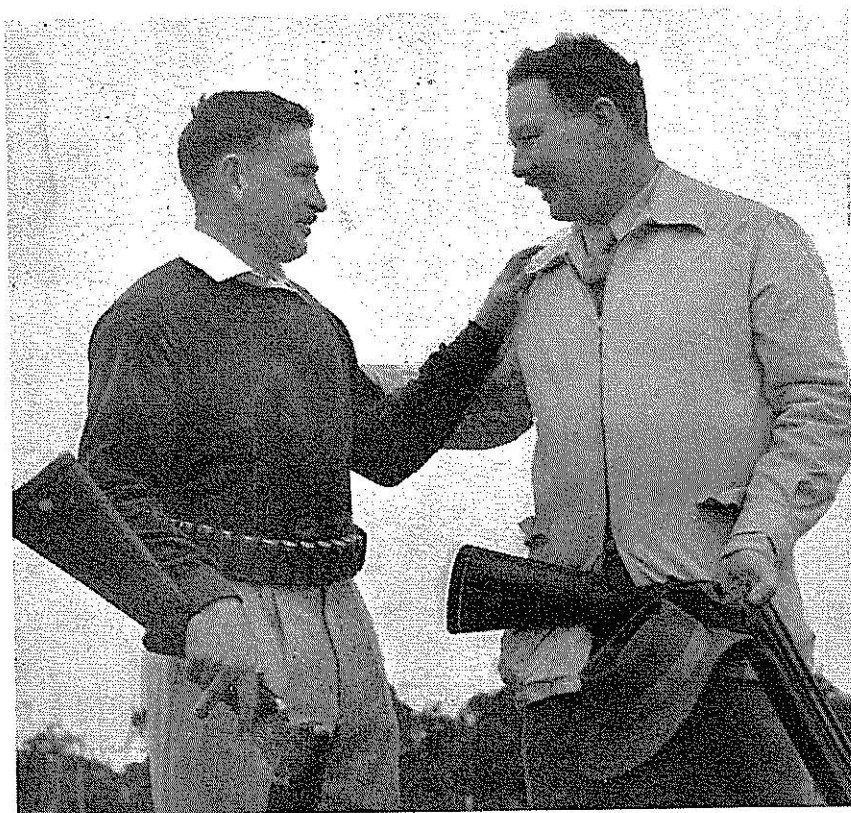
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