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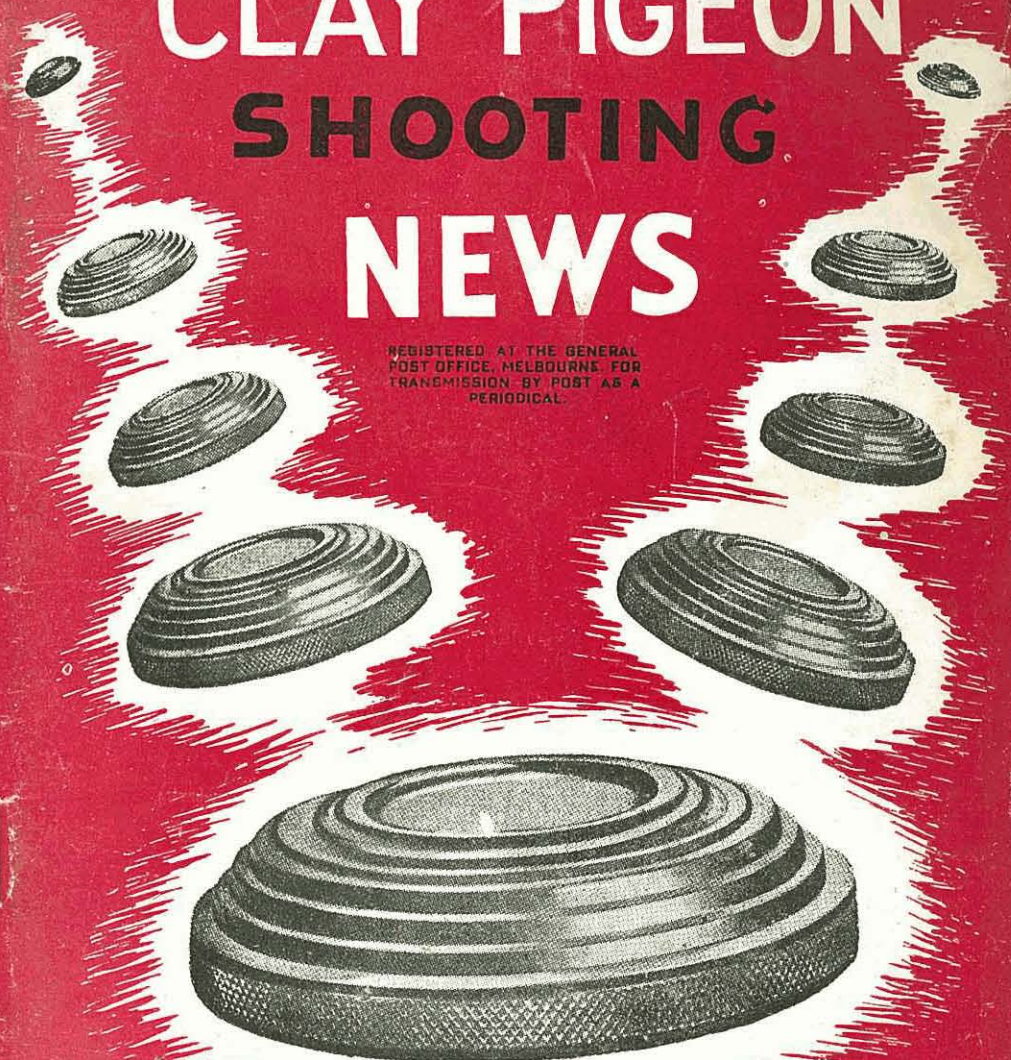
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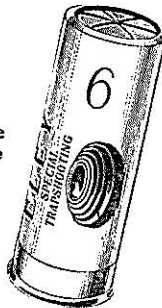


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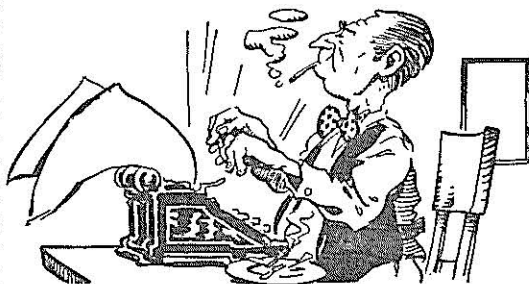
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# The Editor's Notebook

With the issue of this month's publication this journal enters upon its ninth year of service to the sport of clay pigeon shooting in Australia and to the shooters allied to the pastime. During the year just past, the "News" issued its record size for any issue since inception — 120 pages. This is something of a marked increase to its humble beginning, when four double-sheets comprised its make-up; in other words, eight pages!

With the co-operation shown over the years since inauguration, it is hoped that the publication will continue to expand and provide regularly matter which is of interest to "the man with the gun".

In recent months it has been noticed that there is a prevalence among certain competitors to actually discuss the referee's decisions during the competition. In fact, some competitors have been noted to be trying to "referee the competition" whilst actual competitors, similar to the older type of footballer who tries to referee a game as it progresses. Referees are reminded that they are not bound to discuss any decision with competitors unless under very unusual circumstances. Recently at a shoot in the Melbourne area a shooter was noticed objecting to the referee's decisions, with the referee replying and altogether a discussion taking place. The whole situation culminated in the competitor making an extremely uncomplimentary remark to the referee. This state of affairs must not be allowed to continue. A competitor has his remedy if the referee is unreasonable and not maintaining equity of competition. To continue a discussion with the official is inappropriate behaviour and clubs should see to it that officials acting as referees should play their part correctly. If a competitor becomes objectionable, the referee, in turn, has wide powers and these should be exercised if anything ob-



jectionable is noted or continued by competitors.

Many club officials are continuing to send in requests for break badges without accompanying the application with actual score sheets showing where the shooter compiled the break. Also a number are forwarding the score sheets, but it would take more than a legal mind to follow just where the break has been recorded on the sheets. When a break-badge application is made, the club forwarding the application should clearly state that shooter's name and address, the sheets should be numbered in proper order and sequence, with date appearing on right top corner of each sheet. Where the actual break occurred should be marked so as to be easily discernible and quickly checked by Association officials. Handling the score sheets in this way makes for quick perusal and equally quick finalization.

It is advised that there is a delay of some 12 to 14 weeks in delivery of break badges for the reason that makers are unable to cope with the demand. Those interested should note this, as many letters have been received by the Association enquiring on delivery.

The Great Britain and Ireland Trophy shoot, for State supremacy throughout the Commonwealth, has brought forth increased interest following this year's competition. In one or two instances States have advised that the holding of the

elimination shoot followed immediately by the actual State Team shoot has produced a feeling of staleness among team members during the team competition. Many have felt that it would be better to hold the elimination one day, followed a day later by the Team Shoot. Whilst this is doubtless a good idea, it has many difficulties. Many shooters are unable to attend for more than one day and they would therefore eliminate themselves. The team with best score for 1955, up to the moment of writing, is New South Wales, and as though to emphasise the value of the elimination and

team shoot on the same day, the N.S.W. team shot at Bathurst, after completing the elimination shoot and returned the excellent score of 496/500. Six 50's and four 49/50's. In Victoria the opposite took place. Shooting at East Burwood, the Victorians, except those who scored the possible in elimination, had to shoot, in several cases, well into the 70's before a decision on team complement was reached. This meant that when the team faced up, quite a number were already "blown" in their efforts to first secure a team placing.

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## Letters to the Editor...

Cotswold Road,  
Strathfield, Sydney,  
26th Sept., 1955.

The Editor,  
A.C.P.T.S.A. News,  
Box 2038 S, G.P.O.,  
MELBOURNE.

Dear Sir,

Under the heading: "Letters to the Editor", in the August "News", Mr. E. A. Holmes states he would like to see double-barrel shooting eliminated. May I disagree with this opinion?

For the past 22 years I have been trap shooting regularly in this district, am a member of three clubs here, and have been treasurer of one for the past eight years. During this time I have had an excellent opportunity of studying the likes and dislikes of the various shooters, and it is my opinion that the double-barrel events are always by far the most popular. Moreover, they are regarded here as the major events, whereas the single-barrel fixtures are regarded as minor events.

Also, in my opinion, the man who can shoot, say, 75% of his birds with his first barrel and 25% with his second barrel is a better shot than the man who shoots, say, 85% with his first barrel and 10% with his second, and from my observations,

there are quite a number who would approximate these percentages.

It is usually the man with a good second barrel who collects his share of game in the field and most of us have witnessed the unpleasant spectacle of the shooter who has so little confidence in his second barrel that he hesitates to fire it and lets an easy shot go by.

Ever since its inception in this country, trap shooting has been regarded as two-barrel shooting, and I would say, let us remain accustomed to using both barrels. If the standard of shooting is becoming too high, then let us increase the handicaps, but let us not become one-barrel shots.

In any case, why not continue to have both double and single-barrel events and so cater for the requirements of all shooters?

Yours truly,  
C. W. PLUMMER.

"Maryantha",  
Cobar, N.S.W.,  
5th Sept., 1955.

Dear Mr. McCullough,

Mr. McConville's letter in last News brings me back to about 1912. Four of us lads were just beginning

# Mildura Clay Target Club

OLYMPIC PARK, MILDURA, VICTORIA

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

## OPEN SHIELD SHOOT

**Saturday, 29th October, 1955**

Commencing 1 p.m.—

**Event No. 1 — 10 BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER**  
(Comp. Division). Nomination, 10/-.

**Event No. 2 —**

## £100 HANDICAP 20 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL

Nom., £4. Div. 60%, 30%, 10%. Off Assoc. Handicap Marks.

The Bruce Summers Shield to be shot for in conjunction with the £100 Handicap, by teams of five shooters from any registered Club. Nomination, 20/- per team.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

**AT NIGHT (under Floodlights)**

Commencing 8 p.m.—

**Event No. 1 — 5 BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER**  
(Comp. Division). Nomination, 5/-.

**Event No. 2 —**

## TROPHY SHOOT 10 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL POINTS DECISION

Off Association Handicap Marks. Nom., 30/- 10/- Op. Sweep.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

Afternoon Tea — Cool Drinks — Cartridges available on Ground.

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, no responsibility is accepted for damage to person or property.

E. BRUCE, PRESIDENT.

K. J. PEAKE, HON. SEC.

to take an interest in the fascinating study of gunology. A large American Wild West show was visiting our town and we sat at the ringside pop-eyed and with mouths agape as we watched "the champion rifle shot of the world" sit on a horse with all the cowboy outfit and break round balls tossed a few feet in the air by a lady also on a horse and also in the same rig-out. The rifle he used was obviously a '92 model Winchester .44 and the revolvers he brought into play later were of the same cal. After the show one of us slipped into the ring and recovered some of the brass shells ejected from the rifle. Our admiration of the champion sort of flopped when I said the shell was a .44 shot. It was about as long as a .44 cartridge with the bullet seated and the wad crimp was still visible. I reloaded one with black powder and No. 8 shot and fired it out of an old '73 model we had. It pelted quite a good pattern and with fair force at short range. What the composition of the balls was, I do not know, but they were certainly not glass, about twice as big as a tennis ball, and off-white in colour.

But what about Adolph Topperwain (do I spell that right?) in America making a record for Winchester with their .22 auto? Several

thousand wood blocks, 2½ in. cube, tossed about 25 feet in the air, missed the first thousand five times and the last four times. Lionel Bibby told me of this and I forget the actual number.

Kind regards from

ANDY MATHEWS.

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## A FATHER'S ADVICE

King George V was almost a fanatic on the subject of the handling of firearms, and until the Prince of Wales (later to be known as the Duke of Windsor) had memorized verses entitled a "Father's Advice" he was not allowed to use a gun. The first and last two verses went like this:

If a sportsman true you'd be  
Listen carefully to me

Never, never let your gun

Pointed be at anyone;

That it might unloaded be

Matters not the least to me.

You may hit or you may miss,

But at all times think of this:

All the game birds ever bred

Won't repay for one man dead.



"WATCH THAT MUZZLE."



# BOURKE GUN CLUB

NEW SOUTH WALES

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

## *Bourke Darling River Double Barrel Championship Shoot*

**FRIDAY 4th NOVEMBER and SATURDAY 5th NOVEMBER, 1955**

### **FIRST DAY:**

10 BIRD S.B. EYE-OPENER. (5 Birds from each trap). Comp. Div. Nomination, 15/-.

**30 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL POINTS SCORE (3 and 2)**

**TOTAL £100**

1st, £60; 2nd, £25; 3rd, £10. Also £5 for best 12 and 13 yarder. Nomination, 80/-.

**20 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL HANDICAP**

**PRIZE MONEY £50**

1st, £25; 2nd, £12/10/- for best 12 yarder. Nomination, 45/-.

10 BIRD S.B. "DAY FINAL". Trophy 1st and 2nd. Nomination, 25/-.

— OPTIONAL SWEEPSTAKES ON ALL EVENTS —

### **SECOND DAY:**

5 BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER. Comp. Div. after additional 5 birds. Nomination, 10/-.

**BOURKE DARLING RIVER DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP**

20 Birds from 16 yards. 1st, Sash and Trophy; 2nd, Trophy; 3rd, Trophy.

Trophy for best 12 yarder. Nomination, 25/-.

**20 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL HANDICAP POINTS SCORE (2 and 1)**  
PRIZE £75. £45 1st, £15 2nd, £10 3rd. Best 12 and 13 yarder, £5. Nomination, 60/-.

10 BIRD S.B. FINAL HANDICAP. Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Nomination, 30/-.

— OPTIONAL SWEEPSTAKES ON ALL EVENTS —

COMPULSORY DIVISION — ALL NON-TROPHY EVENTS.

Accommodation Available — Shooters should communicate with the President or Secretary immediately — Don't Delay.

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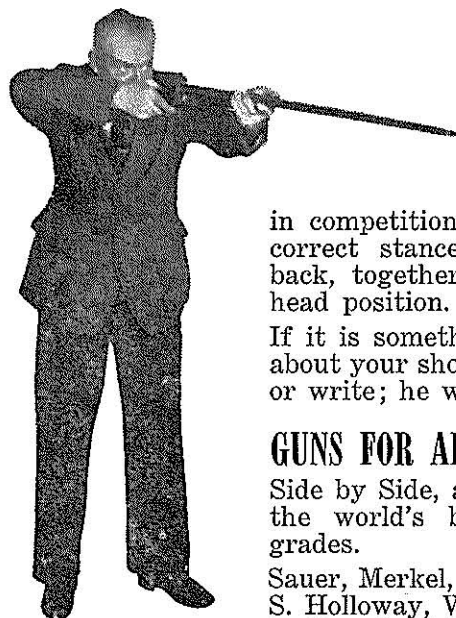
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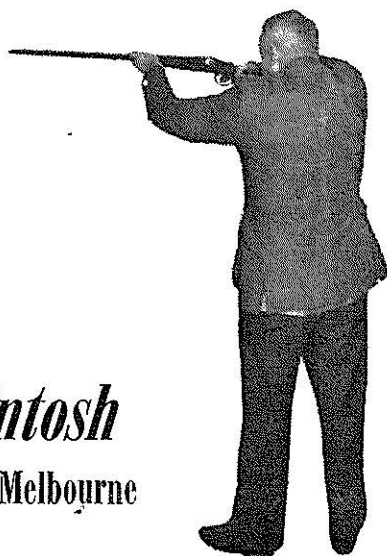
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## "Tips" and "Tails"

Nyngan Club in northern New South Wales has become an affiliated unit of the A.C.P.T.S.A. Secretary of the new formation is W. Birchell, Box 80, Nyngan, N.S.W.

A shooter who rarely faces up to the traps these days re-

cently wrote to the Association apologising for late payment of registration and stating "just could not do without 'News'."

A Victorian shooter who has actually taken part in competitions overseas recently wrote to the Association, "From now on I intend to read the 'News' from cover to cover — it was only the other day that I picked up an old copy, perhaps only a quarter read, and noticed a very dear old pal of mine had passed away. I refer to Major Northover, whom I used to meet at Bisley whilst I was practising at revolver shooting mostly, but I did on occasions try my hand at the clays. I thoroughly enjoy reading 'News'; there's no doubt it's a great little journal, entertaining, as I know (having been a journalist myself), a terrible lot of hard work."

Bourke Club (N.S.W.) will shoot on November 4 and 5. The Bourke-Darling River double-barrel championship will be main event on the second day. On opening day a 30 birder £100 Handicap is listed. Many good supporting events are listed. Programme details are as advertised. Enquiries to secretary, G. J. Greenhalgh, Bourke, N.S.W.

Miss R. Cooper, 37 Whitehead St., Corowa, N.S.W., has taken over the secretaryship of the Border Gun Club (Corowa). She replaces former secretary, G. Martin.

Toogoolawah Club, Queensland, has affiliated with the A.C.P.T.S.A.

Secretary of the newly formed organization is G. Rawlins, Box 65, Toogoolawah, Qld.

Officials for the current season of the Footscray Gun Club, elected at the annual meeting of the club recently, are: President, L. V. Austin; Vice-Presidents, R. Wray, A. Stewart, C. H. Bell; Treasurer, J. Headland; Hon. Secretary, T. J. Gore, 3 Yardley Street, Maidstone (Vict.); Committee, Messrs. G. Dawson, P. Sheridan, J. Bryant Senr., J. Bardin, P. Wray, E. Kilcullen, F. Constable, R. Fallshaw.

Sale Club in eastern Gippsland, Victoria, will shoot the Victorian single-barrel sparrow (clay) on Saturday, November 5. A £50 Handicap will follow, along with supporting events. Full details are as advertised. Enquiries to club secretary, L. J. Robinson, 172 Raymond Street, Sale (Phone: Sale 177).

The Victorian South-Western Districts D.B. Championship will be conducted by the Balmoral Club on Saturday, November 26. A £50 Handicap and good supporting events are also listed. Full details are as advertised. Enquiries to club secretary, W. F. Duncan, Balmoral (Phone 13), Victoria.

Victorian shooters, particularly those in the metropolitan area of Melbourne, will sympathise with Australian club shooter, Bill Bray, in the passing of his wife which took place early in September. Unknown to many, the late Mrs. Bray was a stalwart worker for the furtherance of clay pigeon shooting. On many occasions prior to the big Association fixtures, Mrs. Bray took part in working bees at the Australian Club grounds at East Burwood — not merely supplying refreshments, but actively doing manual work on the grounds. The Association expresses its profound regret at Mrs. Bray's passing.

The Hopetoun Club, in the adjacent Mallee District of Victoria, is a new affiliation with the A.C.P.T.S.A. The club expects to open officially on



# ALEXANDRA GUN CLUB

MILANG - SOUTH AUSTRALIA

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

— TWO AUTOMATIC TRAPS —

## 2nd Birthday Shoot (2 Days)

Saturday 26th and Sunday 27th, November, 1955

FIRST DAY — commences 12 noon.

No. 1 Event — 5 BIRD SWEEP. Compulsory Division.

No. 2 Event —

### 30 BIRD BIRTHDAY HANDICAP

£120 AND PRESIDENTS TROPHY

1st Prize, £60 and Trophy; 2nd Prize, £30; 3rd Prize, £10.

£5 each 12-13-14-15 yarders. Nomination, £3/5/-.

5/- Optional Sweep each 10 birds.

BARBECUE at Night, when Shooters will be guests of the Committee.

SECOND DAY — 12.30 p.m. Sharp.

### D.B.N.S. CHARITY SHOOT

No. 1 Event — 5 BIRD SWEEP. Compulsory Division.

No. 2 Event —

### 15 BIRD HANDICAP

Nom., 25/- 1st, £10 and Trophy, presented by Mr. Colin Barr, "Mac's" Hotel, Mt. Gambier; 2nd, 3rd and 12 yd. Trophies.

C. Harvey Trophy for Lady with Highest Score.

5/- Optional Sweep each 5 birds.

Shooters must produce current A.C.P.T.S.A. Handicap Cards.

No Nominations accepted after start of Second Round.

Committee reserves the right to alter programme.

— Refreshments and Cartridges on Ground —

Accommodation arranged if required.

J. WOODROW, PRESIDENT,  
MILANG, PHONE 27.

N. ROBERTS, HON. SEC.,  
MILANG, PHONE 11.

October 14, subject to the club grounds being in order by that time.

Graman Club, near Inverell in New South Wales, is another newly affiliated unit of the A.C.P.T.S.A. President is W. G. Duddy; Hon. Secretary, D. Clyde-Smith of "Cradock", Graman, via Inverell; Hon. Treasurer, S. Fenley, and Hon. Armourer is B. Walker.

A new club is being formed at Bateman's Bay on the New South Wales south coast. The new formation is under the secretaryship of R. C. Brown, Bateman's Bay, N.S.W.

Hay Club, in the Northern Riverina, tendered a farewell dinner to Boyd Hanna and his wife recently. The couple are leaving the district. Boyd has done much to assist Hay Club over the years. President of the Club, John Houston, presided.

The Hobart Club will shoot at Brighton, Tasmania, on October 29 and November 26. The Tasmanian Tower title and handicap events will be held on the first day, whilst the Tasmanian Clay Sparrow Championship will follow on November 26. This series will be the club's Christmas Shoot and also its final series for the year. The first competition of the new year will take place on January 28. Details are as advertised. Enquiries to D. Bridges (secretary), 142 Elizabeth Street, Hobart, Tas.

Griffith Club, in the Murrumbidgee irrigation area of New South Wales, will shoot three championships over the day and night period of Saturday, November 5. The Riverina Mixed Birds title and N.S.W. Intermediate D.B. championship are two of the main attractions in the day section. At night the Commonwealth Night Skeet title is listed. Good supporting events will also be held. Enquiries to W. Stott (secretary), Box 492 YY, Griffith, N.S.W. (Phone Griffith 1234).

Hargrave Park Club at Parramatta, N.S.W., will shoot on November 12 and November 26. On the first day the club double-rise title is main interest, whilst on November 26 the Sydney Double-rise title at clay sparrows will engage attention. Programme is advertised. Enquiries to

C. W. Plummer, 74 Brandling Street, Alexandria, N.S.W.

Kerang Gun Club (Victoria) has affiliated with the A.C.P.T.S.A. The new club officials are: President, A. Hansen; Vice-Presidents, Messrs. C. Kenyon and E. Bethune; Joint Secretaries, Messrs. L. Yates and Peter L. Wilkinson; Treasurer, R. Wyatt.

Birchip Club (Victoria) will shoot the Birchip District double and single barrel championships on Saturday, November 12. A good supporting programme has also been arranged, with a night shoot to follow. Secretary, H. G. Taylor (Box 86, Birchip), advises that visiting shooters will be well catered for throughout the day and night. Shooting will start at 1 p.m. Enquiries to secretary. Programme is advertised in this issue.

Well-known Victorian Central districts sportsman, Luke Doyle, has been re-elected President of the Alexandra Club (Victoria) for the fifth consecutive term. Secretary Ted Hillman has also been re-elected unopposed, with W. Carpenter, Assistant Secretary. Vice-Presidents are G. Courtney and Geoff. Cookson. The club is investigating the position regarding the installation of lighting for night shooting.

Immediate future programmes of the Keilor Club, not far from the Essendon Aerodrome, are published in this issue. Details of all programmes for October 29, November 12 and a special Glenroy Police Boys' Club shoot on Monday, October 31, are listed. Of considerable importance is the fixture listed for Cup Eve night shoot, Monday night, October 31. Trophies valued at £156 have been allocated for this fixture, which should attract a good muster of local and visiting shooters. Enquiries should be forwarded to R. Reid, secretary Keilor G.C., 103 McCracken St., Essendon (Phone FX 2065).

The Colac Club will shoot two Western District of Victoria titles on November 12, the Western District Double-barrel and similar Deauville Doubles. Shooting will commence at noon and minor events will be included, time permitting. Details are advertised. Enquiries to Don Corstorphane, 6 Rae Street, Colac, Vic. (Phone Colac 406).



# Shepparton Clay Target Club

VICTORIA

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

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**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29th**

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5 shooters per team. No limit of Teams from any Club.  
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OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

— Also on —

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12th**

ALL-DAY SHOOT - - Commencing 10 a.m.

## WALK-UP EYE-OPENER

followed by

## Victorian Walk-Up Championship

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

OTHER EVENTS (Time Permitting).

Cartridges and Afternoon Tea available on Ground.

R. FREAN, President.

G. B. McLEOD, Secretary.

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The annual shooting carnival sponsored by the South Coast Club at Southport, Queensland, will be staged from Thursday, January 19, to Monday, January 30. Altogether six day shoots will be held and three night series. Preliminary announcement is made of the series in this issue. Enquiries to Mrs. G. O. Martin, Moorong, Surfers Paradise (Phone Surfers Paradise 238).

Longreach Club (Queensland) will shoot on October 22, when the Central Western Queensland S.B. title and the Queensland Deauville doubles title at clay sparrows will be decided. Programme is advertised. Enquiries to J. G. Walker (President), "Lambeth", Longreach (Phone 331).

Barellan Club (N.S.W.), one of the first clubs in New South Wales to become affiliated with the A.C.P.T.S.A., will conduct a three-championship programme on October 29. The titles are the Central Riverina D.B. and similar double-rise, plus the Barellan Club Championship (this latter event restricted to members of the club resident within 50 miles of Barellan). Details are as advertised. Enquiries to G. E. Morris (secretary), Barellan (Phones 28 and 4).

Katanning, in Western Australia's south-west, will conduct a three-day series extending over November 12, 13 and 14. The Great Southern D.B. title and West Australian Mixed

Birds are included in the programme for the opening day. The club will also shoot at night. On Sunday, November 13, the Cherry Tree Field Championship, commencing at 2 p.m., will be star attraction. Whilst a £50 Handicap at 40 targets will engage attention on final day. Enquiries to D. G. Anderson (secretary), Box 24, Katanning, W.A. (Phone 44U).

The Rainbow Club, now known as the "Holden Specialists", outlines full details of its New Year's Day fixture, during which a Standard Model Holden Car will be first prize in the Rainbow Grand Prix. As a pipe-opener the club intends staging a £200 Handicap on Saturday, December 31, with practice traps available on Friday, December 30. The New Year holiday will, of course, be on January 2, 1956. Secretary Worrall Dunn, Box 40, Rainbow, advises early application for accommodation for intending competitors. Complete details of programme are as advertised.

Newcastle Club, N.S.W., will shoot on October 29, when the Newcastle and Hunter River D.B. and S.B. titles will be decided. A £50 Handicap is also included among the supporting events. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries should be directed to Don Scowcroft (secretary), 3 Bancroft Street, Cardiff, N.S.W. (Phone B 4051).

Kaniva Club (V.), near the South Australian border, will hold an open shoot day and night on November 12. Trophies valued at £170 have been allocated for the day session and £75 prize money at night. Details are advertised. Enquiries to A. M. McDonald, Pte. Bag, Kaniva (Phone Miram 18R).

A further batch of Victorian Wimmera titles will be shot by the Donald Club on November 5 and December 3. The Wimmera Night D.B. title is listed for the first-mentioned date and the similar Deauville Doubles (day) and a £50 Handicap for December 3. At night on December 3 the Commonwealth Night Mixed Birds title looks like being the only event for the night. Details for both days are as advertised. Enquiries to R. S. Reseigh (secretary), Box 21, Donald (Phone 54N).



# Australian Gun Club

(Incorporating Blackburn and Nobel Clubs)

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

## OCTOBER 29th—

15 BIRD D.B. SWEEP (Points). Nom., 15/-.

15 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL. Nom., 15/-.  
1st, 2nd, 3rd, 15/16, 13/14 and 12 yd. Trophies.

11 BIRD SKEET (Cash). Nom., 12/-.

10 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL (Time Permitting)

## NOVEMBER 12th—

15 BIRD D.B. SWEEP (Points). Nom., 15/-.  
Nom., £1/10/-.

## 30 Bird Double Barrel

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 12/13, 14/16, 17/19, 20 and over yd. Trophies.

5 PAIR DOUBLE RISE. Nom., 10/-.

**DON'T FORGET OUR CHRISTMAS SHOOT,**

**24th DECEMBER.**

G. BIGGS, President.  
BF 8400.

R. AYRE, Acting Hon. Sec.  
XF 2031.

Portland (Victoria), the home of the Henty landing in the long ago, will be the scene of an interesting programme on Saturday, November 12, when the club's new grounds will be opened. A £100 Handicap is main interest. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries to Harold Smith (secretary), Box 42, Portland, Vict.

Footscray Club (V.) advertises all its programmes right up to its Christmas Shoot on December 10. The full list of events is advertised, and these include the Southern Districts Skeet (V.) title, and Victorian Intermediate single-barrel championship. Enquiries to T. J. Gore (secretary), 3 Yardley Street, Maidstone, V.

Hay Club (N.S.W.), which is including a Zephyr Car among its main awards during its Easter 1956 carnival, has decided to allot £100 for second prize, £50 for third, and seven prizes of £12/10/- in this event, in which the car is first prize.

Bathurst Club, just over the Blue Mountains in N.S.W., will shoot over Friday, December 2 (day and night) and Saturday, December 3. On the first day the Western Districts of N.S.W. D.B. title is listed, and also at night the State Night D.B. title at clay sparrows. On the final day a £100 Handicap and the N.S.W. Double-barrel title are main events. Programme is advertised. Enquiries to Mrs. B. Goodman, Commonwealth Street, Bathurst (secretary) (Phone Bathurst 4123).

Coburg Club's Grand Prix on Melbourne Cup Day holiday is one of the main events of the immediate future. This popular event continues to

maintain interest to all sections of the shooting world. Full details are advertised. The club also advertises its programmes up to December 17, its Christmas Shoot. On October 22 the club's premier title, the club double - barrel championship, will create considerable interest. The Metropolitan D.B. title is listed for November 19.

Portarlington Club, on the western shores of Port Phillip Bay, will shoot on November 26, when three title events will be decided. The main one of these is the Victorian D.B. Sparrow title. Programme is advertised. Enquiries to R. Jorgenson, Nar-goondy, Portarlington, V.

A grand opening shoot is being sponsored by the Bessiebell Club in Western Victoria on November 19. Secretary, Joe Pye Junr., Broadwater, V., advises that a very special effort is being put into this fixture and all attending are assured of a splendid day's shooting and entertainment. Full details are as advertised. Enquiries to Joe Pye Junr.

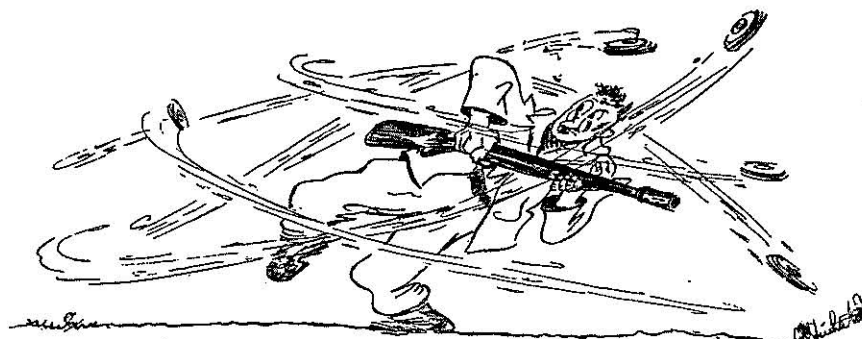
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Departing Guest: "Well, good-bye. I hope I haven't kept you out of bed."

Host: "That's all right. We would have been getting up soon in any case."

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"Doctor, my wife has dislocated her jaw," said the meek, hen-pecked voice on the phone. "If you're out this way next week or the week after, you might drop in and see her."



# BATHURST GUN CLUB

NEW SOUTH WALES  
(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

... BATHURST OPENS NIGHT SHOOTING ...

## TWO STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS and DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP

TWO DAYS and NIGHT

*Friday 2nd and Saturday 3rd December, 1955*

FRIDAY, 2nd DECEMBER — 10.0 a.m.

Event 1 — 10 BIRD D.B. SWEEP. £1 Nom. Compulsory Division.

Event 2 — **Mid-Western District Double Barrel Championship**  
20 BIRDS — 16 YDS. 25/- Nom. 10/- Optional Sweep. Shells 1½ oz. load.  
1st, Sash and Trophy; 2nd and 3rd Trophies; also best 12/13 yd. Trophy.

Event 3 — **MID-WESTERN TROPHY SHOOT**  
20 BIRDS. 30/- Nom. 10/- Optional Sweep. 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 12/13 yd. Trophies.

Event 4 — SWEEPS — Daylight, Time Permitting.

FRIDAY NIGHT SHOOT.

Event 1 — £1 SWEEP. 10 BIRD D.B. SPARROWS. Compulsory Division.  
Shooters must shoot off 16 to 18 yds. irrespective of official handicaps.

Event 2 —

## *N.S.W. Double Barrel Clay Sparrows Night Championship*

30 BIRDS FROM 18 YDS. 35/- Nom. 10/- Optional Sweep. Shells 1½ oz. load.  
1st, Sash and Trophy; 2nd and 3rd Trophies; also best 12/13 yd. Trophy.

Event 3 — SWEEPSTAKES (Clay Pigeon). Compulsory Division. Time Permitting.

SATURDAY, 3rd DECEMBER — 9.30 a.m.

Event 1 — EYE-OPENER SWEEP. 10 BIRDS D.B. £1 Nom. Compulsory Division.

Event 2 —

**£100 - DOUBLE BARREL HANDICAP - £100**

£3 Nomination. 45 BIRDS. Divided 60%, 30%, 10%.

Event 3 —

## **N.S.W. DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP**

30 BIRDS — 18 YDS. 30/- Nom. 10/- Optional Sweep. Shells 1½ oz. load.  
1st, Sash and Trophy; 2nd and 3rd Trophies; also best 12/13 yd. Trophy.

Event 4 — **£2 SWEEPSTAKE, DOUBLE BARREL**  
20 BIRDS. Compulsory Division.

A Night Shooting programme will be available on the Saturday Night if enough shooters desire.

The Committee reserves the right to modify the programme should the necessity arise.

Please book your accommodation without delay.

Refreshments — Cartridges available on the grounds.

Note. The Shoot Secretary cannot accept responsibility for accommodation bookings received after 30th Nov.

S. H. EDWARDS,  
President.

(Mrs.) BETTY GOODMAN, Shoot Secretary,  
Commonwealth St., Bathurst.  
Phone: Bath. 4123.



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## GUN GOSSIP

By NORTH COUNTRY

About the care of guns, I notice how careless some men are (or thoughtless) as regards the places in which they put their weapons down during, say, a shooting lunch. It seems to me that some people take a great risk in not troubling to find a safe nook for their valuable guns. A safe place can always be found — it is just a matter of a little trouble.

One of the worst places in this respect is a wall, particularly where the ground level is paved or metalled roadway. In the first place the mere fact of a pair of barrels being placed against the rough finish of a wall is sufficient to cause scratching of a fine surface, which while it will not make any difference to the shooting, does impair (if only slightly) the appearance and value of a gun. In the second place, should the gun fall or be knocked down (and this can easily happen under such insecure conditions), it is quite likely that the barrels will become dented or the

muzzles burred. Dents do, of course, affect shooting and they need to be removed by expert craftsman. They may even be so deep as to render a gun a danger on firing. While under the hazards of active service, it is excusable for a gun to become seriously dented, there is no excuse for this to happen during the relaxation of lunch. A gun can always be made safe then.

A friend of mine even goes to the trouble of carrying an old glove in one of his pockets and this he pulls over the muzzles should it become necessary to place the weapon against any hard surface. This not only prevents scratching, but acts as some insurance against the gun slipping or being jerked down. When you use a very best gun it really is worth looking after. In a stone-wall country guns are more likely to become damaged than in wooded and hedged country, where stones, rocks and hard surfaces generally are the ex-



I DIDN'T KNOW IT WAS LOADED.

# BESSIEBELLE GUN CLUB

VICTORIA

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

## .. Grand Opening Shoot ..

SATURDAY, 19th NOVEMBER, 1955

Commencing at 12.30 p.m.

No. 1 Event — 5 BIRD EYE-OPENER.

No. 2 Event —

## Trophy Shoot

20 BIRDS

1st Prize — Greener Empire Gun and Case

2nd Prize — Case of Cutlery

3rd Prize — Gent's Travelling Rug

Best 12/13 yarder — Gent's Wrist Watch.

Afternoon Tea on Ground :: Cartridges available

GERALD SHARROCK,  
President.

JOE PYE Junr., Hon. Sec.,  
Broadwater (V.).

ception rather than the rule. If a halt is called among trees, bushes and plantations, it is so simple to find a safe place for your gun that you are entirely to blame should any damage befall it.

As I have pointed out before, much petty damage is done to guns in and about cars. And I have seen good guns treated without any regard for their appearance in this way. In one case I saw a gun by one of our leading makers lying on the floor of a car among other and far less valuable paraphernalia. That, I gathered, was how it travelled—whether the back seats of the car were full or empty. I would never subject one of my old hammer guns to such gross lack of consideration. Of course, I know there are those who regard their guns as tools—just implements for doing a certain job of work. In the case of old worn or very cheap weapons it is their owners' affair and it does not matter economically, though, as I say, I would never treat any gun as a tool. But in the case of expensive high-grade guns, any rough treatment is, in my opinion, little short of a crime.

If I am using a car as a passenger between beats I hold my gun between my knees. But I will say that the modern streamlined car is surely not

the most convenient vehicle for the man with a gun. It does call for care, if not agility, in both entry and exit—if a gun is to be safeguarded against scratches, bruises, even dents. Metal fittings predominate and space is so restricted.

I always prefer to clean my own gun. As the late Payne-Gallwey said, a rough-fisted attendant can work irretrievable harm on a best gun in a matter of minutes. Attendants (rough-fisted or otherwise) are not so numerous today and most men have, in any case, to do their own cleaning. It is probably just as well. Besides, anyone who likes his gun as he should do, should wish to clean it after a day's shooting and take a practical interest in it. Cleaning, indeed, is all part of the day's work, and many a pleasant session have I spent in the gunroom of an evening, going over the events of the day.

Where there are children in a house, the gun-owner should take extra precaution when placing his gun—if the latter is not consigned to a cabinet or gun-case. Children are inclined to meddle, and it will do a gun no good to be moved or handled by ignorant fingers. In the old days the leather loops in the beam across the ceiling provided a safe place.

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## Duck Shooting in Thessaly

By GEOFFREY MOORE  
(in "Shooting Times")

The Voevis marsh in Greece is set in wild, grand country. To the north lies Mount Olympus and the Vale of Tempe. To reach the marsh from war-and-earthquake-scarred Larissa, on the plain of Thessaly, there is a narrow country road which skirts the northern edge of the marsh before winding away into the low, barren hills running down from the Vale of Tempe till they reach the sea below Volos. The marsh itself is some ten miles long by five miles across, and

is dignified by the Greeks with the name of Lake. Wearing a good pair of waders, however, one can traverse it from end to end. The reed-clumps with which it abounds provide no more than indifferent cover for the gun, and this fact may tend to enhance its popularity with the wild-fowl.

Speaking for myself, I found a day out on the marsh with one or two other guns much more enjoyable



# FOOTSCRAY GUN CLUB

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

## OCTOBER 29th:

START 10.30 a.m.  
1st Event — 5 BIRD SINGLE BARREL. Nom., 8/-.  
1st, Trophy; 2nd, Cash.

2nd Event —

## 15 BIRDS HANDICAP (Points Decision)

Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Nom., £1.

3rd Event —

## FOOTSCRAY £50 DERBY

20 BIRDS (10 D.B., 10 S.B.). Nom., £2.  
OTHER EVENTS TO FOLLOW.

## NOVEMBER 12th:

START 1.45 p.m.  
1st Event — 6 BIRD SKEET. Nom., 8/-.  
1st, Trophy; 2nd, Cash.

2nd Event —

## Southern Districts Skeet Championship

20 BIRDS. Nom., 25/-. Optional Sweep.  
1st, Trophy and Sash; 2nd and 3rd Trophies.  
OTHER EVENTS TO FOLLOW.

## NOVEMBER 26th:

1st Event — 5 BIRD S.B. Nom., 8/-. 1st, Trophy; 2nd, Cash.  
2nd Event —

## 20 BIRDS HANDICAP (Points Decision)

1st, 2nd, 3rd and 12/13 yd. Trophies. Nom., £1.  
SKEET EVENTS TO FOLLOW.

## DECEMBER 10th:

START 11 a.m.  
1st Event —

## VICTORIAN INTERMEDIATE SINGLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

20 BIRDS. Nom., 25/-. 1st, Sash and Trophy; 2nd and 3rd Trophies.  
followed by

## XMAS SHOOT

POPULAR EVENTS :: SEASONAL TROPHIES  
Refreshments, etc. Bring the Family

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

L. V. AUSTIN,  
President.

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

than the bigger and better organised shoots. Sometimes we would slip out from Larissa, when the day's work was done, to catch the evening flight, never returning empty-handed.

From time to time the V.I.P.'s in Athens found it necessary to shake down their livers after too much of the night life of the Capital. On such occasions we were called upon to provide them with sport and hospitality. Cartridges were always our own main worry, though they were abundant in Athens, so the wise visitor brought a hundred for his host if he wanted to ensure himself of a warm welcome.

Out of these visits arose a memorable series of shoots, known by such names as "Christmas Bang", "Farewell Bang", and so forth. Farewell Bang, indeed, proved to be the finale, and was also the biggest! It was found possible to assemble thirty-three guns.

The night before Farewell Bang our own small party, consisting of six guns and attendants, set out for the village of Populi, which is at the base of a small valley running up

between the foothills to the north of the Marsh. Here the headman, whose title is dignified in the English translation as The Mayor, was waiting to meet us. He had placed his simple house at our disposal and provided a supper of roast mutton and goats' milk cheese with bread, washed down with the local wine, retsina. These village feasts always had for me the savour of the Homeric legends. Thus may Ulysses have supped with his companions before setting out on some adventure. That night we lay down to sleep on the floor in our warm sleeping bags, for the air was cold.

## Promise of a Fine Day

The next morning broke with a promise of being fine and clear, though cold again. We set out from the village as the first streaks appeared in the east, our host of the night before acting as guide, until we reached the road, across which the marsh began. Strung out in line, we at once entered the reeds, when there was a whirr of wings. We all got in a shot or two, and quickly claimed six birds, mallard and teal.

# PORTLAND GUN CLUB

VICTORIA

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

— OFFICIAL OPENING OF NEW GROUNDS —

**SATURDAY, 12th NOVEMBER, 1955**

at 1.30 p.m.

1st Event — 5 BIRD EYE-OPENER. Comp. Div.  
Nom., 10/-.  
2nd Event —

**£100 - HANDICAP - £100**

15 BIRD, with Trophy attached.

Divided 60%, 30%, 10%. Nom., £3/10/-.

Op. Sweep 15/- — 5/- divided every five birds.

OTHER EVENTS TO FOLLOW.

Afternoon Tea and Cartridges available.

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

HAROLD SMITH, Hon. Sec.

# Hobart Gun Club

BRIGHTON (TAS.)

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

**Saturday, 29th October, 1955**

Commencing 1 p.m.

Event 1 — 5 BIRD D.B. NOVICE 12-YARD TROPHY  
EVENT. Nomination, 5/-.

Event 2 — 5 BIRD TOWER SWEEPSTAKE  
Nomination, 5/-.

Event 3 —

## STATE TOWER CHAMPIONSHIP SHOT

At 20 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL

Nomination, 25/-, and 10/- Optional Sweepstake.  
1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies and Winner's Sash.

(1st Trophy donated by BRIDGES BROS.)

Event 4 —

**£20 HANDICAP, SINGLE BARREL**  
20 BIRDS. Nomination, 20/-.

Event 5 — 10/- SWEEPSTAKES.

J. M. TYQUIN,  
President.

D. BRIDGES,  
Hon. Secretary.

# Hobart Gun Club

BRIGHTON (TAS.)

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

**Saturday, 26th November, 1955**

Commencing 12 noon.

Event 1 — 5 BIRD, 12 and 13 yard Shooters 2 Trophy  
Event. Nomination, 5/-.

Event 2 — 5 BIRD SPARROW S.B. SWEEPSTAKE  
Nomination, 5/-.

Event 3 —

## *.. State ..* *Clay Sparrow Championship*

Shot at 30 BIRDS S.B. off 18 yards.

Nomination, 30/-, and 10/- Optional Sweepstake.  
1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies and Winner's Sash.

Event 4 —

## I.C.I. TROPHY EVENT

At 20 BIRDS D.B. from Handicap.

2nd and 3rd Trophies by Club. Nomination, 20/-.

Event 5 —

— XMAS SHOTS —

TROPHY TO ALL SHOOTERS. Nomination, 2/-.

— LIQUID REFRESHMENTS —

DUE TO SHOTS AT LAUNCESTON, 10th DEC.; BOTH-  
WELL, 17th DEC., AND CRESSY, 26th and 27th DEC., OUR  
NEXT SHOOT IS ON 28th JANUARY, 1956.

J. M. TYQUIN,  
President.

D. BRIDGES,  
Hon. Secretary.



We drove slowly forward, and before long heard the southern party open up from the other end of the marsh. From then on the fowl began to rise in all directions, but out of gun shot for us. This was disappointing, but they made for the hides prepared for the V.I.P.s in the centre.

After a while we halted on a line of rough hides that we had ourselves prepared at an earlier date, and there we waited. The day was indeed going to be a cold one. Suddenly a teal shot by high and fast. As I fired, a bullet sped past my ear. I thought that this was a bit "off", as I had not noticed anyone carrying a rifle as we set off. But I managed to locate the culprit and remonstrated with him.

The southern party were now driving up towards the V.I.P.s and both parties were getting a good number of shots, while we got colder and colder. We decided then to organise our own little drive, principally to get warm. So we set off across an open area, the home of an unusually savage sheep dog, known to us as the Hound of the Baskervilles—a great shaggy fellow with the courage of a hungry wolf. Nobody cared to venture alone into his territory. Sure enough, he was not long in making his presence known, and was accompanied by several other dogs, only less savage than himself. For some reason he selected me for his personal animosity. I kept him covered as he edged round me, and he hanged to any duck that might have risen at that moment!

The volunteer beaters were thrown into the battle, and they soon appeared from away on our right flank, strung out in a long line. It took them quite a long time to approach any of the duck (which kept well out of range, but with the minimum amount of effort to themselves). At last the beaters themselves were out of sight to us.

We began to wonder whether there would be any evening flight after all the disturbance. The "Operation Order" on which the shoot had been conducted, clearly stated, "There will be no withdrawal from the marsh until last light." At 5 o'clock we decided to ignore this in the northern

party and came out of the marsh to find our jeeps. We did not think that the V.I.P.s would miss us, somehow. These "Operation Orders", on which all the Bang series were conducted, were amusing little pieces in themselves, and helped to whet the appetite for what was to come. They were very much to the point, and necessarily, too, with the shoot covering such a wide area that ground control was out of the question. One phrase in the order was, "All birds will be treated as hostile."

Certainly, the V.I.P.s, as well as the southern party, had a very much better day than did we. We quickly shoved our own little contribution to the day's bag into the serried rows of mallard, teal and widgeon that were being laid out at the rendezvous at Larissa. There was a grand total of 396 duck and a dozen geese, pink-footed and grey-lag. Seven of the geese had fallen to one gun, including a right and left. The Grand Master of the shoot consoled our party by saying: "Well, anyway, we couldn't have managed had you not kept them off the top end of the marsh."

I must conclude by recording that, not so long afterwards, a lone shot, out from Larissa on the marsh, found himself surrounded by Communist guerillas instead of wildfowl. He had to count himself fortunate in losing no more than his gun and cartridges, and being allowed to return to Larissa in his jeep.

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"Darling," he said, "I've bought a birthday present for the one I love best. Can you guess what it is?"

And she replied: "A box of cigars."

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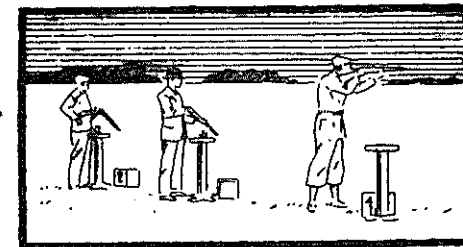
"You say you've been promoted?"

"Yes, I was head of the drop department, but now I'm in charge of the sandwich department."

"What does that mean?"

"The boss used to come around and say, 'Drop whatever you're doing and do this.' Now he says, 'Sandwich this in between whatever you're doing.'"

# AROUND THE CLUBS AND MEETINGS...



**HERBERT RIVER (Qld.), 28/8/55.**—Weather conditions: very strong wind blowing. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: R. Russo, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: R. Russo and A. Di Bartolo, 15/15; T. A. Rotondo, R. Dunstan and S. Di Bartolo, No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: R. Di Bartolo, 10/10; S. Spina, 9/10; T. A. Rotondo, R. Dunstan, G. Spina, 8/10. No. 4, 10-bird Points (3-2): R. Russo and N. Dossetto, 29/30; S. Di Bartolo, 28/30. No. 5, D. Rise, 5 prs.: N. Dossetto, R. Russo, 29/10; G. Girgenti and S. Di Bartolo, 28/10; F. Di Bartolo, 27/10. No. 6, D'ville Doubles, 3 prs.: G. Girgenti and R. Di Bartolo, 4/5.

R. Russo must have been having some outside practice, for he shot most consistently. R. Di Bartolo and N. Dossetto, the club president, found the swinging to the right very troublesome, but otherwise was right on the beam.

(M. Origlasso, Hon. Sec.)

**WONTHAGGI (V.), 27/8/55.**—Weather conditions: bad. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: C. Martyn, F. Booth, M. Mouso, J. Gheller, L. Haddon, L. Flynn, div. No. 2, 5-bird Points: J. Gheller, No. 3, Walk-up (5-bird): J. Gheller, C. Martyn, N. Gannon, R. Johnson, div. No. 4, 10-bird D. & S.: H. Beard, No. 5, 5-bird S.B.: L. Haddon, D. Buggs, F. Hill, div.

Conditions extra bad.

**24/9/55.**—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Points: A. Matelia, M. Kane, B. Cargill, div. No. 2, 5-bird Walk-up: L. Haddon, H. Beard, div. No. 3, Trophy and Sweep (5-bird Pts.): H. Beard, No. 4, 5-bird D. Rise: T. Beard, No. 5, 5-bird S.B.: A. Matelia, H. Beard, J. Hasson.

Weather conditions improving and attendance also.

(M. Cargill, Hon. Sec.)

**COHUNA (V.) (Night Shoot), 30/8/55.**—Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. (C.D.): A. Easton, K. McLoughlan, C. Pettigrove, R. Lunghusen, F. Thrum, A. Simmonds, C. Bowman, J. Pettigrove, A. Kerr, M. Spencer, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: Sweep cut R. Eagle, G. Wilson, R. Lunghusen and O. McLoughlan. Shoot-off for Trophy, O. McLoughlan, 1st; R. Eagle, 2nd. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: A. Easton, E. Keogh, R. Lunghusen, G. Wilson, C. Bowman, J. Pettigrove, A. Dehne, div.

This being our re-opening of night shooting after having been closed down for the winter season, a good attendance of 29 shooters took part. The Ladies' Committee of the Cohuna Gun Club have donated a valuable trophy to the shooter with the best aggregate score over our next six night shoots (main event only) and a good programme has been arranged for the occasion.

**13/9/55.**—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. (C.D.): cut A. Easton, S. Wilson, F. Thrum, A. Chamberlain, A. Dehne, G. Wilson, R. Eagle, C. Pettigrove, J. Poole, R. Lunghusen, R. Farant, Ray Hipwell, J. Pettigrove, V. Kelly, N. Kilpatrick, B. Hahnel, N. Nalder, S. Booth, O. McLoughlan, C. Bowman, No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: Sweep cut A. Easton, S. Wilson, R. Eagle, C. Pettigrove, J. Pettigrove, J. Poole, R. Lunghusen, N. Kilpatrick, N. Nalder, No. 3, 5-bird D.B. (Pts. Dec.): cut R. Lunghusen, S. Booth. Shoot-off for Trophy Event: 1st, N. Nalder; 2nd, J. Pettigrove.

This being our second night shoot after re-opening from the winter season, an extra good crowd of shooters attended, visitors coming from Koondrook-Barham, Birchlip, Kerang, Quambatook Gun Clubs, and some really good shooting took place during the night, and coming into good weather, we look forward to some good shooting, as we have a good programme to shoot off.

(C. J. McLoughlan, Hon. Sec.)

**BOTHWELL (Tas.), 20/8/55.**—Weather conditions: showery. Results: No. 1, Novice: M. A. Cooper, 19/21. No. 2, 10-bird: W. Devine, H. M. Eddington, C. McRae, A. Nelson, F. Baker, div. No. 3, 30-bird: H. M. Eddington, A. Nelson, equal 1st (div. 1st and 2nd prize money); A. Berry, 3rd. No. 4, 10-bird Trophy: A. Berry and E. Nelson, div. 1st and 2nd. No. 5, 5-bird: F. Baker, A. Nelson, A. Berry.

The net proceeds of £19/15/- on event 4 was donated to the Spastic Children's Appeal. (W. Downie, per M. Nelson).

**FRANKSTON (V.), 20/8/55.**—Weather conditions: cool and cloudy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. on Sth. M. Hamilton, N. Miller, N. Ryland, I. Twyerould, R. C. Blackwell, G. McComb, R. Horwood, No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: div. 5/5, M. Hamilton, I. Twyerould, A. McComb, No. 3, 20-bird Mixed Birds C'ship: I. Twyerould, 29/29; M. Ham-

# Kaniva Gun Club

VICTORIA

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

... DAY AND NIGHT SHOOT ...

**Saturday, 12th November, 1955**

Commencing 10.30 a.m.

Event No. 1—5 BIRD EYE-OPENER. Nom., 10/-.  
Compulsory Division.

Event No. 2—

**15 BIRD D.B. HANDICAP**

Trophies to value

**£170**

1st Trophy, Healing 240 V. Radiogram valued at £130.  
2nd, £20; 3rd, £10; 12/13 and 14/15 yd. Trophies.  
Nom., £3/10/- 10/- Op. Sweep.

NIGHT—commencing 7.30 sharp.

**10 BIRD D.B. HANDICAP**

**£75**

**PRIZE MONEY**

Div. 60, 30, 10. Nom., £2. 10/- Op. Sweep.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

The Committee reserves the right to alter the programme.

Cartridges, Refreshments on ground. Public Booth.

Any shooter requiring accommodation please contact the Pres.  
or Sec.

REG E. MEYER, President.  
Phone: Kaniva 31K.

A. M. McDONALD, Hon. Sec.  
Private Bag, Kaniva.  
Phone: Miram 18R.

ilton, 28/29; R. C. Blackwell, 17/18. No. 4.  
5-bird D.B.; I. Twyerould, N. Miller, 8/8.

Congratulations go once again to Ian Twyerould for once again winning a club championship. This day produced some fine shooting from Ian, who not only won the Championship, but shared the first prizes in the other three events.

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

RAINBOW (V.), 27/8/55 (Night Shoot).—  
Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1.  
div. 19 shooters. No. 2, Trophy: J. Wishart,  
85/85; 2nd, S. Drendel, 84/85; 3rd, K. Wish-  
art, 58/59. No. 3, Miss-out: div. J. Wishart  
and G. Batson, 18/18.

Our very staunch supporter and former  
secretary, Joe Wishart, had a royal night,  
breaking 110 clays and establishing a new  
record for our ground. Syd Drendel, a local,  
had a good night also and shot his first 50  
straight and eventually running up 84/85.  
Kevin Wishart also procured his first 50  
straight and ran third in this event.  
(Worrall Dunn, Hon. Sec.)

ALEXANDRA (V.).—The annual trout  
opening day shoot on Sept. 3rd was a very  
successful and happy day despite extremely  
bad weather conditions with frequent heavy  
rain. All present were in happy mood and  
the goodwill and friendliness among all was  
a feature of the day, remarked on by many.  
Cal Hollow of I.C.I. brought along three  
visiting New Zealand shooters, and they were  
kind in their remarks on the hospitality ex-  
tended and seemed to enjoy their visit to the  
country area, as well as providing a good  
exhibition of shooting and adding to the  
social success of the day.

The gathering was a very representative  
one, and the President welcomed visitors  
from all Melbourne clubs, Shepparton,  
Echuca, Wangaratta, Glenrowan, Mansfield,  
Yea, and local shooters, as well as the New  
Zealand boys. In his address of welcome the  
President made special mention of Kel Lowry  
and Sel Power, "founders" of this annual  
shoot, and for whom the club put on a  
special shoot many years ago when they  
came to Alexandra to fish. From that small  
courtesy day has developed one of the club's  
major shoots, always one of the happiest of  
the year and always strongly supported by  
Coburg Club members, and never yet have  
Kel and Sel been absent. Should that day  
when the "twins" fail to appear ever come,  
the whole club will regard it as a major  
catastrophe.

The main event of the day, Club D.B.  
C'ship, resulted in a very popular win for  
Dick Wightman, who always shoots in top  
form at Alexandra and has had many suc-  
cesses here. A feature of the shoot-off was  
that both finalists missed two birds each  
during the ten rounds of five. Eventually  
"Dick", after almost giving his many sup-  
porters heart failure by frequent use of his  
second barrel, won his way to the sash,  
68/70, from Roly Bailey, 67/70. Doug Ware-  
ham of New Zealand shot really well and  
Barry Doyle was the outstanding local shoot-  
er. The ladies pleasantly looked after the  
afternoon tea and great praise is due to them  
for their welcome assistance on such a bleak  
day. Forty-six shooters contested the C'ship.  
Ladies' trophy was won by Mrs. Don Glover.

Results: Event 1, 5-bird D.B. (C.D.): D.  
Glover (Coburg), E. Lawton (Shepparton),  
S. Power (Coburg), R. Williamson, C. Mud-



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# Portarlington Gun Club

VICTORIA

19 Miles from Geelong.

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

## State Double Barrel Clay Sparrows Championship

THREE CHAMPIONSHIPS

SATURDAY, 26TH NOVEMBER, 1955

Commencing 12.30 p.m.

Event No. 1 — 5 BIRD D.B. SPARROW. Comp. Div.  
Nom., 10/-.

Event No. 2 —

## Club Single Barrel Clay Sparrows Championship

15 BIRDS — 16 YARDS

Four Trophies. Op. Sweepstake, 10/- Nom., 25/-.

Event No. 3 —

## VICTORIAN DOUBLE BARREL CLAY SPARROWS CHAMPIONSHIP

30 BIRDS — 18 YARDS. Sash and 4 Trophies. Nom., 30/-.

Event No. 4 —

## Bellerine Peninsula Walk-Up Championship

20 BIRDS. 4 Trophies. Nom., 25/-.

OPTIONAL SWEEPSTAKES ON ALL EVENTS.

Refreshments — Afternoon Tea — Hot Dogs  
Cartridges available.

R. JORGENSEN,  
Portarlington.

ferd (Coburg), G. Bett (Yea), R. Adams (Echuca), G. Thompson (Shepparton), Fred Byers (C/Well), G. McLeod (Shepparton), F. Skate (Aust.), "Dick" (C/Well), W. R. Johns (C/Well), G. Cookson, C. Leatham (Mansfield), R. Savage (N.Z.), H. Peters (Mansfield), D. Wareham (N.Z.), K. Cameron (Mansfield), Luke Doyle, Rob Cumming, Ian Cumming, M. Ferrari (Mansfield), R. Bailey, A. Bailey (Glenrowan), R. Grossman (Wangaratta), Barry Doyle, 5/5. Event 2, Club D.B. C'ship (20 birds): possibles to D. Glover, K. Lowry, C. Mudford, Fred Byers, W. R. Johns, "Dick", Ian Anderson (Yea), D. Wareham, E. Lawton, R. Bailey, Barry Doyle, 20/20. Shoot-off resulted: 1st, "Dick" (T. R. Wightman, C/Well), 68/70; 2nd, R. Bailey (Glenrowan), 67/70; 3rd, E. Lawton (Shepparton), 44/45; Visitors' Trophy, D. Wareham (N.Z.), 39/40; Local Trophy, Barry Doyle, 34/35; 12/14 yd., Ian Anderson (Yea), 24/25.

Club thanks to all for co-operation and assistance and for doing so much to make a splendid social day.

(Luke Doyle, Correspondent.)

TAMWORTH (N.S.W.), 27/8/55.—Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: R. Moore, C. Cooper, W. Green, I. Reid, J. Simpson, D. York, J. York, J. Wellard, A. Smith, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird Points: J. York, D. Green, 30/30; I. Reid, 27/30, best 12 yd. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. Trophy: J. York, 1st, 36/36; R. Moore, 2nd, 35/36; W. J. Simpson, 34/35, best 12 yd. No. 4, Mixed Birds (5 sparrows D.B., 5 prs. D. Rise): 9 div., 9/10.

Congratulations to D. Green on his good performance for a new shooter, who should do well in future shoots. The shoot was attended by shooters from Tambar Spring, Armidale, Quirindi, Manilla.

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

HOBART (Tas.), 27/8/55.—Weather conditions: fine and windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Novice: 1st, A. W. Laphorne; 2nd, R. Ware; 3rd, H. Taylor. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: div. D. Bridges, R. Andrews, W. R. Morgan, E. Nelson, L. Warren, A. Birchall, N. Frith, W. Rainbird, W. Devine, H. Eddington. No. 3, 40-bird 16 yd. G. Prix; 1st, S. Marshall; 2nd, G. Gourlay. No. 4, 10-bird £1 H'cap Sweep: div. E. Marshall, W. R. Morgan, A. Birchall, N. Frith, W. Rainbird, G. Gourlay, J. Tyquin, H. M. Eddington, E. Nelson, H. Taylor.

Geoff Gourlay broke 75 straight.

GRIFFITH (N.S.W.), 27/8/55.—Although conditions for gun shooting were ideal, scores in general were disappointing. The main trophy saw only two possibles, Eric Evans and Wally Rowe. Displaying the grand form which earned him third place in the year's International Team amongst Australia's best shooters, Eric (25/25) carried too many guns for Wally (24/25), who had to be content with second place, with Kelly Cotterill third (24/26). Other events were as follows: 5-bird D.B.: A. Tyack, M. Webb, A. Patten, H. Sim, 5/5. 10-bird D.B.: G. Sertori, H. Sim, M. Webb, div., 9/10. 10-bird S.B.: K. Cotterill, P. Stott, W. Rowe, H. Tyack, H. Sim, div., 9/10.

10/9/55.—Conditions were ideal for gun shooting, and although no possibles were recorded in the main event, results, after a shoot-off, were as follows: Phil Stott, 1st, 32/34; Bill Gibbs, 2nd, 32/34; Graham Barber, 3rd, 32/34. Yvonne Campbell was the

lucky winner of the Ladies' Trophy. Other events were as follows: 5-bird D.B.: Reg McNamara, Bill Gibbs, Phil Stott, Cyril Hicken, Kel Cotterill, Joe Sertori, W. Rowe, div., 5/5. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: Reg McNamara, 10/10. No. 4, 10-bird S.B.: No possibles in this event, div., R. McNamara, P. Stott, W. Gibbs, 9/10. Off the Box (25 yds.), one star: div. R. McNamara and K. Cotterill.

Afternoon tea served by the ladies was excellent, as usual.

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

ROCKHAMPTON (Qld.). — Rockhampton G.C. Centenary shoot, held over 28th, 29th and night of 31st August, was a great success in every way. Shooters came from Texas, Riverside, Dalby, Boonah, Clermont, Barcaldine, Aramac, Cunnamulla and Brisbane and South Coast. Strong and gusty winds prevailed throughout both days, making conditions tricky, nevertheless shooting was of a particularly high standard, as the following results will show:

Day Shoot, 28th Aug.—No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: 16 div., 10/10. No. 2, £250 H'cap (50-bird D.B.): G. King (Rockhampton), D. Law (Cunnamulla), 50/50, div.; 3rd, W. Moore (Dalby), 49/50. No. 3, £200 30-bird H'cap D.B.: W. Moore (Dalby), A. Seis (Dalby), 30/30, div.; L. Mace (Rockhampton).

The highlights of this day's shooting were the excellent scores returned by W. Moore, shooting 89 birds out of a possible 90, and D. Russel, 88/90. W. Moore included in his score a straight break of 55. Other straight breaks on the day were compiled by G. King, 62; D. Law, 52, and C. Burns, 55.

Day Shoot, 29th Aug.—No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Pts. (3-2): 6 div., 30/30 pts. No. 2, £250 H'cap (50 birds D.B. Pts. 3-2): T. Chandler (Texas), F. Appleton (Clermont), div. 146/150 pts.; 3rd, N. McGillp (Dalby), 145/150 pts. No. 3, 30-bird S.B.: A. Lisle, D. Russel, T. Chandler, 29/30.

The highlights over this day's shoot were as follows: W. Moore continued his break to finish with 62, and the following shooters broke over 50 straight: W. Bartley, 67; T. Chandler, 52; D. Russel, 77; L. Mace, 62.

High Gun Trophy.—This trophy was decisively won by Rockhampton shooter, D. Russel, with the excellent aggregate of 176 kills out of a possible 180. D. Russel's break of 77 straight over the two days were all single-barrel kills, which gives a good indication of his prowess.

Night Shoot, 31st Aug.—No. 1, 10-bird S.B.: B. Nasser, G. King, H. Morris, L. Mace, 10/10. No. 2, Cent. Qld. S.B. Night C'ship (20 birds off 16 yds.): In this event Rockhampton shooters W. Bartley and D. Russel shot the possible 20/20. The shoot-off went to W. Bartley in the first round with a possible 5/5; D. Russel, 2nd, 4/5; A. Seis, 3rd, 19/20, after winning a shoot-off with C. Burns and L. Mace. W. Bartley, in winning this event, completed a double, as he recently won the C.Q. D.B. Night C'ship held here last Carnival.

An interesting feature of the shoot was the participation in all events by Mrs. T. Chandler of Texas. Although many women participate in shoots in the south, it is seldom Rockhampton has the pleasure of seeing them in action, particularly one of Mrs. Chandler's ability. Shooting from a handicap of 15 yards, she made many a male member look to his laurels. The club would like to

# Donald Gun Club

VICTORIA

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

**SATURDAY, 5th NOVEMBER, 1955**

## WIMMERA NIGHT DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

20 Birds from 16 yds. Three Trophies and Sash.

**DAY AND NIGHT SHOOT**

**SATURDAY, 3rd DECEMBER, 1955**

Commencing 1 p.m.

Event No. 1 —

### Wimmera Deauville Doubles

20 Pairs of Birds from 16 yards.

Event No. 2 —

**£50 HANDICAP**

10 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL. Handicap Marks.

Nom., £2. Div. 60%, 30%, 10%.

**NIGHT SHOOT**

Commencing 7.30 p.m.

Event No. 1 —

## Commonwealth Night Mixed Birds Championship

Three Trophies and Sash.

Nom., £1/15/-, with 10/- Op. Sweepstake.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

Book early for accommodation. Contact—

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Phone 54N.

take this opportunity of sincerely thanking all visiting shooters for their support.  
(R. Graham, Publicity.)

**LEARMONTH (V.), 27/8/55 (Day).** — Weather conditions: excellent. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: P. Dobbie, A. E. Smith, M. Luhrs, W. Coutts, N. Paterson, J. Kinnersly, A. Finlayson, R. Waring, C. Campbell, H. Waring. No. 2, 15-bird D.B.: H. Waring, 1st, 32/32; K. Severino, 2nd, 31/32; 12/13 yds., F. Waring; 14/15 yds., W. Coutts; 16/17 yds., G. Drife; 18/19 yds., M. Luhrs. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: W. Coutts, T. G. Drife, G. Drife, N. Paterson, all 33/33. No. 4, 5-bird Points: H. Waring, T. G. Drife, R. Waring, 15/15. Trophy, Novice: F. Walters.

The football finals kept a few shooters away today, but we had a good attendance; they came from Newlyn, Westmere, Clunes, Ballarat and Gordon. Congratulations from all present went to H. Waring of Willaura Club, who shot 52 straight to win a 50-break badge. Ladies' trophy on the main event went to Mrs. Walters of Ballarat. Afternoon tea as usual.

**7/9/55 (Night).** — Weather conditions: wet after 10 p.m. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Points: W. Coutts, R. Butler, M. Luhrs, N. Paterson, G. Kirkpatrick, R. Lemke, D. McLean, J. Ludbrook, R. Eason, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. (4 equal Trophies): C. D. Keith, A. Donovan, W. Coutts, R. Eason, div. 19/19. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. (4 equal Trophies): K. Severino, W. Coutts, R. Eason, G. Kirkpatrick, 17/17, div. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: div. E. Bevan and G. Kirkpatrick.

There was a good attendance of shooters, 32 in all, from Ballarat, Westmere, Clunes and Beaufort. Supper as usual.

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

**TOWNSVILLE (Qld.), 28/8/55.** — Shooting conditions were far from ideal for the clay pigeon shoot held by the Townsville Gun Club on Sunday. A strong south-east wind prevailed and conditions really tested all competitors. 5-bird S.B.: A. Smith and J. Valenta, div. 1st and 2nd; J. Maguire, 3rd. 5-bird S.B.: G. Valenta, T. Comerford, W. Hughes and F. Chapman, div. £10 H'cap (10-bird D.B.): G. Jaques, T. Comerford, S. Horwood, J. Carrington and O. Kropp, div. 5-bird S.B.: T. Comerford, J. Longworth, W. Hughes, T. Clay and D. Peberdy, div. Double Bird, 3 prs.: T. Comerford, R. Turner, O. Knopp, J. Longworth and E. McKimmin, div. D'ville Doubles, 3 prs.: T. Comerford and K. Miskin, D. Peberdy and G. Blackman, W. Horwood and K. Miskin, div.

(F. Blackman, Hon. Sec.)

**MACARTHUR (V.), 27/8/55.** — Weather conditions: wet and windy. Results: No. 1, Comp. Div.: L. Millard, G. Mitchell, J. Beaumont, F. Taylor, L. Rundell, J. Pye, J. Watson, T. Laidlaw, 5/5. No. 2, £20 H'cap Novelty: div. W. Cummings, L. Millard, L. Hodge, 14/15. No. 3, D'ville Dbls., 5 pr.: div. S. Ford and Taylor, T. Laidlaw and L. Hodge, R. Wythe and L. Rundell, W. Muir and L. Millard, W. Cumming and J. Kinghorn, and S. Ford and J. Beaumont, 5/5 prs. No. 4, Miss-out (25 yds.): div. W. Cumming, J. Kinghorn, J. Beaumont, L. Rundell, S. Ford, L. Hodge, 8th round.

Attendance was very satisfactory. Some good shooting was witnessed during the afternoon, especially in Deauville Doubles and Miss-out sweeps. Afternoon tea supplied by Hospital ladies was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

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



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# BARELLAN GUN CLUB

NEW SOUTH WALES

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

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29th, 1955

Commencing 10.30 a.m.

## THREE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Event 1 — 5 BIRD EYE-OPENER.

Event 2 —

### *Central Riverina* *Double Barrel Championship*

Event 3 —

### Barellan Gun Club Championship

(Limited to members of Barellan Gun Club residing within 50-mile radius of Barellan.)

Event 4 —

### *Central Riverina* *Double Rise Championship*

OTHER SHOOTs IF TIME PERMITS.

— Two Traps will be in use —

The usual Championship Sashes for winners, also  
1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies.

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G. E. MORRIS, Secretary,  
Phone 28 or 4, Barellan.

ROYAL AERO CLUB (N.S.W.), 13/8/55.  
— Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: div. J. Crowne, R. Croft, G. Nichols, R. Faunt, J. McPhee, I. Constable, C. Michael and W. Reid, 10/10. No. 2, 15-bird D.B. H'cap Point Score: 1st, C. Michael, 15/45; 2nd and 3rd, div. F. Hudson and R. Croft, 15/44. No. 3, Royal Aero Club of N.S.W. Walk-up C'ship (20-bird D.B.): 1st, F. Hudson, 16/20; 2nd, W. Chapman, 14/20; 2nd, I. Constable, 15/20; 3rd, W. Chapman, 14/20. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. (25): 1st and 2nd, div. J. Hill, I. Constable, 20/20; 3rd, 4th and 5th, div. R. Beadle, J. Crowne, F. Hudson, W. Reid and C. Tickle, 19/20. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: div. I. Constable, J. Hill, W. Chapman and C. Michael, 10/10.

20/8/55—Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. E. Ginty and C. Gibbons, 5/5. No. 2, 15-bird D.B.: div. L. Hughes, A. J. Baker, C. Gibbons and A. E. Gillett, 15/15. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. H'cap Sparrows: 1st, A. J. Baker, 10/10; 2nd and 3rd, div. C. Gibbons, R. Thompson, G. Ryan, W. Chapman, A. E. Gillett, 9/10. No. 4, 20-bird D.B.: 1st, A. Baker, 21/21; 2nd, E. Ginty, 20/21. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. Walk-up: 1st, G. Ryan, 8/10; 2nd and 3rd, R. MacNamara, A. J. Baker and C. Gibbons, 7/10.

Visitors included G. Ryan (Werribee, V.), R. MacNamara (Griffith), A. J. Baker (Tumut) and Dr. H. Lee (Wollongong).

27/8/55.—Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: div. P. Hudson, E. Brown, W. Rutt, C. Michael, C. Nichols, F. Hudson, A. Hancock, R. Melville and R. Thompson, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. (20): div. C. Michael, A. Hancock, R. Thompson and L. C. Wykes, 20/20. No. 3, 20-bird County of Cumberland D.B. C'ship (Sash and Trophies): L. C. Wykes, 35/35; 2nd, E. Brown, 33/35; 3rd, C. Michael, 29/30. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Walk-up: div. M. Smith and B. McLeod, 9/10; 3rd, div. J. Neeld, W. Rutt, W. Craig, F. Hudson and R. Melville, 7/10.

Visitors included A. Hancock and R. Melville (Newcastle), G. Ryan (Werribee, V.), E. Brown (Bourke), D. Gates (Wilcannia) and R. Webb (Wollongong).

3/9/55.—Weather conditions: fine, windy. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Eye-opener: div. C. Nichols, J. Catt, W. Reid and R. Croft, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird County of Cumberland Walk-up C'ship (Sash, Trophies and Sweep): 1st, E. Brown, 14/20; 2nd, L. C. Wykes, 15/25; 3rd, W. Craig, 17/30; Sweep, div. A. E. Gillett, W. Craig, L. C. Wykes, 12/20. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. H'cap (Trophy and Sweep): 1st, L. C. Wykes, 64/64; 2nd, E. Brown, 63/64; 3rd, Mrs. G. Fitzpatrick, 23/24; Sweep, div. Mrs. G. Fitzpatrick, W. Reid, L. Wykes, E. Brown, 20/20. No. 4, 30-bird D.B. (Prac. for State Team Shoot): 12/16 yds., 1st, N. Townsend, 32/35; 2nd, J. Hill, 31/35; 17/25 yds., 1st, R. Thompson, 31/31; 2nd, W. Craig, 30/31; Sweep, 1st, R. Thompson, 30/30, and C. Nichols, 28/30; 3rd, div. E. Bullen, H. Townsend, J. Hill and L. C. Wykes, 27/30.

10/9/55.—Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. T. Livesey, R. Thompson, R. Hall, W. Craig, A. J. Baker and A. L. Ray, 5/5. No. 2, 30-bird D.B.: 1st, A. L. Ray, 30/30; 2nd, Mrs. G. Fitzpatrick, 29/30; 3rd, G. West, 23/30; best 12/14 yds., J. Finlayson, 27/30. No. 3, 20-bird D.B.: 1st, W. Chapman, 20/20; 2nd, W. Reid, 19/20; 3rd, cut J. Finlayson, A. Baker, R. Thompson and L. C. Wykes, 18/

20. No. 4, 40-bird D.B. (Prac. State Team Shoot, 16 yds.): 12/16 yds., S. Scattergood, 38/40; 17/25 yds., L. C. Wykes, 39/40. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: div. W. Craig and O. D. Phelps, 10/10.

Visitors: R. Hall (Wagga), A. J. Baker (Tumut) and O. D. Phelps (Carinda).

24/9/55.—Weather conditions: fine, windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. W. Craig and C. Gibbons, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird S.B. H'cap: 1st, G. King, 10/10. No. 3, 20-bird Skeet (Graded): Grade "A", R. Thompson, 12/20; Grade "B", W. Reid, 14/20; Grade "C", J. Fitzpatrick, 10/20. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. H'cap: 1st, R. Thompson, 20/20; 2nd, W. Reid, 19/20; 3rd, C. Gibbons, 18/20. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: div. R. Thompson and N. Chapman, 10/10.

Visitors included H. Sweeney (Camberwell, V.) and G. King (Rockhampton, Qld.). The initial hesitancy about skeet having been overcome, the shoot was enjoyed by all.

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

KATANNING (W.A.), 4/9/55.—No. 1, 20-pr. D'ville Doubles: 1st, D. Hilton and K. Norrish; 2nd, E. Brown and W. Makeham. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, E. Clegg, 15/15; 2nd, N. Beeck, 14/15.

The Deauville Doubles was shot in pleasant weather conditions. Four pairs reached the shoot-off, which was finally won by D. Hilton and K. Norrish.

11/9/55.—No. 1, 30-bird D.B.: 1st, E. Brown; 2nd, T. S. Young. High Gun: M. Crossley, 30/30. No. 2, 10-bird: 1st, D. K. Norrish.

Steady rain during the early part of the afternoon held up shooting until quite late. Mike Crossley shot well to break 30 straight.

18/9/55.—Results: No. 1, 20-bird Skeet: 1st, Con Kowald. High Gun: M. Crossley, 18/20. No. 2, 30-bird D.B.: 1st, John Hether; 2nd, J. Clegg; 3rd, G. Downer. High Gun: T. Young, 30/30.

The final of the Club Championship was concluded in perfect weather conditions, and a very fine perpetual championship trophy was won by T. S. Young. There were several visiting shooters from the Kojonup Club, and Tony Cusack won the visitors' trophy.

(David Anderson, Hon. Sec.)

ROBINVALE (V.), 3/9/55.—Weather conditions: fine and windy. Results: No. 1, 5 pr. D. Rise: 1st, Col Barnes, 5/5 pr.; C. Purdue, K. Barnes, A. W. Barnes, 4/5. No. 2, 5 pr. D. Rise: C. Purdue, 5/5 pr.; 1st, A. W. Barnes, 4/5 pr.; 2nd, No. 3, Murray Valley D. Rise C'ship: V. Barnes, 1st, 11/15 pr.; C. Purdue, 2nd, 10/15 pr.; R. Litchfield, 3rd, 9/15 pr. No. 4, 450 H'cap (20 birds Pts. Dec.): L. Richardson and A. W. Barnes, div. 1st and 2nd, 56/60 pts.; D. Cahill, 55/60, 3rd. No. 5, Miss-out: F. Riggs and S. Lay, div., 8/8.

Night.—No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: P. Ross-Luppin, F. Riggs, A. W. Barnes, N. Guy, R. Litchfield, S. Lay, div., 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: F. Riggs, A. W. Barnes, M. Telford, div., 10/10. No. 3, 450 Trophy (15 birds): V. Barnes, 19/19, 1st; R. Litchfield, 18/19, 2nd; N. Domaille, 15/16, 3rd.

Once again Mildura shooters were to the fore. V. Barnes was successful in taking the Murray Valley Double Rise Championship and at night the main trophy event also went to this young shooter. Two visiting shooters in N. Guy and D. Cahill voted it a good day's shooting. Many thanks to our

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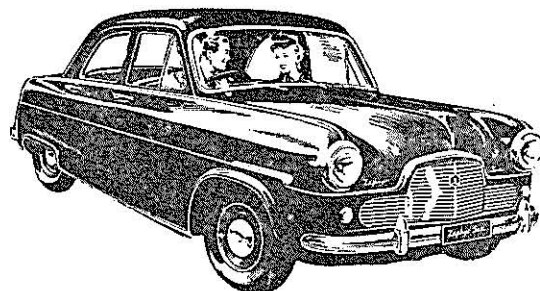
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17/9/55. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: P. Ross-Luppin, N. Domaille, R. Barr, S. Lay, R. Litchfield, 10/10, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, S. Lay, 19/19; 2nd, R. Litchfield, 18/19; M. Telford, 3rd, 14/16. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, S. Lay, 19/19; 2nd, R. Litchfield, 18/19; 3rd, C. Cameron, 17/18. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: R. Litchfield, S. Lay, div., 10/10.

Congratulations to one of our new shooters, S. Lay, on shooting through the programme without missing a bird, and finished with 58 straight kills.

(N. Domaille, Hon. Sec.)

ISISFORD (Qld.), 4/9/55. — Weather conditions: ideal. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: No shoot-off. No. 2, Wakefield Cup (20-bird D.B. Pts. 3-2): R. Marks, 1st, 20/20; F. Aitcheson and B. Millar, 2nd; M. Blayden, best 12 yarder. No. 3, 30-bird D.B.: J. Walker, 1st, 30/30; R. Hannah, 2nd, 30/30; Pam Coxon, 3rd, 29/30. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Pts. (3-2): J. Walker, 1st, 10/10; Brittain, P. Coxon, Hannah and J. Anderson, 2nd, 9/10. No. 5, 20-bird S.B.: Pam Coxon, 1st, 20/20; C. Fielder, 2nd, 20/20; I. Wehl, 3rd, 19/20. No. 6, 20-bird D.B. Sparrow: W. Newton, 1st, 19/20; C. Fielder, 2nd, 18/20; W. Brittain, 3rd, 17/20.

Congratulations due to Pam Coxon on winning the Headrick Cup, also gained her 50 break, losing only 7 points all day. A very successful shoot, with good results from most shooters and pleasing to see so many visitors, although our own club members won all events.

(Mrs. Esther Dowie, Hon. Sec.)

GOONDIWINDI (Qld.), May 14, 15, 16 — 3-day Shoot, 1955. — The weather conditions were excellent and, as will be seen, were conducive to very good shooting, scores being close to record in the number of breaks made in any one shoot of this size. The number of shooters present, namely 85, was a record for Goondiwindi and it speaks well for the Committee that the whole shoot went very smoothly over the existing two traps, with little or no delay in shooting for any reason at all.

Results: 1st, Day, May 14. — No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: 60 shooters, div. 19, 5/5. No. 2, Qld. S.B. C'ship (30 birds, 18 yds.): 60 shooters — won by H. Crothers, 30/30; 2nd, E. Geary, 52/55; 3rd, W. Hughes, 51/55; best 12 ydr., J. Tomkins, 25/30. No. 3, £75 H'cap (increased to £90), 20-bird D.B. (65 shooters): div. N. Thomas, A. McIntosh, D. Scowcroft, D. Webster, H. T. Siddins, T. Chandler, R. Middleton, B. Moodie, J. Crothers, J. Flood, A. Lillyman, Sam Raymond, B. Burton, J. Cockfield and J. Tomkins, 20/20. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. Trophy (66 shooters): W. Turner, 1st, 97/97; H. Crothers, 2nd, 96/97; J. Crothers, 3rd, 80/81; best 13/14 ydr., S. Stewart, 37/38; best 12 ydr., C. Matthews, 64/65. Breaks on 1st day were: C. Matthews, 69; S. Raymond, 82; H. Crothers, 96; W. Turner, 111 (unfinished).

2nd Day, May 15. — No. 1, 5-bird D/D. (79 shooters): div. 53, 5/5. No. 2, 60-bird D.B. H'cap, £150 (80 shooters): div. D. Webster, G. P. Wickham, Sam Raymond, J. Cockfield, C. Stewart, J. York and J. Tomkins, 60/60; 12/13 ydr., div. D. Park and T. Tattam, 58/60. Breaks in this day shooting, or continued from previous day were: W. Turner, 121; C. Stewart, 79; G. P. Wickham, 84 (unfin.);

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## GREAT SOUTHERN DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

20 Birds from 16 yards.

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3rd Day, May 16. — No. 1, 5-bird D.B. (53 shooters): div. 36, 5/5. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. H'cap, £60 (55 shooters): div. R. Moore, H. B. Wade, G. P. Wickham, Sam Raymond, J. Fryer, L. Lillyman, S. Kirkby, W. Hughes, F. Hudson, T. Chandler, R. Middleton, J. Crothers, T. Montgomery, W. Marshall, N. McGilp, 20/20. No. 3, 20-bird Pts. H'cap Trophy (57 shooters): 1st, Sam Raymond, 108/108 pts.; 2nd, J. York, 107/108 pts.; 3rd, G. P. Wickham, 98/99 pts.; best 12 ydr., J. Tomkins, 68/69 pts. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. H'cap Trophy (58 shooters): 1st, Sam Raymond, 77/77; R. Middleton, 76/66; M. Fuller, 61/62. G. P. Wickham, 151; H. B. Wade, 112; W. Green, 68; T. Montgomery, 57.

A club shoot was held at the grounds on Sunday, 31st July, but weather conditions had made the roads hard to travel on and the attendance was affected. No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. "Pee Wee", L. Raymond, J. Flood, A. Lillyman, L. Lillyman, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird S.B. (off 16 yds.): div. "Pee Wee", N. Danes, R. Thorsborne, J. Flood, A. Lillyman, 9/10. No. 3, S.B. Club C'ship: "Pee Wee", 20/20; H. B. Wade, 19/20; R. Park, 30/32; best 12 ydr., J. McLean, 14/20. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. Trophy: S. J. O'Shea, 20/20; A. Lillyman, 46/47; J. Flood, 45/47; best 12/14 ydr., R. Park, 42/44. No. 5, 20-bird D.B. Trophy: N. Danes, 37/38; A. Lillyman, 36/38; R. Park, 26/27. Novice Trophy: C. Harrison, 17/20. No. 6, 10-bird S.B.: div. "Pee Wee", N. Danes, R. Thorsborne, C. Harrison. No. 7, 10-bird D.B.: div. "Pee Wee", L. Raymond, S. J. O'Shea, A. Lillyman, L. Lillyman.

(Reg Thorsborne, Pub. Officer.)

ILLAWARRA (N.S.W.), 10/9/55.—Weather conditions: beautiful. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: div. 13 shooters. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. C'ship (from 16 yds.): F. Hudson; 2nd, J. Waples; best 12/14 ydr., A. Rowley. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: F. Hudson; 2nd, A. Vost; best 12/14 ydr., N. Phillips.

A wonderful day's shooting was had by all on a very nice day, where there was no wind. Some very good scores were recorded, including 111 straight in winning the District D.B. C'ship. Visitors included A. Vost, F. Vost, T. Muller, J. Collins, F. Hudson, E. Bullen, D. Osborne, M. Fucker.

(R. Webb, Hon. Sec.)

NEWCASTLE (N.S.W.), 20/8/55.—Weather conditions: dull and windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: J. Edwards, J. Fryer, N. Williams, R. Melville, D. Scowcroft, I. Hoare, K. Pierpoint, div., 5/5. No. 2, Trophy (20-bird Pts.): A. Hancock, 60/60; 2nd, div. J. Fryer, R. Melville, D. Scowcroft. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: div. L. Engel, T. Edmeads. No. 4, 5-bird D. Rise: A. Hancock, K. Pierpoint, div., 5 pr. each. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: K. Pierpoint, L. Engel, div., 10/10.

Shooting on the whole very poor, although weather conditions weren't the best. Alwin Hancock must be congratulated on winning the W. R. Clarke Trophy. As this was the third time Alwin has won this event, he now keeps the very nice cup. Congratulations must also go to Ken Pierpoint as being the most improved shooter in the club today.

3/9/55.—Weather conditions: fine, no wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: R. Hall, I. Eather, L. Engel, D. Scowcroft, A. Hancock, R. Melville, W. Thoroughgood, T. Edmeads, K. Pierpoint, L. Woolley, div., 5/5. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Trophy: R. Melville, 20/20. No.

3, 5-bird S.B. Jack Pot: J. Edwards, 9/9. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: J. Edwards, J. Fryer, D. Scowcroft, A. Hancock, R. Melville, R. Scobie, N. Mitchell, div., 10/10.

Congratulations to R. Melville in Trophy win. Also very pleasing to note that the front-markers are starting to get a mention in the winning section. Thanks are also extended to the visiting shooters from Abermain and Tea Garden Clubs. The Ladies' Auxiliary served afternoon tea, which was appreciated by all. Keep up the good work, girls. Yellow-band clays are proving a big success against the dark background, and with the new trap operating, we hope for some good scores in the future.

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

YASS (N.S.W.).—Yass club shot a double championship shoot on Sat., Sept. 11, at the Tulla Park grounds, and for the first time in quite a while had a really glorious day. Both shoots were Club Championships, Double Rise and Deauville Doubles. A feature of the Double Rise shoot being that it was won by a vice-president, and President, W. B. Grogan, won the shoot-off for runner-up and second trophy.

No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: div. Col Shannon, Leo Grogan, J. A. Medway, Gordon Reed, Joe Weir and T. Frost, 10/10. T. Frost, who was making an appearance for the first time, was congratulated on scoring in his first competition. A very difficult left-hand bird, and a right one that did some unpredictable things, had most shooters in trouble in the Club Double Rise Championship, 10 prs. It was anyone's shoot until the last shot, and the results then gave Gordon Reed, our Publicity Officer and a Vice-President, an outright win; 2nd, div. Harold Connell, W. B. Grogan, Doug Shannon, Bill Warren and Harold Heat, and in a 5-pair shoot-off, W. B. Grogan took 2nd. 11 pairs of shooters faced the mark for the Club Deauville's, and once again the trap was throwing some really tough pairs. Only two pairs recorded the possible, 10/10, and as a result, Leo Grogan and Bill Warren faced a shoot-off with J. A. Medway and Harold Heat. The end came very quickly, and J. A. Medway and Harold Heat won 2nd; Leo Grogan and Bill Warren were accorded a special Scotch liquid prize (bottled) by Club Secretary, Bruce James. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: 7 possibles, Col. Shannon, H. Connell, Leo Grogan, Ian Penman, J. A. Medway, Alan Bradley and Gordon Reed, div. Box Sweep: As usual, the Box Sweep closed the day, and Harold Heat really burned off his opponents with 8 straight in the dark, runners-up being Joe Weir and Alan Bradley.

(Gordon Reed, Pub. Officer.)

COLAC (V.), 10/9/55.—Perfect weather favoured the club on Saturday night; 10/9/55, when 53 shooters and many onlookers attended the official "switching on" of the floodlights for night shooting. The ceremony was performed by Mrs. V. O'Shannassy, wife of the president of the club. The club president, Mr. Vin O'Shannassy, opened proceedings by welcoming the visiting shooters and friends. He extended his sincere thanks to the committee and secretary for their willing support and assistance and asked Mr. Theo Norman, a life member of the club, to introduce Mr. "Jock" Wilson, president of the A.C.P.T.S.A., who had travelled up from Melbourne to be present at the function.

Mr. Wilson thanked the club for the invitation to come to Colac and remarked how



# Coburg Gun Club

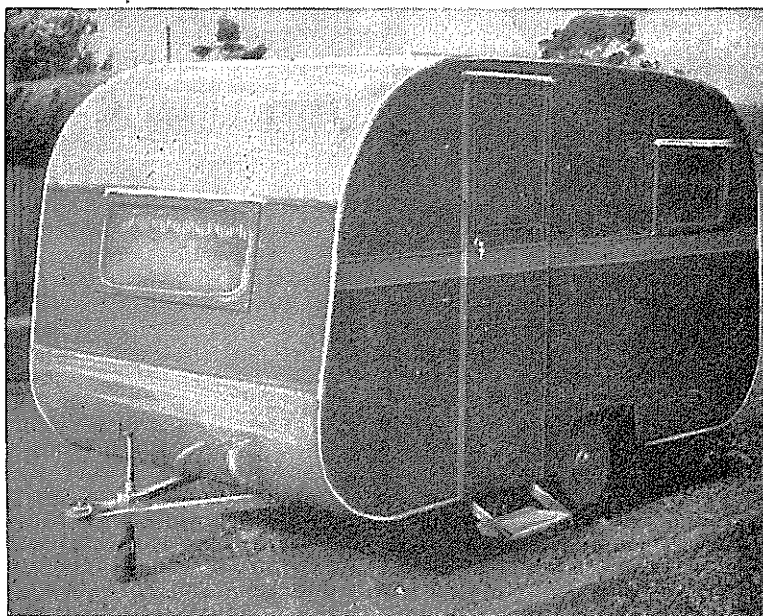
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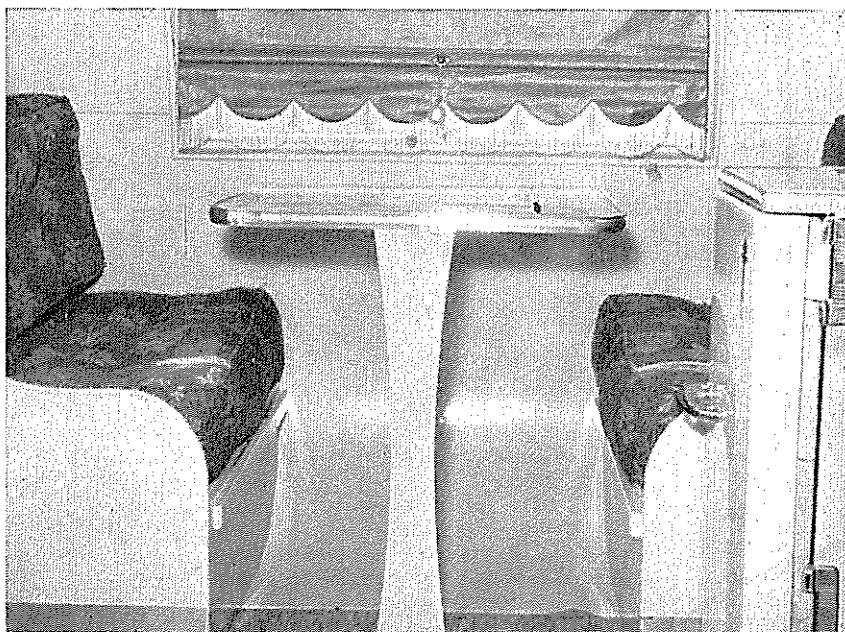
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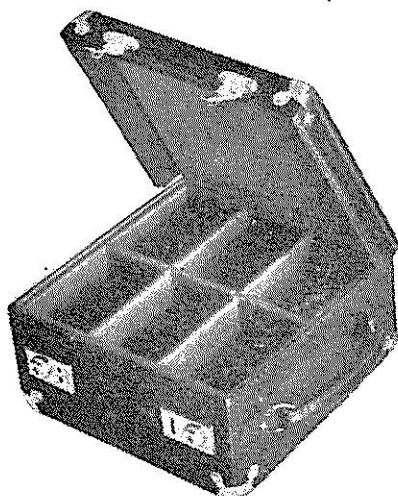
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Shooting finished just before midnight, and a few biithe spirits carried on with singing and merry-making. Visitors were present from Camperdown, Warrnambool, Portland, Westmere, Dundonnell, Ballarat, Cressy, Geelong, Winchelsea and Melbourne.

Bill Finnegan (Melbourne), with uncanny use of his second barrel, won the automatic gun first prize. He was also the back-marker, shooting from 20 yards, and put up a good score of 35/35. Harold Smith, secretary of Portland club, ran second to take the binoculars, and Colin Fletcher, secretary of Dundonnell club, gained the wristlet watch for third.

Main results: 15-bird D.B.: possibles, Jock Wilson, W. Gange, H. Smith, J. O'Donnell, C. Fletcher, W. Finnegan, A. J. Thompson, E. P. Bevan, H. Eldridge. Tie shoot resulted: 1st, W. Finnegan, 35/35; 2nd, H. Smith, 41/42; 3rd, C. Fletcher, 40/42; 12/13 ydr., E. P. Bevan, 20/21; 14/15 ydr., W. Gange, 34/36; 16/17 ydr., A. Thompson, 24/25; 18 and over, Jock Wilson, 30/31.

An unusual feature of the shoot was that the three main trophies went to back-markers.

(D. Corstorphane, Hon. Sec.)

**NARRAWA (N.S.W.), 10/9/55.** — Weather conditions: fine and sunny. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: J. Shepherd, H. Anderson, D. Hall, L. Webster, W. Warren, D. Churchill, W. Webster, N. O'Reilly, 5/5, div. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: A. Anderson, 5/5. No. 3, 5-bird: W. Webster, 5/5. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. Club C'ship: 1st, N. O'Reilly; 2nd, H. Anderson; 3rd, W. Warren. No. 5, 5-bird: W. Warren, 5/5. No. 6, Box Sweep: K. Dormer, 5/5.

This shoot was held in perfect weather and attendance was good. Main event on the programme was the Club D.B. Championship over 20 birds, which Norman O'Reilly won without a shoot-off, as he was the only one out of 20 starters to score the possible. Shooting was only fair generally, considering the perfect conditions; however, it should improve from now on, with most of us doing more of it during the summer.

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

**SEA LAKE (V.), 10/9/55.** — Weather conditions: fine, mild. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: 17 cut. No. 2, Club C'ship: 1st, K. Fanning, 20/20; 2nd, A. Hinneberg, 32/35; 3rd, R. Ryan, 32/36. No. 3, 5-bird S.B.: 1st, R. Atkin, 21/23; 2nd, R. Ryan, 20/23; 3rd, G. Smith, 14/15.

Shooting conditions ideal, attendance larger than expected.

(A. Lazarus, Hon. Sec.)

**SWAN HILL (V.), 25/8/55 (Night).** — Weather conditions: bitterly cold. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. 15 shooters. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: div. D. Mertz, B. Addison, R. Atkins, V. Towamichel, M. Walker, W. Ingram, E. Pickering, C. Maddy, D. Young, A. Poulton, A. Young, D. Leach, A. Russell. Trophies: 1st, C. Maddy; 2nd, W. Ingram;

3rd, A. Poulton. No. 3, 5-bird S.B.: D. Mertz, B. Addison, C. Maddy. Trophies: 1st, C. Maddy; 2nd, D. Mertz.

In spite of a bitterly cold night, the main event produced keen competition, in which two shooters passed the 50 break for the night. C. Maddy shot 65 unfinished, while W. Ingram registered 53/54 and A. Poulton 43/44.

(B. Mullen, Hon. Sec.)

**COFFS HARBOUR (N.S.W.).** — On Saturday, 10/9/55, the club held its usual monthly shoot, this time for the Vern Wullemmin Trophy. The day was fine, but that old nor-easter sure tested the ability of shooters to get a "kill" in the 10 pair Double Rise event. Veteran Peter Thompson won with 8/10 prs. Keith Secombe, after a spell away from the tracks for several months, shot well to tie with the consistent Alf Herdegen to take 2nd place with 7/10. Dick Secombe got 6/10 to take 3rd money. Nearly every shooter got his first bird, but that second was generally a real "hummer" and took some stopping. Macaulay's Headland, where we shoot, is at present in great condition. The view is wonderful and the fishing is good. Our secretary, G. D. T. (Jack) Secombe, has had a shelter erected for the puller, thus ensuring shelter and privacy and enabling the puller to concentrate on his job.

Results: 5-bird D.B.: A. Herdegen, E. Wedgwood, R. Hannaford, 5/5, div. 10 prs. D. Rise (Wullemmin Trophy); P. Thompson, 8/10, 1st; A. Herdegen and K. Secombe, 7/10, 2nd and 3rd, div.; Dick Secombe, 6/10, 4th. 5-bird S.B.: Keith Secombe, 1st, 5/5; A. Herdegen, R. Hannaford, 2nd and 3rd, div., 4/5. 3 prs. D. Rise No. 1: A. Herdegen, Dan Secombe, P. Thompson, div. 2nd and 3rd. 3 prs. D. Rise No. 2: E. Wedgwood, P. Thompson, div. 2nd and 3rd. 5-bird Pts. No. 1: Keith Secombe, G. D. T. Secombe, 15/15, div. 5-bird Pts. No. 2: Keith Secombe, G. D. T. Secombe, Dick Secombe, A. Herdegen, div., 15/15. High Gun, A. Herdegen. Box Sweep: Keith Secombe, Dick Secombe.

(Ted Wedgwood, P.O.)

**BUTE-SNOWTOWN (S.A.), 28/8/55.** — Weather conditions: fine, with gusty winds. Results: No. 1, Pres. Trophies (15 clays D.B.): 1st, K. Mules; 2nd, D. Prescott; 3rd, L. Sheringham; 13/14 yd., J. Gill; 12 yd., S. A. Martin. No. 2, 5 sparrows, 5 clays: div. Curtiss, L. Kelly, W. Starling, J. March, P. Schultze, K. Mules.

Excellent support given by visiting shooters enabled this club to carry out a successful programme. Thirty-seven shooters faced the trap and picnic spirit was apparent throughout the day. All trophies for this shoot were donated by our Pres., H. R. Commons; many thanks were tendered to him. Ladies once again made an excellent afternoon tea available.

(F. H. Gill, Sec.)

**GIRU (Qld.), 3/9/55.** — Weather conditions: overcast and gusty wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: possibles, H. Russell, H. Cox, J. Carrington, W. E. Bell, C. R. Hall, J. Hand, K. Kelman, F. Di Bartolo, J. Gerber, J. Griggs, D. Simpson, L. Ashworth, H. Ransom, F. Claussen Snr. No. 2, 5-bird S.B. Sparrows: possibles, H. Russell, R. Block, F. Delachantous. No. 3, Nth. Qld. Mixed Birds C'ship: A. Collinson, 19/20, 1st; L. Ashworth, 23/25, 2nd; R. Block, 22/25, 3rd. S'stakes, 1st Rd. C'ship: A. Col-

# NEWCASTLE GUN CLUB

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

(Ground location: 2 miles from Minmi, towards Stockrington pit.)

**SATURDAY, 29th OCTOBER, 1955**

Commencing at 9 a.m. Sharp.

**1st Event — 10 BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER (C.D.)**

**2nd Event —**

## *Newcastle and Hunter River Single Barrel Championship*

1st, Trophy and Sash; 2nd and 3rd Trophies and best 12/13 ydr.

**3rd Event —**

**£50 HANDICAP**

**4th Event —**

## *Newcastle and Hunter River Double Barrel Championship*

1st, Trophy and Sash; 2nd and 3rd Trophies and best 12/13 ydr.

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OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

Lunch and Cartridges available on Ground.

N. WILLIAMS, President.  
MW 1412.

D. SCOWCROFT, Sec.  
3 Bancroft Street,  
Cardiff. B 4051.

Committee reserves the right to alter this programme.

linson, F. Claussen Jnr., H. Ransom, N. Hartwell, J. Griggs, H. Cox, S. Spina, C. Wellington, J. Carrington, J. Longworth, H. Connison, H. Delachantos, 2nd Rd. C'ship: A. Collinson, L. Ashworth, F. Claussen Snr., N. Hartwell, K. Kelman, C. R. Hall, J. Collinson, F. Delachantos, 3rd Rd. C'ship: A. Collinson, L. Ashworth, R. Block, C. Wellington, J. Carrington, N. Dosetto, R. Block, J. Longworth.

We were both pleased and surprised to have so many visiting shooters, and there is talk among club members of installing another trap in the hope of having 50 shooters on future occasions. A special trophy was given to Mrs. I. E. Kelman (Richmond) for being the first lady shooter to participate in our programme. Everyone seemed satisfied with the buffet supper given to mark the opening of our new clubhouse.

4/9/55.—Weather conditions: fine and light breeze. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: K. Russell, A. Edwards, W. E. Bell, J. Casalegno, N. Dosetto, H. Ransom, J. Hand, No. 2, £10 H'cap (10-bird S.B.): F. Claussen Jnr., F. Di Bartolo, F. J. Bell, J. Hand, R. Griggs, K. Kelman, A. L. Poletti, No. 3, Qld. Int. S.B. C'ship: A. Edwards, 20/20; H. Russell, 19/20; F. Claussen Jnr., 23/25. S'stakes, 1st Rd. C'ship: all possibles, K. Russell, J. Casalegno, R. Block, H. Ransom, A. Poletti, B. Morris, H. Russell, A. Edwards, J. Gerber, B. Rubiolo, F. Claussen Jnr. 2nd Rd. C'ship: all possibles: N. Dosetto, W. E. Bell, F. Bell, H. Ransom, R. Griggs, A. Edwards, H. C. Griggs, B. Rubiolo, J. Hand, F. Delachantos, 3rd Rd. C'ship: all possibles, K. Russell, F. Claussen Jnr., L. Ashworth, F. Bell, A. Collins, C. Dickinson, J. Longworth, H. Russell, A. Edwards, J. Gerber, K. Kelman. 4th Rd. C'ship: all possibles: H. Russell, C. Wellington, G. Jaques,

L. Ashworth, J. Longworth, A. Edwards, K. Russell, K. Kelman, R. McLennan. No. 4, £25 H'cap (10-bird S.B. Sparrows): 9/10's, div. G. Jaques, H. Russell, T. Heineman, S. Di Bartolo. No. 5, £15 H'cap (10-bird S.B. Sparrows): 10/10's, div. G. Jaques, S. Spina, F. Claussen Jnr.

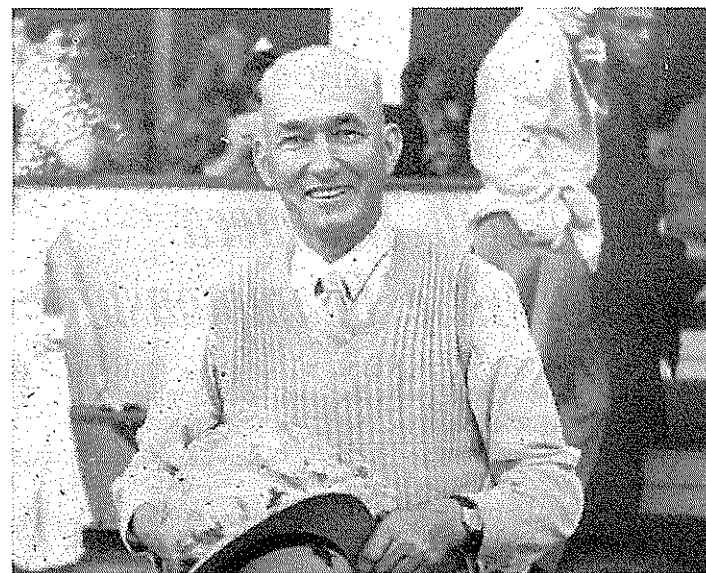
Fifty shooters.

(B. Marron, Hon. Sec.)

CAMBERWELL (V.), 10/9/55.—Weather conditions: good warm breeze. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Tower (off top clubhouse): div. G. Cookson, Johns, W. Lestrangle, D. Turner, P. Mitchell, W. Rodda, H. Ball, W. R. Millard, L. Davies, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird Tower: 1st, W. N. Rodda, 40/40; 2nd, W. R. Johns, 39/40; 3rd, Don Turner, 38/39; 14/16 yds., L. Davies, 22/23; 12/13 yds., H. L. Roberts, 14/15. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. (Down the Line): 1st, R. Layton, 16/16; 2nd, G. Cookson, 15/16; 3rd, G. Stainton, 13/14. S. Stevens and P. Mitchell, two boys and beginners, were awarded trophies for a fine display.

A nice day and a good muster and some good shooting. W. N. (Bill) Rodda shot exceptionally well to win the main event, 40/40. Then Bob Layton won the Down the Line event, defeating that good shot Geoff. Cookson (Alexandra). These boys finished up shooting off 25 yds. The two young lads, Stev. Stevens and Peter Mitchell, both shot well all day. Thanks to the ladies for a fine afternoon tea. The President welcomed the Tyrendarra shooter, W. R. Millard.

24/9/55.—Weather conditions: occasional showers. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 1st, J. McInnes, 13/13; 2nd, R. Ferres, 12/13. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: 1st, K. McDiarmid, 28/28; 2nd, H. Phillips, 27/28. No. 3, 5-bird Walk-up: 1st, J. Graham, 11/11; 2nd, G.



Bert Goodear, well-known Melbourne shooter, with one of his many trophies.



# Jeparit Gun Club

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

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19th, 1955,**  
at 1 p.m.

**1st Event — 5 BIRD EYE-OPENER.** Nom., 10/-.  
Compulsory Division

**2nd Event —**

## North Wimmera Double Barrel Championship

**20 BIRDS.** Nom., 25/- 10/- Optional.  
1st, Trophy and Sash; 2nd and 3rd, Trophies.

**3rd Event —**

**£50 — HANDICAP — £50**

**15 BIRDS D.B.** Nom., 30/- 10/- Optional.  
Divided 60, 30, 10. Trophy best 12/13 yarder.

**OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.**

### — NIGHT SHOOT —

**1st Event — 3 PAIR D.R.** Nom., 10/- Comp. Div.

**2nd Event —**

## North Wimmera Double Rise Championship

**10 Pairs off 16 yds.** Nom., 25/- 10/- Optional.  
1st, Trophy and Sash; 2nd and 3rd, Trophies.

**OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.**

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

**Booth — Afternoon Tea — Hot Dogs — Cartridges**  
**Accommodation — Meals available**

**K. W. CRAIG, President.**

**J. W. DOUGLAS, Sec.**

Walter, 10/11. No. 4, 3 pr. D. Rise: 1st. E. Evans, 4/4; 2nd, R. Johns, 3/4. Aggregate Trophy, Events 1 to 4: J. Graham, 16/18.

This was the first shoot of the new financial year. The successful President of last year, Roy Johns, was re-elected for another term; Vice-Presidents, T. N. Wightman, K. Venables and W. Rodda; Committee, J. Graham, Ross Smith, G. Storey, H. Sweeney, J. Stevens, H. Roberts, T. Perryn, G. Walter, R. Blackwell. Congratulations to Keith McDiarmid for his first trophy win.

(W. R. Johns, Press Corres.)

**MILDURA (V.), 10/9/55.**—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: A. W. Barnes, A. Cooper, Col. Barnes, C. Barnes, V. Barnes, 10/10, div. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Trophy: D. Bruce, 45/45, 1st; K. Barnes, 44/45, 2nd; Col Barnes, 42/43, 3rd. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. (Pts. Dec.): T. Halls, A. Cooper, 30 pts., div. No. 4, 5-bird D.B., 5-bird S.B.: M. Doyle, D. Bruce, G. Wakefield, A. Cooper, A. L. Barnes, 10/10, div. No. 5, 5-bird D.B.: M. Doyle, A. W. Barnes, G. Wakefield, F. Barnes, A. Cooper, A. Smith, R. Heley, 10/10, div.

At Night.—No. 1, 5-bird D.B. (Pts. Dec.): L. Bruce, 14 pts., 1st. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. (Pts. Dec.): A. Metcalf and H. L. Faux, 30 pts., div. 1st and 2nd; T. Ribarits, 29 pts., 3rd.

Good shooting, especially from the junior members of the club, namely Donald Bruce and Col. Barnes, who both shot 50 breaks.

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

**BERRIDALE (N.S.W.), 10/9/55.**—Weather conditions: fine, sunny. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 19 possibles, comp. div. No. 2, 10-bird H'cap: I. W. Mackay; 2nd, J. Griffin; best 12 ydr., D. Blyton. No. 3, 10-bird Pt. Score: 1st, C. Scarlett; 2nd, A. Blyton; 3rd, B. Weston. No. 4, 5-bird S. Rise: 1st, W. Woodhouse; 2nd, L. Brown.

Good conditions, vision good, shooting average good.

(W. Sorensen, Hon. Sec.)

**HARCOURT (V.), 10/9/55.**—Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: H. Smith, 34/34, 1st; L. Erwin, 33/34, 2nd; B. Smith, 11/12, 3rd; Ladies' Trophy, Miss F. Clarke. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. (Group Shoot): 12 yd., L. Smith, 18/20; 13/14 yd., I. O'Shannessey, 19/20; 15 yd. and over, L. Blakeley, 23/23. No. 3, 5-bird D.B., 9 possibles: B. Jones, 20/20, 1st; H. Michell, 19/20, 2nd.

Under perfect conditions the shooters and spectators appreciated some excellent shooting, particularly from H. Smith, who completed a break of 46. Our usual visitors from Bendigo and Prairies helped to maintain a satisfactory attendance and the club are grateful for their consistent support. Many thanks to those who assisted in cartage, etc., and particularly to Mr. T. Botten, also the ladies for an excellent afternoon tea. Modifications to lay-out proceeding and should be finished well before November 26th, when the Midlands District D.B. Sparrow Championship will be conducted.

(B. Lewis, Hon. Sec.)

**HAY (N.S.W.), 10/9/55.**—Weather conditions: perfect (no wind). Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. (Club Mks.): div. J. and W. Headon, H. Moore, 10/10. No. 2, 3 prs. D. Rise: div. J. Headon, J. Houston, N. Milliken and A. Headon, 3/3 prs. No. 3, Macleay

Mem. (D. Rise H'cap): N. Milliken, 8/10 prs. No. 4, D'ville Doubles C'ship: A. and R. Headon, 100/100, 1st; Max and Maurice Gibson, 99/100, 2nd; N. Taylor and W. Ronald, 64/65, 3rd.

The day was perfect for shooting and in the main event, the D'ville Doubles Championship, saw an excellent score put up by the Headon boys in being undefeated with 100/100, with the father-and-son combination, Max and Maurice Gibson, taking 2nd place with 99/100.

(Les McKinney, Hon. Sec.)

**DALBY (Qld.), 11/9/55.**—Weather conditions: very windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: J. Alexander and D. Price, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: C. Taylor, D. Price, M. Swaby, R. Sparkes, C. Flegler, A. Seis, A. McWilliams, N. McGilp, W. Moore and J. Burling, 10/10, div. No. 3, Shield Shoot (bi-monthly 10-bird D.B. Pt.): A. Seis, 50/60, from C. Seis, 57/60. No. 4, 5 prs. D. Rise: M. Swaby, 5/5, 1st; C. Seis, 4/5, 2nd; best 12/13 ydr., P. Herrick, 3/5. No. 5, 10-bird S.B.: C. Morgan, C. Taylor and D. Price, 10/10; shoot-off: 1st, C. Morgan, 15/15; 2nd, D. Price, 22/25; best 12/13 ydr., C. Taylor, 20/25. No. 6, Ladies' Shoot (5-bird D.B.): J. Earle, 3/5. No. 7, 20-bird D.B.: C. Seis and C. Flegler, 20/20, div.; best 12/14 ydr., A. McWilliams, 18/20.

This was a picnic day shoot. Unfortunately the day was windy and cold; still, everyone had a pleasant time. Arthur Seis succeeded in getting his name on the Swaby Shield after a tussle with his son. In December the six shooters who have scored for the shield will shoot off to see who takes it home for keeps! New shooter, Joyce Earle, shot well and carried off the ladies' event trophy. It was nice to see new-comer Corbie Taylor win a trophy.

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

**DONALD (V.) (Night), 31/8/55.**—Weather conditions: calm and mild. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: cut 9 shooters. No. 2, 10-bird Trophy: 1st, C. Reading, 34/34; 2nd, S. Reseigh, 33/34; cut S. Reseigh, B. Reading, G. Smith, C. Reading, R. Matheson. No. 3, 5-bird Trophy: 1st, S. Florence, 22/22; 2nd, B. Reading, 21/22; Sweep, S. Florence, H. Cody, Dr. Connard, B. Reading, G. Smith, G. Appelby, C. Tickner, R. Matheson. No. 4, 5-bird: cut S. Florence, B. Reading, C. Reading, R. Matheson.

Rupanyup boys had a night out, winning three out of the four trophies. We would like to thank all those who helped in every way, especially Mrs. I. Broughton and Mrs. Leeder.

**14/9/55.**—Weather conditions: calm and mild. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: cut E. Glen and S. Reseigh. No. 2, 5-bird: cut E. Glen, L. Broughton. No. 3, 5-bird: cut E. Glen, L. Broughton, S. Reseigh. No. 4, 5-bird Trophy: 1st, L. Broughton, 20/20; Sweep, cut S. Reseigh, L. Broughton, L. Young. No. 5, 10-bird Trophy: 1st, S. Reseigh, 30/30; 2nd, L. Henderson, 29/30; Sweep, cut S. Reseigh, L. Henderson, Joe Wright, T. Coats. No. 6, 5-bird Pts. Dec.: E. Glen.

Shooting was good, with L. Broughton winning the first trophy and S. Reseigh the second. We once again thank Mrs. I. M. Broughton for her invaluable help in the Secretary's box.

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

**HOLBROOK (N.S.W.).**—Holbrook G.C. September Clay Bird Shoot was held in de-

# COBURG GUN CLUB

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

GROUND LOCATION: MATHIESON ST., NTH. COBURG.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22

10 BIRDS POINTS DECISION. Cash. Entry, 10/-.

## Club Double Barrel Championship

20 Birds from 18 yards.

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 12/13 yds. Trophies. Sash to winner. Entry, £1.

10 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL

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

## CUP DAY — 1ST NOVEMBER

# GRAND PRIX

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### OTHER DATES:

Saturday, November 5 — SECTIONAL TROPHIES.

Saturday, November 19 — METROPOLITAN D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP.

Saturday, December 3 — SECTIONAL TROPHIES.

Saturday, December 17 — XMAS SHOOT.

C. INGBRITSEN, President,  
15 Anzac Avenue,  
North Coburg, N.14.

C. J. COLLEDGE, Secretary,  
12 Adler Grove,  
Merlynston, N.14.  
Phone: FL 4835.

lightful weather. Visiting shooters from Queensland, Melbourne and Yass were present together with district shooters from Albury, Culcairn, Walwa, Wodonga and Walla Walla.

Afternoon.—No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. J. Cullen (Yass), I. Schubert (Wodonga), C. Walker (Yass), A. Liersch (Holbrook), L. Grogan (Yass), T. Jacobs (Walla), L. Baker (Melbourne), 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: div. I. Schubert, L. Grogan, T. Gardiner (Albury), L. Baker, S. Smith (Wodonga), 5/5. No. 3, 5 sparrows D.B.: div. J. Ferris (Walwa), J. Bunyan (Holbrook), E. Matthews (Holbrook), T. Gardiner, A. Liersch, I. Schubert, S. Smith, J. Cullen, T. Jacobs, Bob Heriot (Holbrook), 5/5. No. 4, £20 H'cap (5 pigeons and 5 sparrows D.B.): div. I. Schubert, Bob Heriot, L. Spalding (Albury), A. Liersch, 10/10. No. 5, 5 prs. D'ville Doubles Sparrow S'stake: div. L. Baker and T. Gardiner, A. Liersch and Bob Heriot, L. Grogan and T. Jacobs, L. Spalding and J. Cullen, 5/5 prs. No. 6, 5 prs. D. Rice: div. A. Liersch, L. Grogan, 5/5 prs. No. 7, Miss-out: div. J. Puma (Culcairn) and E. Matthews, 10th bird. No. 8, Miss-out: J. Ferris, 10th bird.

Night.—No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. H. Burge, Bob Heriot, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: div. L. Spokes, C. Walker, A. Liersch, 5/5. No. 3, £20 H'cap (5-bird D.B. and 5-bird S.B.): 1st and 2nd, div. H. Burge and D. Gittings (Albury), 10/10; 3rd, Bob Heriot, 9/10. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. Pts. Score: div. H. Burge, Bob Heriot, G. Reed (Yass), A. Liersch, 15/15 pts. No. 5, Teams Match Trophies: winning team, J. Ferris, L. Spokes, J. Cullen, L. Grogan, 16/20. No. 6, Miss-out: H. Burge, 9th bird.

(H. Burge, Sec.)

MT. GAMBIER (S.A.), 10/9/55.—Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, S.B. C'ship: R. Mules, 24/25; A. S. Megaw, 22/25. No. 2, 10 targets: B. Lacey, A. S. Megaw, F. Cleggett, M. Bishop, R. Reschke, A. McFarlane, L. Sims, D. G. Cook, M. Earl, 10/10. No. 3, 5 sparrows: R. Reschke and G. W. Height, 5/5. No. 4, 5 targets: R. Reschke, L. J. Lace, L. Sims, 5/5.

It was good to see R. Mules, a very good supporter of this club, win the Championship; he has had many tries over the last couple of years, but luck was against him until now.

(Roy G. Bishop, Hon. Sec.)

TATHRA (N.S.W.), 17/9/55. — Weather conditions: fair. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: W. Blaxter, C. Owers, J. Disher, H. Morris, C. Scarlett, div. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: 5-bird D.B.: Trophy, won outright, G. Ubrilien, 1st, 10/10; J. Disher, 2nd, 9/10; H. Morris, 9/10, 12/14 yd. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: B. Starr, W. Woodhouse, J. Disher, H. Morris, 10/10, div. No. 4, D'ville Doubles (sparrows): R. Dulhunty and B. Starr, 4/5, 1st; H. Haskins and H. Morris, 2nd, 4/5. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: R. Dulhunty, 10/10, 1st; H. Peil, J. Griffin, div. 2nd and 3rd, 9/10. No. 6, Box Sweep: won by W. Woodhouse.

A good day's shooting despite a very cold southerly wind, which made conditions unpleasant. Many thanks to our visitors from the Berridale and Cooma districts.

(Leo Meaker, Hon. Sec.)

KANIVA (V.), 16/9/55. — Weather conditions: fine and calm (night only). Results: No. 1, 5-bird: div. C. Powell, A. Lannin,

D. Hawker, R. Feder, A. McDonald, P. Merrett, 5/5. No. 2, 20-bird Kaniva Dist. C'ship: R. Meyer, 31/31, 1st; R. Roberts, 30/31, 2nd; P. Merrett, 24/25, 3rd; 12 yds., J. Powell, 19/20. No. 3, 5-bird Sweep: div. A. Lannin, P. Merrett, R. Meyer, M. McDonald, 9/9.

At our recent annual meeting officials elected were: Reg. E. Meyer, Pres.; P. Powell, V.P.; A. M. McDonald, Sec.; A. Rafferty, A.S.

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

CONDOBOLIN (N.S.W.), 30/7/55.—Weather conditions: very cold and windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. W. Gifford, R. Inglis, C. Riley, M. Holmes, J. Holmes, L. Berryman, D. Hurkett, F. Barnes, L. Tyack, C. Keogh, D. E. Sim, C. Hodge, 8/8. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: Shoot-off, F. Barnes, L. Tyack, C. Keogh, C. Hodge, C. Riley, L. Berryman, D. Hurkett, A. Hodge; 1st Trophy, L. Tyack, 35/35; 2nd, G. Riley, 34/35; 3rd and 12/13 yd. Trophies, C. Keogh, 33/34. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: div. F. Barnes, L. Tyack, A. W. Tyack, L. Bailey, C. Hodge, R. Henry, C. Riley, M. Holmes, J. Holmes, L. Berryman, D. Hurkett, W. Cross, R. Inglis, B. Crouch, 5/5. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. £50 H'cap (Tyack Challenge Teams Shoot): £50, div. G. Keogh, A. Hodge, D. Hurkett, C. Hodge, R. Riley, L. Berryman, J. Holmes and B. Crouch, 20/20; Tyack Shield: won by Parkes, 97/100; Condobolin, 2nd, 95/100; Tottenham, 3rd, 91/100; Tullibigeal, 4th, 89/100; Condobolin No. 2, 3rd, 75/100.—Teams consisted of 5 shooters each. No. 5, 5-bird D.B.: Shoot-off, F. Barnes, L. Tyack, A. W. Tyack, C. Hodge, B. Brownhill, G. Riley, M. Holmes, J. Holmes, L. Berryman, L. Laneyrie, W. Cross, B. McCarthy, A. Hodge, T. Lawler, R. Selms, B. Crouch, 5/5; div. F. Barnes, G. Riley, L. Berryman, R. Selms and B. Crouch, 10/10.

The club wish to thank visiting shooters from Tullibigeal, Parkes, Tottenham and Forbes for their attendance. The shooting, considering the windy day, was of a very high standard. We wish to congratulate Parkes team, which consisted of D. Hurkett, C. Hodge, G. Riley, R. Brownhill and R. Henry, who shot 97/100, on their winning the Tyack Shield. Mr. A. W. Tyack, who donated this shield, and who has done so much to foster shooting at Tullibigeal and Condobolin, presented the shield to Parkes team.

3/9/55. — Weather conditions: slight cross wind, cold. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: C. Mical, L. Blewett, W. Rial, F. Hudson, B. Crouch, R. Henry, J. Riley, B. Brownhill, A. W. Tyack, L. Tyack, Mick Smith, L. Laneyrie, div. Sweep, 8/8. No. 2, 10-bird: 1st, D. Hurkett, 56/56; 2nd, Les Sim, 55/56; 12/13 yd. Trophy, D. Hurkett, No. 3, 5-bird: div. G. Riley, B. Brownhill, D. E. Sim, M. Smith, L. Blewett, C. Lees, R. Sands, I. Hedges, F. Hudson, M. Fuller, C. Hodge, G. Keogh, D. Aitken, J. Black, C. Donnelly, R. Woodbridge, F. O'Halloran, W. Strayhorn and W. Cross, 5/5. No. 4, £50 20-bird H'cap (Hudson Shield Team Shoot): £50, div. A. McIntosh, L. Laneyrie, W. Cross, L. Tyack, N. Thomas, D. Hurkett, W. Strayhorn, C. Donnelly, 20/20; Hudson Shield won by Royal Aero Club with 94/100, from Yeoval, 93/100, and Condobolin and Tullibigeal, 92/100; Queanbeyan No. 1 and Parkes, 91/100; Condobolin No. 2, 87/100; Queanbeyan No. 2, 75/100. No. 5, off the Box: div. G. Riley, L. Tyack, L. Laneyrie, 10/10.

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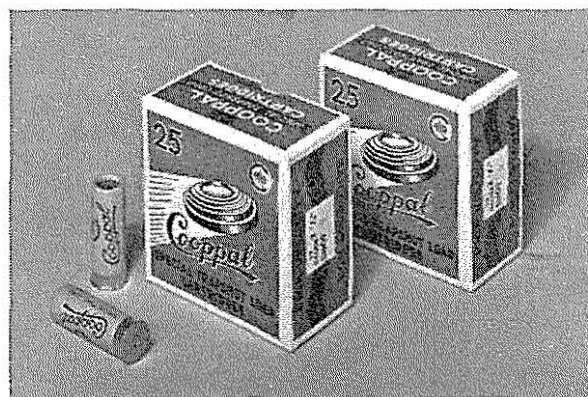
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The club congratulate Royal Aero Club on winning the Hudson Shield; their team comprised of N. Thomas, Mick Smith, P. Hudson (the donor of this shield), C. Micheal and M. Fuller. Also wish to thank other visiting teams for their attendance. A crowd of 500 people watched this shoot.

(L. F. Fay, Hon. Sec.)

**BATHURST**, (N.S.W.), 16/9/55.—Weather conditions: excellent. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Sweep (51 shooters): The following shooters shot poss. and div.: A. Rowe, M. Burgess, Dr. Edmeads, N. Mitchell, D. Osborne, R. Melville, A. Hancock, S. Lamb, K. Soames Snr., L. Healy, J. N. Brazier, O. Roberts, R. Webb, B. McCarthy, K. Harrison, N. McIntosh, J. Finlayson, I. Constable, C. Wykes, L. Thomson, P. Scott-Young, J. Crowne, W. Robertson, H. Weinert, H. H. Anderson, W. J. Rutty, W. Commons, F. Hudson, S. Bressington, L. Rumble, L. Morris, R. Rothery, G. Rich, H. Roberts, W. Ronald, Newton Thomas, D. Wareham, M. Smith, J. York, W. McPhee, C. Campbell, J. Harris, W. McNamara, C. Hall, H. Hearne, W. Harris, G. Elliott, L. Lupp, H. G. Anderson, H. Cross, W. Gibbs. No. 2, N.S.W. Team Shoot: The following shooters shot possible: K. Cross, M. Burgess, R. Melville, A. Hancock, K. Soames Snr., L. Berryman, K. Soames Jnr., L. Rumble, L. Morris, Newton Thomas, D. Wareham, D. York, W. McNamara, L. Lupp, H. G. Anderson, H. Cross, W. Gibbs. The above was shot down to ten, resulting in the following becoming the N.S.W. Team: K. Cross, M. Burgess, L. Berryman, K. Soames Jnr., L. Rumble, L. Morris, Newton Thomas, L. Lupp, H. G.

Anderson, H. Cross (1st reserve, W. Gibbs; 2nd reserve, A. Hancock). The High Gun resulted in K. Soames Jnr., 1st, 140/140; H. Cross, 2nd, 139/140, missing his 138th bird; L. Morris, 3rd, 99/100. No. 3, Trophy Shoot (Pt. Score): W. Byers, 1st; J. York, 2nd; C. Wykes, 3rd; A. Owens, 12/13 yd. Trophy, Byers' shoot, 99/99 pts.; J. York shoot, 98/99 pts. No. 4, £250 H'cap: This event was div. the following shooters, who shot the possible: M. Burgess, D. Osborne, S. E. Lamb, L. Healy, L. Berryman, I. Constable, L. Thompson, L. Rumble, H. Roberts, W. Ronald, Newton Thomas, W. McNamara, G. Elliott, Barney Edwards, H. Cross.

17/9/55. — Weather conditions: excellent before noon, squally after noon. Results: No. 1, £1 Sweep: The following shooters shot the possible: F. Hudson, Newton Thomas, W. Warren, S. Lamb, S. Bressington, N. Mitchell, J. Hanns, D. York, J. York, R. Thompson, D. Spence, I. Constable, A. Campbell, L. Rumble, J. Houston, N. McIntosh, K. Ballard, D. Wareham, J. Medway, W. Commons, A. Rowe, D. Osborne, H. H. Anderson, R. Webb, R. Savage, K. Harrison, G. Rich, H. Roberts, L. Bird, C. Campbell, W. Gibbs, B. McCarthy, W. McNamara, H. Weinert, M. Fuller, M. Burgess, R. Toshack. No. 2, Sparrow D.B. Trophy: 1st, C. Michael; 2nd, L. Lupp; 3rd, Mick Smith; 12/13 yd. Trophy, H. Roberts. No. 3, Commonwealth D.B. Sparrow C'ship: 1st, D. York, 38/40; 2nd, S. E. Lamb; 3rd, K. Cross; 5 shooters shot 37/40, the shoot-off resulting as above. No. 4, £2 Sweep: This event was div. the following shooters, who shot the possible:

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QUEENSLAND

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

Saturday, 22nd October, 1955

Commencing at 10 a.m.

EVENTS include

## Central Western Queensland Single Barrel Championship

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**RICHMOND (Qld.), 10/9/55.** — Weather conditions: fine, gusty wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. (equal scoring): 5/5, D. E. Murray, R. D. Logan, J. Walker, W. Carrington, J. Treveton, S. Gourley, B. T. Kelman, W. Baxter, K. Kelman, K. Long. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. (equal scoring): 5/5, D. E. Murray, R. D. Logan, W. Carrington, C. Sinclair, B. T. Kelman, R. F. O'Neill, W. Baxter, K. Long, B. J. O'Neill, F. Tritton, A. Glendinning. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. Points (3-2): div. 58/60, R. D. Logan, J. Treveton, C. Sinclair, B. J. O'Neill. No. 4, 10-bird S.B.: 3 with 10/10; shoot-off: 1st, W. Carrington, 15/15; 2nd, B. J. O'Neill, 13/15; 3rd, K. Long, 3/5. No. 5, 5 p.r. D. Rise (Points 1-2): 3 with 15/15; shoot-off: K. Kelman, 1st, 14/15; 2nd, B. J. O'Neill, 13/15; 3rd, W. Carrington, 10/15. No. 2A, 5-bird D.B. (Points 3-2): 15/15, div. D. E. Murray, J. Walker, W. Carrington, S. Gourley, B. J. Kelman, K. Long. No. 2B, 10-bird S.B.: 9/9, div. D. E. Murray, H. Ford, W. Carrington, S. Gourley, C. Sinclair, W. Baxter, F. Tritton.

A very good day's shooting for all concerned, but attendance was disappointing. The shoot clashed with a race meeting in the locality, which had been postponed due to rain. Visiting shooters were H. Ford, W. Carrington, S. Gourley and W. Baxter from Charters Towers, A. Terry from Hughenden, and C. Sinclair from Townsville.

**11/9/55.**—Weather conditions: fine, windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: 5/5, W. Keats, C. Sinclair, K. Kelman, W. Carrington, R. F. O'Neill, K. Long, W. Baxter. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: 5/5, D. John, J. Walker, W. J. Whitehead, J. Treveton, F. Keats, W. Carrington, R. S. McClymont, B. J. O'Neill. No. 3, 30-bird S.B.: 1st, R. D. Logan, 28/30; 2nd and 3rd, div. H. Ford and F. Keats, 27/30. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: 3 with 10/10; shoot-off: 1st, F. Keats, 8/10; 2nd, W. Carrington, 7/10; 3rd, W. J. Whitehead, 3/5. No. 5, 10-bird S.B.: 1st, W. J. Whitehead, 10/10; 2nd and 3rd, div. R. D. Logan, J. Treveton, K. F. O'Neill and B. J. O'Neill, 9/10. No. 6, 10-bird D.B. (Points 3-2): div. R. D. Logan, B. J. O'Neill; Mrs. I. E. Kelman, W. Baxter, 30/30.

Another good day's shooting. Two more visiting shooters arrived, W. J. Whitehead and K. Brown from Corfield and Bangall respectively.

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

**AUSTRALIAN (V.), Sept. 3.** — Highlight of the day was the splendid performance by D. Latham and committeeman Bob Andrews. D. Latham secured high-gun honours with a 57 break, while Andrews won the Pts. event outright, 30/30 pts., div. the opening event 20/20, also the 3rd event 21/21, at the end of which he held a 51 break. Four 10-bird S'take events were listed, the first of which was div. K. Styles, C. Fankhauser, R. Andrews, D. Latham, R. Smith, R. Hering, 20/20. No. 2: R. Andrews, 30/30 pts.; 2nd and 3rd money, R. Thom, F. C. Johnson and Nimrod, 29/30 pts. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: A. Hamilton, R. Smith, R. Andrews, K. Styles and A. Cokefair, 21/21. No. 4, 10-bird Pts.: Mrs. J. D. Fogg, F. Johnson, D. Latham, R. Martin, R. Hering, 30/30 pts.

Geo. Biggs conducted a how-to-lead-them campaign for beginners; "5 birds for two bob on No. 1 Ground," and had quite an audience. This school will be held periodically, so, beginners, here is your opportunity to be spoon-fed by an instructor capable and willing to impart his knowledge in the art of shooting moving objects.

**Sept. 17.**—The Victorian section of the interstate Teams match was conducted at East Burwood in beautiful spring weather. Clubs from many parts of the State were represented and a 10 a.m. start found 108 entries on the board for the opening 10-bird Pts. The Comp. Div. of 15 possibles was div. W. Jorgensen, H. Philipps, R. Glover, E. Brenk, R. Smith, L. Swain, R. Wood (Weir River), J. Martin (Yarram), W. Finnigan, Dick, W. Scott, C. Mudford, M. Kitchell, K. Styles and H. Belmore, 30/30 pts. The 30-bird elimination event from 16 yds., which carried six trophies, produced 23 possibles. They were: K. Foster (Horsesham), D. Latham, S. East, R. Glover, R. Thom, J. Hagan, Ingli, W. Scott, Dick, R. Layton, F. Byers, A. H. Collins (Shepparton), D. Glover, R. Dale, M. Luhrs (Learmonth), L. Swain, P. McGrath, A. Hamilton, G. Cookson (Alexandra), F. Johnson, W. Finnigan, E. Brenk, C. Mudford.

The tie shoot for a 10-man team to shoot at 50 birds from 16 yards as the Victorian team was conducted over the four traps and went to the 53rd round. A. Hamilton (Dandenong) won the elimination event, 103/103, shot a possible 50 birds in the Teams match and grassed 148 straight before his first miss, creating another record straight for the ground. Committeeman E. H. Brenk returned 103 straight. Trophy winners in the elimination event were: A. Hamilton, 1st, 103/103; E. Brenk, 2nd, 96/97; Ingli, 3rd, 74/75; 15/16 yd., R. Thom, 60/61; 13/14 yd., N. McCraith, 52/53; 12 yd., S. Marshall, 29/33.

Roy Ayre, who will shortly take over the club secretarial duties, found time to win the 20-bird H.C. event, 54/55, from D. Glover, 53/55; 3rd, A. Hamilton, 44/45; 15/16 yd., D. Latham, 28/29; 14 yd., A. Waring (Willaura), 43/44; 12 yd., F. Hobson, 18/20. (H. H. Ball.)

**LONGREACH (Qld.), 15/9/55.** — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: 12 div. No. 2, Banks Cup Teams Shoot (20-bird D.B. Pts. from 16 yds.): Rockhampton Team (S. Henderson, G. King, D. Russell, A. Lisle, J. Tompkins), 230/300; Longreach, 275; Isisford, 273. No. 3, £100 H'cap (20-bird D.B. Pts.): L. Walker, J. Duffy, D. Smith, 20/20, div. No. 4, Moffat Trophy (20-bird D.B. H'cap): 16 got the possible; shoot-off: O. Smith, 44/45; W. Newton, 43/45; D. Russell, 42/45. No. 5, £50 D. Rise (10 prs.): L. Walker, W. Brittain, D. Smith, 8/10, div.

The High Gun Trophy was awarded on a points basis and L. Walker, C. Fielder and W. Brittain had equal scores at the end of the day. In the shoot-off, W. Brittain was the winner from L. Walker, with C. Fielder 3rd. We congratulate Bill Newton on getting his first 50 break and hope it will not be his last. The annual Diggers' Shoot is always very popular and we were pleased to have visitors from Rockhampton and the surrounding clubs. Our worthy President, Jim Walker, gave a very nice party at his home, and all shooters enjoyed themselves very much. We ran out of daylight and the last event was finished under the floodlights. (W. H. N. Walsh, Hon. Sec.)

# Griffith Gun Club

(N.S.W.)

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## DAY AND NIGHT SHOOT

Saturday, 5th November, 1955

Commencing 10 a.m.

A.M.—

Event 1—10 BIRD D.B. SWEEP. Nom., 10/-.  
Compulsory Division.

Event 2—

.. RIVERINA ..

## MIXED BIRDS CHAMPIONSHIP

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

P.M.—

## N.S.W. Intermediate Double Barrel Championship

Event 3—

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

(Restricted to shooters whose handicap is 16 yds. or forward.)

Event 4—

### 25 BIRD D.B. TROPHY

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NIGHT.

Event 5—10 BIRD D.B. SWEEPSTAKE. Nom., 10/-.  
Compulsory Division.

Event 6—

## Commonwealth Night Skeet Championship

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

Luncheon, Afternoon Tea, Refreshments and Cartridges  
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GLENCOE (S.A.), 18/9/55.—Weather conditions: very good. Results: No. 1, Trophy: J. Campbell, 1st, 23 pts. out of poss. 30; E. Medhurst, L. Medhurst, tied 2nd, 27 pts. No. 2, Trophy and S'take: A. Messenger (Penola). No. 3, D'ville Doubles: J. Matheson and J. Wilson.

It was a very nice afternoon, and although conditions for shooting were very nearly perfect, the standard of shooting on the whole was not very high. Judging by the number of spectators, this sport is very popular here.

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

SYDNEY (N.S.W.), 17/9/55. — Weather conditions: cold, windy. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: div. J. Waples, C. Meale, Dr. Gibbons, E. Webb, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Club C'ship: Dr. Gibbons, E. Bullen, C. Plummer, 20/20; Dr. Gibbons won from C. Plummer and E. Bullen. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: div. J. Waples, C. Meale, Dr. Gibbons, E. Bullen, C. Plummer, E. Webb, W. Rutty, R. Morris. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: div. J. Waples, E. Webb, R. McKimmion, 10/10.

(A. A. Vidler, Hon. Treasurer.)

WILLAURA (V.), 17/9/55.—Weather conditions: fine and warm. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: D. Bellew, S. Wrench, K. Brain, R. Brain, D. Flett, C. Mayfield, R. Peacock, D. Dalgleish, K. Hamilton, V. Coats, D. Mayfield, A. Davis, R. Reschke, P. Gardner, L. Higgins. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: P. Gardner, 1st, 50/50; D. Mayfield, 49/50; D. Dalgleish, 48/50. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: V. Coats, 21/21; R. Peacock, 20/21.

The President, Mr. Bert Peacock, congratulated Peter Gardner for his excellent win. He pointed out that this was the first time Peter had shot at clays since last November. His break was 55 straight for the day. Don Mayfield, although he shot 49 in the main event, had a break of 54. The third went to Don Dalgleish, 48. The President also welcomed shooters from as far away as Penola in South Aust., Balmoral, Cavendish and Maryborough.

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

CHARLEVILLE (Qld.), 28/8/55.—Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: A. Mann, E. Parry, N. West, K. West, D. Smith, Reg Akers, T. Wood, R. A. Akers, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: div. K. West, E. Wilkinson, T. Wood, 29/30 pts. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Pts.: 1st, O. W. Smith, 69/75 pts.; 2nd, D. McFarlane, 64/75 pts.; 3rd, E. Parry, 59/90 pts. No. 4, 20-bird D.B.: 1st, T. Akers, 100/100; 16 yd. and under Trophy, E. Parry, 99/100; best 12 yd., T. Wood, 44/45. No. 5, 15-bird D.B. Point: 1st, E. Wilkinson, 74/75 pts.; 2nd, T. Akers, 72/75 pts.; 3rd, J. W. Raleigh, 72/75 pts. No. 6, D.B. Miss-out: div. N. West, E. Parry, E. Wilkinson, 19/19. No. 7, 10-bird D.B. Point: div. E. Parry, Reg Akers, T. Wood, R. A. Akers, E. Wilkinson, 30/30 pts. No. 8, 10 prs. D. Rise: div. E. Parry, K. West, 9/10 prs.

Though only a club shoot, the standard of shooting was very good. Excluding the last event, 95% of the birds were killed on the day, many shooters catching the handicapper's eye. The best breaks were T. Akers,



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**Friday, 28th October, 1955**

## *Victorian Night Double Barrel Championship*

Commencing 7 p.m.

30 Birds off 18 yds. Nom., 35/-. Op. Sweep, 10/-.  
1st, Trophy and Sash; 2nd and 3rd, Trophies.

**.. ALL DAY SHOOT ..**

**Saturday, 29th October, 1955**

Commencing 10 a.m.

Event No. 1—10 BIRD D.B. SWEEPSTAKE. Nom., £1.

Event No. 2 —

## **30 Bird Double Barrel Trophy Handicap**

Nom., £4/10/-.

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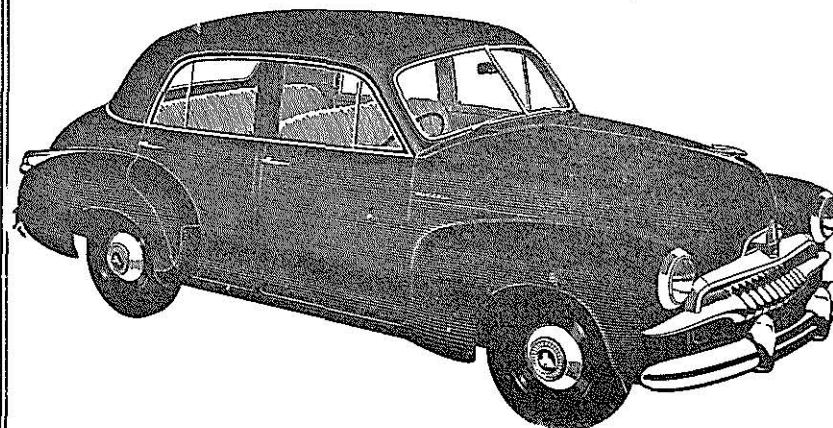
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**New Year's Day 1956**

**MONDAY, 2nd JANUARY, 1956**

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(Reg Akers, Hon. Sec.)

**BEULAH (V.), 2/9/55.** — Weather conditions: wet, windy and cold. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: cut R. Molyneux, K. Erhardt, J. Fish, E. McMillan, H. Erhardt, K. Wishart, J. Cummings, R. Binder, A. W. Hall, W. Ingram. No. 2, S.S.: cut J. Armstrong, S. McCredon, A. Hinneberg, A. W. Hall, G. Erhardt. No. 3, Main Event: 1st, E. McMillan; 2nd, C. Ball; 3rd, L. Potter. No. 4, Trophy: 1st, C. Ball; 2nd, W. Ingram.

Although weather conditions were once again against us, a good number of shooters turned up. Some good shooting was seen in spite of the wind, which played up with the clays a bit. Congratulations to E. McMillan, who won the main event, and also shot 50 straight. Seventy shooters. We expect to have the lights on within the next two or three weeks, and are looking forward to night shoots.

(J. Young, Hon. Sec.)

**KEILOR (V.), 14/9/55 (Night).** — Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 15 div. No. 2, 15-bird D.B.: 1st, D. Hicks, 27/27; 2nd, W. Hinneberg, 26/27; 3rd, D. Latham, 32/33; 12/13, A. Torr.

A crowd of 60 shooters took part in the club's first night shoot for the year. Doug Hicks carried on his night-shooting form from last year to win the trophy event. Bill Hinneberg shot well for a first try under the lights. Many thanks to our energetic night-shoot committee for making it a great success.

**21/9/55 (Night).** — Weather conditions: warm and windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Points: div. W. Williams, W. Hinneberg, C. Mudford. No. 2, 15-bird Trophy: 1st, D. Latham, 16/16; 2nd, G. Graham, 15/16; 3rd, D. Glover, 20/21.

(Robt. Reid, Hon. Sec.)

**COBURG (V.)** — Saturday, September 10, was a big day. The attendance was very large, and as a result only one event was held.

It was a double-barrel affair of 45 releases, and the trophy range was extensive. Besides the usual first, second and third, there were also first and second trophies for 12/13 yds., 14/15 yds., 16/17 yds., 18/19 yds. and 20 yds and beyond.

The shoot attracted many visitors, including three from New Zealand.

Winner was Doug Wareham (N.Z.), who shot 119/119. Club President Cliff Ingbritsen was runner-up, with Russell Thom third.

Even a score of 60 or more was necessary to win yardage trophies. Following are firsts and seconds in the various groups: 12/13, P. Cappiello and Bill Hinneberg; 14/15, G. Arkinstall (Warragul) and F. Mannerheim; 16/17, Footsray President, Les Austin, and Les Murphy; 18/19, Ray Hering and Sel Power; 20 and beyond, Norm Guy and Clem Mudford.

When he received his trophy, Doug Wareham said he did not think the Aussies could be so hard to beat.

George McFarlane came in for a lot of attention at this meeting. Everybody wanted to shake his hand or rub up against him. The reason — George and a partner achieved the seemingly impossible by winning first prize in Tatts. Good old "Rubber Heels".

The Commonwealth S.B. Championship was the attraction on September 24, and again the attendance was good.

A 10 birds S.B. opened proceedings (compulsory cut): div. E. Lawton, R. Hering, Mrs. V. Jones, J. Creighton, E. Cox and G. Dawson.

The Championship saw Clem Mudford win outright, 38/40. Peter Wray, second, 49/55; Roy Johns, 48/55, third. J. Creighton (Shepparton) took the 12/14 yds. trophy.

There was sufficient time for a 15 birds points decision. The result: First, Eddie Brenk, 51/51; second, Joe Fewster, 48/51; third, George Biggs, 50/51; 12/13, J. Creighton, 40/45; 14/15, Mrs. V. Jones, 42/45; 16/17, Bill Jones, 48/50; 18/19, Dick Wightman, 47/50, and 20 and beyond, Peter Wray, 47/50.

Well, Cup Day is drawing close now, and we are looking for a great day for the 1955 Grand Prix.

(C. J. Colledge, Sec.)

**DUNDONNELL (V.), 17/9/55.** — Weather conditions: clear and calm. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. K. P. King, V. Walker, J. Morrison, C. Fletcher, 5/5. No. 2, Club D.B. C'ship: 1st, C. Fletcher, 19/20; 2nd, J. Morrison, 23/25; 3rd, N. Pilgrim, 22/25; 12 yd., A. Chirnside, 17/20; 13/14 yd., K. P. King, 37/40; 15 yds. and over, W. Cumming, 16/20. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: div. A. Chirnside, K. Palmer, W. Cumming, R. Piper, T. Tabart, H. Steele, N. Pilgrim, M. Small, K. P. King, B. Sullivan, J. Morrison, C. Fletcher, J. Muir, R. Grant, 5/5. No. 4, 5-bird S.B.: div. M. Small, J. Morrison, R. Jamieson, E. Smith, H. Steele, 5/5. No. 5, 5-bird Sliding H'cap: div. W. Cumming, K. Palmer, R. Piper, M. Small, H. Steele, R. Grant, A. Chirnside, B. Sullivan, C. Fletcher, 5/5.

In perfect spring sunshine and no wind the club conducted the D.B. Championship for 1955. For such a perfect day the shooting in the Championship was not of the usual high standard.

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

**FOSTER (V.), 10/9/55.** — Weather conditions: very good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird P.D.: P. Barlow, E. Cripps, H. Barlow, H. Pearson, E. Rowlands, C. Steele, A. Cripps, 15/15 pts. No. 2, 15-bird D.B.: Trophy, E. Hamilton, 45/45; Sweep, div. A. Lewis, 21/22; C. Arnup, 44/45; H. Pearson, 26/27; F. Hobson, 22/23; A. Cripps, 18/19. No. 3, 15-bird P.D.: Trophy, A. Lewis, 60/60 pts.; Sweep, H. Pearson, 58/60; P. Barlow, 57/60 pts. No. 4, 10-bird P.D.: Sweep, div. C. Budge, E. Hamilton, E. Cripps, H. Pearson, 30/30 pts.

First shoot on the new ground, conditions very good, fine and no wind. Scores were the best ever produced on Foster records. The ladies provided the usual very good afternoon tea.

(C. G. Steele, Hon. Sec.)

**CUNNAMULLA (Qld.), 18/9/55.** — Weather conditions: light showers. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: R. Heinemann, C. Webster, J. Crouch. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Pts. (3-2): 1st, R. Heinemann; 2nd and 3rd, C. Webster and T. Hays. No. 3, 10-bird S.B. (Comp.

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Div.): W. Keane, No. 4, 10-bird S.B.: W. Davis and D. Young, No. 5, 15-bird D.B. Pts. (3-2): 1st, W. Davis; 2nd, C. Webster; 3rd, I. Hunter. No. 6, 10-bird S.B. (Club Mug): M. Cassimatis, No. 7, 15-bird D.B. Pts. (3-2): 1st, W. Davis; 2nd and 3rd, S. Stewart and E. Eerooyd. No. 8, 5-bird D.B. Walk-up (Comp. Div.): I. Hunter, E. Eerooyd, C. Webster, D. Young, W. Davis.

Light showers did not interrupt the day's programme. Congratulations to Mick Cassimatis. Bill Davis was in top form on Sunday, by far the best shooter of the day. We look forward to seeing more members present at our next shoot.

(F. Osborne, Hon. Sec.)

BEAUFORT (V.), 24/9/55.—Weather conditions: wet and dull, windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird C.D.: A. C. Broadbent, L. McGregor, M. Luhrs, Blackmore, E. Bevin, R. Severino, H. Thompson, C. D. Keith, F. Taylor, A. Smith, H. Bantz, Cornsthorpas. No. 2, 15-bird D.B.: B. Shepherd, 23/23; M. Luhrs, 22/23; R. McDonald, 20/23; 12/13 yd., H. Thompson. No. 3, 10-bird Points: C. D. Keith, 1st; A. E. Smith, 2nd. High Gun, C. D. Keith, 29/30.

Forty-nine shooters attended our opening — a good day's shooting, but the weather wasn't with us, as it rained and was dull and windy. Our new club was officially opened by the Shire President, Cr. Raddock. Our sincere thanks go out for all neighbouring clubs who assisted us. Vic Harrison and Claude Campbell were referees.

(L. S. McGregor, Hon. Sec.)

SURAT (Qld.), Sept. 17 and 18. — No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: 12 possibles, div. No. 2, 20-bird S.B. (Warroo C'ship): 1st, K. Cameron, 50/50; 2nd, T. Hegarty, 49/50; 3rd, W. White, 29/30. No. 3, 30-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, B. Scott, 95/95; 2nd, C. Seis, 94/95; 3rd, A. Seis, 84/85; 12/13 ydr., D. Fletcher, 28/30. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. Point: 1st, R. Perkins, 60/60; 2nd and 3rd, div. B. Siddins, S. Dunn, B. Johnson, 59/60.

2nd Day.—No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 19 possibles, div. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. (Warroo C'ship): 1st, K. Richardson, 40/40; 2nd, K. Bassett, 39/40; 3rd, L. Stewart, 24/25; 12/13 yd., S. Schwennesen, 24/30. No. 3, 60-bird D.B. £100 H'cap: 1st, div. K. Richardson, T. Hegarty and C. Seis, 58/60; 12/13 yd., D. Gilmour, 53/60. Aggregate Trophy over the two days, T. Hegarty, 135/140.

(K. D. Bassett, Hon. Sec.)

WERRIBEE (V.), 10/9/55.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Points: P. Mark, 15/15. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Trophy Shoot: J. Ford (Geelong), 1st, 33/34; W. Abbott, 32/34, 2nd; R. Krentzlin (Geelong), 12/13; Front Marker, P. Sadler, 9/10. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: J. Ford (Geelong), R. Krentzlin (Geelong), P. Mark, T. Powell, div., 9/10. No. 4, 3 pr. D. Rise: W. Slattery, 3/3.

A good day for shooting, though light head wind made occasional birds difficult. Attendance was good, considering the effect of football finals. We were again pleased to welcome Geelong visitors. The day's highlight was the shoot-off between J. Ford (Geelong) and W. Abbott, our Asst. Secretary. Congratulations to both shooters on a fine performance. The club's automatic trap, in use for the first time, worked perfectly. We are all indebted to member P. Byers for the job he did in installing the trap.

(T. H. Powell, Hon. Sec.)

ALBURY (N.S.W.), 24/9/55. — Weather conditions: cold wind and showers. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 19 div. No. 2, £25 H'cap (10-bird D.B.): div. J. A. Elliott, Iell, O. Kealey, J. Pampa, L. Holden, R. Heriot, G. White, K. McDonald, K. Elliott, L. Hanel, W. Mason, H. Chapple, O. Lorensene, D. Gittings, 10/10. No. 3, Trophy (10-bird S.B.): K. H. Wilson, 15/15. No. 4, Miss-out: div. W. Mason, L. Hanel, J. A. Elliott, J. Pampa.

The first shoot of our newly formed club started well with a roll-up of 46 shooters. Many thanks to Holbrook, Baranduda, Wodonga and other visiting shooters for making our openings such a success.

(K. McA. Spalding, Pres.)

KEMPSEY (N.S.W.), 24/7/55. — Weather conditions: dull and overcast, with showers of rain. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: J. Tufrey, M. Harbrow, W. Saul, J. Goodsell, A. Oliver, R. Page, 5/5, div. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. Points: C. Bell, J. Ferguson, M. Harbrow, W. Saul, J. Smith, J. Goodsell, H. Franki, R. Page, M. Healey, 15/15, div. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Points: J. Tufrey, C. Bell, J. Ferguson, D. Doak, W. J. Forbes, P. Ryan, 30/30, div. No. 4, Novice. No. 5, 20-bird D.B.: C. Bell, M. Harbrow, W. Saul, A. Oliver, 20/20, div.; special prize donated for H. Franki, J. W. Forbes, J. Ferguson, J. Goodsell, 19/20. No. 6, Novice. No. 7, 10-bird S.B.: C. Bell and W. Saul, 10/10, div.; J. Ferguson, R. Single, J. Forbes, G. Eltrington, P. Page, No. 8, 5 pr. D. Rise: J. Tufrey and Roy Single, div., 4/5; C. Bell, C. Kemp, M. Harbrow, A. Oliver, J. Goodsell, div., 3/5.

The weather was dull and overcast, with some heavy showers during the day. This shoot was held at Port Macquarie by the Tempy Gun Club in aid of charity, with intentions of assisting to reform the Port Macquarie Gun Club. We hope in the future that that centre will have a solid club formed.

6/8/55. — Weather conditions: very fair early, bad light later in afternoon. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: F. Thurman, 5/5; W. Saul and H. Kemp, div., 4/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Points: F. Thurman, 30/30; Dr. S. Marsh, 28/30; W. Saul and C. Kemp, 26/30, div. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: W. Saul, 10/10; H. Mortimer and Dr. S. Marsh, 9/10, div. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: W. Saul and C. Kemp, 5/5, div.; H. Kemp and Dr. Marsh, 4/5, div. No. 5, 5-bird D.B. Points: Dr. S. Marsh, 14/15; W. Saul, F. Thurman, B. Cameron, H. Mortimer, 12/15, div. No. 6, 3 pr. D. Rise: R. Brown, W. Saul, Dr. Marsh, 2/3, div. No. 7, 5-bird S.B.: C. Kemp, 5/5; F. Thurman and Dr. S. Marsh, 4/5, div.

Weather conditions were very fair, only the light failed later in the afternoon.

3/9/55.—Weather conditions: general average condition. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: A. Oliver, C. Bell, T. Thurman, J. Smith, S. Marsh, W. Saul, J. Forbes, P. Sheridan, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: A. Oliver, W. Saul, C. Bell, J. Goodsell, J. Forbes, 10/10, div. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Points: C. Bell, 30/30; J. Goodsell, J. Forbes, D. Doak, 29/30. No. 4, 10-bird S.B.: W. Saul and C. Bell, 10/10, div; S. Marsh, B. Cameron, F. Thurman, 9/10, div. No. 5, 5-bird D.B. Points: C. Bell, J. Goodsell, S. Marsh, C. Kemp, div., 15/15. No. 6, 3-bird D.B.: C. Kemp, S. Marsh, 3/3, div.; H. Franki, A. Oliver, F. Thurman, J. Goodsell, J. Forbes, P. Sheridan, 2/3, div. No. 7, 3-bird Walk-



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A good roll-up of shooters, and most of the shooters scored well—we notice a steady improvement in their shooting. Weather was fairly good throughout the afternoon.  
(H. Franki, Hon. Sec.)

FOOTSCRAY (V.), 3/9/55.—Weather conditions: squally, making the birds vary in flight, making shooting tricky but interesting. Attendance very good, including visitors from as far as Mildura. We hope Brickly Pollard enjoyed his day with us. 5-bird S.B.: won by Les Austin, 13/13; Bill Scott, 2nd, 12/13. Main event, 20 birds (10 S.B., 10 D.B.): Jack Bryant Senr., 19/20; Les Austin, 2nd, 33/35; Jack Headland, 3rd, 32/35; Front Marker Trophy went to the young shooter, R. Hall. We then held two Skeet events; these were won by J. Bryant Senr. and J. Headland. In all, a great day. I must congratulate our Hon. Sec.

17/9/55.—With perfect weather conditions, this club held its Club D'ville Doubles C'ship, limited to single barrel only; the boys seemed to suddenly lack confidence in not having the second to fall back on. The C'ship won by F. Burns and N. Guy, 13/15; L. Goff and L. Austin, 16/20 prs., 2nd. The preceding event, 3 pr. D. Rise, was won by L. Austin, 3/3; G. and N. McFarlane, 4/6 prs., div. 11 rounds Skeet: F. Burns, 11/11, 1st; B. Kelly, 11/14, 2nd; L. Austin, 10/14, 3rd. 9 rounds Skeet: J. Headland, 9/9.

I personally would like to thank those visitors, club members and ladies who all help to make our shoots the success that they are.  
(L. V. Austin, President.)

LISMORE (N.S.W.), 10/9/55.—Weather conditions: windy and showery. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: D. Powell, B. W. Smith, J. Brugg, J. Callinan, 5/5. No. 2, 20-bird D.B.: J. Callinan, 55/60 pts., 1st; B. W. Smith, 55/60, 2nd; D. Powell, 54/60, 3rd. No. 3, 20-bird S.B.: J. Heiman, 19/20, 1st; J. Callinan, 18/20, 2nd; B. W. Smith, 17/20, 3rd. No. 4, E. Buchanan: B. W. Smith, 27/30 pts., 1st; K. Suffolk, 26/30, 2nd; L. Sharpe, 23/30, 3rd. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: K. Suffolk, D. Powell, L. Sharpe, J. Brugg, div., 3/5 prs. No. 6, 5 pr. D'ville Doubles No. 1, K. Suffolk and D. Powell, L. Sharpe and B. W. Smith, div., 5/5. No. 7, 5 pr. D'ville Doubles No. 2: J. Heiman and J. Callinan, L. Sharpe and B. W. Smith, div., 5/5.

Conditions were difficult early in the afternoon, with gusty winds and showers. High Guns for the shoot were J. Callinan and B. W. Smith, with 42/45 kills. Club D'ville Doubles Championship will be shot on November 12th this year.  
(Sid Elphick, Hon. Sec.)

SALE (V.), 3/9/55.—Weather conditions: cold, windy, rain. Results: No. 1, 10-bird P/D.: H. Pearson, M. Atkinson and K. Elston, div., 30/30 pts. No. 2, £25 Cash H'cap (20 birds): L. Bourbaud, C. Steele, M. Atkinson, T. Gleson, Stan Collins, L. Schlipalius, L. Elston, div., 19/20. No. 3, Trophy: 1st, Stan Collins; 2nd, T. Pederson, and M. Atkinson, 3rd. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: div. L. Bourbaud, P. Rowley, H. Guyatt, R. Glover, Ted Beal, T. Pederson.  
(L. J. Robinson, Hon. Sec.)

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**GERALDTON (W.A.).**—Great Northern Districts D.B. C'ship attracted 52 competitors. Nine scored the possible. Shoot-off: C. Ferguson (Perth) "killed" a total of 60 in succession to gain 1st place; 2nd, T. Young (Katanning); 3rd, R. Alexander (Perth). During the event the above three competitors and N. Wells (Capel) all recorded breaks of 50 "birds" or more. Yardage handicap trophies were won by W. Hopkins (12 yds.), F. Cottam (13 yds.), R. Yates (14 yds.), W. Brice (15 yds.) and N. Wells (16 yds. and over).

Fifty-six nominations for the State Inter. S.B. C'ship, and W. Brice (Perth) being the only entrant to score the possible. Six competitors scored 17/20 and in a shoot-off for the minor places A. Hunter (Geraldton) and E. Clegg (Katanning) were 2nd and 3rd respectively. Yardage handicap trophies were won by G. Gardiner (12 yds.), L. Beeck (13 yds.), J. Glass (14 yds.), W. Hewitt (15 yds.) and L. Jones (16 yds.). This event was open only to shooters whose Association handicap was 16 yards or less. The longer markers' shoot: J. Heal (Kellerberrin), 1st; H. Colliver (Perth), 2nd; T. Young (Katanning), 3rd. Eleven ladies participated in the women's event, won by Mrs. J. Jones, 8/10. Twenty-nine pairs participated in the Great Northern District D'ville Doubles, and 1st place went to two Geraldton members in R. Elliott and G. Elliott. The leading sextette in this shoot were: R. Elliott and G. Elliott, 1st; C. Ferguson and L. Smith, 2nd; N. Wells and R. Yates, 3rd; T. Young and D. Hilton, 4th; W. Brice and T. Blakeley, 5th; A. Hunter and P. Hunter, 6th.

The major event of the week-end was the State D. Rise C'ship. Both G. Elliott and L. Solomons had shot 12 pairs of targets at the end of the preliminary round and in the shoot-off Elliott gained the honours; 3rd place, T. Blakeley. Yardage trophies awarded in this event were as follows: R. Elliott (12 yds.), D. Hilton (13 yds.), K. Barker (14 yds.), W. Hewitt (15 yds.) and E. Metcalf (16 yds. and over).

The £100 H'cap drew 51 competitors. The possible 30 birds were downed by J. Glass, J. Rieupero, E. Metcalf and K. Hunter, and in the shoot-off J. Glass emerged the winner with 55 straight; J. Rieupero, one bird behind, and K. Hunter, 49/50. The yardage trophies won in the event were: R. Elliott (12 yds.), J. Jones (13 yds.), K. Barker (14 yds.), R. Yates (15 yds.) and E. Metcalf (16 yds. and over).

(P. J. Henderson, Secretary.)

**MYER'S FLAT (V.), 28/9/55.**—Weather conditions: fair. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. (3 Trophies): 1st, C. Howells; 2nd, F. Harding; 3rd, T. Wilson. No. 2, 10-bird Pts. (Trophies 1st, 2nd and 12 yds.): 1st, C. Howells; 2nd, G. Smith; 12 yd., D. McQuarler. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. (Trophies 1st and 2nd): 1st, A. B. Mountjoy; 2nd, D. Mountjoy. No. 4, M/O. S'take: 1st, C. Howells.

A feature of the night was the shooting of C. Howells, 69/70.

(W. Santon, Hon. Sec.)

**RIVERSIDE (N.S.W.), 17/9/55.**—Weather conditions: bad. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. E. Redman and F. Stranieri, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: div. E. Redman, T. Chandler, 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: div. L. Brown, T. Chandler, 10/10. No. 4, 5-bird Point Score: div. E. Redman, B. Walker, F. Stranieri, 15/15 pts. No. 5, 5-bird D.B.:

div. E. Redman, L. Brown, B. Walker, F. Stranieri, N. Smith, 5/5. No. 6, 15-bird D.B.: L. Brown, 15/15. No. 7, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: div. E. Redman, F. Stranieri, 10/10. No. 8, 5-bird D.B. Walk-up: div. E. Redman, L. Brown, C. Grills, 5/5. No. 9, 10-bird Point Score: T. Chandler, 30/30 pts. No. 10, 5-bird D'ville Doubles: T. Chandler and F. Stranieri, 10/10. No. 11, 5-bird D. Rise: E. Redman, 4/5. No. 12, 5-bird Pt. Score: div. T. Chandler, H. Tucker, F. Stranieri, 15/15 pts.

Weather conditions were very windy and gusty, making it most difficult to catch up with the clays.

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

**BANGALL (Qld.), 25/9/55.**—Weather conditions: fine, no wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: H. Finney, 7/7, 1st; E. R. Peters and A. McKenzie, 6/7, 2nd. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: A. Bray, 13/13, 1st; C. J. Hoffman, 12/13, 2nd; 4 others, 4/5, 3rd. No. 3, 5-bird Pts.: G. R. Poole, 30/30, 1st; C. J. Hoffman, 27/30, 2nd; 2 others, 20/21, 3rd. No. 4, 20-bird Point: E. T. Gloster, 55/60, 1st; C. J. Hoffman, 55/60, 2nd; J. Crombie, 54/60, 3rd; best 12 ydr., P. C. Johnson, 53/60. No. 5, 20-bird S.B.: D. A. Parry-Oken, 18, 1st; C. J. Hoffman, 18/22, 2nd; E. T. Gloster, 17/22, 3rd. No. 6, 3 prs. D. Rise: P. C. Johnson, 3, 1st; 5 others, 2, 2nd. No. 7, 5-bird D.B. (Strange Guns): G. R. Poole and K. Brown, 5, 1st; 3 others, 4, 3rd. No. 8, Ladies' 5-bird D.B.: M. G. Peters, 5, 1st; Miss D. Utting, 3, 2nd.

Our next shoot will be on November 5th, so shooters who can't do any good with their guns can try with rockets after sundown.

(J. Crombie, Hon. Sec.)

**ROBE (S.A.), 11/9/55.**—Weather conditions: fine and clear. Results: No. 1, 10-bird: A. M. McDonald, A. S. Megaw, M. Earl, J. Powell, D. Gibbs, H. H. Sneath, A. McKenzie, E. Shultz, div., 10/10. No. 2, 50 20-bird H'cap: div. P. Powell, A. McKenzie, 20/20; 3rd, div. A. Lannin, H. H. Sneath, R. Cullen, 19/20. No. 3, M.O.: A. Messenger, No. 4, 3 prs. D. Rise: div. A. Messenger, R. Cullen, 3/3.

Visiting shooters from Adelaide, Kaniva (V.), Penola, Narracoorte, Glencoe, Kingston (S.E.). An ideal afternoon for shooting. The Robe C.W.A. ladies provided an excellent lunch and afternoon tea.

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

**COWRA (N.S.W.), 24/9/55.**—Weather conditions: cloudy, with slight wind. Results: No. 1: div. C. Campbell, A. Campbell, E. Bryce, A. Lanham, S. Bressington, W. Toshack, R. Toshack, R. Blazley, P. Cusack, H. Jacques, K. Soames Jnr., G. Pardey, J. Ford, J. Chambers, O. Roberts, L. Bird, 5/5. No. 2: div. K. Soames Snr., P. Cusack, O. Roberts, G. Elliott, A. Campbell, J. Ford, 5/5. No. 3, Club D. Rise C'ship: C. Campbell, 11/11. No. 4: div. P. Cusack, K. Soames Jnr., C. Campbell, R. Toshack, S. Bressington, 5/5. No. 5: div. G. Pardey, S. Bressington, C. Campbell, G. Elliott, A. Campbell, H. Rothery, H. Jacques, J. Baker, R. Blazley, K. Soames Jnr., R. Toshack, O. Roberts, 5/5.

Shooting was of a particularly high standard and many shared in the sweepstakes. Visitors included Peter Cusack (President of Boorowa Gun Club), with some members of his club as well as Mandurama and Bathurst clubs. Our next shoot will be an open shoot to be held on 29th October, to which we

# BALMORAL GUN CLUB

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**Saturday, 26th November, 1955**

Commencing 10 a.m.

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(L. F. Bird, Hon. Sec.)

**QUEANBEYAN (N.S.W.).** — Queanbeyan Gun Club conducted an open shoot on 24/9/55 under pleasant shooting conditions, with a large number of shooters, many from distant places, including two from New Zealand. The main event of the day was the Deauville Doubles Championship of Southern Districts of New South Wales. Won by two club members, R. Sands and W. Ryall, both from the Cooma District, with Mick Smith and Mal Fuller (Sydney), runners-up.

\* Results: 10-bird D.B. (C.D.): M. Edlington, M. Fuller, M. Smith, D. Wareham, J. Collins, F. Morton, A. McIntosh, V. Wallace, A. E. Vost, J. Griffin, W. Woodhouse, R. Sands, R. Hedger, F. Vost, A. Bradley, J. A. Medway and K. Webster, 10/10, div. 10-bird Point Score: 1st, E. Hallam; best 12/13 yds., G. N. Morton. 10 prs. D'ville Doubles: W. Mackay and V. Wallace, M. Edlington and A. Lees, A. Bradley and O. Hallam, F. Morton and G. Morton, W. Woodhouse and R. Weston, D. Wareham and R. Savage, J. A. Medway and K. Webster, C. Lees and J. Tilyard, R. Sands and W. Ryall, J. Watt and L. Blewitt, 10/10 prs., div. 20 prs. D'ville Doubles C'ship of Southern Districts of N.S.W.: 1sts, R. Sands and W. Ryall, 42 prs.; 2nds, M. Smith and M. Fuller, 41 prs. 20-bird D.B. 5/5 H'cap: D. Wareham, R. Orford, F. Vost, T. Davis, H. Heat and S. Lamb, 20/20, div.

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

**NARRANDERA (N.S.W.).** — Narrandera Club conducted a double championship shoot on Saturday, 24th Sept., when 45 shooters attended from Hay, Griffith, Leeton, Barellan, Sydney, Wangaratta, Wagga, Tullibigeal, Temora, Holbrook and Mangoplah. The club also welcomed Mr. Tabart from Wellington (N.Z.).

No. 1, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: 9 shot possible 10/10, div., E. Vonarx (Wagga), A. W. Tyack, W. Loftus (Tullibigeal), F. R. Hudson, P. Hudson (Sydney), R. McNamara (Griffith), W. Rolfs (Narrandera), A. Headon (Hay) and E. Albert (Barellan). No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: 13 9/10, div., F. Hudson, A. W. Tyack, R. Bushby, E. Vonarx, A. Headon, E. Albert, W. Birkin (Wagga), J. Headon, R. Headon (Hay), J. Reith, L. Sim, W. Cross (Tullibigeal) and M. Webb (Leeton). No. 3, Cent. Riverina S.B. C'ship (20 birds, 16 yds.): two shooters shot possible 20/20, L. Tyack (Tullibigeal) and N. Taylor (Hay). Four shooters shot 19/20 and shot off for 3rd. Shoot-off: L. Tyack, 30/30, 1st; N. Taylor, 28/30, 2nd; F. Hudson, 38/40, 3rd. W. Loftus and F. Atkinson (Narrandera) div. front markers, 18/20. No. 4, Riverina D'ville Doubles C'ship (20 prs., 16 yds.): 4 pairs shot 20/20. Shoot-off: F. Hudson and Newton Thomas, 65/65, 1st; G. S. McConville and P. Hudson, 63/65, 2nd; J. Headon and N. Milliken, 49/50, 3rd. No. 5, 240 H'cap: 6 shooters shot possible 20/20, div. Newton Thomas, W. Thomas (Oaklands), R. Grossman (Wangaratta), R. Bailey (Tullibigeal), M. Webb, F. Atkinson. No. 6, 7 pairs of D. Rise: div., 6/7 prs., R. Headon, Max Gibson, F. Atkinson.

(R. Bushby (Sec.).

**WARRACKNABEAL (V.).** 7/8/55. — Weather conditions: cold night, gusty wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: div. R. Schilling, L. Giddings, A. J. Milbourne, P. Jones, J. Armstrong, E. Giddings, G. Vogel. No. 2, 5-bird Trophy: Sweep, K. Hart, W. Peters,

C. Ricketts, L. Lynch, L. Broughton, W. Harrop, I. Holland, E. Giddings, J. Pearce, J. Perrin; Trophies, 1st, K. Hart; 2nd, W. Harrop; 12 yds., L. Broughton. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: div. R. Schilling, S. Peters, W. Peters, L. Hannel, A. Peters, G. Dunn, L. Lynch, L. Broughton, P. Jones, L. Henderson, J. Pearce, G. Vogel, L. Giddings. No. 4, 3 pr. D'ville Doubles: R. Schilling and S. Peters, L. Giddings and A. J. Milbourne, W. Peters and L. Broughton, L. Lynch and K. Schilling, S. R. Peters and G. Dunn. No. 5, 3 pr. D. Rise: K. Hart. No. 6, M.O.: L. Henderson, L. Broughton, S. R. Peters, L. Lynch.

Despite the cold night, there was a good turn-out of shooters, with visitors from Melbourne, Donald and Beulah.

21/9/55. — Weather conditions: changeable. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: div. D. Winfield, S. Williams, B. Maxwell, R. Forsyth, A. Peters, S. Peters, L. Giddings, L. Hannel, R. Schilling, G. Vogel. No. 2, 5-bird: Sweep, S. Williams, A. Peters, A. Holland, W. Wilde, A. Wollerman, C. Ricketts, S. McCreddin, A. Hinneberg; Trophies, 1st, A. Wollerman; 2nd, S. McCreddin; 12 yds., W. Wilde. No. 3, 5-bird: div. D. Winfield, A. Peters, A. Wollerman, S. McCreddin, R. Schilling, G. Vogel, G. McIntyre, I. Holland, W. Peters. No. 4, D'ville Doubles: A. Hinneberg and C. Ricketts, J. Shannon and E. Giddings. No. 5, D. Rise: W. Vogel, W. Peters, L. Giddings, A. Hinneberg, 2/3. No. 6, Miss-out: W. Vogel, S. McCreddin, W. Peters, L. Giddings, A. Hinneberg.

Early in the night a tail wind made birds dive quickly and many shooters were left scratching to pick them up. Visitors from Underbool, Hopetoun, Beulah and Dimboola.

(C. Ricketts, Hon. Sec.)

**Combined S.A. GUN CLUBS (Milang).** Sunday, 4/9/55. — No. 1, 10-bird Trophy: 1st, J. Taylor; 2nd, G. Knight; 13 yd. Trophy, R. Bishop; 12 yd. Trophy, K. Brennan. No. 2, 10-bird Vivian Trophy (Pts. 3-2): 1st, E. Vivian; 2nd, J. Woodrow; 13 yd., T. V. Roberts; 12 yd., E. Lewis. No. 3, 10-bird Potts Trophy: 1st, J. Kallin; 2nd, C. Bagley; 13 yd., K. Brennan; 12 yd., E. Perry. (J. Kallin, Sec.)

### **SOUTH AUSTRALIAN**

South Australian D.B. Night Clay C'ship (shot 3/9/55) (39 competitors) was won by K. Mules being the only shooter to score 30/30. Five shooters scored 29/30, namely R. Mules, L. Sheringham, F. Starling, A. W. Commons and P. L. Johncock. These five shot for second trophy, which was won by L. Sheringham, 25/25; in the shoot-off, A. W. Commons, 3rd, 24/25; 12 yd. Trophy, Ron E. Brown.

**Saturday, 10/9/55** (35 shooters): £20 H'cap Eye-opener Sweep: 17 div. 5/5. £20 H'cap: 11 div., 15/15, Collins, Vivian, Riddway, Grimm, R. Bishop, Duller, Spain, Brennan, Grigg, A. W. Forbes and Phelps. Sweep: div. Collins, Curtis, Powell, Grimm, Fleetwood, Spain, F. Starling, D. Phelps, T. Irish, 15/15. A trophy, shot in conjunction with this event, won by A. E. Collins, 70/70; C. Spain, 2nd, 69/70.

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### *1956 Annual Carnival*

Shooting Dates and Times:

**Thursday, 19th January** - - - 7.15 p.m.

Practice shoot only. Scores will not count  
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**Saturday, 21st January** - - - 9.30 a.m.

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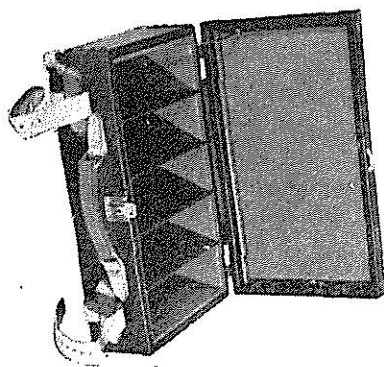
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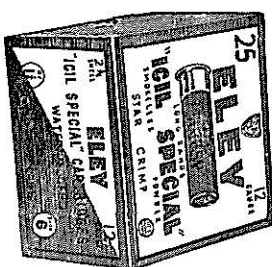
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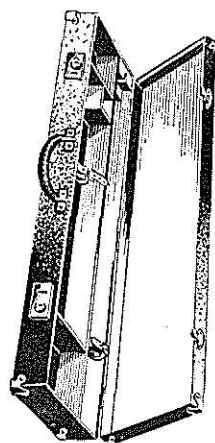
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