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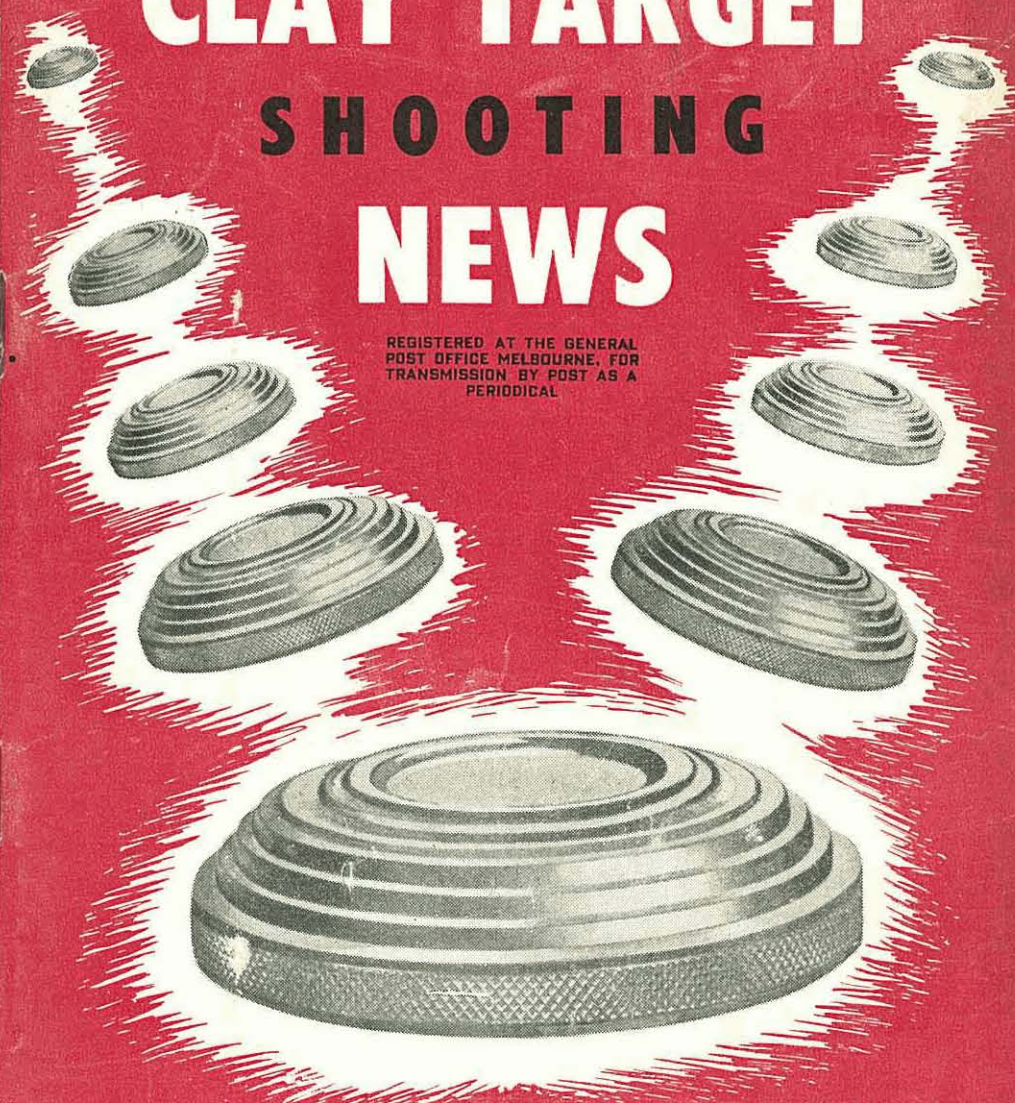
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The Editor's Notebook



In recent weeks quite a number of complaints have reached the Association office, principally from shooters, complaining that excessive nomination fees have been charged by clubs conducting open championships (mainly District titles) and also that little regard is being paid to the stipulated mark from which major events are shot.

In dealing with these complaints it might be mentioned that in no case has the complainant directly named the club concerned.

It is pointed out that the Association lays down the yardage and nomination fee to be charged in all open championship events. If club secretaries or any other officials operating these events are not certain of the conditions governing an open championship contest they should make application to the Association office for the necessary information. It appears to be an absurd situation where on the day of the event no official is sure of his ground and is unable to directly state what are the conditions governing a major shoot. Such assurance should be obtained as part of the organization of the particular shoot.

One shooter recently wrote in to the Association stating that he had been charged 35/- nomination for entry into a District Championship. The correct fee for this type of event is 25/-. In another case a hearsay report has been received that a major title event was shot from the wrong mark — this has happened on two occasions.

The Association lays down all the conditions of title events — i.e. yardage, number of targets and nomination fee, and these conditions are required to be strictly observed, otherwise the position could arise where a major title shot under other than the Association conditions could be ruled a "no shoot".

For the information of all concerned, the Championship Conditions governing all Commonwealth, State and District Championships are published in this issue. All interested and concerned should keep this month's issue as a file copy for future guidance.

Clubs are reminded that the next Association Executive Committee Meeting will be held in Melbourne at the end of October. Any item for the Agenda of that meeting should reach the Secretary of the Association (Box 2038 S, G.P.O., Melbourne, C.I.) not later than October 10, 1958. Also, a reminder is again issued regarding applications for 1959 Open Championships. Applications for permission to shoot these events in 1959 are required to reach the Association not later than October 1, 1958. Applications will then be listed and dealt with by the Executive Committee during the meeting referred to. The Official 1959 Allocation of Championships will appear in the November 1958 issue of "News", which is available to clubs and individual registered shooters. A further reminder is also issued in that clubs not applying for 1959 Championships will not be considered when the Official Allocation is being carried out.

The often discussed point of "what is a novice shooter" had led to many varying opinions and also many variations in handicap recommendations to the Association.

As a point of interest, the Port Pirie Club in South Australia has kindly sent along its local definition, which on analysis appears to have considerable merit.

The club works, in regard to novice shooters, on the following lines: "A novice is one who has not broken 5 clay targets in succession and is entitled to shoot from the 12-yard mark. On achieving a 5-bird break off the gun, the novice will move back one yard on the next day of shooting and continue from this mark until he breaks his next 5 in succession in any one match, be it practice or competition, when he will retreat another yard. This system will continue until a 5-bird break is achieved from 16 yards and the shooter is no longer classed as a club novice. In addition to this the 12 and 13 yard novices will claim a handicap of 2 'kills' and the 14, 15 and 16 yard novices one 'kill' in each 10-bird event."

The only section of the foregoing to which much opposition would be likely to be voiced could come from the last paragraph. The allowance of one bird to 14, 15 and 16 yarders does not seem to fit into the "picture" of the earlier mentioned section of the system. It would seem that once a shooter is good enough to shoot on 16 yards he should not benefit from any allowance — the same should apply to 14 and 15 yarders.

Many instances are abroad at present of shooters sporting 50 and 75 break badges shooting in front of 16 yards. A shooter capable of breaking 50 straight is very favourably placed if shooting in front of 16 yards.

A shooter recently wrote to the Association seeking the registration of a shooting name, or non-de-plume. For the information of all, it is advised that the A.C.T.A. does not now permit shooting names, that is to say "new" shooting names. Those at present carrying shooting names are well known to the Association

officials and all have been known under these names for many years. Inclusion of newly arranged shooting names was withdrawn by the Association several years ago. One of the main reasons for the withdrawal was the fact that on some occasions shooters used the "non-de-plume" and on other occasions used their own names. This led to untold confusion and it was considered that shooting names served no useful purpose and the privilege (if it can be termed as such) was withdrawn.

An English publication recently published an article on "Why Clubs Fail". The article is of some interest here. It reads, "Why do clubs go downhill? This should be studied with great care. If a club is a small one, then shooters should shoot and enjoy themselves. If the aim of the club is to conduct Open Championships then these should be limited to one or two a year. It is better for club members whose interest is in handling a gun occasionally and enjoying themselves at reasonable cost to be catered for adequately than the staging of bigger events. Non-adherence to rules laid down previously is another bad thing. In all fairness to all members, rules should not be relaxed — this breeds more discontent than the upsetting of one member by sticking to the rules. All the same, rules must be applied with a little common sense, and a request for a variation under certain circumstances should be considered by those members of the club committee present on the ground. One particular offence that I have in mind is that of late arrivals. I always argue that a shoot should start on time and that anyone arriving after the time at which entries are advertised to close should be told that his entry cannot be considered. Here again there might be a little common sense used, and if the intention had been to arrive on time, but weather or an accident had caused delay, then is the time for a committee to get busy and review the particular case in question."

One generation plants the trees — another gets the shade.

—Chinese saying.

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Anti-Cancer Appeal.

Mr. McCullough,

I have much pleasure, on behalf of our Apsley Club, to present to you a cheque for the sum of £5, £3/6/8 of which was donated at our last trophy shoot and the balance from club funds.

We ask you to forward on this money at the proper time and would like to see it acknowledged in Shooter's News.

Thanking you,

(Signed) W. T. CALDOW,

Hon. Secty. Apsley Gun Club.

(Editor's Note — Thanks to Apsley Club. Donation will be forwarded to appropriate authorities immediately. — Ed.)

Dane Gunners of the Gambia

(Reprinted from "West Africa" by kind permission of the Editor)

Even the casual visitor to the Gambia River Protectorate is struck by the number of men he sees bearing firearms of an unusual pattern. When he learns that almost all are always loaded except during the time it takes to recharge them he may take a closer, if rather uneasy, interest in them.

Sixty years and more ago these peaceable farmers used such weapons to defend their homes against the marauding war bands of the little rulers of parish-sized kingdoms. Indeed, some of the weapons used in those days are still in use now.

Their names, too, are even older than the oldest guns to be seen. The commonest name, "dane gun", implies no connection with Denmark, but is a corruption of a Mandinka word meaning "hunting". Older names used to describe the more outsize and forbidding of them are *hulanfiso*, "the fowling piece", and *bulandibaso*, "the blunderbuss". The latter is a word that can only have been imported with the goods it described in the 17th or 18th century.

The guns are of simple construction. A barrel, plugged at the nearer end and fitted with a hollow nipple just in front of the plug, is bound tightly with wire to the wooden stock and fore-end combined in one piece; into this is fitted the lock operating a flat hammer falling on to the nipple.

The only accessories are a number of charms stitched in small leather covers which are attached to the stock to ensure sharp sight, a good aim, and freedom from burst barrels.

In the 30 years before the war many of these guns were imported for sale by trading firms, but since the war they have not been obtainable. Repairs are carried out by local craftsmen. Gambia carpenters can make stocks out of local wood. Blacksmiths—whose normal trade is in hoes and axe blades—can make a serviceable barrel out of a length of water piping, without asking where it came from. Until recently they could not make a lock, but now, to meet the challenge of the shortage, several blacksmiths have learnt by experiment and the whole weapon can be made in the Gambia.

Recognising that it is wisest to know the extent to which this small and rather unwelcome industry is adding to the task of controlling the trade in arms and ammunition, the Government rather wryly licenses these "factories"—the one at Wuli being perhaps inevitably known as the Wuli Arsenal. It goes a little further by importing the gunpowder and the brass percussion caps for sale to the gunners in order to keep a hand on the scale of operations. The guns themselves, whether imported or

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Saturday, 16th August:

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30 BIRDS D.B. from 20 yards.

A £50 shoot, divided 60%, 30% and 10%.

followed by the

Commonwealth Double Barrel Championship

40 Birds from 20 yds. 10/- and 5/- Op. Sweeps.

Saturday, 23rd August:

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Saturday, 30th August:

15 BIRDS D.B. SWEEPSTAKE. Nom., 15/-.

30 BIRDS D.B. TROPHY EVENT. Nom., 30/-.

1st, 2nd, 3rd, plus 2 Front-marker Trophies.

Saturday, 6th September:

Full SKEET Programme.

Saturday, 13th September:

15 BIRDS D.B. SWEEPSTAKE. Nom., 15/-.

15 BIRDS D.B. TROPHY EVENT. Nom., 15/-.

15 BIRD S.B. SWEEPSTAKE. Nom., 15/-.

PLEASE NOTE: A Shooting Class will be conducted on those days listed for the Skeet programme.

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locally made, must be licensed annually after an inspection designed to determine whether they are safe to use for another year. The combined results of repairs to old guns and the local production of new ones present a very odd collection of weapons ranging from those of immense length and not a little elegance to short, ugly things descended from the type carried on stage coaches as a defence against highwaymen.

For ammunition the dane gunner prefers to rely on local resources. Lead he thinks to be a poor, soft substitute for iron as a material for missiles which he makes by breaking pieces off an old cast-iron cooking pot. These jagged pieces, each about $\frac{1}{4}$ inch square, are believed to have lethal qualities distinctly superior to those of round lead balls.

To load, a surprising number of these iron slugs—or by those who believe in "one shot in the right place" a short length of iron bar—is rammed down on a heavy charge of powder. The cap is then placed ready upon the nipple and the hammer lowered on to the cap to keep it in place. Remonstrances about this last precaution are received with disdain.

If imported caps cannot be had, the gunner still has his resources. He takes a box of matches and first removes some of the thin blue paper from the bottom. This he ties over the nipple with a thread pulled from his coat. Next he takes a match and scrapes a little of the head on to the top of the paper-covered nipple. He then cuts a small piece off the part of the box against which the matches are struck and binds this with more thread from his coat and more paper from the bottom of the box so that it lies on the nipple in direct contact with the scrapings from the match.

The hammer when released will now strike the two together and cause fire to travel down the touch-hole in the nipple to ignite the charge. There is a preference for carrying out this process with the guns already loaded with powder and shot; impudent as this may seem, it is at least preferable to the only other possible course which is to ram the charge down a barrel already capped and liable to ignite the powder if at all clumsily handled.

The hunter is now ready for his game. This may be a small saddle antelope or the even smaller duiker, surprised at daybreak at the edge of the thick forest; a francolin, perhaps a guinea-fowl; or a baboon, for whose tail he can get 2/- from the Commissioner under a scheme for the eradication of these destructive brutes.

Rather more important to the Gambian than its use in filling the pot, however, is the use of the dane gun in celebrating weddings, circumcision ceremonies, and the visits of distinguished persons. The guns are then fired and reloaded and fired again, while powder lasts, into the air, into the ground—anywhere, in fact, that will give more joy to the guests and more honour to the hosts.

New Zealand National Championships

(From W. H. STEWART, Secretary, N.Z.G.C.A.)

The 1958 New Zealand Clay Target Championships held at Timaru at the end of April must be considered one of the most successful tournaments ever conducted in the trapshooting sport. Records were a daily occurrence. For the first occasion in the history of the sport the championships were shot over five traps on the Timaru Gun Club's new shooting grounds, Levels Airport, which received special preparation for this year's championships.

Each important event conducted received a record entry and the general standard of shooting was in keeping with the great entries received. Excepting the last day of the tournament, the competitors were favoured with perfect weather, and the fine scores returned were a reflection of the good shooting conditions which prevailed.

S. R. Marston (Christchurch) repeated the great effort of B. G. Begg (Kirwee), who won the National double-rise championships in 1955 and 1956 by taking this year's honours for the second year in succession. Marston

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Hay District Single Barrel Championship

20 Birds off 16 yards

1st, Sash and Trophy; 2nd and 3rd, Trophies; Trophy for
best 12/14 yards. Nom., £1/5/0.

Night Programme commencing 7.30 p.m.

10 BIRD NIGHT OPENER off 16 yards. Nom., £1.

Hay District Double Barrel (Night) Championship

20 Birds off 16 yards

1st, Sash and Trophy; 2nd and 3rd, Trophies; Trophy for
best 12/14 yards. Nom., £1/10/0.

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Gun Club Phone 160.

is recognised as one of the best double-rise shots in the country, but his performance of retaining the title against a high-class field of 147 opponents was phenomenal. Before winning at Timaru, Marston had to contest a shoot-off with A. J. C. Donald (Otahuti), D. W. Hudspith (Kaikohe), T. A. Everett (Christchurch) and W. J. Stone (Temuka), all of whom registered scores of 27 targets out of a possible 30 in the match. After a short shoot-off Marston was successful, with popular Kaikohe sportsman, Hudspith, runner-up.

D. G. Wareham (Blenheim) added to his already imposing record when he won the Dominion Skeet Championship, the second of the "Big Three" Championships. Wareham is probably the best skeet shooter, having won this title previously in 1949, 1953 and 1954. He is a former double-rise champion, having won the event in 1953. Wareham makes a habit of capturing important championships, as he has twelve island championships to his credit. This year he had to produce his best effort

to take the championship, his score of 49 targets out of 50 being equal with the highest previously recorded. His chief rival this year was the inexperienced Amberley shooter, J. C. Streeter, who produced his best effort to date by being second with a score of 48.

The feature event of the tournament, the New Zealand Single-rise Championship attracted a large field of 219 shooters, the biggest in the fifty-year history of the event. This figure compares very favourably with the number of 235 shooters in the 1958 Australian National Double-barrel Championship held in March. There are three times more trapshooters in Australia than this country.

After the 50 targets in this year's match had been completed, five competitors, the 1957 title-holder, B. W. Williams (Hastings), Wareham, W. R. Counsell (Taihape), B. G. Begg (Kirwee) and S. G. Holmes (Methven) were "all on". After a shoot-off, which went to the 13th target, Begg emerged victorious, with Holmes



N.Z. CHAMPIONSHIP WINNERS, 1958.
(L. to R.): G. Begg (Kirwee), single-rise; Newton Thomas (Melbourne), D. G. Wareham (Blenheim), skeet; and S. R. Marston (Christchurch), double-rise.

COBURG GUN CLUB

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SATURDAY, 9th AUGUST

10 BIRDS S.B. from 16 yards. Cash. Entry, 10/-.

Club Single Barrel Championship

20 Birds from 16 yards.

Trophies for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 12/16 yards.

Cash to winner. Optional Sweep. Entry, 25/-.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

SATURDAY, 23rd AUGUST

Commencing 1.30 p.m. No Pipe Opener.

Owing to the success of this event in June, here is another

40 Birds Double Barrel

in 2 Grades. Entry, £2.

Shooters 12 to 20 yards inclusive comprise A Grade and shoot from their registered marks.

B Grade is for shooters 21 yards and beyond — and all come in 5 yards.

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runner-up. Begg's success this year proved his all-round ability, as in addition to his two national double-rise championships, he is the holder of the 1957 South Island Skeet title, which he won at Rangiora last year. He represented the Dominion in the 1955 International Team and again gained selection in this year's New Zealand Team. He was the most consistent competitor at this year's tournament, as he was one of the highest scorers in the New Zealand Team and was runner-up for the A. N. Turner Memorial trophy, awarded annually to the highest scorer over the three championships.

This aggregate trophy was won by the renowned Melbourne shooter, J. Newton Thomas, who, after taking a little time to settle down to New Zealand conditions, showed his uncanny ability and consistency by scoring well in each championship. It was no new experience for this

shooter to win a major trophy, as he has recorded success in 107 major championships in his own country. He has represented Australia on 10 occasions in the annual International Match.

For the first time since 1953, when New Zealand first competed in the International Match, conditions were bad for this year's team, which shot on the concluding day of the shoot. The south-west wind tossed the targets about at irregular heights, creating conditions difficult for the shooters to overcome. England, Scotland, Wales, Ireland, Canada, Australia, South Africa and Central Africa, representing the Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland, in addition to New Zealand, compete annually in this International Match.

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Time deals gently with those who take it gently.—Anatole France.



FRONT TOP SCORERS IN NEW ZEALAND 1958 INTERNATIONAL TEAM
Front Row (L. to R.): H. C. Walker, W. R. Counsell, J. R. Thomson (high-gun), B. G. Begg, S. R. Marston, R. Cavanagh.
Back Row: R. E. McGowan, G. W. Shaw, L. J. Eden, C. Hartley.

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OPEN SHOOT

SATURDAY, 13th SEPTEMBER

(3 Traps) :: 9 a.m.

Event 1 — 5 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL EYE-OPENER

Event 2 — 15 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL
Trophies to value £20. Optional Sweep.

Event 3 —

£200 Handicap

30 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL

Nomination, £5. 1st, £80; 2nd, £40; 3rd, £20.

Best yard marker — 1st, £8; 2nd, £4. Optional Sweep.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

SATURDAY NIGHT

(2 Traps) :: 7.30 p.m.

Event 1 — 5 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL EYE-OPENER

Event 2 —

£100 Handicap

20 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL

Nomination, £3. 1st, £50; 2nd, £30; 3rd, £10.

Best 12/16 yard marker — £10.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

The Committee reserves the right to modify the above if the necessity arises.

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KEITH SOAMES, Senr., President.
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"Tips and Tails"

Atherton Club in the northern Tablelands area of Queensland announces with much regret the passing of its treasurer, Alec Moses. The demise was sudden. He had been treasurer of the Atherton Club for a long period and was one of the

club's oldest members. Alec's loss will be hard to replace. Sympathy of all is extended to his relatives.

The duck season in North Queensland opened on June 21, and good reports of success are to hand. The opening was a little later than usual due to the normal rains being late.

A Townsville report mentions the matter of the suggested Sunday shooting in Victoria and other areas where Sunday shooting is not now permitted. Rifle clubs in most parts of Queensland hold all shoots on Sundays and generally clay bird shooting is also permitted there each Sunday. In this regard the Townsville report states that no field shooting of any description is allowed on Sundays.

Eddie Rogers, who is well known on Melbourne shooting tracks, is in private life a supply Sub-Lieutenant in the R.A.N. His latest letter advises that he is now stationed at Manus Island. Eddie states that he has managed to keep his frig. well stowed with a few "quackers" and King Snipe and some local pigeon. He expects to bag a crocodile or two in due time — but this type of game has proved very cagey and tough to get at. Eddie's enthusiasm for clay target shooting has not diminished as a result of his service duties. He states that he has acquired two workable plus traps and some 6,000 targets, and hopes to have a supply of 12-gauge ammunition on hand

within a few weeks. Eddie was, some years ago, stationed in Japan, and much of the present interest in clay target shooting in that country has pronged out from his interest.

The South Australian Gun Club (Adelaide) holds its regular shoots on the first and third Sundays in each month.

Brisbane Gun Club, which shoots at Stanton Road, Tingalpa (off Wynnum Road), near Brisbane, will shoot on August 10, commencing at 10.30 a.m. Main events are the South Eastern Queensland Double-barrel Championship and the Patron's Trophy event. The donating patrons are Mr. Justice Stanley and Mr. W. O'Sullivan. Good supporting events are also listed. Afternoon tea and refreshments are provided, but intending visitors are requested to provide their own cutlery. The programme, which coincides with the Brisbane Exhibition, should attract a good field. The club expects many southern visitors to attend, particularly those holidaying on the South Coast. Full details of programme are as advertised. Meanwhile enquiries to John Tyquin (President), phone U 1892, or Secretary, Wynten W. I. Neilsen (FA 0131).

Newly appointed Secretary of the Roma Club in south-western Queensland is G. Tanner. His address is Eurella Station, Mitchell, Q.

Writing from Queanbeyan (N.S.W.) W. J. Jordan, who recently moved from Canberra A.C.T., states, "I would like to take this opportunity of saying how much I enjoy reading your wonderful little book 'The News'."

The Sale Club in the eastern Gippsland district of Victoria, writing through club secretary Len Robinson, regrets the passing of one of its stalwarts in Les Elston. Commenting on his loss, Robinson writes, "Sale Club has lost one of its oldest shooters. He was a grand supporter and a great shot. He won many championships around 1920/1930. When the present Sale Club was re-formed,



CAR SHOOT AT MILDURA (V.).

(L. to R.): Eric Bruce (President Mildura G.C.), F. Crimeen (Moonlight Flat), H. Moore (Mildura and formerly of Hay), and Association President, John Houston. Crimeen and Moore divided the car trophy.
(Don Fleetwood, Photo)

shooting under A.C.T.A. rules, Les worked very hard in every way in establishing the present grounds, and he always took a delight in teaching the young shooters the correct ways and methods to be used in becoming a worthwhile shot. His wife is indispensable at the Sale Club and has for many years looked after the shooters in the club functions and afternoon teas. Les will be long remembered by the shooters of Gippsland."

A report published by the American Wildlife Management Institute reveals that a horde of lowly meadow mice, swarming over fields and stripping of foodstuffs planted for duck and geese, has forced thousands of wildfowl to hasten their migrational flights. It appears that at Klamath Basin last autumn the tremendous build-up of field mice caused concern among public health authorities as well as farmers and conservationists. The Oregon State Game Commission reports that "what grain the mice

have not eaten, they have buried for their winter stores" and they have perforated ditch banks, making water control difficult. The mice appear to be increasing despite concentrated applications of poisons. Economic losses exceed five million dollars. Ironically, many disappointed wildfowlers are said to have "blasted away" at the large number of hawks and owls that were attracted by the army of mice.

Northam Club in Western Australia outlines a preliminary announcement concerning the open championship series at Perth Club in September and also the Northam Club's two-day fixture on October 11 and 12. At Northam shoot the Commonwealth Single-barrel title will be shot, as well as the State Walk-up title and State Deauville Doubles Championship. A £100 handicap is also included. Full details of the programme will be published in the September issue of "News". Meanwhile enquiries to G. E. Richards,

secretary, 139 Fitzgerald Street, Northam, W.A.

Quilpie Club in western Queensland has arranged a two-day fixture extending over September 13 and 14. The programme will consist of day and night shooting on both days. Main open championship is the Commonwealth Single-barrel Clay Sparrow Night title, which will be shot on the night of September 13 at 40 targets from 20 yards. Two other night titles are the S.W. Queensland Night Single and Double - barrel Championships. The Quilpie £100, a 40-target event, is also of major interest on the second day. Programme for both days is as advertised in this issue. Enquiries to W. H. Macartney, secretary, Box 42, Quilpie, Qld. (Phone 158).

Intending competitors in the Newcastle Club's (N.S.W.) big fixture, set down for October 17 and 18 next, are reminded that the major event on the extensive programme is the special car event. For this event the winner will receive an Austin Lancer Car valued at £1058, second £100, third £50, with the next seven placings gaining £12 each. All prizes are guaranteed. Preliminary announcement appears in the advertising section of this publication. Enquiries to President, D. B. Mott—telephones

(Private) MF 1639, (Business) MA 3824—or to secretary of the Newcastle Club, R. G. Morton, 4 Fawcett Street, Mayfield, N.S.W.

In the recent car shoot at Mildura only two shooters, F. Crimeen of Moonlight Flat (V.) and Harry Moore (Mildura, formerly of Hay), returned the only possibles of 30 straight and divided the value of the car. In the big field of over 150 shooters this is surprising. Four shooters missed their 30th target—concrete evidence of the strain. This recalls the win of Brian Addison of Moulamein (N.S.W.) in the Hay car shoot in 1957. Addison had garnered his possible of 30 straight and the rest of the field gradually dropped away with the exception of J. Ford of Geelong (V.). Ford was shooting with consummate ease and appeared likely to share the proceeds of the car with Addison. However, his 30th release evaded him and he shot yards behind it, leaving Addison outright winner of the car. The strain of shooting for big stakes is very great and only those who have experienced the feeling fully realise it.

Cloncurry Club in north-western Queensland has arranged a big two-day fixture for August 23 and August 24. Shooting will start on the first

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day at 1.30 p.m., and a £100 Handicap at 30 birds single-barrel is main event. On the following day a most comprehensive series of events is listed. These include a £200 Handicap at 50 birds, points scoring; a £50 Handicap under single-barrel conditions, and also a £25 Handicap, double-barrel. The programme is the biggest the Cloncurry Club has yet undertaken and officials are most optimistic regarding the support expected. Full details of programmes on both days is as advertised. Meanwhile enquiries to secretary of the Cloncurry Club, Mrs. E. A. Lemmon, Box 147, Cloncurry (Phone 98 Cloncurry). Intending visitors are advised to arrange their accommodation with as little delay as possible.

New South Wales Gun Club at Terrey Hills, just outside Sydney, will shoot the Sydney Double-barrel Clay Sparrow Championship on Saturday, August 16, and the Sydney Deauville Doubles Championship on September 13, with the N.S.W. Night Single-barrel Clay Sparrow title to follow at 7 p.m. Details are as advertised. Enquiries to Clyde Anderson (President).

Inverell Club (N.S.W.) will shoot all day on N.S.W. Labour Day Holiday, October 6 (commencing at 9.30 a.m.). A splendid programme has been arranged, including a £40 Trophy shoot at 20 birds, followed by a £100 Handicap, also at 20 targets. Other events include the Lyons Club Trophy and the I.C.I. Trophy competition. Enquiries to Cliff Grills, hon. secretary (Phone Bukkulla 2S), or club vice-president, L. Brown (Phone Inverell 874R).

Queanbeyan Club (just outside Canberra) is staging an attractive programme commencing at 12.30 p.m. on Saturday, August 22. The programme includes two Southern District of N.S.W. Championships and a £50 Handicap. Good supporting events are also included. Details of full programme is as advertised. Enquiries to Noel Edlington, hon. secretary, Tuggeranong, via Queanbeyan, N.S.W.

Footscray Club, which shoots on the No. 2 ground of the Melbourne Gun Club at Tottenham (V.), announces details of its programmes for August 2, August 16 and August

30. Main event on first day is a 15 birder; similarly, on August 16 a 20 birder (10 D.B. and 10 S.B.) has been arranged, whilst the club's premier title for the year, the Club Double-barrel Championship, is listed for August 30. Programmes are as advertised. Enquiries to Les Austin (President), 5 Miller Street, Glenhuntly, S.E.9 (Phone LW 4228).

Croydon Club, which shoots on the North Croydon sports ground, on the way to the hill country north of Melbourne, has arranged good programmes for its shoots on August 9 and August 23. On August 9 the popular trophy of a case of Blue Trap Cartridges is the main trophy in a 30 birder; this trophy is to be won outright. On August 23 the Club Clay Sparrow Championship is down for decision. This will also be shot at 30 birds. Both programmes should attract big fields. Details are as advertised. Enquiries to club secretary, Frank Emslie, Main Road, Croydon, V.

Cobar Club in far western New South Wales advertises a preliminary announcement of its big two-day programme for September 27 and 28, when the N.S.W. Double-rise title and Far Western District of N.S.W. Championships will be decided. Full details will appear in the September issue of this publication. Meanwhile enquiries to M. Burgess (secretary), Box 3, Cobar, N.S.W.

Hay Club in the central Riverina district of New South Wales will shoot on Saturday, October 4, day and night. In the daylight period the Hay District S.B. title will be shot, together with a £50 Handicap. At night the Hay District Night D.B. Championship is down for decision. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries to Hay Club secretary, Les McKinney, Box 41, Hay, N.S.W. (Phones 25, (Night) 38, or at Gun Club, Phone 160).

South Coast Club at Southport (Queensland) has advised the Association that it does not intend to shoot the 1958 Queensland Deauville Doubles title at clay sparrows. Any Queensland club interested in this event should apply for allocation. First application will be granted.

The Australian Club at East Burwood (V.) will shoot on August 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30. Also on September 6 and 13. The 1958 Commonwealth Double-barrel Championship is listed for decision on August 16. Full details of all programmes are as advertised. Enquiries to A. H. Brenk (secretary), Dickens Road, Olinda, V.

Coburg Club, which shoots just off Mathieson Street, North Coburg, the only club adjacent to public transport in the Melbourne metropolitan area, advertises particulars of its August fixtures. Attractive events are listed on each shooting day. Victorian shooters are also reminded to keep in mind the Victorian section of the Interstate Match early in September. All details are as publicised. Enquiries to C. J. Colledge (secretary), 12 Adler Grove, Merlynston, N.14 (Phone FL 4835).

Shooters throughout the Commonwealth will regret to learn of the passing of Len Engel, which took place suddenly early in July. Engel was a prominent member of the Newcastle Club (N.S.W.) and was one of the foundation members of the Tea Gardens Club, near Newcastle. He competed at the Association shoot at Burwood in March last and travelled widely to many shoots in various parts of the Commonwealth. Engel will be greatly missed at major fixtures, particularly in the New South Wales portion of Australia. He lived at Karuah, adjacent to Newcastle, and was in his early 40's. Sympathy of all is extended to his relatives.



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SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 23rd AUGUST

Commencing 1 p.m. Sharp.

No. 1 Event — 10 BIRD EYE-OPENER S.B.

Nom., 7/6.

No. 2 Event — 20 BIRD D.B. Pts. Scoring £25 H'CAP.

Nom., £1/10/0.

No. 3 Event — 30 BIRD S.B. £100 HANDICAP

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SUNDAY, 24th AUGUST, 1958

Commencing 9 a.m. Sharp.

No. 1 Event — 20 BIRD D.B. Equal Scoring £25 H'CAP

Nom., £1/10/0.

No. 2 Event — 30 BIRD S.B. £50 HANDICAP

No. 3 Event — 50 BIRD D.B. Pts. Scoring :

£200 HANDICAP

Divided as follows: 1st, £100; 2nd, £50; 3rd, £30.

Best Score, 12/16 yd. £5 Best Score, 18/20 yd. £5
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A High Gun Trophy will be presented to the shooter with the highest number of Kills over the two days' shoot.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

The Committee reserves the right to alter or modify any event as shown on Programme.

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Club Captain, L. G. HASTED, P.O. Hotel, Cloncurry.

Club President:

E. A. LEMMON,
P.O. Box 147, Cloncurry.
Phone No. 91, Cloncurry.

Secretaries:

Mrs. E. A. LEMMON,
P.O. Box 147, Cloncurry.
Phone 98, Cloncurry.
DAVE EDWARDS,
Leichardt Hotel, Cloncurry.
Phone 109, Cloncurry.

Visiting Shooters are requested to book hotel accommodation early with any of the Club officials as shown above.

OUT OF THE PAST

Twenty Years Ago

One of two well-known shooting brothers of the period, Bob Oakley, won the Nobel Club's blue-riband title of 1938, i.e. the club double-barrel title. Oakley survived against six others in the tie shoot, stopping 19/20. All competitors except one, Turoa Webster, the New Zealand jockey, had missed at least one target up to the 10th round. Webster was the last man to shoot and, being new at the sport, had not quite mastered the art of covering the swift right swinger. He drew this type of target on the 12th round and shot yards behind it. Up to that point Webster looked all over the winner. Ultimately J. Bryant Senr. gained second place, 28/30, and Webster third, 25/28. Oakley finished off the programme by winning a 5 birder on the 15th round after nine had recorded possibles.

Despite what was written up as a "weak finish", "Drongo" (Les Tibb) of Ascot Vale (who still shoots occasionally) won the Metropolitan Double-rise title at Coburg grounds with a moderate score of 7/12 pairs. In those days the five-track shooting system for double-rise events did not operate and shooters shot at three pairs from the centre track. On the winner's last visit he failed to break a pair, although on his previous visit he broke all three pairs. A strong wind persisted all day and this, doubtless, made shooting under double-rise conditions somewhat arduous.

At a Blackburn Club shoot "Crom" (A. P. Cooke) won the Sans Trophy after tying with the donor over 10 rounds. "Crom" won with 11/11 to Sans 10/11, with "Nitro" (C. Henry) in third place, 9/10. At the Victorian Clay Target Club shoot at Bentleigh Fred Burns won the Everard Cup from Harry Burrows and Jock Wilson. D. A. McKimmie won another event.

W. J. Lancaster of Mildura, following a good performance at the Nobel Club on the previous Saturday, was freely tipped to win the 1938 Champion of Champions Cup, and he duly won, with a score of 47/50. He is recorded as missing his 19th, 21st and 33rd targets. Lancaster is not reported as having shot since that great win. "Drongo" and J. Bryant Senr. tied for second placing, each 46/50, the latter gaining the second placing on the 60th round, 55/60, with "Drongo" 54/60, third. The shoot was refereed by the doyen of trap-shots, "Duxbac" (Horace G. James) and the scorer was W. S. Tregear of Hawthorn. Nearly 70 competed, a record for that period. Lancaster had to withstand a protest on the grounds that he missed an additional target — the protest was not upheld. However, the advent of the protest brought about the rule whereby all competitors must now check their scores after each visit and before leaving the shooting track, with the result that no similar protest has since eventuated.

Ten Years Ago

Sixty-one shooters competed at a Coburg Club fixture at which Brian Kelly of Elsternwick was under notice with an outright success in the main event and a cut in the opening event; his break of 22 was the best of the day. At a special charity shoot conducted by the Footscray Club at Tottenham the leading nine prize winners in a 20 birder were H. Doug-

las, J. Bryant, W. R. Johns, "Double-H" (H. Harrison, South Yarra), John Bryant Junr., the late Ray Chandler, Brian Kelly, H. Mitchell, and Phil Power. H. H. Ball won a 15 birder at Blackburn Club, 17/17, from A. F. Johnson, 16/17, and Frank Tuck, 25/26. D. Haddow won the novice event, 12/15, and then immediately

afterwards ran out winner of an open event under single-barrel conditions!

Results of the 1948 International Match were announced in August of that year. It was the first of the post-war events and competing countries were England, Australia, Scotland, Wales and Ireland. The Home Countries shot at Cardiff in Wales, and England won 1410 (15 men to count in that year). Equal high-gun for the match went to an English shooter in Percy Stanbury (Devon) with 98/100. Fourteen of the fifteen scores to count in the English team registered 90/100 or better. Scotland was runner-up, followed by Wales, Australia and Ireland. Strangely these were the identical positions the representative teams filled in the

Australian inaugural year of 1939. The 1948 Australian Team was the last team "selected". Now all have to shoot their way into the combination. In 1948 the first 10 shot their way into the team and the rest were selected. Jack McCraith (Essendon) high-gunned for Australia in 1948 with 98/100. Australia totalled (scores to count) 1344 points.

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Always behave like a duck—keep calm and unruffled on the surface, but paddle like the devil underneath.
—Lord Brabazon.

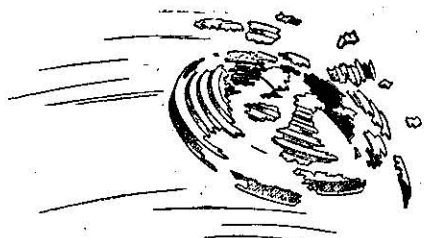
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Sitting still and wishing
Made no person great.
The good Lord sends the fishing,
But you must dig the bait.
—Old English traditional.

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A.C.T.A. Championship Conditions

SUMMARY CHAMPIONSHIP CONDITIONS

Commonwealth.

Commonwealth	Double-barrel	Championship	—	Championship	Condition	No. 1
Commonwealth	Single-barrel	"	"	"	"	No. 2
Commonwealth	Mixed Birds	"	"	"	"	No. 3
Commonwealth	Walk-up	"	"	"	"	No. 4
Commonwealth	Double-rise	"	"	"	"	No. 5
Commonwealth	Deauville Doubles	"	"	"	"	No. 6
Commonwealth	Skeet	"	"	"	"	No. 7

STATE

State	Double-barrel	Championship	—	Championship	Condition	No. 8
State	Single-barrel	"	"	"	"	No. 9
State	Mixed Birds	"	"	"	"	No. 10
State	Walk-up	"	"	"	"	No. 11
State	Double-rise	"	"	"	"	No. 12
State	Deauville Doubles	"	"	"	"	No. 13
State	Skeet	"	"	"	"	No. 14

DISTRICT

District	Double-barrel	Championship	—	Championship	Condition	No. 15
District	Single-barrel	"	"	"	"	No. 16
District	Mixed Birds	"	"	"	"	No. 17
District	Walk-up	"	"	"	"	No. 18
District	Double-rise	"	"	"	"	No. 19
District	Deauville Doubles	"	"	"	"	No. 20
District	Skeet	"	"	"	"	No. 21

TOWER

Commonwealth	"	Championship	Condition	No. 22
State	"	"	"	No. 23
District	"	"	"	No. 24

INTERMEDIATE

Intermediate	Double-barrel	Championship	—	Championship	Condition	No. 25
Intermediate	Single-barrel	"	"	"	"	No. 26

COMMONWEALTH CHAMPIONSHIP CONDITIONS

No. 1: The Championship shall be shot at 40 Clay Pigeons from 20 yards rise. Clay Pigeons to be thrown as per Rule 13 A.C.P.T.S.A. Handbook, sections 5—(a), (b) and (c). Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal value and score one point. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks squad system at 5 or 10 clay pigeons at each visit. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Entrance fee for Championship 40/-, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off in lots of 5 clay pigeons until finality. The management shall clearly indicate on

the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

No. 2: The Championship shall be shot at 40 clay pigeons from 20 yards rise. Pigeons to be thrown as per Rule 13 A.C.P.T.S.A. Handbook, Sections 5—(a), (b) and (c). One barrel only. The competitor shall load one cartridge only in his gun. Each competitor shall shoot from the five tracks squad system at 5 or 10 pigeons at each visit. The management shall provide three trophies, 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Entrance fee for Championship 40/-, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off in lots of five clay pigeons until finality. The management shall clearly indicate on the

FOOTSCRAY GUN CLUB

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

GROUND LOCATION:

No. 2 Ground, Melbourne Gun Club, Tottenham, Vic.

August 2nd:

5 BIRDS POINTS DECISION

15 Birds Double Barrel Handicap

1st, 2nd, 3rd and 12/16 yd. Trophies.

SKEET TO FOLLOW.

August 16th:

9 BIRDS SKEET

20 Bird Handicap

(10 D.B., 10 S.B.)

1st, 2nd, 3rd and 12/16 yd. Trophies.

August 30th:

5 BIRDS POINTS DECISION

Club Double Barrel Championship

20 Birds off 18 yards. Nom., 25/-.

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

OTHER EVENTS TO FOLLOW.

Refreshments :: Barbecue :: Cartridges

L. V. AUSTIN, President,

5 Miller Street,

Glenhuntly, S.E.9.

LW 4228.

E. BEINKE, Hon. Secretary.

official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

No. 3: The Championship shall be shot at five clay pigeons from 20 yards, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value and score as one point. Five clay pigeons from 18 yards single barrel, one cartridge only allowed in gun, each kill to count as one point. Five walk-up clay pigeons, double barrel, competitor to have gun loaded and ready to commence his walk from the 22 yards mark. The competitor advances at an ordinary walking pace — to shuffle or walk slowly is a "no bird". The clay pigeon is released between 20 and 15 yards and the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator, or dice arrangement, and is determined each bird the competitor is to shoot at. Five pairs of double rise clay pigeons from 16 yards rise, squad system, only pairs to score and count as one, making possible total 20 points. In the event of ties to be shot at 2 double barrel, 2 single barrel, 2 walk-up, and 2 pair double rise, total 8 points, until finality. Entrance fee 30/- for Championship, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The club management to provide three trophies — 1st, 2nd and 3rd. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

No. 4: The Championship shall be shot at 25 clay pigeons, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value and count as one point. The competitor shall load his gun on the 22 yard mark. When ready in this position he commences and continues to walk at a normal walking pace. To walk slow or shuffle constitutes a "no bird". The puller will release the pigeon between the 20 and 15 yards mark, the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator or dice arrangement. The competitor will shoot at five or ten birds at each visit. Each competitor shoots from centre track. Entrance fee to Championship 30/-, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent.

of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall provide three trophies — 1st, 2nd and 3rd. In the event of ties to be shot off in lots of five clay pigeons until finality. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

No. 5: The Championship shall be shot at 20 pairs of clay pigeons from 16 yards rise and shall be thrown as per A.C.P.T.S.A. Rule 16, Section (2), five tracks squad system at five pairs at each visit. Pairs only to score and count as one point. In the event of ties to be shot off in lots of five pairs until finality. The management of club conducting Championship shall provide three trophies — 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Entrance fee for Championship 40/-, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

No. 6 (Deauville Doubles): The Championship shall be shot from 24 yards rise at 25 pairs of doubles. The competitors shall stand on two and four tracks, 20 feet apart. The competitors can arrange between themselves which track they will take and who shall call for the release of the clay pigeons. In the event of a false call by either competitor they must abide by the result. Only pairs shall count, and as one point. Either shooter can help his partner after he has broken his clay pigeon. In the event of a misfire by either gun, another clay pigeon or pigeons will not be given that competitor, and he is required to abide by the result. Each two competitors will shoot at five pairs at each visit. Entrance fee for Championship 35/- for each competitor, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, 60 per cent. first pair, 30 per cent. second pair, 10 per cent. third pair from money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets each pair that have entered the optional sweep. The management shall provide four trophies — two for 1st and two for 2nd.

Brisbane Gun Club

Queensland

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 10th, 1958**ALL DAY — Commencing 10.30 a.m.**

Ground Locn.—Thru Stanton Rd., Tingapala, off Wynnum Rd., (see sign)

South-East Queensland Championship and Patrons' Trophies

PROGRAMME:

Event No. 1—5 BIRD S.B. EYE-OPENER. Nom., 6/-.

Event No. 2—

South-East Queensland Double Barrel Championship

20 BIRDS FROM 16 YDS. 2½ in. and 1½ oz. load Cartridges only.
1st, Championship Trophy; 2nd and 3rd, Trophies, and 12/14 yd.
Trophy. Nom., £1/5/0.

Optional S'takes 2/6 on each 10, and additional 5/- S'take.

Patrons' Trophies

(MR. JUSTICE STANLEY, W. O'SULLIVAN, ESQ.)

Event No. 3—20 BIRD D.B. from Handicap

1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies. Best 12/14 yard Shooter,
Best 15 and over Shooter not in first 3. Nom., £1/10/0.

Optional Sweepstake 2/6 on each 10, plus 5/- on final placing.

Event No. 4—10 BIRD H'CAP SWEEPSTAKE D.B.
Nom., £1/0/0.Deauville Doubles and Double Rise to follow —
time permitting.

Refreshments and Afternoon Tea provided.

— J. BAUMAN'S GUN SHOP ON GROUND —

PICNIC LUNCH OR BARBECUE (Please supply own cutlery).

NOTE: Club Deauville Double Championship, 7th Sept.

J. M. TYQUIN, President,
Phone U 1892W. W. NEILSEN, Hon Sec.,
Phone FA 0131

No. 7 (Skeet): The Championship shall be shot at a full round of Skeet using seven stations, latest English conditions of ground layout and angles at which clay pigeons are thrown, 14 single rise clay pigeons, one cartridge only to be placed in gun; three pairs of doubles from stations two, four and six. In the event of ties a round of seven single barrels and two pair double rise from station two and six. The shooter will call for his bird when ready to shoot. Entrance fee for Championship 30/-, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The club management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered the optional sweep.

State Championships:

No. 8: The Championship shall be shot at 30 clay pigeons from 18 yards rise. Clay pigeons to be thrown as per Rule 13, A.C.P.T.S.A. Handbook, Sections 5—(a), (b) and (c). Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal value and score one point. Each competitor to shoot five or ten clay pigeons at each visit from five tracks squad system. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Entrance fee for Championship 30/-, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off in lots of five clay pigeons until finality. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

No. 9: The Championship shall be shot at 30 clay pigeons from 18 yards rise. Pigeons to be thrown as per Rule 13, A.C.P.T.S.A. Handbook, Sections 5—(a), (b) and (c). One barrel only. The competitor shall load one cartridge only in his gun. five tracks squad system at each visit. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Entrance fee for Championship 30/-, optional sweepstakes, to be divided,

first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off in lots of five clay pigeons until finality. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

No. 10: The Championship shall be shot at five clay pigeons from 18 yards, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value, and score as one point. Five clay pigeons from 18 yards single barrel, one cartridge only allowed in gun, each kill to count as one point. Five walk-up clay pigeons, double barrel, competitor to have gun loaded and ready to commence his walk from the 22 yards mark. The competitor advances at an ordinary walking pace — to shuffle or walk slowly is a "no bird". The clay pigeon is released between 20 and 15 yards, and the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator, or dice arrangement, and is determined each bird the competitor is to shoot at. Five pairs of double rise clay pigeons from 16 yards rise, only pairs to score, and count as one, making possible total 20 points. In the event of ties to be shot at two double barrel, two single barrel, two walk-up and two pair double rise, total eight points, until finality. Entrance fee 30/- for Championship, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The club management to provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

No. 11: The Championship shall be shot at 20 clay pigeons, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value, and count as one point. The competitor shall load his gun on the 22 yard mark. When ready in this position he commences and con-
pace. To walk slow or shuffle constitutes a "no bird". The puller will release the pigeon between the 20 and 15 yards mark, the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator or dice arrangement. The competitor



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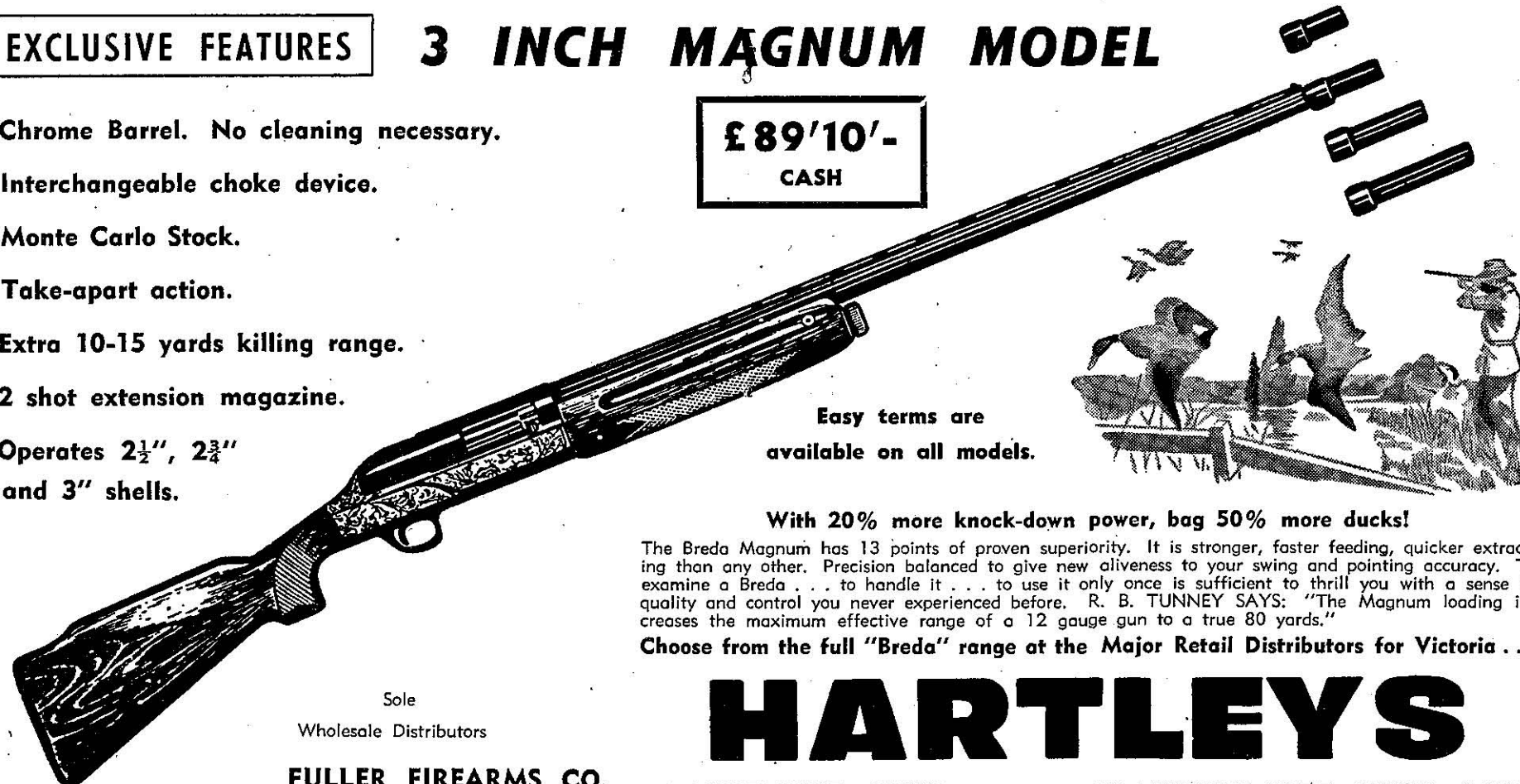
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No. 12: The Championship shall be shot at 15 pairs of clay pigeons from 16 yards rise, and shall be thrown as per A.C.P.T.S.A. Rule 16, Section (2). Each competitor to shoot at five pairs at each visit five tracks squad system, pairs only to score, and count as one point. In the event of ties to be shot off in lots of five pairs until finality. The management of club conducting Championship shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Entrance fee for Championship 30/-, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

No. 13 (Deauville Doubles): The Championship shall be shot from 22 yards rise at 20 pairs of doubles. The competitors shall stand on two and four track, 20 feet apart. The competitors can arrange between themselves which track they will take and who shall call for the release of the clay pigeons. In the event of a false call by either competitor they must abide by the result. Only pairs shall count, and as one point. Either shooter can help his partner after he has broken his clay pigeon. In the event of a misfire by either gun, another clay pigeon or pigeons will not be given that competitor, and he is required to abide by the result. Each two competitors will shoot at five pairs at each visit. Entrance fee for Championship 30/- for each competitor, optional sweepstakes, to be divided 60 per cent. first pair, 30 per cent. second pair, 10 per cent. third pair, from money received, without deduction, are permissible. The man-

agement shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets each pair that have entered the optional sweep. The management shall provide four trophies—two for 1st and two for 2nd.

No. 14 (Skeet): The Championship shall be shot at a full round of Skeet, using seven stations, latest English conditions of ground layout and angles at which clay pigeons are thrown, 14 single rise clay pigeons, one cartridge only to be placed in gun; three pairs of doubles from stations two, four and six. In the event of ties a round of seven single barrels and two pair double rise from stations two and six. The shooter will call for his bird when ready to shoot. Entrance fee for Championship 25/-, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The club management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered the optional sweep.

District Championships:

No. 15: The Championship shall be shot at 20 clay pigeons from 16 yards rise. Clay pigeons to be thrown as per Rule 13, A.C.P.T.S.A. Handbook, Sections 5—(a), (b) and (c). Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal scoring value and shall score one point. Each competitor to shoot from five tracks squad system at five to ten clay pigeons at each visit. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Entrance fee for Championship 25/-, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off in lots of five clay pigeons until finality. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

No. 16: The Championship shall be shot at 20 clay pigeons from 16 yards rise. Clay pigeons to be thrown as per Rule 13, A.C.P.T.S.A. Handbook, Sections 5—(a), (b) and (c); one barrel only. The competitor shall load one cartridge only in his gun. Each competitor shall shoot from five tracks

squad system at five or ten clay pigeons at each visit. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Entrance fee for Championship 25/-, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off in lots of five clay pigeons until finality. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those competitors who have entered for the optional sweep.

No. 17: The Championship shall be shot at five clay pigeons from 16 yards, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value, and score as one point. Five clay pigeons from 16 yards single barrel, one cartridge only allowed in gun, each kill to count as one point. Five walk-up clay pigeons, double barrel, competitor to have gun loaded and ready to commence his walk from the 22 yards mark. The competitor advances at an ordinary walking pace—to shuffle or walk slowly is a "no bird". The clay pigeon is released between 20 and 15 yards, and the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator, or dice arrangement, and is determined each bird the competitor is to shoot at. Five pairs of double rise clay pigeons from 16 yards rise, only pairs to score and count as one, making possible total 20 points. In the event of ties to be shot at two double barrel, two single barrel, two walk-up, and two pair double rise, total eight points, until finality. Entrance fee for Championship 25/-, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The club management to provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

No. 18: The Championship shall be shot at 20 clay pigeons, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value, and count as one point. The competitor shall load his gun on the 22 yard mark. When ready in this position he commences and continues to walk at a normal walking pace. To walk slowly or shuffle constitutes

a "no bird". The puller will release the pigeon between the 20 and 15 yards mark, the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator or dice arrangement. The competitor will shoot at five to ten birds at each visit. Each competitor shoots from centre track. Entrance fee for Championship 25/-, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. In the event of ties to be shot off in lots of five clay pigeons until finality. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

No. 19: The Championship shall be shot at 10 pairs of clay pigeons from 16 yards rise, and shall be thrown as per A.C.P.T.S.A. Rule 16, Section (2). Each competitor to shoot five tracks squad system at two pairs at each visit, pairs only to score, and count as one point. In the event of ties to be shot off in lots of three pairs until finality. The management of club conducting Championship shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Entrance fee for Championship 25/-, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

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TOWER CHAMPIONSHIPS

No. 22—Commonwealth: To be shot at 40 clay pigeons, squad system, five feet directly in front of centre of Tower—five clay pigeons to be shot on each visit to the track. Normal setting of trap, clay pigeons to be thrown at usual angles. Two barrels permitted, and each barrel to be of equal scoring value, and score one point. Ties to be shot off at five clay pigeons until finality. Competitors must not turn towards the Tower and must face directly to the front throughout the competition. Entrance fee for Championship 40/-, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

No. 23—State: To be shot at 20 clay pigeons squad system, five feet directly in front of centre of tower, five clay pigeons to be shot on each visit to track. Entrance fee for Championship, 30/-, thence same conditions as Championship Condition No. 22.

No. 24—District: Same conditions and entrance fee in Championship Condition No. 23. Nomination 25/-.

No. 25 — Intermediate Double-barrel: The Championship shall be shot at 20 clay pigeons, double-barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value, and count as one point. Shooting will take place from 16 yards rise. Clay pigeons to be thrown as per Rule 13, A.C.P.T.S.A. Handbook, Sections 5 (a), (b) and (c). Each competitor to shoot from five tracks, squad system. Each competitor to shoot at five to ten clay pigeons at each visit. The event is restricted to shooters whose Association handicap does not exceed 16 yards on day of competition. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Entrance fee for Championship 25/-, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off in lots of five clay pigeons until finality. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

No. 26—Intermediate Single-barrel: Same conditions as No. 25, except where double-barrel is stated in No. 25, single-barrel should be understood, with the addition that competitor shall load one cartridge only in his gun.

CLAY SPARROW TITLES

Same conditions as applicable to clay pigeons.

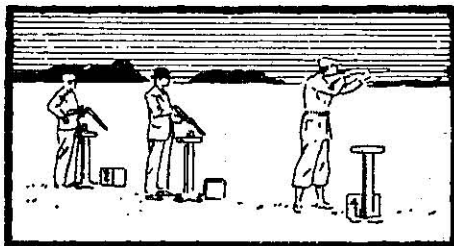
NIGHT SHOOTING CONDITIONS

Same as foregoing, entrance fee 5/- extra.

WALK-UP CONDITIONS

To apply to every event in which Walk-up is conducted: The butt of the gun to be held no higher than the waistline. The butt to be visible to the referee.

AROUND THE CLUBS AND MEETINGS...



ALEXANDRA (V.), 7/6/58.—Weather conditions: cold, gusty wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. W. Carpenter, A. Hedger, C. Cumming, L. Parks (Mansfield), C. Leatham (Mansfield), 5/5; Novices, R. Aldous, A. Leatham (Mansfield), 4/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. (Trophies): 1st, A. G. Evans (Mansfield), 16/16; 2nd, E. Hillman, 15/16; 3rd, C. Cumming, 11/12; 15/16 yds., R. Hedger, 12/14; Novice, R. Aldous, 12/14. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: div. L. Parks (Mansfield), C. Cumming, A. Hedger, 10/10; Novice, A. Leatham, 10/10.

Night Shoot. No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. G. Courtney, R. Stillman, B. Doyle, R. Williamson, 5/5; Novice, W. Hughes, M. Sicily, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird (Trophies): 1st, R. Stillman, 16/16; 2nd, M. Sicily, 15/16; Novice, 1st, W. Hughes, 10/12; 2nd, M. Hedger, 9/12. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: div. R. Stillman, Leo Doyle, M. Sicily, 10/10; Novice, W. Hughes, 10/10; R. Proctor, 9/10.

A good attendance on a cold, windy but sunny day, and a clear, frosty night. However, good big fires kept everyone quite happy. Visitors from Mansfield, Eildon and Marysville, with the Mansfield shooters in good form. Also a welcome return of secretary Ted Hillman, who has been unable to shoot for some time owing to pressure of work. Club thanks to Arthur Hedger, who has been acting secretary in Ted's absence and who also donated first trophy at the night shoot. A special mention for the ladies, who always provide a splendid afternoon tea and supper, and a word, too, for the visitors, who help with the referee job and relieve the puller when necessary.

(Luke Doyle, Correspondent.)

ALICE SPRINGS (N.T.), 8/6/58.—Weather conditions: cold, with strong wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: Pearson, Haines, Sutton, 5/5. No. 2, 20-bird S.B. off H'cap: Sutton, 16/20; Pearson, 15/20; Smith, Haines, 14/20. No. 3, 10 sparrows D.B. (off 23 yds.): Smith, Sutton, Haines, 7/10; shoot-off, Smith, 3. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. (off 30 yds.): Smith, 5/5.

The attendance was disappointing, but a varied programme and enthusiastic shooters produced a good day. With a strong wind blowing, conditions were very difficult. The main shoot was well won by Bert Sutton, who is consistently shooting well. The third event of the 10 sparrows ended with three shooters scoring 7/10. In the shoot-off Sutton

missed in the first round. Hains then missed his bird in the third. Ted Smith shot his three birds and won the shoot-off. In the final event Ted Smith showed his true form in shooting the five off the fence.

22/6/58.—Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: Raabe, Sutton, Haines, Pearson, Tuit, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. H'cap (1st, Little Trophy; 2nd, Textor Trophy): J. Pearson, K. Warrington, 10/10, div. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. (off 16 yds.): Smith, Haines, Jackson, Chisholm, Tuit, 5/5, div. No. 4, 30-bird Club C'chip (off 16 yds.): E. Smith, 30/30; B. Sutton, 29/30; J. Pearson, 28/30. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. H'cap (16 yds. and under, Sutton Trophy; over 16 yds., Garutte Trophy): G. Haines, J. Pearson, R. Sweet, 10/10, div. No. 6, 10-bird S.B.: J. Pearson, 10/10.

A perfect day, with many spectators, provided an excellent setting for the Annual Club Championship. The shooters were all very keen, no less than five shooting the maximum. The second event for the Little Trophy and the Textor Trophy resulted in Pearson and Warrington both shooting the 10, Pearson winning the shoot-off in the second round. The main event, the 30-bird Championship, was well won by club president Ted Smith, who shot the lot. This was a most popular win. Splendid efforts were put up by Bert Sutton with 29 and Jock Pearson with 28. In the fifth event R. Sweet shot the 10 to take the best under 16 yd. trophy. Haines and Pearson both shot 10 for the best over 16 yd. man. The shoot-off was most interesting, Pearson winning in the sixth round. The final event was won by J. Pearson with 10, who showed an excellent performance on the day, only dropping 3 in 70 birds.

(K. Warrington, Hon. Sec.)

ANGLESEA (V.), 16/6/58.—Weather conditions: cold but fine. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: R. Johns, K. Grinter, div., 29/30; 3rd, N. Back, 28/30. No. 2, Club D.B. C'chip (20 birds off 18 yds.): 1st, R. Johns, 35/35; 2nd, J. Masters, 33/35; 3rd, R. Parker, 29/30; 12 yds., V. Kelly, 17/20.

A very fine shoot, attendance very good. Club held its first Championship (20-bird D.B. off 18 yds.). Winner was R. Johns, 35/35; 2nd, J. Masters, 33/35; 3rd, R. Parker, 29/30; 12 yd., V. Kelly, 17/20.

(K. Ingram, Hon. Sec.)

APSLEY (V.), 7/6/58.—Weather conditions: fine and dull. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: I. Batson, L. J. Williams, W. Gresselle, W. Caldwell, W. Summerhaze, M. Beattie, Don Bull, M. Grigg. No. 2, 20-bird Trophy: I. Batson, W. Caldwell, A. G. Forrest, Don Bull, shot 15 birds; shoot-off, Don Bull. No. 3, Miss-out: shooters to split, D. H. Williamson, M. Beattie, A. G. Forrest, 7th round, cut.

(Bill Caldwell, Hon. Sec.)

ATHERTON (Qld.), 21/6/58.—Weather conditions: fine, but overcast. Results: No. 1, 10-bird S.B.: J. Gibb, W. Frazer, D. Frazer, D. Nasser, H. Nasser, J. Sing, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird S.B. Novelty H'cap: G. S. Martin, T. P. Delahunty, J. Gibb, H. Nasser, 9/10. No. 3, 10 H'cap (10-bird D.B. Pt. Score): 1st, D. Delai, 30/30; 2nd, A. Collins, D. Nasser, N. Stevens, 29/30. No. 4, 20-bird S.B. H'cap: over 16 yds., 1st, D. Nasser, 20/20; 2nd, S. Day, 19/20; 16 yds. and under, 1st, I. Osborne, 18/20; 2nd, J. Ball, S. Campbell, 17/20. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: S. Day, D. Nasser, H. Nasser, P. Mazzer, B. Borsorio, T. P. Delahunty, 10/10.

Saturday Night. No. 1, Atherton D.B. Night C'chip: 1st, D. Nasser, 25/25; 2nd, J. Gibb, 23/30; 3rd, N. O'Donahoo, 27/30. No. 2, 20-bird S.B. H'cap: T. P. Delahunty, S. Day, D. Nasser, 19/20. No. 3, Novice 5-bird S.B.: 1st, R. Duncan; 2nd, S. Quadrio.

Shooting was reasonably good. The weather was bleak, with overcast skies. Shooters attended from Landsborough, Cunnamulla, Charleville, Brisbane, Tully, Ravenshoe and Daintree clubs. D. Nasser shot extra well, getting himself a 76 straight for the afternoon and night. The shoot-off in the Atherton D.B. Championship was very interesting, going to 25 for 1st placing and 30 birds for 2nd placing.

22/6/58. — Weather conditions: dull and windy. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: S. Day, T. P. Delahunty, J. I. Ball, A. Chesney, J. McNamara, J. Zonta, J. Dwyer, H. Nasser, 10/10. No. 2, State Mixed Birds C'chip: 1st, W. Frazer, 27/28; 2nd, J. McNamara, 24/28; 3rd, N. O'Donahoo. No. 3, 20-bird S.B. Sparrow H'cap: W. Frazer, D. Nasser, I. Osborne, 16/20. No. 4, 15-bird D.B.: 17 and over yds., 1st, H. Nasser, 45/45; 2nd, T. P. Delahunty, J. McNamara, 43/45; 16 and under yds., 1st, D. Frazer, 45/45; 2nd, K. Bowman, 44/45. No. 5, 15-bird S.B.: 17 and over yds., H. Nasser, J. Dwyer, J. McNamara, 15/15; 16 and under yds., N. O'Donahoo, K. Bowman, 15/15. No. 6, 10-bird D.B.: K. Bowman, T. Delahunty, S. Day, P. Mazzer, 10/10. No. 7, Novice 5-bird S.B.: P. Azzopardi, S. Quadrio, 4/5. No. 8, Ladies' Trophy (5-bird S.B.): 1st, Miss Dolan, 2/5. No. 9, D'ville Doubles: T. Merrin - J. Forbes, 9/9.

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Some good shooting was seen by the many spectators. An enjoyable day was had by all. T. P. Delahunty of Landsborough Club presented the trophies. Trophies were won by shooters from Cunnamulla, Charleville, Tully and Ravenshoe. Barbecue dancing and singing were enjoyed at night.

22/6/58 (Night).—Weather conditions: overcast. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: S. Quadrio, J. Dwyer, S. Day, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: L. Porter, S. Day, H. Nasser, 10/10. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. Walk-up: H. Nasser, S. Day, 3/5.

(J. Forbes, Hon. Sec.)

AUSTRALIAN (V.).—June 9 opened with a 20 bird, J. Ainger, N. Fletcher, B. Bond, I. Porter and M. Doherty, div., 20/20. This was followed by a 20-bird graded contest, with 12/16 yd. trophy going to M. Warne, 19/20; 17 yd., R. Carnegie, 18/20; 18 yd., J. Ainger, 20/20; 19 yd., L. Stephenson; 20 yd., G. Arkinstall, 18/20; 20 yd., B. Bond, 15/20; 21 yd. and over, L. Swain, 17/20.

June 22 and another of the popular graded contests, with Ian Porter taking high gun with a 20-bird possible. Ian was in good form and shared in the opening S'take with a 20/20. Tup Pedersen found a rival in the 21-yd. class and contested the honour with Bob Andrews to the 34th round, finishing: Pedersen, 31/34; Andrews, 30/34. The 19/20 yarders were C. Fankhauser, 19/21; G. Arkinstall (Drouin), 19/20; 17/18 yd., M. White-law, 19/20; T. Lucas, 19/22; 12/16 yds., F. Bendall, 18/21; J. Hollingworth, 17/21.

Skeet. Roy Falshaw carried home the bacon from the newly formed Skeet Club C'ship, grassing 23/25 of these tricky birds. Roy, like a few field shooters who have formed this club, prefers this more natural type of shooting to so-called down-the-line, and these men find it good practice for their sport, "quail and duck hunting", and appreciate the fact that their favourite old iron with its bent stock is the ideal weapon for this type of shooting. Ron Siede and Geo. Biggs tied for 2nd place in the C'ship, 19/20, with F. Bendle, 3rd, 17/25. A further 11 rounds of Skeet found J. Siede and G. Biggs div. 1st honours, 9/11, 2nd and 3rd being div. Beinke and F. Johnson.

(H. H. Ball.)

BANGALL (Qld.), 14/6/58.—Weather conditions: fine and cool. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: J. Gibson, 10/10; A. Parry-Okeden, 9/10. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: J. Gibson, 10/10; J. Crombie, A. Parry-Okeden, R. Banks, 9/10. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. Pts.: A. Parry-Okeden, 16/18; J. Crombie, 17/18. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: A. Parry-Okeden, 36/36; W. Vermeer, 35/36. No. 5, 5-bird D.B.: J. Gibson, 8/8; J. Crombie, 7/8. No. 6, D'ville Doubles: J. Gibson-J. Crombie, 8/8.

A pleasant afternoon's shooting, under good conditions. Good to see several of our long-absent shooters back on the tracks.

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

BERRIDALE (N.S.W.), 14/6/58.—Weather conditions: heavy snow. Results: No. 1, 10-bird: F. Parkes, W. Mackay, div. 1st, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird Point: 1st, R. Brown, 30/30; 2nd, F. Parkes, 29/30; 3rd, I. Hedger, 28/30. No. 3, 5-bird: 1st, W. Mackay, 5/5. No. 4, 5-bird: I. Hedger, 5/5. No. 5, 10-bird: 1st, div. R. Brown, R. Sands, 5/5.

Two Club Championships were to be held today, but owing to the heavy snow which fell all afternoon, kept the shooters away. As a result, the two sashes will be shot for next month. Nevertheless quite some good

shooting was seen owing to the fact that the "bird" stood out on the white background of snow. Frank Parkes of Cooma was well in form and displayed some remarkable shooting in the steady falling snow. We were pleased to see Colin Spence of Bega. Unfortunately after the first shoot he had to motor back to Bega owing to the fact that if he stopped, he would have "been snowed in". Bad luck, Colin!

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

BESSIEBELLE (V.), 16/6/58.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 10 shooters div., B. Lacey, T. Davis, L. Millard, R. Tink, H. Elliott, M. Small, J. Campbell, E. J. Millard, A. Gordon, C. Fletcher, No. 2, 15-bird Trophy: 1st, H. Smith; 2nd, M. Sullivan; 3rd, W. Davies. No. 3, Front Markers: 1st, E. J. Millard, No. 4, £20 H'cap: div. H. Smith, R. Tink, F. Bakson.

Bessie Belle Club held its annual football shoot before a large attendance of spectators, where they saw 51 shooters shoot in the eye-opener and 45 in the main trophy shoot. H. Smith gave a grand display of trap shooting to win the main trophy, while M. Sullivan and W. Davis took other trophies and E. J. Millard the front-markers. To each and every shooter we say thank you. Shooters came from Dundonnell, Mt. Gambier, Macarthur, Cavendish, Hamilton, Mumbanner, Myamyn, Portland, Balmoral and Victoria Valley.

(Joe Pye Junr., Hon. Sec.)

BOMBALA (N.S.W.), 7/6/58.—Weather conditions: light wind, cloudy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: J. Sullivan, W. Ryall, C. Spence, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: W. Ryall, J. Sullivan, H. Kennedy, 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird Pts.: J. Sullivan, 30/30; C. Spence, 29/30; G. Toms, 27/30. No. 4, 10-bird S.B.: C. Spence, 10/10; W. Ryall, J. Griffin, J. Sullivan, 9/10. No. 5, 5 prs. D. Rise: H. Kennedy, 10/10; W. Ryall, 9/10.

Fair attendance on a cold day. Visiting shooters attended well.

(J. Keys, Pres.)

BRUTHEN (V.), 17/5/58 (Night).—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: div. R. Pilgrim, M. Huggins, R. Rawlings, J. Kurly Jr. No. 2, Gippsland D.B. Night C'ship: K. Mitchell, 1st; R. Lees, 2nd; R. Rawlings, 3rd.

The weather for night shooting was very good. Kevin Mitchell had his first major win with the Gippsland D.B. Championship. Kevin has been shooting extra well these past few meetings. Although pressed close by Bob Lees, Kevin on his performance would have been very unlucky not to win. I must once again thank our ladies for their very nice supper.

(L. A. Rawlings, Hon. Sec.)

BURDEKIN (Qld.), 28/5/58.—Weather conditions: fine and warm. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: 17 shooters div. No. 2, £15 Tower Shoot: G. Archer, C. Wellington, A. Collinson, H. Cox, L. Ashworth, W. Hughes, B. Landrigan, R. Byers, 10/10. div. No. 3, Nth. Qld. Tower C'ship: L. Ashworth, 1st, 20/20; C. Archer, 2nd; W. Hughes, 3rd. No. 4, 5-bird Night Shoot: W. Frazer, V. Cornford, A. L. Poletti, A. Poletti, D. Simpson, L. V. Kovacich, 5/5. No. 5, £40 Night H'cap (raised to £50): A. Collinson, N. Hartwell, N. Dossetto, F. Dellabaita, W. Frazer, 10/10. div. No. 6, £35 H'cap: 11 div. No. 7, Qld. D.B. C'ship: J. Casalegno, 1st, 62/64; J. Griggs, 2nd, 60/64; N. Hartwell, 3rd, 57/60. No. 8, Breda H'cap: W. Frazer, 1st, 70/70.

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J. Cornford, 2nd, 69/70; J. Casalegno, 3rd, 54/55. No. 9, £50 H'cap: H. Lavery, 1st, 15/15; R. Russo, C. Sinclair, C. Wellington, G. Zanetti, V. Cornford, W. Fairbrother, 14/15, div. No. 10, Nicolaides Gift: M. Tabulo, 19/20, 1st; T. Heinemann, 2nd, 22/25; D. Simpson, 21/25, 3rd.

A shoot with exciting finishes and high scores. J. Casalegno ran up 86 straight, W. Frazer 76 and J. Cornford 68. J. Cornford's score came as a surprise. He had not shot at a clay for six months and fired his first shot of the day in the Breda Handicap. Although young, he stood up to a ten-man shoot-off like a veteran.

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

CLERMONT (Qld.), 8/6/58.—Weather conditions: heavily overcast, with some light showers. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: A. Mase, W. Moysse, F. Shannon, J. Neilsen, B. Nasser, R. Bell, div., 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: A. Mase, 1st, 10/10; B. Nasser, 2nd; J. Duffy, 3rd. No. 3, 5 pr. D'ville Doubles: E. Barton-B. Tweedie. No. 4, 6-bird S.B.: W. Bartley, J. Duffy, E. Barton, L. Smith, B. Nasser, R. Andrews, F. Wessells, div., 5/5. No. 5, 20-bird D.B. Belyando C'ship: 1st, W. Bartley, 70/70; 2nd, B. Nasser, 69/70; 3rd, J. Duffy, 54/55. Trophy for best Front Marker: F. Wessells. Trophy for best Back Marker: B. Nasser. No. 6, Teams Shoot: Mackay Club, 1st, 65 pts.

Visitors from Mackay, Rockhampton, Aramac and Barcardine helped to make the Annual Championship shoot a very enjoyable and successful one. Bad weather conditions prevented many visitors from arriving. Wally Bartley of the Rockhampton Club won the Belyando Championship with 70/70 from local shooter Barry Nasser, 69/70, with Jack Duffy of the Aramac Club 54/55, in 3rd place. Very fine shooting was displayed and our congratulations to Wally on his win. High Gun for the day was won by Barry Nasser. Trophies went to F. Wessells and B. Nasser for the best front and back markers respectively. Many thanks to the ladies of the R.S.L. Women's Auxiliary for providing lunch and afternoon tea. I'm sure the visitors enjoyed themselves as much as we enjoyed having them, and all are looking forward to seeing you all back again soon.

(Miss Y. Eite, Hon. Sec.)

COBAR (N.S.W.), 31/5/58.—Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: A. Tyack (Tullibigeal), N. Singleton, F. Singleton, M. Burgess, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird Point Score: M. Burgess, 29/30. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: A. Tyack, 10/10. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: F. Singleton, 10/10. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: div. J. Holmes (Tottenham), F. Singleton, 4/5. No. 6, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: J. Jones, 14/14. No. 7, 20-bird D.B. Trophy: 17 yds. and over, M. Burgess, 25/25; 12/16 ydr., Judy Singleton, 43/45. No. 8, 20-bird D.B. Tyack Shield: Cobar No. 2 Team (A. W. Tyack, Judy Singleton, F. Singleton, N. Singleton), 76/80. No. 9, 10-bird P.S.: Judy Singleton, 30/30. No. 10, 5-bird D.B.: N. Singleton, M. Holmes (Tottenham), 5/5.

This shoot was held in order to decide which club would be the holder of the Tyack Shield for the next three months, and it was successfully retained by the above team. Judy Singleton shot particularly well to make a break of 71.

(M. Burgess, Hon. Sec.)

COBURG (Vic.).—The Club Deauville Doubles Championship was shot on June 14. The weather was bad and a high wind marred the event and the attendance. However, those who did brave the elements thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

In a 5 pair Deauville Doubles which opened the programme, the shooting was good and four pairs divided the prize.

In the Championship the shooting again was of a high standard. The event was of 20 pairs from 20 yards, and the winning pair were Bill Finnigan and Steve Stevens, who after a shoot-off scored 30/30. The win was most popular.

Runners-up were that redoubtable combination, Clem Mudford and Andy Tie, who dropped one pair to be 29/30.

Following that was a 20 birds Double Barrel, in which Bill Robertson, Clem Mudford, Bill Finnigan and Bob Andrews cut the proceeds with 19/20.

On June 28 we shot a 40 birds Double Barrel under graded conditions. Grade A consisted of shooters up to 20 yards who were required to shoot off their registered handicaps.

Grade B was for shooters 21 yards and upwards, and in each case the shooter came in 5 yards on his handicap.

There was a first, second and third trophy in each grade, and the competition in both sections was very keen.

Gordon Arkinstall ran out a good winner in A Grade with a score of 49/50, beating Bill Deverall (48/50) and Jack Ford (45/47). Tup Pedersen came through with a clean score of 40/40 to win B Grade.

In a shoot-off for second and third, Don Glover took the honours with 52/53, downing Harry Belmore (51/53).

A 20-birder followed, and this was won outright by Bill Deverall with 20/20. Bill Jones and Bob Andrews divided the remainder of the spoils.

By the time this appears in print we will have held our annual meeting. The president-elect is Harry Belmore. Harry has held an executive position for a number of years and his promotion to the head of affairs is a fitting reward for his services. He is a popular shooter and is ensured of a successful term.

We suggest you take note of the programmes published in this issue. You are assured of some pleasant shooting and high-class trophies. You will be made very welcome.

(C. J. Colledge, Sec.)

COFFS HARBOUR (N.S.W.).—On Saturday, June 14, the club held its annual D.B. Championship, the winner of which holds the handsome Cup presented by G. D. T. See-combe some years ago for annual competition. Joe Raleigh, a dual S.B. and D.B. National Championship winner, showed his form and with a 20 possible, took the trophy. He was closely followed by Alf Herdegen with 19/20 and G. D. T. and Dan See-combe with 18/20. The weather was grand after the cyclone earlier in the week and shooters appreciated it by some good scores. Joe Raleigh won high gun for the day. Jack Smith, president Kempsey Club, came over for the shoot and kept the locals right on the mark by keen shooting. The aggregate is now in an interesting stage and members are keen to keep their scores up.

Results: 5-bird D.B.: Dan See-combe, Joe Raleigh, A. Herdegen, E. Wedgwood, 5/5, div. Club D.B. C'ship: Joe Raleigh, 20/20.

QUEANBEYAN GUN CLUB

NEW SOUTH WALES

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

CHAMPIONSHIP SHOOT SATURDAY, 23rd AUGUST, 1958

Commencing 12.30 p.m. Sharp.

— TWO AUTOMATIC TRAPS —

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

Event No. 2 —

20 Bird D.B. C'SHIP S.D. of N.S.W.
Nom., £1/5/0.

1st Trophy and Sash; 2nd Trophy; 12/16 yds. Trophy.

— VALUE OF SASH AND TROPHIES, £25 —

Event No. 3 — 5 PAIRS DOUBLE RISE SWEEP
Nom., 10/-.

Event No. 4 —

10 Pairs D.R. C'SHIP S.D. of N.S.W.
Nom., £1/5/0.

1st Trophy and Sash; 2nd Trophy; 12/16 yds. Trophy.

— VALUE OF SASH AND TROPHIES, £25 —

Event No. 5 —

£50 Handicap

20 BIRDS D.B. Association Handicaps.
Divided 60%, 30%, 10%.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

Cartridges and Afternoon Tea available on Ground.

The Committee reserves the right to cancel or modify any event should the occasion arise.

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1st; A. Herdegen, 19/20, 2nd; Dan Secombe, G. D. T. Secombe, 18/20, div. 3rd. 5-bird S.B.: E. Wedgwood, W. Unwin, G. D. T. Secombe, 5/5, div. 10-bird D.B.: G. D. T. Secombe, 19/20, 1st; Joe Raleigh, 18/20, 2nd. 5-bird Pts.: J. Smith, E. Wedgwood, P. Thompson, 15/15, div. Novice Sweep: No. 1, G. Blundell; No. 2, C. Campbell; No. 3, C. Campbell. D. Rise: G. D. T. Secombe, D. Secombe, J. Raleigh, Bill Unwin, div. Box Sweep: No. 1, G. D. T. Secombe; No. 2, D. Secombe, E. Wedgwood, div.

On Saturday, June 28, the club held a shoot to take the place of the meeting which was cancelled on May 10. Conditions were a bit on the tricky side, as we were just clearing up after a cyclone. However, shooting, in spite of birds "doing things", was very good. Pat McDonald, one of our novice shooters, put up a very good performance and was in nearly everything during the afternoon. President Alf Herdegen came right back to form and took the trophy as well as high gun for the afternoon.

Results: 5-bird S.B.: D. Secombe, G. D. T. Secombe, P. McDonald, 5/5, div. 20-bird S.B. Trophy: A. Herdegen, 19/20, 1st; G. D. T. Secombe, 18/20, 2nd; P. McDonald, 17/20, 3rd. 5-bird S.B.: P. McDonald, 5/5, 1st; A. Herdegen, J. Raleigh, E. Wedgwood, C. Campbell, 4/5, div. 2nd and 3rd. 5-bird Pts.: E. Wedgwood, 14/15, 1st; G. D. T. Secombe, 13/15, 2nd; A. Herdegen, P. McDonald, 12/15, 3rd, div. 10-bird D.B.: D. Secombe, A. Herdegen, 19/20, div. 1st and 2nd; P. McDonald, W. Unwin, E. Wedgwood, 18/20, div. 3rd. 5-bird S.B.: W. Unwin, R. Jackson, 4/5, div. D. Rise: No. 1, P. McDonald, 1st; No. 2, W. Unwin, 1st; D. Secombe, A. Herdegen, J. Raleigh, div. 2nd. Box Sweep: No. 1, G. D. T. Secombe, W. Unwin, div.; No. 2, D. Secombe, P. McDonald, div.

(Ted Wedgwood, P/O.)

COLAC (V.), 13/6/58 (Night). — Weather conditions: light showers. The main event at the Colac Gun Club's fixture on Friday night was won by club president Ern Osborne after he had eliminated Ray Parker in a short tie shoot. Twenty members attended, despite the cold and showery conditions, but the big log fire and tasty supper, served by the ladies, kept spirits at a high level. The only visiting shooter was Cal Hollow, of I.C.I.A.N.Z., who gave a good exhibition of shooting from the long mark of 25 yards. Cal's advice and tuition to some of the new shooters was greatly appreciated, and they immediately began to show improvement.

Gordon Tucker, with 9/10, won the special novice event, with Ottilie Bone, 8/11, 2nd. Jack Holt shot the full complement in this event, but having won his first trophy at his first attempt at clay pigeons at Cressy the previous Saturday, he could no longer be classed as a novice. Jack Wall won the front-mark trophy in the main event with the good score of 8/10. More will be heard of these shooters in the future.

No. 1: div. W. Tucker, T. Norman, R. Parker, 5/5. No. 2: div. B. Hutchison, W. Tucker, G. Tucker, S. Pyle, T. Norman and C. Hollow, 5/5. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: E. Osborne, 11/12, 1st; R. Parker, 10/12, 2nd; 12/14 ydr., J. Wall, 8/10. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. (Novice): G. Tucker, 9/10, 1st; O. Bone, 8/11, 2nd; A. Neale, 7/11.

On Saturday afternoon the President and Secretary entertained Cal Hollow to a rabbit shoot, when the party of five accounted for about 80 bunnies.

(D. Corstorphane, Hon. Sec.)

COLLARENEBRI (N.S.W.), 31/5/58. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 10-bird: R. J. White, 10/10. No. 2, Club C'ship: K. R. Black, 36/40; H. T. Morse, 32/40; H. B. Grant, 31/40.

The main event was the shoot-off for Club Championship, which was 20 mixed birds, 20 skeet, so by shooting 36/40 to win, was good shooting by K. R. Black, who is always well in any championship. H. T. Morse, who had not shot for some time, was 2nd; with that very consistent, all-round shooter, H. B. Grant, 3rd.

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

CROOKWELL (N.S.W.), 24/5/58. — Weather conditions: cold, windy and showers. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. H. Seery, F. Willis, D. Churchill, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: div. H. Seery, W. Webster, T. Denning, 5/5. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: div. H. Seery, H. Anderson, D. Edwards, W. Webster, D. Churchill, E. Reeves, 5/5. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, F. Willis, 17/17; 2nd, D. Churchill, 16/17. No. 5, 5-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, F. Willis, 16/16; 2nd, D. Churchill, 15/16. No. 6, 5-bird D.B.: div. A. Jones, D. Edwards, F. Willis, N. Churchill, Bob Churchill, 5/5. No. 7, Box Sweep: N. Churchill, 7/7.

A very cold and wet afternoon for our May shoot.

28/6/58. — Weather conditions: wet. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. D. Edwards, D. Hall, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: div. H. Anderson, W. Webster, D. Edwards, S. Gillett, A. Frost, 5/5. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, D. Edwards, 10/10; 2nd, D. Hall, 9/10. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, Bob Churchill, 16/16; 2nd, H. Seery, 15/16. No. 5, 5-bird D.B.: div. H. Anderson, W. Webster, D. Edwards, D. Hall, Bob Churchill, 5/5.

A very wet day for our June shoot. Dud Edwards had a day on, winning a trophy and sharing in the three sweeps conducted.

(Frank A. Willis, Hon. Sec.)

CRESSY (Tas.), 7/6/58. — Weather conditions: ideal. Results (Night): No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. J. Jetson, R. Garwood, J. Tubb, T. Headlam, R. Powell, 5/5. No. 2, Club D.B. Night C'ship: 1st, R. E. Hortin, 15/15; 2nd, K. Littlejohn, 29/30; 3rd, D. J. Tubb, 27/30. No. 3, Trophy Shoot (10 birds): 1st, D. J. Tubb, 13/13; 2nd, W. Tubb, 12/13; 3rd, G. Blaber, 11/12. No. 4, 10-bird: 1st, R. Powell, 12/12; 2nd and 3rd, div. R. E. Hortin, J. Blake, 11/12. No. 5, Miss-out Trophy: 1st, J. R. Tubb, 29/29; 2nd, R. Powell, 28/29; 3rd, D. J. Tubb, 17/18. No. 6, Novice 12 yd. Trophy: R. Ward, 4/5.

Bob Hortin was the only shooter to return a full score over the initial 15 rounds in the Championship. He was closely followed by K. Littlejohn, R. Powell and D. J. Tubb, 14/15. In the shoot-off for the minor placings, Powell missed his first release, and Littlejohn was too strong for Tubb, who missed two birds in the last five. Supper arrangements were in the capable hands of the Ladies' Committee, and a good night was enjoyed by all. A very large number of spectators were present who had not previously seen night shooting, and all were more than pleased with their evening's entertainment. (May get some new shooters out of them.)

(R. Powell, Hon. Sec.)

CRESSY R.S.L. (V.), 7/6/58. — Weather conditions: dull and cold. Results: No. 1, 5-bird; A. Horan, R. Parker, R. Jorgenson, D. Fletcher, W. Williams, W. Gange, R. Hussen, R. Batt, R. Lemke, W. Dohlie, 5/5. No. 2, 20-bird D.B.: B. Hutchinson, 27/27; R. Bath, 26/27; R. Hussen, 24/25.

Although the day was cold and dull, a good number of shooters from neighbouring clubs took part in the afternoon events, when some very good shooting was seen from onlookers. (R. H. Bath, Hon. Sec.)

CROYDON (V.), 23/4/58 (Night).—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: R. Osman, 23/24 pts. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: 10-bird D.B.: J. Middleton, 19/20. No. 3, 5 off 12 yds. 5 off Fence: div. W. Lonie, M. Collings, 10/10.

Our last night shoot before the winter, as we have not received the support of the shooters over the past few weeks. Dr. John Middleton was successful in the main event, his first major win; he has shown consistent form and has only recently taken up the sport. Good shooting, John, keep it up. Incidentally his colleagues of the Lilydale Clinic are all members and keen shooters, so with a little contra treatment, we should be the healthiest club in Melb.

31/5/58. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: div. W. Lonie, B. Bond, D. Kneebone, M. Brown, No. 2, 30-bird D.B.: 1st, E. Doyle, 30/30; 12/16 yds., J. Middleton, 29/33.

Today as a special attraction a case of cartridges went to the outright winner of the main event. The response was very gratifying; shooters came from near and far. The Doyle brothers from Alexandra thought it a great idea, especially Barry Doyle, as he took home the bacon. John Middleton, of whom I have previously congratulated, maintained his good form to take the 16 yd. trophy.

14/6/58.—Weather conditions: wintry. Results: No. 1 5-bird Pts.: div. R. Shepherd, F. Emslie, R. McKnight, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Intermed. C'ship: 1st, M. Whitelaw, 29/30; 2nd, Leo Doyle, 28/30; 3rd, A. French, 19/20; B.M. Sweep, div. R. Osman, P. Poole, R. B. Shepherd, 18/20. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: D. Kneebone, 9/10.

Club Intermediate Championship, D.B. The first in Croydon's history and a successful one, we had the privilege of welcoming visitors from country districts. Clarry Poole, mine host from Kevington Hotel, was one—a 44-hour journey by car and he does it quite often. The sash and trophy were won by Mervyn Whitelaw, a graduate from the I.C.I. school, and his first; Barry Doyle (Alexandra), 2nd, after shoot-off; Allan French, 3rd. Good shooting, chaps. The single barrel will be a must shortly, so keep in form.

28/6/58.—Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: div. A. Hedger, P. Collins, R. B. Shepherd, No. 2, 20-bird D.B.: 1st, P. Collins, 20/20; 2nd, K. Corbett, 31/33; 3rd, I. Meek, 30/33; 12/16, C. Broadbear, 16/20. No. 3, 20-bird D.B.: div. 1st, R. B. Shepherd, P. Hood, 19/20; J. Meek, P. Collins, G. Lund, F. Thatcher, 18/20.

Our usual Saturday club shoot, with some unusually good shooting, as we had the trap really wound up. Phil Collins, showing his outstanding form, won the main event and shared in all others, practically all single barrel—a popular win, Phil. Arthur Hedger from Alexandra, a regular visitor, drops in as though Alexandra is a suburb of Melb.

Reg Blackwell is back again from Manus Island; also Ken Corbett joined us again; he also has been at sea. Welcome back, fellows.

(F. Emslie, Hon. Sec.)

DROUIN (V.), 14/6/58. — Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: div. J. Feehan, A. McNab, A. Stewart, R. Aberdeen, F. Maxfield. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: 1st, C. Bleckley; 2nd and 3rd, div. A. McNab, J. Oliver, F. Maxfield. No. 3, 10-bird Pts.: div. G. James, A. Stewart, F. Maxfield. High Gun: div. F. Maxfield and C. Bleckley.

Very cold and windy conditions. Had a very enjoyable shoot—very friendly. Charlie Bleckley and Frank Maxfield shot well in the cold, also Cliff Bailey was a real stalwart to brave the conditions of the day, as Cliff has been in hospital for operation on his legs.

(Joe Oliver, Hon. Sec.)

DUNOLLY (V.), 20/6/58.—Weather conditions: fine and cool. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: F. Cremeen, W. Coulson, L. Bell, N. Hall, A. Banfield, A. Mason, N. Cameron, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird Trophy: under 16 yds., W. Coulson, 13/13; 16 yds. and over, N. Gurnow, 15/15. No. 3, 5-bird Trophy: under 16 yds., W. Coulson, 13/13; 16 yds. and over, W. Clark, 22/22. No. 4, 5-bird Trophy Sparrows: W. Coulson, 11/11, 1st. No. 5, 5-bird Pts.: A. Banfield, C. Rodgers, F. Cremeen, W. Coulson, G. Flett, A. Bellinger, 15/16, div.

Good attendance of shooters from adjoining clubs made an enjoyable evening's shooting. New shooter, W. Coulson, was high gun, shooting 47/47 for night.

(N. H. Hall, Hon. Sec.)

EASTERN GOLDFIELDS (W.A.), 15/6/58. — Weather conditions: dull. Results: No. 1, 20-bird S.B. D.T.L.: C. Taylor, 17/20; N. Owens, W. Montgomery, 16/20.

Although the weather was dull, 19 shooters faced up to contest the 2nd section of the C. Ismay Cup and J. Brown Trophy. The event was won in pleasing fashion by Charlie Taylor with 17/20. Charlie is shooting most consistently, having won the last two club shoots conducted. Maximum Montgomery and Noddy Owens shot well to divide 2nd with a creditable 16/20.

(N. C. Nelson, President.)

ECHUCA (V.), 7/6/58. — Weather conditions: windy, but fine. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. H. Gibson, J. Jamieson, R. Stagg, W. Hipwell, A. Corry, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: div. L. Gibson, H. Gibson, J. Jamieson, L. Scriven, W. Hipwell, A. Corry, E. Brinsmead, 5/6. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: div. L. Gibson, R. Grinter, R. Stagg, W. Hipwell, A. Corry, E. Brinsmead, 5/6. No. 4, Main Trophy (10-bird D.B.): 1st, E. Brinsmead, 17/17; 2nd, J. Jamieson, 16/17; 12 yd., N. Thorn, 8/10. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: 12 yds., J. Rhodes, 9/10; 16 yds., A. Hore, 17/17; 19 yds. and over, J. Jamieson, 11/11. No. 6, Miss-out: div. E. Brinsmead, J. Jamieson, A. Corry, L. Scriven.

A most enjoyable afternoon's shoot. Conditions were cool, but the interesting shooting compensated. Most encouraging to see the several new shooters taking part and doing so well; we hope to see them taking some of the major trophies before long. The main trophy was taken by Eric Brinsmead, one of our most consistent shooters; J. Jamieson took the 2nd trophy.

(M. Briggs, Sec.)

GEELOG (V.), 6/6/58. — Weather conditions: cold. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: 28 shooters took part, 7 div. 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird Trophy: M. Anderson, 15/15; W. Stewart, 14/15; K. Woodman, 15/16; F.M., B. Coleman, 8/10. No. 3, 10-bird Trophy: R. Krentzlin, 10/10; C. Wilson, 20/21; M. Anderson, 20/31; F.M., D. Sellars, 6/10.

Very cold night, otherwise good conditions. Approx. 30 shooters took part, with some excellent shooting. Four tied with 10/10, and after shoot-off, resulted: M. Anderson, 15 straight; W. Stewart, K. Woodman, 15/16; B. Coleman, best F.M., 8/10. B. Coleman, a novice, also divided with eight others in Eye-opener. Second 10-bird Trophy saw R. Krentzlin take 1st trophy, 10/10, the only one, and C. Wilson, 2nd (after shoot-off), 20/21, and M. Anderson, 29/31; D. Sellars, 6/10, best F.M. Best s'take winners for night were R. Krentzlin, W. Stewart, B. Mark, K. Woodman, M. Anderson. After an excellent night's shooting, the night ended up with a barbecue supper.

(S. Davis, Hon. Sec.)

GOROKE (V.), 21/6/58. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. 16 shooters. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. \$20 Trophy: 1st, A. Aitken (Mitre), 46/46; 2nd, M. Grigg (Apsley), 46/46; 3rd, I. Roberts (Apsley), 37/38. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: div. 18 shooters. No. 4, Walk-up Miss-out: div. N. Stewart, C. Watkins.

We had a good day's shooting, with visitors from Horsham, Murtoa, Portland and Apsley. Our congratulations to Alf Aitken on shooting his 50 straight; good shooting, Alf. Mervyn Grigg was unlucky not to get his 50; he finished with 47. Taken over the day, shooting was of a high standard. Our special thanks to the ladies, who did their usual good work in supplying us with afternoon tea.

(B. C. Robinson, Hon. Sec.)

HARCOURT (V.), 21/6/58.—Weather conditions: good. No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: C. Paul, T. Botten, K. Roberts, div. sweep; 1st, T. Botten, 21/22; 2nd, K. Roberts, 20/21; Novice, L. Bell; Ladies' Trophy, Mrs. R. Pillars. No. 2, 15 prs. D'ville Doubles: 1st, R. Crimmean - D. Edwards, 15/15; 2nd, V. Whaley - H. Thorne, 14/15, after a shoot-off with three other pairs, 28/30.

A very good attendance and there was a number of visitors, and all had an enjoyable afternoon. The ladies supplied afternoon tea, which was well received.

(L. R. Pritchard, Sec.)

HAY (N.S.W.), 7/6/58. — Weather conditions: cold and wintry. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. (Ass. Hd. Mks.): div. N. Milliken, J. Donohoe, W. Headon, J. Houston, G. Williams, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.B. (Ass. Td. Mks.): W. (Bill) Headon, 5/5. No. 3, Patron's Trophy (15-bird D.B. and 15-bird S.B.): N. Milliken, 31/35; R. Headon, 29/35 after shoot-off; W. Headon, 31/35 after shoot-off. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Novice Trophy (12/14 yds.): W. Headon, 10/10; J. Donohoe, 9/10; E. Bennett, 8/10.

The shoot this month was provided by our patrons of the club, Leo Headon and Eddie Bennett. These gentlemen provided three crystal vases as trophies for a 30-bird event, consisting of 15 D.B. and 15 S.B. over two traps. Although the day was one that you experience in winter (a strong south-westerly wind blowing), all the top-flight shots of the club participated, and a good number of those

in the novice class. Norman Milliken prevailed, with one of the donor's sons, Ron Headon, collecting 2nd place, and the novice shooter, W. (Bill) Headon, taking 3rd place. This shooter also was successful in the trophy shoot for the 12/14 yd. mark.

(Les McKinney, Hon. Sec.)

ILLAWARRA (N.S.W.), 21/6/58.—Weather conditions: fine and mild. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: E. Hawkins, G. Gillfillen, 10/10. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: J. Thatcher, M. Fuller, H. Townsend, C. Harries, E. Reynolds, 5/5. No. 3, £30 H'cap: A. Bradley, C. Dean, A. Vost, E. Hawkins, 20/20. No. 4, N.S.W. Mixed Birds C'ship: D. Scowcroft, 1st; J. Thatcher, 2nd; M. Fuller, 3rd; T. Mullar, 4th. No. 5, East Dist. of N.S.W. D.B. C'ship: G. Gillfillen, 1st, 30/30; C. Tickle, 2nd; A. Bradley, 3rd. I.C.I.A.N.Z. High Gun Trophy: A. Bradley, 40/40. Most Improved Shooter Trophy: Donajd McIntosh (Goondiwindi).

Congratulations to Don Scowcroft on winning the State title, and also congrats. to fellow club member George Gillfillen on winning the East Dist. of N.S.W. D.B. C'ship. Good shooting, chaps. Our very sincere thanks to Eric Reynolds, Norm Ellis and Don Scowcroft of I.C.I., and also to Fred Hudson for the assistance they rendered to the management during the shoot. Also thanks to Vice-President Harry Townsend for the excellent organisation of the shoot. Visitors attended from Coolah (N.S.W.), Wangaratta (Vic.) and from other big clubs all over N.S.W.

(N. J. Phillips, Hon. Sec.)

ISISFORD (Qld.), 1/6/58.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 15-bird S.B.: R. Kingston, 15/15. No. 2, 20-bird Pts.: 1st, J. Duffy, 58/60; 2nd, G. Coxon, 57/60. No. 3, 20-bird Kills: R. Kingston, 20/20 (won in shoot-off with J. Dowie). No. 4, 5 prs. D. Rise: Miss P. Coxon, 5/5 (won in shoot-off with R. Kingston). No. 5, 5 prs. D'ville Doubles: J. Winter - N. Britain.

A well-attended shoot, with visitors from Longreach, Aramac and Iffracombe. The annual general meeting was held during the day, and President G. Coxon, Vice-President P. Salmon and Secretary T. Smith were re-elected. The shoot concluded with a barbecue supper and presentation of trophies.

(Mrs. E. Dowie, Hon. Sec.)

KATANING (W.A.), 18/5/58. — Weather conditions: fine and cool. Results (Novice shoot): No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Pts.: N. Beek, D. Anderson, B. Clegg, 14/15 (comp. div.). No. 2, 10 prs. D.D.: T. Young - R. McAuliffe, E. Clegg - M. Crossley. No. 3, Novelty Shoot: B. Clegg, 1st, 5/6; J. Clegg, 2nd, 4/6.

The first novice shoot of the season attracted five new shooters, who finished the day averaging 50 per cent., which isn't bad for novices. For the second event old and new shooters were paired off, with R. McAuliffe putting up a good performance for his first visit to the trap.

8/6/58.—Weather conditions: fine and cold. Results: No. 1, 20 Mixed Birds: R. Coleman, trophy; N. Beek, 1st; E. Clegg, 2nd, 18/20. 16/20. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: M. Crossley, N. Beek, W. Makeham, E. Clegg, 5/5. No. 3, 20-bird Skeet: R. Anderson, 1st, 20/20; T. Young, 2nd, 19/20. R. Coleman took the high gun trophy.

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Event No. 2 —

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20 BIRDS OFF 16 YARDS. Nomination, 30/-. Trophies First, Second, Third and Best 12 Yarder.

Event No. 3 —

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Sunday Night — Commencing at 8 p.m. Sharp

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T. Young, with 19/20 off the gun at skeet, seems to be maintaining last year's form. Neville Beeck is also showing good form, with 18/20 mixed birds as well as several other events.

22/6/58.—Weather conditions: fine and cold. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Pts.: W. Makeham, J. Clegg, N. Beeck, B. Clegg, R. Norrish, M. Crossley, 15/15. No. 2, Novice Shoot: L. Little, 1st, 8/10; S. James, P. James, tied for 2nd, 7/10.

The second novice shoot of the year was held, when eight new shooters faced the trap. Between them they averaged nearly 7/10, with Len Little, who had only seen clay shooting once before, winning with 8/10 and taking the M. Crossley trophy for the best novice.

(B. Clegg, Hon. Sec.)

KEILOR (V.), 7/6/58.—Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 5 pr. D'ville Doubles: div. D. Glover - R. Dale, I. Cummings - R. Cummings (Alexandra), 15/15. No. 2, Club D'ville Doubles C'ship (20 pr. off 20 yds.): 1st, J. Cummings - R. Cummings, 25/25; 2nd, D. Glover - R. Dale, 24/25. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: 1st, M. Hamilton, 10/10; 2nd, R. Johns, 12/14; 3rd, N. McKenzie, 12/13.

Weather cool but fine, a good number of shooters. Main event, Club D'ville Doubles Championship, went to J. Cummings and R. Cummings of Alexandra, with 25 pairs, from D. Glover and R. Dale, 24 pairs.

21/6/58.—Weather conditions: windy conditions, but fine. Results: No. 1, 10-bird (5 S.B., 5 D.B.): 1st, R. Fletcher, 10/10; 2nd and 3rd, div. W. Robertson, J. Nicholls, A. French, 8/10. No. 2, 30-bird D.B. (off 18 yds.): 1st, A. French, 29/30; 2nd, R. Fletcher, 31/35; 3rd, W. Tubb, 27/31; 12/16 yds., H. Williamson, 23/30; 17/18 yds., R. Kilkenny, 29/34; 19/20 yds., W. Robertson, 25/30; 21 yds. and over, W. Williams, 25/30.

Weather windy but fine. Main event went to A. French, 29/30; 2nd, R. Fletcher, 31/35; 3rd, W. Tubb (Cressy, Tas.), 27/31.

(G. Hunter, Hon. Sec.)

KELLERBERLIN (W.A.), 1/6/58.—Conditions were favourable in every respect to make this shoot a very successful one. The weather was warm and sunny after the earlier opening rains, much needed by the farmer-shooters in the club. The attendance was excellent and much interesting shooting was enjoyed by all.

The first event was a 20-bird S.B. This was won by F. Johnson, our president. Congratulations, Fred. 2nd, D. Forsyth; 3rd, J. Heal. The next event was a 10-bird (comp. div.) Walk-up. The honours for this event were div. J. Heal and J. Forster.

Afternoon tea was provided by the ladies and, as usual, was very much appreciated by all.

(P. Cook, Club Reporter.)

KEMPSEY (N.S.W.), 21/6/58. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, G.W. (5-bird Pts.): 1st, A. Latter, G. D. T. Seccombe, 15/15, div.; 3rd, W. McPhee, 13/15. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: G. D. T. Seccombe, J. Goodsell, W. McPhee, A. Latter, 9/10, div. No. 3, 10-bird S.B. Trophy: 1st, C. Bell, 10/10; 2nd and 3rd, W. McPhee, J. Wedgewood, A. Latter, A. Oliver, 8/10, div. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: 1st and 2nd, D. Seccombe, A. Oliver, 27/30, div.; 3rd, W. McPhee, 26/30. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: W. Saul, C. Bell, D. Seccombe, Dr. S. Marsh, A. Oliver, A. Latter, 9/10, div. No. 6, 5 pr. D. Rise: 1st, D. Seccombe, 4/5; 2nd and 3rd, Dr. Marsh, W.

McPhee, J. Goodsell, G. D. T. Seccombe, 3/5, div. No. 7, 5 pr. D. Rise: 1st, D. Seccombe, 4/5; 2nd and 3rd, Dr. Marsh, A. Oliver, J. Goodsell, 3/5, div.

A pleasant afternoon's sport, with C. Bell winning Jack Smith's trophy, and W. McPhee high gun for the day.

(H. Kemp, Hon. Scorer.)

KOJONUP (W.A.), 15/6/58.—Weather conditions: cool. Results: No. 1, 10-bird S.B., G.D., D.B.: W. Marsh, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird D.D.: W. Marsh - K. Anderson, 24/25.

With cool weather conditions, the shoot was most successful and some particularly keen shooting resulted. William Marsh took home two trophies, winning the 10-bird gun-down Silent Rise with a possible 10/10, and, when partnered by Keith Anderson, also won the 10-bird Deauville Doubles with 24/25. This event was decided after an interesting shoot-off from Athol Anderson - Charlie Marsh, 22/25.

(Keith Anderson, P.O.)

LANDSBOROUGH RIVER (Qld.), 31/5/58.

—Weather conditions: gusty wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: T. P. Delahunty, L. Wearing, D. Ward, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.B. Sliding H'cap: W. Wearing, P. Delahunty, 5/5. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Pts. Trophy: J. Wearing, W. Doherty, 42/45; J. Wearing won in shoot-off. No. 4, 5-bird S.B.: T. P. Delahunty, D. Ward, T. Delahunty, D. Crawford, 5/5. No. 5, 20-bird S.B. Trophy: L. Wearing, J. Wearing, D. Ward, W. Doherty, T. Delahunty, M. Mezger, 19/20 (W. Doherty won). No. 6, 5-bird Nov. Pts. Shoot: T. Gibson, S. Barnett, M. Mezger, 15/15 (M. Mezger won in shoot-off). No. 7, 5-bird Ladies' Trophy: Mrs. V. Wearing, M. Crawford, M. Mezger, 5/5 (Mrs. M. Mezger won in shoot-off). No. 8, 5 prs. D.D.: D. Crawford - W. Doherty won in shoot-off. No. 9, 5 prs. D. Rise: W. Doherty, 5/5. No. 10, Miss-out: T. P. Delahunty. No. 11, Miss-out: D. Crawford.

This shoot was held at "Elabe" and conditions were bad. The shooting was of a high standard. W. Doherty, J. Wearing and M. Mezger shot very well.

(T. P. Delahunty, Hon. Sec.)

LEARMONTH (V.), 31/5/58 (Day). —

Weather conditions: never better. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Pts. (comp. div.): G. Drife, B. Norris, H. Smith, L. Scriven, J. Jamison, A. Corry, K. Fenton, H. Bantz, K. Severino, W. Picktholl, V. Harrison, 30/30. No. 2, 100-bird D.B. (teams of five) (the H. B. Ranken Shield Shoot): Harcourt No. 1 team, 1st (H. Smith 20; B. Norris 19, D. Crimmon 20, C. Paull 20, W. Blakeley 19), 98/100; St. Arnaud No. 1 team, 2nd (M. G. Jesse 19, G. G. Barrett 20, J. Wright 19, G. M. Smith 19; W. Pickthall 20), 97/100; Learmonth No. 1 and Sebastopol No. 2 teams, equal 3rd, 96/100. High Gun on Shield Shoot: 1st, C. D. Keith, 72/72; 2nd, D. Crimmon, 71/72; 3rd, N. Paterson, 67/68; best 16 yds., G. G. Barrett, 32/33.

Shooters came from Melbourne, Bendigo, Castlemaine, St. Arnaud, Ballarat, Beaumont, Echuca, etc., to our Shield Shoot—68 in all. The day was of the very best, and high scores with good shooting were the order of the day. The following claimed break badges: C. D. Keith and N. Paterson, 75; D. Crimmon and G. G. Barrett, 50. Also welcomed to the shoot were D. Mairs and Newton Thomas, both from I.C.I. The latter gave a very interesting talk and demonstration on the No. 2 trap—how to shoot the clays out of the sky.

31/5/58 (Night).—Weather conditions: very good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Points (comp. div.): D. Crimmon, W. Blakely, B. Norris, G. M. Smith, J. Jamison, L. Scriven, J. Wright, G. G. Barrett, H. Bantz, W. Doherty, K. Fenton, A. E. Smith, No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Mid. Dist. Night C'ship: 5 possible; E. Bevan, 51/51, 1st and sash; G. G. Barrett, 50/51, 2nd; W. Blakely, 33/34, 3rd; H. Smith, 32/33, 4th; A. Corry, 22/23, 5th; B. Norris, 28/29, 6th.

After our day shoot 45 shooters came to our Night Championship, and good shooting was seen again, E. Bevan running out the winner when G. G. Barrett failed to cover his 51st release. This shoot-off was over well before "time, please". And a good time was had by all.

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

LEONGATHA (V.), 7/6/58.—Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts.: 1st, E. Cripps; 2nd, C. Steele. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, G. Gray; 2nd, J. Cummins. No. 3, 15-bird S.B.: 1st, C. Arnap; 2nd, G. Gray. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, E. Cripps; 2nd, C. Budge.

Visitors from Drouin, Morwell, Foster, Wonthaggi made shooting keen. Club thanks to Mrs. Gray for her welcome cup of tea.

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

LUCINDALE (S.A.), 1/6/58. — Weather conditions: fine and mild. Results: No. 1, 5-bird (comp. div.): C. Hill, A. McKenzie, J. Grieve, C. Elliott, H. Sneath, W. Rivett, R. Paltridge, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: P. Williams, A. Cooper, A. McKenzie, M. Elliott, H. Sneath, C. Kirkham, J. O'Brien, 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: P. Williams, A. Cooper, H. Cooper, C. Hill, A. McKenzie, P. Sheridan, J. O'Brien, 10/10; Trophy, J. O'Brien.

This fixture was arranged as a farewell shoot for D. Secker, who is leaving the district. Shooters were present from Robe, Little Bool and Lacedpede Bay Clubs. Ideal shooting conditions made it a very enjoyable afternoon for all. David Secker received best wishes for the future from home and represented clubs, and some very nice presents were handed to him.

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

McKINLAY (Qld.), 22/6/58.—Weather conditions: fine and warm. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: G. Muller, T. Barnes, B. Jensen, E. Solomon, 5/5. No. 2, P. B. Tighe Trophy (10-bird Novice): L. Bode, 9/10. No. 3, McKinlay Gun Club Trophy (20-bird S.B. H'cap): 1st, G. Muller, 16/20; 2nd, K. Tyler, 16/20. No. 4, McKinlay Gun Club Trophy (15-bird D.B. Pts. Scoring): 1st, G. Muller, 41/45; 2nd, J. Jensen, 35/45. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: G. Muller, 1st, 10/10.

Our shoot this month was held on the Sunday following the McKinlay Race Club's two-day meeting. Thus, besides a number of visitors from the Cloncurry Gun Club, we had quite a few spectators. George Muller shone as the outstanding shooter of the day, winning four of the five events. His 41 points in the 15-bird D.B. Point Scoring event was agreed by everyone to be fine shooting. John Jensen, another promising young shooter, came second in this event. A tasty picnic lunch, with "billy tea", was provided by the ladies . . . thanks, ladies!!

(Rex J. Davies, Hon. Sec.)

MIENA (Tas.), 21/6/58. — Weather conditions: windy and wintry. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B. Sparrows: B. Neil, K. Pulford, D. Monks, R. Monks Snr., div., 5/5. No. 2, 20-bird Sth. District S.B. Sparrows C'ship: P. Marshall, 19/20; R. Wighton, 18/20; K. Pulford, 16/20. No. 3, 6-bird D.B.: P. Marshall, 5/5; B. Neil, G. Marshall, J. Monks, J. Holdsworth, div., 4/5. No. 4, 15-bird Club H'cap: G. Marshall, 17/18; E. Pulford, 16/17; B. Neil, 13/15. No. 5, 5-bird Novice: J. Monks, 8/9. No. 6, Ladies' 5-bird: Miss A. Monks, 3/5.

The weather once again was against the shooters; the high winds made the birds play tricks, especially the sparrows. P. Marshall shot well to win the Championship, pressed by R. Wighton, 2nd. B. Neil showed great promise after a long spell. This shooter could go places if he was to keep up his practice. J. Monks, a new club member, shot well to win 8/9 novice in a shoot-off against R. Ward, 7/8. The new trap went extra well and shooters enjoyed this.

(R. R. Milton, Hon. Sec.)

MILDURA (V.), 13/6/58.—Weather conditions: windy. Results: No. 1, 15-bird D.B.: B. Doyle, R. Stirrat, R. G. Lemke, Don Matthews, Luke Doyle, 15/15, div. No. 2, 15-bird D.B.: L. Kogh, W. R. Loney, R. Hutchinson, R. G. Lemke, J. Patterson, R. Wakefield, B. Lynch, J. Taylor, G. M. Smith, R. Kilkenny, N. Fletcher, J. Benson, H. Blackmore, 15/15, div. No. 3, 15-bird D.B.: J. Taylor, R. G. Lemke, Tup Pedersen, G. M. Smith, A. C. Barnes, 15/15, div.

14/6/58.—Weather conditions: windy. Results: No. 1, 15 prs. D'ville Doubles: H. Wakefield - R. Wakefield, 15/15, 1st; J. Woodrow - J. Taylor, J. Lindner - J. Pampa, R. Hutchinson - A. Messenger, 14/15, div. No. 2, Vic. D'ville Doubles C'ship: N. Milliken - J. Headon, 20/20, 1st; K. Mules - K. Fleetwood, 19/20, 2nd. No. 3, 250 H'cap (15-bird D.B.): R. Heley, J. Taylor, K. Mules, R. Scherger, A. Hedger, P. Sheridan, F. Cremeen, S. McCreddin, 15/15, div.

14/6/58 (Night). — Weather conditions: good. Results: 275 H'cap (20-bird D.B.): S. Scherger, R. G. Lemke, 20/20, div., 1st; L. Bruce, J. Vigar, L. Lupp, H. Wakefield, G. Strauss, T. Lucas, 19/20, div. 2nd and 3rd.

16/6/58.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 15-bird D.B. 250 H'cap: K. Wakefield, Air-Cpm. Garing, E. Borman, T. Halls, T. Pedersen, I. Schubert, J. Doyle, K. Neyland, G. Daly, H. Wakefield, C. Mitchell, P. Richardson, T. Knight, G. Strauss, E. Bruce, D. Johnson, R. Crean, R. Millard, B. Doyle, G. Trevaso, R. Hutchinson, T. Lucas, 15/15, div. No. 2, Car Shoot (30-bird D.B.): H. Moore, F. Cremeen, 30/30, div. 1st and 2nd.

The Mildura Clay Target Gun Club conducted their first really big shoot, and the committee were more than pleased with the result. Local shooter Harry Moore and F. Cremeen were the only shooters to shoot 30 birds in the Car Shoot. F. Cremeen, who is a member of the Harcourt Gun Club, was also successful in winning the High Gun Trophy and Sash. On Saturday Norm Milliken and Jack Headon shot particularly well under adverse conditions to win the Victorian Deauville Doubles Championships. In conclusion, the Mildura Clay Target Gun Club were very grateful to all the shooters who attended, and the assistance received, which helped to make a most successful shoot.

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

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PERTH (W.A.).—Perth Gun Club changed from Clontarf to new shooting grounds at Guildford on the week-end 10th-11th May, 1958. Since this date there have been several "busy bees" to put the ground in order, and the result is truly astounding. There have been two official shoots up to date and the shooting conditions generally are excellent. It is the considered opinion of old shooters that they haven't seen better anywhere in the world.

Last week the first stage of the Club Skeet C'ship was fired. The match was won by E. Metcalf after quite a long shoot-off with A. Anderson. Eddie's total was 49/53 and A. Anderson's 48/53, which is pretty good skeet shooting. The President, S. Colliver, shot the only 20/20, but was eliminated in the shoot-off. Afternoon tea was served by the ladies.

The opening day for the new grounds is set for 10th August, 1958, and this will certainly be a gala day. There has been a sub-committee set up to handle all the arrangements for this most important event.

7/6/58.—Weather conditions: excellent. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. D.T.L. (comp. div.): F. Bailey, T. Holt, E. Metcalf, J. Antieich, div., 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. D.T.L. (1st stage Club High Gun): shoot-off between T. Holt and J. Conlon won by T. Holt.

Twenty-six shooters faced the traps. The weather was ideal. T. Holt shot well to win from J. Conlon. Chris O'Neil was really unlucky he hasn't shot for a while, and decided to shoot for birds only in both events. He shot 10/10 in the first event and 20/20 in the second.

21/6/58.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 20-bird S.B.: F. Bailey, 1st; H. Colliver, 2nd; C. O'Neil, D. Cumming, T. Holt, S. Colliver, J. Conlon, div. 3rd. No. 2, 10-bird Novelty (comp. div.): S. Colliver, H. Colliver, P. Colliver, T. Smith, K. Barker, W. Brice.

The 20-bird S.B. was keenly contested. F. Bailey and H. Colliver each shot 19/20 and in the shoot-off F. Bailey proved too good for Harold. The second event, a novelty 10-bird (one from the No. 1 trap and on the report of the gun the second from the high skeet tower), was quite appreciated. Several with 9/10 tied and shared the money.

(A. J. Anderson, Hon. Sec.)

PORTARLINGTON (V.), 1/6/58.—No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sparrow (off 18 yds.): F. Burns, R. Jorgenson, div., 5/5. No. 2, Club D.B. Day Sparrow C'ship: F. Burns, 20/20; A. Tie, 29/30; 2nd; K. Lowry, 3rd, 28/30; R. Hussen (Geelong), F.M., 16/20; Ladies' Trophy, Mrs. Richards. No. 3, Bellerine D'ville Doubles C'ship: R. Johns - J. Stevens, 55/55 prs.; B. Marks - S. McIntosh, 54/55 prs.; Bill Stewart - N. Norman, F.M. pr., 19/20; Ladies' Trophy, Mrs. Gollings. No. 4, Old Dead Eye Dicks and anyone who has never won a C'ship of 15 birds: N. Norman (Geelong), 20/20, from M. Beach, 19/20.

29/6/58.—No. 1, 10-bird Walk-up: div. J. Stiff, Le Maitre, 9/10. No. 2, Bellerine Walk-up C'ship: J. Stiff, 29/30; R. Parker (Colac), 2nd, 28/30; F. Burns, 3rd, 18/20; Ladies' Trophy, Mrs. James (Melb.). No. 3, Club D.B. Intermed. C'ship: S. Stevens, 15/15; N. Norman (Geelong), 2nd, 14/15; R. James, 12/15, 3rd. No. 4, D. Rise C'ship: A. Tie, 12/15 prs.; F. Burns, 2nd, 11/15; S. Stevens, 3rd.

Joe Stiff, in shooting 9/10 and 29/30 to win Walk-up C'ship, would be the best 38/40

for Walk-up C'ship I have seen, and to beat Fred Burns is one better.

(R. Jorgenson, Sec.)

PORT PIRIE (S.A.), 8/6/58.—Weather conditions: very cold and windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: F. Jones, D. Scott, 6/5, equal 1st. No. 2, 10-bird S.B. Club Trophy: D. H. Goold, F. W. Nickels tie for 1st; F. Nickels won shoot-off. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. Walk-up: F. Jones, L. Williams, L. Kelly, R. Klingver, F. W. Nickels, equal, 4/5. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: L. Williams, P. Kelly, F. W. Nickels, P. Keane, equal 1st, 5/5.

The day was very, very cold and windy. We were pleased to have so many shooters in attendance. The trophy shoot resulted in a tie for D. H. Goold and F. Nickels; in shoot-off F. Nickels won by 3 points. This trophy has been shot for over four shoots, with point score, 3 points per bird, and was very keenly contested. This club shoots twice each month, and we always get an average of 15/25 shooters.

(F. W. Nickels, Hon. Sec.)

QUEANBEYAN (N.S.W.), 24/5/58.—Under adverse shooting conditions, but with attendance slightly above the recent average, the usual monthly shoot was conducted. The main event of the afternoon, the 10th round of the R. & R. Canteen Shoot, was won by Rodger Sands, who hails from the Cooma district, and shot the only possible. Other Events: 5-bird D.B.: M. Edlington, F. Parkes, R. Sands, L. Blewitt, P. Morton, 5/5, div. 10-bird D.B.: M. Edlington, W. Ryall, F. Parkes, 10/10, div. R. & R. Canteen Shoot (5 S.B., 5 D.B., 10th round): 1st, R. Sands, 14/14; 2nd, G. Tilyard, 13/14. 10-bird Point Score: 1st, F. Parkes, 27/30; best 16 yds., J. Cullen, 24/30. 5 prs. D. Rise: 1st, L. Blewitt, 6/6; 2nd, G. Tilyard, 5/6. 5 prs. D'ville Doubles: 1st, C. J. Tilyard-L. Blewitt, 6/6. 10-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, R. Sands, 11/11; 2nd, J. Cullen, 10/11. 10-bird D.B.: 1st, L. Blewitt; 2nd, R. Sands, M. Edlington, C. J. Tilyard, J. Cullen, div. Box Sweep: 1st, R. Sands.

Very nice to see our new secretary, Noel Edlington, settling very nicely down in his new position. Noel is very keen and deserves the support of all members.

(F. C. Morton, Pub. Officer.)

R.A.A.F. BASE, POINT COOK (V.).—An invitation social shoot was held by the club on Sunday, June 22, 1958, in order to raise funds for the Amateur Athletic Association's Appeal for the Empire Games, with particular emphasis on the R.A.A.F. Candidate, Flight Lieut. K. Gosper. Air Cdre. W. H. Garing, C.B.E., D.F.C., and Officers, Point Cook, invited members of various gun clubs to attend. This enabled prospective members of the R.A.A.F. Inter-Service team, competing for the I.C.I. Shield, to gain valuable competitive experience. The advice and assistance given by the visiting shooters proved of immense value to the Service shooters.

In the morning a R.A.A.F. Competition was held. The 5-bird Eye-opener was won by Sqn. Ldr. Greentree, 5/5, and the 15-bird D.B. (off 16 yds.) was won by Wg. Cdr. Ayre, 24/25. In the afternoon 71 civilian and R.A.A.F. shooters nominated in the 20-bird D.B. H'cap, and this was won outright by T. R. Wightman (Camberwell), 20/20. In an interesting shoot-off for 2nd prize, Air Cdre. Garing shot 16/16 to eliminate 8, 19/20. As time permitted, a 10-bird D.B. H'cap was held, and still displaying

excellent form, Air Cdre. Garing won, 20/22. The R.A.A.F. High Gun Event for the day, over all events, was narrowly won by Air Cdre. Garing, 47/50, from Wg. Cdr. Ayre, 46/50.

The sum of £115/5/11 was raised for the Athletic Fund. "Duxhac" refereed squads in his own inimitable manner, and also presented the trophies at the end of the shoot, at the request of Air Cdre. Garing. During the afternoon refreshments were served by the ladies of the Air Force Women's Association. Once again the club is indebted to Mrs. R. Ayre, and her work contributed greatly to the success of the shoot.

Results: R.A.A.F. 5-bird: Sqn. Ldr. R. Greentree, 5/5. R.A.A.F. 15-bird D.B. (16 yds.): 1st, Wg. Cdr. R. Ayre, 24/25; 2nd, Air Cdre. W. H. Garing, 23/25; 3rd, Sqn. Ldr. F. Muller, 18/20. 20-bird D.B.: 1st, T. R. Wightman, 20/20; 2nd, Air Cdre. W. H. Garing, 35/36; 3rd, P. Poole, 34/36. 10-bird D.B.: 1st, Air Cdre. W. H. Garing, 20/22; 2nd, G. Lund, 20/24; 3rd, T. Borley, 19/24. R.A.A.F. High Gun (all events): Air Cdre. W. H. Garing, 47/50.

(E. J. Myers, Flight Lieutenant for Air Officer Commanding.)

RICHMOND (Qld.), 25/5/58. — Weather conditions: fine, clear. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: E. Bowman, D. Murray, R. O'Neill, A. Scarr, J. Trevorton, J. Carrington, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Pts. (3 and 2): E. Bowman, 29; D. A. Crawford, J. Trevorton, 27. No. 3, Qld. Walk-up C'ship: 1st, P. Kennedy, 16; 2nd, D. Crawford; 3rd, D. Murray. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. Pts. (3 and 2): 1st, A. Crawford, 58; P. Kennedy, 56; B. O'Neill, 53. No. 5, 20-bird D.B. (equal scoring): D. A. Crawford, 20; D. Crawford, P. Kennedy, 18. No. 6, 15-bird S.B.: R. O'Neill, 18; P. Kennedy, 12; C. Hansen, 11.

The Qld. Walk-up Championship was won by Peter Kennedy, who really shot well, not only in this event, but throughout the day and thoroughly deserved his win. A \$50 Handicap conducted was won by D. A. Crawford, a visiting shooter from Hughenden. This shooter was well in the top scores in most events.

(A. A. Bone.)

ROCKHAMPTON (Qld.). — The success of our Carnival Week shoots were in no small way due to the excellent support afforded by our visiting shooters, to whom we offer our sincere thanks. The most successful visiting shooters were Gordon Nixon (Brisbane), Bill Moyse (Barradine) and George Coxon (Isisford), and the best Rockhampton performer was undoubtedly 14-year-old Rodney Clarke. The club is justly proud of our youthful member, Allan Mace, who made the State Team for the second time, and his performance as runner-up for the Team High Gun was a worthy effort.

Both club members and visitors were unanimous in their praise and appreciation of Club President Lyle Mace for the really excellent dinner he gave at the Criterion Hotel on the Thursday night at which the presentation of trophies and sashes was made.

Sun., June 15. No. 1, 10-bird (3 and 2): R. Clarke, W. Bartley, R. Graham, 26/30. No. 2, 10-bird (3 and 2): R. Clarke, G. King, 29/30; R. Graham, 26/30. No. 3, 20-bird (3 and 2) Captain's Trophy: R. Clarke, 1st, 56/60; A. Lisle, 2nd, 51/60; D. Warnock, 3rd, 51/60. No. 4, 5 pr. D.R.: G. King, W. Brittain, 4/5. No. 5, 10-bird S.B.: W. Brittain, W. Bartley, 10/10.

Wed. Night, June 18. No. 1, 5-bird: J. Duffy, B. Mackey, G. Nixon, D. Russell, W. Bartley, R. Clarke, A. Mace, J. Wigginton, 5/5. No. 2, C.Q. D.B. Night C'ship:

G. Nixon, 1st; R. Clarke, 2nd; L. Smith, 3rd, 19/20. No. 3, 10-bird (3 and 2): B. Mackey, R. Burns, 29/30; G. Nixon, 27/30. No. 4, 10 pr. D'ville Doubles: W. Bartley - J. Anderson, 9/10.

Thurs., June 19. No. 1, 10-bird (3 and 2): A. Mace, 30/30; D. Wilson, W. Bartley, G. Rudd, D. Warnock, 27/30. No. 2, 20-bird (3 and 2): G. Rudd, 57/60; H. Goodson, G. Nixon, 56/60. No. 3, 5-bird: G. Nixon, H. Goodson, W. Moyse, J. Duffy, 15/15. No. 4, 275 H'cap (25-bird 3 and 2): G. Coxon, 71/75; J. Duffy, H. Goodson, div., 70/75. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: G. Coxon, J. Duffy, 10/10; H. Goodson, W. Bartley, 9/10. No. 6, 5 pr. D. Rise: H. Goodson, 5/5; B. Mackey, C. Clarke, 4/5.

Fri., June 20. No. 1, 10-bird (3 and 2): C. Clarke, J. Duffy, H. Goodson, 30/30. No. 2, 20-bird (3 and 2): R. Clarke, 59/60; W. Brittain, 56/60; J. Duffy, 55/60. No. 3, 10 pr. D.D.: R. Clarke - G. Nixon, 10/10. No. 4, 10-bird: W. Bartley, L. Mace, W. Moyse, R. Graham, 10/10. No. 5, R'ton D.B. C'ship: W. Moyse, G. King, R. Clarke, div., 20/20.

(R. Graham, Hon. Sec.)

ROMA (Qld.), 1/6/58. — Weather conditions: excellent. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: N. Bassett, C. Stewart, H. Carne, T. Ferrier, L. Hammond, J. C. Page, C. Halpin, E. Denton, H. A. Scott, W. White, div., 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: T. Ferrier, H. A. Scott, W. White, L. Stewart, K. Cameron, C. Stewart, J. C. Page, E. Denton, L. Hammond, J. Kirkbride, W. Carne, div., 10/10. No. 3, 20-bird D.B.: T. Ferrier, 30/30; J. Kirkbride, 29/30; J. C. Page, 28/30. No. 4, 20-bird (3 and 2): W. White, E. Denton, 59/60; H. Carne, J. C. Page, 57/60.

Tentative shoots for the remainder of 1958: 6th July, 14th September, 26th October, 14th December.

(G. Tanner.)

SALE (V.), 14/6/58. — Weather conditions: bad, windy, with rain. Results: No. 1, 10-bird P/D.: L. Schlupalius, 30/30; K. Fyfe, 29/30; A. W. Catt, 28/30. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: div. L. Schlupalius, S. Lett, A. W. Catt, 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: L. Schlupalius, 1st; 2nd, L. Robinson, S. Lett, N. Lett, J. Harris, W. Harris, R. Murphy. No. 4, 10-bird S.B.: S. Lett, 1st, 10/10; R. Murphy, 2nd, 9/10; L. Robinson, 3rd, 8/10.

The day was really difficult, with rain and heavy wind, but even then shooters scored well. Keith Fyfe showed a very marked improvement and shot good scores in all events. Len Schlupalius shot best on the day and won two events and divided in one other. Stewart Lett was right on his targets, winning one and dividing in two other events. A. W. Catt (Sydney, N.S.W.) shot very well and received prize money in two events. The Harris brothers also were well up in the day's shooting. The clubs are again getting into full swing now that the edge is wearing off football.

(Len J. Robinson, Hon. Sec.)

SOUTH COAST (Qld.). — Southport had a gloriously fine day on Sunday, June 22, when the South Coast Gun Club shot against the Brisbane Gun Club for the initial shoot of the "Martin-Wardrop" Shield. This shield, donated by two of our grandest members, will be an annual exciting 20-bird D.B. Pts. shoot event between the Brisbanites and the South Coasters, and the coveted Shield was won this time by the South Coast team (T. Stone, 60 pts.; A. Gordon, 60 pts.; C. Hicks, 60 pts.; W. Rainbird, 59 pts.; C.

Whitney, 56 pts.). Brisbane's team (A. Thurlow, W. Burns, E. McIntosh, K. Bamberry and J. Nunn) found the going very difficult against the South Coast's three possibles.

Eric Wardrop presented the Shield to Tom Stone on behalf of his team, and a travelling clock to each of the five winning members. Tom was also presented with two pewter mugs by Eric for winning the High Gun.

Genie and Sue Martin were absent in North Queensland, having attended the Tully shoot. Other South Queenslanders at Tully were J. Tyquin, H. Chesney and B. Mackey. (E. Mackey, Pub. Officer.)

SYDNEY (N.S.W.), 31/5/58. — Weather conditions: windy. Results: No. 1, 5 pr. D. Rise: W. Craig, Dr. Gibbons, D. Scowcroft, 4/5. No. 2, 10 pr. D. Rise County of Cumberland C'ship: D. Scowcroft, 1st, Dr. Gibbons, 2nd; H. Townsend, 3rd, 8/10. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: Hudson, W. Craig, W. Robertson, N. Simpson, A. Rowe, 10/10; W. Robertson won; N. Simpson, 2nd. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: W. Craig, 10/10.

The weather was very windy, which made the Championship hard, as the birds were flying in all directions. Everyone had a good afternoon's shooting, with visitors from as far as Queensland.

(Allan Vidler, Hon. Sec.)

TWEED (N.S.W.), 4/5/58. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: C. Burns, G. Charles, J. Mills, 5/5, div. No. 2, 20-bird D.B.: 1st, N. Gorrie, 20/20; 2nd, J. Bornholt, 18/20; 3rd, G. Charles, 18/20; Bornholt, 4. Charles in short shoot-off for 3rd. No. 3, 20-bird S.B.: 1st, G. Charles, 19/20; 2nd, J. Bornholt, 17/20; 3rd, C. Burns, 15/20 — won 3rd in shoot-off from H. Quirk, R. Counter, G. Lake. No. 4, D'ville Doubles (off 20 yds.): 1st, J. Mills - C. Burns, 5/5; H. Quirk - G. Charles, G. Armstrong - M. Boyd, 4/5, equal 3rd. No. 5, Walk-up Miss-out: 1st, G. Armstrong, 7; 2nd, H. Quirk, 6.

Beautiful day was marred by death a couple of days previously of wife of Patron, B. Loder, and mother of A. A., A. B., W. and G. Loder. Whilst club members wished to cancel this shoot, the Loders wished us to carry on, feeling that the club owed a duty to visitors, seeing that it wasn't possible to notify possible visitors of such a cancellation. The club extends its sympathy to its popular Loder members. In the absence of Club Captain, A. A. Loder, and also of President, Vice-President H. Quirk, assisted by the committee members present and members, ran a successful day enjoyed by all our visitors. Cliff Burns showed up again for his winter migration to the Gold Coast, and we were again pleased to have him and see his form good as usual. A new visitor, Norm Gorrie, did well. Come again, Norm. Our ladies, as usual, fed us splendidly.

1/6/58. — Weather conditions: cloudy, bad light. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: div. A. B. and W. Loder, C. Burns, G. Armstrong. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Pts. 3 and 2 (in two stages): C. Burns, 1st, 49; G. Hunt, 2nd, 56; A. A. Loder, R. Counter, 3rd, 55; as there was only one trophy, there was no shoot-off for 3rd. No. 3, 20-bird S.B. (two stages): R. Counter, 1st; C. Burns, 2nd; A. A. Loder, 3rd. Owing to the bad light, a 5-bird Walk-up had to be abandoned as a competition, as shooting became a matter of guesswork.

The day was extremely bad for poorer eyes, as our range has a range as part of the background which doesn't bother one as a rule. We can't have it our way all the time.

In spite of the conditions, there were patches occasionally, as the luck of the

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birds' direction also helped some of us. Anyway, Cliff Burns did all right, getting a possible in the 20-bird D.B. and 2nd in the 20-bird S.B., which went to a shoot-off with Arthur and Bill Loder, Arthur collecting 3rd. Excluding Cliff Burns, we had four shooting visitors, and they had a nice time. Our ladies again served a delightful afternoon tea—thank you, ladies. Owing to the unpleasant weather, our usual barbecue was called off and shooters and their families went home early.

(Harold J. Quirk, Vice-President.)

TULLY (Qld.).—The Tully Gun Club were favoured with fine, sunny days for their Queen's Birthday week-end shoot. A westerly wind on the third day caused low scores for some of the squads, but on the whole the standard of shooting was very high, with possibilities being shot in all events except one. There was a good representation of clubs, with shooters being present from as far south as Portarlington (V.), Wollongong (N.S.W.), and in Queensland clubs were represented from South Coast to Daintree in the north and extending west to Mary Kathleen. Highlight of the shoot was the Interstate Teams' Shoot, and congratulations are extended to W. Carrington (Charters Towers), P. Delahunty (Hughenden), H. Nasser (Atherton), F. McDonald (Mary Kathleen), N. Dossetto (Ingham), J. Dwyer (Daintree), A. Mace (Rockhampton), R. J. Clift (Tully), W. Frazer (Tully), R. O'Neill (Richmond), who qualified for the 10 High Guns. Winner of the High Gun was H. Nasser (Atherton), with A. Mace (Rockhampton) runner-up. Sixteen-year-old A. Mace was a pleasure to watch with his calm, unassuming manner. This is the second time that this young shooter has qualified for the Queensland Team, the previous occasion being two years ago on his 14th birthday.

In welcoming the visiting shooters, Mr. C. Dickinson, President of the Tully Club, said the Tully Club appreciated the long distances many had travelled. He also thanked the members of the Tully Club for their assistance in organising the shoot, and a special thanks to the ladies who had attended to the catering arrangements. Other speakers included B. Mackey, I.C.I., Brisbane; J. Tyquin, President Brisbane Gun Club and a member of the executive of the A.C.T.A.; G. S. Martin, President of the South Coast Club and also an executive member of the A.C.T.A.; K. Andrews (Cloncurry), J. Gibb (Cunnamulla), W. Frazer (Tully). The latter spoke of the efforts of the A.C.T.A. in compiling the "Shooters' News". B. W. Hughes (Charters Towers), in receiving the Dickinson Shield for the Team Shoot, said that it was a great privilege to win against such teams—ten teams competing in this particular event. Mrs. C. Dickinson, wife of the President, pinned the Interstate Badges on the individual members of the Queensland Team. Other results:

First Day. Two 5-birds: 1st trap, R. Russo, F. McDonald, R. Burns, B. W. Hughes, J. Anderson, W. Carrington, A. Mace, M. Mackay, L. Dickinson, K. Russell, T. Heinemann, L. Porter, K. Morris, A. Lee, L. W. Morris; 2nd trap, G. S. Martin, R. Russo, J. Tyquin, D. Edwards, P. Delahunty, W. Carrington, A. Mace, W. Frazer, W. Fairbrother, T. Jones, A. Lee. 250 S.B. H'cap (20 birds): R. Russo (Ingham), K. Andrews (Cloncurry), 1st; G. S. Martin (South Coast), P. Delahunty (Hughenden), B. W. Hughes (Charters Towers), J. Dwyer (Daintree), L. Porter (Tully), 3rd; under

16 yds., L. Dickinson (Tully), A. Chesney (Brisbane), D. Frazer (Tully). 250 10-bird S.B.: B. W. Hughes (Charters Towers), J. Carrington (Townsville), 1st; F. McDonald (Mary Kathleen), D. Edwards (Cloncurry), P. Delahunty (Hughenden), W. Carrington (Charters Towers), H. Lavery (Charters Towers), N. O'Donahoo (Charleville), A. Mace (Rockhampton), J. Gibb (Cunnamulla), W. Fairbrother (Portarlington), R. C. Katter (Cloncurry), T. Jones (Tully), W. J. Rutty (Wollongong), R. F. O'Neill (Richmond), L. Porter (Tully), L. W. Morris (Tully). 220 10-bird D.B.: P. Delahunty (Hughenden), R. Russo (Ingham), H. Lavery (Charters Towers), R. Katter (Cloncurry), W. Frazer (Tully), W. Fairbrother (Portarlington), L. Guifre (Tully), L. Morris (Tully), G. Brooke (Tully), tied 1st. Night Shoot (20 10-bird S.B.): D. Edwards (Cloncurry), A. D. Collins (Tully), J. Carrington (Townsville), H. Lavery (Charters Towers), S. Day (Atherton), J. Gibb (Cunnamulla), W. Frazer (Tully), tied 1st. 10-bird D.B. Trophy, Night Shoot: G. Brookes (Tully), 1st; H. Lavery (Charters Towers), 2nd.

Second Day. Two 5-birds: 1st trap, F. McDonald, R. Russo, A. D. Collins, W. Carrington, H. Lavery, T. Heinemann, S. Day, L. Guifre, A. Nucifora, G. S. Martin, J. Tyquin, B. Mackay, J. Dwyer, R. C. Katter, J. Anderson, A. Mace, T. Jones, W. J. Rutty, D. Frazer, D. Murray, R. F. O'Neill, G. Brooke, R. J. Clift, D. W. Simpson, A. Lee, J. Izatt; 2nd trap, K. Andrews, B. W. Hughes, A. D. Collins, H. Lavery, T. Heinemann, S. Day, N. O'Donahoo, G. Morris, J. Gibb, L. Guifre, A. Nucifora, G. S. Martin, B. Mackey, J. Dwyer, R. C. Katter, P. Delahunty, K. Bowman, L. Porter, J. Anderson, A. Mace, T. Jones, W. J. Rutty, D. Frazer, G. Brooke, R. J. Clift, J. Izatt. 225 30-bird D.B.: W. Carrington (Charters Towers), P. Delahunty (Hughenden), H. Nasser (Atherton), F. McDonald (Mary Kathleen), N. Dossetto (Ingham), J. Dwyer (Daintree), A. Mace (Rockhampton), R. J. Clift (Tully), W. Frazer (Tully), R. O'Neill (Richmond). 100 H'cap (20-bird D.B.): K. Tyler (Richmond), D. Murray (Richmond), A. D. Collins (Tully), W. Frazer, tied 1st; under 16 yds., L. Dickinson (Tully), J. Gibb (Cunnamulla). Qld. D.B. Night C'ship: S. Day (Atherton), 1st; B. Mackey (Brisbane), 2nd; J. Izatt (Cairns), 3rd. 10-bird S.B. Trophy: T. Heinemann (Ayr), 1st; B. Mackey (Brisbane), 2nd.

Third Day. Two 5-birds: 1st trap, K. Andrews, S. Day, P. Delahunty, D. Edwards, A. D. Collins, A. Mace, T. Jones, W. Frazer, S. J. Dallachy, J. Sing Jnr., T. Warren, B. Mackay, L. Dickinson, D. Frazer, L. Porter, L. Morris, A. Chesney; 2nd trap, K. Andrews, S. Day, F. McDonald, H. Lavery, D. Edwards, A. D. Collins, G. S. Martin, B. Mackay, L. Morris, A. Chesney. 100 H'cap (20-bird S.B.): D. Edwards (Cloncurry), L. Porter (Tully), J. Sing Jnr. (Tully), tied 1st; 16 yds. and under, K. Andrews (Cloncurry), H. Lavery (Charters Towers), D. Murray (Richmond). Dickinson Shield Team Shoot (ten teams competed): Charters Towers, 137/150, 1st (B. W. Hughes, W. Carrington, J. Carrington, H. Lavery, T. Heinemann); Tully No. 1 Team, 2nd, 135/150 (T. Jones, L. Porter, K. Bowman, A. D. Collins, W. Frazer). D'ville Doubles Sparrows: H. Lavery (Charters Towers) and S. Day (Atherton), 1st; W. Frazer (Tully)

and B. W. Hughes (Charters Towers), 2nd. 5 prs. D. Rise: T. Heinemann, D. Murray, L. Morris, W. Carrington, D. Simpson, K. Bowman, S. Day, tied 1st. 10-bird D.B.: K. Andrews (Cloncurry), 1st; N. O'Donahoo (Charleville) and W. Carrington (Charters Towers), tied 2nd.

(E. R. Morris, Sec.)

WALCHA (N.S.W.). 31/5/58. — Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: R. Moffatt, A. Read, R. Moore, D. Cassen, 10/10. No. 2, 15-bird P.S. Trophy: J. Nivison, 45/45; R. Moffatt, 43/45; 16 ydr., P. Johnstone, 40/45; 12/14 yd., J. Watts, 42/45. No. 3, 10 midgets D.B. (I.C.I. Trophy): D. Cassen, 10/10; 12/16 yd., P. Johnstone, R. Moore, J. Nivison, R. Moffatt, 9/10. No. 4, 10-bird S.B.: R. Moffatt, A. Read, J. Nivison, D. Cassen, 10/10; 12 yd., J. Eggleston, 9/10.

Encouraging roll-up for the winter shoots. Several new shooters showed promise. We appreciated shooters travelling from Tamworth, Armidale and Bonah. Our next shoot will be held on Saturday, 26th July.

(J. Nivison, Hon. Sec.)

WALLERAWANG (N.S.W.). 7/6/58. — Weather conditions: cold and windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: E. Ferguson, A. Rowe, R. Bland, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird: A. Rowe, H. Weinert, R. Weinert, C. Hall, H. Jaques, 5/5. No. 3, 5-bird Pt. Score Trophy: 1st, H. Jaques, 35/38 pts.; K. Sankey, F.M., 19/21. No. 4, 5-bird D'ville Doubles: 1st, N. Ellis-R. Bland, 5/5. No. 5, 5-bird: A. Blackadder, D. Heilman, 5/5.

Despite the very cold, wintry conditions, a good roll-up of 25 shooters attended. Scores were low throughout the afternoon. The main trophy (point score) was won outright by Arch Rowe, who donated it to the next highest scorers to shoot for. Out of this shoot-off Harry Jaques (Bathurst) defeated Ross Weinert (Orange) by 1 point.

The Deauville Doubles trophies were won by two visiting shooters, Dick Bland and Norm Ellis, a representative from I.C.I. The Arch Rowe Cup is causing considerable interest and the leading scorers are: H. Weinert, A. Blackadder, 24/30; R. Patterson, W. Weinert, C. Hall, 22/30; E. Ferguson, 21/30; R. Wilman, 20/30; D. Heilman, 19/30. The final stage of the 1st round will be concluded at our next shoot.

(J. Rowe, Hon. Sec.)

YARRAM (V.). 19/4/58. — Weather conditions: cool, cloudy, windy. Results: No. 1, 10-bird P.D.: J. Wildes, 30/30, 1st; H. Pearson, P. Goulden, E. Cripps, R. Barlow, 29/30. No. 2, 15-bird D.B. (C. Budge Shield): 1st, R. Martin, 15/15; E. Hamilton, J. Morris, C. Arup, R. Glover, J. Patterson, A. Cripps, K. Tooley, J. Wildes, H. Sawyer, C. Budge, 14/15. No. 3, Club D.B. C'ship (20 birds): C. Budge, 1st, 25/25; A. Lewis, 2nd, 24/25.

Shooting for the Charles Budge Shield helped considerably in bringing a good muster of 35 shooters. Although blustery conditions prevailed, all agreed it an enjoyable day. Our Club D.B. C'ship was held and won by C. Budge, with A. Lewis, 2nd. The Charles

Budge Shield shoot was won by Foster. There was keen competition in this event, with all eyes going to the score board for progress results. Our many thanks to all shooters for coming along and making this day really good. A big "thank you" to ladies for serving a nice afternoon tea.

17/5/58.—Weather conditions: fine, windy. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: K. Patterson, 10/10; E. Hamilton, D. Davies, R. Martin, K. Cross, 9/10. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: J. Morris, E. Rowland, C. Budge, D. Davies, 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: J. Morris, K. Patterson, D. Davies, 10/10. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: A. Cripps, E. Cripps, K. Patterson, P. Goulden, E. Hamilton, H. Pearson, E. Rowland, D. Davies, 10/10. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: J. Morris, E. Cripps, K. Patterson, E. Hamilton, H. Pearson, E. Rowland, D. Davies, R. Martin, P. Goulden, 10/10.

A good programme of 50 birds D.B., with 1st and 2nd trophies on 1st 30, last 20, and High Gun. All enjoyed themselves. A cash sweep on each 10 birds added interest, and nearly all shooters received either sweeps or trophies. Des Davies (Morwell) is to be congratulated on his fine shooting, and Keith Patterson (Foster), who was well on the beam. A special "thank you" to all who helped, and also to ladies for supplying afternoon tea.

(Joyce Pearson, Hon. Sec.)

YASS (N.S.W.).—Weather conditions were responsible for many members missing the Vice-President's day shoot, held by the Yass Club on "Tulla Park", Yass, on Saturday, June 14. Only some fourteen keen shooters faced the mark, and while conditions were not enjoyable, it was quite a profitable day for most shooters, as the V.P.'s trophies were split up into 1st, 2nd and 3rd in both A and B Grades.

Following on an accident in which the trapper was injured at last shoot, some alterations to the trap delayed commencing the shoot, and the customary "eye-opener" was cancelled, and shooters given one sighting shot. The principal club event of the day, the Accumulative Sweep, is getting close to the final stage, with Club President, W. B. Grogan, winning his second leg-in. Club Accum. S'take: No shooter recorded the possible 12/12—the trap was throwing low and a howling wind and sleet kept the birds down and visibility was poor. G. Reed, L. Grogan and W. B. Grogan each hit 11/12, and in the shoot-off, Reed and L. Grogan both missed their third bird, and gave the Club President his second-leg win. Vice-President's Trophies (5 pigeons D.B., 5 sparrows D.B.): For this shoot the weather was really bad, and no shooter hit the lot. Winners of A and B both scored 9/10, each dropping a sparrow. Winners were: A Grade, J. Magennis, 1st; T. Frost, 2nd; L. Pate-man, 3rd; B Grade: S. Powell, a hardened shooter who recently has joined the club; C. Campbell, 2nd; L. Knight, 3rd.

An approaching snow storm reduced visibility to almost nil, and the Double Rise and Deauville Doubles events were cancelled. Substituting a box sweep, with the trap fixed to throw straight birds, competitors fired the last shoot almost from memory. Winners, with 4/5, were G. Reed and J. Cullen.

(Gordon Reed, Pub. Officer.)

New and Renewed Registrations

Adams, R. (Footscray)	16	Childs, R. J. (Mt. Barker)	13	Frecklington, E. C. (Roma)	19	Holt, J. (Colac)	13
Alexander, R. (Perth)	18	Clarke, L. (South West)	16	Gannon, W. (St. George)	16	Holtfreter, D. (Northam)	20
Arthur, I. (Roma)	15	Cobain, John (Sale)	12	Garrone G. (Footscray)	17	Holtfreter, B. (Northam)	16
hill)	16	Cook, E. E. (Perth)	16	Gaylard, Les (Barwon Heads)	19	Horwood, G. (Townsville)	16
Atkinson, E. W. (Edge-)		Cooke, J. B. (Northam)	18	Gillies, G. (Croydon)	15	Hughes, W. (Alexandra)	13
		Coleman, A. (Katanning)	16	Giulieri, E. (Croydon)	14	Hunt, T. (Wonthaggi)	12
		Coleman, B. (Geelong)	16	Glen, T. M. (New Zealand)	17	Huthey, L. (Wonthaggi)	12
		Collins, George (Crookwell)	16	Glennie, B. S. (Moree)	16	James, T. A. (Perth)	16
		Copping, R. J. (Lucindale)	14	Goodson, H. (Rockhampton)	17	Jones, C. (Atherton)	12
		Corbould, E. H. (St. George)	16	Gordon, B. S. (Barellan)	18	Jones, K. (East G'fields)	16
		Cornford, J. A. (Burdekin)	17	Gorton, G. V. M. (Clermont)	16	Juliano, T. (Atherton)	12
		Dallacosta, J. (Atherton)	12	Grinter, F. (Portarlington)	17	Kerrisk, C. J. (Rockhampton)	13
		Danielson, M. (Northam)	16	Guifre, L. (Tully)	17	Kerrisk, C. W. (Rockhampton)	13
		Denton, E. (Roma)	18	Guthrie, J. E. (Perth)	16	Kelly, K. (Harcourt)	12
		Dennis, S. (South Aust.)	16	Halpin, C. (Roma)	16	Kilcullen, E. (Footscray)	19
		Dickenson, L. (Tully)	14	Hanel, Laurie (Albury)	20	Kinchington, S. C. (St. George)	16
		Doney, M. (Perth)	16	Hanrick, W. A. (Longreach)	16	Kings, G. (Northam)	16
		Doyle, Leo (Alexandria)	17	Harker, B. (Mildura)	16	Kirkbride, J. (Roma)	15
		Duffy, A. (Bingara)	16	Hatfield, D. (Hughenden)	17	Knight, J. (Roma)	18
		Durbridge, F. W. (Perth)	16	Hedger, M. (Alexandra)	12	Knight, M. B. (South Aust.)	16
		Elliott, N. W. (Tathra)	16	Hilton, D. (Katanning)	17	Kovacich, L. V. (Burdekin)	16
		Evans, R. (Atherton)	12	Hodgson, J. (Perth)	16	Lees, C. (Queanbeyan)	16
		Ferrier, G. G. (Roma)	17			Lisle, A. W. (Rockhampton)	16
		Ferrier, T. (Roma)	20				

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Livesey, T. W. (Royal Aero)	16	McLarty, A. (Seymour)	16	Reschke, R. S. (Mt. Gambier)	18	Smith, Doug. (Charleville)	23
Loughnan, C. N. (Roma)	17	McLaughlin, T. (Rockhampton)	13	Rhodes, A. J. (Echuca)	12	Smith, T. R. (Australian)	12
Lowe, R. (Walcha)	17	McLennan, A. D. (Mumbannar)	16	Ribarits, T. (Mildura)	18	Starr, P. W. (Northam)	16
Mace, A. (Rockhampton)	17	McNab, A. (Footscray)	16	Roberts, D. (Footscray)	16	Starsmoore, Miss L. (Northam)	16
Mace, L. (Rockhampton)	21	McNamara, J. F. (Tully)	17	Rodgers, L. (Bathurst)	16	Stewart, D. P. (St. George)	17
Mackey, W. G. (Queanbeyan)	22	Nelson, Mrs. M. (Cressy)	12	Rogers, F. (Northam)	19	Stuart, J. (Pelican Creek)	16
MacKay, R. (Atherton)	12	Newman, Harold (Dry)		Rogers, N. (Parkes)	16	Symons, W. (East G'fields)	16
Marshall, R. M. (Drouin)	12	Nolan, Kevin (Berridale)	16	Rollston, D. J. (Prairie)	16		
Martin, D. A. (Northam)	16	O'Brien, Jack (Alexandria)	12	Rothwell, Hugh (Roma)	17	Tabulo, M. (Burdekin)	16
Martin, R. H. (Camberwell)	18	O'Donnell, I. A. (Charlton)	16	Rothwell, S. (Roma)	16	Tanner, G. (Roma)	16
Millard, E. J. (Bessie-belle)	16	O'Driscoll, J. (Northam)	16	Russell, D. (Rockhampton)	20	Tehacos, D. (Perth)	18
Moody, D. L. (Clermont)	16	Orr, Dr. R. G. (Aust.)	16	Rutty, N. (Sydney)	12	Thomas, R. (Roma)	16
Moore, T. (East G'fields)	16	Owers, Cliff G. (Berridale)	20	Schilling, Ben (Rainbow)		Tibbits, E. (Pelican Creek)	16
Morgan, J. (Footscray)	17	Park, W. (Edgehill)	16	Sclippa, L. (Atherton)	12	Tribolet, A. (Barwon Heads)	16
Morgan, L. C. (Northam)	16	Parrish, N. (Sydney)	17	Selems, Ray F. (Condo-bolin)	17	Trimarchi, F. (Atherton)	12
Morris, K. (Tully)	14	Pearce, J. (Burdekin)	16	Senserrick, Tony (Keilor)	18	Tubb, D. J. (Cressy)	18
Morris, R. L. (Sydney)	17	Pike, L. (Geelong)	16	Sharpe, Les G. (Dry Lake)	16	Tucker, G. (Colac)	16
Morse, H. T. (Collarenebri)	19	Poulsen, J. (Atherton)	16	Shaw, R. (Atherton)	12		
McDonald, D. (St. George)	17	Quadus, S. (Atherton)	12	Shields, R. (Boggabri)	16	Underwood, A. K. Junr. (St. George)	16
McDonald, J. K. (St. George)	17	Reid, J. C. (Mildura)	16	Sicily, M. (Alexandra)	15	Urquhart, S. E. (Perth)	16
McDonald, Eric (Parkes)	16	Rennie, W. (Burdekin)	16	Simmons, G. (Roma)	16		
McInnes, L. (Coburg)	16			Simpson, G. (Bathurst)	14	Wade, A. (Croydon)	12
				Sing, J. Senr. (Tully)	16	Wade, C. (Roma)	15
				Sing, J. Junr. (Tully)	14	Walker, A. (Hughenden)	16
				Skewes, R. (Australian)	12		

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Walker, O. J. (Barcal- dine)	19	Arkinfall, G. (Drouin) Ball, Joe I. (Atherton) ..	20	Duffy, J. (Pelican Creek) Edwards, D. L. (Har- court)	20	Lavery, H. T. (Charters Towers)	17
Wallace, R. J. (Quean- beyan)	17	Barrett, G. G. (St. Arnaud)	12	Edwards, D. (Harcourt) Edwards, D. (Cloncurry) Ellis, N. W. (Aero Club)	12 17 17	Lenke, R. (Sebastopol) Marshall, Graeme (Hobart)	20 19
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Wareham, D. G. (New Zealand)	23	Bidner, James (Atherton) Borserio, Brian (Ather- ton)	12	Ferguson, E. A. (Wallera- wang)	18	McIntosh, A. Junr. (Geelong)	20
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Webster, B. C. (Weir River)	20	Casalegno, J. B. (Burde- kin)	21	Gresselle, W. (Australian) Grigg, M. (Apsley) ..	21	Parry-O'Keden, D. A. (Kelly's Creek)	19
West, A. (Rockhampton) Whaley, Vin (Harcourt) White, C. C. (Collarene- bri)	13 12 16	Castorina, John (Granite Belt)	12	Hartwell, N. (Burdekin) Hayman, B. (Apsley) ..	14 12	Patterson, N. (Lear- month)	21
Wildes, B. (Wonthaggi) Lake	12	Clarke, R. (Rockhampton) Collins, P. (Australian) Collinson, A. (Burdekin)	16 18 20	Hedger, Arthur (Alexan- dra)	20	Porter, L. (Tully)	18
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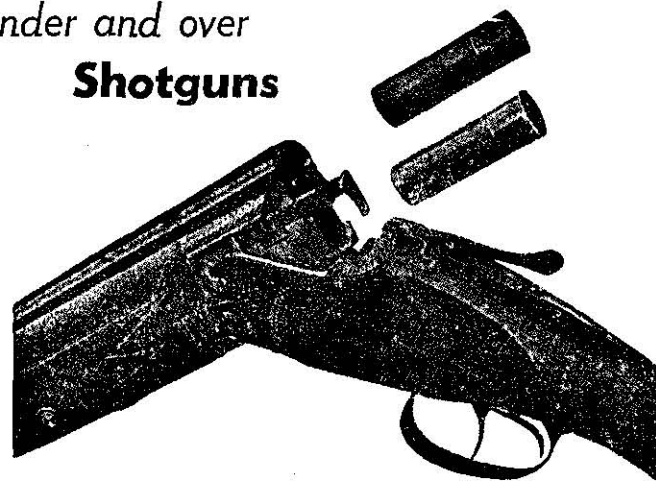
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