

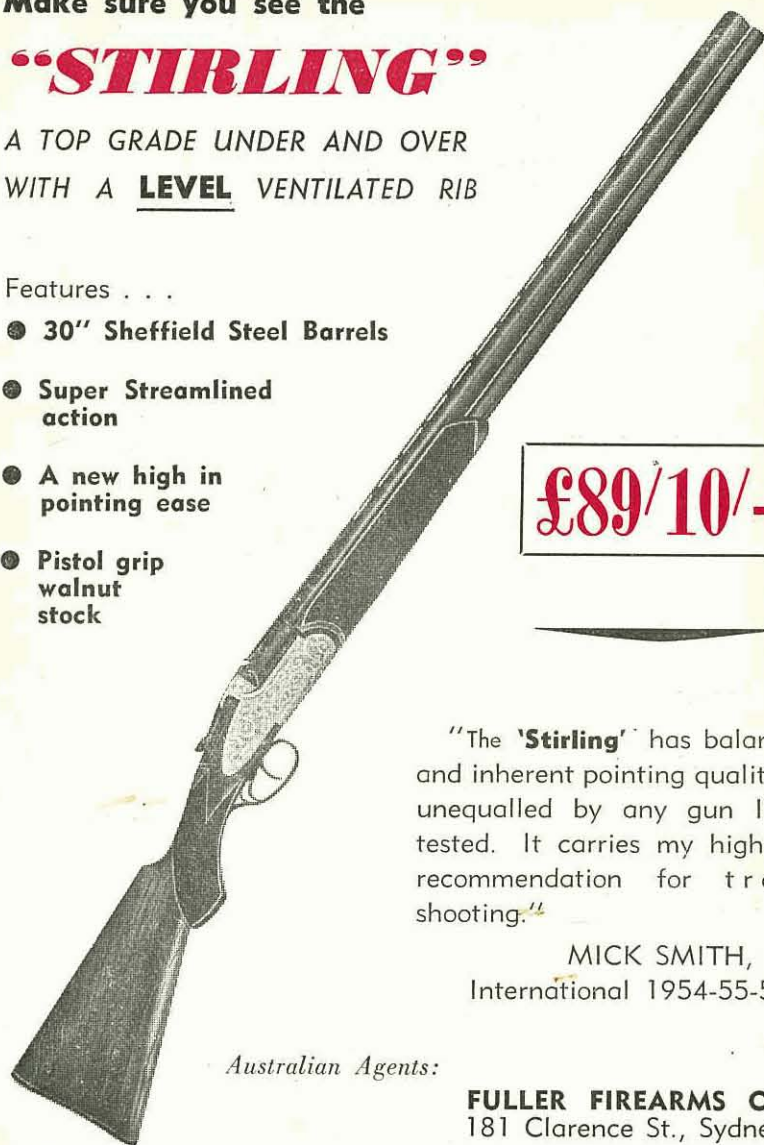
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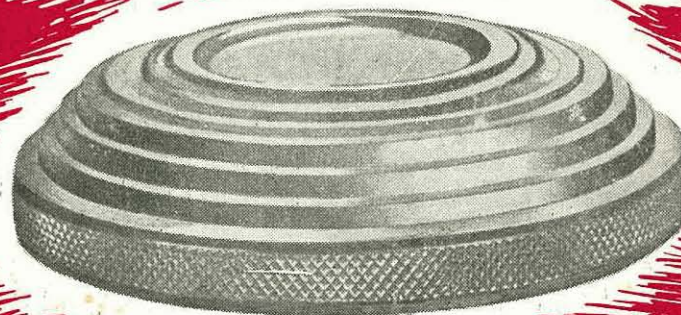
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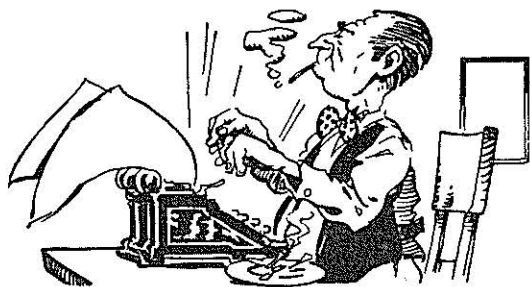
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## The Editor's Notebook



It is again desired to record appreciation of the interest in clay target shooting taken by I.C.I.A.N.Z. Limited. A pleasing feature to record is the donation of £150 by the Company towards the cost of conducting the 1959 Interstate Teams' Match for "The Great Britain & Ireland" Trophy. The Company has long continued its support to this important event and the monetary donation enables shooters to take part in the actual teams match without any cost to themselves. Most shooters look forward to gaining a place in their respective State Team and thereby actually shooting for their own State. That they are able to do this at no cost to themselves is entirely due to the support given to the event by I.C.I.A.N.Z. Limited. The £150 donated does not quite cover the cost, but the A.C.T.A. has been pleased to bear any costs over the £150 mentioned.

The Victorian section of the 1959 Interstate Teams' Match will have been shot by the time this issue of "News" reaches the hands of readers. The Australian Club, which was allotted the privilege of supervising the shooting of the match for Victoria by the A.C.T.A., decided that the autumn season was preferable to all other periods in the southern State, and held Victoria's section on March 7 and 9. The dates, when the A.C.T.A. National Championships programme is held in Victoria, are reserved for these events. Hence the holding of the Victorian section of the Interstate Match on these dates filled the gap for southern shooters.

A phase which has developed among some affiliated clubs during the past year has been the habit of conducting open shoots without first having the approval of the A.C.T.A. It should be remembered by all that all open shoots, that is shoots where over £50 is given in prize money or trophies for any one event, or where an open A.C.T.A. championship is being conducted, must first be approved by the Association — this applies both to the event or events and the dates on which the events are held. Another important point is also stressed. That is that the Association has control of all holiday shoots, whether they are intended as club shoots only or are open meetings. On Boxing Day last and also on A.N.A. Day in January, several clubs put on shoots without first applying to the Association for approval. It is most unlikely that the Association would disapprove of any proposed holiday shoot, except where a clash of programmes is possible. However, it should be noted for future occasions (this applies particularly to the Easter vacation period) that any club deciding to hold a shoot on a holiday is required to ensure that A.C.T.A. approval has been given, both to the programme and the date.

A number of clubs are continuing to lodge break claims without also lodging the score sheets substantiating the claim. Some clubs write "score sheets are available if required," others do not bother to advise about score sheets at all,

others again send in score sheets with insufficient data, such as sheets showing a miss in the middle of the score and also failing to send in the completed sheets covering the shooter's break. It is pointed out that no break claim can be recognised unless complete score sheets are forwarded, and these are required to contain fullest information. Another point is that some clubs have a habit of scoring twice in the same square on the score sheet. This procedure should be dropped without delay. It is almost impossible to follow the trend of scoring on sheets scored in this fashion. Clubs are again reminded that breaks are only recog-

nised when compiled under double and single-barrel shooting conditions, and then only in competition.

Unfinancial clubs and similarly unfinancial shooters for 1959 are reminded that all those who have not remitted their current dues to the Association by May 1 will be struck off the list of registrations and will also be removed from the mailing list of "News". The Association cannot carry clubs and individuals who remain unfinancial. Costs of administration are considerable and those whose fees remain unpaid must necessarily be dropped from the records.

## The Handicapper's Column

It is pleasing to report that co-operation of the Clubs to our new handicapping system has been good and is improving each week.

Unfortunately, an odd few interstate Clubs have not yet supplied the necessary information regarding recent Club shoots. These Clubs must understand that the system was introduced by the Association after a lot of thought and discussion for the benefit of the sport from a national point of view, so that it is imperative that all Clubs must co-operate in order to obtain maximum results.

A question asked in recent mail by a Victorian Club Secretary was as follows:

"One confusing point is that the rule states that once a shooter has attained the mark of 16 yards he cannot again be handicapped in front of that mark. In the amended handicaps of the March issue of 'News' one shooter has been brought forward from 17 yards to 14 yards and others from 16 to 14 and 16 to 12. Apparently there is a reason for such handicapping, and I would be pleased if you would

answer same in a later issue of that grand little journal, 'News'."

Yes, there is a reason for the above action, and that is explained in the following manner. During a period some two years back, the Association had a ruling that 16 yards was the front mark and that all new competitors commenced from that point. During that period some hundreds of new competitors commenced shooting, and in many cases never progressed. Later, when the rule was rescinded and 12 yards became the minimum mark, it became quite obvious that many of these people must be moved forward, as new members were already commencing to shoot from 12 yards. Eventually we will reach a position when our levelling-out process is completed, then the system should operate smoothly.

It is our intention to overcome the time lag involved in advising a shooter of his handicap alteration. This will be achieved by a system of card posting to the person whose handicap is amended.

G. BIGGS,  
A.C.T.A. Official Handicapper.

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**Saturday, 4th April, 1959:****5 BIRD POINTS****DEAUVILLE DOUBLES (20 Pair)**

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**Wednesday Night, 8th April, 1959:****3 PAIR DOUBLE-RISE EYE-OPENER****Metropolitan Double Rise  
Night Championship**

(10 Pair from 16 yards). VALUABLE TROPHIES.

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

**Saturday, 18th April, 1959:****3 PAIR DOUBLE-RISE EYE-OPENER****Metropolitan Double Rise  
Day Championship**

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

**Wednesday Night, 22nd April, 1959:****5 BIRD POINTS****20 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL (Sweepstakes)****Saturday, 2nd May, 1959:****5 BIRD POINTS****25 BIRD SINGLE BARREL**

(To be shot in 1 visit to trap)

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

A. L. HAUGHTON, Hon. Secretary.

**CLAY NERVES**

When, at a clay pigeon meeting, an important tie is being shot off, the spectators often wonder amongst themselves on the state of nerves of the contestants, and discuss the attacks of jitters that have been known to overcome shooters in these circumstances. An experienced shooter is not so likely to suffer these attacks as the novice, but they can hit most shooters at unexpected moments. Obviously the time of most strain is as mentioned, during a major championship when two or three guns have tied and are on the line in front of a crowd who will mentally dissect every shot and weigh each shooter's chance one against the other. Even the most experienced shot must feel one or two butterflies; these may go after the first shot, but I find it hard to believe that anyone is quite unaffected.

Jitters can arise in quite a different way from the strain induced by tie shooting. For example, many shooters will remember times when they have been going straight and then missed that last bird which would have given them their first twenty-five or fifty or even one hundred straight. I can remember the feeling and I think many more shooters to come will experience it. Some shoot with a system to try and stop thinking about things like this and have a set routine to go through between shots, so as to keep their minds occupied and prevent thoughts wandering or wondering about that next bird. Such a routine may include extracting the spent case, clearing the barrel of smoke, changing the unfired round from the left to the right barrel, opening the cartridge box lid, extracting a cartridge, loading and then just as carefully closing the cartridge box. Such antics have a purpose, but no doubt they look fussy to anyone watching.

**Superstitious Loading**

The purpose is that by the time all these actions have been made it will again be the shooter's turn to call his bird and he has occupied all the

time between shots in doing something that prevents his thoughts from wandering and so spoiling his concentration. Other shooters steadfastly refuse to look at the trap between birds for fear that they may be influenced by what they see, their opposite numbers will watch every bird like a hawk and do not appear to be affected. Shooters can even become mildly superstitious and have been known always to place their cartridges in the gun with the lettering on the base the right way up, and feel that they ask for trouble in not so doing. The reason they found trouble was because some part of their mind was thinking about the case not being the right way up instead of their whole mind concentrating on the bird that they were calling.

I once read that the only sure way to combat jitters was to take every bird and to treat it as a separate competition. To concentrate afresh for it and to forget all that has gone before, just to think of that one bird and, when it came, to blast it to pieces as if every little bit of it was hated intensely. Shout at it, bark at it, or decoy it out of the trap house with a soft and deceptive call, but whichever way it is done it should be gone after with murderous intent, and when it has been dealt with—forget it. If, by any chance, it was missed, then try not to think about the fact of missing it. It is possible to get so worked up over this and then thinking of making certain of the next one that concentration goes and that way lies more trouble. Treat the next bird as a separate thing, not as something connected with a miss.

**Complete Concentration**

Brooding on a missed bird can lead to a very bad attack of jitters and then timing and concentration can go, and not one, but a string of misses may follow. To be able to concentrate solidly on the job takes a lot of practice, but it is necessary to learn to do it as soon as possible, for without it a certain type of



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shooter can be so upset by a miss that he unconsciously throws in the towel and again a series of misses is the result. A shooter affected in this way might be one who is normally shooting well, until an unexpected and unaccountable miss comes along: it may be an easy-looking bird. This so upsets him that he is still thinking about it when he calls his next bird, and the net result is that this bird goes the same way as the first. The rot has now set in and instead of gritting his teeth and forgetting those birds and trying to finish straight, the shooter will say, "Oh—I've had it," and will forget all he has learned of concentration and single-mindedness of purpose and relax and moon along and his shooting suffers accordingly.

A good but inexperienced shot can go to pieces when put in a team. The feeling of responsibility is too much for him. Such a person should remember that other shooters in the team have probably had the same fears and have got over them, and again concentration on the task in hand will help him forget this fear, but the only real cure for this malady is more shooting and experience of team shoots until the fear of letting the side down goes from his mind and is replaced by a feeling of determination to be High Gun.

Then there is the often puzzling case of a shooter having a really good season and being right on the top and the next year fading right away and sliding down the scale.

This is usually followed by a gradual creep upwards until he reaches his old form again.

There can be many reasons for this; ill-health or worries unconnected with clay pigeon shooting are not the least of them; an unrealised change in shooting style can also be the cause, but on the whole I think that these most noticeable changes in form occur in the case of a shooter doing well in his first or second season—when his shooting is instinctive and everything has gone well. But this shooter has not enough experience behind him to be able to analyse his shooting and to decide why he missed a particular bird, so that when he hits a bad patch he does not know what to do to put it right. It may take such a shooter two seasons or more to collect enough knowledge to enable him to get back on the right track, and this period can be very disheartening and he will require lots of encouragement, otherwise he may gradually be seen less and less on the clay pigeon grounds.

To sum up, I feel that although the experienced shot may have an occasional uneasy feeling, a miss or two will not upset him enough to spoil his day's sport, but the shooter with less experience would do well to try and instil in his own mind the need to concentrate on each and every bird to the exclusion of any thoughts of misses he may have had.

("Brock" in "Shooting Times", Eng.)

## OUT OF THE PAST Twenty Years Ago

In the early autumn of 1939 the first Commonwealth Double-barrel Championship ever held in Tasmania was conducted at the old King's Meadows shooting grounds of the Tasmanian Gun Club at Launceston. The event was allocated to the Tasmanian Gun Club by the then A.C.P.T.S.A. (now the A.C.T.A.). Reports have it that the event drew the most representative field, including shooters from three States, that,

up to that period, had contested the event—the blue riband title of the Commonwealth. Generally the standard of shooting was below expectations. Over 500 spectators attended, including several members of the Tasmanian Parliament. "Calrossie", who was then the winner of 80 championships at all classes of targets, was a competitor, as was the late Lew Bertram, the then holder of the Australian record break of 77

## GRIFFITH GUN CLUB

(N.S.W.)  
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### DOUBLE CHAMPIONSHIP

**AFTERNOON and NIGHT — SAT. ,18th April**

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Compulsory Division.

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### Riverina Skeet Championship

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**No. 3 Event — 20 BIRD S.B. HANDICAP TROPHY**

1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies. Optional Sweep. ....

**No. 4 Event — 10 PAIR DOUBLE-RISE TROPHY**

1st, 2nd and 3rd. Optional Sweep.

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**Night** — starting at 8 o'clock:

**No. 5 Event —**

### N.S.W. State Night Double Rise Championship

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straight, which he compiled at the old Nobel Grounds at West Footscray. The winner was the Victorian, Jack Bryant Senr., who returned a score of 23/25. Pat Reid of Seymour (V.), H. Munnings of Kempton (Tas.), and Lew Bertram tied for second place, each 22/25. The tie shoot for the places resulted in Bertram gaining second 27/30, Reid (third) 26/30 and Munnings 25/30 in fourth position. It will be seen that the scoring was mediocre right through the event. E. H. Holmes, then of Moree (N.S.W.) and now of Collarenebri (N.S.W.), where he is President of the local club, had a great chance to tie with the winner, but missed two targets in his last five shots. Others close to the place-getters were Bill Rainbird (President of the Tasmanian Club), R. Holmes (Moree), the late H. A. McIntosh (Seymour, V.) and "Calrossie", each 21/25. Local shooters Ron Green and Alf Poxon were next best with scores of 20/25.

Bryant, the following week after his Launceston success, was high-gun at a Camberwell Club shoot with a sequence of 28 straight. Shooting

from the old "double-towers" at the Nobel grounds, Kim Sans ran out the winner 11/15 from "Duxbac" (H. G. James) 9/18, and R. Collis 7/15. A minor event was cut by "Blackie" (Roy Blackwood), the late Jack Schutt, "Drongo" (Les Tibb) and the late E. J. Parow. Shooting at Blackburn, George Copeland, with a run of 58 straight, was the outstanding performer; he followed with 60/61 at a Nobel shoot the next week.

In the Commonwealth Single-barrel Championship of 1939 the winner was J. L. Lowe, who used the shooting nom-de-plume of "Browning". He returned a score of 21/25. Des O'Callaghan, who still shoots fairly frequently, was runner-up with 20/25. Third place-getter was A. W. Hall, now of Berriwillcock. An enthusiastic re-opening of the Hobart Gun Club is reported at this time. In his address at the opening, Dr. J. F. Gaha, the then Tasmanian Minister for Health, stated that "clay target shooting was a high-class sport that gave much pleasure and should be encouraged as much as possible".

## Ten Years Ago

A Tasmanian shooter, R. (Dick) Redpath, was under notice with a brilliant performance when he gained high-gun honours in the International Match. Redpath had to undergo a tie shoot before his place in the team was assured — this on the morning of the International shoot. A tie shoot was necessary to decide the places from 17 to 20 (there were 20-men teams at that period). Redpath had to rush out to Burwood without first obtaining breakfast, secure his place in the team with a good effort in the tie shoot, and then followed with high-gun score of 98/100 in the Australian Team — a very creditable performance. Runner-up to Redpath was J. A. McCraith of Essendon 96/100, with A. E. Poxon (Launceston) and J. Bryant Senr. 95/100.

At the same fixture Fred Burns won the Champion of Champions against what was up to that time an all-Australian record field of 153. Burns dropped one target, his 57th, which he heavily dusted, to score

59/60. J. A. McCraith was again in second position with 58/60. H. R. Donnelly (winner the previous year), E. G. Biggs (present A.C.T.A. handicapper) and W. Arnold of Colac (V.) tied in third place. Arnold missed his second release in the resultant tie shoot for the minor place and took fifth placing 58/62. Donnelly and Biggs then shot on to the 69th round when the pair decided to toss. Donnelly called correctly. Both had scored 66/69. Keith Cameron of Roma (Q.), Vic Fraser of Lakes Entrance (V.), John Bryant Junr. (Blackburn, V.) and E. Brice (Canoewindra, N.S.W.) were next. Fraser missed his 61st and Brice his 67th and on the 70th round Bryant and Cameron also tossed, and Bryant was the correct caller, 67/70. Others fairly close up were Fred Brook (Gillgandra, N.S.W.), L. L. Schilling (Ormond, V.), H. Ceresa, H. Eldridge (Alvie, V.), A. E. Poxon (Tas.), F. Skate (Blackburn), Bert Haynes (V.) and Newton Thomas, then of Townsville (Q.), each 55/60.



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Royal Aero Club at Bankstown, whose grounds will be the scene of the 1959 A.C.T.A. National Championships programme from May 1 to May 5, advertises details of a pre-National Championships shoot to take place on Thursday, April 30 (the day prior to the opening of the National Championships).

This will be an all-day shoot, commencing at 9.0 a.m. sharp. A 20 birder under handicap conditions will open proceedings. This will be followed by a 30 birder, the winner of which will receive a "C" Grade Under and Over gun. Morning, afternoon tea, lunch and dinner will be available in the club's spacious club rooms. The club has requested that shooters be informed that practice will be available on the ground commencing at 12 noon on Wednesday, April 29. The club also advises that plenty of accommodation is still available at the Club House for those wishing to stay on the premises during the National Championships—however, early application for accommodation reservations is imperative. Enquiries to K. Hammond (secretary), Box 5, Bankstown (Phones UY 2540, UY 2927, or to Mick Smith at 773 George St., Sydney (Phones MA 7693, BA 2192)).

S. J. Penberthy has taken over the secretarial duties of the Charters Towers Club (Queensland). He succeeds F. R. Donaghy, who has been transferred in the course of business duties to another centre. The address of the new secretary is Boundary Street, Charters Towers, Q.

Many will regret to learn that Association Executive Committee member, Rex Powell, of Cressy, Tasmania, got (to use his own words) "tangled up in a car smash on New Year's night." He has not been 100 per cent. since, but happily is now

reported to be on the improve. Rex is the very efficient secretary of the northern Tasmanian Club at Cressy.

R. B. Castle has taken over the secretaryship of the Inverell Club in northern New South Wales. He succeeds Cliff Grills in these duties. His address is 22 Leonard Street, Inverell, N.S.W.

Barcaldine Club (Queensland) will shoot the Queensland section of the annual Interstate Teams' Match over the period July 3, 4, 5, 1959. The club gives a preliminary announcement to this effect in this issue. Secretary at Barcaldine is A. J. Anderson, Saltern Creek, Barcaldine, Qld.

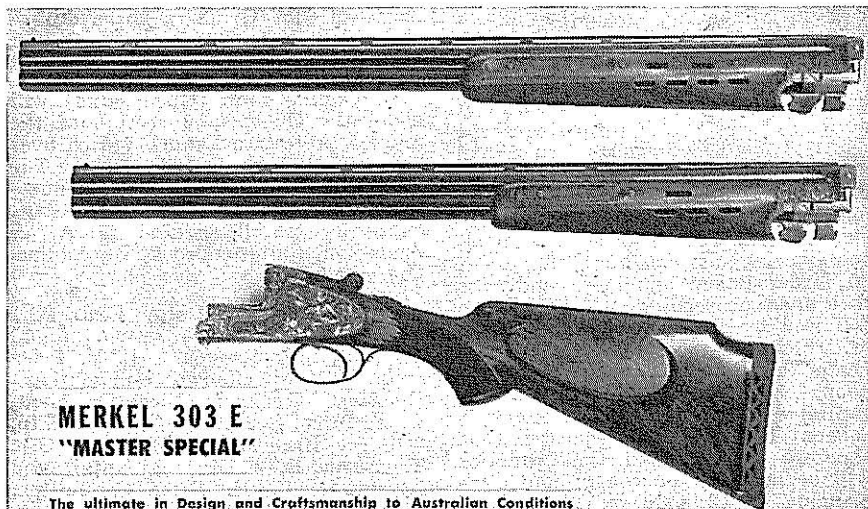
Officials of the Dalby Club (Q.) elected at the club's recent annual meeting, are: President, L. V. Price (who is well known on southern shooting tracks); Vice-President, D. A. Price; Secretary, N. A. McGilp, "Quarry Brae", Kaimkillenbun (Q.); Treasurer, R. W. Moore; Captain and Armourer, C. H. Seis; Committee, Messrs. W. E. Shand, J. A. Seis, H. C. Taylor, J. Hayes, S. L. Dun, R. Winten, J. Alexander and J. Ferguson.

A report from Townsville in northern Queensland that all are looking forward to the local duck season opening, which usually opens about the end of June. The recent cyclone has not greatly upset the shooting conditions expected for the duck opening, and all are hopeful of securing their usual good bags.

Secretary of the Cobar Club, N.S.W., S. J. Crealy, has advised as follows: "Mr. Frank Singleton, our President, has drawn our attention to page 40 of the Cobar Report concerning the trophy for the Intermediate High Gun Shoot. The donor mentioned is S.C.G., whereas the correct donor should read 'I.C.I.A.N.Z.' As the trophy donated was a very handsome award to the extent of £17, Mr. Singleton has asked me to write to you and ask you if it were possible to print a correction in the next

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'News'. We would very much appreciate it if you could manage to have this done on our behalf and we thank you for the assistance rendered in the past." (Glad to assist.—Ed.)

Alice Springs Club in Central Australia, which has been closed since last November, doubtless due to the hot season, expects to re-open for the 1959 season within the next few weeks.

A new affiliation with the Association is the Flinders Naval Depot Gun Club at Flinders in Victoria. Club officials are: President, Commander G. Blackwood, D.S.C., R.N.; Secretary, Chief Petty Officer R. C. Blackwell, R.A.N.; Treasurer, Lieutenant Commander Francis, R.A.N.; Committee comprises the officers already mentioned, together with Commander N. Gavin, R.A.N., Chief Petty Officer A. Bryan, R.A.N., Able Seaman A. Butler, R.A.N. The club has already conducted many social shoots, which have provided a most attractive outing for those who have made the pleasant journey to Flinders.

Boort Club in the north-western area of Victoria reports, following its re-affiliation with the Association, that it is now to be known as the Boort Clay Target Club, with Ian Whytcross as President. The club has arranged for the re-building of its clubhouse and appointments on the shores of Lake Boort. The club also intends to instal two automatic traps. Evan Lanyon, 20 Armstrong Street, Boort, is club secretary.

The West Gippsland Clay Target Club is a new affiliation with the Association. The club's headquarters are situated at Warragul on the grounds of the former wing target ground. The West Gippsland Club replaces the former Drouin Club, which was wound up early in January. It was considered that Warragul was a more central venue for the new set-up and little could be gained by retaining Drouin as an active unit. The towns of Drouin and Warragul are only a few miles apart. President of the West Gippsland Club is C. R. Bailey of Scenic Road, Warragul. Secretary is Frank L. Brown, of 37 Queen Street, Warragul.

Moree Club in northern New South Wales, in the advertising section of this issue, lists full details of dates and events right up to the club's Christmas shoot on December 19, which will wind up proceedings for the year. The Commonwealth Night Double-rise Championship is listed for October 3. The club requests those interested to retain the page as a reminder of fixtures at Moree. The club also gives preliminary details of the N. N.S.W. Skeet Championship on May 23 and the big fixture arranged for August 7 and 8, when the N.S.W. Night Single-barrel Championship, as well as two N. N.S.W. day titles, will be decided. This meeting is part of the annual Moree Jockey Club Gold Cup meeting, and usually attracts a big attendance. Enquiries to W. Norbury, secretary, Box 2, Moree, N.S.W.

S. E. Jenkins has accepted the secretaryship of the Bothwell Club in Tasmania. He succeeds W. Downie. Jenkins' address is Steppes P.O., via Bothwell, Tas.

Apropos of the reference to the holding of the first Commonwealth Double-barrel Championship at Launceston, which is mentioned in the section "Out of the Past" in this issue, brings to mind a very pleasant trip to this fixture in the company of several prominent shooters of the day who have long since called for their final release. As referred to, the shoot took place on the old King's Meadows grounds at Launceston, an area which also has long since ceased to be a shooting ground. Our party left on the s.s. "Taroona", the Bass Strait ferry which is nearing the end

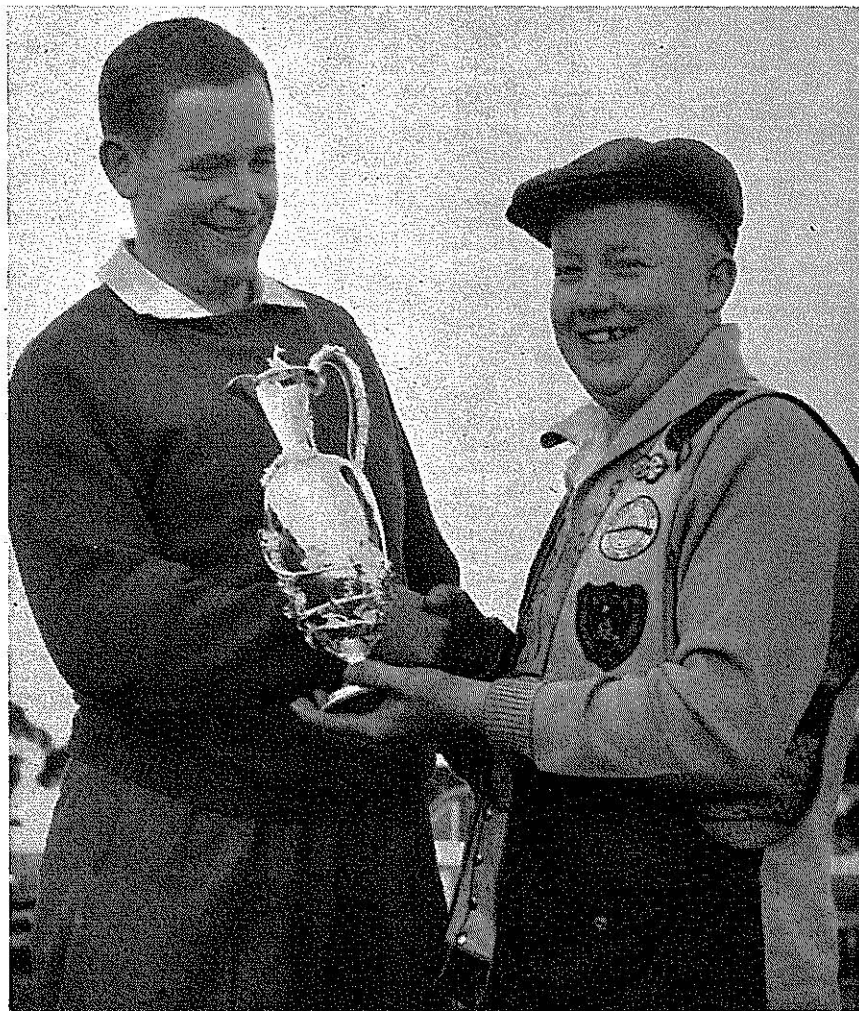
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of its long period of service across the stormy Straits. The main section of the party comprised the late Bill Reid of Seymour, who was then President of the Seymour Gun Club; the late Harry Mackintosh, also of Seymour; the late R. R. Stevenson, who shot under the nom-de-plume of "Stevo"; Pat Reid (Bill Reid's son), and the writer. All was bright and sparkling until we got through Port

Phillip Heads, when the stormy waters began to make an effective counter to all hilarity. The few who stayed upright could be counted on the fingers of both hands. Harold Ogg, a prominent shooter of the day and a pharmacist by profession, was also present. He produced a now well-known medicine which had quite a settling effect, but was not sufficient to allow of anything but virtual re-



Joe Stiff (right), recent winner of the Donald Mackintosh Trophy, congratulated by Bob Layton.

tirement in bed for the night. The Tamar River never looked better than when we edged into its mouth the following morning and began the picturesque run up to Launceston. The hospitality of the Tasmanians knew no bounds; everyone enjoyed the trip immensely. It is worth recording that Bill Rainbird and a few of his confederates were "thoughtful" enough to present pork chops to the returning visitors as the "Taroon" pulled away from Launceston on the return journey. Finally it is worthy of mention that Jock Wilson, former President of the Association, was discovered to be almost an "even-time" sprinter during this trip—but that is another story.

The annual general meeting of the Barcaldine Club in Queensland advises of the election of the following office-bearers for the 1959 year: Patron, A. M. Tibbits; President, R. H. Moyse; Vice-Presidents, O. J. Walker and J. J. Duffy; Committee, Messrs. P. Broughton, J. J. Duffy, R. J. Welsh, R. Tibbits and R. Chandler; Hon. Secretary, A. J. Anderson, Saltern Creek, Barcaldine; Hon. Treasurer, R. Fairbanks.

New South Wales Gun Club at Terrey Hills, near Sydney, will shoot on April 11, commencing at 1.30 p.m. Also on Saturday, April 23 (day and night), when the Sydney D.B. title and the N.S.W. Night S.B. Sparrow title will be decided. On Saturday, May 2, the N.S.W. Night D.B. Championship is listed for decision. This will follow the shooting of the A.C.T.A. National D.B. Championship at Bankstown during the daylight hours, and it should provide those interested in night competition with a good outing. Details of all programmes are as advertised. Enquiries to Brian Wallace (secretary) (Phone JJ 0775).

Despite the attention given to the town by the cyclone "Connie" recently, the Burdekin Club at Ayr in North Queensland has arranged a big programme over the week-end, Saturday, May 23, and Sunday, May 24. Shooting will start at 1.30 p.m. on opening day and the N. Queensland Tower title and a £50 Handicap will engage attention. Commencing at 9.30 a.m. on the following day, the North

Queensland Mixed Birds Championship and a £75 Handicap are chief attractions. Three Bredas are to be won in addition to the cash awards mentioned. Altogether a very good-class programme. Details are as advertised. Enquiries to L. J. Ashworth (secretary), Box 125, Ayr, N. Qld.

The Griffith Club in the Irrigation Area of southern New South Wales, will shoot, day and night, commencing at 1.30 p.m. on Saturday, April 18. The Riverina Skeet Championship is main event of a top-class programme during the afternoon session. At night (commencing at 8 p.m.) the N.S.W. State Double-rise Championship and a 20 target Handicap are the events listed. Full programme is as advertised. Enquiries to President, Reg McNamara, Box 199, Griffith, N.S.W. (Phone Tharbogang 203).

"The Return of the Rabbit" is a subject much under discussion these days. A report from Scotland indicates that the proportion of rabbits recovering from myxomatosis appeared to be greater than in previous outbreaks in that country, although new "outbreaks" were reported from a number of counties. Whilst mentioning rabbits, it is of interest that in the British Isles, as far back as 1186, an individual known as Gerald the Welshman referred to the species. Rabbit also appeared on the menus of several great feasts as far back as 1399, 1443 and 1465. One report states that an Archbishop of Canterbury used no less than 4,000 rabbits at one feast in the fifteenth century. Must have been "some" feast. In Europe mention of the rabbit is recorded as far back as 2 B.C.

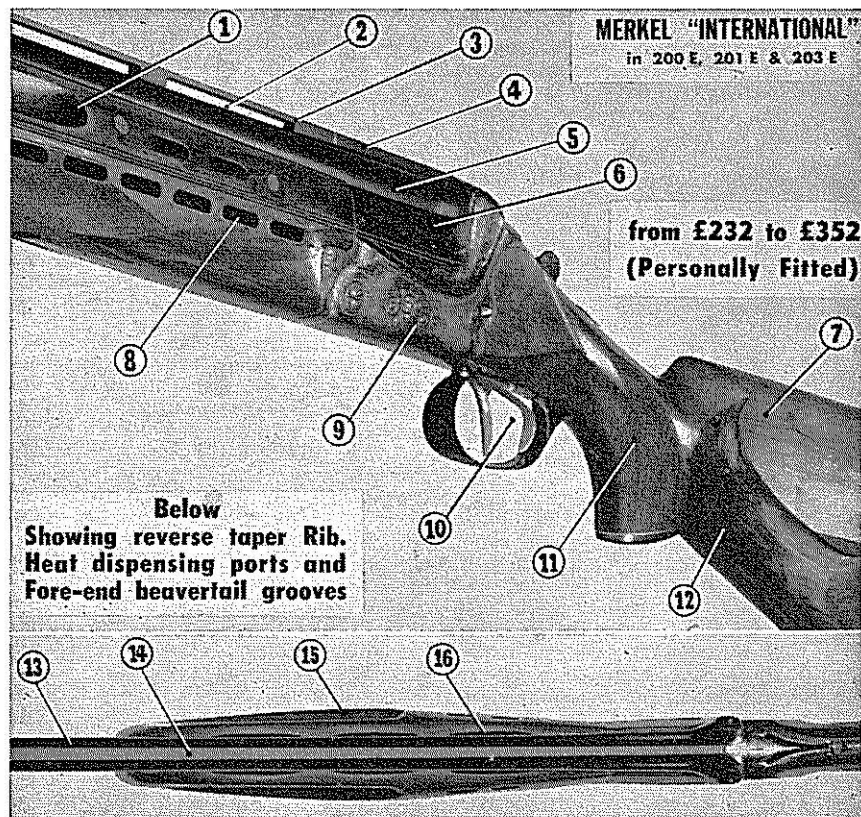
Tamworth Club in northern New South Wales will shoot on Friday and Saturday, April 17 and 18, when £500 in prize money and trophies will be distributed. The club will shoot on both days and also on both nights. Shooting will commence at 9.30 a.m. each day. A £100 Handicap event with attached Calcutta is main event on second day. The club dinner and Calcutta on the £100 Handicap will be held on the night of the opening day. A most comprehensive programme has been drawn up which should attract the interest of good

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"Fishermen think they know a lot about fish, but unless you can live under water, a fish still knows more about being a fish than you do." (From "The Promoters" by Stephen Longstreet.

Albury Apex Gun Club will shoot on Queen's Birthday holiday, Monday, June 15. The main event will be the New South Wales Clay Sparrows Double-barrel title. First-class accommodation can be arranged for any visiting shooters. Theatre bookings and also bookings for outings is part of the club's service to visitors. The programme is as advertised. Enquiries to David Nicholson (secretary), 407 Tribune Street, Albury (Phone 1460) or to President, Laurie Bockman, 524 Butson Street, Albury (Phone 615).

Atherton Club in north Queensland has arranged a big two-day fixture for Saturday and Sunday, April 11 and 12. Shooting will start on opening day at 2.30 p.m. and at 9.30 a.m. on the Sunday. A number of handicaps (cash) have been set down for decision as well as the Queensland Intermediate Single-barrel Championship and the Alec Moses Memorial Team Shoot. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries to Mrs. Jan Forbes (secretary), Yungaburra, Qld.

Tully Gun Club (North Queensland) gives preliminary notice of its annual three-day shoot on June 13, 14 and 15. Programme includes the Queensland Walk-up Championship and the Queensland Double-barrel Night title. The club advises southern and western shooters to make Tully shoot combine with their winter holidays in what the club terms "glorious winter weather". Full details will appear in next issue of this publication. Meanwhile enquiries to E. Morris, secretary, Tully, Qld.

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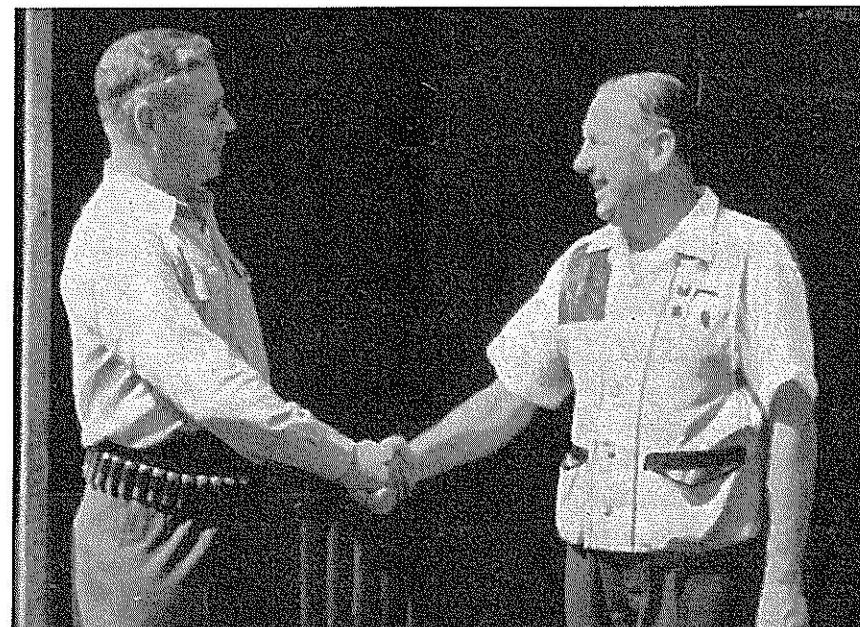
Wentworth Club, on the Darling River just over the Victorian border in New South Wales, is a newly affiliated unit of the A.C.T.A. The club will stage a Centenary Shoot on April 18, when the Wentworth Centenary Double-barrel Championship and a £50 Handicap will be main events. Programme is as advertised. Good accommodation is available for visitors. Enquiries to F. Davidson (secretary), Box 66, Wentworth, N.S.W. (Phone Wentworth 85).

Townsville Club (Queensland), one of the premier clubs in the north, will stage a two-day shoot on April 18 and 19, commencing on first day at 1.30 p.m. and at 9.30 a.m. on the second day. Many handicaps have been listed as well as the North Queensland Double-rise Championship as main event on opening day. The Queensland Deauville Doubles Championship is one of the principal attractions on second day. Details of full programme is as advertised.

Enquiries to Fred Blackman (secretary), Box 234, Townsville, Qld.

Geraldton Club in Western Australia held its annual meeting recently. Officials elected for the ensuing year are: Patron, Mr. L. W. Shephard; President, J. Jones; Vice-Presidents, L. Jones and G. Elliott; Secretary, A. Salmond; Treasurer, W. Heath; Captain, J. Ricupero; Vice-Captain, E. Boschetti; Committeemen, J. Costantino, D. Burton and W. Elliott; Handicappers, G. Elliott and L. Jones; Trap Maintenance Officer, D. Burton; Property Officer, S. Zorino; Auditor, F. J. Hacket. The official opening date of the season locally will be April 26th.

Keilor Club (V.), which shoots on the Coburg Club's enclosure at North Coburg, will shoot the I.C.I. Air Fare Handicap on Saturday, April 11, shooting starting at 1.30 p.m. sharp. This event is one of the "big" handicaps of the year and is sure to



Retiring President of Brisbane Gun Club (Q.), John M. Tyquin (who is also a member of the A.C.T.A. Executive Committee), hands over to incoming President, Max Harrold (left), at the club's grounds at Tingalpa, just outside Brisbane.

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**SATURDAY, 23rd APRIL, 1959**

Afternoon, starting at 1.30 p.m.

**SWEEP and TROPHY EVENTS.**

## **Sydney Double Barrel Sparrow Championship**

Night, starting at 7.0 p.m.

**SWEEP and TROPHY EVENTS.**

## **N.S.W. Night Single Barrel Sparrow Championship**

**SATURDAY, 2nd MAY, 1959**

Night, starting at 7.0 p.m.

**SWEEP and TROPHY EVENTS.**

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

**SATURDAY, 9th MAY, 1959**

Afternoon, starting at 1.30 p.m.

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attract a top-class field. The winner receives return air-fare tickets between Sydney and Melbourne for the purpose of attending the Association's National and International shoot at Bankstown between May 1 and May 5. The tickets are a donation from I.C.I.A.N.Z. Ltd. The Keilor Club is staging this contest as a 50-bird event, with second and third and 12/16 yard trophies. Other events will follow, time permitting. Programme is advertised. Enquiries to G. Hunter (secretary), 3 Market Street, Essendon, W.5.

The Australian Club will shoot at East Burwood grounds on Saturday, April 4 (two rounds of skeet); Saturday, April 11, a 45 birder from 16 yards, with sectional awards throughout; Saturday, April 18, Club Skeet Championship. There will be no shoot on Saturday, April 25 (Anzac Day). The club will also shoot on Saturday, May 3, all 10-bird sweepstakes. Programmes are advertised. Enquiries to A. H. Brenk (secretary), Dickens Road, Olinda, V.

Frankston & Peninsula Gun Club, one of the clubs within the outer suburban radius of Melbourne, will conduct its time-honoured Charity Shoot on Saturday, April 18, proceeds from which will go to the Royal Children's Hospital (Orthopaedic section) at Frankston. This occasion is usually a big one at Frankston and the club is especially anxious to secure the support of as many shooters as possible. Excellent trophies have been allocated and many donated. Programme is advertised. Enquiries to Mrs. Iris Miller (secretary), Beckwith Grove, Seaford, V.

Mildura Club in the far north-western area of Victoria advertises particulars of its annual Car Shoot series extending over Friday, June 12; Saturday, June 13, and Monday, June 15, 1959. On the first day a series of sweepstakes will be held, commencing at 1 p.m. A £50 Handicap and the North Western District of Victoria Double-barrel Championship are principal events in the daylight hours, and this will be followed at night with a £75 Handicap, commencing at 9.0 a.m. on Monday, June

15, the Mildura Clay Target Gun Club's Annual Car Shoot, at 30 targets off handicap marks, will attract much interest and attention. The winner will receive a Volkswagen Car, second £100, third £60, whilst yardage awards will be as follows: 12/16 yards, £50; 17/20 yards, £50; 21 yards and over, £50. Full details of programme is as outlined in the club's advertisement. Enquiries to K. J. Peake (secretary), Phone Mildura 385 (before 5 p.m.), or to Eric Bruce (President), Telephone Mildura 425 after 5 p.m.

Tail-piece — A whisper has just come in that Newcastle Club, just north of Sydney, will again sponsor a car shoot at its October meeting. More details are likely to be available for later issues. All will recall the unqualified success of the last car shoot in October 1958, and most of those who attended will doubtless be looking forward to another serve in October 1959.

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Third Day MONDAY - 4th MAY, 1959 - Commencing at 9.30 a.m.

Fourth Day TUESDAY - 5th MAY, 1959 - Commencing at 9.30 a.m.

First Day at 9.30 a.m. sharp

FRIDAY, 1st MAY, 1959

## Australian National Single Barrel Championship

40 CLAY TARGETS from 16 Yards, single-barrel, one cartridge only in the gun, "kills" only to count. Five Track Shooting System. Competitors shoot at 10 clay targets from each trap, 5 each visit. In the event of ties, to be shot off in batches of five clay targets until finality. The winner will receive the W. Rainbird Perpetual Cup (presented by Mr. W. Rainbird of Launceston, Tas.), trophy valued at 35 guineas and sash; Special I.C.I. Commemoration Sterling Silver Badge will also be presented to the winner by I.C.I.A.N.Z. Ltd. Second trophy valued £20, third trophy £15, fourth £10, after which £5 each will be awarded down to and including 15th place. Special awards of £5 each will be awarded to competitors registering best performance whose Association handicap comes under the following category (not winning any other trophy), 12/16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 yards and beyond. £5 awarded to Interstate competitors (one each to the States of Victoria, Queensland, Tasmania, South Australia and Western Australia) providing there are three or more entrants from the States mentioned, registering the best performance in the event and not winning any other award. Nomination, 40/- (Targets free). Optional Sweepstakes will be conducted in conjunction with the Australian National S.B. Championship of 20/- and 10/-. Sweepstakes will be divided (without deductions). First, 60 per cent.; Second, 30 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent. No entries will be accepted for Australian National Single-barrel Championship later than one hour after appointed starting time of event.

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SATURDAY, 2nd MAY, 1959

## Australian National Double Barrel Championship

60 CLAY TARGETS from 16 Yards, double-barrel, both barrels equal value. Five Track Shooting System. Competitors shoot at 15 clay targets from each trap, 5 each visit. In the event of ties to be shot off in batches of five clay targets until finality. The winner will receive the J. M. Wilson Perpetual Cup (presented by Mr. J. M. Wilson), trophy valued at 35 guineas and sash; Special I.C.I. Commemoration Sterling Silver Badge will also be presented to the winner by I.C.I.A.N.Z. Ltd. Second trophy valued £20, third trophy £15, fourth £10, after which £5 each will be awarded down to and including 15th place. Special awards of £5 each will be awarded to competitors registering best performance whose Association handicap comes under the following category (not winning any other trophy), 12/16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 yards and beyond. A trophy will also be awarded to the best lady performer in the event. £5 will be awarded to Interstate competitors (one each to the States of Queensland, Victoria, Tasmania, South Australia and Western Australia) providing there are three or more entrants from the States mentioned, registering the best performance in the event and not winning any other award. Nominations, 60/- (Targets free). Optional Sweepstakes of 20/- and 10/- will be conducted in conjunction with the Australian D.B. National Championship. Sweepstakes will be divided (without deductions), First, 60 per cent.; Second, 30 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent. No entries will be accepted for Australian National D.B. Championship later than one hour after appointed starting time of event.

The Australian Team of 30 men for the International Match will comprise the 30 highest scorers in the Australian National D.B. Championship event, 1959, who are Australian citizens of at least 12 months standing. In the event of any selected shooter being unable to take his place in the team, his place will be filled by another shooter agreed upon by the Executive Committee.

## Club Teams' Championship

(To be shot concurrently with the Australian D.B. National Championship)

CLUB TEAMS OF FOUR MEN. The first thirty targets released to each team member in the National Australian D.B. Championship will be counted for the Club Teams' Championship. Each member of the winning team will receive £5. Entrance fee, 20/- per team. Entries must be lodged prior to the commencement of the Australian National D.B. Championship.

The event is restricted to Club Teams of four (4) men from any one club affiliated with the A.C.T.A. Team members must be permanently resident within fifty (50) miles of centre in which club is situated. Shooters who reside in the metropolitan area of Sydney and Melbourne must shoot with the club nearest to their permanent place of residence.

Third Day at 9.30 a.m.

MONDAY, 4th MAY, 1959

## Thirteenth International Teams' Match

Competing Teams — England, Ireland, New Zealand, Scotland, Wales, South Africa, Central Africa, Canada, and AUSTRALIA, for the MACKINTOSH INTERNATIONAL TROPHY.

(Results by cable).

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### CONDITIONS:

100 birds per member from 16 yards, five track shooting system, in four stages of 25 each. Automatic angle trap, double-barrel, points scoring 3 and 2, cartridges loaded with not more than 1½ oz. of shot, No. 6 English size, or smaller. Highest 10 scores will count in the competition.

Highest scorer in the Australian Team will hold the special International High-Gun Cup, valued at £75 (presented by J. M. Bauman, Esq., of Brisbane) for 12 months (or until the next International Match) and will be awarded a special trophy valued at £5/5/-, and the International High-Gun Sash and I.C.I. Sterling Silver Commemoration Badge. In the event of ties, to be shot off in batches of ten clay targets until finality.

Every member of the Australian Team will receive the special "International 1959" Badge.

ENTRANCE FEES.—There will be no entrance fee for members of the team. Targets will be free.

Optional sweepstake of 10/- will be conducted in conjunction. Sweepstake money divided 60, 30, and 10 per cent. without deduction.

PRACTICE.—Members of the International Team will be permitted ten practice targets before the competition, in accordance with the International conditions.

## £500 Eleventh Grand Australian Handicap

45 CLAY TARGETS from Assn. Handicaps. DOUBLE-BARREL

Both barrels equal value.

The £500 allotted to the event will be distributed as follows: 12/16 yarders £100, 17/18 yarders £100, 19/20 yarders £100, 21 yarders and over £100. The balance, £100, will be cut overall. Divisions in each group will be 60 per cent. (1), 30 per cent. (2) and 10 per cent. (3). Compulsory division in each case. The actual winner of the event will receive a special Grand Australian Handicap Sash and also the special I.C.I. Sterling Silver Commemoration Badge. Nomination (including targets), £5, with 20/- Optional Sweepstake, divided 60 per cent. (1), 30 per cent. (2) and 10 per cent. (3).

## Commonwealth Teams' Match

(To be shot concurrently with the Eleventh Grand Australian Handicap)

TEAMS OF FOUR MEN. Open to any four registered shooters who are members of any affiliated clubs in the Commonwealth of Australia. The first twenty targets released to each team member in the Eleventh Grand Australian Handicap will count for the Commonwealth Teams' Championship. £5 to each member of the winning team. Entrance fee, 20/- per team. Entries must be lodged prior to the commencement of the Eleventh Grand Australian Handicap.

Fourth Day at 9.30 a.m.

TUESDAY, 5th MAY, 1959

## A.C.T.A. Intermediate Championship

20 CLAY TARGETS FROM 16 YARDS — DOUBLE - BARREL

Both barrels equal value.

(Restricted to Shooters whose Association Handicap does not exceed 18 yards on May 5th, 1959)

Competitors will shoot at five targets from each trap.

Nomination (including targets): 30/- — 10/- optional Sweepstake, divided 60 per cent., 30 per cent., 10 per cent., without deductions. Winner to receive Trophy valued £15, and Championship Sash. Winner will also be presented with Special I.C.I. Sterling Silver Commemoration Badge (presented by I.C.I.A.N.Z. Ltd.) Second, Trophy valued £10. Third, Trophy valued £7/10/-. Fourth, £5. Fifth, £5.

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SATURDAY, 5th SEPTEMBER, 1959

## Richmond Centenary Championship

20 BIRDS :: Badge and Trophies

## Centenary Handicap

30 BIRDS :: Trophies

Shooters to be handicapped by Club after each round.

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SUNDAY, 6th SEPTEMBER, 1959

## £100 Centenary Handicap

30 BIRDS :: Points 3 and 2.

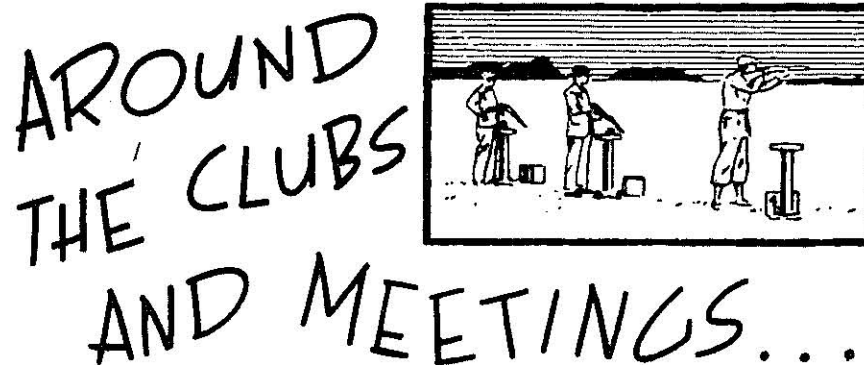
## Deauville Doubles

## Centenary Championship

20 PAIRS :: Badges and Trophies

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"Lonsdale", Richmond.



ALBURY APEX (N.S.W.), 31/1/59. — Weather conditions: very hot. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Novice: C. Knight, J. Burton, 3/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: G. Lamb, R. Burdack, W. Hall, I. Hillier, J. Thompson, C. Burdack, 5/5. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Pt. Score Sparrows: E. Tippet, I. Hillier, 27/30; A. Lowndes, 25/30. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: A. Pattison, 24/25; E. Tippet, 23/25; A. Lowndes, 13/14. No. 5, Teams: L. Constable, C. Knight, W. Hall, C. Burdack, 18/20.

Hot and hazy day, with temperature at 102 deg. and bush fires only six miles away. Not many shooters, but a really good social afternoon.

(D. Nicholson, Hon. Sec.)

ALEXANDRA (V.), 30/1/59. — Weather conditions: very good. Results (Night): No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. M. Hedger, R. Andrews, W. Carpenter, R. Hedger, R. Stillman, H. Johnson, A. Hedger, C. Cumming, A. McMillan (Mansfield), R. Williamson, L. Parks (Mansfield), 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. (Trophies and Sweep): Sweep, div. G. Courtney, R. Cumming, R. Brown (Mansfield), 10/10; Trophies, 1st, G. Courtney, 17/17; 2nd, R. Cumming, 16/17; 3rd, R. Brown, 12/13; 14/16 yd., A. G. Evans (Mansfield), 10/11; 12/13 yd., B. Clarke (Mansfield), 10/12. No. 3, 10 prs. D.D.: div. R. Cumming-G. Cumming, R. Stillman - A. Hedger, R. Williamson - R. Hedger, G. Cumming - F. Everett, G. Courtney - H. Johnson, 10/10 prs. No. 4, 3 pr. D.R.: div. H. Johnson, R. Williamson, G. Cumming, R. Cumming, 2/3 prs.

A well-attended night shoot on a fine, warm night. First shoot for the New Year, and the spell did George Courtney good. In the absence of the President, it fell to Mansfield President, Lloyd Parks, to present first trophy, but then George carried on his good form to present the minor awards. The Mansfield visitors were well to the fore and made competition keen. Dick Brown must have learnt to shoot on possums — he always shoots really well at night.

(Luke Doyle, Corresp.)

AUSTRALIAN (V.), 17/1/59.—First down-the-line shoot for 1959 was held today, nearly at the height of the heat wave. Fewer shooters than usual braved the weather, but those who did had an enjoyable afternoon's shoot-

ing. There was a good breeze over the tracks. In the first event, 15-bird D.B. H'cap, possibles were shot by A. H. Brenk and D. Young. The wind, straight down the tracks, was strong at this stage, making tricky conditions, and both did well. Doug. Young, still a "new hand" at the sport, does a little better every time he shoots; Eddy Brenk's 27 yards speaks for itself.

Main event, 30-bird D.B. H'cap, was shot in two classifications, 12/20 yds. and 21/27 yds., with 1st, 2nd and 3rd trophies in each, plus a Novice trophy. The only possible came in the first section, D. Cahill shooting really well to take 1st place with 30/30; 2nd and 3rd went to F. Shearer, 47/50, and C. Daish, 46/50. The Novice trophy went to Dr. O'Hanlon. In the "senior" section three consistent shooters scored 28/30, I. Porter, W. Lonie and B. Sheppard. A two-bird shoot-off gave one of the quickest decisions we have ever seen from three steady shots, Porter winning with 30/32 over Lonie, 29/32, and Sheppard, 28/31. A final 10-bird div. F. Johnson and B. Sheppard, 10/10.

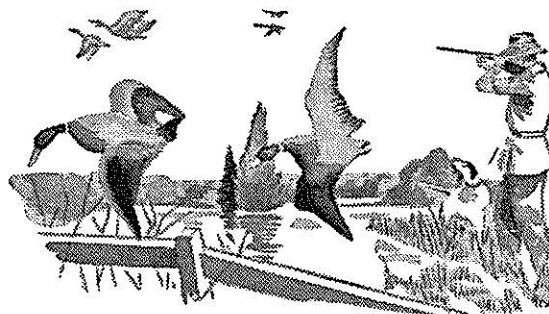
24/1/59. — Our skeet shooters were on the job today, but the chief feature was a visit by several leading members of the newly formed Field Sports Association, who participated in some invitation skeet shooting. Mostly, it was their first experience of clay target shooting, and it was noticeable that the good duck shooters, who kept the gun swinging, gave a good account of themselves at skeet.

7/2/59. — This was the second visit by members of the Field Sports Association, a big attendance on this occasion, since the duck season's opening was approaching and they wished for practice. After a round of skeet, the Field Sports members, under the guidance of various experienced clay-target shooters, settled down for several rounds of down-the-line shooting on our No. 3 ground. Our skeet men, plus a few extra shooters, members of both the Field Sports and Clay Target Associations, carried out the usual skeet programme. This was won by Doug. Hemingway, President of the Melbourne division of the Field Sports Association. Doug. is, of course, well known on metropolitan clay target grounds, but this was his first experience of skeet under local conditions. His score, 23/25, was nearly as good

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# Shooting Dates for 1959

. . . Day . . .

May 2nd — CLUB SHOOT

May 23rd —

N. N.S.W. SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

June 6th — CLUB SHOOT

July 4th — CLUB SHOOT

August 1st — CLUB SHOOT

August 7th —

N.W. N.S.W. S.B. £50 HANDICAP

August 8th —

N.W. N.S.W. D.B. £50 HANDICAP

September 5th — CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

October 3rd —

N. N.S.W. D.B. CH'SHIP. £50 H'CAP

October 5th —

N. N.S.W. S.B. CH'SHIP. £50 H'CAP

. . . Night . . .

April 4th — CLUB SHOOT

May 23rd — £50 HANDICAP

August 7th — N.S.W. S.B. CHAMPIONSHIP

September 5th — CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

October 3rd —

COMMONWEALTH NIGHT DOUBLE RISE

November 7th — CLUB SHOOT

December 5th — CLUB SHOOT

December 19th — CHRISTMAS SHOOT

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August 5th, 6th and 8th.

Day in the bush on October 4th.

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as we have seen. A final 10-birder over the "hard birds" of the skeet round, the four doubles and the two No. 8 station birds, was won by Mick Hamilton (Dandenong) with only one bird missed.

14/2/59. — One of our normal down-the-line programmes, of 15 and 30 birds, but we added a 10-bird event for novice shooters only. This attracted the interest of quite a lot of "new boys", particularly juniors. It seems that quite a number of shooters have a son or sons and/or daughters who will carry on the game eventually. The event was won by E. Waldron, with the full score of 10/10.

18/2/59 (Night). — A pleasant night for shooting, and our competition took the form of a 10-bird opener, followed by a 20-birder shot from handicap marks and with trophies allocated to four divisions. Although conditions were very fine, only one shooter could shoot the full score of 20/20. This was Mervyn Whitelaw, and he took first place in his group (17/19 yds.) from Noel Davies.

28/2/59. — Following last week's opening of the duck season, we thought some versatile shooting would be in order, so ran the Club Mixed Birds C'ship. W. R. Johns, in his best form, was a model of consistency and won his 105th championship, though he was pressed to the limit by Peter Poole. Both shot 19/20, then ran through two shoot-off rounds to finish with the fine scores of 34/36 and 33/36. It was an exceptional performance from two exceptional shooters. Jorgey took 3rd place with 30/36, also after two shoot-off sessions with A. McNab; both had 18/20. Roy Johns also returned the only full score in the opening event, 6 pair Double-raise, which was two ahead of the eight shooters who divided the remainder. Bruce Roberts, with 15/20, took the front-mark trophy. Bruce is a shooter who is making steady improvement and he shot a good score on the day.

(A. H. Brenk, Sec.)

BARANDUDA (V.), 18/2/59. — Weather conditions: sultry and very calm. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: W. Schubert, L. Bockman, G. Lamb, C. Burdack, A. Martin, A. Dunstan, D. Hargreaves. No. 2, 5-bird Pts.: 1st, L. Bockman; 2nd, A. Martin. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, H. A. Jones; 2nd, A. Patterson; 3rd, J. Schubert. No. 4, Teams: D. Gittings, W. Schubert, G. McFarlane, A. Patterson.

This was the club's pre-duck opening shoot and there was an excellent attendance of shooters and interested spectators. Shooters were present from Mudgegonga, Melbourne, Albury, Allan Flat, Kergunyah and other surrounding districts.

(B. Robinson.)

BOORT (V.), 14/2/59. — Weather conditions: cloudy, north wind. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: div. I. Whytcross, R. Roberts, A. Walker, J. Condos, E. Richards, T. Maynard, E. Lanyon, R. Manuel, B. Webb. No. 2, 5-bird: div. I. Whytcross, A. Walker, T. Maynard, E. Lanyon, R. Flavel, R. Manuel, 5/5. No. 3, 10-bird Trophy: I. Whytcross, 1st, 12/12; A. Walker, 2nd, 11/12; F.M. Trophy, G. Wright, 13/14. No. 4, D. Rise: won outright T. Maynard, 5/5. No. 5, Miss-out from 26 yds.: div. E. Lanyon, T. Maynard, 8/8. No. 6, Miss-out from 25 yds.: div. E. Lanyon, T. Maynard, 11/11.

Shoot was put on at short notice, but an enjoyable afternoon's shooting was had by all. Our Club President won the 1st trophy with his new Merkel; Tom Maynard was another to do well.

(E. M. Lanyon, Hon. Sec.)

BRISBANE (Qld.), 22/2/59. — Weather conditions: showery. Results: No. 1, I.C.I. Air Fare Trophy (30-bird D.B. from 16 yds.): 1st, C. Burns, 60/60; 2nd, A. Gordon, 58/59; 3rd, J. Willett, 39/40; best 12/14 yds., A. Harrold, 29/30. No. 2, Progressive Club H'cap (20-bird D.B. Pts.): Club Winner, L. Taylor, 44/60; High Gun, J. Curr, 60/60; best 12/14 yds., M. Harrold, 56/60; best 15/17 yds., R. Burns, 55/60; best 18 yds. and over, B. Mackey, 55/60. No. 3, 5 prs. D. Rise: 1st, M. Rutledge; 2nd, C. Burns; 3rd, B. Mackey.

The I.C.I. Air Fare Trophy was quite one of the most eagerly contested shooting events Brisbane has had, and as a double attraction the club combined a sweepstake to help cover the winner's expenses. Cliff Burns' determination and fine shooting won him the jackpot, so he is the man you will see at Banks-town on 1st May. There were three other possibles, Jim Willett, Andy Gordon (Southport) and George Rawlins (Toogoolawah). However, in the shoot-off George and Jim retired early, but the tussle went on between Andy and Cliff. Although Andy's shooting was good and the Pittsworth shooter several times missed his first barrel, Cliff was victorious when Andy suddenly dropped both barrels at his 59th bird. Congratulations to both; it was great to see Andy make his 50 break.

We were delighted to see so many novice shooters taking home trophies. Arthur Harrold, who shot so brilliantly at the Southport Carnival, won the best 12/14 yds. trophy in the 30-bird D.B. event; James Curr was High Gun with an outright 60/60, while Lawnton Taylor was the winner in the Club's Progressive Handicap. Malcolm Rutledge, just newly fledged, showed great promise when he won the Double Rise from Cliff Burns after shooting off. Other new members, A. Stanton (Lismore), B. Deignan, R. W. Higgins, G. C. Rutledge and I. C. Wehl, as well as our visitors, N. O'Donohoo (Charleville) and S. Cardillo (Silkwood) were extended a hearty welcome. We were distressed to hear Genge Martin suffered a heart attack whilst in the car on the way to the shoot and had to be admitted to hospital. All wish this grand supporter better health.

One of the highlights of Queensland's Centenary Celebrations was the service held on Sunday, 1st February, when a most impressive ceremony was held at Brisbane's Anzac Square. All sporting bodies were invited to be present to pay tribute to our Fallen

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# CUNNAMULLA GUN CLUB

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## Centenary Year Shoot

SATURDAY, 11th APRIL — 9.30 a.m.

Event 1 — 5 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL EYE-OPENER  
Nomination, 3/-. Birds only.

Event 2 —

## Queensland Centenary Deauville Doubles Championship

20 PAIRS from 18 yards. Nomination, 30/-.  
Centenary Plaque and Trophy, 1st; Trophies 2nd and 3rd.

Event 3 — 30 Bird Double Barrel  
Nom., £4. Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd, valued at £120.  
Optional Sweeps 5/- on each 10 birds.

Event 4 — 15 BIRD S.B. I.C.I. TROPHY SHOOT  
Nomination, £1/10/0.

## ANNUAL DINNER SATURDAY EVENING

— :: —

SUNDAY, 12th APRIL — 10 a.m.

Event 1 — 5 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL EYE-OPENER  
Nomination, 3/-. Birds only.

Event 2 — £200 — HANDICAP — £200  
60 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL

Nomination, £7.		1st, £80;	2nd, £40;	3rd, £20.	
Best 12/13 yarder	£7	2nd 12/13 yarder	£7	£3	
" 14/15 yarder	£7	2nd 14/15 "	£7	£3	
" 16/17 yarder	£7	2nd 16/17 "	£7	£3	
" 18/19 yarder	£7	2nd 18/19 "	£7	£3	
" 20/21 yarder	£7	2nd 20/21 "	£7	£3	
Best 22 and over	£7	2nd 22 and over	£7	£3	

1st, 2nd and 3rd not eligible for yardage prizes.

Optional Sweeps 5/- on each 10 birds.

Calcutta will be conducted in conjunction with this event.

Sunday Night — 7 p.m.

Event 1 — 5 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL EYE-OPENER  
Nomination, 3/-. Birds only.

Event 2 —

## Queensland Centenary Double Barrel Night Championship

30 BIRDS from 18 yards. Nomination, £1/10/0.  
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Sportsmen, and we feel proud that President Max Harrold, our Patron, Alf Thurlow, Bruce Mackey, Lawton Taylor, Randall Lampart and Arthur Harrold represented the Brisbane and South Coast Gun Clubs.  
(E. Mackey, Pub. Officer.)

CAMBERWELL (V.), 7/2/59. — Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: W. Carlon, L. Turner, div., 5/5. No. 2, 15-bird S.B.: 1st, T. H. Powell, 15/15; 2nd, R. Andrews, 19/21; 3rd, Ross Smith, 18/21; 17/18 yds., K. Muller, 12/15; 12/16 yds., W. Bell, 15/18. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: R. W. Fox, W. Gresselle, J. De Pellegrin, R. Blackwell, Ross Smith, div., 11/11.

21/2/59. — Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. K. Muller, J. Harle, M. Dalziel, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: div. R. Hering, J. Harle, 10/10. No. 3, 3 prs. D. Rise off 16 yds.: div. W. R. Johns, P. Poole, 2/3. No. 4, 5-bird Walk-up: W. R. Johns, 5/5. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. (5 off 12 yds., 5 off 25 yds.): div. W. R. Johns, R. Hering, 10/10.

(H. Ellison-Smith, Hon. Sec.)

COFFS HARBOUR (N.S.W.), 14/2/59. — Weather conditions: N.E. winds. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: P. McDonald, V. Wuillernan, A. D. Herdegen, div., 5/5. No. 2, 15-

bird S.B.: D. Seccombe, 1st, 13/15; G. D. T. Seccombe, 2nd, 12/15; V. Wuillernan, P. McDonald, 3rd, 11/15. No. 3, 5-bird S.B.: G. Blundell, W. Unwin, P. Thompson, R. Hannaford, E. Buchanan, F. Taylor, div., 5/5. No. 4, 5-bird Pts.: P. McDonald, G. Blundell, E. Buchanan, div., 15/15. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: P. McDonald, G. Blundell, E. Buchanan, D. Seccombe, H. T. Siddins, G. D. T. Seccombe, John Raleigh, div. 8/10. No. 6, 5-bird Pts.: D. Seccombe, Joe Raleigh, D. Hall, G. D. T. Seccombe, John Raleigh, div., 15/15.

14/2/59. — Weather conditions: strong N. easterlies. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: P. McDonald, V. Wuillernan, A. D. Herdegen, div., 5/5. No. 2, 15-bird S.B. Trophy: D. Seccombe, 1st, 13/15; G. D. T. Seccombe, 2nd, 12/15; V. Wuillernan, P. McDonald, div. 3rd, 11/15. No. 3, 5-bird S.B.: G. Blundell, W. Unwin, P. Thompson, R. Hannaford, E. Buchanan, F. Taylor, div., 5/5. No. 4, 5-bird Pts.: P. McDonald, G. Blundell, E. Buchanan, div., 15/15. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: P. McDonald, G. Blundell, E. Buchanan, D. Seccombe, H. T. Siddins, G. D. T. Seccombe, John Raleigh, div., 8/10. No. 6, 5-bird Pts.: D. Seccombe, Joe Raleigh, D. Hall, G. D. T. Seccombe, John Raleigh, div., 15/15. No. 7, Box Sweep: D. Seccombe, R. Hannaford, div.

We were pleased to welcome John Raleigh and David Hall, and it was very pleasing to

## Moree Gun Club (N.S.W.)

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## Preliminary Announcement

May 23rd —

N.W. N.S.W. SKEET (Day) CHAMPIONSHIP

August 7th, 8th — GOLD CUP SHOOT

NEW SOUTH WALES S.B. (Night) CH'SHIP

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— QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY WEEK-END —

Friday, June 12th; Saturday, June 13th; Monday,  
June 15th, 1959.

FRIDAY. Commencing 1 p.m.:  
SWEEPSTAKES

SATURDAY. Commencing 9.30 a.m.:

Event No. 1 — 15 BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER  
off Handicap Marks (Comp. Div.). Nom., £1.

Event No. 2 — £50 HANDICAP  
30 BIRDS D.B. off Handicap Marks. Nom., £2.

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Saturday — at Night:

Event No. 1 — £75 HANDICAP

MONDAY. Commencing 9 a.m.:

Event No. 1 — 15 BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER  
off Handicap Marks (Comp. Div.). Nom., £1.

Event No. 2 —

MILDURA CLAY TARGET GUN CLUB  
ANNUAL CAR SHOOT

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see such a good roll-up of spectators, and  
with 15 of our own shooters on deck, made  
almost a record for attendance. Owing to  
the north-easterly winds, the standard of  
shooting was very much below par, especially  
for the back markers. Apart from the 10-  
bird D.B., which was divided with 8/10, pos-  
sibles were scored in all 5-bird events.

(G. D. T. Seccombe, Hon. Sec.)

COHUNA (V.), 11/2/59. — Weather condi-  
tions: fine. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: cut  
W. Makeham, W. Ballard, R. Hull, K. Hilde-  
brand, C. Heffer, G. Wilson, S. Wilson. No.  
2, 10-bird Trophy: Trophy, 1st, F. Dobson;  
2nd, E. Anderson; Sweep, cut A. Easton,  
C. Heffer, K. Dobson, E. Anderson, F. Dob-  
son, O. McLoughlan, R. Lunghusen. No. 3,  
5-bird D.B.: cut C. Heffer, J. Adams, K.  
Dobson, J. Jacobs, W. Naschke. No. 4,  
5-bird D.B.: cut A. Easton, G. English, R.  
English, C. Heffer, E. Anderson, A. Hipwell,  
J. Jacobs.

Twenty-three shooters turned up for this  
shoot, with good conditions available for  
shooting. Visitors were present from Kerang,  
Murrabit and Echuca.

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

COLAC (V.), 31/1/59 (Day). — Weather  
conditions: fine, hot. Jack Holt was the star  
performer at the Colac Gun Club on Satur-  
day, 31/1/59, when he won the main event  
with a score of 15/16 clay sparrows. Jack  
has been knocking at the door of an outright  
win for some time, and it was gratifying to  
see him have a victory on Saturday. Fred

Wilson (Cobden) was unfortunate to suffer  
a gun breakdown early in the day, but with  
a borrowed weapon he shot really well to  
gain second place, 14/16. Noel Smart (Cres-  
sy) won third prize, 13/15. The ever-con-  
sistent Ray Parker out-shot George Norman  
and Brian Mark (Geelong Club President) to  
win the clay pigeon event, 17/17. He also  
managed to annex most of the cash in the  
off-the-fence events, shot under novelty con-  
ditions.

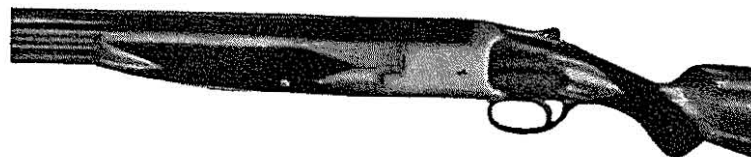
The day was hot and shooters, after leav-  
ing the tracks, were quick to take advantage  
of the shade from the 50-year-old pines which  
are such a great asset to the club. Visiting  
shooters were from Geelong, Cressey, Winchel-  
sea, Balliang, Cobden, and Alice Springs.  
The ladies provided their ever-welcome after-  
noon tea.

Results: No. 1, 5 clay sparrows: div. N.  
Smart, P. Boyd, D. Corstorphane, 5/5. No.  
2, 5 clay sparrows: div. C. Grist, E. Osborne,  
R. Parker, V. Bird, 5/5. No. 3, 15 clay  
sparrows: J. Holt, 15/16, 1st; F. Wilson,  
14/16, 2nd; N. Smart, 13/15, 3rd; A. Neale,  
R. Parker, V. Bird, 12/15. No. 4, 10 clay  
pigeons: R. Parker, 17/17, 1st; G. Norman,  
21/22, 2nd; B. Mark, 20/22, 3rd; J. Holt,  
F. Wilson, N. Smart, E. Smith, N. West-  
wood, P. Boyd, V. Bird, S. McIntosh, N.  
Vicears, 9/10. No. 5, 5-bird S.B. and 5-bird  
D.B.: div. V. Bird, S. McIntosh, D. Corstorphane,  
10/10.

(D. Corstorphane, Hon. Sec.)

DALBY (Qld.), 8/2/59. — Weather condi-  
tions: fine and hot. Results: No. 1, 5-bird  
D.B.: C. Milburn, H. Taylor, J. Alexander,  
D. Price, J. Ferguson, R. Hirning, L. Price,

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Was pleasing to see another good attendance. The club gained a new member in Jim Hayes, who shot well for a beginner, and with more experience should be among the winners in the near future. Many thanks, John Ferguson, for your High Gun trophy. Congratulations, Les Price, on winning same, and you, Geo. Jennings, on winning 12 yd. trophy.

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

DENMAN (N.S.W.), 31/1/59. — Only a small number of shooters attended our first club shoot of the New Year. Some of the last year's members have not quite got round to joining the gang yet. When Xmas ends a financial year, it always upsets a good start for the next. Anyway, we look forward to all those good members of last year to come in again in the very near future. The weather was fine, with quite a strong head wind in the shape of a smart easterly, and the birds had anything but the usual true flight. Shooting was not of the best standard, especially in the Double Rise, as the birds when "unkilled" would land nearly 100 yds. apart, due to our friend, the easterly. We had the company of a snake in the trap-house, which may have also made the birds a bit "flighty".

Our next shoot will be an open day on 11th April, 1959, and we look forward to it being one of those good days when we can share the company of our neighbours.

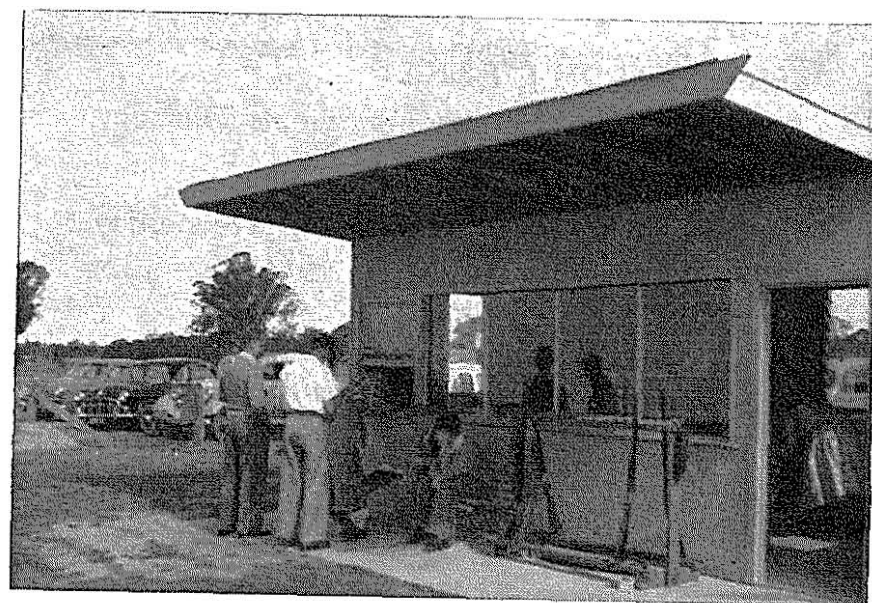
Results: No. 1, 5-bird: B. Wolfgang, B. Morris, 5/5; R. Wilkinson, 4/5; N. Drabsche, H. Mephram, 2/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. Pt. Sc.: R. Wilkinson, 15/15; H. Mephram, 13/15; B. Morris, 8/15; N. Drabsche, 7/15; B. Wolfgang, 6/15. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. Sparrows: N. Drabsche, 5/5; H. Mephram, 4/5; B. Wolfgang, B. Morris, R. Wilkinson, 2/5. No. 4, 5-bird D. Rise: R. Wilkinson, 6/10; N. Drabsche, B. Wolfgang, H. Mephram, B. Morris, 2/10.

(R. Wilkinson, Sec.)

DUNDONNELL (V.), 14/2/59. — Weather conditions: fine and mild. Results (Night): No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: W. Lyon, D. Fletcher, J. M. Small, A. Horan, div., 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: D. Fletcher, L. W. Grant, div., 5/5. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. H'cap Pts.: 1st, N. Calvert, 57/60; 2nd, D. Fletcher, 54/60; 3rd, C. Fletcher, 52/60. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: 1st, J. M. Small, 9/10; 2nd, W. Lyon, 8/10.

(J. Malcolm Small, Hon. Sec.)

DUNOLLY (V.), 13/2/59. — Weather conditions: wet. Results: No. 1, 5-bird (C.D.): T. Botten, B. Mountjoy, div. No. 2, 4-man Teams (10 birds): B. Mountjoy, B. Madill, G. Flett, W. Bellinger, won, 31/40. No. 3, 5-bird Trophy (4 equal): B. Mountjoy, K. Roberts, A. Bellinger, B. Madill, equal. No. 4, 5-bird Pts.: T. Botten, T. Hartland, div. No. 5, 5-bird Pts.: B. Madill, 15/15.



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Shooters attending from Bendigo, Castlemaine and St. Arnaud were greeted with the wettest night our club has experienced, the night ending with a power blackout. Our next shoot will be held on 20/3/59 in aid of Boy Scouts' Building Fund.  
(N. H. Hall, Hon. Sec.)

**ECHUCA (V.), 7/2/59.** — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. N. Thorn, A. Hipwell, B. Beasher, G. Harvey, V. Yeoman, L. Curtis, H. Gibson, J. Jamieson, J. L. Sizer, G. McLeod, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. Sparrows: div. L. Curtis, L. Gibson, H. Gibson, V. Lawford, 5/5. No. 3, 10-bird D. Rise: 1st, L. Gibson, 4/5; 2nd and 3rd, div. R. Grinter, R. Staggs, J. L. Sizer, 3/5. No. 4, Main Trophy ("A" and "B" Grade): "A" Grade, 1st, V. Lawford, 10/10; 2nd, L. Gibson; "B" Grade, 1st, L. Curtis; 2nd, J. L. Sizer. No. 5, 5-bird D'ville Doubles: div. L. and H. Gibson, V. Yeoman, A. Hipwell, 5/5.

A most enjoyable practice shoot for our big ones to come. Shooters made the most of the novelty events held, to get practice for some championships which are coming up in this area soon. Pleasing to again have E. Smith, a visitor from Alice Springs, drop in on us. Hope you had a good trip home, Smithy, and have mastered the new gun by now. Regards.

(Mick Briggs, Hon. Sec.)

**FOSTER (V.), 14/2/59.** — Weather conditions: very good. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts. Dec.: C. Arnup, G. Gray, 30/30, div. 1st and 2nd; E. Cripps, 29/30. No. 2, 20-bird S.B. Sparrows Dist. C'ship: 1st, T. Pedersen, 29/35; 2nd, K. Patterson, 33/40; 3rd, F. Byers, 32/40. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. Spar-

rows Dist. C'ship: 1st, R. Glover, 34/35; 2nd, E. Hamilton, 33/35; 3rd, A. Cripps, 28/30. No. 4, 10-bird Pts.: 1st, R. Glover, 30/30; 2nd, F. Brown, 29/30; 3rd, C. Arnup, 27/30.

Visitors from Melbourne, Sale, Yarram, Leongatha, Warragul and Drouin. The day was all that could be desired, and 29 shooters attended. The sparrows proved too good for the majority in the single-barrel event. T. Pedersen from Drouin claimed the S.B. sash and trophy, and R. Glover (Sale) the D.B. Mr. Byers from I.C.I. presented the trophies at the close of the shoot. Many thanks to the ladies for the afternoon tea.

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

**FRANKSTON-PENINSULA (V.), 14/2/59.** — Weather conditions: fine and warm. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Gun Down: J. Cooper, A. Watson, D. Baird, H. Miller, J. Ivey, J. Ferrero, E. Jones, L. Baker, M. Hamilton, C. Oke, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird Walk-up: L. Male, I. Evans, L. Stevenson, J. Ferrero, M. Hamilton, 9/10, div. No. 3, 5-bird Crossing: B. Hall, R. J. Horwood, 5/5, div.

Good attendance of 46 shooters to compete in the mixed birds events, and, of course, there was much talk of duck opening, and where the birds were. On the 13th April the club is holding a shoot in aid of the Royal Children's Hospital (Orthopaedic Section), Frankston. Remember this date, shooters — and come along in force to help make this day a grand success for such a needy cause.  
(Iris Miller, Sec.)

**GEELONG (V.), 23/1/59.** — Weather conditions: ideal. Results: No. 1, 5-bird C/D.: L. Pike, A. Coleman, B. Catton, V. Crothers, R. Eason, L. Gross, F. Buckley, R. Hussen,

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SATURDAY, 18th APRIL, 1959

Commencing 10 a.m.

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Nom., 10/-. 5 off each Trap (Comp. Div.) off H'cap Marks.

### Event No. 2—10 BIRD D.B. SWEEP. Nom., 20/-.

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J. Sawtell, 5/5. No. 2, 15-bird D.B. Trophy: O. Dowker, N. Viccars, L. Pike, A. McIntosh, R. Hussen, 15/15; shoot-off: A. McIntosh, 1st; N. Viccars, 2nd; R. Hussen, 3rd. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: S. M. Gange, S. McIntosh, B. W. Mark, D. Corstorphane, R. Eason, P. Mark, E. Bevan, J. Sawtell, P. Boyd, K. Woodman, G. Norman, J. Walls, 10/10; shoot-off: K. Woodman, 1st; D. Corstorphane, 2nd; S. McIntosh, 3rd.

Good shooting by the large field of shooters present, entertaining the even larger crowd of spectators watching the night's events. Thanks are extended to the many shooters present from Colac, Cressy, Sebastopol and Werribee, who helped to make this first shoot of the New Year so successful.

(M. McGarigle.)

GRIFFITH (N.S.W.).—With conditions for shooting quite unfavourable, Bill Ronfeldt of Leeton put up a good performance to win the 20-bird S.B. Trophy event with a score of 19/20. Leo Davison's score of 18/20 was next best. Doug. Lucas won the Skeet 20-bird event with 17/20, followed by D. Gibbs and K. Sim, 15/20. Other events: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: J. Taylor, W. Ronfeldt, H. Sim, M. Webb, W. McNamara, R. Gow, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: H. Sim, 10/10; K. Sim, W. McNamara, R. McNamara, A. Jenkins, W. Ronfeldt, 9/10, div. No. 3, 20-bird S.B.: 1st, W. Ronfeldt, 19/20; 2nd, L. Davison, 18/20; 3rd, K. Sim, 18/20.

(J. L. Sertori, P.O.)

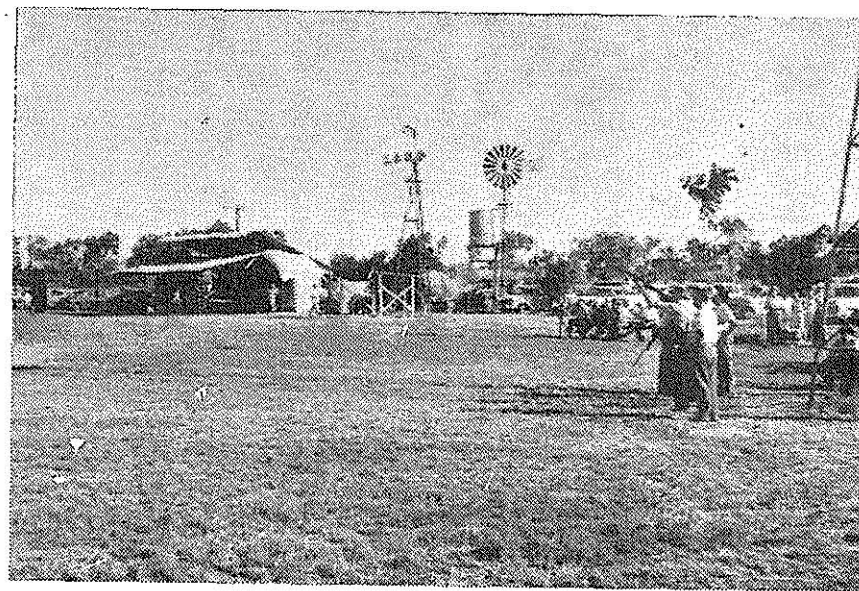
HAMILTON (V.). 26/1/59.—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 20-bird D.B. C'ship: H. Smith, 1st; G. Pern, 2nd; N. Hardy, 3rd. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. £50 H'cap:

M. Sullivan, C. Teggerth, W. Duncan, H. Waring, T. E. Davies, div.  
(R. R. Peasdale.)

HARCOURT (V.). 14/2/59.—Weather conditions: fine. A good attendance of local and visiting shooters—29 in all, and the honours of the day went to C. Cooper with 51/52 in shoot-off for 30-bird D.B. 1st 10-bird: div. C. Cooper, E. Marriott, M. Botten, L. Bell, A. Banfield, O. Dowker, H. Smith, G. Landridge, 10/10. 2nd 10-bird: div. C. Cooper, E. Marriott, H. Smith, A. Smythe, N. Winzar, F. Crimmin, L. Bell, A. Banfield, G. Brife, A. Mason, G. Landridge, 10/10. 3rd 10-bird: div. T. Botten, D. Edwards, A. Smythe, A. Mason, R. Maloney, 10/10. Overall: div. C. Cooper, H. Smith, A. Smythe, L. Bell, A. Banfield, A. Mason, 10/10. Trophies: 1st, C. Cooper, 51/52; 2nd, H. Smith, 50/52; 3rd, A. Smythe, 35/37; 4th, A. Banfield, 31/33; under 16 yds., L. Bell, 29/31; ladies' trophy, Mrs. F. Crimmin.

A very enjoyable afternoon for all present. Afternoon tea and cool drinks were supplied by the ladies and a very good job was done by them, and the Committee wish to thank all local and visiting shooters for coming along and making it a very enjoyable afternoon. Some very good shooting was witnessed by the spectators, and I think some of their trigger fingers were itching to have a go.  
(L. R. Fritchard, Sec.)

HAWKESBURY (N.S.W.), 14/2/59.—Weather conditions: fine, windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: R. Lambert, F. Hudson, T. Hudson, A. Stubbs, A. W. Hayes, G. West, A. Robotham, E. Brazenall, R. Hyatt, J. Crowne, E. Hawkins, T. White, F. Thomp-



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**First Day — FRIDAY, 17th APRIL, 1959, commencing 9.30 a.m. sharp:**

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

Event No. 2 — 20 BIRD SINGLE BARREL TROPHY SHOOT

Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Nom., 30/-. Optional Sweep, 10/-.

Event No. 3 — **N.S.W. Deauville Doubles Sparrows**

Event No. 4 — CASH HANDICAP. 20 Birds D.B. Divided on each round of 10 birds.  
Trophy best 12/14 yards.

**Friday Night . . .**

### Club Dinner and Calcutta on £100 Handicap

Event No. 1 — 5 BIRD EYE-OPENER (Comp. Div.). Nomination, 10/-.

Event No. 2 — 10 BIRD TROPHY HANDICAP, DOUBLE BARREL

1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies. Optional Sweep.

Event No. 3 — 10 BIRD SINGLE BARREL TROPHY. 1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies.

**Second Day — SATURDAY, 18th APRIL, 1959, commencing 9.30 a.m. sharp:**

Event No. 1 — 10 BIRD EYE-OPENER (Comp. Div.). Nomination, 10/-.

Event No. 2 — 20 BIRD POINT SCORE TROPHY. Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd.  
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son, A. Arrowsmith, A. A. Hayes, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.B. (16 yds.): R. Lambert, F. Hudson, T. Hudson, A. W. Hayes, G. West, R. Hyatt, J. Catt, E. Hawkins, F. Thompson, P. Gascoigne, E. Bullen, R. Croft, N. Ellis, 5/5. No. 3, 20-bird County of Cumberland S.B. C'ship: G. West, 20/20, 1st; E. Hawkins, 19/20; 2nd; N. Ellis, 28/30, 3rd; A. Robotham, 26/30, 4th. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. Sparrows: J. Thatcher, A. W. Hayes, A. A. Hayes, 5/5. No. 5, 5-bird P.S.: A. W. Hayes, G. West, R. Hyatt, J. Catt, F. Thompson, A. Arrowsmith, A. A. Hayes, 15/15. No. 6, 5-bird D.B. Gun Down (from 26 yds.): A. Stubbs, R. Lambert, G. West, R. Hyatt, 4/5.

Some very good shooting in the wind, considering the main event was a S.B. event. George West was the star performer with 20/20 in the County of Cumberland S.B. C'ship, with Ernie Hawkins 19/20, in 2nd place, and Norm Ellis 28/30, in 3rd place, after a shoot-off with four others.  
(Adrian Hayes.)

**HAY (N.S.W.), 14/2/59 (Night).**—Weather conditions: wind and rain. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: J. Houston, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird (5 D.B. and 5 S.B.): S. Walker, 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: G. Headon, N. Pedrana, div., 10/10. No. 4, First Novice 5-bird (off 18 yds.): R. McIntyre, 5/5. No. 5, Second Novice 5-bird: N. Pedrana, 5/5.

After humid conditions existing all day, the night turned into showery conditions, and this prevailed throughout the shoot. The club welcomed six novice shooters to the club and their performance in their maiden effort at clay bird shooting was excellent. In Roy McIntyre and N. Pedrana both will, I am sure, make excellent shots, and more will be heard of these two later. How pleasing it was to see Stan Walker take the difficult 10-bird event, also another pleasing feature was the 10/10 to divide the third event by George Headon.

(Les McKinney, Hon. Sec.)

**HOBART (Tas.), 13/12/58.**—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Tower: K. Monks, G. Blaber, E. McRae, M. Eddington, W. R. Morgan, J. Monks, W. Reynolds, R. Wighton, S. Marshall, P. Taylor. No. 2, D'ville Doubles (partners drawn): A. Self, E. Marshall, M. Cooper, G. Keen. No. 3, C'wealth 3 pr. D. Rise: R. Wighton, 1st, 40/40; D. Taylor, 2nd, 39/40; H. M. Eddington, 3rd, 38/40; D. Monks, E. G. Harbeck, G. Blaber. No. 4, 5-bird Novice: 1st, W. Groombridge, J. Eyles, R. Winsfrees. No. 5, 5-bird D'ville Doubles: 1st, S. Marshall, Dr. Courtney; 2nd, E. Harbeck, D. Monks.

The club's efforts in encouraging novice shooters is being repaid by the increasing number of new shooters at each event. The record number of 53 shooters for this meeting is most encouraging and should lead to big fields in the New Year. R. Wighton returned to old form to win the Commonwealth Tower Championship, being only shooter with 40/40.

(E. P. Lawrence, Hon. Sec.)

**HOLBROOK (N.S.W.), 26/1/59.**—Weather conditions: fine. Results (Afternoon): 5-bird D.B.: div. O. Cox, S. Finnemore, R. Hall, W. Birkin, B. Hall, H. Mohr, A. Liersch, W. Hall, R. Burdack, J. O. Pumps, E. Matthews, J. Ferres, W. C. O'Brien, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: div. W. Birkin, A.

Liersch, K. Hanna, 10/10. No. 3, Holbrook Dist. C'ship (20 birds): 1st, D. Gittings; 2nd, B. Hall; 3rd, H. Mohr. No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise: div. A. Liersch, L. Spokes, 5/5.

**Evening:** No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. C. McConville, S. Smith, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird (5 S.B., 5 D.B.): div. L. Spokes, H. Liersch, 10/10. No. 3, Teams Shoot (5 birds each): won by A. Liersch, L. Sparks, R. Hall, O. Cox, 18/20. No. 4, 420 H'cap (10-bird D.B.): div. H. Mohr, W. Hall, D. Gittings, A. Lowndes, S. Smith, 10/10.

D. Gittings won the Championship and shot 40 birds straight; B. Hall, 2nd, with 39 birds; H. Mohr, 3rd, in shoot-off—19 birds first round, then 30 in shoot-off.

(A. Liersch, Hon. Sec.)

**HUNTLY (V.), 7/2/59.**—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird C/D.: I. Whytcross, C. Cooper, A. Goldsmith, D. Mountjoy, H. Birchall, C. Mountjoy, J. Jones, A. Banfield, A. Mason, G. Flett. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Trophies: 1st, N. Winzar, 21/22; 2nd, H. Birchall, 20/22; 3rd, J. Jones, 12/13; F.M., J. Bennett, 12/13. No. 3, 10 mixed birds D.B. Trophies: 1st, C. Cooper, 21/22; 2nd, N. Hall, 20/22. No. 4, 10-bird D.D.: I. Whytcross, T. Botten, A. Mason, G. Flett, B. Mountjoy. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: A. Banfield, A. Mason, T. Botten.

Under good shooting conditions, 28 local and visiting shooters from Dunolly, Boort and Castlemaine attended Huntly's monthly shoot, when shooters had a good afternoon on the clay pigeons and sparrows. The winner of the mixed birds event trained on tomato juice, but he said it must be nice and cold for best results. Once again the ladies were to the fore with afternoon tea and soft drinks and tomato juice. Once again the club thanks the ladies for their good afternoon's effort. Huntly hopes to soon be in the night shooting, as lights are well on the way to being installed.

(J. E. Jones, Hon. Sec.)

**INVERELL (N.S.W.), 14/2/59.**—Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 15-bird D.B.: div. J. McLean, L. Brown, 15/15. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: div. J. McLean, L. Brown, G. Body, L. Donald, B. Redman, 5/5. No. 3, Trophy: L. Donald, 47/47. No. 4, Novice: M. Lyne, 3/5. No. 5, D'ville Doubles: L. Brown, G. Body, 4/5. No. 6, D. Rise: P. Psaros, L. Brown, J. McLean, 4/5.

The day for the club, as far as weather and shooting went, was quite good and was enjoyed by shooters as well as quite a few spectators. A few new faces participated and we hope they will continue to attend our shoots.

(R. B. Castle.)

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**Saturday, 11th April:**

45 BIRDS from 16 yards.

1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies in the following groups:  
12/16 yds., 17/19 yds., 20/22 yds. and 23 yds. and over.  
Also Trophy for best Novice, and Ladies' Trophy.

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**Saturday, 18th April:**

13 BIRDS SKEET.

## Club Skeet Championship

25 BIRDS

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

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**Saturday, 25th April:**

ANZAC DAY — No Shoot.

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**Saturday, 3rd May:**

ALL 10 BIRDS D.B. SWEEPSTAKES.

F. C. JOHNSON, President.

A. H. BRENK, Hon. Sec.  
Olinda 92309.

**KEILOR (at Coburg, V.), 14/2/59.**—Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 10-bird (5 double, 5 single, comp. div.): 1st, K. Patterson, 10/10; 2nd and 3rd, div. P. Poole, F. Shearer, 9/10. No. 2, 30-bird D.B.: 1st, J. Fewster, 29/30; 2nd, F. Reade, 41/44; 3rd, R. Andrews, 40/44; 12/16 yd., R. Jones, 27/30. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. (comp. div.): T. Lucas, F. Shearer, 10/10.  
Weather sultry. Good attendance.

28/2/59. — Weather conditions: very pleasant. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: 1st, W. Coulson, 30/30; 2nd and 3rd, div. F. Shearer, F. Reade, M. Whitelaw, 29/30. No. 2, 40-bird D.B. (off 18 yds.): 1st, W. Coulson, 53/55; 2nd, F. Shearer, 52/55; 3rd, R. Jones, 44/46; 12/16 yds., G. Thomas, 35/40; 17/18 yds., F. Reade, 35/40; 19/20 yds., G. Christy, 38/40. No. 3, 15-bird D.B.: F. Shearer, G. Thomas, P. Collins, div., 15/15. (G. Hunter, Hon. Sec.)

**KEMPSEY (N.S.W.), 21/2/59.** — Weather conditions: stormy. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts.: 1st, P. Ryan, 26/30; 2nd, A. Latter, 25/30; 3rd, W. Popple, 24/30. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: A. Latter, J. Smith, W. Popple, div., 8/10. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, A. Latter, 10/10; 2nd, P. Sheridan, 9/10; 3rd, W. Popple, 24/30.

Following a week of heavy flood rains, the roll-up of shooters was very poor, so it was decided to have just a practice shoot in place of the usual monthly competition.  
(Helen Kemp, Hon. Scorer.)

**KERANG (V.), 2/2/59.** — Weather conditions: fine and mild. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: G. Free, D. Mathews, W. Naske, N. Hicks, R. Manuel, R. Free, 5/5, div. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: G. Free, W. Makeham, D. Mathews, T. Maynard, R. Free, 5/5, div. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. (Trophy and Op. Sweep): R. Manuel, R. Free, 13/13, 1st; Sweep, G. Free, W. Makeham, T. Maynard, R. Manuel, R. Free, R. Walker, 5/5, div.

Owing to an electrical fault during trophy shoot-off, programme was postponed until 9/2/59. Pleased to see old Kerangite, W. Makeham, on holidays from Katanning, W. Aust.

9/2/59. — Weather conditions: cold and windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: D. Mathews, Rod Walker, R. Manuel, T. Maynard, W. Makeham, J. Condos, R. Free, C. Heffer, I. Whytcross, 5/5, div. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: D. Mathews, R. Manuel, T. Maynard, R. Free, C. Charters, R. Laughlin, R. A. Walker, C. Heffer, 5/5, div. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. (Trophy and Op. Sweep): Trophy, W. Naschke, C. Heffer, 10/11, 1st; Sweep, W. Naschke, T. Maynard, G. English, R. Laughlin, C. Heffer, I. Whytcross, M. Kearney, 5/5. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: D. Mathews, W. Naschke, R. Manuel, R. Free, C. Heffer, I. Whytcross, 5/5. High Gun Trophy: C. Heffer. Front Marker Trophy: W. Naschke.

Although night was cold and windy, the 19 shooters who attended enjoyed themselves. Pleased to see three front markers in trophy shoot-off, Bill Naschke, Geoff. English and Mick Kearney.

16/2/59 (Night). — Weather conditions: fine and cool. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: T. Maynard, E. Bethune, C. Heffer, G. English, R. Manuel, G. Perdrisat, E. Anderson, Rod Walker, J. Lyne, 5/5, div. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: T. Maynard, C. Heffer, D. Mathews, G. English, G. Perdrisat, I. Whytcross, W. Makeham, R. Manuel, M. Kearney, R. Free,

5/5, div. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. (Trophy and Sweep): Trophy, C. Heffer, W. Makeham, 11/11, 1st; Sweep, C. Heffer, D. Mathews, W. Naschke, I. Whytcross, W. Makeham, R. Manuel, 5/5, div. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: R. Roberts, R. A. Walker, C. Heffer, D. Mathews, G. Perdrisat, E. Anderson, 5/5, div. Best Front Marker: G. English, 18/20.

Thirty shooters, including eight learners. Pleased to see Bill Makeham take a trophy back to West Australia. Geoff. English continues to shoot well. A trophy win is not far off.

23/2/59 (Night). — Weather conditions: fine and mild. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: A. Richmond, D. Mathews, M. Fuller, T. Hall, W. Naschke, W. Makeham, G. English, S. Booth, G. Perdrisat, J. Lyne, C. Heffer, D. Glover, R. Manuel, J. Bryant, N. Hicks, Mrs. McCleary, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. 230 H'cap: M. Fuller, W. Makeham, R. Roberts, R. A. Walker, Rod Walker, S. McCleary, M. Whitelaw, N. Hicks, G. Thomas, 10/10, div. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: A. J. Walker, R. Roberts, 14/14, div.

Approx. 250 spectators witnessed the main event. Shooters present from Sydney, Sth. Aust., West Aust. and many Vic. clubs. Favourable comments from visiting shooters regarding programme and facilities.  
(P. M. Hansen.)

**LACEPEDE BAY (S.A.), 15/2/58.**—Weather conditions: cool and mild. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: T. Resche, A. Shultz, G. Knight, L. Huchens, P. Johncock, W. Rivett, A. Gardener, 5/5, div. No. 2, 5-bird: A. J. Gibbs, Z. Woodrow, R. Fowler, G. Knight, A. Cooper, P. Johncock, L. Huchens, W. Rivett, 5/5, div. No. 3, 225 H'cap: P. Johncock, W. Rivett, T. Resche, R. Fowler, 19/20, div. No. 4, 225 H'cap: P. Sheridan, 20/20; P. Johncock, R. Resche, 19/20, div. No. 5, 10-bird: Kileculen, J. Woodrow, A. Gardener, G. Knight, A. Gibbs, W. Rivett, 9/10, div. No. 6, Miss-out: J. Woodrow, G. Knight, 11/11, div. No. 7, Miss-out: G. Knight, J. Woodrow, 5/5, div.  
(A. C. Cooper, Hon. Sec.)

**LEARMONTH (V.), 28/1/59.** — Weather conditions: cool, calm night. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. (comp. div.): C. D. Keith, B. Renkin, E. Bevan, W. Doble, J. Ludbrook, J. Hughes, N. Paterson. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. (4 trophies): J. Ludbrook, 16/16, 1st; C. D. Keith, 15/16, 2nd; W. Doble, 13/14, 3rd; F.M., K. Smith, 10/11. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. (3 equal trophies): N. Paterson, J. Ludbrook, 10/10; E. Bevan, 12/13.

This was our first shoot for the New Year. A small number of shooters attended, as harvest is not yet finished. But those present saw J. Ludbrook, a new clay shooter, in top form, with a score of 31/31; he never missed a bird for the night. All the best to Jack.  
(A. E. Smith, Hon. Sec.)

**LISMORE (N.S.W.), 21/2/59.** — Weather conditions: gusty winds. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: A. Chapman, K. Payne, 10/10; C. J. Lee, J. Bruggy, R. Callinan, R. Shepherd, 9/10; D. Powell, S. Watson, A. Bailey, 8/10. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: J. Bruggy, 10/10; V. Walz, K. Payne, 9/10; C. J. Lee, D. Powell, J. Callinan, S. Watson, A. Chapman, R. Shepherd, J. Bell, 8/10. No. 3, 15-bird Mixed Club Trophy: K. Payne, 25/25; D. Powell, R. Shepherd, 24/25; J. Bruggy, 23/25; E. Payne, J. Callinan, B. Smith, 22/25.

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Whilst attendance was not as great as usual, some excellent shooting was witnessed. It was very gratifying to see so many new shooters present, and some of them got amongst the money. Stan Watson, Vol Walz and A. Bailey performed well and it won't be long before these boys' names will be amongst the winners. It was good to see two of our oldest and best shooters winning an event each. These old boys were Andy Chapman and Jim Bruggy. Ken Payne performed consistently and annexed the club trophy.

(K. Payne, Hon. Sec.)

MARY KATHLEEN (Qld.), 22/2/59. — Weather conditions: hot and windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Sparrows S.B.: 1st, E. Lemmon, 5/5; D. Guerin, J. Butt, 4/5. No. 2, 10-bird S.B. Sparrows (Katter Trophy): A. Soldi, E. Lemmon, D. Guerin, 8/10; shoot-off: E. Lemmon, 10/12; A. Soldi, 9/12; D. Guerin, 8/11. No. 3, 15-bird Pts. Clays: K. Tyler, E. Lemmon, 41/45; A. Soldi, 35/45. No. 4, 10-bird S.B. Clays: 1st, M. Hagney, 9/10; D. Guerin, P. King, E. Lemmon, 8/10.

Night Shoot: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: G. Burke, 5/5; R. Kitching, D. Guerin, E. Lemmon, 4/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: E. Lemmon, J. Stevenson, 7/10; shoot-off: Lemmon, 8/11; Stevenson, 7/11.

The club had hoped to have the automatic trap in operation for this shoot, but due to a blackout failure, the plus trap had to be used. It is hoped that in the near future all lawns and trees will be planted and showers

erected which will add to the comforts of the shooter.

(P. King, Hon. Sec.)

MELBOURNE (V.), 31/1/59. — Weather conditions: hot. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: B. Beinke, K. Olver, L. Austen, W. Rodda, 10/10, div. No. 2, 15-bird D.B.: N. Thomas, 1st; P. Wray, 2nd; J. Whycross, 3rd.

(H. Batt.)

MIENA (Tas.), 21/2/59. — Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Sparrows Walk-up: H. Smith, 5/5. No. 2, 40-bird Walk-up C'wealth C'ship: 1st, K. Pulford, 31/40; 2nd, M. Eddington, 30/40; R. Wighton, 27/40. No. 3, 5 pr. D'ville Doubles: G. Lucas - R. Wighton, M. Eddington - M. Goldman, E. Gibson - Dick Monks, 9/9, div.

The weather was perfect and everything went well except the attendance for a Commonwealth Championship, which was marred by two other clubs, namely Birralea and Hobart.

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

MYAMYN (V.), 31/1/59. — Weather conditions: very hot. Results: No. 1: div. C. Teggerth, B. Rundell, N. Hardy, A. O'Connell, L. Rundell, W. R. Donohue, T. Davis. No. 2, 15-bird Trophy: A. O'Connell, 1st; F. Franklin, 2nd; J. Vaughan, 3rd. No. 3, Novice: S. Savin, 1st; V. Field, 2nd.

Conditions were against a large attendance, as the fire risk was very high. A fire breaking out locally caused shooters to leave before programme was completed.

(A. O'Connell, Hon. Sec.)

NEWCASTLE (N.S.W.), 17/10/58. — Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: div. A. Chesney, P. Sims, A. Vost, R. Weber, S. Dun, E. Finlayson, A. Reed, J. Tuffery, G. Cristy, B. Bennett, T. Asquith, 10/10. No. 2, Dist.

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## 40 Birds Double Barrel

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D.B. C'ship: 1st, D. Mott, 40/40; 2nd, W. McPhee, 38/40; 3rd, B. Gillett, 34/35; F.M., B. Bennett, No. 3, 20-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, R. C. Moffatt, 25/25; 2nd, W. Thoroughgood, 34/35; 3rd, M. O'Connor, 33/35; F.M., A. Chesney, No. 4, £50 H'cap: div. P. Heferan, M. Burgess, C. O'Connor, 18/10/58. — Results: No. 1, 10-bird: div. J. York, S. Bressington, J. Edwards, F. Bardsley, R. Brown, P. Sims, W. Bell, W. Lonie, G. Gillfillan, G. Ferguson, A. Smith, C. Rousell, C. Campbell, W. Saul, N. Simson. No. 2, Grand October H'cap: 1st, F. Grimeen, 79/79; 2nd, K. Soames Snr., 78/79; 3rd, J. Fryer, 47/48, on shoot-off from J. York, A. Hancock, D. Mackay, N. Smith, H. C. Walker, No. 3, £75 H'cap: div. J. York, D. Cassin, G. Cristy, A. Chesney, K. Newman, G. Henderson, R. Brown, K. Soames, W. Waples, J. Tompkins, J. Seis, J. Barker, R. Moffatt, J. Fryer, D. Hall, D. Mott, H. Walker, J. Plamus.

Presentation was made by Mr. Mark Finnan (President Water Board), who said Crimeen earned full marks for a wonderful effort. John Houston supported Mr. Finnan's remarks and was in turn presented with the McIntosh Cup. We had visiting shooters from as far away as Hughenden (Q.), Victoria and N.Z. It was the biggest shoot ever held in the north and much enjoyed by all present.

6/2/59.—No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. D. Mott, R. Morton, W. Collis, A. Gillett, A. Reardon, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: div. A. Gillett, J. Fryer, 10/10. No. 3, 5-bird S.B.: div. D. Mott, R. Morton, J. Fryer, W. Collis, 5/5. No. 4, Club S.B. C'ship: 1st, J. Fryer, 19/20; 2nd, G. Reardon, 23/25; 3rd, A. Gillett, 21/25. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: 1st, D. Mott, 5/5; 2nd and 3rd, div. N. Mitchell, J. Fryer, 4/5. No. 6, 5 pr. D.D.: D. Mott - D. Mackay, 16/17; K. Badgery - J. Fryer, 15/17.

(R. G. Morton, Hon. Sec.)

THE OAKS (N.S.W.), 31/1/59. — Weather conditions: excellent. Results: No. 1: div. W. Mulley, P. Hudson, H. Murphy, P. McIntosh, E. Freeman, A. Stubbs, C. Tickle, F. Sykore, S. Rae, No. 2, 10-bird Trophy: J. Crane, 21/21; R. Hyatt, P. McIntosh, 8/9; J. Thatcher, 17/18; D. Porter, 20/21. No. 3, D'ville Doubles: C. Tickle - H. Sales, 13 pr.; R. Hyatt - R. Heine, 12 pr.; J. Crane, 10 pr.; R. Rofe - W. McDonald, 8 pr. No. 4, 25 yd. Trophy: R. Dark, 5/5.

A big roll-up of 35 shooters, glorious weather, and the first shoot of the New Year. Many new members, and the club is well catered for by Mrs. Noakes and Mrs. Mulley, with free afternoon tea. Many visiting shooters from as far off as Queensland. The Secretary from Richmond Gun Club was also a welcome visitor, and in good form, too.

(P. McIntosh, Hon. Sec.)

OUYEN (V.), 6/2/59.—Weather conditions: ideal, with tricky breeze developing. Results: No. 1, 10-bird: div. J. Sawtell, G. Marshman (Hopetoun). No. 2, 10-bird: A. Hinneberg, R. H. Phillips (Hopetoun). No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: C. C. Stone (Walpeup), 1st; G. Marshman (Hopetoun), 2nd; A. Bayles, 3rd; 12/16 ydr., C. Mitchell.

With quite an enthusiastic field of shooters, with provisions extended to them, quite a good evening's sport was enjoyed by all. President Willie capped the night off with appropriate actions and words.

(George Bayles, Hon. Sec.)

SHEPPARTON (V.), 26/1/59. — Weather conditions: very windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: 9 shooters div. No. 2, Hudson Shield,

£30 H'cap in conjunction): Shepp. Club retained shield; only two shooters got possible 20 birds and div. H'cap, G. E. McLeod, A. Corry, No. 3, 10-bird: 5 div., G. McLeod, J. Lindner, J. Creighton, R. Halsall, R. Watson, No. 4, 16-bird Trophy: V. Lawford, 15/15; J. Benson and G. B. McLeod shot off for 2nd and 3rd — G. McLeod too good.

Conditions very windy and birds played tricks and very hard to hit. Shield may be more sought after when next shot for, but a good day's sport for those who came.

14/2/59. — Weather conditions: very good. Results: No. 1, 5 pr. D. Rise (comp. div.): div. 7 shooters, D. Glover, J. Thompson, F. Jones, W. R. Johns, R. Reynolds, F. Sidebottom, L. Gibson. No. 2, Goulburn Valley D. Rise C'ship: no possibles; F. Jones and L. Scriven shot 8 pairs, Jones winning shoot-off. No. 3, G.V. D.D. C'ship: 3 pair got possible in shoot-off; L. Gibson - L. Scriven proved too good for N. McKenzie - H. Belmore. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: div. W. Makeham, H. Belmore, R. Reynolds, G. McLeod. No. 5, 10-bird Cash: div. J. Hickford, W. Hall, G. Down, S. Stevens.

A good attendance, and good shooting was the order of the day. In the Double Rise Championship two shooters managed 8 pairs; four shot 7 pairs, and after 3 rounds, F. Jones won. The Deauville Doubles was the one that had to be seen to know what good shooting was, the 1st and 2nd pair of shooters taking 115 pair to decide the winners. The ladies again topped off the day with their catering.

(F. Crawford, Hon. Sec.)

SWAN REACH (V.), 7/2/59. — Weather conditions: very good. Results: No. 1, 3-bird: V. Murphy, J. Duffy, 8/9, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: J. Duffy, 10/10; V. Murphy, 9/10. No. 3, 10-bird Mixed (5 D.B., 5 S.B.): V. Murphy, J. Duffy, A. Innes, 9/10, div. No. 4, 5-bird Novelty: V. Murphy, C. Stewart, A. Innes, 5/5, div. No. 5, 6-bird Walk-up: J. Duffy, 4/5.

A very good day for shooting, but only a small attendance through other entertainments in the district.

(R. J. Duffy, Hon. Sec.)

SYDNEY (N.S.W.), 7/2/59.—Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: R. Croft, R. Hyatt, W. Ruffy, W. Waples, 10/10, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: J. Crown, L. Hammond, 10/10, div. No. 3, 15-bird D.B.: W. Waples, 15/15; C. Plummer, D. Edmondson, H. Townsend, 14/15, div. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: C. Plummer, Dr. C. Gibbons, D. Edmondson, L. Hammond, 10/10, div. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: C. Plummer, H. Townsend, Dr. C. Gibbons, W. Ruffy, 10/10, div. No. 6, 10-bird D.B. (16 yds.): R. Hyatt, D. Edmondson, 10/10, div.

(A. Vidler, Hon. Sec.)

TOWNSVILLE (Qld.), 1/2/59. — Weather conditions: cool and cloudy, but very windy. Attendance good. Results: 5-bird S.B.: div. J. Glandeman, C. Sinclair, F. Chapman, £5 H'cap (5-bird S.B.): div. A. Edwards, J. Glandeman, J. Maguire, F. Chapman, D. Slattery. Club Trophies (5-bird S.B.): G. Jacques, 1st; F. Chapman, 2nd. Walk-up (5-bird D.B.): div. B. Keary, J. Glandeman, K. McDermott. Team Shoot (5-bird S.B. each shooter): won by G. Jacques' team (G. Jacques, G. Glandeman, C. Ray, R. Reeves, R. Butler). Team Shoot (5-bird S.B. each shooter, sparrows): won by C. Sinclair's team (C. Sinclair, R. Smith, E. Sinclair, R. Keary, F. Chapman).

(O. Crouther, Club Corresp.)

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**TWEED (N.S.W.), 1/2/59.**—Weather conditions: showery. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: G. Armstrong, J. Mills, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, G. Hunt, 10/10; 2nd, F. Withey, 9/10; 3rd, J. Mills, 9/10; shoot-off for 2nd and 3rd. No. 3, 20-bird S.B.: 1st, G. Hunt, 17/20; 2nd, R. Counter, 16/20; 3rd, J. Mills, 16/20. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Walk-up: 1st, R. Counter, 9/10.

A showery afternoon, but shooting conditions were good and competition was enjoyed by 16 shooters, including three visitors. A field day for Graeme Hunt, who shot very well to win outright the 10-bird D.B. with 10/10 and the 20-bird S.B., 17/20. Frank Withey, shooting clays for only the third time, is showing good form. Graham Armstrong, Jim Mills and Bob Counter kept a good average through the afternoon.

(Garry Marks, Handicapper.)

**VICTORIAN (V.),**—Satisfactory attendances were the rule at the three meetings conducted by the Victorian Club during February. There was no shoot at the club on the 21st owing to the duck opening. On the 7th the best form was shown by D. Nicholls, who won the main trophy at 10 birds with 9/10; J. Stiff, 2nd, 8/10; J. Johnson, 3rd, 7/10. Sweeps were div. Stiff, Caw, Nicholls, Caw, Hoffman, Hendra, Laird, Colson and Melville.

On the 14th Stiff was again in evidence, winning the 2nd trophy, the 1st being won by M. Landers, with Coulson taking the 3rd. S'takes were div. Landers, Stiff, Coulson, Caw and Field.

The best on the 28th were Stiff, who won the main trophy event from Nicholls, but who had to take 2nd place to D. Mayfield, who won the 2nd event. Sweepstakes went to above-mentioned and also to Rushford, Handra and Henwood.

(F. A. Tubb, Hon. Sec.)

**WALLERAWANG (N.S.W.), 7/2/59.**—No. 1, 5-bird: R. Rowe, J. Holland, W. Weinert,

B. Yould, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird Sparrow: A. Rowe, W. Weinert, 5/5. No. 3, 5-bird Sparrow Trophy: 1st, D. Heilman, 13/14; F.M., R. Patterson, 12/14. No. 4, 5-bird D'ville Doubles: 1st, H. Jaques - R. Throgood, 7/7. No. 5, 5-bird: A. Rowe, D. Heilman, R. Patterson, J. Holland, H. Weinert, W. Weinert, H. Jaques, T. Rosconi, R. Gould, O. O'Brien, 5/5. No. 6, 3-bird Ladies' D'ville Doubles: Mrs. Roberts - H. Weinert, 3/3. No. 7, 5-bird Walk-up: A. Blackadder, R. Patterson, W. Weinert, 4/5.

A very successful afternoon's shoot after two months' break over the Xmas - New Year holidays. The principal event was won by D. Heilman, who shot well to defeat R. Patterson in a shoot-off. The second round of the Arch Rowe Cup was won by Harley Weinert with 32/40 pts. Many thanks to the ladies, who served afternoon tea, and also Alec Blackadder and Harley Weinert for their work done on improvements to the clubhouse and grounds.

(J. Rowe, Hon. Sec.)

**WERRIBEE (V.), 26/1/59.**—Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Pts. H'cap: D. Corstorphin (Colac), 1st, 15/15; D. Baird, R. Sadler, 14/15. No. 2, 30-bird D.B. H'cap (£50 Grand Prix): £50 div. R. Sadler, K. Mark (Geelong), W. Abbott, K. Laird, A. McIntosh (Geelong), 28/30; shoot-off for Grand Prix Sash: W. Abbott, 1st, 37/39; K. Mark, 2nd, 36/39; A. McIntosh, 3rd, 32/35; F.M.: G. Viney, 50/54; B. Roberts, 49/54; J. Holt, 46/49.

A very successful holiday shoot in ideal weather conditions. Were very pleased to welcome visitors from Geelong, Colac, Alice Springs, Footscray, Goroke and Ballarat. Unfortunately, we had some trap trouble which slowed down proceedings somewhat, but eventually the day ended well, with keen competition for the £50. Congratulations to winners, and especially W. Abbott, after a fine performance in winning his first sash.

APRIL, 1959

14/2/59.—Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: W. Abbott, 5/5; L. Gard, T. Powell, B. Roberts, 4/5. No. 2, 5-bird Walk-up: L. Hendra, 5/5; Sweep, div. M. Rushford, K. Laird, W. Abbott, G. Viney, 4/5. No. 3, 5-bird Gun Down: Trophy, B. Roberts, 7/7; Sweep, div. B. Roberts, G. Viney, 6/7. No. 4, 5-bird Skeet: Trophy, K. Smith, 5/5; Sweep, div. L. Hendra, K. Smith, S. Cations, W. Abbott, G. Viney. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: Trophy, G. Viney, 4/5; Sweep, div. G. Viney, 4/5; R. Sadler, 3/5. No. 6, 5 pr. D'ville Doubles: S. Toohey - R. Sadler, 4/5.

A very successful ladies' day, in spite of the hot afternoon. The varied events proved very popular, though most shooters found the birds very elusive. A ladies' trophy on each event created much interest; these were won by Mrs. S. Cations, Mrs. Rushford, Mrs. Powell, Loris Hendra and Mrs. Roberts.

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

**WEST GIPPSLAND (Warragul) (V.),**—The first shoot for the year was held at Warragul on Saturday, 7th February, at the new site on Mr. O'Connor's property, "Kil-larney", Warragul. A good muster of both shooters and spectators were present, and all agreed that the lay-out of the grounds for clay-bird shooting is without equal in Gippsland. Competition was keen, over 30 shooters taking part in the events decided for sweepstakes and trophies. It was particularly pleasing to welcome new shooters who participated, and judging by some of their scores, it would seem that they have been getting in some "backyard" practice on the quiet. A former shooter to make a comeback to the sport after 22 years was Doug. Hanna, who showed he has lost none of his former skill with the gun; a more recent re-entry after two years' retirement was D. McDonald from Lang Lang, who also showed his new shooters attending with him as to the standard required.

At the conclusion of shooting, the new President, Cliff Bailey, extended his thanks to the shooters for their attendance and, with some well-chosen remarks, presented trophies to the winners. The trophy events were keenly contested and shoot-offs were required to decide the winners. The 10-bird S.B. event saw five shooters in a tie, and after a stirring shoot-off, Len Austin emerged the winner, Les Brown was runner-up, and Hugh Pearson taking third prize; a special trophy for the 12-yard marker also required a shoot-off between Geoff, Emmett and Milton Orchard; Geoff, having his first competition shoot, ran out the winner and was congratulated on his early success.

The main event was shot at 20 birds D.B.: two possible scores were recorded by Eric Rowlands (Dumbalk) and R. Adams (Melbourne); Eric was the victor in the shoot-off; Adams took second trophy and a spirited display of shooting by local Frank Maxfield won him 3rd trophy from three others in the shoot-off. The 12-yard trophy run in conjunction with the main event was won with the fine score of 19/20 by Milton Orchard.

10-bird D.B.: J. Feehan, F. Maxfield, C. Bleckley, R. Adams, H. Pearson, 10/10, div. 10-bird S.B.: G. Arkinstall, R. D. Hanna, L. Brown, H. Pearson, L. Austin, 9/10. Shoot-off for Trophies: 1st, L. Austin, 18/21; 2nd, L. Brown, 17/21; 3rd, H. Pearson, 11/13. 12-yd. Trophy: G. Emmett, 9/11, 1st. 20-bird D.B.: E. Rowlands, R. Adams, 20/20; H. Austin, K. Patterson, F. Maxfield, M. Orchard, 19/20. Shoot-off for Trophies: E.

Rowlands, 21/21, 1st; R. Adams, 20/21, 2nd; F. Maxfield, 23/24, 3rd. 12-yd. Trophy: M. Orchard, 19/20.

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

**YARRAM (V.), 26/1/59.**—Weather conditions: fine, windy. Results: No. 1, 10-bird P/D.: R. Glover, A. J. Morris, A. Hamilton, 30/30. No. 2, Sth. Gippsland S.B. C'ship: G. Arkinstall, 1st, 24/25; C. Steele, 2nd, 23/25; R. Martin, 3rd, 21/25; 12/16 ydr., J. Cobain, 16/20. No. 3, Club D.B. C'ship: H. Pearson, 1st, 40/40; K. Patterson, 2nd, 38/40; A. Cripps, 29/30; 12/16 ydr., J. Cobain, 17/20. No. 4, 15-bird D.B.: J. Cobain, A. J. Morris, C. Arnup, A. Cripps, 15/15.

After intense heat we were fortunate to have cooler conditions prevailing. Good to see shooters from Melbourne, Alexandra, Warragul, Wonthaggi, Foster, Sale, Bairnsdale. The South Gippsland S.B. Championship was won by G. Arkinstall, 24/25, after a shoot-off with C. Steele, 2nd, 23/25, and Ray Martin, 3rd, 21/25. Ray was unlucky to miss his 20th bird, and was congratulated for doing so well, being hampered by a broken neck and wearing a brace. A very good day's shoot, and we hope all visitors enjoyed themselves.

(Joyce Pearson, Hon. Sec.)

**YARRAWONGA (V.), 7/2/59.**—Weather conditions: excellent. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: div. A. Lowndes, J. Thompson, G. Jones, T. Phibbs, J. Phibbs, G. Kennedy, R. Halsall, C. Burdack, L. Bockmann. No. 2, Trophy and Sweep, 20 ppts. Cartridges: div. G. Jones, R. Burdack, E. Tippet, J. Phibbs, L. Wilson, G. Down, L. Bockmann, S. Willett, F. Crawford, W. Willett. No. 3, Teams: W. Hall, S. Kennedy, G. Kennedy, G. Down, L. Wilson, 24/25.

Weather conditions perfect. The club appreciated the attendance of so many shooters, all helping to make an enjoyable day.

(W. G. Hall, Sec.)

**YASS (N.S.W.),**—Yass Gun Club fired the February shoot at Tulla Park grounds on Saturday, 14th February, and despite rain and severe squalls, the shooting was of a pretty high standard. In the shoot-off for the main event of the day, the Accumulative S'take, Club President, W. B. Grogan, and Lee Pateman staged quite an event considering the conditions. The President dropped his 60th bird, and gave Lee Pateman the win at 60/60. This gives Lee his second leg-in for the accumulated sweepstakes, and one more to go for the money.

Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: Jim Medway, G. Reed, S. Powell, H. Connell, R. Lees, J. Cullen, Jack Medway, W. B. Grogan, E. Glover, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird Pt. Score: R. Lees, Jack Medway, R. White, L. Pateman, 15/15. No. 3, 12-bird D.B. Accumulative Sweep: R. Lees, G. Reed, H. Connell, W. B. Grogan, L. Pateman, 12/12. Shoot-off: 1st, L. Pateman, 60/60; W. B. Grogan, 59/60; G. Reed, 38/39; R. Lees, 20/21; H. Connell, 13/14; runners-up, Jim Medway, S. Powell, E. Glover, 11/12. No. 4, 5 prs. D'ville Doubles: Reed - Lees, Pateman - Elrlington, Connell - Powell, Grogan - White, 5/5. No. 5, 5 prs. (Consolation) D'ville Doubles: Cullen - Elrlington, Grogan - Campbell, 5/5. No. 6, 5-bird Box: Conditions were bad and no shooter hit the possible. S'take div. R. Lees, J. Cullen, H. Connell, W. Grogan, K. Stewart, L. Pateman, 4/5.

A meeting of the Committee has decided to have the clubhouse painted, and appointed a sub-committee to go into the matter of planting shelter trees in the immediate vicinity.

(Gordon Reed, Pub. Officer.)

## New and Renewed

## Registrations

Abblitt, R. (Miena) .....	16
Adcock, W. (Burdekin) .....	16
Agnew, I. (Tasmanian) .....	13
Anderson, Adrian (Dim- boola) .....	21
Anderson, Col. C. V. (Albury Area) .....	12
Anderson, G. (Sale) .....	12
Andrews, W. (Burdekin) .....	16
Arscott, C. (Sale) .....	12
Arvidson, M. (Sale) .....	16
Ashford, L. (Yarra- wonga) .....	16
Aston, N. L. (Mildura) .....	16
Austin, Len (W. Gipps- land) .....	13
Axford, R. (Charters Towers) .....	16
Bailey, A. (Lismore) .....	12
Bailey, E. (Sale) .....	12
Bailey, J. H. (Camber- well) .....	17
Bailey, M. (Sale) .....	12
Baker, L. (Kempsey) .....	12
Bassett, R. (Huntly) .....	12
Beach, B. (Warren) .....	12
Beach, L. (Warren) .....	12
Belford, R. (Croppa Creek) .....	12
Bell, F. (Burdekin) .....	17
Bell, G. H. Senr. (Young) .....	21
Bell, G. Junr. (Young) .....	14
Bell, J. M. (Lismore) .....	12
Bell, L. (Harcourt) .....	12
Bendle, F. (Australian) .....	17

Bennie, S. (Narrandera) .....	17
Berryman, A. (Charters Towers) .....	12
Bethune, E. (Kerang) .....	16
Betts, M. (Benambra) .....	16
Bevan, N. (Learmonth) .....	17
Beveridge, J. W. (New South Wales) .....	12
Biachin, G. (Silkwood) .....	12
Biletta, F. (Silkwood) .....	12
Birchall, H. (Huntly) .....	12
Blake, P. (Huntly) .....	12
Bliesner, N. (Camberwell) .....	12
Bloom, J. (Shepparton) .....	12
Bocca, J. (Silkwood) .....	12
Bolero, L. (Silkwood) .....	12
Botten, E. (Harcourt) .....	12
Bottom, J. (Barmera) .....	16
Bosco, E. (Silkwood) .....	12
Bow, R. (Charters Towers) .....	12
Bradbury, J. W. (Bris- bane) .....	16
Brasher, B. (Echuca) .....	12
Bray, S. (Kellys Creek) .....	16
Brewer, J. M. (Sale) .....	12
Brodrick, C. (Brisbane) .....	16
Brook, L. E. (Goroke) .....	12
Brown, A. (Echuca) .....	16
Brown, A. (Kellys Creek) .....	16
Brown, D. (Mansfield) .....	16
Brown, F. (Warragul) .....	13
Brown, Les (Warragul) .....	15
Bryan, A. (Frankston) .....	18
Bugden, Pat (Lismore) .....	12
Burke, W. (Cloncurry) .....	12
Burnet, R. C. (Warren) .....	12
Butler, L. (Horsham) .....	16
Butt, John (Cloncurry) .....	16

Byles, L. D. (W. Gipps- land) .....	12
Campbell, A. L. (War- wick) .....	17
Campbell, R. (Waller- wang) .....	14
Charter, C. (Echuca) .....	16
Carr, T. (Calivil) .....	16
Carroll, D. (Calivil) .....	16
Carroll, P. (Calivil) .....	16
Carruthers, K. (Calivil) .....	16
Castle, R. B. (Inverell) .....	12
Cassidy, A. (Boggabri) .....	12
Cassidy, T. (Boggabri) .....	12
Cerasola, I. (Silkwood) .....	13
Chamberlain, B. (Cohuna) .....	12
Chiles, T. (Sale) .....	12
Chiminello, O. (Camber- well) .....	12
Chinn, B. (Sale) .....	12
Chisholm, S. (Footscray) .....	16
Clarke, H. (Mangoplah) .....	13
Clarke, N. W. (Echuca) .....	12
Cleary, E. (Quilpie) .....	12
Cody, R. (Donald) .....	15
Collis, W. (Newcastle) .....	14
Columbini, G. (Silkwood) .....	12
Columbini, P. (Silkwood) .....	12
Commons, E. (Bute) .....	16
Condos, J. (Boort) .....	12
Cook, Peter (Kyalite) .....	16
Cooper, H. (Lacepede Bay) .....	16
Copeland, G. (Footscray) .....	19
Corbett, K. (Croydon) .....	17
Corey, C. (Bangall) .....	16
Cornford, V. Senr. (Bur- dekin) .....	16
Cornish, R. (Boort) .....	15

Cottrell, W. S. (Albury Area) .....	17
Coulter, C. (Shepparton) .....	12
Counahan, B. (Sale) .....	12
Counahan, P. (Sale) .....	12
Craig, A. (Coburg) .....	12
Crawford, G. (Sale) .....	12
Crilly, L. J. (Echuca) .....	16
Cripps, Murray (Foster) .....	12
Crothers, G. (Huntly) .....	12
Crosbie, Dr. J. (Sale) .....	12
Crothers, V. (Huntly) .....	12
Cross, L. (Sale) .....	12
Crothers, H. C. (Quilpie) .....	12
Cuddihy, K. (Dalby) .....	16
Cunningham, J. (Sale) .....	12
Currie, M. (Melbourne) .....	18
Curtis, L. (Echuca) .....	12
Curtis, Noel (Echuca) .....	16
Daniel, E. (Colac) .....	12
Daniels, R. (Burdekin) .....	12
Dare, J. (Colac) .....	12
Daverney, Dr. J. M. (Wodonga) .....	16
Davis, B. (Boggabri) .....	12
Davis, L. (Cohuna) .....	16
Deignan, B. (Brisbane) .....	12
DeJersey, D. J. (Miena) .....	16
Dellar, K. (Horsham) .....	16
Dent, D. J. (Bright) .....	17
Dinsdale, Ray (Camber- well) .....	12
Donald, L. (Inverell) .....	18
Dorling, Ern (Pretoria, Sth. Africa) .....	24
Dowdle, J. (Moree) .....	12
Draper, S. (Coburg) .....	17
Drum, D. (Hay) .....	16
Drummond, J. (Walwa) .....	16

Dulhunty, R. (Berridale) .....	17
Duncan, B. (Yarrowonga) .....	12
Dunkley, R. (Morwell) .....	16
Dunne, John (Cobar) .....	16
Dwyer, A. A. (Gus Lismore) .....	12
Edmondson, A. (Charters Towers) .....	14
Edwards, D. (Mary Kathleen) .....	12
Elliman, D. (Sale) .....	12
Elliman, E. (Sale) .....	12
Elliman, R. (Sale) .....	12
Emmett, Geoff (West Gippsland) .....	13
English, G. H. (Kerang) .....	12
English, Richard F. (Kerang) .....	12
Ervin, L. (Calivil) .....	16
Evans, F. (Sale) .....	12
Farnham, L. (Waller- wang) .....	17
Faulkhead, Maj. C. (Albury Area) .....	12
Ferguson, D. (Warren) .....	12
Firth, I. F. (Warren) .....	12
Fletcher, Colin (Croppa Creek) .....	12
Ford, H. (Charters Towers) .....	20
Fox, M. (Sale) .....	12
Freeman, G. (Bairnsdale) .....	17
French, T. W. (Keilor) .....	12
Friday, F. G. (Albury Area) .....	12
Gange, S. M. (Geelong) .....	16
Garing, E. George (Australian) .....	12
Gascoigne, Peter	

(Hawkesbury) .....	16
Gehrman, R. (Brisbane) .....	16
Gibbs, L. J. (Alexandra) .....	12
Gilbert, A. H. (Lismore) .....	12
Giles, J. (East. G'fields) .....	16
Giles, N. (Boggabri) .....	12
Giles, R. M. (Lascelles) .....	13
Gillett, G. A. (Barmera) .....	16
Gilletta, J. (Silkwood) .....	12
Gilmore, A. (Cloncurry) .....	12
Godman, M. (Miena) .....	16
Goodacre, G. (Hawkes- bury) .....	16
Gower, R. (Tasmanian) .....	16
Gray, J. C. (Hoptoun) .....	16
Green, R. W. (Sydney) .....	16
Green, W. J. (Cobar) .....	16
Gregory, J. (Mary Kathleen) .....	12
Gross, L. (Geelong) .....	16
Grumley, I. (Sale) .....	12
Guerra, F. (Silkwood) .....	12
Guthrie, F. (Calivil) .....	16
Guyatt, B. (Sale) .....	12
Hamblin, W. (Calivil) .....	16
Hamilton, H. (Baranduda) .....	16
Hamilton, Russell (Graman) .....	12
Hammond, D. R. (Swan Hill) .....	16
Hanna, G. M. (Hay) .....	16
Hanna, R. D. (W. Gipps- land) .....	14
Hannaford, R. (Coffs Harbour) .....	14
Hansen, A. (Kerang) .....	16
Hanson, D. (Sale) .....	12
Hargon, N. (Sale) .....	12
Hardiman, G. (Harcourt) .....	12

Harman, L. (Tambo Valley) .....	16
Harper, C. F. (Burdekin) .....	16
Harris, A. W. (Barmera) .....	16
Harrison, K. (Waller- wang) .....	16
Harrup, C. (Sale) .....	12
Harvey, G. C. (Echuca) .....	12
Hawke, W. R. (Colac) .....	12
Heaney, W. T. (Nalinga) .....	13
Heat, H. R. (Goulburn) .....	17
Hefter, E. G. (Kerang) .....	16
Hettner, J. (Katanning) .....	16
Heggen, K. R. (Pt. Pirie) .....	16
Henson, Sgt. R. (Albury Area) .....	12
Hicken, S. (Griffith) .....	18
Higgins, R. W. (Bris- bane) .....	12
Hill, George (Hawkes- bury) .....	12
Hockey, K. (Tottenham) .....	16
Hogan, Rodger (Crook- well) .....	14
Holland, C. (Calivil) .....	16
Holland, J. (Waller- wang) .....	12
Holland, Mick (Charle- ville) .....	16
Holland, M. (Barcaldine) .....	12
Holle, R. (Kellys Creek) .....	18
Holt, C. (Calivil) .....	16
Holt, R. (Calivil) .....	16
Hopkins, A. (Aust.) .....	18
Hose, F. (Townsville) .....	16
Howlett, Sgt. E. (Sale) .....	12
Hull, R. (Cohuna) .....	12
Humphrey, C. A. (Kerang) .....	16

Husband, A. J. (Aust.) .....	16
Hutchinson, K. (Warren) .....	12
Inglede, Wing Cdr. T. S. (Aust.) .....	16
Jackson, K. (Sale) .....	12
Jacobs, J. (Cohuna) .....	16
Jenkins, Miss J. E. (Cressy, T.) .....	12
Johnston, F. E. (Flinders Island) .....	16
Jones, C. (Sale) .....	12
Jones, D. (Albury Area) .....	12
Jones, H. A. (Bright) .....	16
Jones, G. (Yarrowonga) .....	12
Jones, Lindsay (West Gippsland) .....	12
Jones, N. (Sale) .....	12
Jones, W. A. (Nalinga) .....	14
Keane, P. J. (Pt. Pirie) .....	16
Kearney, G. (Albury Area) .....	12
Kearney, M. (Kerang) .....	16
Keenan, T. (Yarrowonga) .....	12
Kelly, W. (Mary Kath- leen) .....	12
Kelman, C. (Richmond) .....	16
Kemp, G. A. (Colac) .....	12
Kennedy, L. (Melbourne) .....	18
Kenyon, C. (Kerang) .....	16
Kenny, J. (Royal Aero) .....	16
Kernot, G. (The Oaks) .....	12
Killeen, G. (Sale) .....	12
Kingston, J. (Aramac) .....	12
Klinberg, O. (Albury Area) .....	12
Klowss, L. (Croppa Creek) .....	12
Lacey, K. S. (Mumban- nar) .....	12



Landers, O. N. (Pelican Creek) .....	16	Matheson, N. (Echuca) .....	16	McGeoch, B. (Albury Area) .....	16	Peacock, Sgt. C. (Albury Area) .....	12
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Larnack, S. (Boggabri) .....	14	Mayger, B. (Warren) ..	12	McInnes, Alan (Croppa Creek) .....	12	Pennington, I. (Tasmanian) ..	16
Laughton, B. (Sale) .....	12	Meale, C. (Sydney) ..	16	McInnes, Keith (Croppa Creek) .....	12	Perrett, K. (Tally-Ho) ..	17
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Lewis, T. (Silkwood) .....	12	Mitchell, G. (Yarrawonga) ..	12	Newsham, F. (Cunnamulla) .....	14	Poletti, Andy (Burdekin) ..	17
Lomonaco, N. (Silkwood) ..	12	Modill, B. (Dunolly) .....	12	Nicholls, D. A. (Sale) ..	12	Poole, Geof. (Bangall) ..	16
Lomonaco, S. (Silkwood) ..	12	Moir, A. (Mary Kathleen) ..	12	Norris, N. (Camberwell) ..	14	Porter, D. (The Oaks) ..	14
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Lowther, D. (Tumut) .....	16	Moore, G. (Coburg) .....	12	Offord, H. J. (Echuca) ..	16	Pratt, B. (Australian) ..	12
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Lupp, H. (Bathurst) .....	16	Morley, Reg (Moree) .....	16	O'Mally, T. (Dry Lake) ..	12	Pye, R. J. (N.S.W. G.C.) ..	14
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Macaronne, F. (Silkwood) ..	12	Moss, C. J. (Griffith) .....	16	Orr, K. (Tullibigeal) .....	12	Quirk, M. (The Oaks) ..	12
Macaronne, R. (Silkwood) ..	12	Mott, D. (Boggabri) .....	12	Osborne, C. (Colac) .....	12	Rankin, D. R. (Colac) ..	12
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Marriott, E. (Harcourt) ..	12	Murphy, V. (Sale) .....	12	Paton, P. (Macarthur) ..	16	Richards, R. (Boort) .....	14
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Marshall, L. (Sale) .....	12	McConville, R. T. (Bright) ..	16	Patterson, Max (Tasmanian) ..	16	Richardson, K. (Warren) ..	12
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Martin, E. (Bright) .....	16	McDonald, K. (Lismore) ..	12			Robinson, K. (Mildura) ..	16
Martin, John (Yarram) .....	17	McDonald, P. (Colac) .....	12			Rockliffe, Peter (Tasmanian) ..	17
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Rutledge, M. C. (Brisbane) ..	16	Strickland, J. (Cohuna) ..	12	Windsor, A. (Kerang) ..	16	Alexander, J. (Dalby) ..	16
Ryan, M. (Frankston) ..	16	Stubbs, T. (Hawkesbury) ..	12	Winten, R. M. (Dalby) ..	16	Anderson, M. (Geelong) ..	18
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Savin, S. (Myamyn) .....	12	Sypher, G. (Kellys Creek) ..	16	Williams, J. L. (Croydon) ..	16	Bockley, F. (Geelong) ..	18
Scheldt, Geoff (Sale) .....	17	Tranter, Edley (Crookwell) ..	12	Williams, K. (Dry Lake) ..	14	Bourke, L. (Port Pirie) ..	15
Scott, A. Senn. (Huntly) ..	12	Thomas, G. (Camberwell) ..	12	Williams, P. (Dry Lake) ..	13	Bow, R. (Townsville) .....	14
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Simmonds, A. (Boggabri) ..	12	Waal, A. (Miena) .....	16	Wilson, F. (Colac) .....	14	Commons, E. J. (Port Pirie) .....	13
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Sizer, J. L. (Echuca) .....	12	Walker, Stan (Hay) .....	16	Woods, J. (Yarrawonga) ..	12	Counter, R. R. (Tweed) ..	13
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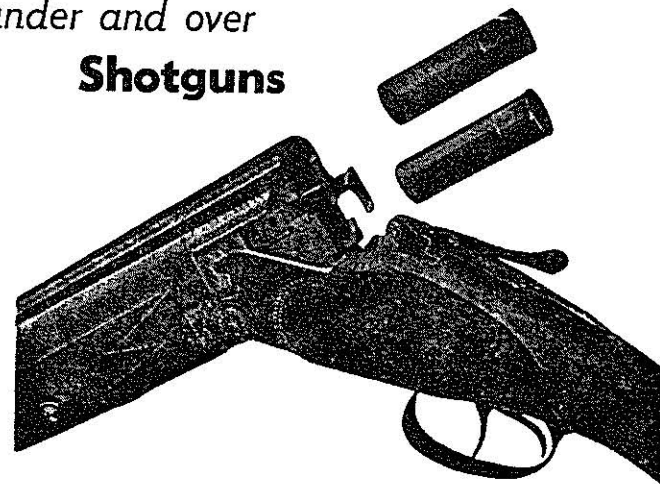


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