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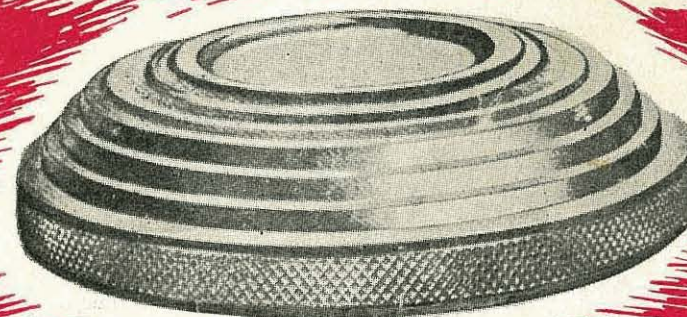
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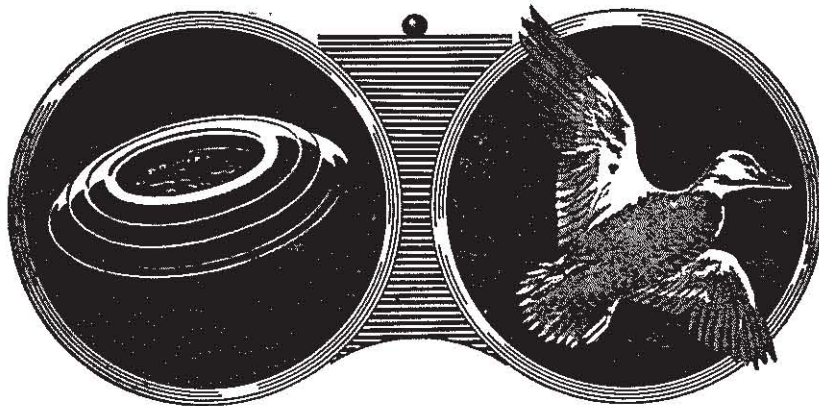


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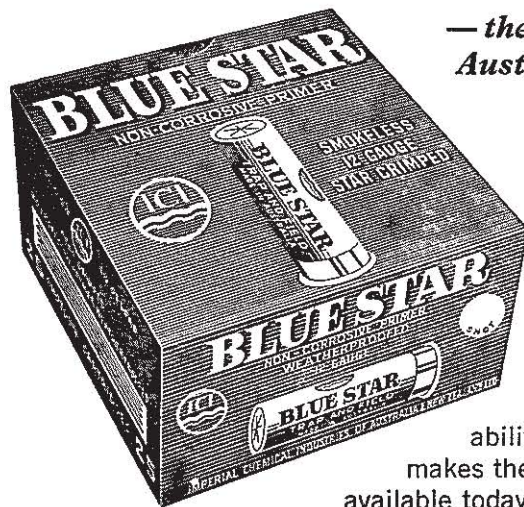
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The Editor's Notebook



A.C.T.A. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING. It is advised that the October meeting of the A.C.T.A. Executive Committee will be held in the R.A.C.V. in Melbourne over the dates October 14 and 15, 1965. Those interested are requested to lodge any matter for inclusion on the Agenda of that meeting with the Secretary, A.C.T.A., Box 2038 S, G.P.O., Melbourne, C.I., not later than September 17, 1965.

A.C.T.A. 1966 CHAMPIONSHIP APPLICATIONS. Clubs are advised that the 1966 open championship allocations will be completed during the meeting of the Executive Committee. All applications must be in writing and submitted to the Secretary, A.C.T.A., Box 2038 S, G.P.O., Melbourne, C.I., not later than September 14, 1965. Applications received will be collated and presented to the Executive Committee for consideration and allocation during the meeting of that body in mid-October. It is hoped to have the official allocation available for inclusion in the November "News"—this will be somewhat difficult due to the later date of the meeting compared with previous years. However, if not available in time for the November issue, same will be detailed in full in the December edition of "News". Clubs are advised, when making application, not to apply for more championships than they require. This only leads to confusion and makes for much more involved and lengthy documents for the Executive Committee to handle.

NOTICES OF MOTION. Notices of Motion having reference to Articles of Association and the Constitution of the A.C.T.A. are required to be submitted to the A.C.T.A. office, in writing, addressed to the Secretary, on or before September 30, 1965, in accordance with Article 43 (d). All Notices of Motion are required to be first submitted to the Executive Committee for approval before being presented to the following Annual Meeting.

HANDICAPPING — INWARD MOVEMENT. Considerable discussion has arisen regarding the application of forward movement in the A.C.T.A. Handicapping Formula. In view of this factor, it has been decided to make some reference in this column of what is actually required when a shooter, through a club, makes application for forward movement. The Handicapping Formula states, in this connection, "Shooters who compete and shoot right through four consecutive FULL PROGRAMMES and receive no trophy or division of any description, may be recommended by Club Secretaries (except in the case where the shooter concerned is the Secretary, then the President or Club Handicapper) only, for inward movement if proof can be provided that the shooter is over-handicapped. Such recommendations must be accompanied by fullest details on the Official Handicap Return form. No recommendations of more than one (1) yard on each recommendation, unless the shooter is suffering from some physical disability, will be accepted. Re-

commendations from individuals or personal requests will not be entertained — by order of the Executive Committee."

The foregoing fairly generally outlines the requirements to obtain forward movement, but experience has shown that this is rarely being carried out. Frequently all that arrives at the A.C.T.A. office is a letter stating that such and such a shooter has shot at four different centres and claims to come forward. This information, in future, will be regarded as insufficient. The correct procedure is as outlined in the Formula. The shooter's name should be listed on a Handicap Return form, then the shoots at which he attended (and shot through the complete programme) should be listed, followed by the shooter's actual performances. It has often been observed that some shooters will be backed up by their club in claiming forward movement, and on investigation it has been found that the shooter making the forward movement claim has not shot at "four consecutive fixtures" and furthermore has not "shot right through the programme". One case comes to mind where a shooter claimed to have shot at four consecutive shoots, yet on investigation it has been found that he had only shot in the particular

programmes in part — that is to say, he shot in one or possibly two events and then packed up — following this with a forward movement claim. Such applications are not entertained. Obviously also, shooters claiming forward movement on various performances should note that winnings in novelty events are not liable for handicap and therefore cannot be accepted as "performances" when these are taken into review for forward movement. The only performances that can be accepted and recognised are those where the shooter concerned is shooting off his handicap or even behind his official handicap. Where a shooter performs in front of his handicap such an effort cannot be accepted as a performance for handicap review.

As already mentioned, in future all claims for forward movement must be lodged on a Handicap Return form, giving the fullest details. In other sports haphazard applications are not accepted. For instance, in foot-running the pedestrian has to submit the fullest details of his past performances, otherwise his application to be brought forward is thrown into the waste-paper basket. In clay target shooting only the most proficient system should be in use, and in future the system outlined will prevail.

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1st Sash and Trophy; 2nd, 3rd and 12/15 yd. Trophies.

Event 3—

15-BIRD DOUBLE BARREL (Comp. Cash)
(HANDICAPS)

Friday, 27th August, 1965

★ NIGHT ★

5-BIRD DOUBLE BARREL (Comp. Cash)

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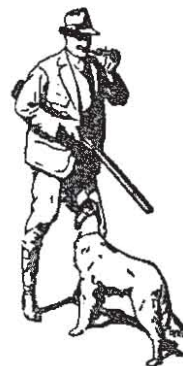
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"Tips and Tails"



New Guinea shooter Vic Sandr, who recently enjoyed an extended trip to Australia and took in the National Championships as part of his programme, has requested, through his club President at Mt. Hagen (N.G.), to sincerely thank all those clubs which entertained he and his wife during their sojourn in Australia. He considers the hospitality was a bit overwhelming at times, but he survived.

In a further report from Mount Hagen in New Guinea, advice is to hand that clubs in that region are developing rapidly. The Rabaul, Lae and Port Moresby clubs report great progress. The Port Moresby Club has already secured its shooting site just outside Port Moresby, and it should not look back from this point on. Seven Port Moresby shooters are already booked in for the championships at Mount Hagen.

The Northern New South Wales sportsman, L. W. Powell, of Munna, Coolah, N.S.W., recently had the misfortune to have his home entered during his absence, and among a number of articles removed were his two Browning shotguns, one a "C" Grade U/O with Vent. Rib., the other an automatic with Vent. Rib. Both guns were in their cases and both in new condition. In addition both guns had initials engraved on plate attached to the stocks. The numbers are: U/O 40062 and Auto 457683. The loss is in the hands of the Police Department. Powell has requested that all shooters be informed in case some unsuspecting shooter encounters an attempt to pass them off. It is advised that the stocks of both guns have been cut and "no-kick" pads are fitted, both standard length. A reward has been offered for information.

(SINCE GOING TO PRESS THE GUNS HAVE BEEN RECOVERED BY POLICE. ED.)

Victorian shooters particularly will regret to learn of the passing in Rome (Italy) of A. E. (Bert) Haynes of North Balwyn (V.). Haynes, who used the shooting name of "Pampas" from the time he commenced shooting, was a generous donor to clubs and he will be remembered for his generosity in this regard. Haynes commenced shooting with the old Blackburn Club many years ago and followed the sport off and on thereafter. His shooting name came about, when the registration of shooting names was permitted, by the adoption of the name of the particular foodstuff, of which he was vitally interested in the manufacture of to his shooting sport. He rang the A.C.T.A. office just prior to leaving, seeking addresses of overseas Associations and officials. Haynes' body was flown back to Melbourne for burial.

Croydon & District Clay Target Club will shoot at its usual venue, Hughes Park, Maroondah Highway, North Croydon, during the coming month. The first shoot advertised in August in this issue is for Saturday, August 14, when a £50 Handicap and the Croydon District double-rise title will be decided. On Saturday, August 28, the Yarra Valley single-barrel intermediate title is listed, whilst on Saturday, September 11, the Croydon District Walk-up Championship is for decision. Competition shooting will start each day at 1.30 p.m. All programmes are as advertised. Enquiries to club Secretary, G. Lear, 73 Old Burwood Road, East Burwood ('phone 28-5129). President is R. F. Buchan ('phone 87-5459).

Those who have followed the pastime of clay target shooting over the past four decades and have travelled interstate, particularly to Sydney, will learn with regret of the passing of Harry Ireland, one of the ammunition sales staff of I.C.I.A.N.Z. Ltd., in New South Wales. Ireland, although he did little active shooting over the traps, was nevertheless very well known among the shooting fraternity. He joined Kynoch Ltd. as

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a boy in 1922. The Kynoch organisation later became part of the big organisation of I.C.I.A.N.Z. Ltd. The whole of Ireland's business life was spent in the field of ammunition sales. He was a keen fisherman in the Port Hacking area of N.S.W. Deepest sympathy is extended to his widow and two sons.

Bruce Charlton was elected President of the McKinlay Gun Club at McKinlay, in North Queensland, at the club's recent annual meeting. He succeeds the retiring President, John Fegan. R. T. Batt remains as Secretary. His address is Kooroora, Gilliat, N.Q.

Joe Hiestand, the famed American trapshot, when questioned on several points of the art of trapshooting (particularly doubles), said, "Your gun, of course, should fit you perfectly. It is my belief that stance, whether shooting singles or doubles, is minor and not important. We have had champions here that position their feet from straight-on to 90 degrees to the trap. So this proves to me that it is minor. Stand the way you want to and have confidence; be sure you can swing smoothly throughout the area the target will be thrown

and lean forward enough so that you will gracefully absorb the recoil and not be kicked back on to your heels. Where to hold your gun on the trap-house I consider minor also. But since you have five positions to shoot, then divide the traphouse into five positions — one on the far left corner, two half-way to the centre, three in the centre, four half-way from centre to right corner, and five at the right corner of the traphouse. Hold gun two or three feet over the traphouse for a shooter who shoots with both eyes open. For a shooter who shoots with one eye, then I would suggest hold at the roof. If I have high targets, then I hold a higher gun. The most important part of shooting is to align your sights and then re-focus so as you can see all the traphouse roof and see the target start. You have a better chance of breaking the bird if you see it out of the trap. Be sure you keep your head on the gun stock until after the shot, then your eye will always be aligned with the barrel and you will put the shot where you look. This is very important. If a right-handed shooter, when you swing to the right be careful you do not swing the stock away from your face, since you can see this will cause error."



Bob Mules (left) and son Philip (right), with Don Fleetwood, chalked up 50/50 in S.A.'s State Elimination and went on next day to shoot three more 50/50's for their team. The State's High Gun Gold Medal Award was won by Don in a gruelling shoot-off.

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A new club has been formed at Bundella in New South Wales. The club will be known as the Bundella Gun Club, and the new organisation has already affiliated with the A.C.T.A. Secretary/Treasurer of the club is W. H. Brown, whose address is Public School, Bundella, N.S.W. President is M. Body, "Ardgour", Bundella, N.S.W.

Echuca Gun Club, on the Murray in north-western Victoria, will hold a day and night shoot on Saturday afternoon and evening, September 11, 1965. Daylight shooting will start at 1 p.m., and the big event of the afternoon is a £100 Handicap Trophy contest. The winner will receive an electric sewing machine, with second and third trophies. Four yardage trophies are included. The Echuca S.B. title will follow. Night shooting will commence at 7.30 p.m., when the Commonwealth night mixed clay sparrow title will be decided. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries to club Secretary, F. A. Bradley, Kotta P.O. (Vic.). President is L. A. Gibson ('phone Nanneella 21).

Benalla Clay Target Club has appointed John D. Coutts to the secretarial chair of the club. His address is 81 Salisbury Street, Benalla (V.). He succeeds W. G. Ford in the office.

Narrandera Gun Club, in the New South Wales Riverina, will conduct an all-day shoot on the local shooting grounds on Saturday, August 21 (from 10 a.m.). The big events of the day are the Central Riverina Deauville Doubles Championship, plus a £30 Handicap. The Hudson Shield (won by Narrandera on the last occasion it was shot) will be defended during the course of the handicap event. Cartridges will be available on the grounds. The programme is as advertised. Enquiries to club Secretary, J. R. (Bob) Bushby, Box 102, Narrandera, N.S.W. President is K. Powell.

The Wyarama Gun Club, a new formation beyond Wentworth in New South Wales, has affiliated with the A.C.T.A. Acting Secretary of the new organisation is Les Dunn, the well-known Mildura sportsman. The club intends conducting most of its shoots in aid of some particular

charitable group. The club has arranged a shoot for August 1, and proceeds from this series will aid the Flying Doctor Service, with headquarters at Broken Hill, N.S.W., a very commendable organisation. Two main events will be decided, the Flying Doctor Double-barrel Championship and the similar single-barrel title. Front-marker awards will also be made. The club hopes for a good attendance at the fixture. The A.C.T.A. wishes the club well.

Barwon Heads Gun Club, on the road from Geelong, about two miles from the centre of the town of Barwon Heads in the south-western area of Victoria, will shoot on August 21, commencing at 2 p.m. The main event is a 20-bird double-barrel handicap, for trophies. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries to club Secretary, F. Fiddes, 89 Hitchcock Avenue, Barwon Heads. President is H. Edwards.

R. H. Gillies has taken over the secretarial duties of the Brewarrina Clay Target Club at Brewarrina. His address is Box 127, Brewarrina, N.S.W. He succeeds T. C. McGirr in the office.

Broken Hill Gun Club (N.S.W.) will hold its annual Silver City Championships series over the usual two-day period, which has this year been arranged for Saturday and Sunday, September 11 and 12. Shooting on the opening day will start at 10 a.m., and at 1 p.m. on the second day. Main events on September 11 will be the Silver City Handicap, followed by the similarly named double-barrel championship. On the same evening (7.30 p.m. start) the Silver City night gift will be decided. The Silver City single-barrel title will be shot on the following day, followed by the similar Handicap event. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries to club Secretary Brian Anderson, 680 Argent St., Broken Hill, N.S.W. President is G. Hoskins, 726 Blende St., Broken Hill, N.S.W.

Tyrendarra Gun Club in western Victoria (near Portland) will shoot on August 28, starting at 1 p.m. The big event of the programme is the Victorian State Double-barrel Sparrow Championship. This is expected to attract a big attendance, and only

two supporting events are listed for the day. Afternoon tea and cartridges will be available on the ground. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries to club Secretary, Harold Smith, 91 Julia Street, Portland, V. President is W. R. Millard.

Berriwillock Gun Club in the Victorian Mallee district will shoot day and night on Saturday, October 9, with a 1.15 p.m. start. The main day events are the Eastern Mallee Double-barrel Championship, followed by the Eastern Mallee Teams Championship — teams of 5 men who must be bona-fide members of club for which they will shoot. At night the Eastern Mallee night double-barrel title will be decided, with plenty of minor events while time permits. The club also reminds district shooters that it will be holding its Christmas shoot on Saturday, December 11. The programme for October 9 is as published. Enquiries to club Secretary, S. Lord, Box 28, Berriwillock, V. President is J. W. Prater.

The Lilydale Gun Club will hold its official inaugural shoot on Saturday, August 7. The Lilydale Club is actually the old Camberwell Club, but the title of the club has been changed since the Camberwell Club vacated its former grounds at North Balwyn. Actually the new site is only about ten minutes on towards Lilydale from the present Croydon Club. The location directions are to "turn left into Victoria Road from Maroondah Highway at 'Lilydale' sign. Proceed along Victoria Road about 3½ miles until ground is reached". For those driving from Melbourne it is advised that probably the best direction-finder would be to continue on past the site of the Croydon Club and reach to the top of the hill on the Maroondah Highway — Victoria Road is just over the rise on the left. Shooters should then proceed along past the cemetery until reaching the end of the road where the spacious grounds are located. The programme for opening day (August 7) is 8 pairs Deauville Doubles, followed by 30 pairs Deauville Doubles off 20 yards — one partner must not be handicapped more than 18 yards. Trophies for the day, £50 in value, have been presented by the popular former President, R. W. Fox. On August 21 a Grand Handicap

contest will be staged as main event at 30 targets. Trophies on this day are by courtesy of Rhodes Mason. Full details of the August programmes are as advertised. Enquiries to club Secretary, W. R. Johns ('phone 50-6511). President is G. J. Jones ('phone 83-7775). The ground set-up covers an area of 32 acres, with two traps and concrete tracks, and all are fully operational. Funds outlaid to date total £2,670, which includes £1,200 for entrance road. Room is available for a total of five traps. The first section of the clubhouse is under way and should be completed in time for opening shoot on August 7.

Darwin Gun Club, at the gateway to Australia, has in recent months received visits from southern visitors. The latest reported from the area is R. A. Walker of Kerang (V.). Secretary, N. A. Turner, Darwin, is anxious that all southern visitors should know they will be very warmly welcomed at Darwin G.C. Drop a line to Box 1231, and due welcome will be arranged.

The Metropolitan Gun Club at Epping (Victoria) advertises details of its programme during August. On Saturday, August 14, the club will stage the Northern Suburbs Double-barrel Championship, followed by the similar title Grand Handicap, the winner of which will receive a Stirling Auto shotgun. On Saturday, August 28, two title events have been listed. These are the Epping double-rise title and the Epping Double-barrel Sparrow Championship. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries to club Secretary, C. J. Colledge, 12 Adler Grove, Merlynston, N.14.

Sebastopol Gun Club, adjacent to Ballarat (Victoria) will conduct a day and night shoot on Saturday, October 2, 1965. Shooting will start at 9.0 a.m. and nominations for the eye-opener will close no later than 10.0 a.m. The big event of the daylight hours is a 20-bird handicap, the winner of which will receive a 4-berth, fully equipped caravan valued at £550. Yardage awards will be made, 12/15, 16/19, 20/23, and 24 yards and over. Time permitting, the Ballarat District single-barrel title will follow. At night (starting 7.30 p.m.) the Ballarat and District D'ville Doubles

Championship will be staged. Excellent trophies are available for all events. Catering service for all meals, gunsmith and cartridges will be available throughout the day and night. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries to club Secretary, Mrs. M. D. Pascoe ('phone Ballarat 22418).

Huntly Gun Club, near Bendigo, has arranged a good programme for its shoot on Saturday, September 4 (1.30 p.m. start). The principal events are the Huntly Gun Club Single-barrel Championship, with which will be shot the J. A. Piccoli Memorial Shield competition. This is open to teams of 5 shooters from any affiliated club within a radius of 100 miles of Boort, where the donor of the shield resides. A £20 target double-handicap will follow. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries to club Secretary, J. E. Jones ('phone Bendigo 33820). President is R. Hartley.

Cobar Gun Club in far western

New South Wales will conduct its annual shoot over the dates September 25 and September 26, 1965. Shooting will commence at 10 a.m. each day. Main events on opening day will be the Far Western N.S.W. District Single-barrel Championship, a £40 Handicap, and a £50 Handicap. A buffet will be held at the Clubhouse. The same evening the N.S.W. State Deauville Doubles Night Championship will be decided. On the final day the Far Western N.S.W. District Double-barrel Championship is listed, followed by a 40-target £175 Handicap for trophies. A Calcutta will be conducted on this latter event. The "Mafeesh" Picnic Shoot will be held on Monday, September 27, to which all are cordially invited. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries to club Secretary, Mrs. F. E. Singleton, "Mafeesh", Cobar, N.S.W. ('phone Priory Tank 361). President is A. Burgess ('phone Cobar 345), Box 3, Cobar, N.S.W.

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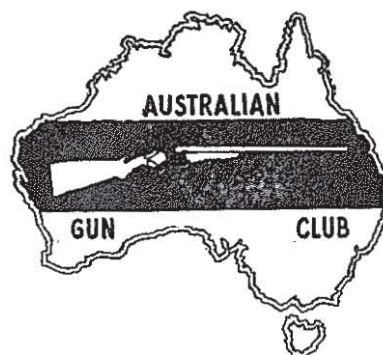
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1st — SASH and RECLINER CHAIR. :: Trophies 2nd, 3rd and Lady's.

10 BIRDS DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE

25 BIRDS SKEET HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE

12 BIRDS SKEET HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE

SATURDAY, 21st AUGUST, 1965 — Promptly at 1.30 p.m.

10 BIRDS EYE-OPENER from 16 yards. - - Points Decision.

"NOBEL" DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

20 Birds from 16 yards. :: Nomination 25/- :: Optional Sweepstake.

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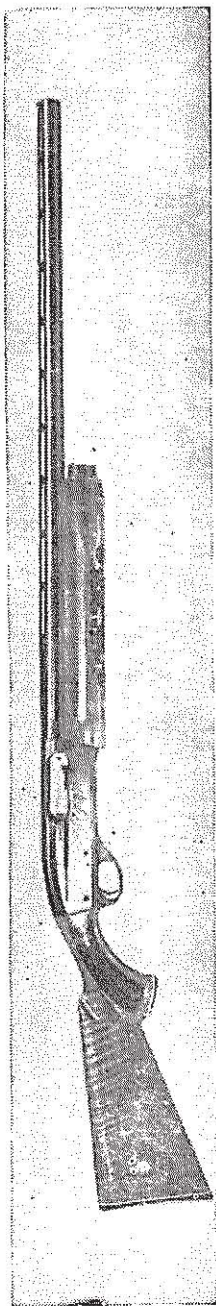
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Shepparton Gun Club in the Victorian Goulburn Valley will conduct a big series extending over Friday, September 3, and Saturday, September 4. On the opening day, shooting will start at 1 p.m., and the big event of the afternoon is the Goulburn River Double-barrel Championship. Starting at 9.30 a.m. the following day, the Shepparton Spring Carnival Car Handicap, at 20 targets, will be decided, and the winner will receive a Morris 850 Sedan Car. Yardage prizes of £20 cash will be available for best 12/15, 16/18, 19/21, 22/24, and 25/27 yard shooters. Nomination is £9/5/-. Other events will follow, time permitting. Refreshments will be available on the ground throughout the day. The prize list is guaranteed regardless of conditions. The ground location is 7 miles south of Shepparton on the Goulburn Valley Highway, which makes the journey only 105 miles from Melbourne. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries to club Secretary, V. Lawford ('phone Shepparton 9017). President is R. Mitchell ('phone Shepparton 4056, for accommodation).

The Royal Aero Club of New South Wales Gun Society, at Bankstown Aerodrome, New South Wales, which will be the scene of the 1966 National Championships and International Match, advertises in listed detail its programmes between August 14 and the club's Christmas shoot date, December 18. The immediate events listed are: August 14, 8th round R.A.C. Trophy; August 28, County of Cumberland Double-barrel Championship; September 11, 9th round R.A.C. Trophy, and on September 25, N.S.W. Walk-up title and County of Cumberland Intermediate double-barrel title. The remaining shooting dates and events are as published in this issue. Enquiries to club Secretary, A. M. Hicks ('phones: business 90-7988, home 78-3835).

A new club is expected to be formed at Binnaway, about 30 miles from Mendooran in New South Wales. Mendooran Club has advised those interested to contact the A.C.T.A. Colin Hall is the present organiser at Binnaway.

The Mendooran Gun Club will shoot from 10 a.m. on Saturday, August 21. A comprehensive programme has been

arranged. The big event of the day is the Warrumbungle District Double-barrel Championship. Permewans Shield for teams will be shot in conjunction with a £20 Handicap. High-gun awards will be made over all events except eye-opener, also a 12/15 high-gun over same events. The full cost of the programme for the day is the moderate total of £6, and those attending should enjoy a first-class outing. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries to club Secretary, D. A. Smith, "Aberfoyle", Merrygoen ('phone 29-D). President is J. J. Nott, "Tweefontein", Merrygoen ('phone 2-S).

Werribee Gun Club, only 18 miles west of Melbourne on the Geelong Road, with shooting ground at Ballan Road, Werribee (V.), will shoot from 1 p.m. on Saturday, August 14. Two main events are listed, the first at 20 targets D.B., the winner of which will receive the I.C.I. Trophy. A 15 birder will follow, under single-barrel conditions. An eye-opener at 10 targets will also be held. Cartridges, afternoon tea and refreshments will be available on the ground. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries to club Secretary, K. Shanahan, 4 Jellicoe St., Werribee ('phone Werribee 346). President is Tom Powell, 10 Tarneit Road, Werribee, V.

Puckapunyal Army Gun Club, situated at just inside the gates at Puckapunyal Camp, near Seymour in Victoria, has arranged a shoot for Sunday, August 29, commencing at 1 p.m. Three big events have been scheduled: The Club D'ville Doubles championship, a trophy handicap at 20 targets, with the Mob Siding Shield shot in conjunction, and a 20-target sweepstakes, in conjunction with which will be the Jackpot Aggregate Teams Shoot. Full details of a very interesting programme are as advertised in this issue. Enquiries to club Secretary, J. A. Birch, 7 Buna Crescent, Puckapunyal, V. President is J. E. Summers ('phone Seymour 543).

Maryborough Gun Club in Queensland will hold an open carnival over the dates, September 18 and 19. Main events in this series will be the Qld. State Intermediate Single-barrel Championship and the Maryborough District Double-barrel Championship. Preliminary details are given in this

MENDOORAN GUN CLUB (N.S.W.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

SATURDAY, 21st AGUST, 1965

Commencing 10 a.m.

Event 1—5-Target E.O. Comp. Div.

Nom. 5/-

Event 2—10-Target POINTS SCORE
TROPHY

Nom. £1

Event 3—5-Target D.B. from 16 yds.
Sweepstake

Nom. 10/-

Event 4—

**Warrumbungle District
Double-barrel Championship**

20 Birds from 16 yards.

1st Sash and Trophy; 2nd and 3rd.
5/- Sweep first 10 Targets.

Nom. £1/5/0

Plus Sweep, 5/-

Event 5—

Permewan's Shield - Teams

in conjunction with £20 HANDICAP

Nom. £2/10/0

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issue. Fuller particulars will be advertised in the September edition of "News". Meanwhile enquiries to club Secretary, Les Cairns, 205 Adelaide Street, Maryborough (Q.) (phone 4211).

Perth Gun Club, Western Australia, has arranged its big annual championship series over the dates Friday, Saturday and Sunday, October 1, 2 and 3, 1965. The events listed include the State double-barrel title, the State Deauville Doubles Championship, State Elimination and W.A. section of the Interstate Teams' Match, two 20-target cash handicaps, and a 20 pairs double-rise contest. The Koojan Gold Badge will be awarded for the open high-gun, and the Koojan Silver Badge for the section 16 yards and forward. Morning and afternoon tea will be provided. The ground location is at Koojan Ave., South Guildford, W.A. Programme is as outlined in the advertising section of this issue. Enquiries to club Secretary, J. G. Spark, Box G.488, Perth, W.A. Telephone to club is 65.1277. The Secretary's telephone numbers are 21.6116 or 86.4829. President is J. Webster (phones 26.1158 or 74.1341).

The Australian Gun Club at East Burwood advertises details of its forthcoming programmes. The club will shoot on August 7, August 21 and September 4. The Victorian walk-up title will be main event on the first-mentioned date. The Nobel Double-barrel Handicap and the Nobel Skeet title will be shot on August 21. A 25 skeet handicap will follow. The Club Champion of Champions sash (presented by Des O'Callaghan) will be awarded on this day. On September 4 the Spring Sixteen Yarder will be the chief interest, at 40 targets from 16 yards. Six yardage awards are included. Details are as published in this issue. Enquiries to club Secretary, J. A. Lucas, 1 Spring Street, Fern Tree Gully, Vic. President is R. Siede.

Officials of the Queanbeyan Gun Club (near Canberra, A.C.T.) elected for the period 1965/66 are: President, G. M. Tilyard; Vice-President, W. J. Jordan; Secretary, K. J. Muir, 49 Raymond St., Ainslie, Canberra, A.C.T.;

Treasurer, A. J. Koorey; Captain, D. Byrne; Vice-Captain, M. Lyons.

Brisbane Gun Club reminds shooters in the advertising section of this issue regarding its three-day Show Week Shoot, arranged to commence at 9.0 a.m. on Saturday, August 7, when the Queensland double-barrel title and a £100 Handicap will be main attractions. The club will shoot the following day for the Brisbane Exhibition D.B. title and the £500 Brisbane Exhibition Special. On Wednesday, August 11, a series of sweepstakes will be held. Enquiries to Trevor Bishop (Secretary), 74 Eagle Street, Brisbane.

Victorian Gun Club at Brooklyn (V.), beyond Footscray, will shoot on Wednesday night, August 4, when the club mixed birds title will be decided; this will be followed on Saturday, August 7, with the club double-barrel title. The club will also shoot on Wednesday night, August 11; again the following week, Wednesday, August 18, and also on Wednesday night, August 25. Another day shoot will be held on August 21, when the club D.B. sparrow title is listed. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries to club Secretary, J. Platten, 23 Valerian Ave., North Altona.

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Event 2 — **20-bird Double-barrel Handicap**

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Letters to the Editor . . .

Stanhope,
23/6/65.

Sec.-Editor,

Dear Sir,

I am writing on behalf of the Goulburn Valley Gun Club.

Having noticed the discussion regarding the proposed £1 levy on shooters in the Shooters' "News", the subject came up at our recent committee meeting, and was discussed fully.

The meeting felt that the levy was unfair, in that the one club would benefit from all moneys subscribed. Also that a large proportion of this money would be raised from country shooters, and a great many of whom would not attend an International Shoot.

It was decided that it would be a good thing if all clubs let the Secretary know of their feelings in this matter.

Yours faithfully,

M. J. ADAMS,
Sec. Goulburn Valley Gun Club,

Post Office Box 25,
Queanbeyan, N.S.W.,
22nd June, 1965.

The Editor,
"Australian Clay Target Shooting
"News",
Melbourne.

Dear Sir,

In a letter dated 23rd March, 1965, and published in the May issue of the "News", Association President John Tyquin sought the views of shooters on a proposal that each registered shooter contribute £1 per year over five or six years towards a specified "Ground Fund Account". The purpose of the proposal would be to accrue not less than £20,000, which could be allocated to clubs which conduct the International

Shoots. These assisted clubs would then use the grant, it is said, to finance the purchase of their grounds and to supply amenities which shooters could use at the annual event in the various States.

I have attended only one "International", and I was surprised at the poor facilities available. My concern, however, was not towards the host Club, for as Secretary of a Gun Club, I am well aware of the reluctance of club officials to make costly improvements on grounds which are not their property and which soon fall havoc to the dastardly acts of vandals. It is, however, difficult to understand that the A.C.T.A. can hold the premier shoot of Australia each year on grounds which make only a bad impression on visitors, not only from within Australia, but also from New Zealand and other countries.

All shooters will be ready to admit that over a period of three years, no more than a total of 500 individual shooters (at the most) attend the International Shoots. It therefore seems that it would be unfair to expect the shooters registered with the Association to pay out £1 per year over five years for the sole benefit of 12½ per cent. of their fellows and for the improvement of the leading clubs in their States, which are mostly in metropolitan areas.

As an alternative, I suggest that the A.C.T.A. acquire a centrally situated ground on which they conduct the National Championships and International Match each year. The ideal location for the ground would be in the Australian Capital Territory. When the founders of the Commonwealth chose Canberra as the seat of Federal Government, they considered the area to be the centre of the more populous section of Australia. Distances of capital cities from Canberra are: Adelaide 740, Brisbane 785, Hobart 535 (road miles), Melbourne 410, Perth 2,450, and Sydney 195 miles. By the time a shooter has attended three Internationals in his own and other States, he has travelled

more miles on an average than if he went to Canberra each year. The shooters affected most would be those from Western Australia, the Northern Territory and Papua/New Guinea, but they are forced to travel long distances, as the International has not been allocated to them. At least they would be visiting a ground that is owned by their Association, and indirectly by them through their subscription, and not a club that "did not want the show, anyway".

An Association ground in Canberra would have many inviting benefits. There are more than adequate accommodation facilities, and with the tourist attractions of the developing national capital and the nearby Snowy Mountains Scheme, shooters and their families would be well entertained. The Administration in Canberra is able, I perceive, to assist sporting bodies in the establishment of grounds, and I see no reason why the assistance given to football and bowling clubs could not be extended to trapshooting organisations. Also,

Canberra has a press, radio and television network organised on a national scale, but which often seems to be starved for subjects (especially when Parliament is in recess). The publicity which could follow the annual Internationals in Canberra would boost clay target shooting throughout Australia. When the grounds were not in use by the A.C.T.A., I am sure that many of the nearby Gun Clubs, which are experiencing difficulties in securing permanent grounds with good facilities, would be ready to hire the grounds from the Association to shoot big events.

My views on the President's letter are therefore that the annual Ground Fund Levy be made on registered shooters, and with the money obtained, the Association should lease and establish a permanent ground in Canberra and there conduct the "International" each year.

Yours faithfully,

P. C. JOHNSTON.

BIRCHIP GUN CLUB (VIC.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

SATURDAY, 14th AUGUST, 1965, at 1 p.m.

1st Event — **10-birds Double-barrel Eye-opener. C.D.**

2nd Event — **£100 HANDICAP (Div. 60, 30, 10).**

20 Birds. Nomination £3/10/-.

3rd Event — **10-bird Trophy Shoot.**

Entry £1. Two equal Trophies.

Night Shoot at 7 o'clock

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OUT OF THE PAST

Twenty-five Years Ago

A. W. Hall, now of Berriwillock, won the Sans Cup at a Blackburn fixture with a score of 20/20 points scoring, Peter Garonne was runner-up.

At a Camberwell shoot the 1940 Commonwealth Mixed Birds Championship was won by J. (Kim) Sans, who recorded the remarkable score of 19/20, and, it could be added, no one was more surprised than the winner. The late Harry Ball was second, 18/20. Fred Burns gained third placing after a tie shoot. Jack Bryant won the Victorian Double-rise

Championship, scoring 11/12 pairs. Athol Love was second and the late Rus. Thomas third.

At a Nobel shoot Bob Meehan, Harold Knight (now of Miranda, Sydney) and a shooter named Nobbs divided a minor event. Knight is still shooting with the Sydney club at Waterfall, near Wollongong, and only recently communicated with the A.C.T.A. office, advising that he was still among those who "shoot at the targets". Knight also assists the Sydney club with scoring and occasional refereeing.

Fifteen Years Ago

Allan Mansell, a well-known Glenferrie chemist, who recently returned from a trip abroad, won his first title at the Camberwell grounds when he, partnered by the late Harry Ball, won the Camberwell Club's 1940 Deauville Doubles Championship.

The main 20 birder at an Australian Club shoot was gained by Ben Cook with the only possible. Four others scored 19/20's. Cook, at this time, was just about regaining his health

after several years of war-time imprisonment in Singapore. He has dropped out of the sport in recent years.

Fred Burns and Roy Johns, two of the best clay target shots the sport has produced, combined splendidly to win the 1950 Commonwealth Deauville Doubles Championship. The pair won the title after a brief tie shoot with the Bryants (father and son) and scored 29/30 to the Bryants' 28/30.

Ten Years Ago

A £50 Handicap at Mount Gambier, in south-eastern South Australia, was cut by Max Bishop, J. Campbell, J. Austin, A. McFarlane, J. Wilson, A. Janeway, R. Reschke, and B. Hutchinson.

At Coff's Harbour in New South Wales the redoubtable G. D. T. Secombe cut several events. He is still shooting brilliantly and rarely attends a shoot without seeing his name in winning brackets somewhere during the programme.

At Sale, in eastern Gippsland area of Victoria, a £20 Handicap was divided by four shooters, H. Guyatt, Stan Collins, F. Hobson and T. Gleeson.

The Newcastle Dist. double-barrel title was won brilliantly by A. Hancock with a complete score of 25/25.

Rockhampton Gun Club in North Queensland, one of the stalwarts of the Association over very many years, reported big shoots in the 1955 northern winter season. The Central Queensland D.B. title was won by W. Bartley after a tie shoot with A. Lisle.

The South Australian State Deauville Doubles Championship for 1955 was a triumph for C. McBeath and E. A. Collins, who won from J. Taylor and A. W. Forbes.

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The

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Shoot

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

The question as to whether a young shot should start off with a single-barrel gun, its advantages and disadvantages, is an understandable one. Many of Australia's young shots have started off with a single-barrel unit or even a .410, and have later developed into top-class performers. The following commentary is of interest:

There is, of course, nothing new about single-barrel guns, for our ancestors shot with such weapons, and muzzle-loaders at that, and many of them were very fine shots. It was not, in fact, much before the beginning of the 19th century that double-barrelled weapons were introduced, and to start with, the innovation was doubtfully regarded, and even criticised, on the grounds of being unsportsmanlike, but its manifest advantages eventually won general approval.

What was true then, is true today, and for game shooting, whether of walked-up birds or driven, a double provides the chance of shooting two birds out of a covey instead of only one, but for a good deal of rough shooting, a single is not such a handicap as may be supposed. On many a small day when armed with a double, I have not fired the second barrel once, and for any man who has attained some competence as a shot I doubt if the lack of a second barrel will reduce his season's bag by so very much. For those who only anticipate some occasional rough shooting, or are likely to be mainly concerned with pigeon, ground game, and vermin, a single-barrel gun can be considered a reasonably adequate weapon, and it is possible that by learning with such a gun, and continuing to shoot with it, a man may

become a better shot than if he used a double.

It is stressed, for this is all a question of temperament, but with some men the fact that they have only the one chance at a bird does make them concentrate everything on that one shot, whereas with a double in their hands, some tend, though possibly quite sub-consciously, to rely too much on the second barrel for killing a bird missed with the first. That is quite the wrong attitude, for not only is the second barrel at a bird missed with the first usually a more difficult shot, but the essential purpose of a double is to provide the means of killing two birds instead of one, and not to fire correcting shots to compensate for careless initial misses.

This wasteful use of two barrels to kill a bird that should be killed by one, can quite easily become a habit, and it is a thoroughly bad one, though it is by no means rare, and for this reason I would always advise a beginner to start learning with either a single-barrel gun or with only one barrel loaded of a double. Timing your shots is most important, and is more easily mastered with only one shot at your disposal. For every chance offered, there is always one point in which the range and angle are more favourable for the gun than any other. A fraction of time too soon, or too late, can turn what may be a relatively easy shot into a difficult one.

Change or not?

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pre-suppose that the questioner probably has in mind to change to a double after he has made some progress. If, however, the beginner is of an age and has the physique to handle a man's gun, then he should, I think, learn with the weapon he intends to shoot with later. If he anticipates game shooting, then without doubt he should start with a double, though in the first stages of learning he would be well advised to use only one barrel. The great thing is to get used to the feel of your gun, of whatever type and make it may be, and in time you will learn to handle it so easily that it becomes

almost a part of you. For an adult beginner, there should be no need to make a change, and I think it is a mistake to do so, provided your gun fits you and is in all respects suitable. There is an old American saying with much truth in it—"beware the man with one gun, he can probably use it."

A youthful beginner, however, will probably have to start with a .410 or 20-bore and progress to a heavier gun later. That is inevitable, and there is nothing wrong in it, for the earlier anyone learns to shoot, the more likely he is to become a good shot, and a quick one.

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CROCODILE FEVER

(The following article is written by J. S. COWAN, who lived for some time in Australia, but is now a game keeper in Scotland)

Many sportsmen still consider Africa as the world's big-game hunting centre, but Australia also has big game in abundance, and the Australian salt-water crocodile is as worthy an opponent as any lion or tiger.

Crocodiles are found in the tropical areas of Australia. In the mangrove swamps, rivers and "billabongs" north of the Tropic of Capricorn there are two types. The evil and fiercely aggressive salt-water or estuarine crocodile which will go out of its way to attack, and the somewhat harmless, fish-eating, fresh-water crocodile. Both types are becoming scarcer due to increased hunting. Skins are valuable. The fresh-water crocodile skin does not cure into as good a grade of leather as that of the salt-water crocodile, nor is it as durable. Fresh-water crocodiles reach a maximum length of about 8 ft. and during the dry season become concentrated in the remaining waterholes of a dried-out river. As with the salt-water type, only the belly skin is taken. Two cuts are run down the back behind the fourth row of horns on each side and converge to a single cut in the tail. The skin is then cut from around the belly, great care being taken not to cut the actual skin. Small crocodiles up to 4 ft. in length are skinned completely, and the head left intact. These "hornbacks" bring good prices, and are stuffed, shipped south and sold to tourists. Salted skins must be kept at the correct humidity. Too damp or too dry, and the scales will either slide off or crack off, thus decreasing the value of the skin.

One 18 ft. salt-water saurian taken near Cairns weighed about a ton, and measured 7 ft. around the girth. The belly skin was half an inch thick and two men were required to lift the skin. Such large specimens are rare nowadays. Salt-water crocodiles are the bulkiest of living reptiles — there is

a record of one 33 ft. long. They are frequently seen at sea, sometimes many miles offshore. Mostly they are found in the mangrove-fringed rivers and mudbanks, but also in fresh-water coastal "billabongs" and rivers. The fresh-water species may be found in salt water, but not in such great numbers.

Salt-water crocodiles have a broader, shorter and stronger snout than their relatives, and feed mainly on fish, crabs and crayfish. Horses, cattle and sheep add variety to their diet, as do the wild birds and animals in their area. Below a nesting colony of cormorants is a sure place to find a wily old bull "salty" lying submerged and awaiting the arrival of the young birds.

No expensive hunting permits are required, and property owners usually co-operate by giving permission and information on tracks, type of terrain, availability of water, etc. In the Northern Territory, legislation has been brought into force regarding the calibre of firearms which can be used. All firearms must be registered with the police, and all crocodiles under 8 ft. are protected in the Territory — restrictions which do not yet apply in Queensland. Organised safaris in the Northern Territory guarantee at least one crocodile, and possibly a buffalo or two, as well as pig and kangaroo and fishing in virgin waters for the huge and plentiful barramundi — all this for approximately £8 per day and all equipment supplied. Private expeditions require expensive equipment. Absolute necessities are a vehicle in sound mechanical condition and with a four-wheel drive, a small trailer, and a wooden boat of at least 8 ft., complete with outboard motor. Most crocodile shooting is done at night and therefore a spot-lamp run from a car battery in the bottom of the boat is ideal. A small spot-lamp which attaches to one's head in the manner of a miner's lamp

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Silver City Championships

11th and 12th SEPTEMBER, 1965

Programme includes:

DAY — 11th September — Commencing at 10 a.m.

Silver City £50 Cash Handicap

20 BIRDS D.B. :: Divided £30, £18, £6.

Silver City Double-barrel Championship

20 BIRDS from 16 yards.

Sash, 1st, 2nd, 3rd and Front Marker Trophies.

Three Optional Sweeps.

NIGHT — 11th September — Commencing at 7.30 p.m.

15-bird Silver City Night Gift

Handicap Marks. :: 1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies.

DAY — 12th September — Commencing at 1 p.m.

Silver City Single-barrel Championship

20 BIRDS from 16 yards.

Sash, 1st, 2nd, 3rd and Front Marker Trophies.

Three Optional Sweeps.

20-bird Silver City Handicap

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Sweeps and other Events will complete each day's Programme.

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is also necessary. The choice of weapons is an individual matter, depending upon one's preferences. The old army .303 is an ideal weapon and stands up to rigorous conditions extremely well.

Immediately the short, tropical twilight has changed to darkness, one sets off in the boat to search the waterways with the large spotlight for the two fox-like eyes reflecting the light. As soon as a crocodile is spotted, perhaps a hundred yards away, the boatman cuts the outboard motor and rows very quietly to within ten feet of the creature. Meanwhile the shooter, in the bow of the boat, has changed to the spot-lamp fixed to his head. From a range of six to eight feet a bullet is sent crashing into the reptile's brain. This is the only really effective shot: an area about the size of a matchbox just behind those evil eyes. If the crocodile is dead, it will roll over in the water and start sinking, very much like a played-out salmon, when the hook has suddenly come loose. This is where teamwork counts. The crocodile must be grabbed and lifted into the boat or securely roped and hauled to the bank. In mangrove swamps, finding a suitable, solid piece of ground amongst the soft, stinking mud can be a problem. If the reptile is not dead, there is always a terrific commotion. With a large specimen this can result in an upturned boat, very frightened shooters in the water, and valuable equipment and even persons being lost. Invariably, other crocodiles and sharks are lurking in the area.

A harpoon attached to a strong, thin nylon rope, driven into the hard, horny back of a wounded crocodile, prevents possible loss of a valuable skin. Driving the harpoon into the belly and damaging the skin must, if possible, be avoided.

My own introduction to crocodile shooting followed a year's hard work in the terrible heat of the North-West Plains of New South Wales, saving enough money for the hazardous road journey to Cairns, where I hoped to meet similarly-minded people, and shoot crocodiles. After a week's hard driving and numerous vehicle breakdowns, I eventually set up camp on a palm-fringed beach some ten miles north of the town. The fishing on

the coral reefs off the mainland was excellent, and kept me in food. There I befriended a Thursday Islander called 2359, a strongly built, interesting and intelligent fellow, who insisted on this number as his name. "It's always dark at one minute to midnight," he would announce with a bellow of laughter. 2359 was a keen fisherman. He would wait until the tide was full, then anchor a piece of 1½ in. mesh wire-netting across a suitable creek. When the tide receded, fish were trapped behind the net. One day we were astonished to find a six-foot salt-water crocodile completely entangled in the net.

We sold that skin to a German professional crocodile shooter. Eventually, after much persuasion, this professional agreed to give me a trial, with a view to joining him. I soon learned that crocodiles were not numerous enough to make fortunes. That first night we spotted a crocodile on a mudbank—two bright eyes glaring at us. Stumps of mangrove were along the edge of the water. The tide was out. We headed at full speed straight for the crocodile. Something happened to the outboard motor throttle. The crocodile lunged into the water and we lunged into the mudbank, miraculously missing the mangrove stumps.

The German and I became partners, and during that season had many narrow escapes and many crocodiles. Eventually the monsoon arrived. My third share of the profits for the season was £30.

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COBAR ANNUAL SHOOT

. . . SEPTEMBER 25th and 26th, 1965 . . .

FIRST DAY. Commencing 10 a.m.:

Event 1 — 10-BIRD SINGLE-BARREL EYE-OPENER. 16 yards. Nom. 10/-. Comp. Division.

Event 2 —

Far Western District N.S.W. Single-barrel Championship

20 Birds. Nom. £1/5/0. 10/- Op. Sweep. :: 1st Trophy and Sash; 2nd, 3rd and F.M. (12/14 yds.) Trophies.

Event 3 — 30-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP Trophies value £40.

1st, 2nd and 3rd. :: Nom. £2.

Event 4 — 30-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL £50 HANDICAP. Nom. £2.

1st 60% — 2nd 30% — 3rd 10%.

. . . BUFFET TEA AT CLUB HOUSE . . .

. . . Night Shoot — 7 p.m. . . .

Event 5 — 2 PAIR DEAUVILLE DOUBLES. 22 yds. Birds only 2/-.

Event 6 —

20 pair Deauville Doubles N.S.W. Night Championship

22 yds. :: Nom. £1/15/0. :: 10/- Optional Sweep. :: 1st Sash and Trophies; 2nd Trophies.

SECOND DAY. Commencing 10 a.m.:

Event 7 —

10-BIRD 16 YD. DOUBLE-BARREL EYE-OPENER. Comp. Div. Nom. 10/-.

Event 8 —

Far Western District N.S.W. Double-barrel Championship

20 BIRDS

16 yds. :: Nom. £1/5/0. :: Opt. Sweep 10/-. :: 1st, 2nd, 3rd and F.M. (12/14 yds.) Trophies.

Event 9 — 40-BIRD £175 HANDICAP. Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Nom. £5.

Event 10 — 20-BIRD SINGLE-BARREL HANDICAP TROPHY. Nom. £1/10/0.

— 1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies. —

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The Committee reserves the right to vary the Programme.

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Eastern Mallee Double-barrel Championships - 9th October

1965 - 1.15 start

DAY SHOOT:

5-BIRD EYE-OPENER. Nom. 10/-.

Eastern Mallee Double-barrel Championship

Nom. 25/-.

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NIGHT SHOOT:

5-BIRD EYE-OPENER. Nom. 10/-.

Eastern Mallee Double-barrel Championship

Nom. 30/-.

BEST FRONT-MARKERS' TROPHY

OPTIONAL SWEEPS 5/- EACH TEN.

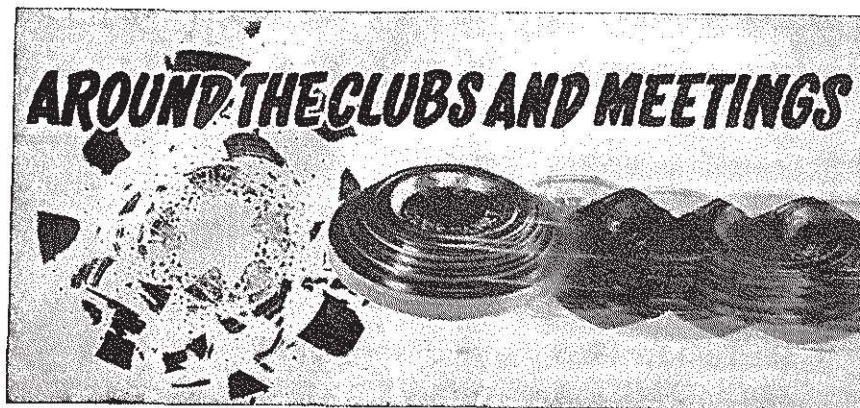
OTHER EVENTS TO FOLLOW, TIME PERMITTING.

Also holding CHRISTMAS SHOOT, SATURDAY,
11th DECEMBER.

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ALBANY (W.A.), 26/6/65.—Weather conditions: gusty wind. Attendance: 10 (two visitors). Results: 30-bird S.B.: M. Lubcke, 27/30; J. Cameron, 25/30; B. Edmunds, 23/30; B. Harrison, 22/30; J. Downer, J. Thompson, 19/30; R. McCarthy, 15/30; D. Webb, 14/30.

In spite of a gusty wind at times, a very pleasant day. This small club is gradually consolidating its position, but is worried over insecurity of tenure over the land it occupies. Negotiations with Lands' Dept. is proceeding, but Dept. is hostile and so far is winning.

(J. A. Thompson, Asst. Sec.)

ALEXANDRA (S.A.), 13/6/65.—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 10 birds: Roberts, Hunt, Dawe, Brooke, Carlo, Angeloni, A. Scott, Collins, Woodrow. No. 2, 20-bird Carlo: 1st, G. Burgess; 2nd, Carlo; 3rd, R. Rossiter. No. 3, £25 H'cap (20 birds): 1st, L. Griffen, R. Dini, Cowin, D. Potts, L. Tessiere, J. Sheridan, Angeloni. No. 4, 20-bird Skeet: 1st, Angeloni; 2nd, R. Rossiter, S. Dawe, E. Duller.

Attendance of 30 shooters was very pleasing for the shoot, held under ideal conditions. Visiting shooter G. Burgess, from New Zealand, won the Carlo Open H'cap—congratulations. The £25 H'cap saw 7 tie for first, and in the Skeet shoot comparatively new shooter Angeloni won the event.

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

ALEXANDRA (V.), Charity Shoot, 12/6/65.—Weather: fine, but cool, with a stiff breeze blowing. No. 1, 5 birds: L. Coker, J. and V. Walters, R. Kweicinski, R. McKenzie, G. Cumming, J. Boote, K. Hedger, 5/5, div. No. 2, 15-bird Trophy: G. Cumming, 1st, 15/15; D. Hedger, 2nd; J. Boote, 3rd; 12/13 yd. trophy, K. Hedger, No. 3, 5 birds: D. Hedger, J. Boote, K. Hedger, V. and J. Walters, L. Baldoek, G. Cumming, G. Ward, 5/5, div. No. 4, 5-bird Pts.: G. Johnson, L. Baldoek, J. Walters, 5/5, div. No. 5, 5-bird Walk-up; J. Boote, R. Kweicinski, 4/5.

(J. Boote, Hon. Sec.)

AMAROO (Qld.), 5/6/65.—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: C. J. C. Gall, J. Treasure, R. Millar, R. G. Treasure, P. Doyle, 5/5, div. No. 2, 20-bird Pts.: 1st, C. W. Gall, 59/60; 2nd, J. Treasure, 56/60; 3rd, R. Millar, 54/60. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, P. Doyle, 13/13; 2nd, D. G. Lloyd, 12/13. No. 4, 5-bird D. Rise: 1st, A. R. Lane, 12/12; 2nd, C. W. Gall, 11/12. No. 5, 10-bird S.B.: 1st, W. D. Milton, 11/11; 2nd, G. H. Patterson, 10/11. No. 6, D'ville Doubles: H. J. S. Ross - A. R. Lane, 10/10.

Everyone enjoyed their day's shooting. In spite of several delays, we managed to get through our programme. The team shoot is still creating great interest, and Don's team won this round. There is great speculation with only one round to go. The present scores are: Wally's team, 260/300; Jack's team, 251/300; Don's team, 251/300.

(Mrs. J. F. Ross, Hon. Sec.)

APSLEY (V.), 26/6/65.—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 41. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: S. Williams, C. Copping, K. Thwaites, H. Williamson, A. McIntyre, M. Grigg, A. Miller, S. Thompson, M. Beattie, I. Harris, R. Diamond, B. Sheriff, H. Durbridge, H. McLeod, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird Trophy H'cap (10 birds): 1st, I. Harris, 48/48; 2nd, M. Grigg, 47/48; 3rd, S. Williams, 39/40; F/M., R. Boston, 14/15. No. 3, Trophy H'cap (10 birds S.B.): 1st, H. Williamson, 19/20; 2nd, M. Grigg, 18/20; 3rd, J. Standerwick, 13/14; F/M., N. Melgaard, 9/10.

It was very pleasing to see such a good roll-up of shooters. Congratulations to Ian Harris, from Horsham, for winning the first event and also his first 50 break. Merv Grigg, who was second place-getter, also scored over 50, but not his first. Harry Williamson shot well to win the S.B. Trophy event, with Merv again making second place.

Ladies' trophies were won by Jeann Standerwick and Mrs. B. Grigg. Thanks, ladies, for entering so well for the large crowd.

(Athol Miller, Hon. Sec.)

ECHUCA GUN CLUB (V.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Afternoon and Night Shoot

SEPT. 11, 1965 - - - SEPT. 11, 1965

At 1.30 p.m.:

No. 1 — 10-BIRD EYE-OPENER. Comp. Div.

No. 2 —

£100 Trophy Handicap - £100

First — Electric Sewing Machine. Valued at £50

Second — Transistor Radio - - - " £20

Third — Electric Drill - - - " £10

£5 Yardage Trophy to best 12/16 yds., 17/20, 21/23, 24 and over.

No. 3 —

Echuca District Single-barrel Championship

First Sash and Trophy. Second and Third Trophies.

At 7.30 p.m.:

No. 4 — 10 TARGETS from 20 yards. Comp. Div.

No. 5 —

Commonwealth Night Mixed Sparrow Championship

First Sash and Trophy. Second and Third Trophies.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING

The Committee reserves the right to alter or re-arrange Programme if deemed necessary.

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AUSTRALIAN (V.), 12/6/65.—Attendance: 49 shooters. 6 prs. D. Rise: G. Biggs, 12/12; R. Johns, M. Goulding, 11/12. Club D. Rise C'ship: M. Goulding, 21/26; R. Siede, 20/26; G. Biggs, 26/27, 3rd; 12/15 yds., A. Hopkins, 17/24. 10-bird D.B. H'cap: div. B. Roberts, G. Lear, Bob Ferres, A. Hopkins, 10/10. 25 birds Skeet H'cap S'stake, div. 13 shooters: J. Siede, R. Fallshaw, R. Siede, 0 plus 25; T. Wilkinson, 2 plus 23; Rusty Fox, 5 plus 21; D. Edgerton, 0 plus 25; I. Porter, 3 plus 22; N. Dixon, 5 plus 22; G. Read, 3 plus 23; M. Goulding, 5 plus 24; F. Johnson, 2 plus 23; D. Kaufman, 3 plus 22; G. Lear, 4 plus 21. Second round of 25 birds Skeet H'cap: div. 10 shooters: A. Hopkins, 7 plus 19; R. Fallshaw, 0 plus 25; N. McKenzie, 6 plus 21; R. Fox, 6 plus 21; R. Siede, J. Siede, 0 plus 25; N. Dixon, 5 plus 21; D. Edgerton, 0 plus 25; M. Goulding, 5 plus 25.

Skeet break badges are now being presented by the club, and President made presentations to those entitled and present on this day: R. Siede 125, R. Fallshaw 75, R. Burrill 50, D. O'Callaghan 50, D. Edgerton 50, Bob Ferres 25, G. Biggs 25, F. Thatcher 25, J. Siede 25, P. Hanrahan 25.

26/6/65.—Attendance: 83 shooters. 8 pair D'ville Doubles: div. 12 pairs: G. Read - R. Dinsdale, G. Jones - E. Colautti, W. Gresselle - R. Johns, B. Irwin - A. Buskauskas, J. Siede - R. Siede, S. Henwood - W. Dalzell, B. Roberts - D. O'Callaghan, K. Venables - L. Swain, J. Henwood - W. Abbott, S. Thomson - P. Henwood, D. Edgerton - G. Biggs, L. Turner - E. McGoldrick. City of Nunawading Deauville Doubles C'ship: S. Henwood - Bill Dalzell, 79/79; Bob Buchan - D. McCraith, 78/79. 15 birds D.B. H'cap: div. Bill Gresselle, N. Di Lorenzo, J. Stevens, L. Crockett, G. Jones, A. McCulloch, E. McGoldrick, L. Turner, H. Howard, 15/15. 15 shooters div. the 25 birds Skeet H'cap: R. Siede, D. Edgerton, 0 plus 25; G. Read, 3 plus 24; G. Biggs, 0 plus 25; F. Whitten, 8 plus 20; C. Hansen, 8 plus 20; A. Beveridge, 5 plus 20; I. Porter, 3 plus 23; F. Thatcher, R. Jennings, 2 plus 24; P. Hanson, 4 plus 23; F. Varney, 8 plus 23; J. Henwood, 3 plus 22; Bill Abbott, 6 plus 23; T. Lucas, 2 plus 23. Half-round of 12 birds Skeet H'cap: div. 10, B. Roberts, R. Fallshaw, D. O'Callaghan, G. Biggs, D. Edgerton, 0 plus 12; J. Heslop, A. Beveridge, 3 plus 10; A. Hopkins, 3 plus 9; F. Varney, 3 plus 10; T. Wilkinson, 2 plus 11.

Roy Fallshaw missed one in his first event and ended his break at 108.

(J. A. Lucas, Sec.)

BALLANDEAN (Qld.), 20/6/65.—Conditions: wet day. Attendance: 25. No. 1. 5-bird D.B. (off 16 yds.): div. A. Griffiths, A. J. Smith, L. Day, E. Chizzotti, N. Smith, G. Smith, H. J. Smith, Mrs. Paget, F. Paget, E. Anderson, G. Lynam, S. C. Smith, A. H. Smith, J. Elliott, J. Lynam, 5/5. No. 2. Club D.B. C'ship (20 birds off 16 yds.): 1st, L. Day, 56/56; 2nd, B. Norris, 55/56; best 14/15 yds., 48/49; best 12/13 yds., J. Cay, 31/33. No. 3. 15 pts. Club Trophy: S. C. Smith, 60/60; best 12/13 yds., G. Smith, 40/45. No. 4. 10 pair D. Rise: H. J. Smith, A. H. Smith, G. Lynam, 19/20.

In spite of a wet day (our first for seven months), this proved to be a very good shoot. Five shooters hit the possible in the Club C'ship. Stafford Smith and Jack Lynam were the first to go, both dropping their 46th bird.

Dick De Luca shot one more before dropping out. This left Brian Norris and Les Day to "battle it out". Brian missed his 56th target to give the C'ship to Les; congrats., Les. The club trophy was won by Stafford Smith after a shoot-off with Noel Smith and Gerrard Lynam.

(Noel Smith, Sec.)

BARCALDINE (Qld.), 5/6/65.—Weather: fine. Attendance: 30. No. 1. Cent. Qld. D.B. C'ship: 1st, O. G. Hill, 20/20; 2nd, K. Brown, 38/39; 3rd, W. Tennant, 37/39. No. 2. Cent. Qld. S.B. C'ship: 1st, R. Bailey, 19/20; 2nd, J. Gibson, 28/30; 3rd, J. Counsell, 27/30. No. 3. Cent. Qld. D'ville Doubles C'ship: 1st, H. A. McDonald - W. Tennant, 26/26 prs.; 2nd, A. J. Anderson - E. O. Moyse, 25/26 prs. No. 4. Cent. Qld. D. Rise C'ship: 1st, N. Wright, 27/30; 2nd, N. McLellan, 25/30; 3rd, J. Counsell, 24/30. No. 5. 20-bird D.B.: div. R. Bailey, R. Wright, K. Brown, 20/20, div. No. 6. 20-bird D.B.: div. O. G. Hill, M. Stoneman, R. Chandler, E. Ellem, 20/20.

Night Shoot.—Qld. Night D. Rise C'ship: 1st, N. McLellan, 29/38; 2nd, E. O. Moyse, 28/38; 3rd, R. Bailey, 24/32.

This was our first shoot for 1965, and considering the drought conditions in Central Queensland, was quite a success, with shooters coming by plane from Winton and Moreela, others coming by car also from Ilfracombe, Aramac, Blackall, Kelly's Creek and Winton. Thanks to all the willing helpers.

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

BARELLAN (N.S.W.), 8/5/65.—Weather conditions: mild and north wind. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1. 5-bird D.B.: L. Dow, E. Albert, M. Stanmore, K. Sim, W. Smith, I. Hulme, H. Grant, 5/5, div. No. 2. 10-bird D.B.: M. Stanmore, L. Dow, E. Albert, K. Sim, 5/5, div. No. 3. Trophy: M. Weymouth, 1st; K. Sim, 2nd; E. Albert, 3rd. K. Sim received cup for High Gun score of day.

A very good day's shooting, with a good attendance for a small town and a new club. Considering the wind, there was some fine shooting for the day. K. Sim won the High Gun (a cup given by L. Dow), N. Bryce top scoring for the 12 yds. Four other new shooters are well worth some praise — two Baldwin brothers and two Rudd brothers. We hope to hear more from them in the near future.

(H. Grant, Hon. Sec.)

BARMERA (S.A.), 13/6/65.—Weather conditions: ideal. Attendance: 47. Results: No. 1. 10-bird D.B.: D. Cameron, D. Bannear, R. Barrett, K. Coats, P. Harvey, L. Dunn, A. Osborne, T. Moritz, D. Brown, K. Doddridge, L. Earl, M. Earl, A. Grose, J. Doyle, B. Mutton, M. Sims, 10/10, div. No. 2. I.C.I. Trophy (20-bird D.B. H'cap): 9 possibilities: 1st, K. Wait, 30/30; 2nd, J. Collins, 27/28. No. 3. Club D.D. C'ship (20 pairs): 1st, I. Warrick - P. Caddy, 48/48; 2nd, K. Doddridge - R. Kimber, 47/48; 3rd, A. Osborne - J. Collins, 35/36. No. 4. Riverland D.B. C'ship (20 birds, 16 yds.): 1st, P. Mules, 48/48; 2nd, J. Doyle, 48/49; C. Hollow, 3rd, 47/49; F/M. trophy, D. Brown, 42/43. No. 5. High Gun on 1, 2 and 4: M. Sims, D. Brown, 50/50.

A most enjoyable day, thanks to visitors' help with refereeing, etc., also club members with pulling and trapping. Thanks to our

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The CENTRAL RIVERINA D'VILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

plus the HUDSON CHALLENGE SHIELD

To be shot for on

SATURDAY, 21st AUGUST, 1965

Commencing at 10 a.m.

No. 1 Event — 10-BIRD D.B. HANDICAP. Comp. Div.

No. 2 Event — 4 PAIRS DEAUVILLE DOUBLES

No. 3 Event —

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Trophies and Sashes for winners, with Trophies for second.

No. 4 Event —

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Nom. for Shield, 5/- per man.

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ladies for a most enjoyable hot lunch and more than adequate afternoon tea—good girls.

Congratulations to all event winners and place-getters, particularly Phillip Mules for his 48/48 in the C'ship. You have trained him well, Bob. Also Ken Wait, who ran out an easy winner in the I.C.I., and Ian Warwick, who didn't require any help from me in the D'ville Doubles. Good shooting, men.

Finally the barbecue cooks. Mrs. and Ben Hazel and Ray; I'm sure everyone who stayed will join me in saying, "Many thanks for a delightful meal."

It's most gratifying to the committee to see so many enjoying themselves at our after-shoot proceedings. We hope to see you again next June, if not sooner.

(Peter Cuddy, Sec.)

BARWON HEADS (V.), 19/6/65.—Weather conditions: cool, but fine. Results: No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: T. Russ, 10/10, 1st; H. Walker, K. Rankin, K. Reeves, H. Edwards, 9/10, div. 2nd and 3rd. No. 3, 20-bird S.B. C'ship: H. Walker, 23/23; A. McIntosh, 22/23; K. Rankin, 18/20.

Owing to severe competition from other clubs, attendance was small, but I am sure those shooters who were with us enjoyed the afternoon. The first event was cancelled. Tony Russ won the second event with a score of 10/10; H. Walker, K. Rankin, K. Reeves and H. Edwards divided 2nd and 3rd with 9/10 each. Third event, 20-bird S.B. C'ship, was won with some very nice shooting by Harry Walker, 23/23; 2nd, A. McIntosh, 22/23, and K. Rankin, 3rd, 18/20.

Afternoon tea was served by Mrs. Edwards and, the weather being cool, that cup of tea was much enjoyed.

(Frank Fiddes, Hon. Sec.)

BATHURST (N.S.W.), 19/6/65. — 5-bird D.B.: K. Burrow, E. Field, D. Middleton, L. Alexander, H. Jaques, W. Burrow, T. Suttor, P. Rosconi, R. Hansen, L. Hansen, L. Goodwin, 5/5, div. 10-bird D.B.: K. Burrow, H. McDiarmid, H. Jaques, P. Rosconi, L. Tobin, R. Hansen, L. Hansen, L. Goodwin, 10/10, div. 10-bird D.B. Trophy: H. Wright, D. Middleton, L. Alexander, W. Burrow, P. Rosconi, L. Goodwin, 10/10 — shoot-off: L. Goodwin (Wallerawang, 15/15, 1st; W. Burrow (Bathurst), 14/15, 2nd; D. Middleton (Orange), 13/14, 3rd. 5 pairs D'ville Doubles: H. Wright - K. Burrow, H. McDiarmid - E. Field, D. Middleton - L. Alexander, P. Rosconi - L. Tobin, R. Hansen - L. Hansen, L. Goodwin - A. Rosconi, 5/5, 5 pairs D. Rise: H. McDiarmid, E. Field, D. Middleton, 4/5, 5 pairs D. Rise: D. Middleton, P. Rosconi, R. Hansen, 4/5. Keith Soames Cup (over three shoots): P. Rosconi (Bathurst), 90/90, 1st; L. Alexander (Sydney), 88/90; H. Wright (Orange), 87/90; D. Middleton (Orange), 84/90; R. Hansen (Orange), 84/90; S. Black (Bathurst), 84/90; L. Hansen (Orange), 83/90; E. Field (Orange), 82/90; H. Jaques (Bathurst), 81/90; W. Burrow (Bathurst), 81/90. Fred Mayo Trophy (over four shoots): P. Rosconi (Bathurst), L. Alexander (Sydney), 40/40; H. Wright, 39/40; E. Field, W. Burrow, D. Middleton, 38/40; H. Jaques, R. Hansen, L. Hansen, 37/40; A. Rosconi, S. Black, 36/40.

The main trophy event saw a well-deserved win for Les Goodwin, a Wallerawang Club

visitor, who defeated Bill Burrow (Bathurst) following a 15-bird shoot-off. Goodwin had shown good form at earlier shoots, but could not break through for a win. Don Middleton (Orange) was third, revealing some of his best form. He gave other shooters a fine exhibition later by being the only man to score possibles in two double-rise events.

The attendance at the shoot was disappointing, but the standard was very high. Harry McDiarmid showed he is well on the way to complete recovery after recent illness, and from his 23-yard handicap, shared in three sweepstakes.

(Terry Jones, Sec.)

BERRIDALE (V.), 12/6/65.—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, Monaro Dist. D. Rise C'ship: 1st, L. Blewitt, 24/24; 2nd, R. Hedger, 23/24; 3rd, N. Nicholson, 33/34; F/M., K. Muir, 19/20. No. 2, Monaro Dist. D'ville Doubles C'ship: 1st, C. Spence - J. Griffin, 90/90; 2nd, Mrs. P. Byrne - D. Byrne, 89/90; 3rd, R. Sands - R. Hedger, 44/45. No. 3, £20 H'cap (15 birds D.B.): 1st, div. M. Lyons, R. Sands, W. Mackay, N. Nicholson Mrs. P. Byrne, G. Tilyard, O. Feilen, B. Scanes.

We had a lovely warm day for our two championships, and had a total of 30 shooters in attendance. There were two possibles in the D. Rise C'ship, with L. Blewitt gaining first from R. Hedger, N. Nicholson had to shoot off with four others before he gained third place, and K. Muir F/M. In the D.D. C'ship four pairs shot 20/20. A long and exciting shoot-off was finally won by Col. Spence - Jim Griffin with 90/90; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Byrne, 89/90; 3rd, R. Sands - R. Hedger, 44/45; 4th, B. Hawke - G. McGuire, 38/39.

All enjoyed a delicious afternoon tea provided by the ladies.

(Rodger Sands, Hon. Sec.)

BOTHWELL (Tas.), 8/5/65.—Weather conditions: fine and calm. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: R. Blake, T. Newman, B. Filby, M. Munnings, K. Pulford, S. Marshall, D. Taylor, M. Jenkins, 5/5. No. 2, S. Dists. D.B. C'ship: S. Marshall, 43/43; G. Richardson, 42/43; R. Ward, 40/41; F/M. trophy, D. Monks, 24/25. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Trophy: M. Munnings, 28/28; R. Ward, 27/28; S. Marshall, 22/23; G. Richardson, 21/23 (four awards). No. 4, 10-bird S.B.: B. Filby, S. Marshall, D. Monks, M. Munnings, 8/10.

(Mrs. M. Nelson, Hon. Sec.)

BOORT (V.), 19/6/65.—Weather conditions: mild. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: 7 div., L. Toose, C. Radcliffe, R. Peacock, F. Phelan, A. Gourlay, V. Kelly, D. Moore, 15/15. No. 2, 15-bird D.B.: 1st, C. Radcliffe, 17/17; 2nd, A. Gourlay, 16/17; 3rd, R. Peacock, 26/27; 12 yd. F/M., W. Varis, 12/15; ladies' trophy, Mrs. J. Piccoli, No. 3, 10 birds: div. F. James, K. Fannings, A. Gourlay, I. Whyteross.

Apart from the regular shooters, our club was very pleased to welcome Frank Phelan of Donald Mackintosh's, Melbourne. He was up amongst the field all day. Nice to see the two boys from Birchip. Congratulations to the winners and to Bill Varis, who received his first trophy — the first of many, we hope.

(J. F. T. Piccoli, per F.P.)

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Saturday, 7th (Day Shoot):

V.G.C. Double-barrel Championship

20 Birds D.B. from 16 yards.

Wednesday Night, 11th:

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BOTHWELL (Tas.), 12/6/65. — Weather conditions: fine, but cold. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 4 prs. D'ville Doubles: V. Mitchell - E. Johnson, D. Taylor - R. Ward. E. Nelson - K. Pulford, P. Morse - R. Philpott, G. Johnson - L. Johnson, R. Monks - D. White, B. Filby - G. Richardson, N. Thorne - M. Jenkins, 4/4. No. 2, Southern Dists. D'ville Doubles C'ship: C. Davis - D. Gray, 37/37; S. - P. Marshall, 36/37; E. Nelson - K. Pulford, D. Taylor - R. Ward, 19/20. No. 3, D.B. Trophy: D. Gray, 38/38; N. Thorne, 37/38; C. Davis, 36/37. No. 4, 5-bird S.B.: N. Thorne, M. Jenkins, T. Newman, 5/5.

(M. Nelson, Hon. Sec.)

BOYUP BROOK (W.A.), 13/6/65. — Weather conditions: blustery. Attendance: fair. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 1st, T. Chapman, K. Schinzig, 5/5, div. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: 1st, C. Bignell, W. Hack, 5/5, div. No. 3, 5-bird Walk-up: 1st, W. Hack, 5/5. No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise: 1st, E. Chapman, 8/10. No. 5, 4 pr. D'ville Doubles: 1st, T. Chapman - J. Staniforth Smith, K. Schinzig - P. Cochrane, 8/8, div. High Gun Trophy: W. Hack.

(J. R. Staniforth-Smith, Hon. Sec.)

BRISBANE (Qld.), 27/6/65. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 39. Results: No. 1, Progressive 20-bird D.B. Pts.: High Gun,

W. Rainbird, 59/60; A Grade, G. Mawer; B Grade, M. Gough; C Grade, E. Wardrop. No. 2, President's Trophy (30 birds D.B.): 1st, J. Gibson, 70/70; 2nd, D. Evans, 69/70; 3rd, J. Farrow, 60/61; best 12 yds., Dr. G. L. Middleton, 25/30. No. 3, Afternoon High Gun: G. Rao, 49/50.

There was a good roll-up of members for President's Trophy day, despite the fact that the weather did not look promising earlier, but, fortunately, it turned out quite a pleasant afternoon.

Len Shanco's handsome trophy went to visitor John Gibson from Kelly's Creek, after John had outlasted the other two possibles (Dave Evans and John Farrow) in the shoot-off.

Our congratulations to Tasmanian - Queensland Bill Rainbird, who was high-gun in the progressive scores, and to Joe Rao, who won his third over-all high-gun club mug. Congratulations were also the order of the day to the Ron Porters, who have a new baby daughter.

Many shooters will be sorry to hear of the passing of Max Harrold, who suffered a heart attack. Max was a former President of the Brisbane Gun Club, and helped considerably in the organisation of the club. We extend our sympathy to his wife and family.

(Mrs. E. Mackey, Pub. Officer.)



Finalists in Mildura Car Shoot.

L. to R.—R. Ellison, R. Lourie (Banalla), R. Manuel (Kerang) R. Blake (Mildura) and R. Carver (Hay). Carver won the tie shoot for the car.

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Saturday, August 28:
COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND DOUBLE-BARREL C'SHIP

Saturday, September 11: 9th Round R.A.C. TROPHY

Saturday, September 25:
STATE WALK-UP and COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND
INTERMEDIATE DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Friday Night, October 1:
COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND NIGHT D.B. C'SHIP

Saturday, October 9: 10th Round R.A.C. TROPHY

Friday Night, October 15:
STATE INTERMEDIATE NIGHT D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP

Saturday, October 23:
COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND SINGLE-BARREL and
INTERMEDIATE SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Friday Night, October 29:
COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND NIGHT S.B. C'SHIP

Saturday, November 6: 11th Round R.A.C. TROPHY

Friday Night, November 12:
COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND NIGHT D'VILLE DOUBLES
CHAMPIONSHIP

Saturday, November 20:
COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND DEAUVILLE DOUBLES
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Friday Night, November 26:
COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND MIXED BIRD C'SHIP

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BROKEN HILL (N.S.W.), 6/6/65.—Weather conditions: excellent. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 10 birds: L. Kolstad, H. Mellowship, C. Johnston, A. Pearson, G. Hoskins, A. Commons, P. Harvey, B. Mapison, div. No. 2, 10 birds: L. Kolstad, A. Pearson, R. Wakefield, A. Commons, N. Drumgold, J. Sweetapple, P. Fioretti, W. McKean, P. Harvey, div. No. 3, 10-bird Pts.: A. Langsford, B. Anderson. No. 4, 15-bird Trophy: possible, L. Kolstad, C. Johnston, R. Wakefield, B. Murphy, L. Campbell, B. Anderson, J. Cutting—1st, R. Wakefield, 45/45; 2nd, B. Anderson, 44/45; 3rd, B. Murphy, 29/30; 15/16 yds., L. Kolstad, 19/20. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: L. Campbell. No. 6, 5 pr. D'ville Doubles: 8 pairs 6 possibles.

A good roll-up of shooters attended to enjoy a very pleasant day's shooting. Ron Wakefield showed some of his true form in taking a very creditable first place in Trophy event. Second placing went to a grateful Secretary. Third trophy went to our trapper, Ben Murphy. A pleasing win to Len Kolstad, who took out the yardage trophy. Lionel Campbell shot consistently, but did not take honours until the Double Rise event, in which he demonstrated the correct method to gain the possible.

Our thanks again to the ladies for their usual excellent catering.

(Brian Anderson, Hon. Sec.)

BUNDABERG (Qld.), 6/6/65.—Weather conditions: windy. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1, Qld. Intermed. D.B. C'ship: 1st, F. W. Walker, 19/20; 2nd, N. Chew; 3rd, I. Moller. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. H'cap: 1st, P. Anderson, 20/20; 2nd, A. Foster; 3rd, E. Hannay. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. Pts.: 1st, A. Foster, 59/60; 2nd, P. Anderson, 58/60; 3rd, D. Hamann, 55/60. No. 4, 5-bird S.B.: 1st, A. Le Blowitz, 5/5; 2nd, I. Moller; 3rd, D. Hamann.

A very successful Show shoot was held, with 17 showmen attending. F. W. Walker won the Old. Intermed. D.B. C'ship after a shoot-off with local shooter Noel Chew. Childers Club member Ivan Moller was third. Peter Anderson and "Pickey" Foster fought out the next two events and scored a win each. High Gun for the day was won by "Pickey" Foster.

Other shooters came from Brisbane, Maryborough, Childers, Coalstoun Lakes and Gin Gin. Thank you very much, ladies, for the barbecue lunch and tea and the lovely afternoon tea. We all appreciate your help.

(Mrs. O. L. Horricks, Hon. Sec.)

BURDEKIN (Qld.).—Another successful shoot was held at the Burdekin Gun Club grounds on Saturday night, 22/5/65, and Sunday, 23/5/65. Sixty-nine shooters contested most events, and Mackay, Proserpine, Giru, Townsville, Charters Towers, Ingham and Silkwood were well represented, and even one shooter from Brisbane. This Brisbaneite, Alec Chesney, is no stranger to the Burdekin, and he does not need much encouraging to return to his old stamping grounds.

The shooting, as always here, was of a very high standard, and the unreadable "Damo's" recently installed seemed to have improved the shooting, much to the surprise of some of the chaps who like to know where the last one went. With two "Damo's", one

automatic trap, a 40-ft. steel tower with a plus trap on top and arc lights for night shooting, our club must be well to the fore, and with further improvements planned, should soon rate high in the list of clubs participating in this wonderful sport. Congratulations to all the winners, and thank you to all the visitors.

Nth. Qld. Night S.B. C'ship was won by Ken Miller, with Ken Knuth and Sam Vitale second and third. Some 20 shooters shot the possible in the £40 H'cap which followed, and amongst these Ted Bell is worthy of mention, as Ted, well in his seventies, showed some of the younger shooters that as long as your memory is good, you don't have to see them at night.

The Nth. Qld. D'ville Doubles C'ship was won on Sunday by R. McAllister and R. Hodder, who downed R. Landrigan and N. Hartwell, 53/53. Our £100 H'cap was won by W. Phelan, L. Ashworth and M. Hartwell. Our £50 and £25 H'caps had too many possibles to mention, and I hope the shooters concerned won't miss seeing their names in print and were happy with the increased payouts by this club.

(Ron Landrigan, Hon. Sec.)

CAMBERWELL (V.), at Point Cook in aid of Legacy, 14/6/65.—No. 1, 15-bird Pts.: 6 possibles, div. E. Lowery, G. Ash, E. Colautti, N. Mitchell, M. Rushford, L. Hendra, 45/45 pts. No. 2, Winchester Western H'cap (30 birds D.B.): 1st, L. Hendra (Werribee), 58/58, from J. Moore, 57/58; D. Preston, 50/51, after a very keen fight; altogether there were ten shooters who shot the possible and fought the shoot-off. Experience and steadiness told in the end and congratulations go to the winner. No. 3, 15-bird D.B.: 17 possibles, div.

In all, the Lilydale Club (late Camberwell Gun Club), who conducted the shoot, raised over \$400 for Legacy, and the club desires to extend to all the shooters and F. W. Green & Co. (who kindly donated all trophies) their thanks for such a fine effort, also to all who assisted in conducting the events. Thank you very much.

It was very pleasing to see Les Hendra take out the first prize, and congratulations on not missing a bird all day—88 break.

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CENTRAL BURNETT (Qld.), 13/6/65. — Weather conditions: cloudy. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 13 possibles. div. No. 2, Cent. Burnett D.B. C'ship (20 birds): 1st, B. Mackey; 2nd, P. Anderson, 3rd, G. Ethell. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. Pts. H'cap: 1st, G. Ethell; 2nd, W. Allbrand; 3rd, P. Anderson, G. Darlington. No. 4, I.C.I. Trophy (15 birds S.B.): 1st, G. Nixon; 2nd, P. Gerrard; 3rd, K. Trusz. High Gun: G. Nixon (Brisbane). Intermediate High Gun: P. Gerrard (Lakes End).

(D. F. Smith, Hon. Sec.)

CHILDERS (Qld.), 27/6/65.—Weather conditions: cold and windy. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: D. Hamann, G. Upham, G. Horrocks, J. Gray, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: D. Fewowandie, 1st; J. Gray, 2nd, in shoot-off from A. Le Blowitz, G. Upham. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: P. Anderson, R. Thompson, 30/30 — in shoot-off, R. Thompson won. No. 4, 10-bird S.B.: P. Anderson, 1st, 10/10; G. Upham, 9/10, won from I. Moller, 9/10, in shoot-off. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: D. Hamann, G. Upham, J. Nielson, R. L. Smith, 10/10 — in shoot-off, J. Nielson won from D. Hamann.

We have now moved to a new location and installed an automatic (Snipe) trap, which now provides a better standard of shooting all round. We had eight visitors from Bundaberg Club, which made the afternoon a great success.

I.C.I.A.N.Z. Ltd. donated four first prizes, which we appreciate considerably.

(R. L. Smith, Hon. Sec.)

CLERMONT (Qld.), 30/5/65. — Weather conditions: clear and glarey, with a slight cross breeze. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: C. Barton, F. Henn, E. Barton, P. Barton, G. Rudd, N. Massey, P. McGuire, A. Henderson, M. Irving, W. Fraser, div. No. 2, 15-bird D.B. Pts.: 1st, A. Henderson; 2nd, N. Massey; 3rd, P. Barton. No. 3, 25-bird S.B.: 1st, P. McGuire; 2nd, P. Barton; 3rd, M. Irving. No. 4, 5-bird S.B.: N. Massey, A. Henderson, A. Henn, div. No. 5, 25-bird D.B. Kills: 1st, J. (S.R.) MacDonald; 2nd, R. Griffin; 3rd, E. Barton. No. 6, 10-bird Skeet: 1st, G. Rudd, W. Fraser; 2nd, E. Barton, N. Massey, A. Henderson.

Shooting throughout was of very high standard, with the following break qualifications: Chris Henn (50), John MacDonald, Peter McGuire, E. Barton (75).

The Mobil Oil Company have kindly donated a trophy which is to be used as a High Gun Trophy throughout the year's shooting. The first round of the competition was conducted on this shoot, with Peter McGuire scoring 93 to lead the way from Tony Henderson (98), followed by Peter Barton (89).

(Miss J. Kennedy, Hon. Sec.)

CLONCURRY (Qld.), 13/6/65. — Weather conditions: raining, with gusty wind. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: N. Richards, D. Murray, E. Lemmon, 5/5. No. 2, 15-bird S.B. Trophy: R. Wharton, N. Richards, G. Beuchler, D. Murray, 15/15 (winner shoot-off, D. Murray). No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: K. Kelman, D. Murray, E. Lemmon, 10/10. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. Nth. West Qld. C'ship: K. Kelman, 20/20, 1st; E. Lemmon,

19/20, 2nd; T. Wellington, D. Murray, 18/20 (3rd shoot-off, D. Murray). No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: R. Wharton, I. Stanger, D. Murray, D. Hatfield, 10/10. No. 6, 20-bird D.B. Pts.: D. Murray, 59/60 pts., 1st; T. Wellington, 54/60 pts., 2nd; equal 3rd, N. Richards, D. Hatfield, 53/60 pts.

Conditions, raining, with very gusty winds. Owing to conditions, night shoot and title abandoned. D. Murray handled conditions well, only dropping two birds over whole shoot. Novices again shot well, with R. Wharton most outstanding. Remaining part of programme, including night title shoot (North West Qld. S.B. C'ship) to be shot at later date.

(N. Jenner, Hon. Sec.)

COLAC (V.), 5/6/65.—Weather conditions: dull, but fine. — Miss Jean Flowers of Colac stole the show at our monthly shoot on Saturday with a well-compiled score of 20/20 in open company. Using the valuable gun won by her father, Noel Flowers, at a Colac shoot a year ago, Miss Flowers ran up an impressive score of 26 straight kills in the first two events, calling on the second barrel only once. In the tie shoot with three men in the 20-bird main event, she took off third prize.

First place in this event went to Don Corstorphane, 22/22, with Albert Carroll (Noorat) second, 22/23. The other finalist, Merv. Holloway (Warrnambool) took the back-markers' trophy.

Although the weather was fine and calm, the cloudy sky provided poor light, particularly in the last event. Thirty-one competitors shot over the day, with visitors from Cobden, Noorat and Warrnambool.

Ray Parker was welcomed back to the club after his shooting tour through Spain and Italy. He performed well against the world-class gun shots he met. "Tension," he said, "in the big events carrying prize money of thousands of pounds is high, and only those with nerves of steel or those who are prepared to resort to drugs manage to reach the winning bracket."

New shooter Dave Hambrook shot well and scored 17/20 in the main event.

Results: 5-bird Pts.: A. Carroll, T. Davis, L. Reicha, Jean Flowers, J. Martin, P. Stinchcombe, S. Walker, E. Osborne, T. Slater, 15/15, div. 20-bird D.B.: D. Corstorphane, 22/22, 1st; A. Carroll, 22/23, 2nd; Jean Flowers, 21/23, 3rd; F/M., J. Martin, 19/23; M/M., E. Osborne, 22/23; B/M., M. Holloway, 20/21; C. Grist, A. McSweeney, T. Davis, M. Sutherland, 19/20. 10-bird Pts.: D. Corstorphane, M. Sutherland, 27/30; L. Reicha, A. McSweeney, 26/30; S. Mitchell, 25/30; E. Osborne, 24/30.

(D. Corstorphane, P/O.)

COOTAMUNDRA (N.S.W.), 20/6/65. — Weather conditions: fine and calm. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: G. Lymbery, K. Oldfield, J. Thompson, A. Sheather, L. Bird, R. Hall, Bill Manning, F. Chudleigh, F. English, H. Mohr, S. Pinnermore. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: J. Thompson, A. Sheather, K. Ridley, L. Bird, F. English, H. Mohr, S. Pinnermore. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. Cootamundra C'ship: 1st, H. Mohr; 2nd, K. Oldfield; 3rd, J. Thompson; F/M., P. Clarke. No. 4, 10-bird Pts.: S. Bell, G. Lymbery,

K. Oldfield, K. Ridley, T. Johnson, F. Chudleigh, J. Forsyth, H. Mohr, div. No. 5, 5-bird Walk-up: J. Thompson, J. O. Cox, Jack Medway, K. Ridley, J. Forsyth.

The main event of the day was the Cootamundra D.B. C'ship. It was won after an extended shoot-off by Harry Mohr, with Keith Oldfield second and Jim Thompson third. The shoot-off went to \$9, with Harry shooting 114 straight altogether. Peter Clarke won his second front-marker trophy in a row, so now leaves this category. Jim Thompson was the most consistent shooter to win the High Gun with 45/45, closely followed by Len Bird and Harry Mohr, with 44/45.

(Tom Johnson, Hon. Sec.)

COWRA (N.S.W.), 5/6/65.—Weather: good. Attendance: 10. No. 1: H. Jaques, R. Gittos, H. Wright, L. Bird. No. 2, Trophy: 1st, L. Bird; 2nd, R. Gittos; F/M., A. Mulligan. No. 3: R. Gittos, R. Toshack, L. Bird. No. 4, Trophy: 1st, A. Martens; 2nd, H. Jaques; F/M., M. Cass. No. 5: H. Jaques, L. Bird.

Although only 10 shooters were in attendance, the shooting was of a good standard. The first trophy event was won by club President, Len Bird, who shot very well over the whole programme. Second was Bob Gittos, and the front-marker trophy was won by A. Mulligan. The second trophy event saw a return to the winning list for Bert Martens: second was Harry Jaques, and the front-marker was a new shooter in the shape of Michael Cass.

(A. S. Thompson, Hon. Sec.)

CROYDON (V.), 5/6/65. — Weather conditions: fine and cool. Attendance: 48. Results: No. 1, Croydon and Dist. Inter. S.B. C'ship: 1st, T. Delorenzo, 22/23; 2nd, G. J.

Jones, 21/23; 3rd, K. Boutell, 17/20; 12/14 yds., M. Miller, 16/20. No. 2, Back Markers' C'ship: 1st, F. Johnson, 21/21; 2nd, W. Abbott, 20/21; 3rd, G. Read, 30/33. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: A. Hopkins, W. Dalzell, G. Read, R. Buchan, G. Shepherd, B. McNally, C. Fankhauser, M. Miller.

Good attendance of 48 for S.B. C'ships. Tista Delorenzo, 22/23, won the Intermediate sash from G. J. Jones, 21/23; Kevin Boutell, 17/20, was the next best score for third place. Mick Miller, 16/20, took home the 12/14 yd. trophy. A Back Markers' C'ship run in conjunction was won by Frank Johnson, 21/21, from W. Abbott, 20/21; G. Read, 30/33, 3rd.

We finished off the day with a 10-bird H'cap event, which was divided by A. Hopkins, W. Dalzell, G. Read, R. Buchan, G. Shepherd, B. McNally, C. Fankhauser and M. Miller, 10/10.

19/6/65.—Weather conditions: cool and fine. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, Yarra Valley Dist. D. Rise C'ship: 1st, G. Carroll, 24/26; 2nd, R. Buchan, 25/28; 3rd, R. Johns, 24/28; 12/14 yds., R. Dinsdale, 10/20; 15/16 yds., G. Lear, 16/22. No. 2, 20-bird D.B.: R. Dinsdale, R. Johns, C. Fankhauser, 20/20, div.

Yarra Valley Dist. D. Rise C'ship shot in fair conditions, and reasonable attendance of 30 shooters lined up for this event. Graham Carroll, who tried his hand out after being absent from the tracks for a short period, was successful in winning the sash with a good score of 24/26; R. Buchan, 25/28, 2nd, from R. Johns, 24/28, 3rd; 12/14 yds, went to R. Dinsdale, 10/20, and G. Lear, 16/22, collected 15/16 yd. trophy. A 20-bird H'cap followed, in which R. Dinsdale, R. Johns and C. Fankhauser shot 20/20 to divide the cash.

(G. Lear, Hon. Sec.)

BARWON HEADS CLAY PIGEON CLUB

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Ground Location—Geelong Road, 2 miles from town.

* SATURDAY, 21st AUGUST, 1965 *

***** Commencing 2 p.m. *****

20-bird Double-barrel Handicap

— TROPHY EVENT —

H. EDWARDS, President,
21 Thorne St., Barwon Heads.
Phone 201.

FRANK FIDDESS, Secretary.
Hitchcock Ave., Barwon Heads.

LILYDALE CLAY TARGET CLUB (V.)

(Late CAMBERWELL GUN CLUB)
(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Location: Turn left into Victoria Road from Maroondah Highway at "Lilydale" sign. Proceed along Victoria Road until ground is reached — about 3½ miles.

Official Opening Shoot - August 7

8 PAIRS DEAUVILLE DOUBLES. Comp. Div.

30 Pairs DEAUVILLE DOUBLES off 20 Yards

(One partner must not be handicapped more than 18 yards)

Trophies to the value of £50 (Courtesy R. W. Fox)

Nomination Main Event, 30/-.

August 21 — GRAND HANDICAP EVENT

10 BIRDS POINTS DECISION. Comp. Div.

30 BIRDS HANDICAP. Nomination £2.

Outright Winner to receive Gent's Wrist Watch.

First and Second in each of the following yardage groups to receive pair Binoculars and Barometer respectively.
12/15, 16/18, 19/22, 23 and over.

(Trophies courtesy RHODES MASON)

Afternoon Tea - - Ammunition available on Ground.

To enable the Committee to successfully conclude the first part of the building programme we need the joining fee from all intending members IMMEDIATELY. Please assist by forwarding your cheque to Rhodes Mason or the Secretary NOW.

G. J. JONES, President.
WF 7775.

W. R. JOHNS, Secretary.
50 6511.

DARWIN (N.T.), 13/6/65.—Weather conditions: clear, windy. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: Lorman, Wyatt, Rigoni, Jessup, Worrall, Viney, Turner, Celenza, 5/5, div. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. H'cap Trophy: 1st, G. Worrall, 20-7/7; 2nd, S. Lorman, 20-6/7; 3rd, R. Viney, 19; F/M., C. Kloubek, 18. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: Viney, Rigoni, Chiericoni, 10/10, div.

Despite gusty winds, shooting was of very high calibre, with G. Worrall and S. Lorman scoring a possible, closely followed by R. Viney (19), C. Kloubek, V. Chiericoni (18), J. Wyatt, G. Rigoni, W. Chin Quan (17), L. Jessup, N. Turner (16), B. Findlay (15), F. Celenza (13), and W. Gartner (12). In the shoot-off S. Lorman was unlucky to miss a very hard bird, leaving G. Worrall outright winner. Shooters were competing for the trophies generously donated annually by I.C.I.

At the annual general meeting new office-bearers were elected as follows: President, C. Kloubek; Vice-President, W. Gartner; Treasurer, J. McRae; Secretary, N. Turner; Committee, M. Risk, B. Nicholls, J. Wyatt, G. Rigoni, S. Lorman; Range Officer, R. Viney.

27/6/65.—Weather conditions: fine, very windy. Attendance: 12. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: G. Rigoni, N. Gartner, V. Chiericoni, S. Lorman, 5/5; C. Kloubek, R. Viney, N. Turner, B. Herridge, 4/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: S. Lorman, 5/5; G. Rigoni, N. Turner, B. Herridge, G. Goodwin, 4/5. No. 3, 10 pair D. Rise: R. Viney, 19; G. Rigoni, S. Lorman, 16; B. Herridge, 15; V. Chiericoni, 13; N. Turner, G. Goodwin, 12. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. (18 yds.): C. Kloubek, G. Rigoni, F. Celenza, W. Gartner, R. Viney, S. Lorman, N. Turner, B. Herridge, G. Goodwin, 4/5.

Despite the usual strong cross-wind, shooting was good and some very difficult birds were brought down, especially in the Double Rise event, won by Ray Viney, 19/20. This was remarkable shooting, and Ray will be a force to be reckoned with at the forthcoming Show shoot next month.

To round off the day (and to warm up—yes, even in Darwin) a barbecue was organised and a good time was had by all.

The Administrator of the Northern Territory, Mr. Roger Dean, has honoured us by becoming Patron of our club, and intends visiting us at our Walks in August to observe our sport.

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

DORRIGO (N.S.W.), 6/6/65.—Weather conditions: fine and windy. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: K. Smith, L. Sharp, G. Secombe, Roy Beaumont, I. Reid, A. McClenaghan, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird Pts.: R. Varley, P. Thompson, A. Cregan, A. McClenaghan, 29/30. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: I. Reid, C. Varley, 10/10; G. Secombe, D. Whittaker, R. Varley, 9/10. No. 4, 10-bird S.B. Sparrows (18 yds.): G. Secombe, R. Varley, 8/10; J. Raleigh, A. McClenaghan, 7/10. No. 5, 10-bird S.B. Sparrows (18 yds.): G. Secombe, 9/10; A. McClenaghan, 8/10; R. Varley, I. Reid, M. Kedzlie, D. Whittaker, P. Thompson, 6/10. No. 6, 10-bird D. Rise: R. and C. Varley, 10/10; A. Cregan, G. Secombe, D. Whittaker, 9/10. High Gun: G. Secombe, 54/60. Quail Drive: G. Secombe.

Visitors from Guyra and Coff's Harbour were welcomed and impressed with their performances. G.D.T. found his old touch to share most events.

Stand-in Secretary Merv. Kedzlie did a good job at short notice.

(W. E. Darley, Hon. Sec.)

DULVERTON (Tas.), 6/6/65.—Weather conditions: very windy. Attendance: 12. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: R. Monks, D. Taylor, R. Blake, div. No. 2, 15-bird S.B. Cent. Dist. C'ship: R. Wighton, 24/24; G. Richardson, 23/24; R. Blake, 22/23. No. 3, 20-bird D.B.: J. Tubb, 33/33; R. Blake, 32/33; G. Richardson, 19/20. No. 4, 10 birds: N. Thorne, 24/24; R. Wighton, 23/24; G. Richardson, 22/23.

Although gusty winds prevailed, shooting was of a very high standard. Ray Wighton proved too consistent for G. Richardson, who dropped out on his 24th bird in the Central Districts S.B. C'ship. J. Tubb and R. Blake gave a good display of shooting in the 20-bird D.B. H'cap. Rob. Blake missed his 33rd bird, and J. Tubb won the transitor, 33/33.

(Lance C. Wilson, Hon. Sec.)

ECHUCA (V.), 12/6/65.—Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 10 targets (16 yds.): div. A. James, F. James, W. Coulson, W. Makeham, W. Wickham, C. Radcliffe, F. Bradley, H. Gibson. No. 2, District Mixed Bird C'ship: W. Coulson, 24/25, 1st; W. Caldwell, 32/35, 2nd; J. Jamison, 31/35, 3rd. No. 3, 20-target H'cap Trophy: W. Makeham, 40/40, 1st; D. Rumbold, 39/40; C. Radcliffe, 27/28.

Visiting shooters from Cohuna, Tatura, Kerang, Huntly, Melbourne, and club members enjoyed a fine, sunny day to compete for the Echuca District Mixed Bird C'ship, and was won outright by Bill Coulson of Huntly with a fine display of shooting, dropping only one bird in the doubles, Bill Caldwell (Cohuna) and John Jamison (Kyabram), 23/25, shooting on for the placings.

Five shooters shot 20/20 in the Trophy event; W. Caldwell, W. Makeham, T. Berryman, D. Rumbold and C. Radcliffe and 10 shooters with hard-luck stories, 19/20. The shoot-off was a fine win for Bill Makeham (Kerang), 40/40, from Dave Rumbold (Toolleen), 39/40, and Charles Radcliffe (Kerang), 27/28.

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

EAST. GOLDFIELDS (Kalgoorlie, W.A.), 6/6/65.—Conditions: rain and wind. Only ten shooters faced up to the elements, which were very unpleasant.

The shoot comprised a half-round of Skeet, followed by a 10-bird D.B. Pts. Score. The trophy was for the best aggregate over both shoots.

Quite a few members recorded a possible in the Skeet with handicap, but only newcomer Max Bell was capable of shooting the ten down without loss of points. Max is being coached by Peter McBride and will soon be winning events. The old plus trap at Gindalbie Station has been oiled up and Peter and Max are putting a few odd hours in, we conclude.

METROPOLITAN CLAY TARGET CLUB (VICTORIA)

Formerly COBURG GUN CLUB.
Ground Location: Epping. (Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

SATURDAY, 14th AUGUST

Starting at 1.30 p.m. sharp.

15 BIRDS POINTS. Cash. Entry 20/-.

Northern Suburbs Double-barrel Championship

20 Birds from 16 yds. First, Second, Third, 12/15 yds. Trophies.
Sash to winner. Optional Sweep. Entry 25/-.

NORTHERN SUBURBS GRAND HANDICAP

20 BIRDS

First — STIRLING AUTO SHOTGUN, value £64/10/0
Second — PENTAX 7 x 50 INFRA RED BINOCULARS, value £22
Third — COMPANION PORTABLE GAS LAMP, value £11.
Also LADY'S TROPHY. :: Entry 50/-.

SATURDAY, 28th AUGUST

Starting at 1.30 p.m. sharp.

5 PAIR DOUBLE RISE. Cash. Entry 15/-.

Epping Double-rise Championship

10 Pairs from 16 yds. Trophies First, Second, Third, 12/15 yds.
Sash to winner. Optional Sweep. Entry 25/-.

Epping Double-barrel Sparrow Championship

20 Birds from 16 yds. Trophies First, Second, Third, 12/15 yds.
Sash to winner. Optional Sweep. Entry 25/-.

... 1965 GRAND PRIX CARNIVAL ...

OCTOBER 30, NOVEMBER 1 and 2.

FULL PROGRAMME NEXT ISSUE.

H. BELMORE, President.
47-5179.

C. J. COLLEDGE, Secretary,
12 Adler Gve., Merlynston, N.14
35-4835.

Sunday's trophy was won by back-marker Bill Montgomery with a score of 39/40, from Arthur Kilgallon. 37/40.

The committee are at present flat out getting ready for the two-day carnival on July 17 and 18 next, when a very attractive six-event programme will be presented.

Brochures have already been forwarded to all clubs, and the committee look forward to about 60 visitors making the long trip to Kalgoorlie for the carnival.

(W. Montgomery, P.O.)

FOSTER (V.), 12/6/65. — Weather conditions: drizzly rain, dull and cold. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts.: B. Barlow, M. Fox, J. White, E. Cripps, 30/30 pts., div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: I. Wushatsch, A. Hance, R. Glover, M. Fox, R. Missen, E. Cripps, E. Hamilton, H. Pearson, 10/10, div. No. 3: M. Fox, J. White, E. Cripps, 10/10, div. No. 4: I. Wushatsch, C. Arnup, R. Glover, P. Barlow, 9/10, div. High Gun: M. Fox, 38/40, 1st; E. Cripps, 54/60, 2nd; I. Wushatsch, 53/60, 3rd.

Weather conditions were drizzling rain, dull and cold, but really ideal for shooting. Shooters came from Yarram, Sale, Wonthaggi, Foster.

Thank you to all who helped during the afternoon. The Kindergarten Ladies served a delicious afternoon tea. Shooters came from Sale, Wonthaggi, Yarram and Foster.

(Mrs. Dorothy Cripps, Hon. Sec.)

GERALDTON (W.A.).—On Sun., 13/6/65, under overcast skies but otherwise pleasant conditions, a good roll-up of members contested the Club's Skeet C'ship. The Front-markers' Intermediate C'ship was also decided on this round, and the top five scores represent the club for the Inter-club Pennant Championship.

As a team, the club fared poorly, many prominent shooters failing to register good scores. John Glass maintained his good form to win the C'ship outright with a perfect 25. Dick Burton and Harry Finlay, with 23's, shot off for the minor placings and resulted 10/12 and 8/12 respectively. Intermediate champion was Eric Boschetti with a meritorious 22.

It was good to see Eddie Daw, Frank Oliveri and Harry Finlay back sniffing gunpowder. A 10-bird D.B. from handicap marks was cut by "Taffy" White, Boschetti, Daw, Lupp and Glass.

GERALDTON GUN CLUB (W.A.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

... £200 HANDICAP ...

Plus Commonwealth, State, and District Championships
SATURDAY, SEPT. 4th, and SUNDAY, SEPT. 5th, 1965

SATURDAY, SEPT. 4th — 10 a.m.:

State Intermediate Single-barrel Championship

Back Markers' Sweepstake Event included.

Saturday, p.m.: State Double-rise Championship

Teams Match included.

4 Shooters per team (Optional Entry).

Saturday Evening:

Geraldton Dist. Night Double-barrel Championship

SUNDAY, SEPT. 5th — 9 a.m.:

£200 — SUNSHINE HANDICAP — £200

1st £60, 2nd £30, 3rd £10 :: £100 in Yardage prizes.

Sunday, p.m.:

Commonwealth Double-barrel Sparrow Championship

Lunch on the Ground - - Cartridges available.

J. R. MEADOWS, Secretary, P.O. Box 774, Geraldton, W.A.

DUBBO GUN CLUB (N.S.W.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

TWO-DAY SHOOT • Aug. 28 & 29, 1965

FIRST DAY — Commencing 9.30 a.m.:

- Event No. 1 — 5-BIRD DOUBLE BARREL - - - - - Nomination 5/-
Event No. 2 — 15-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL CASH - - - - - Nomination 20/-
Event No. 3 — - - - - - Nomination 30/-

N.S.W. STATE DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

1st — Badges and Trophies. Trophies 2nd and 3rd. :: 10/- Optional Sweep.

- Event No. 4 — 30-BIRD POINT-SCORE TROPHY - - - - - Nomination 30/-
1st — Kangaroo Skin Rug. Trophies 2nd and 3rd. :: 10/- Optional Sweep.



SECOND DAY — Commencing 9 a.m.:

- Event No. 5 — 10-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL CASH - - - - - Nomination 15/-
Event No. 6 — 15-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL TROPHY - - - - - Nomination 30/-
1st — COFFEE TABLE CANTEEN OF CUTLERY. Trophies 2nd and 3rd. :: 10/- Optional Sweep.
Event No. 7 — - - - - - Nomination 120/-

30-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP

1st — Seven Day Teki Tour of New Zealand for Two, by courtesy of
Dubbo Travel Agency.

Trophies 2nd and 3rd. :: Optional Sweep 10/- each 10 targets.

- Event No. 8 — - - - - - Nomination 25/-

CENTRAL WEST SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

1st — Badge and Trophy. Trophies 2nd and 3rd. :: 10/- Optional Sweep.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

HIGH-GUN TROPHY - - - - - INTERMEDIATE HIGH-GUN TROPHY

FRONT-MARKER TROPHIES Events 4, 6 and 7.

TROPHIES AND MONEY GUARANTEED. :: Refreshments — Lunch — Shells available.

A CALCUTTA will be conducted on Main Event, Second Day. Drawing to take place at Pastoral Hotel, commencing at 8 p.m. on evening of First Day.

Shooters requiring accommodation are requested to contact Jim Crampton (Phone: Dubbo 3736) or Secretary, Box 217, Dubbo, not later than 7 days prior to Shoot.

GEORGE HENKEL, Shoot Master.

K. HEYWOOD, President,
"Kilburnie". Phone: Narromine 155-N.

T. J. JONES, Secretary,
Box 217, Dubbo. Phone: Dubbo 4106.

Presentation of trophies by President Lou Lupp and afternoon tea served by the ladies concluded a pleasant outing for all.

28/6/65.—On Sunday, June 27, a good roll-up of members was on hand to contest the Bill Elliott Memorial Trophy. Overcast skies, a cold, blustery, nor'-westerly wind, and intermittent showers of rain made conditions difficult and the birds particularly elusive.

Shooting from handicap, John Glass returned the only clean score of 30/30, and so holds for twelve months the lovely and valuable trophy commemorating the club's founder, the late Bill Elliott. Equal second were Jim Boyes, Dick Burton and Phil Miragliotta with 28/30.

The Front-markers' trophy was won by Eric Boschetti with 27/30, and others to score 27 were: Bob Sweett, Sam Zorino (last year's winner), Lou Pember, Taffy White, and Joe Costantino. The last two named contested the shoot-off for the front-markers' trophy.

At the conclusion of the main event a sweepstake over five pairs of double-rose was div. by Dick Burton and Jim Boyes, 10/10.

Trophies were presented by Vice-President Bill Heath. Afternoon tea was prepared by the ladies.

(W. J. Glass, Pub. Officer.)

GIRU (Qld.), 6/6/65.—Weather conditions: fine and sunny. Attendance: 51. Results: No. 1, £25 H'cap: C. Hall, R. McLennan, W. Phelan, A. Edwards, R. McAlister, C. Haller, A. Stewart, J. Ferguson, K. Miller, L. Kovacich, I. Kovacich, C. Sinclair, K. Miskin, A. Poletti, Sam Vitale, R. Hodda, M. Hartwell, div. No. 2, £10 H'cap: W. Phelan, 1st; B. Trevasci, P. Bonato, L. Kovacich, C. Hall, J. Hart, C. Sinclair, R. McAlister, R. Hodda, G. Milburn, J. Parison, J. Ferguson, 2nd and 3rd, div. No. 3, Haughton River C'ship: J. Casalegno, 1st; R. McAlister, 2nd; A. Stewart, 3rd. No. 4, £50 H'cap: A. Edwards, J. Hart, 1st, div.; Sid Vitale, W. Whitson, J. Ferguson, K. Knuth, R. Quartermain, P. Bonato, A. Kelly, M. Hartwell, A. Stewart, K. Miller, E. McKimmin, R. McAlister, G. Milburn, J. Anderson, G. Zanetti, div. 3rd. No. 5, D'ville Doubles: K. Knuth - W. Pyard, 1st; G. Coppo - B. Trevasci, 2nd.

A very successful shoot was held, with a good attendance and excellent weather conditions. Some very good shooting was witnessed.

The first event resulted in 17 shooters getting the possible. Event 2: One shooter obtained possible, with 12 missing one bird. Event 3: Haughton River C'ship, with optional sweepstakes, resulted in one shooter getting the possible and 15 shooters sharing the prize money. Only two shooters obtained the possible in the £50 H'cap, and 15 others shared third prize money. Nineteen pairs contested the D'ville Doubles.

(R. F. Becke, Hon. Sec.)

GOULBURN VALLEY (V.), 26/5/65. — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1, 10 birds: J. Brewer, C. Johnson, M. Adams, V. Ryan, R. Cooper, J. Hickford, div. No. 2, Club C'ship: 1st, J. Brewer, 125/125; 2nd, C. Johnson, 132/133; 3rd, K. Shearer, 131/133; best F/M., J. Harrison, 19/20. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: M. Adams, W.

Wootton, V. Ryan, R. Cooper, J. Brewer, div. No. 4, 5 birds: J. Brewer, V. Ryan, C. Johnson, M. Adams, div.

It was a perfect day for shooting, and there was some pretty high scores. Jack Brewer won the sash with a score of 125/125. The club put on a 5-bird event so he could get a 150 break for the day without a loss. Second prize went to C. Johnson, 132/133; 3rd, K. Shearer, 131/133; J. Harrison received F/M. prize. V. Ryan also shot well with a break of 105.

Attendance was down, but a good day's shooting by all those who attended.

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

GRIFFITH (N.S.W.), 29/5/65. — Weather conditions: fine and cool. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 16 div., H. Hillery, W. Smith, J. Hulme, J. Theodore, R. Spratt, O. Kelly, W. Anstee, M. Lambert, W. Kelly, L. Dow, R. Lewis, D. Taylor, H. Sim, K. Sim, E. Albert, M. Stanmore, M. Weymouth, No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: 7 div., J. Theodore, R. Spratt, O. Kelly, W. Anstee, L. Dow, R. Lewis, K. Sim, No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, R. Lewis, 31/31; 2nd, M. Weymouth, 30/31; 3rd, H. Sim, 27/28.

Another good muster of shooters for our monthly club shoot. The shooting was generally good throughout the afternoon. R. Lewis won the main trophy and the high-gun mug and on the day shot a 50 straight. M. Weymouth received second; he is yet to win a first at Griffith.

26/6/65.—Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 17 div., W. Smith, G. Craze, L. Foley, H. Sim, H. McDiarmid, K. Hillery, N. King, C. Dahlenburg, K. Sim, W. Kelly, M. Stanmore, A. Tyack, J. Bone, B. Gordon, J. Lewis, M. Weymouth, J. Theodore, No. 2, 30-bird D.B.: 7 possibles after shoot-off — B. Gordon, 51/51, 1st; R. Lewis, 50/51, 2nd; L. Foley, 48/49, 3rd. No. 3, 5-bird S.B.: 9 div., M. Weymouth, J. Bone, O. Kelly, L. Robertson, B. Gordon, M. Lambert, W. Smith, J. Payne, J. Lewis.

A very good muster of shooters for our monthly club shoot. Bruce Gordon won the main event after shooting 51 straight. Dick Lewis also shot well to run second; he shot 50 straight; also Dick has shot well at our last two meetings. Laurie Foley took out third place; he has not been shooting very long and is only just starting to make his presence felt.

(K. H. Sim, Hon. Sec.)

GUYRA (V.), 29/5/65. — Weather conditions: fine and mild. Attendance: 38. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: B. Duff, A. Varley, B. Brazier, D. Williams, R. Marshall, G. White, N. Campion, C. Varley, J. Roach, 5/5, div. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Trophy: B. Duff, R. Marshall, A. McClenaghan, I. Reid, B. Finlayson, H. Campion, 20/20 — won by H. Campion, 29/29. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: G. White, N. Campion, W. Skipper, D. Williams, 10/10, div. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: W. Skipper, R. Cruthers, D. Williams, G. White, B. Brazier, H. Williamson, H. Campion, R. Marshall, 10/10, div. No. 5, 10 pr. D. Rise: A. McClenaghan, I. Reid, W. Skipper, B. Duff, B. Bloomfield, 9/10, div.

As I missed this shoot, I cannot offer much in the way of comment; however, from the number of shooters present and comments from competitors, it seems I missed a really good afternoon. Congratulations, Bert; you are making it tough now in our monthly trophy shoot.

Pleasing to see a few new names in attendance and also in the divisions for sweep money.

(F. R. Varley, Hon. Sec.)

HARCOURT (V.), 8/5/65. — No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: div. H. Mossop, J. Poole, C. Paull, E. Marriott, No. 2, 20 birds (10 D.B., 10 S.B.): H. Mossop, 20/20, 1st; R. Harris, 2nd; J. Johnston, 3rd. No. 3, 5 pr. D. Rise: div. W. O'Shannessy, N. Frankling.

Good performance by our veteran shooter Harry Mossop showed some of his old form and did not look like missing out — a very popular win to a very popular member.

19/6/65. — No. 1, 5-bird Pts. (C.D.): A. Finlayson, R. Harris, E. Marriott, D. Rumbold, N. Scott, No. 2, 30-bird D.B.: N. Scott, 30/30; 2nd, R. Harris, 43/44; 3rd, H. Mossop, 42/44. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: div. W. Santon, E. Marriott, R. Harris, D. Rumbold.

Huntly Club member N. Scott was right on form to win this one; our congratulations, Scotty. Good day's shooting, with our ladies capably looking after the refreshments.

(E. Marriott, Sec.)

HAWKESBURY (N.S.W.), 19/6/65.—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 37. No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: R. Hyatt, S. Simmonds, R. Clare, R. Hayes, L. Massey, D. Porter,

W. Rutty, A. Zantis, S. Zantis, 10/10. No. 2, Edgell Trophy: 1st, A. Zantis, 20/20; 2nd, D. Suthers, 19/20; 3rd, R. Hayes, 18/20. No. 3, Hawk. Dist. S.B. C'ship: 1st, M. Quirk, 25/25; 2nd, R. Hayes, 24/25; 3rd, E. Hawkins, 23/24; best F/M., V. Banovich. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. Sparrows: R. Ayres, L. Satara, L. Massey, 5/5.

Morrie Quirk won the C'ship from Roy Hayes and Ernie Hawkins; best front-marker was Val. Banovich. In the Edgell Trophy our visitors from Sydney Gun Club filled all the places — Archie Zantis was first, Dennis Suthers second and Roy Hayes third.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

HAY (N.S.W.), 26/6/65. — Weather conditions: sunny, warm. Attendance: 22. No. 1, 5-target D.B.: M. Valentine, J. Houston, D. Anderson, J. Headon, L. Booth, Max Gibson, 5/5, div. No. 2, 5-target S.B.: A. Pascoe, Max Gibson, G. Williams, E. V. Cox, 5/5, div. No. 3, Patrons' Shoot, 20 targets (15 D.B., 15 S.B., off Assoc. h'caps): J. Houston, 1st, 37/38; E. V. Cox, 2nd, 36/38, after shoot-off; R. Carver, 3rd, 34/36, after shoot-off with G. Williams, F/M. trophy, R. Murray, 33/36, after shoot-off.

This popular "Patrons' Shoot" is held each year and is sponsored by the Patrons of the club in Messrs. Headon, Bennett and Houston. It was indeed pleasing to see Patron John Houston come good after a considerable lapse and the win was most popular. The runner-up, Vic Cox, was, to say the least, a little unlucky inasmuch that he received a lost target due to an error of not closing his gun; however, his performance was a most improved one and no doubt he will be receiving that first-place bracket in the near future.



Some of the "Air-borne" competitors at the Mildura Car Shoot. The four shooters shown standing in front of their 'plane after arrival from Benalla (V).

L. to R.—N. Burgess, R. Lourie, F. Goodman, M. Lourie.

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Another good performance was put up by the front-marker in Roger Murray. His 33/36 was a very good effort and he will soon appear in the major role.

(L. McKinney, Sec.)

H.M.A.S. "CERBERUS" (V.), 13/6/65. — Weather conditions: fine, no wind. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 10 targets (comp. div.): 8 shooters div. No. 2, 10-target D.B.: 1st. K. Howkins, 21/21; 2nd. R. Siede, 20/21; 3rd. D. Walker, 18/19. No. 3, 20-target D.B. Trophy (£10): 1st. N. Ash; 2nd. R. Siede. No. 4, Novelty Event: K. Howkins.

The day turned out to be perfectly dry, with no wind and every sign of the sun coming out. A total of 26 shooters arrived. With conditions perfect, good shooting was expected, and we were not disappointed. In the first event there were eight possibles, and 11 possibles in the second event.

The main event was strongly contested, with five shooters in the shoot-off. A well-deserved win by G. Ash (Frankston) from Ron Siede highlighted a good day.

Barbecue lunch and refreshments (Navy style) met with general approval. We hope to see all the visitors back on 1st August. Because of the Navy leave period, there will be no shoot in July.

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

HUNTLY (V.), 5/6/65. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: W. Forbes, J. Cumming, N. Scott, H. Mossop, B. Santon, J. Johnstone, F. Doyle, A. Gourley, G. Ashman, 15/15 pts. No. 2, 20-bird D.B.: 1st. J. Jones, 71/71; 2nd. G. Ashman, 70/71; 3rd. W. Forbes, 45/46; F.M.L. H. Mossop, J. Poole. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: J. Cumming, R. McKay, R. Harris.

Huntly conducted its monthly shoot in perfect weather, with local and visiting shooters attending. The first event, 5-bird Pts., was divided by nine shooters. The main event, at 20 birds, saw seven possibles, which was won by club Sect. after a good shoot-off with G. Ashman, who failed to stop his 71st bird. Third went to W. Forbes, with 45/46, who shot his 50 break for the day. The final event, at 10 birds, was divided by J. Cumming, R. McKay and R. Harris after a short shoot-off with other shooters.

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

IPSWICH (Qld.), 6/6/65. — Weather conditions: windy. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: 16 div. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Pts.: J. Smith, 59/60; E. Lesberg, 58/60; B. Mundt, 57/60. No. 3, 10 pr. D. Rise: G. Rao, 20/20; G. Grieve, G. Stevens, 18/20. No. 4, 20-bird D.B.: D. Campbell, K. Isaacs, G. Grieve, E. Surawski, J. Farrow, 20/20. No. 5, Skeet: R. Hogarth, 24/25; P. Dewolf, 27/30; G. Mawer, 26/30.

A very windy day for our first District Skeet C'ship, but shooters adjusted themselves to conditions very well. It was won in fine fashion by experienced shooter Ray Hogarth. Congratulations, Ray, also to Paul Dewolf and G. Mawer, who shot off for second and third places. Down-the-line shooting was keen also. Some good shooting was witnessed despite the windy conditions.

(K. G. Smith, Hon. Sec.)

KATANNING (W.A.), 16/5/65. — Miss Lorraine Anderson (Kojonup) out-shot 20 other shooters in a 25 Skeet shoot. With a 19 off the gun and a 10 handicap, she was well in front of the field and won the George Anderson Trophy. Jack Battersby presented a trophy to be competed for by the older shooters, and this was well won by George Anderson. Tony Cusack, always a consistent skeet shooter, won the High Gun Trophy with the excellent score of 34/37 off the gun. Scores, with handicap included, as follows:

25 Skeet: Lorraine Anderson, 29/25, 1st; G. Anderson, J. Downer, B. Randall, 26/25, equal 2nd. Half-round of Skeet: Lorraine Anderson, 15/12, 1st; Scotty Gibson, 14.5/12, 2nd; R. Cusack, J. Downer, 14/12, equal 3rd. Op. Sweepstake: Lorraine Anderson, 1st; J. Downer, 2nd; S. Gibson, B. Randall, eq. 3rd.

6/6/65. — Jack Battersby recorded his first win at the Katanning Gun Club when he won Sunday's shoot for the Keith Eatt Trophy. Seventeen shooters competed in cold conditions. Jack scored 29/30 with handicap in the 15 pair of Double Rise to win the trophy. Trophy donor Keith Eatt took High Gun honours, 38/45. He also won the novelty cartridge in a back-a-yard event from Tony Cusack (Kojonup).

Scores: 15 pair D. Rise with h'cap: 1st. J. Battersby, 29/30; 2nd. G. Anderson, 28.5/30; 3rd. K. Eatt, 28.1/30. An Op. Sweep was won in the same order. 15-bird S.B.: 1st. R. Anderson, 13/15; equal 2nd. K. Eatt, J. Clegg, G. Downer, S. Gibson, 12/15.

20/6/65. — 23 shooters competed in the 30-bird S.B. grade shoot for the T. S. Young trophies. Among the visitors was one, Bruce Harvey, from Victoria. Terry Young took High Gun, and with 28/30 in the S.B., would have won the 17 yards and back, but wasn't competing for his own trophy. Lorraine Anderson (Kojonup) was to the fore again and won the 16 yards and forward in the S.B. New shooter John Parker managed to get himself placed in two sweeps, and Charlie Hillan, competing for the first time, was one of the five possibles in the 10-bird D.B.

30-bird S.B. (16 yds. and forward): 1st. Lorraine Anderson, 27/30. S'take: 1st. Lorraine Anderson; 2nd. B. Harvey, 26/30; eq. 3rd. P. James, A. MacLeod, J. Parker, C. Hillan, 22/30. 17 yds. and back: 1st. N. Beeck, 26/30. S'take: 1st. T. Young, 28/30; 2nd. N. Beeck; equal 3rd. R. Anderson, M. Crossley, 26/30. 10-bird D.B.: equal 1st. M. Crossley, T. Young, A. Anderson (Kojonup), G. Anderson, C. Hillan, 10/10; equal 2nd. P. James, Lorraine Anderson, J. Parker, 9/10. High Gun: T. Young, 38/40.

(I. Gibson, Hon. Sec.)

KEILOR (V.), Friday Night, 4/6/65. — No. 1, 4 pr. D. Rise: 1st. J. Walls, 8/8; 2nd and 3rd. div. F. Burns, J. Cooper, L. Hendra, R. Morrison, 7/8. No. 2, Club D. Rise C'ship: 1st. J. Walls, 19/20; 2nd. F. Burns, 21/24; 3rd. R. Morrison, 20/24; 12/15 yds., H. Milburn, 10/20. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. H'cap: H. Milburn, R. Morrison, L. Hendra, 15/15, div.

Weather fine. Fair attendance. Main event, Club D. Rise C'ship, went to J. Walls, 1st; F. Burns, 2nd; R. Morrison, 3rd; H. Milburn, 12/15 yds. Very good shooting to Jimmy Walls to shoot 19/20 double rise at night.

19/6/65. — No. 1, 10-bird S.B. (comp., off 16 yds.): 5 div., 10/10, D. Preston, T. Spence, R. Batey, W. Attwood, R. Evans. No. 2, Club S.B. C'ship (off 16 yds.): 1st, W. Attwood, 21/22; 2nd, R. Reed, 20/22; 3rd, A. Craig, 23/30; 12/15 yds., R. Bourke, 17/20. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. H'cap Pts.: 1st and 2nd, div. R. Bourke, T. Spence; 3rd, div. J. Walls, A. James, W. Attwood, K. Edmunds, R. Batey, 29/30.

Weather fine. Good attendance. The club held its S.B. C'ship, which was keenly contested. The winner, Bill Attwood, won from Bob Reed, who has not been shooting at the traps for a long time; 3rd, Allan Craig, and 12/15 yds., R. Bourke.

(G. Hunter, Hon. Sec.)

KELLERBERRIN (W.A.), 8/5/65.—Weather conditions: squally showers and cold wind. Attendance: 33. Results: No. 1, 20-bird S.B.: 1st, J. Frost (Kellerberrin), 20/20; 2nd, F. Durbridge (Perth); 3rd, F. Dobson (Echuca, V.). No. 2, State Intermed. D.B.: 1st, F. Durbridge, 36/36; 2nd, D. Forsyth (Kellerberrin), 35/36; 3rd, J. B. Cooke (Northam). No. 3, Back Markers: 1st, J. H. Harris (C.M.T.); 2nd, P. McBride (Kalgoorlie); 3rd, G. Bailey (Perth).

Thirty shooters competed in the 20-bird S.B. Thirty-three shooters competed in the State Intermediate D.B.

6/6/65. — Weather conditions: cold, gusty wind. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 20-bird D.B.: 1st, E. Harris (C.M.T.), 19/20; 2nd, J. Pascoe (Kellerberrin); 3rd, F. Braysher (K.B.W.). No. 2, 20-bird S.B.: 1st, E. Harris (C.M.T.), 19/20; 2nd, I. Halbert (C.M.T.); 3rd, J. Pascoe (K.B.W.).

Seeding in progress in our agricultural area — result: poor attendance. C.M.T. and Kellerberrin Gun Clubs are combining to attract better attendance to our small clubs. One fortnight we shoot at Kellerberrin and C.M.T. travel, the next fortnight we shoot at C.M.T. and Keller. travel.

(D. Forsyth, President.)

KEMPSEY (N.S.W.), 19/6/65. — Weather conditions: light clouds. Attendance: 9. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: J. Goodsell, L. Baker, W. Derwent, G. Baker, 15/15. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: L. Baker, G. Baker, 10/10; J. Smith, 9/10. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: L. Baker, W. Derwent, G. Baker, T. Dick, 10/10. No. 4, 10-bird Pts.: G. Baker, T. Dick, 30/30; B. Smith, L. Baker, 27/30.

Conditions were good for our club shoot on Saturday, June 19, and good scores were recorded, especially by G. Baker, who broke every target, and his father, L. Baker, who only missed one for the afternoon.

(C. H. Kemp, Hon. Sec.)

KOJONUP (W.A.), 13/6/65.—Weather conditions: windy. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1, 20-bird Walk-up: N. Beek, 16/20; S. Gibson, 15/20; J. Schinzig, K. Anderson, 14/20. No. 2, 6 pr. D. Doubles: R. Anderson-G. Pritchard, 6/6; N. Beek - E. Clegg, A. R. Anderson - L. Anderson, 5/6.

When you read in the newspapers of the stiff penalties imposed for drunken driving, I think those clay pigeons were very game. Someone said the whole trouble may have been the very strong wind, but I think those birds were rather intoxicated!

Neville Beek came from behind with a devastating burst to beat the early leader, Scotty Gibson, for the high-gun honours, but it was "yours truly" that defeated these two in a shoot-off for the Tony Cusack 20-bird Walk-up H'cap Trophy.

(R. Anderson, Hon. Sec.)

LAKES END (Qld.), 20/6/65. — Weather conditions: cloudy and light rain. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 10 possibles, div. No. 2, 20-bird D.B.: J. Smith, A. H. Chesney, F. Matsen, R. Slawson, div. No. 3, I.C.I. Trophy (20-bird Pts.): 1st, E. Mende, 60 pts.; 2nd, L. Hasted, 59 pts.; 3rd, G. Parker, 59 pts. No. 4, 10-bird "Protection Shoot": cancelled owing to darkness and slight rain.

We commenced this year in January with six financial members, and someone remarked: "If we get 20 members and an average attendance of two squads, we'll be happy." So far our membership is 45, and we average 25 shooters per shoot. What is more important, everyone enjoys the shoots and we feel fortunate in having such a fine bunch of members and visitors.

It was pleasing to see Eric Mende run out outright winner in the I.C.I. event. Like the average shooter, Eric has his ups and downs, but let's hope this popular shooter stays "up" for a long time. Pleased to see visitors and new faces, as well as our regulars.

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

LISMORE (N.S.W.), 5/6/65.—Weather conditions: fine, scattered cloud, moderate to strong, gusty head wind. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: R. Shepherd, D. Worrall, R. Sonogo, 15/15. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: Dick Powell, J. Callinan, G. Pennyfather, R. Shepherd, Bill Anderson, S. Anderson, R. Sonogo, D. Worrall, 5/5. No. 3, 5-bird S.B.: D. Worrall, 5/5; Dick Powell, R. Shepherd, Bill Anderson, 4/5. No. 4, 10-bird Pts. Trophy: 1st, Bill Anderson, 54/54; 2nd, Dick Powell, 51/54; 3rd, R. Sonogo (F/M.), 38/39. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: R. Shepherd, D. Worrall, Dick Powell, G. Pennyfather, Bill Anderson, 10/10. No. 6, 5 prs. D. Rise: Bill Anderson, D. Worrall, 9/10; Dick Powell, R. Kelly, 3/10. No. 7, 5-bird Tower Shoot: R. Sonogo, J. Ellis, L. Sharpe, Dick Powell, D. Powell, R. Shepherd, D. Worrall, 5/5.

When presenting trophies, President Davey Powell described today's conditions as the most trying for some time — every bird had to be treated on its merits, with wide variations, in a very strong and gusty head wind. This made Bill Anderson's 54 points possible in the Trophy shoot a very creditable feat, indeed. He held off a determined challenge by Dick Powell, a very promising new hand.

Roy Shepherd's "mighty" trap enabled us to have an interesting "Tower" novelty event, in which about half the shooters managed to stop the possible.

We all were saddened to hear of C. J. Lee's recent serious illness — we hope you'll soon be back with us, looking as well as Andy Chapman did today.

Missed Mrs. Powell, but Mrs. Shepherd and Mrs. Callinan did the honours very well! Thank you, ladies.

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

AUGUST, 1965

MACKAY (Qld.), 13/6/65.—Weather conditions: heavy showers. Attendance: 36. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 12 shooters shot the possible, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: C. Horan, A. Cantamessa, H. F. George, R. Crouch, R. Bussey, 10/10, div. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Pts.: R. Bussey, 1st, 59/60; C. Horan, 2nd, 56/60; N. Massey, 3rd, 52/54. No. 4, 20-bird D.B.: C. Peitzner, C. George, R. Bussey, G. Rudd, P. Barton, 20/20. No. 5, 5 pr. D'ville Doubles: M. Irving - R. Bussey, No. 6, 5 pr. D. Rise: C. Horan, N. Massey, R. Griffin, E. Barton, 9/10.

Once again we welcomed a big team of Clermont and Prosperine shooters to another very wet day. The rain eased after lunch to let us complete a very successful day of shooting. R. Bussey once again took most of the honours for the day. A very fine display of shooting was seen when M. Irving and R. Bussey won the D'ville Doubles from R. Griffin and D. Goldsworthy by shooting 16 pairs. This contest ended up well back in the paddock.

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

MANNUM (S.A.), 27/6/65.—Weather conditions: quite good. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, Lower Murray D'ville Doubles C'ship: H. R. Commons - B. Winning, 20/20; R. Kimber - D. Kimber, 41/42. No. 2, Jim Warnes, Esq., Trophy: 1st, D. Elkins, 20/20; 2nd, D. Kimber, 36/37. No. 3, 10 birds Skeet: R. Mules, 9/10. No. 4, 10 birds Skeet: R. Mules, 9/10. No. 5, 5 birds off Fence:

D. Pfeiffer, 5/5. No. 6, 5 birds off Fence: J. Gerogles, D. Brown, 4/5, div.

Quite a nice day. Very good shooting from H. R. Commons and B. Winning, who won the L.M. D'ville Doubles C'ship outright. A shoot-off for second place by R. and D. Kimber and R. Dini - R. Mules. D. Elkins won Jim Warnes' trophy outright, shooting 10 D.B. and 10 S.B. without fault. J. Hutchings, F. Angeloni, H. R. Commons, M. Fontana, D. Kimber and R. Mules shot off for second trophy, having shot 19/20.

(M. V. Pfeiffer, Hon. Sec.)

MANSFIELD (V.), 19/6/65.—Weather conditions: cloudy. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1: V. Walters (Euroa), G. Huf, G. Fry, div. No. 2, 43 Trophy: L. A. Parkes (Mansfield), 23/23, 1st; G. Huf (Benalla), 22/23, 2nd; V. Walters (Euroa), 20/21, 3rd. No. 3, 10 birds: S. Singleton (Euroa), L. Parks (Mansfield), G. Cumming (Euroa), div.

Our usual monthly shoot in aid Community Aid Abroad. Influenza made inroads on our usual shooters, including our Secretary, Corrie Leatham. However, we had a pleasant day and 18 shooters faced the tracks for the main event, which eventually went to club President, L. A. Parks; G. Huf, 2nd; V. Walters, 3rd. Trophies were donated by local business people, to whom we owe many thanks.

The ladies, as usual, completed the day by serving a very acceptable afternoon tea.

(L. A. Parks, President.)

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Programme

Sunday, 29th August, 1965

Commencing 1 p.m. Sharp.
Practice Shooting, 12.30 - 1 p.m.

Event 1—

Club Deauville Doubles Championship

20 Pairs from 18 yards.
Sash and Trophy for 1st; 2nd and 3rd Trophies. :: Noms. 25/-.
Optional Sweepstake 5/- overall.

Event 2—

— TROPHY HANDICAP —

20 Birds Double Barrel, Handicap Marks.
Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd. :: Noms. 25/- :: Opt. S'take 5/- overall.

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(TEAMS EVENT) (5 Shooters)

To be shot in conjunction with EVENT 2.

Trophy for each member of winning team. :: Noms. 25/- per team.

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MARYBOROUGH (Qld.), 24/5/65.—Weather conditions: excellent. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: P. Anderson, L. Cairns, 10/10, div. 1st and 2nd; N. Thompson, 9/10, 3rd. No. 2, 15-bird Pts. Trophy: L. Cairns, 39, 1st; N. Thompson, 38, 2nd. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: J. Wood, N. Thompson, 8/10, div.

A pleasant night shoot on the Maryborough Range, being supported by members of the A.S.G.C. Club and visitors from Bundaberg, is going to be an annual event.

A barbecue early in the evening was provided by the ladies, followed later in the evening by their usual supper.

(Les Cairns, Hon. Sec.)

McKINLAY (Qld.), 30/5/65.—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 10. Results: No. 1, 10-bird S.B.: R. Batt, D. F. Fysh, 10/10, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: R. Batt, A. D. Fysh, B. Charlton, 10/10, div. No. 3, 10-bird Pts.: A. Collings, E. Solomon, 30/30 pts., div. No. 4, 10-bird S.B.: R. Batt, F. Banning, D. F. Fysh, H. Batt, B. Charlton, B. D. Pegan, 9/10, div.

It was a very good afternoon's shooting, with near perfect conditions. Of the 350 birds shot at, the shooters only dropped 46 between them. Duncan Fysh finished the day off by winning the "2/- off the grass".

(S. T. Batt, Hon. Sec.)

MENDOORAN (N.S.W.), 5/6/65.—Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: J. Ellery, H. Blaauw, R. Yeo, J. Nott, R. Marchant, N. Smith, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird Pts.: G. Blackman, 1st, 30/30. No. 3, 15-bird D.B.: G. Blackman, 1st, 15/15. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: N. Smith, H. Blaauw, 10/10. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: G. Blackman, 1st, 17/20; D. Smith, 2nd, 16/20. High Gun: G. Blackman, 34/35; 12/15 yd. High Gun: R. Yeo, 32/35.

A small attendance of club members this month owing, no doubt, to drought conditions. Gerard Blackman had a very good show of form, to just about scoop the pool, as the above scores show. We hope to see a few more members next month.

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

MERSEY (Tas.), 19/6/65.—Weather conditions: dull and windy. Attendance: 37. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: A. Bowering, R. Ablitt, M. Munnings, C. Gregory, G. Pinner, E. Sharman, K. Littlejohn, 5/5, div. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. Novice: R. Hall, R. Sharman, 5/5. No. 3, Club S.B. C'ship: 1st, J. Tubb, 20/20; 2nd, R. Blake, 19/20; M. Munnings, 17/18; F/M., B. Watson, 14/17. No. 4, £15 D.B. H'cap (three divisions): 12/13 yds.: 1st, J. Cash, 14/15; 2nd and 3rd, div. G. Tillyard, B. Heazlewood, R. Hall, 13/15. 14/15 yds.: 1st and 2nd, div. D. Downie, G. Johnson, 15/15; 3rd, div. A. Bowering, M. Munnings, W. Fisher, S. Bott, 14/15. 16 yds. and over: 1st and 2nd, div. R. Ward, R. Blake, 15/15; 3rd, div. E. Sharman, D. Brett, J. Tubb, 14/15. High Gun (over events 1, 3 and 4): R. Blake.

An excellent attendance from all parts of the State. The main event, Club S.B. C'ship, went to Longford shooter J. Tubb after a shoot-off with Rob Blake, also of Longford—a most popular win and pleasing to see Jim in such good form. Visiting shooter M. Munnings of Hobart took out third placing after a shoot-off with four others.

The £15 H'cap proved most popular, with 15 shooters sharing in the prize money. It was very pleasing to see J. Cash and D. Downie to the fore in this event. Robert Blake and M. Munnings shot off for High Gun honours in the fading light, with Robert coming out the winner.

Club President Don Brett welcomed the visitors and presented trophies to the winners. The ladies, as usual, did an excellent job with the catering. Many thanks, ladies.

(H. C. Neville, Hon. Sec.)

METROPOLITAN (V.),—Two records went by the boards at our shoot on June 5. The first was the highest score ever compiled at our club, and the second (perhaps a dubious honour) was that for the first time in our existence we failed to complete a programme.

A 10 birds Points commenced proceedings. Fred Burns, Bruce Roberts, Des O'Callaghan, Tony Buskaskas, Jim Walls, Vern Nicholas and Les Turner returned clean scores, and the event was comp. div.

When the initial 20 birds in the Epping D.B. title were completed, there were 10 possibles. Seven were weeded out, and up to the 57th release only three remained, George Biggs, Bruce Roberts and Fred Burns. At the 58th Bruce dropped out, and we imagined the final result was not far away. BUT we reckoned without two crack shooters, both of whom were determined not to give an inch.

George and Fred shot on and on. They passed their first hundred, and interest was high. Then the second hundred came up, and still there was no sign of either shooter breaking down. Speculation was rife and fantastic scores were predicted. The shooters went on — 210, 220, 230, 240. At the 242nd release Fred missed, but George did not, and was the winner with the mighty total of 242/242.

Congratulations to George Biggs on his success. It was one of the best performances ever seen. Freddie Burns was a bit stiff to be beaten after such a score. Bruce Roberts, 57/58, in third place. The 12/15 yds. trophy, Peter Firman, 40/41.

By this time it was becoming dark, and there was still a 20-birder to dispose of. Some shooters had packed up. Some wanted to start, others were hesitant, and the committee present were stampeded into damn silly thing in allowing it to start. After the first round of 10 was shot, the light gave out completely and the event stopped itself. The shooters took it in good grace, but one thing we can promise them — IT WON'T HAPPEN AGAIN.

Two championships were shot on June 19. They were the Whittlesea and District D'ville Doubles and Double Rise. There was another lengthy shoot-off in the Doubles, but the whole programme was completed.

5 pair Double Rise was won outright by Jack Henwood, 10/10; Bruce Roberts, Bill Gresselle, Alan McCulloch and Don Glover, 9/10.

The Deauville Doubles: Dudley Edgerton - George Biggs, 64/64, from Des O'Callaghan - Bruce Roberts, 63/64.

Jack Henwood, 19/20, won the Double Rise title: Steve Stevens, 20/22, 2nd; Allan Harrod, 19/22, 3rd; Vern Nicholas, 17/20, 12-15 yds. trophy.

The programme concluded with a 15 birds D.B. H'cap. Eugene Colautti, Vern Nicholas, Bill Dalzell and John Ashcroft, 15/15, div.

August programmes are published in this issue. On August 14 there is a particularly good programme. The main events are the Northern Suburbs D.B. C'ship and the Northern Suburbs Grand H'cap. The trophies for the latter are a Stirling automatic shotgun for first, binoculars for second and a portable gas light for third. Full particulars in advert.

Next issue will contain full particulars of the 1965 Grand Prix Carnival. This is going to be the best ever. The grounds have reached a stage when we will be able to provide lots of facilities, and comfort is assured.

One little piece of advice before closing. All shoots, summer and winter, will start at 1.30 p.m. sharp and no entries for eye-opener will be taken after 2 p.m.

(C. J. Colledge, Sec.)

MILDURA (V.), 11/6/65-12/6/65. — Under excellent climatic conditions for shooting, the club conducted its Annual Queen's Birthday week-end shoot. The committee would like to say thanks to the 140 shooters, who travelled from near and far to participate and make this shoot the success it was.

Fri., 11/6/65. — No. 1, 15-bird D.B. (comp. div.): 20 possibles, div. No. 2, 15-bird S.B. (off 16 yds., comp. div.): 6 possibles, div. No. 3, 20-bird City of Mildura S.B. C'ship: F. A. Barnes, 23/23, 1st; L. Swain, 22/23, 2nd; P. Harvey, 35/36, 3rd. No. 4, 20-bird Sunraysia D.B. Night C'ship: C. Wakefield, 46/46, 1st; V. Coates, 45/46, 2nd; V. Lawford, 38/39, 3rd.

Sat., 12/6/65. — No. 1, 15-bird D.B. (comp. div.): 18 shooters shot the possible. No. 2, 30-bird Mildura Gun Club H'cap: 5 possibles — shoot-off: R. Carver, 38/38, 1st; R. Ellison, 43/44, 2nd; R. Lourie, 42/44, 3rd. No. 3, 20-bird City of Mildura D.B. C'ship: R. Lawson, 45/45, 1st; F. A. Barnes, 44/45, 2nd; E. Bruce, 40/41, 3rd. No. 4, 20-bird Sunraysia S.B. Night C'ship: R. Lawson, 21/22, 1st; D. Martin, 20/22, 2nd; L. Campbell, 22/24, 3rd.

The High Gun sash and trophy went to one of our staunch club supporters and member in Frank Barnes. Frank was only two birds down over the programme until the final S.B. night event; missing three in this event, he finished with the score of 120/125.

Mildura Gun Club members congratulate winners and place-getters over the programme, and once again thank you all for your valued support.

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

MOREE (N.S.W.), 5/6/65. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 12. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: F. Bardsley, E. Saunders, P. Webb, 10/10, div. No. 2, 5-bird Walk-up: D. Gull, F. Thompson, F. Bardsley, B. Egan, 4/5, div. No. 3, 5-bird Walk-up Pts.: E. Brown, F. Bardsley, 12/15; E. Siddins, 11/15. No. 4, 20-bird Pts. Jackpot: G. Ritter, 58/60, 1st. No. 5, 5-bird S.B.: D. Gull, F. Thompson, D. Hall, E. Saunders, G. Ritter, P. Webb, B. Egan, 5/5, div.

Very quiet shoot. Congratulations to G. Ritter on getting one leg in for the Jackpot.

(F. M. Bardsley, Hon. Sec.)

MT. GAMBIER (S.A.), 6/6/65. — Weather conditions: fine, moderate, N.W. breeze. Attendance: 47. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. (comp. div.): L. Williams, A. McSween, C. F. Coppings, S. Williams, C. Plowright, J. Brook, J. Grove, J. M. Clements, B. J. Clements, R. Jarmyn, M. Holloway, K. A. Marks, J. H. Nicholls, 10/10, div. No. 2, Mt. Gambier G.C. Race Carnival H'cap Shoot (20 birds D.B.): 1st, K. A. Marks, 29/29; 2nd, C. F. Coppings, 28/29; 3rd, A. McSween, 20/21; F.M. trophy, D. Felton, 18/20. No. 3, I.C.I. Trophy Shoot (15 birds D.B. H'cap): 1st, R. Jarmyn, 28/28; 2nd, K. R. Wait, 27/28; 3rd, L. J. W. Earl, 25/26.

A very good attendance of shooters competed and enjoyed a full afternoon of shooting. With 13 possibles in the eye-opener, it was anticipated that a big shoot-off would result for the Race Carnival Shoot; however, only three competitors were good enough, and after an interesting and also exciting shoot, Ken Marks was successful in taking off the Browning Automatic from Clarrie Coppings and Angus McSween. R. Jarmyn shot very well to take off the I.C.I. Trophy from Ken Wait and Les Earl. It was very pleasing to see Dave Felton take out another front-markers' trophy.

(Ian A. Marks, Hon. Sec.)

MT. HAGEN (at Kalauga) (N.G.), 30/5/65. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 5-bird H'cap: Mrs. P. Toole, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: Mrs. A. Middleton, J. Middleton, D. Verrenkamp, 9/10. No. 3, 10-bird S.B. (16 yds.): T. Hammersley, 9/10; B. Bowden, D. Verrenkamp, 8/10. No. 4, 10 pr. D. Rise (16 yds.): Mrs. P. Toole, 14/20; T. Hammersley, D. Verrenkamp, D. Lane, 13/20. No. 5, 12 pr. D'ville Doubles: N. Camps - B. Bowden, 11/12; D. Lane - T. Cole, J. Middleton - D. Buscombe, 9/12.

The club is now running at least three shoots per annum at the Banz end of The Valley, and this shoot was held at Col Toole's plantation, "Kalauga". The plus trap threw some very erratic birds and proved tricky to most.

A most enjoyable day's social shooting was enjoyed by all. Welcome back to Don Verrenkamp after his leave.

(Mrs. D. Buscombe, Hon. Sec.)

MYAMYN (V.), 1/6/65. — Weather conditions: fine, windy. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, div. 14 shooters. No. 2, Club C'ship: 1st, R. Millard, 34/34; 2nd, K. Wait, 33/34; 3rd, H. Vaughan; F.M., C. Plowright. No. 3, Trophy Shoot: 1st, C. Plowright, 24/24; 2nd, C. Crawford, 23/24; 3rd, K. Hsieh. No. 4, Sweep: div. S. Rentch, R. Millard, M. Humphries.

A good muster of shooters from all district clubs and from Mt. Gambier. Rex Millard had another good day, winning our Club C'ship and our club points trophy. Rex is undoubtedly the most consistent shot to visit Myamyn. Great to see Col. Crawford return to winning form.

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

NARACOORTE (S.A.), 13/6/65. — Weather conditions: sunny, with little cloud, breeze from the south. Attendance: 36. Results: No. 1: A. Cameron, G. Ward, J. Hinneberg, I. Batson, J. Eizaguirre, J. Standerwick, J. Hood. No. 2, Club D.B. C'ship: 1st, R.

Reschke, 15/15; 2nd, N. Hinneberg, 25/28; 3rd, J. Standerwick, 24/26; F.M., J. Herold, 17/19. No. 3, H'cap: C. Coppings, 19/19, 1st; I. Batson, 18/19, 2nd; S. Williams, 16/17, 3rd; J. Standerwick, F.M.

A very successful shoot was held in beautiful weather conditions. We must congratulate R. Reschke on winning the Club D.B. C'ship, the first that this club has held since its formation. He was the only shooter to shoot 15/15. C. Coppings won the H'cap from I. Batson in a thrilling shoot-off with S. Williams, running third. We must congratulate B. Manton in shooting well; it was his third visit to the club and he shot 13/15.

The ladies provide a delicious afternoon tea which was enjoyed by all. Many thanks to the ladies.

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

NARRABRI (N.S.W.), 27/6/65. — Weather conditions: cold southerly winds. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 8 div. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: 1st, R. Brady, 10/10; 2nd, M. Wilkins, 10/10. No. 3, 20-bird Pts.: 1st, F. Atkinson, 20/60; 2nd, W. Philips, 20/60; 3rd, J. Foley, 20/59. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Sparrows: 1st, E. Saunders, 10/10; 2nd, A. Palmer, 10/10.

This shoot saw the worst weather the club has yet experienced. Yet in the 20-bird Pts. two possibles were recorded. Visitors were present from Gunnedah, Boggabri and Bundella. Rod Brady of Gunnedah won event No. 2. Good shooting, Rod.

The Jackpot was won by F. Atkinson once again, which now means one more win and it is his. Come on, shooters, don't let him take it that easy. Congratulations, Frank.

The highlight of the shoot was the "Wal Eather" Shield, which was won again by Narrabri. F. Atkinson, W. Philips and K. Heydon made the home team. For Gunnedah, Rod Brady, M. Wilkins and Jim Simson. Boggabri: Vic Eather, G. Nott and Bruce Gittos. Scores were: Narrabri 176, Gunnedah 153, Boggabri 137. Best 12/13 yds.: K. Heydon. High Gun: F. Atkinson.

(Eric Saunders, Hon. Sec.)

NARRANDERA (N.S.W.), — The Hudson Challenge Shield and the Central Riverina D.B. C'ship were the main attractions at the Narrandera Gun Club on June 19.

Fred Hudson (Sydney) was the winner of the C'ship. Narrandera Club again retained the Hudson Shield for the second time.

Shooters attended from Melbourne, Sydney, Parkes, Ganmain, Leeton, Griffith, Tullibigeal, Ganmain and surrounding districts.

Conditions were not ideal for shooting, as a very stiff breeze lifted the birds and made them hard to handle. K. Powell presented the trophies. C.W.A. branch supplied meals.

No. 1, 10-bird H'cap: div. L. Amor, A. Tyack, H. Sim, O. Kelly, B. McPherson, D. Gillespie, L. Knox, G. Powell, G. Craze, F. Hudson, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. (from 16 yds.): K. Sim, A. Tyack, H. Sim, L. Foley, E. Albert, F. Hudson, R. Bushby, D. Taylor, 10/10, div. No. 3, Cent. Riverina D.B. C'ship: F. Hudson and R. Bushby shot 20/20 and shot for 1st and 2nd, and D. Gillespie and B. Gordon shot 19/20 and shot off for 3rd placing. The shoot-off resulted: F. Hudson, 39/39, 1st; R. Bushby, 38/39, 2nd; B. Gordon, 20/21, 3rd; F.M. trophy, D. Gil-

CLONCURRY GUN CLUB QLD.

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

SUNDAY, 22nd AUGUST, 1965

Day and Night Championship Shoot

North Queensland Single-barrel Day Title

North West Queensland Single-barrel Night Title

THIRTY POUND HANDICAP - POINT SCORING

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CROYDON & DISTRICT CLAY TARGET CLUB (V.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Ground Location: Hughes Park, Maroondah Highway, North Croydon.

Practice from 1 to 1.30 p.m. (5 Birds for 2/-).

Saturday, 14th August, commencing 1.30 p.m. sharp:

No. 1 — £50 HANDICAP — 20 Birds D.B.

NOM. £2/0/0. :: 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 12/15, 16/18, 19/21, 22 to 27 yds.

and

Croydon & Dist. Double-rise Championship

1st Sash and Trophy; Trophy each for 2nd, 3rd, 12/14 yds., 15/16 yds., also Lady's Trophy.

FURTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

Saturday, 28th August, commencing 1.30 p.m. sharp:

Yarra Valley District Single-barrel Intermediate Championship

1st Sash and Trophy; Trophy each for 2nd, 3rd, 12/14 yds., also Lady's Trophy.

FURTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

Saturday, 11th September, commencing 1.30 p.m. sharp:

Croydon & District Walk-up Championship

1st Sash and Trophy; Trophy each for 2nd, 3rd, 12/14 yds., 15/16 yds., also Lady's Trophy.

FURTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

Note:— Club has right to alter advertised Programme without notice.

Afternoon Tea available.

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lespie. No. 4, £30 H'cap (in conjunction with Hudson Challenge Shield): Narrandera team (F. Hudson, K. Powell, G. Craze, D. Taylor, R. Bushby) shot 93/100 and won the shield from Griffith No. 1 team, 87/100. The following shooters shot 20/20 and divided the handicap: L. Foley, O. Kelly, G. Craze, E. Lowery, B. Gordon, G. Powell. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. from H'cap Marks (trophies donated by Fred Hudson): B. McPherson, 1st; L. Amor, 2nd; K. Powell, 3rd.

(R. Bushby, Hon. Sec.)

NEWCASTLE (N.S.W.), Sat., 5/6/65. — 10-bird D.B.: F. Baldwin, K. Robertson, F. Clarke, I. Clarke, K. Hall, B. Gillette, D. Johnson, R. Woollen, M. Barlow, M. Dick, B. Kedwell, 10/10, div. S.B. Dist. C'ship: 1st, W. Collis, 24/24; 2nd, J. Hall, 23/24; 3rd, F. Baldwin, 20/21; 12/15 yd. trophy, G. Foster, 19/20, 10-bird Pts.: B. Johnson, B. Gillette, J. Hall, J. Fryer, G. Foster, 30/30.

Conditions: very good. Attendance: 42. Four Newcastle Gun Club members secured positions in the 15-man New South Wales State Team: D. Scowcroft, D. Mackay, F. Baldwin and J. Barker. We were very pleased to be so well represented.

A very good roll-up of shooters made this club shoot a most successful one. The S.B. C'ship was very keenly contested, first place going to Bill Collis, 24/24.

19/6/65. — Attendance: 30. No. 1, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: div. J. Fryer, R. Morton, T. Asquith, D. Scowcroft, J. Hall, M. Dick, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, A. Lyons, 36/36; 2nd, K. Robertson, 35/36; 3rd,

A. Tremain, 34/35; 12/15 yds., K. Hall. Possibles: R. Morton, D. Scowcroft, K. Hall, J. all, D. Hardes, M. Dek, R. Woollen, K. Robertson, A. Lyons, A. Tremain. No. 3, 10-bird Pts.: div. J. Hall, M. Barlow, A. Tremain, 30/30. High Gun: J. Hall, 43/43.

(I. Clarke, Pub. Officer.)

N.S.W.G.C. (N.S.W.), Sat., 12/6/65. — 10-bird D.B. H'cap: R. Webber, N. Von Senden, L. Lane, R. Clare, L. Talbot, G. Gilfillan, R. Clinch, K. Soames Snr., 10/10, div. Sydney Intermed. C'ship: R. Webber, 47/47; R. Patrick, 46/47; A. Bonser, 32/33; L. Talbot, F/M. 15-bird Pts.: L. Lane, G. Gilfillan, 45/45.

Wed., 16/6/65 (Night Owls Night).—10-bird D.B.: L. Nye, J. Edgell, G. Papageorgiou, 10/10. 5-bird D.B., 5-bird S.B.: G. Joass, G. Papageorgiou, 10/10. 5-bird Walk-up, 10 pr. D. Rise: J. Farrimond, 18; A. Alexakis, 12. Night Owl Trophy: Dr. Farrimond, A. Alexakis, 2nd; G. Papageorgiou, 3rd.

Sat., 26/6/65. — 10-bird D.B. H'cap: L. Lane, G. West, G. Kable, G. Papageorgiou, A. Bonser, R. Clare, B. Kable, A. Massey, 10/10. 10-bird D.B. H'cap: L. Lane, T. Dixon, A. Alexakis, C. Simpson, A. Suthers, R. Simmonds, L. Talbot, 10/10. Faithfull Trophy: N. Galland, 34/34; G. West, 33/34; L. Lane, 29/30. High Gun: L. Lane, 35/35.

The N.S.W. Gun Club will be celebrating its 57th birthday with the usual annual shoot, with the Browning C Grade H'cap and several other events, on Sat., Feb. 26, 1966. Same will be advertised next month.

(J. A. Evans, Mgr.)



Wittenoom Gun Club, W.A., Opening Shoot. I.C.I. Trophy for local championship won by Newton Thomas (left). Centre is J. Kitching (President Wittenoom G.C.), and right is Doug. Cumming, an I.C.I. representative in Western Australia.

TOOGLOOLAWAH

GUN CLUB (QLD.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Annual Clay Target Shoot

28th and 29th August, 1965

Queensl'd Single-barrel Night Championship Brisbane Valley Championship

SATURDAY, 28th AUGUST, 1965. Commence 1 p.m.

Event 1 — 5-BIRD EYE-OPENER 5 0

Event 2 — 30-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL TROPHIES
Op. Sweeps 2/6. Rounds of 10. £2 0 0

Event 3 — 20-BIRD POINTS I.C.I. TROPHY
Op. Sweeps 2/6. Rounds of 10. £1 5 0

SATURDAY NIGHT:

Event 1 — 5-BIRD EYE-OPENER 5 0

Event 2 — 30-BIRD S.B. from 18 yards
QUEENSLAND CHAMPIONSHIP
Op. Sweeps 2/6. Rounds of 10. £1 10 0

SUNDAY, 29th AUGUST, 1965. Commence 9 a.m.

Event 1 — 5-BIRD EYE-OPENER 5 0

Event 2 — 20-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL
BRISBANE VALLEY D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP
Op. Sweeps 2/6. Rounds of 10. £1 5 0

Event 3 — 20-BIRD POINTS BAUMAN'S TROPHY
Op. Sweeps 2/6. Rounds of 10. £1 10 0

Event 4 — 30-BIRD D.B. £100 HANDICAP
£5 0 0

Dividend: £60 — £30 — £10 — £5. ∴ Best 12/13 yards.

HIGH GUN over full Programme except Eye-openers. Kills to count.

Refreshments and Cartridges available on Grounds.

Note: The Committee reserves the right to alter the advertised Programme without notice.

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G. RAWLINS, Secretary,
Toogoolawah. Phone 83.

NOORAT (V.), 19/6/65. — Weather conditions: fair. Attendance: 50. Results: No. 1: 1st, L. Hendra, 36/36; 2nd, K. Wait, 35/36; 3rd, J. Morrison, 31/32; F/M., R. Chasey, 20/21; M/M., B. Osborne, 30/32; B/M., C. Bath, 30/32. No. 2, 8th round Team Shoot (W.D.C.T.A.): Noorat No. 1 team, 143/150; Geelong No. 3, 141/150; Warrnambool, 139/150; Cobden, 133/150; Colac, 132/150; Geelong No. 1, 129/150; Noorat No. 2, 123/150; Dundonnell, 115/150; Geelong No. 2, 112/150.

A very good attendance at this shoot — the first prize being a Browning Automatic shotgun. This prize went to L. Hendra with a score of 36/36.

It is very pleasing to this club to have shooters attend from such long distances as we have had in the past and on this occasion also.

The W.D.C.T.A. Team shoot was an exciting event. The Geelong No. 3 team had victory in its grasp, but the fifth shooter dropped his last bird, giving Noorat No. 1 team the honours.

Shooters who shot the possible 30 points in the team event were: D. Corstorphane, A. McSween, B. King, A. Carroll, L. Reicha, K. Marks, N. Vicars.

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

NORTHAM (W.A.). — Air Commodore W. Garing, the Executive Director of Rothmans National Sports Foundation, accompanied by Newton Thomas (Melbourne) and Doug Cummings and Keith Barker (Perth), were present at our shoot on 27/6/65 and participated in the programme.

The competition was the second stage of the Club Aggregate, and was won by Brian Holtfreter in a shoot-off with Keith Norrish and Newton Thomas, all of whom scored 28/30 in the event. In the first round of the shoot-off Newton Thomas was eliminated, and Keith Norrish gained second place when he was eliminated in the final round.

Newton Thomas commented very favourably on the new lay-out of the club, which is very gratifying to those Northam members who have done so much work on their new grounds over the past year.

At the conclusion of the shoot the visitors, accompanied by the President of the Northam Gun Club, J. B. Cooke, and his wife, were the guests at the home of the President of the W.A. Clay Target Association, R. M. Holtfreter, and Mrs. Holtfreter, and many facets of the sport were discussed.

(G. K. Richards, Sec.)

PARKES (N.S.W.), 12/6/65. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: C. Bradley, J. T. Powell, J. Watts, M. Tilley, D. Stevenson, div. No. 2, 15-bird D.B. Trophy: G. Wilson, 1st; C. Bradley, 2nd; E. Field, 3rd; F/M., J. T. Powell; best novice shooter, D. Sharp. No. 3, Parkes Gun Club D.B. C'ship: D. Stevenson, 1st; K. Wright, 2nd; R. Gittos, 3rd; F/M., J. T. Powell; best novice shooter, B. Hodges.

Special prizes were given for novice shooters this month, and it was very pleasing to see a number of these with really good scores.

Congratulations to Doug Stevenson, who shot like a veteran to win his first championship event, and is now the proud holder of the Club C'ship Cup for the next 12 months.

Harry Wright filled second place after a very interesting shoot-off. Doug, however, only missed one kill all day, and that was in a shoot-off for event 2.

(J. Wilson, Hon. Sec.)

PERTH (W.A.), Sun., 6/6/65. — 10-bird D.B., 10-bird S.B., 5 pr. D. Rise (one event): 1st, T. Sutcliffe, 25/30; 2nd, J. Cameron (Albany), 24/30; equal 3rd, J. Philipoff, W. Dale, 23/30.

There was a good roll-up under cold conditions and scores were quite good in the circumstances. Tom Sutcliffe's 9/10 double rise gave him a clear win; Wally Dale, a new shooter, showed that he will be a force in later programmes.

Sunday, 20/6/65. — 20-bird D.B. (Front-markers): 1st, J. Steiner, 19/20, 15/15; 2nd, W. Dale, 19/20, 14/15. 20-bird D.B. (Back-markers): 1st, F. Durbridge, 20/20, 9/9; 2nd, J. Webster, 20/20, 8/9. 30-bird D.B. I.C.I. Cartridge H'cap: 1st, R. Witcombe, 30/30, 30/30; 2nd, N. Wells, 30/30, 29/30; equal 3rd, F. Durbridge, A. Coleman, 29/30; 11 other shooters scored 29/30. Sweep money was divided on 10's over the day, 34 shooters receiving some small recompense for their efforts.

Weather conditions were indicated in the scores; we could not have wished for a better day. Visitors in recent weeks include Fred Dobson (Echuen), Harry Beard (Wangaratta), Jim Cameron (Albany), Newton Thomas (Melbourne), as well as our stalwart supporters from Geraldton southwards.

Our thanks to I.C.I. for turning out such a handsome and comprehensive booklet of club programmes for W.A.

(J. G. Spark, Sec.)

PUCKAPUNYAL ARMY G.C. (V.), 27/6/65. — Weather conditions: fine and cold. Attendance: 31. Results: No. 1, Dist. D'ville Doubles C'ship: 1st, W. Gresselle - A. McCulloch, 20/20; 2nd, H. Weitzel - A. Harrod, 31/32. No. 2, State S.B. Sparrows C'ship: 1st, J. Jones, 18/20; 2nd, Scott, 17/20; 3rd, N. Doncon, 16/20. No. 3, Dist. B/M. S.B. Sparrows C'ship: 1st, R. Piastri, 20/20; 2nd, W. Williams, 19/20; 3rd, W. Coulson, 21/23. No. 4, H'cap: J. Piastri, N. Doncon, J. Jones, J. Summers, 25/25. No. 5, Jackpot Teams Event: Puckapunyal, 95/100 (J. Birch, R. Henson, J. Summers, A. Jones, W. Ford). No. 6, High Gun: W. Williams, 39/40. No. 7, Ladies: Mrs. Petrac.

A fine but cold day at Puckapunyal on Sunday, June 27, for the postponed State S.B. sparrows title. Good to see the old-stager Bill Gresselle, partnered by A. McCulloch, take out the D'ville Doubles C'ship. They were the only pair to return a clean sheet. Shoot-off for second went to the twins from Metro, Alan Harrod and Henry Weitzel. Only 12 starters for the State S.B. Intermediate Sparrows C'ship saw Jack Jones from Bendigo emerge the victor with 18/20; he was closely pressed by Scott from Bendigo with 17 and Doncon of Shepparton with 16.

The Back-markers' C'ship was taken out by Rex Piastri with the only clean sheet; Bill Williams dropped one to take second, and Bill Coulson won the shoot-off for third. The Cash H'cap had seven starters with clean sheets.

(J. E. Summers, Pres.)

QUEANBEYAN (N.S.W.), 26/6/65—Weather conditions: fine, very cold, light head wind. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. (comp. div.): J. Bink, K. Brokelshy, D. Byrne, O. Feilen, K. Muir, R. Sands, G. Tilyard, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. (1st round "Fred Morton" Memorial Trophy): 1st, M. Lyons, 25/25; 2nd, G. Tilyard, 24/25; 3rd, D. Byrne, 21/22; best F/M., R. J. Whittaker, 18/20. No. 3, 10-bird Pts.: 1st, G. Tilyard, 51/51; 2nd, D. Byrne, 48/51; 3rd, B. Hawke, 44/45. No. 4, 5-bird S.B. Trophy: not finalised; best F/M., R. J. Whittaker, 13/13.

A good afternoon's shooting, with most shooters scoring well. The main trophy, a gent's watch, was won convincingly by M. Lyons. The High Gun spoon was won by D. Byrne with 45/45 kills.

Darkness terminated the day's shooting, leaving a five-shooter shoot-off to be finalised at the next shoot. The day's shoot was well supported by visiting Berridale shooters, who scored well.

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

ROCKHAMPTON (Qld.), 13/6/65—Weather conditions: very windy. Attendance: 33. No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: E. Bell, A. Foster, W. Bartley, K. Green, K. Miller, A. Wood, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: H. Milner, 39/39; A. Foster, 36/39; E. Bell, A. Wood, D. Roberts, 29/30. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: C. Allan, 30/30; H. Milner, 59/60; R. Phillip, 53/60.

No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: C. Allan, L. Smith, A. Foster, 30/30; H. Milner, E. Bell, 29/30. No. 5, 10-bird S.B.: J. Marshall, 10/10; B. Marshall, C. Allan, L. Smith, B. Walker, K. Green, H. Milner, 9/10. No. 6, 10-bird S.B.: H. Milner, 16/16; A. Foster, 15/16; F. Walker, 13/14.

(H. Milner, Hon. Sec.)

ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.), 5/6/65—Weather conditions: fine and mild. Attendance: 38. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: 16 possibles, div. No. 2, 5 pr. D. Rise (16 yds.): D. Scowcroft, B. Hill, J. Hartigan, W. Craig, J. Mawby, B. Kable, I. Clisdell, 9/10. No. 3, County of Cumberland D. Rise C'ship: D. Scowcroft, 1st, 20/20; D. Hunt, 2nd, 19/20; B. Kable, 3rd, 22/24; Alexakis, F/M. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: 3 possibles, div. No. 5, 10-bird Pts.: W. Webster, B. Jackson, W. Reid, 30/30, div.

19/6/65. — Weather conditions: fine and mild. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: R. Croft, G. Alexakis, W. Mooney, J. Hartigan, B. Jackson, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird Pts.: G. Alexakis, 30/30; W. Mooney, N. Ellis, 29/30. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. R.A.C. Trophy: W. Mooney, 1st, 40/40; J. Hartigan, 2nd, 39/40; G. Papageorgiou, 3rd, 19/20. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: G. Alexakis, W. Craig, W. Reid, W. Ashton, N. Ellis, N. Costaris, G. Moore, J. McDonough, 10/10.

(A. Hicks, Hon. Sec.)

S.A.G.C. (S.A.), 6/6/65—Weather conditions: clear, sunny day. Attendance: 52. Results: No. 1, 15 birds: E. A. Collins, D. Ekins, F. Angeloni, T. Roberts, L. Zaniol, D. Fleetwood, D. Kimber, 15/15. No. 2, Carlos Open Gate Trophy (20 birds D.B.): F. H. Lawson, 42/42; D. Kimber, 41/42; D. Brown, 37/38; W. Cowin, 27/28, yardage. No. 3, Club D'ville Doubles C'ship: D. Kimber - R. Kimber, 108/108; R. Mules - P. Mules, 107/108; C. Chiantore - F. Angeloni, 31/32.

Another very good attendance, shot under perfect conditions, with good scores recorded. We also thank the ladies for their efforts in providing afternoon tea.

20/6/65. — Weather conditions: fine and calm. Attendance: 56. Results: No. 1: P. Quire, L. S. Ridge, J. Crawford, C. Chiantore, P. H. Lawson, L. E. Truman, 15/15; I. Morgan, R. Liberts, E. Vivian, A. Hamilton. No. 2, Horsell Jarmyn & Sons' Trophy: E. Vivian, 34/34; K. Doddridge, 33/34; J. Hutchings, 26/27; yardage trophy, R. Hill, 20/20. No. 3, 10 pr. D. Rise: R. Treloar, K. Doddridge, D. Kimber, £2/12/0 each; R. Jarmyn, D. Kimber, £3/12/0 each.

Excellent weather and shooting conditions, with another large attendance. Also the ladies put on another very good afternoon tea, for which all in attendance wish to thank them.

(F. J. Clark, Hon. Sec.)

SEBASTOPOL (Ballarat, Vic.), 5/6/65 (Afternoon)—Weather: cold. Attendance: 30. Another good day's shooting was enjoyed by all; even the chilly weather did not deter the shooters, as the last event was finished under the lights.

Some weeks back I predicted that we had in our midst a very promising young shooter in Rick Chasey. Well, today we saw Rick win our main event with the score of 46/46. In the shoot-off Rick had to compete against six shooters with vast experience over the traps. Congratulations must go to H. Walker and G. Hall also, for in keeping Rick going, this enabled Rick to qualify for his 50-break badge.

Our Vice-President welcomed shooters from Camperdown, Dundonnell, Geelong, Cressy, Melbourne and Beaufort, and thanked the ladies for providing an excellent afternoon tea.

I would like to mention that on October 2, 1965, we will be holding our first major shoot for a caravan. As we were not able to finalise the programme in time for this edition, please watch the next shooters' "News" for advert with more details.

Results: 5-bird Pts.: R. Chasey, E. Bevan, M. Pascoe, R. Bryant, J. Morrison, A. Manifold, R. Manifold, G. Kirkpatrick, H. Walker, I. Farren, J. Hehir, B. Mark, 15/15 pts., div. 20-bird D.B. H'cap: 1st, R. Chasey, 46/46; 2nd, H. Walker, 45/46; 3rd, G. Hall, 38/39; F/M., H. Bantz. 10-bird D.B.: L. Francis, K. Huddleston, A. Thompson, G. Ludbrook, div.

(Mrs. M. D. Pascoe, Asst. Sec.)

SHEPPARTON (V.), 5/6/65—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 94. Results: No. 1, Midland and Dist. D.B. C'ship: 1st, W. Birkin; 2nd, K. Dobson; 3rd, J. Henwood. No. 2, High Gun H'cap Trophy: 1st, J. Hempell; 2nd, E. Matheson; 3rd, R. Lacey. No. 3, D'ville Doubles: 1st, R. Lourie - L. Lourie; 2nd, A. James - F. James.

Shooters attended from all over Victoria and Riverina. The C'ship was taken out by W. Birkin (Wagga) from K. Dobson (Echuca). Kev. missed his 33rd bird. Third was J. Henwood (Croydon). The main H'cap event was won by President of the Findlay Club, J. Hempell, from his club mate, E. Matheson, with Nipper Lacey (Melbourne) third. The D'ville Doubles proved a brothers' event — 1st, R. and M. Lourie (Benalla); 2nd, A. and F. James (Kerang); 3rd, V. Russell and D. Suter (Wangaratta).

An excellent lunch was put on by Diamond Jim, while the ladies attended to afternoon tea. The ladies' trophy was won by Mrs. Crawford.

(V. Lawford, Hon. Sec.)

SILKWOOD (Qld.), 4/5/65—Weather conditions: fair. Attendance: 10. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: F. Guerra, V. Sandr, F. Maccarone, E. Palmer, J. Galletta, R. Lemura, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: V. Sandr, J. Galletta, M. Di Mauro, F. Guerra, R. Lemura, 5/5, div. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: F. Guerra, V. Sandr, M. Di Mauro, 10/10, div. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: R. Lemura, M. Di Mauro, J. Galletta, F. Guerra, V. Sandr, 10/10 — shoot-off: 1st, V. Sandr, 36/36; 2nd, M. Di Mauro, 35/36. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: M. Di Mauro, F. Maccarone, J. Galletta, 10/10, div. No. 6, 10-bird D.B.: F. Guerra, V. Sandr, E. Palmer, R. Lemura, F. Maccarone, S. Cardillo, 10/10, div. No. 7, D'ville Doubles: J. Spina - S. Cardillo.

V. Sandr, a very fine shooter from Mt. Hagen, shot 51 clays straight: he won all but one event of the day. It was a pleasure to have you with us, Vic, and an exciting shoot-off between M. Di Mauro and V. Sandr was really a pleasure to watch, as none of them looked like missing. Vic took this trophy to Mt. Hagen (N.G.).

Shooters from Mossman and Mt. Hagen. and an enjoyable day was had by all.

30/5/65. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 9. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: J. Spina, G. Zangrande, F. Marino, G. Galletta, V. Galletta, H. Dunstan, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: J. Galletta, S. Cardillo, F. Marino, 10/10, div. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: V. Galletta, H. Dunstan, J. Galletta, G. Zangrande, F. Marino, S. Cardillo, 5/5, div. No. 4, 15-bird D.B.: F. Guerra, F. Marino, S. Cardillo, G. Zangrande, J. Spina, 15/15, div. No. 5, 5-bird S.B.: J. Spina, F. Marino, 5/5, div. No. 6, 10-bird D.B.: J. Spina, F. Marino, S. Cardillo, 10/10, div. No. 7, 5 pr. D. Rise: J. Galletta, J. Spina, 9/10, div. No. 8, D'ville Doubles: F. Guerra - G. Zangrande.

Club shoot. Poor attendance, as H. Dunstan, a visitor from New Guinea, was here on holidays, and we had a shoot so he could meet the members. We enjoy these visits from far clubs; they are very welcome to call on us.

F. Marino shot very well for a front-marker and he passed the 50 break for the day — a fine effort for you, Frank. Let's hope you get a badge.

(J. Spina, Hon. Sec.)

SOUTH BURNETT (Qld.), Sun., 6/6/65—Weather conditions: overcast, with a strong easterly breeze making shooting difficult. Attendance: 22. No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, S. Horn; 2nd, R. Glasgow. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: 1st, P. Dennis; 2nd, K. Trusz. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: 1st, K. Trusz; 2nd, R. Glasgow.

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

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SOUTH COAST (Qld.), 10 and 11/4/65. — 10/4/65 (Night): No. 1, C'wealth D. Rise Night Sparrows Championship: 1st, F. Lang (S.C.G.C.), 28/40; 2nd, N. Pittaway (S.C.G.C.), 26/40; 3rd, A. Arrowsmith (Ipswich), 26/42. No. 2, Pacific Coast S.B. Night C'ship: 1st, D. Evans (Brisbane); 2nd, Dr. G. Ethell (Stn. Burnett); 3rd, J. Bruggy (Lismore).

11/4/65 (Day): No. 1, South Coast G.C. D.B. C'ship: 1st, N. Pittaway, 30/30; 2nd, L. Ardron, 29/30; 3rd, I. Bamberry, 48/50. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, H. Carne, 46/46; 2nd, J. Farrow, 45/46; 3rd, N. Pittaway, 23/24. No. 3, 20-bird S.B. Trophy: 1st, G. Parker, 21/21; 2nd, L. Ardron, 20/21; 3rd, R. Porter, 19/20. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: A. A. Griffiths, 30/30; R. Hogarth, 29/30; J. Bruggy, 28/30. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: div. R. Gehrman, A. A. Griffiths, J. Farrow, I. Bamberry. High Gun Club Mug over the two-day programme: N. Pittaway, 114/140.

Our congratulations go to all championship winners, particularly to Fred Lang for his C'wealth D.R. Sparrows Night C'ship win. Dave Evans shot against some very stiff opposition to take out the Pacific Coast S.B. Night C'ship. Norm Pittaway was certainly there with his usual staying power to win the Club D.B. C'ship and the Club Mug (High Gun of the two-day programme).

9/5/65. — No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: div. F. Lang, A. E. Cregan, 30/30. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, L. Day, 44/44; 2nd, D. Evans, 43/44; 3rd, A. Thurlow, 22/23. No. 3, 15-bird S.B.: div. A. Thurlow, F. Lang,

J. Farrow, A. C. Whitney, E. Mende. No. 4, 15-bird D.B.: div. J. Bruggy, A. C. Culley, D. Evans, D. Macnash, D. Cunningham, B. Deignan, L. Day, L. Shanco. High Gun and Club Mug: D. Evans, 56/60.

13/6/65. — No. 1, 10-bird S.B.: div. W. Bruggy, F. Lang. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, J. Farrow, 22/22; 2nd, D. Evans, 21/22; 3rd, B. Cole, 20/21. No. 3, 20-bird Pts. Trophy: 1st, J. McQueen, 56/60; 2nd, D. Evans, 64/69; 3rd, B. Cole, 61/69. No. 4, 10-bird D. Rise (16 yds.): div. A. Kemp, F. Lang, B. Deignan, 17/20. High Gun and Club Mug: D. Evans, 64/70.

(Mrs. Leila L. Hogarth, Sec.)

SOUTHERN (S.A.), 27/6/65—Weather conditions: fine and cool. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 10 birds: div. A. Groves, D. Hunt, J. Sheridan, C. D. Scott, A. Scott, R. Treloar, V. Honeyman, R. Rossiter, J. Brook, K. Doddridge, L. T. Freeman, W. Cowin, 10/10, div. No. 2, 20-bird I.C.I. Trophy: 1st, J. Sheridan, 35/35; 2nd, A. Groves, 34/35; 3rd, R. Rossiter, 29/30; novice trophy, W. Sneyd, 28/30. No. 3, 10 birds: div. D. Hunt, C. D. Scott, R. Treloar, S. Dawe, R. Rossiter, K. Doddridge, W. Cowin, 10/10, div. No. 4, 10 birds: div. K. Baker, D. Hunt, D. Blakely, F. Grey, H. Semaschko, R. Treloar, R. Rossiter, L. T. Freeman, 10/10, div. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: div. F. Grey, H. Semaschko, R. Treloar, 9/10, div.

With a fine, cool day, some excellent shooting was to be had by all. As the above results show, almost everyone was in the money.

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Thanking the many visitors from Adelaide, Mallala and Milang for their participation and help. Hope to see you all next month.

(E. B. Kleinig, Hon. Sec.)

ST. GEORGE (Qld.), 5/6/65.—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: G. Ferguson, H. Nott, 10/10, div. No. 2, 20-bird D.B.: C. McD. Whyte, H. T. Siddins Jr., N. Nott. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: C. McD. Whyte, 10/10; G. Ferguson, N. Nott, 9/10. No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise: C. McD. Whyte, C. Stewart, J. Siddins, F. Hartnett, L. Corbould, 8/10, div.

Good afternoon's shooting.

(D. Abbott, Hon. Sec.)

TASMANIAN (Tas.), 12/6/65. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sparrows: div. G. Roberts, K. Littlejohn, I. Heazlewood, J. Blake, G. Pinner, R. Blake, D. Brett, R. Garwood, div. No. 2, Club D.B. Sparrow C'ship: 1st, K. Littlejohn, 14/15; 2nd, J. Blake, 18/20; 3rd, I. Heazlewood, 17/20; F/M., A. Cunningham, 13/15. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: div. K. Littlejohn, G. Roberts, R. Blake. No. 4, D'ville Trebles: div. G. Pinner, A. Cunningham, 17/18.

Congrats. to Ken Littlejohn on his first club win for some time. We had many new shooters lining up, and we hope some new registrations will be forthcoming.

Thanks to ladies for very nice tea.

(George Pinner, Hon. Sec.)

TATURA (V.), 19/6/65. — Weather conditions: cool, cloudy. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: div. W. Wootton, C. Clarke, N. Doncon, W. Wickham, V. Petrac, E. Baldwin. No. 2, 20-bird Trophy: 1st, G. Coombs, 27/27; 2nd, W. Wootton, 26/27; 3rd, A. McIlroy, 22/23. No. 3, 15 birds: div. W. Wootton, V. Petrac, V. Lawford.

Although weather conditions were cool, it was a good day for shooting. The attendance was small, but shooters had an enjoyable day. G. Coombs shot well and won the 20-bird Trophy, 27/27; W. Wootton, 2nd, 26/27; A. McIlroy, 3rd, 22/23. W. Wootton, V. Petrac and V. Lawford, div. 15-bird sweep.

Many thanks to Mrs. Baldwin and Mrs. Shard, who served the afternoon tea, which I'm sure all enjoyed.

(A. Moles, Hon. Sec.)

TOWNSVILLE (Qld.), 11/6/65 (Night). — Conditions: wet. Attendance: 36. We received a good roll-up for our first novelty shoot. The 10-bird Skeet event was shot in rain, and a very good performance was put up by Ken Knuth, who recorded the good score of 9/10. This is Ken's first attempt at skeet.

No. 1, 10-bird Skeet: K. Knuth, 9/10; 2nd and 3rd, div. J. Hart, C. Sinclair, 8/10. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: 8 shooters possibles, 10/10. After a long shoot-off, Gill Jaques won, 29/29; C. Sinclair, 2nd, 28/29; R. McLennan, 3rd, 23/24. No. 3, 5 prs. D. Rise: two shooters div. 1st, G. Jaques, K. Knuth, 9/10; 4 shooters 3rd, N. Krabbenhoft, T. Turton, A. Edwards, A. Stewart, 8/10.

Most consistent shooters were: Gill Jaques, Ken Knuth, N. Krabbenhoft, R. McLennan, C. Sinclair.

(J. H. Hart, Asst. Sec.)

VICTORIAN (V.), 16/6/65.—Weather conditions: fine night. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts. H'cap: 1st, div. R. Batey, E. Lowery, G. Ash, 30/30. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. H'cap Trophies: 1st, F. Schultz, 20/20; 2nd, R. Batey, 31/33; 3rd, J. Walls, 30/33; F/M., J. Beer, 27/29.

Frank Schultz was the only shooter to card the possible, and we are pleased to see him strike form again. Bob Batey, still showing his consistent form, took second, with Jim Walls third. Nice also to see our President's son, Jeff Beer, shoot the good score of 27/29 to win F/M. trophy.

A good night's shooting was enjoyed by all.

23/6/65. — Weather conditions: showers. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 4 pr. D. Rise (16 yds.) (cash div.): 1st, div. R. Evans, A. Harrod, 8/8. No. 2, 12 pr. D. Rise V.G.C. C'ship (16 yds.): 1st, W. Attwood, 22/24; 2nd, J. Walls, 20/24; 3rd, R. Evans, 19/24; F/M., L. Kaye.

Congratulations to Bill Attwood on his fine shooting. This form of shooting is always difficult, and under lights on a miserable night the scores were quite good. Jim Walls, always consistent with the type of events, took second, with Ron Evans third. Popular club man Les Kaye took front-markers' trophy.

(J. Platten, Hon. Sec.)

WANDOAN (Qld.), 15 shooters attended our shoot, and considering the drought conditions we are going through, it was good.

The conditions from about 2 p.m. to about 3.30 were fair; after that the sky became storm-covered and at times was a very bad night. The club was very pleased to have two visiting shooters, R. Graham and T. Graham. We were also pleased to see Tom Graham win the main event. Tom put up a good score for the day. Congratulations, Tom.

We were pleased to have so many visitors, and only hope to see them again, and many thanks to our usual women that put on such a nice afternoon tea for us.

We take this opportunity of congratulating John Norton from Theodore, who comes 110 miles each shoot, and also Joe Homan of Chinchilla, who travels 75 miles to attend. A very fine effort.

(J. J. O'Donnell, Secretary.)

WARRACKNABEAL DIGGERS (V.), 14/6/65.—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 54. Results: No. 1, 5 birds (16 yds.): 33 possibles. No. 2, Warracknabeal Dist. D.B. C'ship: possibles, J. Wishart, B. Vogel, D. Thompson, B. Cockfield, C. Nuske, R. C.

Lynch, L. Dunn, R. Ferrier, C. Sinclair, C. Ferrier, R. Butler, M. Connelly, H. Durbridge, J. O'Donnell — 1st, J. O'Donnell, 119/119; 2nd, R. Butler, 118/119; 3rd, R. Ferrier, 114/115.

There was a good gathering of shooters from far and near and, under ideal conditions, enjoyed a good afternoon's shooting. Jim O'Donnell out-stayed a big field to win the sash with 119 straight. Rod Butler and Rich Ferrier pushed him hard. This is the first time we have seen a 100 break on our ground made by three shooters.

Thanks a lot to the visiting shooters for their support.

(C. Ricketts, Hon. Sec.)

WARRNAMBOOL (V.), 12/6/65.—Weather conditions: cold, wet. Results: No. 1: A. McSweeney, C. Plowright, J. Boyle, N. Wright, R. Millard, N. Davis, div. No. 2, S.B. C'ship: 1st, D. Grummett; 2nd, G. Sharrock; 3rd, B. King. No. 3, D.B. C'ship: 1st, T. Davis; 2nd, N. Davis; 3rd, L. Reicha.

Congrats. to David Grummett and Tom Davis on winning the championships. Many thanks to the ladies for the cuppa.

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

WERRIBEE (V.), 12/6/65.—Weather conditions: fine, cloudy. Attendance: 63. Results: Grand Prix (30 birds D.B. H'cap): High Gun: J. Morrison, 30/30. Yardage — 12/14: 1st, R. Barnes Snr.; 2nd, R. Mason; 3rd, V. Harper, 15/16; 1st, T. Toohey; 2nd, E. Lowery; 3rd, R. Chasey, 17/18; 1st, G. Hall; 2nd, E. Baldwin; 3rd, H. Weitzel, 19/21; 1st, D. Mcraith; 2nd, A. Craig; 3rd, J. Walls, 22 yds. and over; 1st, W. Abbott; 2nd, D. Preston; 3rd, W. Williams.

This shoot, which is now one of the most important events in the club's calendar, was a very successful day. Sixty-three shooters competed for the Grand Prix, which, because of the shortness of the day, was the only event. Standard of shooting was high, and shoot-offs were needed to decide most prizes. A feature of the shoot was the good shooting of Tom Toohey, Bill Abbott and Darcy Preston of the local club.

The committee wish to thank all competitors who made this such a successful shoot.

(Kevin P. Shanahan, Hon. Sec.)

WITTENOOM (W.A.), 5/6/65.—No. 1, 20-target D.B.: N. Thomas, 20/20; D. Cumming, D. Marchesani, 19/20. No. 2, Club C'ship: N. Thomas, D. Cumming, 20/20 (Thomas won first placing); J. Kitching, 3rd, 17/20. No. 3, 10 prs. D. Rise: D. Cumming, 16/20. No. 4, 10 pairs D'ville Doubles: Thomas - V. Carlino, 10/10 pairs. No. 5, 10-target D.B. Walk-up: D. Cumming, 10/10 (L. Pedri gained first placing). No. 6, No-vic: T. Coles, 7/10.

A night shoot the previous evening resulted: 20-target D.B.: J. Kitching, A. Martino, 15/20.

8/6/65. — No. 1, 20-target D.B.: J. Kitching, 17/20.

13/6/65.—15-target D.B.: T. Martino, 13/20.

16/6/65.—15-target D.B.: J. Kitching, 11/15. No. 2, 20-target D.B.: J. Kitching, 17/20.

(J. Kitching, Referee.)

WYONG (N.S.W.), 26/6/65.—Weather conditions: rain. Results: No. 1, 5 birds (clays only). No. 2, 15-bird D.B. (Captain's Trophy): M. Dick, D. Hardes, 15/15 — shoot-off, D. Hardes. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. C'ship: D. Hardes, A. Tremain, F. Baldwin, M. Dick, 19/20 — shoot-off, A. Tremain. No. 4, D. McKay Trophy (3rd Round): F. Baldwin, M. Dick, 30 pts.; A. Kent, D. Hardes, 29 pts. — M. Dick leading on the 3rd round.

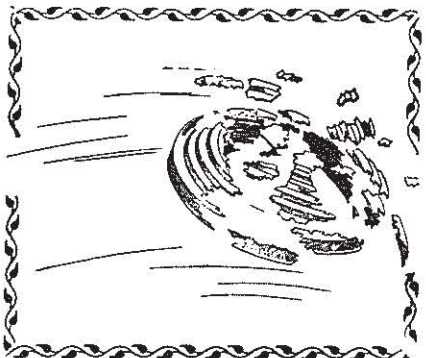
Rain and bad light resulted in general poor scoring. Abie Tremain shot well to win the Dist. D.B. C'ship from D. Hardes, F. Baldwin and M. Dick. Doug. Hardes won the Captain's trophy after a keen shoot-off from M. Dick.

(L. Gardiner, Hon. Sec.)

YASS (N.S.W.), 12/6/65.—Weather conditions: excellent, clear and fine. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 9 shooters div., 5/5. No. 2, 12-bird D.B. Accumulative S'stake (3rd round): 8 shooters div., 12/12 — shoot-off for leg-in won by K. Oldfield, 37/37; 2nd, J. Bink, 36/37. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. (£25): 3 shooters div. 20/20, D. Suthers, Rod Frost, L. Bird. No. 4, 10 pr. D'ville Doubles C'ship (trophies): D. Suthers - L. Bird, 1st; K. Oldfield - A. Zantis, 2nd.

A good, attractive programme, perfect weather and nominations kept at minimum, but only six of our club members turned up. Fortunately we had 11 visitors and it was pleasing to see a lot of the visitors getting a good cut of the money and trophies. L. Bird, President of the Cowra Gun Club, was in excellent form, dividing in every cash event and, with D. Suthers of Wollongong, winning the Club D'ville Doubles C'ship. Rod Frost of Yass was the star of the local shooters, dividing in all events except the Deauville Doubles.

(Gordon Reed, Hon. Sec.)



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— 20 Birds —

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Bucknell, Rob (Mt. Hagen)	12	Hart, R. (Central Burnett)	13
Buono, S. (Burdekin)	12	Hatti, C. (Dubbo)	16
Burns, W. (Sydney)	12	Hayes, Phil (H.M.A.S. Cerberus)	14
Burrow, K. (Bathurst)	12	Heferen, R. P. (Townsville)	17
Burset, J. (Australian)	16	Heritage, J. (Brewarrina)	12
Campbell, A. M. (Esperance Bay)	15	Higgs, C. E. (Mt. Gambier)	13
Campbell, W. J. (Nyah)	15	Hilton, D. (Katanning)	14
Cardillo, A. (Silkwood)	14	Hodgson, G. E. (Newcastle)	12
Cardillo, T. (Hawkesbury)	12	Holmes, R. J. (Nyah)	12
Chisholm, D. A. (N.S.W. G.C.)	13	Horwood, G. J. (Townsville)	13
Clare, R. L. (Coff's Harbour)	12	Jackson, H. E. (Charters Towers)	13
Clarke, R. (Rockhampton)	14	Jackson, W. (Broken Hill)	13
Coffey, R. B. (Queanbeyan)	12	Johnson, D. (Newcastle)	13
Collings, A. (McKinlay)	15	Johnson, Roy (Taree)	14
Collins, G. A. (Dalton)	16	Johnston, G. (Broken Hill)	21
Comrick, J. A. (Broken Hill)	12	Jones, R. S. (Narrandera)	15
Cooper, Robert, Jnr. (Keilor)	12	Jones, T. (Newcastle)	15
Corbould, R. H. (St. George)	14	Kerr, H. (Echuca)	12
Cornwell, M. D. (Ungarra)	13	Kilpatrick, D. W. (Apsley)	12
Cristy, B. (Newcastle)	13	Kingdom, B. M. (Hay)	16
Crothers, R. (Guyra)	13	Kirkby, Richard (Dubbo)	12
Dale, B. (Australian)	16	Langtree, K. (Aust. Showmans)	12
Davis, B. (Aust. Showmans)	12	Lauder, R. (Cumnulla)	12
Davis, John (Aust. Showmans)	12	Leahy, J. (Mt. Hagen)	12
Ablett, B. A. (Darnick)	12		
Aldis, J. A. (Royal Aero)	16		
Allbrand, W. (Central Burnett)	14		
Allison, J. (Mt. Gambier)	21		
Apprato, J. (Burdekin)	24		
Armstrong, P. H. (Dulacca)	13		
Attley, P. (Tatura)	12		
Ayres, F. (Hawkesbury)	12		
Ayres, R. (Hawkesbury)	13		
Bacon, K. (Bundaberg)	13		
Bailey, R. V. (Aramac)	16		
Baker, G. (Kempsey)	14		
Barnes, K. W. (Mildura)	16		
Beeson, R. (Mansfield)	16		
Bell, F. (Burdekin)	18		
Bell, J. (Newcastle)	12		
Benton, J. (Bathurst)	15		
Betts, M. V. (Cobar)	12		
Borto, L. (Frankston)	12		
Bott, R. (Mersey)	12		
Boulgas, G. (Royal Aero)	13		
Bourchier, J. (Tatura)	12		
Bowman, Ronald (Pittsworth)	13		
Brown, A. (New Zealand)	17		
Brown, D. L. (St. George)	12		
Brown, W. H. (Bundella)	12		
Brown, W. J. (Northam)	13		

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Lees, R. J. (Bruthen) ..	16	Morris, Mrs. C. (Aust. Showmans) ..	12	Rae, N. (Katanning) ..	14	Sullivan, L. P. (Clermont) ..	15
Leeson, W. M. (Mendocorn) ..	12	Morton, B. (Wingadee) ..	15	Rathie, A. J. (Moree) ..	14	Sutton, E. (Barellan) ..	13
Lewis, G., Jr. (South Burnett) ..	13	Mould, T. (Berridale) ..	13	Richards, S. (Aust. Showmans) ..	12	Sutton, T. (Bathurst) ..	12
Lewis, G. (South Burnett) ..	13	McClennaghan, F. (Dorrigo) ..	15	Ridgegway, G. (Geelong) ..	21	Tavasci, B. (Burdekin) ..	12
Liesgang, G. (South Burnett) ..	15	McIlroy, A. (Tatura) ..	15	Robinson, W. C. (Moore) ..	13	Taylor, D. (Central Burnett) ..	13
Llewellyn, D. (Geelong) ..	16	McIntosh, C. (Guyra) ..	16	Rogers, R. (Eastern Goldfields) ..	12	Thompson, N. (Maryborough) ..	16
Luttrell, J. (New Zealand) ..	18	McIntyre, R. (Hay) ..	13	Rose, B. (Aust. Showmans) ..	12	Thompson, N. L. (Bundella) ..	12
		McNicol, D. D. (Amaroo) ..	12	Ross, Bert (Darwin) ..	13	Thorne, E. (Royal Aero) ..	13
MacDonald, D. A. (South Coast) ..	14	Naylor, P. L. (Royal Aero) ..	12	Salmon, P. C. (Isisford) ..	14	Thurbon, K. (Berridale) ..	12
MacLean, R. (Central Burnett) ..	13	Nicholls, J. H. (Mt. Gambier) ..	15	Scheidel, P. H. (Tamworth) ..	16	Tomlinson, A. J. (Moree) ..	14
MacLean, R. J. (Ipswich)* ..	17	Norris, N. (Townsville) ..	21	Schlipalius, L. (Sale) ..	18	Trail, J. (Bundella) ..	12
MacPherson, D. S. (Bundella) ..	12	Oliveri, F. (Geraldton) ..	15	Schomrock, V. (Maryborough) ..	17	Trusz, K. (South Burnett) ..	14
Mansell, W. (Hawkesbury) ..	12	O'Neill, F. J. (Moree) ..	15	Shannan, A. D. (Mackay) ..	14	Vaughan, Dr. I. (Geelong) ..	16
Marks, R. (Wangaratta) ..	15	Ortner, F. (Australian) ..	14	Shelley, M. (Central Burnett) ..	16	Viney, G. (Werrabee) ..	16
Marshall, I. (Newcastle) ..	12	Parkes, C. (Australian) ..	12	Sherriff, L. B. (Apsley) ..	15	Wakefield, K. G. (Mildura) ..	16
Mason, F. J. (Eastern Goldfields) ..	13	Patterson, A. (Winton) ..	16	Simpson, C. (N.S.W.G.C.) ..	12	Walker, D. (Frankston) ..	14
Matsen, F. (Lakes End) ..	13	Pauli, H. D. (R.A.A.F.) ..	13	Sinison, D. (Bundella) ..	12	Walker, G. S. (Metropolitan) ..	14
Meigaard, N. (Goroke) ..	12	Pedersen, V. (Camberwell) ..	12	Sisson, K. (H.M.A.S. Cerberus) ..	12	Walton, F. (Esperance) ..	16
Menz, W. J. (S.A.G.C.) ..	12	Pereira, G. (Coff's Harbour) ..	12	Slater, T. (Colac) ..	16	Ward, J. G. (Alexandra) ..	13
Middleton, D. (Bathurst) ..	17	Perrett, B. (St. George) ..	15	Smith, D. F. (Central Burnett) ..	13	Warner, D. L. (Scone) ..	12
Miller, G. J. R. (Bombala) ..	17	Phillipps, L., Jr. (Kellor) ..	12	Solomon, E. (McKinlay) ..	16	White, J. (Sale) ..	13
Miller, Reg (Townsville) ..	12	Philp, A. (Ipswich) ..	14	Sonier, W. (Wong) ..	12	White, L. (Esperance) ..	14
Money Penny, B. (Mt. Hagen) ..	12	Pickering, R. (Bundella) ..	12	Spinks, N. (Newcastle) ..	15	White, N. (Esperance) ..	14
Monks, D. (Bothwell) ..	14	Pinniger, E. (Apsley) ..	12	Stamell, S. (Australian) ..	12	Whitehead, W. J. (Oondooroo) ..	12
Moore, D. E. W. (St. George) ..	12	Poletti, A. L. (Giru) ..	15	Standeven, J. (Kellor) ..	16	Wilkins, B. (Gunnedah) ..	16
Morgan, C. (Aust. Showmans) ..	12	Powell, G. (Narrandera) ..	15	Standin, B. (Kyallite) ..	14	Wilkinson, F. (Hawkesbury) ..	12
Morris, K. (Gunnedah) ..	12	Powell, J. W. (Bundella) ..	12	Stoneman, G. E. (Oondooroo) ..	14	Wills, N. A. E. (Warracknabeal) ..	12
		Pritt, W. (New Zealand) ..	17	Stratigos, G. (Cumamulla) ..	12		
		Purdie, W. (Frankston) ..	12				

Winnett, G. (Bruthen) ..	12	Beer, Jeff (Victorian) ..	14	Ellen, E. J. (Barcaldine) ..	13	Hemphill, J. (Deniliquin) ..	16
Wood, Bill, Jr. (Aust. Showmans) ..	12	Betts, L. R. (Brevarrina) ..	15	Ellison, R. (Parkes) ..	25	Henderson, A. (Clermont) ..	15
Woolen, Mrs. R. (Newcastle) ..	12	Betts, M. (Brevarrina) ..	13	English, L. J. (N.S.W.G.C.) ..	16	Hendra, L. (Werrabee) ..	20
Woolley, G. (Aust. Showmans) ..	12	Blake, R. (Mildura) ..	16	Ethell, Dr. G. S. (Central Burnett) ..	19	Henwood, W. (Croydon) ..	24
Worthington, R. (Esperance) ..	12	Brewer, J. (Echuca) ..	16	Evans, R. (Brisbane) ..	18	Hill, R. E. (Mt. Gambier) ..	14
Wright, B. (Tasmanian) ..	13	Buchan, R. (Croydon) ..	21	Evans, D. (Footscray) ..	22	Holmes, T. (Newcastle) ..	16
York, J. H. (Newcastle) ..	20	Bussey, R. (Mackay) ..	16	Farrow, J. (Cowra)* ..	17	Hopkins, A. (Camberwell) ..	15
Young, L. E. (Perth) ..	12	Cairns, L. V. (Maryborough) ..	15	Flowers, Miss J. (Colac) ..	13	Houston, John (Hay)* ..	16
		Carne, H. S. (Roma) ..	19	Foley, L. (Griffith) ..	13	James, R. (Sydney) ..	16
		Cash, J. (Mersey) ..	13	Forsyth, D. (Kellerberrin) ..	15	Jarmyn, A. R. J. (S.A.G.C.) ..	20
		Cay, J. M. (Ballandean) ..	14	Foster, A. (Aust. Showmans) ..	14	Jerrard, P. (Wandoan) ..	16
		Chasey, R. (Geelong) ..	15	Foster, G. (Newcastle) ..	14	Jones, G. J. (Camberwell) ..	16
		Chew, N. (Bundaberg) ..	16	Francis, L. (Noorat) ..	17	Jorgensen, R. (Portarlington)* ..	19
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		Cole, B. (Ipswich) ..	13	Glover, R. (Sale)* ..	22	Knuth, K. (Burdekin) ..	17
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		Craig, A. (Metropolitan) ..	20	Gordon, B. S. (Narrandera) ..	18	Lamaro, R. (Huntly) ..	16
		Crawford, John (Mt. Barker) ..	15	Groves, A. (Mallala) ..	16	Lawson, P. H. (S.A.G.C.) ..	16
		Craze, G. (Griffith) ..	16	Hall, G. (Geelong) ..	20	Leblowitz, A. (Childers) ..	16
		Culley, C. A. (Brisbane) ..	16	Hamilton, A. (Australian) ..	22	Littlejohn, K. (Tasmania) ..	17
				Hammond, R. (Benalla) ..	14	Lorman, S. (Darwin) ..	16
		Davis, N. (Noorat) ..	27	Harford, V. (Aust.) ..	13	Louie, R. K. (Benalla) ..	19
		Di Bartolo, R. (Herbert River) ..	17	Harris, I. (Horsham) ..	16	Loverly, E. (Camberwell) ..	16
		Dinsdale, R. (Camberwell) ..	15	Harris, R. (Harcourt) ..	15	Lubcke, M. (Albany) ..	13
		Doddridge, Dr. A. K. (S.A.G.C.) ..	16	Harris, R. (Harcourt) ..	15	Lucas, T. (Aust.) ..	19
		Drake, A. (Croydon)* ..	19	Hartwell, A. S. (Coburg) ..	20	Lyons, M. (Queanbeyan) ..	16
		Durbridge, F. (Perth) ..	17	Hartwell, M. (Burdekin) ..	16	Maguire, P. (Clermont) ..	14
				Hawke, J. (Geelong) ..	13	Makeham, W. (Kerang) ..	18

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Amended Handicaps

Abbott, W. (Werrabee) ..	24
Alexander, Roy (Perth) ..	16
Allan, C. J. (Rockhampton) ..	15
Anderson, Miss L. (Koonjup) ..	14
Anderson, P. (Bundaberg) ..	21
Angeloni, F. (S.A.G.C.) ..	17
Ash, G. (Frankston) ..	16
Ashcroft, J. (Metropolitan) ..	13
Ashworth, L. (Burdekin) ..	18
Baldwin, Ted (Tatura) ..	19
Barnes, R. (Metropolitan) ..	15
Batey, R. (Australian) ..	18
Battersby, J. (Katanning) ..	15

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Manuel, R. L. (Quamba- took)	17	Nixon, G. C. (Brisbane)*	19	Tatam, D. (Sydney)	17
Marano, T. (Giru)	13	Nott, N. (St. George)	13	Thorne, N. (Dulverton)	14
Marino, F. (Silkwood)	13	O'Callaghan, D. B. (Aust.)*	23	Thurlow, Dr. W. (N.S.W. G.C.)*	18
Marks, K. A. (Mt. Gambier)	20	O'Connor, H. (Brewarrina)	13	Tooney, T. (Werribee)*	17
Marshall, Jim (Bundaberg)	13	Papageorgeau, G. (Royal Aero)	16	Traverso, G. (Mildura)	14
Mason, R. (Metropolitan)	15	Parker, G. E. (Brisbane)	17	Vivian, E. (S.A.G.C.)*	16
Massey, L. (Sydney)	14	Patrick, Miss R. (N.S.W. G.C.)	13	Vidotto, C. (Aust.)	14
Matheson, E. (Deniliquin)	18	Petrac, V. (Shepparton)	15	Wait, K. R. (Mt. Gambier)	21
Mende, E. C. (Brisbane)	12	Phelan, W. (Burdekin)	18	Wakefield, C. (Darnick)	16
Menz, W. J. (S.A.G.C.)	14	Powell, G. (Aust.)	13	Wakefield, G. (Mildura)	23
Milburn, H. (Keilor)	14	Preston, R. J. (Lismore)	13	Wakefield, R. (Mildura)	19
Milkins, J. (Aust.)	13	Radcliffe, C. (Kerang)	27	Walker, H. (Barwon Heads)	17
Miller, R. (Frankston)	17	Reschke, R. (Mt. Gambier)	20	Walls, J. (Keilor)	21
Milner, H. (Rockhampton)	17	Roberts, B. (Croydon)	18	Watson, B. (Mildura)	19
Mitchell, H. M. (Coburg)	17	Ryan, M. B. (Brewarrina)	21	Wells, N. (South West)*	19
Mitchell, R. (Shepparton)	15	Ryan, R. J. (Brewarrina)	14	Whitson, K. K. (Burdekin)	14
Moffatt, L. (Guyra)	13	Schmitt, R. (Esperance)	13	Whyte, C. McD. (St. George)	21
Moller, I. (Childers)	19	Schultz, D. (S.A.G.C.)	14	Wickes, G. (Frankston)*	17
Moore, J. (Aust.)	18	Schultz, F. (Frankston)	20	Williams, K. V. (Royal Aero)	15
Morrison, J. (Dundonnell)	20	Scott, N. (Huntly)	18	Wootton, W. (Stanhope)	16
Morrison, Ray (Footscray)	14	Senserrick, P. (Metropolitan)*	14	Worrall, G. (Darwin)*	19
Mossop, H. (Daylesford)	13	Sharp, R. L. (Dorrigo)	13	Wright, H. (Bathurst)	20
Mules, Phillip (S.A.G.C.)	24	Sheridan, F. (Southern)	16	Wright, R. J. (Bangall)	14
Munnings, M. (Hobart)	15	Smith, G. (Ballandean)	14	Walker, F. W. (Aust. Showmans)	16
Murray, D. E. (Richmond)*	19	Smith, K. A. (Dorrigo)	14	Witcombe, R. C. (Northam)	16
Murray, Roger (Hay)	13	Smith, K. A. (Dorrigo)	14	Whitaker, J. (Berridale)	13
McCraith, D. (Melbourne)	20	Standen, J. (Perth)	15	Zantia, S. (Sydney)	13
McCulloch, A. (Camberwell)	17	Suthers, D. (Sydney)	13		
McGarigle, M. (Geelong)	15	Suter, D. (Wangaratta)	17		
McIntosh, L. J. (Brewarrina)	13				
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