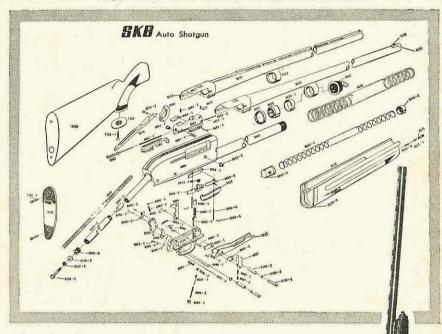
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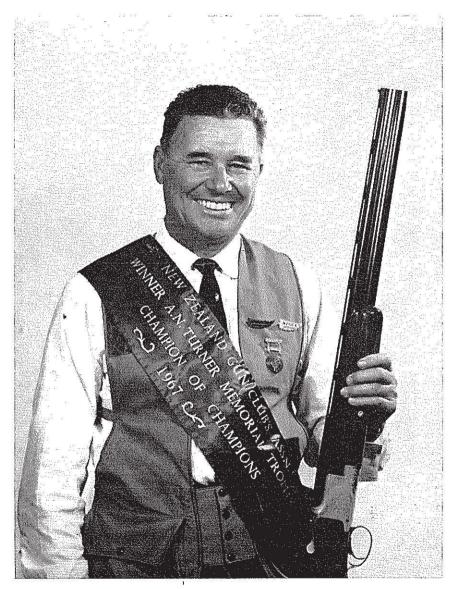
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Shooter F. HUDSON of N.S.W. shown wearing his Champion of Champions' sash and the Browning shotgun for winning this event in New Zealand at the 1967 N.Z.G.C.A. National Championships. Fred Hudson also won the N.Z. National Single-rise Championship in the same programme.

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The Editor's Notebook



The 31st Annual General Meeting of affiliated club delegates and representatives was held at the Pacific Hotel, Southport, Queensland, from 8.00 p.m. on Sunday, June 13, 1967, due to flooding at the Gold Coast Gun Club—such alteration was by unanimous shooter approval.

The attendance was the largest ever recorded and all States were represented, plus a number of observers.

The President (1) requested that shooters give a standing ovation to the Committee of the Gold Coast Gun Club for their efforts in the cyclonic winds and sub-tropical rains, and also to their women-folk for their noble and voluntary assistance.

(2) announced that H.M. The Queen had graciously bestowed the Order of the British Empire (O.B.E.) on A.C.T.A. Hon. Life Vice-President W. E. H. Rainbird of Launceston, Tasmania — this was acknowledged with acclamation.

(3) congratulated the 1966 Queensland Team for the best score ever recorded (493/500).

(4) congratulated the 1966 Victorian Team for winning the Interstate Skeet Match (123/125).

(5) congratulated all other 1966 winners and F. Hudson of N.S.W. for his winning scores in New Zealand during 1967.

Appointment of Auditor — Mr. R. W. Fox of Moorabbin (Vic.) was re-appointed as Auditor.

The elections for the Executive

Committee by the various States resulted as follows:—

Queensland — Mr. W. A. Edwards was elected for 1967/1968 years. New South Wales — Messrs. D. B. Mott and K. Oldfield were reelected for 1967/1968 years.

Victoria — Messrs. E. T. Baldwin and G. H. Hall were re-elected for 1967/1968 years.

The next scheduled meeting of the A.C.T.A. Executive Committee will be held in the R.A.C.V. Building, 123 Queen Street, Melbourne, over Monday-Tuesday, October 2-3, 1967.

Those interested or concerned are requested to lodge, in writing, any matter for inclusion on the Agenda of that meeting with the Secretary, A.C.T.A., G.P.O. Box 2038 S, Melbourne, Vic., 3001, not later than August 31, 1967.

CLUB SECRETARIES

1. When forwarding registrations are requested to list the appropriate Australian Post Office Postcode with each registration address. Note: A.C.T.A. address now is G.P.O. Box 2038 S, Melbourne, Vic., 3001.

2. Available on demand, at nominal prices, are

(a) shoot record books

(b) shoot reports in pad form (for A.C.T.A. "News")

(c) D.T.L. score sheets in pad form

(d) Skeet score sheets in pad form.

NOTICES OF MOTION -

Notices of Motion, under Article 43, referring to the Articles of Association and the Constitution of the A.C.T.A. or to any other business affecting the Association are required to be submitted in writing to the Secretary, A.C.T.A., G.P.O. Box 2038 S, Melbourne, Vic., 3001, on or before September 30, 1967, 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 next Annual General Meeting.

WARNING

Information has been received that a number of shotguns used at the 1967 National Championship shoots at Southport, Queensland, have been stripped by gunsmiths for general servicing and overhaul, consequent upon the heavy rain experienced over that period.

The guns were found to have commencement of corrosion and rusting in the actions, also some stocks and forearms had either warped or swollen.

All concerned are advised accordingly to have their guns stripped and inspected.

A.C.T.A. 1968 OPEN CHAMPION-SHIPS:

Applications for open championships to be contested during 1968 (that is, Commonwealth, State and District Titles) are required to be lodged, in writing on the prescribed form, not later than Thursday, Aug. 31. Such applications shall be collated and submitted to the Executive Committee for consideration and allocation.

Member clubs are requested to measure their applications and to apply only for championships which can be satisfactorily conducted during the period concerned.

NOTE: The Championship Roster for Commonwealth Titles for 1968 is as follows:—

State Allocated	Commonwealth (Day) Clay Target Championships	Commonwealth (Night) Clay Target Championships
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	WALK-UP and TOWER	DOUBLE BARREL
TASMANIA	DOUBLE BARREL	SINGLE BARREL
SOUTH AUST.	SINGLE BARREL	DEAUVILLE DOUBLES
QUEENSLAND	DEAUVILLE DOUBLES	DOUBLE RISE
VICTORIA	DOUBLE RISE	MIXED BIRDS and SKEET
NEW SOUTH WALES	MIXED BIRDS and SKEET	WALK-UP and TOWER

State Allocated	Commonwealth (Day) Clay Sparrow Championships	Commonwealth (Night) Clay Sparrow Championships
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	MIXED BIRDS	DOUBLE RISE
TASMANIA	WALK-UP	MIXED BIRDS
SOUTH AUST.	DOUBLE BARREL	WALK-UP
QUEENSLAND	SINGLE BARREL	DOUBLE BARREL
VICTORIA	DEAUVILLE DOUBLES	SINGLE BARREL
NEW SOUTH WALES	DOUBLE RISE	DEAUVILLE DOUBLES

1967 CHAMPIONSHIP ALLOCATIONS

COMMONWEALTH NIGHT SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP Allocated to Perth G.C. (West. Aust.)

A.C.T.A. BREAK RECORDS

(IN ANY ONE DAY)

QUEENSLAND	D. SMITH	 . 378	(1967)
NEW SOUTH WALES	K. HEYWOOD	 . 501/501	(1966)
VICTORIA	A. JAMES	 . 351	(1967)
TASMANIA	J. BLAKE P. MARSHALL	 . 200 . 200	(1958) (1958)
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	R. KIMBER	 . 359/359	(1966)
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	T. CATLING	. 253/253	(1967)
" " (SKEET)	R. BURTON	 . 55	(1967)

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SKEET HANDICAPPING FORMULA

Skeet Shooting is single-barrel shooting and all consequent handicapping is defined as a method whereby each competitor has an equal chance of reaching the possible with his allotted handicap.

A skeet shooter with no past performance or handicap rating shoots for targets to acquire a handicap. He shoots at 25 targets which com-

prise a round of skeet.

On his first performance he shoots with no handicap at 25 targets and, say, breaks 18 targets — this 18 is now his basis for handicapping until further scores are available. To ensure that he improves, THE KEY FIGURE OF 24 TARGETS (not the possible 25) is noted and the handicap allotted is the difference between this figure (24) and his average of 18 (i.e. 24 less 18 = 6). Thus handicap rating is now 6 whilst he is shooting the next event.

After he shoots his second skeet round both his first performance (18 targets) and his second performance (say he breaks 20 of 25 targets) are added together (18 + 20 = 38, resulting in an average of 19 targets). The difference between this average of 19 and the KEY FIGURE OF 24 TARGETS gives his handicap for his next round of skeet as being 5.

After the third round of skeet an average is taken of the three performances of the shooter as described above and a handicap is awarded accordingly. The difference between this average and the KEY FIGURE OF 24 is now his handicap.

After four rounds of skeet have been shot (e.g. 18, 20, 17, 22), even if over a several-year period, during which the club keeps such records, discard the lowest of these four rounds (e.g. 17) and average the remaining 3 rounds to the nearest number of targets

(e.g.
$$\frac{18 + 20 + 22}{3} = 20$$
)

This average of 20, subtracted from the key figure of 24, produces the handicap of 4 targets for the next round of skeet.

After the fifth round of skeet, where, say, 19 of 25 targets are scored, the NORMAL SKEET HAN-DICAPPING FORMULA is now applicable, which is:—

Take the last four (4) rounds, each of 25 targets, and discard the lowest score. The remaining three (3) scores are averaged. Thus from the above example, scores were 18, 20, 17, 22, 19, from which the initial figure of 18 is eliminated and the lowest score (17) of the remaining four scores is discarded, leaving 20 + 22 + 19 = 61, of which the average is 20\frac{1}{3}. The nearest whole figure of 20 is the accepted average. Take this iverage of 20 from the KEY FIGURE of 24 to arrive at the handicap of 4 targets.

THIS IS THE PROCEDURE FOR ARRIVING AT THE HANDICAP OF A SKEET SHOOTER AND SUCH CALCULATED RESULTS MUST APPEAR ON THE CLUB HANDICAP RETURNS AS LODGED WITH THE A.C.T.A.

Once a shooter attains an average of 24 targets, from these calculations, then his handicap becomes NIL.

In Skeet Championship events, kills only are counted.

In Skeet Handicap events, kills and handicap targets (figures from the above formula) are added together to arrive at the total score. A Skeet possible can only be 25 targets.

Skeet Sweepstakes:

The normal method in a Skeet Handicap is to divide the sweepstakes amongst those shooters attaining twenty-five killed (broken) targets, with handicaps included.

(example) Smith 25/25, Handicap 3, total = 25/25. Jones 22/25, Handicap 3,

Brown 19/25, Handicap 7, total = 25/25. Brown 19/25, Handicap 7, total = 25/25.

The same method is used on the very few occasions a half-round is shot.

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Skeet Shoot-offs (Handicaps):

Where several competitors attain a possible with or without handicap and a shoot-off becomes necessary, the method of finding the winner is as follows:-

(a) Club Competition -

Put the finalists in squads in the

order they qualify.

Halve their initial handicaps (some clubs reduce to a quarter handicap here). Shoot a half-round of twelve targets. Add the half-handicaps to scores off the gun. Those with a total of twelve or more targets qualify for a further half-round and so on till the event is finalized.

Where there are no shooters with a nil handicap in the shoot-off, a quicker method is as follows:— After halving the handicaps take the lowest handicapped shooter(s), put him back to nil and deduct the number of targets (taken away) from each of the others.

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		Half Handicar
(example)	Smith	1 - 1 = 0
	Brown	3 - 1 = 2
	Jones	2 - 1 = 1
	Green	1 - 1 = 0
	Anderson	4 - 1 = 3

This leaves the competition quite fair, but usually shortens the time required to reach finality.

(b) Open Competition -

Shot first miss-out. Each shooter is allowed his allotted handicap and shoots at rounds of 25 targets until his allowed number of targets is used. Thus, a shooter on a nil handicap drops out after his first miss; a shooter with two targets drops out when his third miss is recorded, and so on to finality - unless a scratch marker is in the group, then reduce each shooter's handicap by the amount of the lowest marker in the group.

A half-round comprises twelve targets:- Stations numbered 1 to 7 = one alternative target from each, starting with the high house; station number 8 = one target from the high house; double targets from stations 2 and 6 = TOTAL twelve targets.

NOTE: ALL CLUBS SHOOTING SKEET ARE REQUIRED TO LODGE (1) A CURRENT ALPHA-BETICAL LIST OF SKEET HAN-DICAPS BY SEPTEMBER 1st.

(2) AN ALPHABETICAL LIST OF AMENDED SKEET HANDI-CAPS EACH MONTH THERE-AFTER.

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NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS-

The 1967 Australian National Trapshooting Championships conducted over the period Saturday, June 10, to p.m. Wednesday, June 14, at the Gold Coast Gun Club, Southport, Queensland, were considered to be the most successful series ever conducted by the A.C.T.A., as record fields contested all events of the programme.

For some five days before the programme was scheduled to commence, heavy sub-tropical rains had fallen in the South East Queensland area, accompanied by cyclonic winds which did not abate until the National Championships were completed some ten davs later.

Although shooting under extremely wet conditions, the co-operation of the shooters remarkably assisted the smooth running of the shoot. Full meals were provided by the caterers on the grounds over the entire daylight hours and the undercroft of the Gold Coast Gun Club building was fitted out and operated as a successful dining room, with a seating capacity of some 80 diners.

Gold Coast Gun Club President Andy Gordon and Club Captain Ray Hogarth, with their untiring staff, must be commended for their handling of the facilities under such adverse conditions. Some 102 inches of rain fell over the area during the 24 hours 9 a.m. Sunday until 9 a.m. Monday, but this did not upset Shoot Marshal Harry Cox, who had the admiration of all for his manner and fortitude. Five traps were operating.

Shooters from all States and New Guinea attended, plus a contingent of 66 shooters and 27 ladies from New Zealand.

It is recorded that assistance by some I.C.I.A.N.Z. personnel contributed to the success of the shoot. The Association is grateful for this continued assistance and for the products as donated.

The programme commenced on Saturday, June 10, with the coveted Champion of Champions Award, and saw W. STEVENS, the well-known Ipswich (Qld.) shooter, take out his first National title against a very strong field.

The National Double-barrel Championship, attracting a record field of 300 shooters, was won by D. SMITH of Brisbane (Qld.), who is one of Australia's top trap-shooters. The Intermediate Double - barrel Championship, which was shot in conjunction, was won by J. VEALE of Auckland, New Zealand.

Best Lady shooter was Mrs. Pam Isaacs of Brisbane (Qld.) with a score of 48/50 in the D.B. Championship, which achieved equal fourth placing in the Intermediate Cham-pionship. The Ladies' Draw Trophy was won by Mrs. Tapper, whose presence was appreciated at the shoot.

In the National Single-barrel Championship the winner of the Doublebarrel Championship, Doug. Smith, accomplished a double title by achiev-

ing the only possible score.

In the National Double Rise Championship well-known top shooter J. Newton Thomas of Melbourne (Vic.) defeated a field of first-class shooters. (This shooter has now won, over the years, all national and high-gun trapshooting titles.)

Shooter K. Heywood of Dubbo (N.S.W.) shot brilliantly to win the Australia - New Zealand Championship.

The Grand Australian Handicap saw the local shooter A. MAR-STELLA of the Gold Coast Gun Club (Qld.) take the major prize.

New Zealand shooter L. Brown defeated his fellow countryman J. Begg in a shoot-off for the New Zealand High Gun Trophy.

The well-known Cobar (N.S.W.) shooter M. BURGESS shot brilliantly

throughout the six events to win the beautiful Browning Special Trap 2, Under and Over shotgun donated by the makers, Fabrique Nationale of Belgium and Gollin & Co. of Sydney, N.S.W. Burgess compiled a score of 392/400 over the six events.

J. N. Thomas (Melbourne) and

M. Burgess (Cobar) were equal highgun scorers for the 21st International Teams' Match with a score of 300/ 300 each. Such a double score has never before been recorded in this event in Australia. Results of the 21st International Teams' Match are withheld until after the International Tournament, which will be held Friday, July 21, 1967, near Dublin, Eire, by the Clay Pigeon Shooting Association of England.

Complete Results June 10-14, 1967 NATIONAL and INTERNATIONAL SHOOTS, SOUTHPORT, QUEENSLAND

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS shot Saturday, June 10. 1st W. Stevens (Qld.) 80/80 2nd R. Burton (W.A.) 79/80 3rd J. Marshall (N.Z.) 67/68 4th D. Byrne (N.S.W.) 62/63 5th G. Kable (N.S.W.) 62/63 Best 12/16 yarder (after shoot-off): S. Mackie (16 yds.), N.Z. 56/57 AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL DOUBLE-BARREL CH'SHIP shot Sunday, June 11.	18 yards G. Buerchler (Qld.)
1st Doug. Smith (Qld.) . 278/278	G. Bailey 48/50
2nd N. Davis (Vic.) 277/278 3rd K. Soames (N.S.W.) . 147/148	South Australia R. Mules 49/50
4th W. Maddocks (N.S.W.) 138/139 5th J. Nash (N.S.W.) 135/136	Tasmania D. Taylor 49/50
6th J. Walls (Vic.)	Victoria C. L. Barnes
Mrs. Tapper (Qld.)	All 49/50
YARDAGE TROPHIES 20/over A. Kemp (Qld.) 50/50 J. Raleigh (Qld.) 50/50	AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL INTERMEDIATE DOUBLE-BARREL CH'SHIP shot Sunday, June 11
19 yards J. Gooley (Vic.) 49/50 C. P. Northey (N.S.W.) 49/50	1st P. A. Veale (N.Z.) 50/50 2nd P. Thurley (Tas.) 55/56 3rd P. Casey (Qld.) 54/55

equal 4th/5th Mrs. P. Isaacs (Qld.) M. Steed (N.Z.) D. Frewin (N.Z.)	48/50 48/50 48/50	New South Wales C. Joass E. Hawkins N. T. Nicholson	47/50 47/50 47/50
AUSTRALIAN NATIONA SINGLE-BARREL CH'SHI shot Monday, June 12		AUSTRALIAN NATIONA DOUBLE RISE CHAMPIONS	HIP
1st Doug. Smith (Qld.) 2nd M. Burgess (N.S.W.) . 3rd D. McCraith (Vic.)	50/50 72/73 71/72 69/70 67/68 60/62 53/54 49/50 48/50 48/50 48/50 48/50 48/50 48/50	shot p.m. Tues./a.m. Wed., June 1st J. N. Thomas (Vic.) 2nd D. Scowcroft (N.S.W.) 3rd N. Davis (N.S.W.) 4th R. Holcombe (N.S.W.) 5th D. Hunt (N.S.W.) 6th N.T. Nicholson (N.S.W.) 7th S. Marshall (Tas.) 8th W. Stevens (Qld.) 9th J. Gooley (Vic.) 10th R. Hogarth (Qld.) 11th D. Grummett (Vic.) 12th Doug. Smith (Qld.) 12th Doug. Smith (Qld.) 13th M. Burgess (N.S.W.) 14th C. Joass (N.S.W.) 15th I. Nicholson (Qld.) YARDAGE TROPHIES	64/66 63/66 49/52 47/52 46/50
17th S. Marshall (Tas.) 18th K. Dobson (Vic.)	48/50 48/50	20/over K. Cameron (Qld.)	44/50
YARDAGE TROPHIES 20/over N. Smith (Qld.) L. V. Evans (N.Z.) L. Vidler (Qld.) C. Kassulke (Qld.) I. Nicholson (Qld.)	47/50 47/50 47/50 47/50 47/50	19 yards R. Warneminde (Qld.) J. Marshall (N.Z.)	44/50 44/50 44/50
J. Marshall (N.Z.)	46/50 46/50 46/50	17 yards S. G. Brinkworth (N.Z.) D. Edgerton (Vic.)	41/50 41/50
18 yards B. Hall (N.S.W.)	46/50	12/16 yards R. Maiden (N.S.W.)	43/50
17 yards		STATE TROPHIES	
D. McCansh (N.S.W.)	47/50 47/50	Western Australia G. Bailey	44/50
STATE TROPHIES		South Australia	49 /50
Western Australia	6.002.000000000000000000000000000000000	I. Campbell	±0/00
D. R. Manton	45/50	J. Blake	44/50
South Australia W. A. Commons R. Mules	46/50 46/50	Victoria G. T. Wakefield	44/50 44/50
Victoria B. Mark	47/50	D. McCraith	44/00
Tasmania J. Blake	46/50	New South Wales W. Rae	44/50 44/50
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AUSTRALIA - NEW ZEALAND CHAMPIONSHIP shot p.m. Wednesday, June 13	HIGH GUN TROPHY FOR BEST NEW ZEALAND SHOOTER IN THE AUST N.Z. CHAMPIONSHIP
1st K. Heywood (N.S.W.) 156/156 2nd J. Raleigh (Qld.) 165/168 3rd I. Nicholson (Qld.) 164/168	R. L. Brown
equal 4th to 7th 4th D. Lucas (N.S.W.) 149/150	21st INTERNATIONAL TEAMS' MATCH
5th J. N. Thomas (Vic.) . 149/150 6th M. Burgess (N.S.W.) 149/150 7th P. R. Evans (Qld.) 149/150	Competing teams are England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, Sth. Africa, Rhodesia, Canada, New Zealand and Australia.
equal 8th to 15th places 8th D. McCraith (Vic.) . 147/150 9th D. R. Martin (W.A.) . 147/150 10th G. T. Wakefield (Vic.) 147/150 11th I. Campbell (S.A.) . 147/150 12th R. Holcombe (N.S.W.) 147/150 13th D. Cassin (N.S.W.) . 147/150 14th G. Lynam (Qld.) . 147/150 15th K. D. Bassett (Qld.) . 147/150 "G. Catt (N.S.W.) . 147/150 "J. Blake (Tas.) . 147/150	The Australian section was shot in a sea of mud on Wednesday, June 14 (luckily) during a temporary lull in cyclonic winds and sub-tropical rains, when the air was wet without rain falling, shooters facing eastwards, wind slight south-easterly, visibility clear. Scores are withheld until overseas teams have contested.
YARDAGE AWARDS 20/over K. Cameron (Qld.) 147/150 L. Vidler (Qld.) 147/150	HIGH GUN TROPHIES were presented to the top scorers of the 21st International Team, Australian section, as follows:— 1st M. Burgess (Cobar, N.S.W.)
19 yards	300/300 2nd J. N. Thomas (Melb., Vic.)
J. M. Begg (N.Z.) 147/150 18 yards F. Paget (Qld.) 145/150 17 yards	300/300 3rd S. Marshall (Tas.) . 298/300 on a count-back from G. T. Wakefield (Vic.) 298/300
R. Warren (N.S.W.) 146/150 A. Povey (N.S.W.) 146/150	18th GRAND AUSTRALIAN HANDICAP
12/16 yards G. Lauer (N.Z.) 145/150	shot p.m. Wednesday, June 14
STATE AWARDS	The following seven (7) shooters shot 50/50 and divided the 1st, 2nd and 3rd trophies.
Western Australia R. Burton 143/150 South Australia	In a shoot-off for the Grand Australian H'cap sash and I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge the following scores were registered:—
K. Flaherty 144/150 W. A. Commons 144/150	1st A. S. Marstella, 14 yds., (Qld.) 63/63
Victoria H. Weitzel 147/150 L. Reicha 147/150	2nd R. Maiden, 16 yds. (N.S.W.) 62/63 3rd G. Schmidt, 21 yds. (Q.) 50/50
Tasmania R. J. Ward 145/150	4th J. Hughes, 18 yds. (N.Z.) 50/50 5th D. Scowcroft, 27 yds. (N.S.W.) 50/50
New South Wales	6th N. T. Nicholson, 20 yds. (N.S.W.) 50/50
C. Varley 147/150 P. R. Harvey 147/150	7th N. Howson, 15 yds. (N.Z.) 50/50

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YARDAGE TROPHIES 12/14 yards G. McCowan (N.S.W.) 49/50	20/21 yards K. Bassett (Qld.) 49/50 S. C. Smith (Qld.) 49/50
15 yards	22/24 yards
R. Morris (N.S.W.) 49/50	J. Green (Vic.) 48/50
16 yards	J. Blake (Tas.) 48/50
T. Dancy (N.S.W.) 48/50	I. Nicholson (Qld.) 48/50
17 yards	G. T. Wakefield . (Vic.) 48/50
P. A. Veale (N.Z.) 49/50 J. Steiner (W.A.) 49/50 C. Eynon (N.Z.) 49/50 W. M. Holland (N.Z.) 49/50	25/27 yards M. Burgess (N.S.W.) 49/50
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19 yards J. Marshall (N.Z.) 48/50 J. M. Begg (N.Z.) 48/50	392/400 2nd D. Smith (Bris., Q.) 385/400 3rd K. Cameron (Roma, Q.) 384/400

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■ WHERE SHOOTERS MEET ●

Saturday, August 5 -- 1.30:

N.S.W.G.C. (Open) S.B. Championship

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING,

Saturday, August 19 — 1.30: TROPHY DAY, HANDICAP. TRAP and SKEET as time permits.

Saturday, September 2:

N.S.W. State Skeet Championship

5 TOP SCORERS TO SHOOT N.S.W. INTERSTATE TEAM MATCH. Handicap Events on Trap Nos. 1 and 2 for trap shooters.

Saturday, September 16 — 1.30:

Sydney D.B. Sparrow Championship

OTHER EVENTS AS TIME PERMITS.

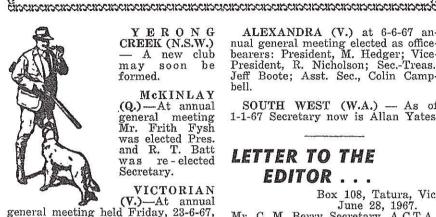
Saturday, September 30 — 1.30: TROPHY DAY. H'CAP EVENTS. Good Trophies.

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YERONG CREEK (N.S.W.) - A new club may soon be formed.

McKINLAY (Q.) — At annual general meeting Mr. Frith Fysh was elected Pres. and R. T. Batt was re-elected Secretary.

VICTORIAN (V.)—At annual office-bearers elected for 12 months

were: President, Ron Patterson; Vice-Presidents, Les Kaye, Des Chapple: Secretary, John Platten; Asst. Sec., Len Coombes; Treasurer, Des Chap-ple; Committee, Bob O'Donnell, Peter Radoa, Ken Downs, Gerry Smith, Duncan Hunter, Lloyd Williams (Sr.)

WALCHA (N.S.W.) - Office-bearers for 1967 are: President, A. J. Watts; Patron, J. M. Ireland; Secretary, G. B. Little; Treasurer, J. F. Gill; Committee, J. Watts, R. J. Kermode, J. F. Nivison.

ALEXANDRA (V.) at 6-6-67 annual general meeting elected as office-bearers: President, M. Hedger; Vice-President, R. Nicholson; Sec.-Treas., Jeff Boote; Asst. Sec., Colin Campbell.

SOUTH WEST (W.A.) - As of 1-1-67 Secretary now is Allan Yates.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR . . .

Box 108, Tatura, Vic. June 28, 1967.

Mr. C. M. Berry, Secretary, A.C.T.A.

Dear Sir,

May I, through the "News", express my deep appreciation to all the Victorian Gun Clubs' committees and delegates for their continued confidence shown at the recent Annual General Meeting.

It is my earnest and unbiased desire to do all in my power for the good of Clay Target Shooting in

general.

Thanking all, Yours sincerely, E. T. (Ted) BALDWIN.

GUNNEDAH Gun Club (N.S.W.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

—— Preliminary Notice ——

GUNNEDAH GUN CLUB will be conducting a Shoot commencing 9.30 a.m. on Saturday, 7th October, 1967.

Programme will include Liverpool Plains District Double-barrel Sparrows Championship and a Cash Handicap. Full details September issue.

Mrs. R. J. BRADY, Secretary.

CLUB ADVERTISING SUMMARY

ALEXANDRA (V.) will conduct their Trout Opening Championship shoot on Saturday, September 2, plus a night shoot, weather permitting.

AUSTRALIAN (V.) list their August 5, 19, and September 2 shoots and wish to advise that selection for the Victorian section of the Interstate Skeet Teams' Match will be conducted over the first 25 targets on the Saturdays, August 5 and 19 — that is, the five shooters with best scores out of 50 targets.

BLACKALL (Qld.) over Saturday - Sunday, October 9-10, will conduct the Central Queensland S.B., the Barcoo D.B. and S.B. Championships, plus a \$400 Handicap.

BOURKE (N.S.W.) over Saturday-Sunday, September 30-October 1, will conduct the Bourke and Darling Rivers D.B. and S.B. Championships, thence a \$400 Handicap.

BRISBANE (Qld.) — Saturday, August 12, will see the Brisbane Exhibition S.B. Championship and a \$200 Handicap, followed by a dinner at "Shangrila" at 7 p.m.

Sunday, August 13, will see the Brisbane Exhibition Double-barrel Cham-

pionship and a \$500 D.B. Handicap.

On Wednesday, August 16, will be the Brisbane Exhibition Double Rise Championship, plus trophy events, thence at night, commencing 7.30 p.m., will be the QUEENSLAND DOUBLE-BARREL (NIGHT) CHAMPIONSHIP.

BUNDABERG (Qld.) over Saturday - Sunday, September 30 - October 1, will conduct the Wide Bay S.B. and D.B. Championships, a \$300 Handicap, plus the QUEENSLAND STATE SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP.

CLERMONT (Qld.) over Saturday - Sunday, September 9-10, will conduct the Belyando S.B. Championship, a \$100 Handicap, the Central Highlands D.B. Championship, thence a \$200 Handicap event.

CLONCURRY (Qld.) will conduct their Centenary shoot, commencing 10.00 a.m. Sunday, August 27, with the North West Queensland D.B. Championship and a \$150 Centenary Handicap, thence from 7.30 p.m. will be the QUEENSLAND STATE (NIGHT) DOUBLE RISE CHAMPIONSHIP, followed by the QUEENSLAND STATE (NIGHT) MIXED BIRDS CHAM-PIONSHIP.

CROYDON (V.) list their shoots for August 12 and August 26.

DALBY (S.E. Qld.) will conduct their Annual Two Day shoot over Saturday - Sunday, Septe mber 16-17, commencing at 9.00 a.m. with the Northern Downs D.B. Championship and a Handicap event. On the Sunday will be the Northern Downs S.B. Championship, followed by a \$250 Handicap

DENILIQUIN (N.S.W.) over August 20-21 will conduct the NEW SOUTH WALES STATE (NIGHT) DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP, followed by the Deniliquin Grand Prix (a D.B. event), thence the Deniliquin S.B. Championship.

DUBBO (N.S.W.), over the two days Saturday - Sunday, September 2-3, will shoot the COMMONWEALTH DEAUVILLE DOUBLES SPARROWS CHAMPIONSHIP, followed by the Central Western D.B. Championship and Handicap events.

GUNNEDAH (N.S.W.) give preliminary notice of their Saturday, Oct. 7,

GRIFFITH (Lower Western N.S.W.) will conduct the N.S.W. State Team Elimination Shoot on August 5-6.

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LILYDALE (V.) list their shoots for August 5, 19, and September 2.

LISMORE (N.S.W.) list their scheduled monthly shoot dates until end of 1967.

MARYBOROUGH (Qld.) over Saturday - Sunday, September 9-10, will conduct a day and night shoot to include two District Championships.

METROPOLITAN (V.) list their August 12 and August 26 shoots.

MOREE (N.S.W.) over Saturday - Sunday, September 9-10, will conduct the Northern District D.R. and D.B. Championships, also a \$100 and a \$200 Handicap, besides a dinner on the Saturday night.

NARRABRI (N.S.W.) on Sunday, August 27, from 9.30 a.m., will conduct the NEW SOUTH WALES STATE DOUBLE RISE CHAMPIONSHIP. followed by the Namoi District S.B. Championship and a \$350 D.B. Trophy Handicap.

NARRANDERA (N.S.W.) on Saturday, August 19, will conduct two State title events — NEW SOUTH WALES INTERMEDIATE SINGLE-BARREL, followed by the NEW SOUTH WALES WALK-UP CHAMPION-SHIP. A \$60 Handicap event will follow.

NEW SOUTH WALES (N.S.W.) list August 5, 19, September 2, 16 and 30 as their shoot dates, to include on September 2 the NEW SOUTH WALES STATE SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP.

PUCKAPUNYAL (V.) on Sunday, August 27, will conduct their District D.B. Championship.

ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.) list their events for August 13 and 27.

SPRINGSURE (Qld.) will conduct their opening shoot over the two days Saturday - Sunday, October 7-8, with two trophy events (S.B. and D.B.), with a barbecue at 7.30 p.m. on the Saturday night, and further trophy events from 9.30 a.m. on the Sunday.

TOOWOOMBA (S.E. Qld.) give preliminary advice of their two-day shoot September 30 - October 1, to include the Darling Downs S.B. and D.B. Championships, followed by a \$400 and a \$500 Handicap.

TYRENDARRA (V.) on Saturday, Aug. 5, will conduct the VICTORIAN STATE DOUBLE RISE CHAMPIONSHIP, with a cash handicap event to follow.

VICTORIAN (V.) list their district shoots. Day shoots to be conducted Saturdays August 5, 19, and September 2, and the night shoots on the Wednesdays of August, 2, 9, 16, 23, 30.

WAGGA (N.S.W.) give early advice of their September, October and November shoot programmes.

WARRACKNABEAL (V.) on Saturday, August 26, will conduct their District S.B. Championship, followed by a \$100 Handicap event.

WARRNAMBOOL (V.) will conduct their area team shoot on Saturday. September 19, followed by a \$500 D.B. Handicap event.

WERRIBEE (V.) on Saturday, August 5, will conduct the You Yangs D.B. Championship.

WINGADEE (N.S.W.) give advice that they will conduct a two-day programme over October 14-15, 1967, to coincide with Wool Week in Coonamble. Programme will include N.S.W. STATE S.B. NIGHT SPARROWS CHAMPIONSHIP on Saturday evening, the 14th, followed by the N.S.W. STATE S.B. PIGEONS CHAMPIONSHIP on Sunday, October 15.

—— Ten Years Ago —

BANGALL (Qld.) — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: D. A. Parry Okeden, G. Magoffin, 5/5, 1st. No. 2, 10-bird Pts.: W. Vermeer, G. R. Poole, J. Gibson, 25, 1st. No. 3, 5-bird S.B.: D. A. Parry Okeden, G. R. Poole, 5/5, 1st. No. 4, 5-bird D.R.: D. A. Parry Okeden, J. Gibson, 5/5, 1st. No. 5, 5-bird D.R. (Strange Gun): D. Thorpe, J. Gibson, 5/5, 1st. No. 6, 10-bird J. Gibson, 5/5, 1st. No. 6, 10-bird D.B. Sliding H'cap: D. Cochran, 10/10, 1st; 4 others 9/10, 2nd. No. 7, 3 pr. D'ville Doubles: G. Magoffin J. Crombie, 10/10, 1st; D. Thorpe M. Sullivan, 9/10, 2nd.

SHOALHAVEN (N.S.W.). — A pleasant day's shooting, but lower attendance than expected, shooters having gone to interstate shoots in Queensland. Shooters came from Sydney, Darts, Wollongong, Crookwell, Queanbeyan and Braidwood. The big event of the day, the D. Rise State C'ship, was carried off by local Shoalhaven shooter Eddie Hoffmann, who won a nice mantel radio in addition to the sash. Excellent catering was, as usual, carried out by the ladies, who were busy owing to large number of spectators.

FRANKSTON (Vic.) — It was pleasing to see Bruce McComb take off the main event by turning in the only possible. Shooters enjoyed a very friendly afternoon and an excellent afternoon tea by the ladies.

BOTHWELL (Tas.) — In fine and windy weather the Club D.B. Championship was fought out by Sperry and Paul Marshall from 15/15 to 65/65 and 64/65, finishing in that order; 3rd place went to K. Pulford, 34/35. The high-gun trophy was won by J. Blake (Cressy) with 45/45 (excluding shoot-offs).

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN (S.A.) -Weather conditions: excellent. No. 1, 10-bird H'cap: R. Mules, R. Ridgeway, J. G. Commons, H. Baker, E. Vivian, A. Parker, J. Forbes, 10/10. No. 2, £60 H'cap (20-bird S.B.): K. Mules, 20/20; D. Fleetwood, S. Ridge, 18/20. £40 H'cap: K. Mules, R. Jarmyn, D. Prescott, 20/20. No. 3, 10-bird H'cap: E. A. Collins, D. Fleetwood, R. Jarmyn, D. Prescott, 10/10.

NORTHAM ..(W.A.) — Shooters from Perth, Cunderdin, Kellerberrin and Geraldton in attendance. I. Halbert (Cunderdin) and P. Humphrey (Northam) each shot breaks of 50. A. Coutts and F. Rogers (Northam), breaks off 25. Many spectators present and shoot-off in second event created quite a lot of excitement, as I. Halbert and K. Hunter battled for honours. Ladies' committee supplied morning and afternoon tea, for which a charge was made and proceeds donated to the W.A. Blind Appeal. All in all, a very successful picnic shoot, although we would have liked more starters.

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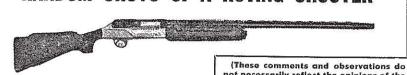
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RANDOM SHOTS OF A ROVING SHOOTER.



not necessarily reflect the opinions of the Executive Committee of the A.C.T.A.1.

Why is it that we so often hear a luckless shooter lamenting that the one bird which he dropped was a dead - easy straight - away? This phenomenon has been the subject of phenomenon has been the subject of lively debate on many gun tracks without any conclusive explanation being offered. Dave Mackay (Newcastle, N.S.W.) is convinced that they can slip through an unfortunate hole in a pattern. This theory is supported by what may be termed the "travel value" of a target in respect of a pattern. When examining a pattern sheet it is generally notice. a pattern-sheet it is generally notice-able that there are holes sufficiently able that there are holes sufficiently large to accommodate a clay target, providing the target were stationary within the pattern. Because the target is not stationary it is reasonable to assume that if it moves across the line of flight of the shot-string as in a swinging bird, it would have less chance of survival than if its flight coincided with the line of flight of the shot-string as in a "straight-away". Very able reasoning, my dear Watson, though it does seem strange to me that there are lots more holes in my own patterns than in those of the devastating Scot who propounds this theory. who propounds this theory.

It seems that accuracy rather than pattern luck should be held respon-

Ces. Joass (Sydney) supports the latter contention by claiming that it is more difficult to swing a gun stead-fastly upwards than sideways. Try following a line drawn straight up a wall as if overtaking a clay, and see how difficult it is to keep the gun barrel from straying, he argues. This is true, as those who have tried it can testify, but whether it is more difficult to follow a perpendicular than a transverse line can be the subject of considerable argument in its own right.

Don Whyte (St. George, Qld.) thinks that to a right-handed shooter

the left hand could be the villain. When a straight-away pops up, there is very little body movement necessary, and instead of making the slight backward sway required, the shooter jerks his left hand up and in consequence often shoots over the top of the target.

There is undoubted truth in the There is undoubted truth in the contention of Kevin Constable (Wingadee, N.S.W.), who states that a large number of the so-called straight-aways are, in fact, slightly quartering birds. If these are treated as a traight aways and fined at direct as straight-aways and fired at directly, the shot is inevitably behind.

Whatever the cause, most of us would as soon face a good, honest swinger as one of these "dead-easy" straight-aways.

A most interesting event took place in England early this year when a team of twenty-five shooters from the U.S.A. flew over for a match of two rounds of skeet against an English team. There was no suggestion that either side comprised the twenty-five top shooters of their country, and such outstanding names as the Americans Alex Kerr and Dan Orlich and the Englishmen Wheater and Braithwaite were not mentioned. However, some of the Americans were champions in National events and all were winners of various classes in a nation-wide contest in which the trip to England was the

The English team were mainly members of the Waltham Abbey Gun Club, which was the venue of the contest, although one squad was drawn from the executive committee of the Clay Pigeon Shooters' Association, and another included three guest

One round was shot under English rules and the other under International rules. The latter, of course, are more exacting - gun held down

and delayed release - and this would probably explain the lack of brilliant scoring. By my calculations the English side dropped an average of 11½, and the U.S.A. team an average of 14 birds per shooter, from the possible 50. The former won 956/1250 to the latter's 902/1250.

There were some interesting activities for the Americans, apart from the actual skeet shooting. One of the highlights was a wine-tasting party at a famous cellar near the Tower of London; another was a visit to the Holland and Holland shooting school; and one visitor toured the Purdey factory and met all the men who were working on his nearlycompleted gun.

The expenses of the trip and the contest were borne by Winchester-Western and the whole affair received a good deal of newspaper, radio and television publicity.

With an ever-shrinking world,

similar visits are increasingly feasible and nothing promotes understanding and friendship between nations more than a mingling of their peoples, wherein the truth is made apparent that human nature is much the same the world over, and neither the virtues of courage, honesty and industry nor the vices of cruelty, intolerance and deceit are peculiar to races or nations, but only to the individuals within them.

M. WILKINS.



LEXANDR

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Trout Opening Championship Shoot SATURDAY, 2nd SEPTEMBER

Events commencing at 1 p.m.

No. 1 - EYE-OPENER, 5-bird Double Barrel, Comp. Div.

No. 2 -- TROUT OPENING CHAMPIONSHIP off 16 yards.

Sash and Trophy, 1st — Trophies 2nd, 3rd and Front Markers.
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OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

– NIGHT SHOOT —

7.30 - Weather Permitting - 7.30

No. 1 --- EYE-OPENER.

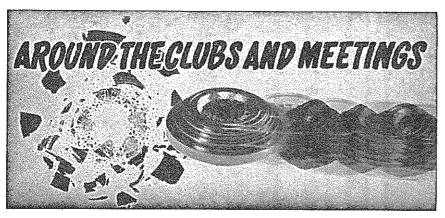
No. 2 - CASH HANDICAP, depending on number of Shooters present.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

Afternoon Tea and Supper served. :: Cartridges available on Ground.

M. HEDGER, President, Alexandra.

J. BOOTE, Secretary, Snob's Creek.



ALBANY (W.A.), 28/5/67.—Weather conditions: wet and cold. Attendance: 6. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: J. Cameron, 10/ sults: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: J. Cameron, 10/10; P. Russell, R. McCarthy, 9/10; G. Stone, G. Hall, 8/10; M. Lubcke, 7/10. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: G. Hall, 8/10; R. McCarthy, M. Lubcke, 7/10; P. Russell, G. Stone, J. Cameron, 6/10. No. 3, 10-bird Walk-up: P. Russell, G. Hall, 8/10; R. McCarthy, 7/10; J. Cameron, 5/10. 1st, G. Hall, 24/30; 2nd, R. McCarthy, 23/30; 3rd, P. Russell, 23/30, after shoot-off.

With temperatures in the fortics and ball-

With temperatures in the forties, and hailstones nearly as big as "sparrows", it was no wonder that only six keen shooters braved the outing. G. Hall won the club trophy for the mixed event, and proved that eight was his number for the afternoon, by scoring this number in the three visits to the tracks. R. McCarthy, who has been shooting consistently this season, won the front-markers' trophy after a shoot-off with P. Russell.

A welcome is extended to G. Stone as a

new member to the club. Members recently planted over sixty trees, which in time will provide shade and a wind break, as well as beautify the grounds.

As always, the ladies served afternoon tea in their cheerful manner and kept the kettle boiling for the needed cuppa's on such a cold

(Jean M. Lubcke, Hon. Sec.)

ALBANY (W.A.), 18/6/67.—Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 13. Results: 30-bird D.B. (3 visits): M. Regehr, 29/30; G. Stone, 27/30; D. Webb, 26/30; T. Jones, 25/30; J. Cameron, 24/30. 2nd visit: M. Paraka, 26/20. T. Jones, Anderson, 27/30. 25/30; J. Cameron, 24/30. 2nd visit: M. Regehr, 29/30; T. Jones, R. Anderson, 27/30; T. Anderson, R. McCarthy, D. Webb, 23/30. 3rd visit: D. Webb, 29/30; R. McCarthy, 28/30; M. Regehr, R. Anderson, L. Blair, 26/30; C. O'Donnell, 25/30. 1st, M. Regehr, 84/90; 2nd, D. Webb, 78/90; 3rd, R. Anderson, 75/90; F/M. trophy, Gail Stone, 71/90. The weather was the best experienced for some time with plenty of sunshine and no

some time, with plenty of sunshine and no tricky winds. Merv. Regehr is to be congratulated on obtaining his 25 break badge. He was shooting consistently during the barrel warmers and two events, and it was, in fact, the 49th bird that proved the elusive one. Gail Stone, using a new U/O, shot well to take the front-markers' trophy, closely followed by Tom Anderson. In a 10-bird D.B. event we saw M. Regehr score 10/10, followed by M. Lubcke and T. Anderson, 9/10 each, and J. Cameron, 9/10.

It was nice to see Ross Anderson and T. Jones both enjoying the Albany sunshine, and both shooting well. Heard a lot of talking around the stove, but afternoon tea was served on time and enjoyed by all.

The next shoot will be for the Captain's trophies on July 9.

(Jean M. Lubcke, Hon. Sec.)

ALEXANDRA (S.A.), 30/5/67. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 38. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: 11 shooters div. No. 2, A.C.T.A. H'cap: Hutchings, C. Scott, Gould. No. 3, 20-bird Sportsgoods H'cap: 1st, K. Flaherty; 2nd, R. Treloar; 3rd, S. Dawe. An excellent shoot was held in good weather conditions and good shooting was the order of the day. with shoot-offs in the main

order of the day, with shoot-offs in the main events. Congratulations to all prize winners, and a special thanks to the donors of the magnificent trophies presented.

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

ALEXANDRA (S.A.), 11/6/67. — Weather ALEXANDICA (S.A.), 11/9/6/. — weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 10 birds: 6 div. No. 2, Ekins H'cap (20 birds): 1st, A. Scott; 2nd, G. Gordon; 3rd, R. Dini. No. 3, \$100 H'cap (20 birds): 4 shooters shot possible and div., F. Grey, C. Rogers, W. Starling, K. Burzacott. No. 4, 10 birds: J. Dowdell, R. Rossiter, L. Teisseire, R. Dini, A. Perry, R. Alvaro.

Although a small number of shooters at-

Although a small number of shooters attended the holiday shoot, the results were well divided. The weather was ideal for shooting, but the scores were not outstand-Congratulations to all trophy winners. Glad to see several young shooters participating and hope they gradually improve to be amongst the trophy collectors.

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

ALICE SPRINGS (N.T.), 18/6/67.—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 6. Results: er conditions: fine. Attendance: 6. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: Sutton, Jackson, Koch, 4/5; Taylor, 3/5; N. Coles, 2/5; B. Coles, 1/5. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Sparrows: R. Koch, 19/20; Taylor, Sutton, 17/20; N. Coles, 15/20; J. Jackson, 13/20; B. Coles, 7/20. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: R. Koch, 10/10; Jackson, 9/10; B. Sutton, 7/10; N. Coles, J. Taylor, 6/10; B. Coles, 4/10.

In my absence the meeting was conducted by our club President. John Taylor, Although

by our club President, John Taylor. Although the attendance was small, a good day's shooting was enjoyed. High Gun for the day was Ron Koch from Echuca, who dropped two birds for the day. Ron has been visiting us for a couple of months and has since returned home to Echuca.

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

APSLEY (V.), 24/6/67. — Weather conditions: fine and cold. Attendance: 31. Results: No. 1, 5 targets D.B. H'cap: S. Williams, T. Reschke, R. Luff, B. Hetherington, R. Andrews, B. England, J. Brooks, B. Tay-R. Andrews, B. England, J. Brooks, B. Taylor, 5/5. No. 2, \$25 Trophy H'cap (10 targets D.B.): 1st, J. Grove, 26/26; 2nd, P. Oborn, 25/26; 3rd, R. Griffin, 21/22. No. 3, \$25 Trophy H'cap (10 targets D.B.): 1st, B. Hetherington, 50/50; 2nd, D. A. Bull, 49/50; 3rd, R. Wilkie, 15/16. No. 4, 5 prs. D. Rise: B. England, R. Andrews and R. Reschke, 10/10.

A good attendance of shooters for our June shoot. Congratulations to Ben Hetherington, who shot the programme without missing a target, also winning the second trophy handicap and getting his first 50 break.

Thanks, ladies, for the usual excellent afternoon tea.

(Athol Miller, Hon. Sec.)

AUSTRALIAN (V.), 10/6/67—Attendance: 53 shooters. 10-bird Pts, from 16 yds.: div. 4 possibles, C. Fankhauser, J. Veale, J. Bursey, N. De Lorenzo, Nobel S.B. C'ship: won well by J. Henwood, 23/23, from J. Venle, 22/23, with C. Mudford, 33/34. Yardage trophies taken by J. Reiznecks, 12-14 yds., 16/20, and Bill Lonie, 15-16 yds., 18/20. 10-bird D.B. H'cap S'stakes: div. 4 possibles, N. De Lorenzo, L. Crockford, C. Fankhauser, Bill Delaney. 25 birds Skeet H'cap S'stake: div. Bill Delaney, 0 plus 25; R. Fallshaw, 0 plus 25; F. Johnson, 2 plus 23; G. Ash, 5 plus 20; R. Kieley, 6 plus 20; D. Sliger, 7 plus 19. 25 birds Skeet H'cap S'stake: R. Dinsdale, 3 plus 23; R. Fallshaw, 0 plus 25; T. Minton, 7 plus 19; R. Kieley, 6 plus 23. Skeet High Gun: R. Fallshaw, 50/50.

24/6/67. — Attendance: 57. 6 pr. D. Rise: G. Biggs, G. Shepherd, 11/12; 3rd, div. D. O'Callaghan, Bob Buchan, N. Thomas, G. White, 10/12. Club D. Rise C'ship: won after briefest of shoot-offs by J. Siede,, 19/ 22, with N. Thomas, 23/28, and R. Siede, 22/28, in the minor places; F/M., visitor Z2/28, in the minor places; F/M., visitor K. Dexter, 15/20. 25 birds Skeet H'cap S'stake: J. Siede, 0 plus 25; D. O'Callaghan, 1 plus 25; R. Fallshaw, 0 plus 25; Bob Buchan, 1 plus 24; A. Cole, 1 plus 24; G. White, 1 plus 24; N. De Lorenzo, 2 plus 25; M. Holland (N.Z.), 6 plus 22; T. Lucas, 1 plus 24; P. Carayi 1 plus 24; Bill Stone, 1 plus 24; R. Canny (Swan Hill), 6 plus 23. 12 birds Skeet H'cap S'stake: J. Siede, 0 plus 12; R. Fallshaw, 0 plus 12; D. O'Callaghan, 1 plus 12; D. Edgerton, 1 plus 12; M. Holland, 3 plus 12; T. Lucas, 1 plus 12; N. De Lorenzo, 1 plus 12. Skeet High Gun for the day: div. R. Fallshaw, J. Siede, 37/37. Roy now has a break of 137 continuing.

This was the last day of the Winter Season of the D. B. O'Callaghan Perpetual Skeet Trophy being awarded to the best eight scores off the gun in the main event over the previous ten programmes. Roy Fallshaw, 199/200, was the very deserving winner.

(John Lucas, Sec.)

AZZURRI (W.A.), 2/4/67. — 10 D.B., 10 S.B., 5 pr. D. Rise. The club had its opening day for 1967. On account of Mr. G. Merizzi, President of the W.A. Italian Club, not being able to participate in the opening

of the Azzurri Gun Club for 1967, we had the honour of Mr. Julio Re. Vice-President of this club, to open it, and who broke the first clay he ever shot at.

Despite the bad weather, 27 shooters atbespite the bad weather, 27 shooters attended and the first prize went to A. Yozzi on shoot-off with J. Yozzi, 2nd, after breaking 27/30, and R. Mordini, 3rd, 26/30.

16/4/67. — 25 D.B., 5 W.U. The weather conditions were fine and mild. Fifteen shoot-

ers attended. First prize went to A. Yozzi, 30/30; 2nd, G. Ioppolo, 27/30; 3rd, R. Mor-

dini, 26/30.

30/4/67. — 50 D.B. D'Orsogna Cup. The weather conditions on this day were the best ever, and every shooter was pleased with the day. A high score was recorded by the majority of shooters.

First prize went to G. Yozzi, 50/50; 2nd, J. Cathbertson, 49/50; 3rd, R. Mordini, 48/50, with a shoot-off with A. Yozzi, 4th.

14/5/67. - 30 D.B. It was a sunny day, with an afternoon breeze. Sixteen shooters attended. First prize went to A. Yozzi, 30/30; 2nd, R. Mordini in a shoot-off, 30/30; 3rd, A. Tatasciori, 29/30.

Owing to the small attendance on this particular day, sufficient time was left to add another two events: One 20-bird D.B. and one 25-bird D.B., which gave Mr. A. Yozzi the opportunity to get his 50 and 75

28/5/67. — Club 50-bird D.B. C'ship, with 50-bird D.B. inter-Club shoot. The weather was raining and gale-force winds for most of the day, but the shoot went very smoothly, with the attendance of 17 shooters. On account of this being a big programme and a lot of members expected to attend, we started shooting at 10.30 a.m., and this finished at 3 p.m.

The winner of the day was A. Yozzi, 49/50; 2nd, R. Di Lanzo, 48/50; 3rd, J. Di Lanzo,

In the afternoon refreshments were held, with a nice barbecue kindly offered by Mr. R. Mordini.

(V. Siofari, Sec.)

BAIRNSDALE (V.), 10/6/67. - Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 20. Results (Night): No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: div. F. Howlett, R. Walker, E. Dowe, S. Collins. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: div. F. Howlett, R. Walker, K. Hoffman, W. Copeland, E. Dowe, J. Whith W. Britsens B. Walker, Lork, C. J. White, W. Peterson, B. Kennedy, Jack Collins, R. Walker, W. Copeland, div. No. 4, 5-bird Walk-up: div. K. Hoffman, M. Huggins.

Good to see so many visitors along - seven in all. Thanks again, ladies, for the supper.

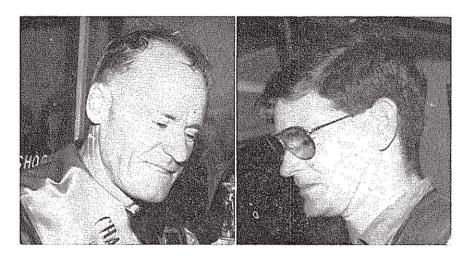
(Stan M. Collins, Hon. Sec.)

BALLANDEAN (Qld.), 18/6/67.—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 33. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: 10 possibles. No. 2, 10 S.B., 10 W.U.: F. Paget, 20/20; best 12-14 yds., R. Sonego, 21/25. No. 3, 20-bird D.B.: A. M. Puglisi, 55/55; J. Lynam, 54/55; best 12-14 yds., R. Sonego, 48/49. No. 4, 10-bird Pts.: H. J. Smith, G. Lynam, F. Paget, D. De Luca, W. Keogh, 30/30.
Frank Paget scored the only possible to win the 10 targets S.B. and 10 targets Walk-pp. Ron Sonego won the best 12-14 yak-

win the 10 targets S.B. and 10 targets Walkup. Ron Sonego won the best 12-14 yard
trophy after a shoot-off with Peter Davy,
Graham Smith, G. McCowan, J. Lynam,
C. Evans, G. Lynam, A. M. Puglisi, D.
Macansh, Geoff Smith and R. Sonego, who
scored the possible in the 20 targets D.B..
Angelo Puglisi won the event, with Jack

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TOP SHOOTERS AT THE



Top left—W. STEVENS (Ipswich G.C., Qld.), Champion of Champions, stated very quietly—"I've never won anything before".

Top right—DOUG. SMITH of Brisbane G.C., winner of 1967 National Trapshooting Single-barrel Championship at Southport. Top shooter Doug. Smith had also won the 1967 National Double-barrel Championship on Sunday, 11th June, with a score of 278/278.

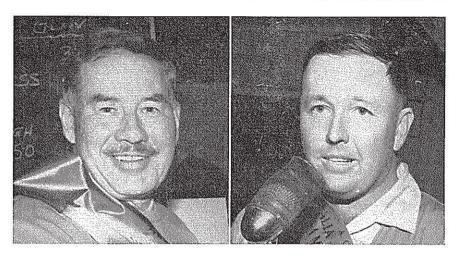
Lower left—Mrs. PAM. ISAACS, the best lady trapshooter in the Double-barrel Championship. Mrs. Isaacs also registered 4th place in 1967 National Intermediate Championship.

Lower right—M. BURGESS of Cobar (N.S.W.), High Gun scorer at the National Championships.



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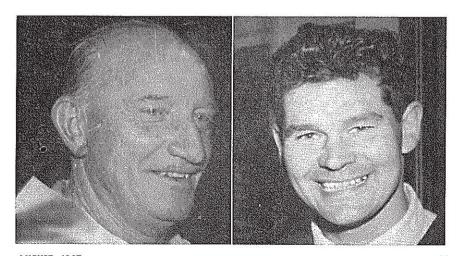


Top left—J. NEWTON THOMAS of Melbourne, winner of the Double-rise Championship. He has now won, over the years, each of the National Trapshooting Championship titles.

Top right—KEVIN HEYWOOD of Narromine (N.S.W.), winner of the 1967 Australia-New Zealand Trapshooting Championship

Lower left—A. MARSTELLA of the Gold Coast Gun Club, Southport, winner of the 18th Grand Australian Handicap.

Lower right—J. VEALE of New Zealand, Intermediate Championship winner at Southport on 11th June, with a score of 50/50.



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Lynam second. Ron Sonego again won the best 12-14 yd. trophy. Bill Keogh shot very well to win the High Gun trophy. Congratulations to all winners.

(Noel Smith, Hon. Sec.)

BANGALL (Qld.), 4/6/67.— Weather conditions: cloudy and showery. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 15-bird S.B.: M. Donald, 15/15; 2nd, M. Stoneman, H. Owens, 14/15, div.; 4 others 13/15. No. 2, 20-bird Pts.: 1st, R. Wright. W. Glasson, 58/60; 2nd, N. Wright, 57/60; 3rd, M. Donald, 56/60. No. 3, 30-bird D.B. I.C.I. Trophy: 1st, J. Hayes, 30/30; 2nd, K. Brown, 60/61; 3rd, R. Wright, 58/60. R. Wright, 58/60.

Showery weather kept shooters at home, but we had a good day. Only comment: not enough rain! Congratulations to J. Hayes for his possible in the I.C.I. Trophy event; he improves each time we see him. A lengthy shoot-off for 2nd and 3rd saw the consistent K. Brown win from R. Wright. Ken also won the President's trophy for the first 50 on the newly installed trap.

(H. M. Owens, Hon. Sec.)

BARELLAN (N.S.W.), 11/6/67.—Weather conditions: overcast and windy. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: J. Hulme, A. Salafia, I. Smith, T. Salafia, L. Foley, M. Weymouth, M. Webb, B. Gordon, K. Sim, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: T. Salafia, P. Overs, 10/10, div. 1st and 2nd; 6 other shooters div. 3rd, 9/10. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Trophy: T. Salafia, P. Overs, B. Salafia, M. Webb, 15/15.—shoot-off: 1st, P. Overs, 28/29; 2nd, M. Webb, 27/29; 3rd, T. Salafia, 30/30; 2nd, M. Weymouth, 29/30; 3rd, B. Gordon, 28/30. High Gun: won by T. Salafia, 16, 40/40. fia, 40/40.

The attendance was down on previous shoots, due mainly to the long week-end. Shooting was quite good under the conditions, as the wind played tricks with the targets, making things hard for the young shooters.

Barellan ladies supplied afternoon tea, and was very much appreciated. Thanks, ladies.

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

BATHURST (N.S.W.), 20/5/67 .- Weather BATHURST (N.S.W.), 20/5/67.—Weather conditions: cool and showery after heavy rain. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 12 shooters shot possible. No. 2, 15-bird D'ville Doubles Club C'ship: L. Alexander - H. Jaques, 24 prs., 1st; G. Campbell - A. Rowe, 27/28, 2nd; A. Rosconi - J. Holland, 26/28, 3rd. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: G. Kennerson, R. Hansen, L. Alexander, A. Rowe, D. Crossman, 5/5.

Not a nice day for our Club Deauville Doubles C'ship. The successful pair was L. Alexander and H. Jaques, who have done well in double events around the clubs lately. Charlie Campbell and Arch Rowe put on a good show for second place after being pushed a little by Joe Holland and A. Ros-coni. Shooters in the other events shot well considering the conditions.

The men had to prepare the afternoon tea, as the rain was too much for the ladies. Charlie Campbell was in good form and showed us how to hit them after a lay-off of nearly three years.

(A. Rosconi, Hon. Sec.)

BATHURST (N.S.W.), 17/6/67 .- Weather conditions: fine and windy. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: C. Campbell, Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: C. Campbell, Goodacre, H. Blunt, H. Jaques, L. Alexander, A. Ovens, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: L. Goodacre, W. Burrow, P. Rosconi, Peter Burrows, D. Middleton, H. Blunt, H. Jaques, 10/10. No. 3, 10 pr. D. Rise Club C'ship: P. Rosconi, 19/20, 1st: H. Wright, 17/20, 2nd; W. Burrows, 16/20, 3rd. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: Peter Burrows, M. Dalton, L. Goodacre, L. Alexander, 10/10.

Weather was fine and windy. About average attendance for our shoot, which included the club's D. Rise C'ship. All shooters liked the opportunity of a chance at the doubles, which was fairly difficult in the choppy wind. Paul Rosconi shot well and won the event outright.

Our trap behaved perfectly and placed the clay targets just where they should be. We must thank the shooters who come from other districts and help to make the success of clay target shooting.

Thanks to Mrs. Burrows Senr. for the supper.

(A. Rosconi, Hon, Sec.)

BENALLA (V.), 10/6/67.—Weather: raining. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: R. Sutherland, G. Sutherland, G. Edwards, G. Huff, D. BcGuinness Jnr. No. 2, 10-bird Trophy H'cap: L. Sim, 1st; G. Sutherland, 2nd; N. Bridges, 3rd. No. 3, 10-bird Pts.: M. Feldtmann, 1st; D. McGuinness Jnr., 2nd; R. Sutherland, 3rd.

The wet conditions did not deter the attend-The wet conditions did not deter the attendance of some keen shooters who travelled large distances to participate in another exciting shoot. The trophy was won by L. Sim with a score of 6/6, G. Sutherland and N. Bridges taking second and third places. With a faultless score, M. Feldtmann won the sweepstake in the third event. claiming 30 points, closely followed by D. McGuinness Jnr. with 29 pts. and R. Sutherland 28 pts. Doug. McGuinness Jnr., with increasing Doug. McGuinness Jnr., with increasing prominence, delighted spectators, once again on this occasion claiming the distinction of winning the High Gun trophy.

(Jack Challis, Hon. Sec.)

BERRIDALE (N.S.W.), 10/6/67.—Weather conditions: cloudy, mild. Attendance: 13. Results; No. 1, 10 birds: 1st, div. L. Venables, B. Caldwell, T. Hayden, R. Sands, R. Hedger, B. Scanes, A. Feilen, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird Pts.: 1st, R. Sands, 66/66; 2nd, B. Scanes, 65/66; F/M., A. Feilen, 41/42. No. 3, 5 S.B., 5 D.B. (canteen): 1st, A. Feilen, 22/22. No. 4, 10-bird Quail: 1st, M. Blackstock, 14/14; 2nd, A. Feilen, 13/14; M. Blackstock, 14/14; 2nd, A. Feilen, 13/14; M. G. Arrour, 4/10. No. 5 6 pr. Triple F.M. G. Armour, 4/10, No. 5, 6 pr. Triple Doubles: 1st, div. L. Venables, T. Peadon, R. Hedger, M. Blackstock, A. Feilen, R. Sands, B. Caldwell, N. Carter, T. Hayden,

There was not such a good attendance due to some members on holidays and others contesting the Pre-International shoot, Gold Coast: however, the afternoon went smoothly. Congratulations to Alf Feilen, who won the cup and saucer for the canteen this month and shot very well throughout the programme.

A novelty "Quail" event was introduced and was extremely enjoyed by competitors and onlookers.

(Mrs. H. Blackstock, Hon. Sec.)

BOMBALA (N.S.W.), 17/6/67. — Weather conditions: fine, but cold. Attendance: 22. conditions: fine, but cold. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: div. D. Badewitz, H. Kennedy, B. Caldwell. G. Chalker, J. Caldwell, B. Scanes, R. Sands, A. Povey, T. Hayden, R. Hedger, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird Pts.: 1st, R. Hedger, 69/69; 2nd, R. Sands, 68/69; F/M., J. Caldwell, 41/42. No. 3, 5-bird S.B. Novice: J. Badewitz, 8/8. No. 4, 10-bird S.B. Sparrows: div. A. Povey, B. Scanes, 10/10. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: 1st, H. Kennedy, 20/20; 2nd, R. Sands, 19/20; F/M., J. Badewitz, 9/12. No. 6, Deauville Doubles: div. A. Fellen - G. Bookalil, B. Scanes - D. Badewitz, R. Hedger - G. Chalker, D. Twigg - K. Toms. D. Twigg - K. Toms.

Once again there was a good roll-up of shooters from Berridale, and we thank them for coming. Also many thanks to the ladies for their very welcome afternoon tea.
(Nancy F. Badewitz, Hon. Sec..

BOORT (V.), 17/6/67. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 7. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: C. Radcliffe, H. Toose, 15/15 pts. No. 2, 5-bird D.B., 5-bird Walk-up Trophy: 1st, H. Toose, 9/10; 2nd, A. Gourley, 8/10; 3rd, J. Piccoli, 7/10. No. 3, 5-bird Walk-up: div. K. Fanning, A. Gourley, 5/5. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: H. Toose, 10/10.

A very small attendance for our June shoot. Herb. Toose ran out the winner for the second month in a row.

(J. Piccoli, Hon. Sec.)

BOURKE (N.S.W.), 4/6/67. — Attendance: 30. The club conducted its first Sunday shoot last week-end and it proved a great success. with visiting shooters (including National Champion of Champions, M. Burgess) coming in force from Cobar and Brewarrina. The drawcard was the George Henkel Trophy, which was shot for by a total of six teams of five. All scores were good, and two Bourke teams shot 97/100. The shoot-off proved most entertaining and the eventual winners, Les Hull, Lindsay Newton, Tiger O'Mally and Jack and Ray Long put up the excellent score of 217/225 to nudge out Glen, Keith, Derek and Phil Williams and John Farrell with 216/225.

Farrell with 216/225.
Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: div. J. and R. Webster, N. Brown, J. Farrell, J. Manns, and four Williams. No. 2, 10-bird Pts.: div. J. Ryan, L. Newton, R. Morris. No. 3, Henkel Shieid: won by Bourke. No. 4, S.B. Club C'ship: 1st, J. Long, 20/20; 2nd, N. Brown; 3rd, B. Jones. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: 1st, R. Honeyman, 74/74; 2nd, J. Manns, 73/74; 3rd, L. O'Mally, 53/54.
High Gun Trophy was won most decisively by Nick Brown, who scored a possible over

High Gun Trophy was won most decisively Nick Brown, who scored a possible over the programme. Roger Honeyman and J. Manns shot well for a 75 break badge, Nick Brown achieved two 50 breaks and Jack Long, L. O'Maily and Lindsay Newton a 50 break each — very good shooting for a club shoot. Tom Hegarty shot in the teams event for Brewarrina with three broken ribs and a strange gun and still but up a possible of the strange gun and still but up a possible of the strange gun and still but up a possible of the strange gun and still but up a possible over the process of the strange gun and still but up a possible over the process of the strange gun and still but up a possible over the process of and a strange gun, and still put up a possible for his team — a real sportsman.

The ladies catered for luncheon, and we

are much indebted for their wonderful help.
All in all, a good shoot and enjoyable day.
(J. S. Long, Hon. Sec.)

BRAIDWOOD (N.S.W.), 4/6/67.-Weather conditions: overcast. Attendance: 10. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: G. Hockey, W. Collett, R. Kennedy, 5/5; K. Clarke, N. Crichton, L. Moran, 4/5. No. 2, 10-bird Pts.: R. Kennedy, 30; G. Hockey, B. Roberts, 29. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. Walk-up: R. Kennedy, 5/6; B. Roberts, 4/6. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Sparrow: L. Moran, 11/11; N. Crichton, 10/11. No. 5, 5-bird D. Rise: L. Moran, 6/10; G. Hockey, R. Kennedy, N. Crichton, 5/10.

Although the weather wasn't too good, all shooters enjoyed themselves, especially R. Kennedy, who shot well all day and netted three prizes. Other shooters are showing marked improvement, as can be seen by the fact that three possibles were scored in the first event and two others had to be shot off.

(N. Crichton, Hon, Sec.)

BRISBANE (Qld.), 3/6/67 and 4/6/67. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: Sat. 63. Sun. 64. Results, 3/6/67: No. 1, Greg's Sports Trophy (20-bird D.B., 16 yds.): 1st. D. Smith, 208/208; 2nd, D. Webster, 207/208; 3rd, R. Burton, 125/126; best 12-15 yds., G. J. Eldridge, 26/27. No. 2, S.E. Qld. D. Rise C'ship (10 pairs): 1st, C. McClymont, 20/20; 2nd, D. Evans, 19/20; 3rd, W. Stephens, 34/36; best 12-15 yds., R. Sonego. No. 3, Brisbane G.C. C'ship, 30 birds (Winchester Trophy): 1st, R. Slawson, 85/85; 2nd, R. Commons, 84/85; 3rd, P. Kilner, 83/84; best 12-15 yds., N. Johnston. 34/35. 83/84; best 12-15 yds., N. Johnston, 34/35.

4/6/67 .- No. 4. Commonwealth S.B. C'ship, 4/6/67.—No. 4, Commonwealth S.B. C'ship, 40 birds, 20 yds. (Bauman's Trophy): 1st, D. Evans, 38/40; 2nd, B. Mackey, 47/50; 3rd, D. Webster, 46/50; best 12-16 yds., D. Bice, 34/40. No. 5, \$300 Pre-International H'cap (30 birds): div. K. D. Bassett, S. Stewart, S. Jackson, 30/30. High Gun over two days: D. Evans and B. Mackey. Lady's Trophy: J. Gay and P. Isaacs.

It was very gratifying to have so many visitors to our Pre-International shoot, and as President Bill Edwards said in his welcome, we hope they enjoyed their stay and come again.

Very pleased to see A.C.T.A. President, John Tyquin, and wife Kay. John, one of our early presidents, congratulated the club on its achievements and complimented our

willing band of ladies.

As well as for us, it was quite evidently a pleasure for Mr. Don Cameron, M.H.R., to present the trophies, which amounted to over \$1,000 worth of prizes, and Bill expressed the club's thanks to Gree's Sports Centre. Winchester - Western and Bauman's Gun Shop for their generous trophies. Thanks also went to Alf Thurlow for the beautiful place-mats that he made and donated.

Doug. Smith's win on the first day was another marathon feat when he won from Cunnamulla's Dave Webster with a score of Culmarmula a Dave Weister with a solve of 208/208. This is the highest score registered at the club to date, and it will take some trying to beat. Dick Burton, who came all the way from Geraldton (W.A.), was third

the way from Geraidton (W.A.), was third with a high score, too.

Congratulations to Cam McClymont and Ray Slawson, who won the South-East Qld.

D. Rise and the Brisbane Gun Club C'ships respectively. We were also glad that an Adelaide visitor, Bob Commons, and an American, Don Bice, each had a trophy to take home. take home.

A deserving committee member, Dave Evans, starred on Sunday when he won the Commonwealth S.B. C'ship outright, and what with another second prize and tying with Bruce Mackey for over-all High Gun, Dave showed his good form ..

Congratulations to Sep Stewart, Ken Bassett and Sid Jackson, who shared the Pre-International event, and to George Hogarth for making his 75 break.

(E. Mackey, Pub. Officer)

BRISBANE (Qld.), 25/6/67.—Weather conditions: squally. Attendance: 50. Results: No. 1, 20-bird S.E. Qld. D.B. C'ship: 1st, A. Kemp, 57/57; 2nd, R. Slawson, 56/57; 3rd, D. Smith, 50/51; best 12-15 yds., R. J. Eldridge, 18/20. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Pts.: 1st, K. Bamberry, 59/63 pts.; 2nd, D. Biee, 56/63; 3rd, T. Soames, 55/60; best 12-15 yds., R. J. Eldridge, 50/60. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. H'eap: 1st, D. Bice, 21/21; 2nd, A. Kemp, 20/21; 3rd, R. Warneminde, 19/20. No. 4, 10 prs. D. Rise: 1st, B. Mackey, 21/22; 2nd, J. Rao, 20/22; 3rd, R. W. Warneminde, 21/25. High Gun: D. Bice.
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Fortunately more threatening rain did not spoil our monthly meeting, although conditions were not the best for shooting.

Bill Edwards extended a warm welcome to the visitors, among them Bill Rainbird. The President also commended fellow member Doug. Smith on his magnificent shooting at the Coast.

Congratulations to Alan Kemp, who, from the ten possibles, emerged the winner in the South-East Queensland D.B. C'ship. Also it was good to see John Eldridge twice win the front-markers' prize.

Keith Bamberry and Don Bice did not take long to work it out between them in the points event shoot-off. Don missed the first bird. However, the next D.B. handicap event reversed the position for Don when the same situation arose, only that time he had to shoot off against Alan Kemp, and then it was Alan who lost the first bird. Don collected a third trophy for high gun — nice shooting.

Our thanks go to Mary Evans for the nice handbag that she made to raffle, and which was won by our Secretary. Our ladies are very helpful one way or another. All is set for our Show Week shoot in August, and we are looking forward to seeing many of our friends.

(E. Mackey, Pub. Officer)

BUNDELLA (N.S.W.), 4/6/67. — Weather conditions: cold and windy. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: possibles, L. Todd, W. Brown, S. Richardson, K. Ballard, P. Ballard, M. Cochran, R. Brady, L. Smiles, V. Eather, B. Gittoes, J. Simson, R. Simson, No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: equal 1st, J. Simson, B. Gittoes, 10/10; 2nd, T. Edwards, S. Richardson, L. Smiles, G. Nott, R. Simson, 9/10. No. 3, 25-bird D.B.: equal 1st, M. Cochran, G. Martin, 24/25; R. Brady, L. Smiles, B. Gittoes, J. Simson, J. Davis, 23/25. No. 4, 5 prs. D. Rise: equal 1st, J. Davis, S. Staughton, 9/10; 2nd, W. Brown, K. Ballard, 8/10. Inter. High Gun: M. Cochrane. High Gun: L. Smiles.

Our Pre-International shoot saw 25 shooters attend another successful shoot. Cold, blustery conditions kept scores low, with very few possibles. M. Cochrane and B. Gittoes shot well, while S. Staughton, after an indifferent start, managed to score well in the last event. Congratulations to L. Smiles, who won the High Gun after a shoot-off.

Many thanks to the ladies who provided an enjoyable afternoon tea.

(W. H. Brown, Hon. Sec.)

CENTRAL BURNETT (Qld.), 18/6/67. — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 50. Results: No. 1, 10-bind D.B.: 17 possibles. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Central Burnett C'ship (off 16 yds.): 1st, G. Darlington, 50/50; 2nd, J. Gray, 49/50; 3rd, J. Bradbury, 47/50 — 7 possibles. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. Cash H'cap:

div. S. Kentish, N. J. Dale, O. B. Bloxsome, R. Bloxsome, V. Bloxsome, B. Smith, G. A. Graft (N.Z.), E. Jensen. No. 4, 15-bird S.B. I.C.I. Trophy: 1st, B. Smith; 2nd, D. Smith; 3rd, L. Ivins. No. 5, 10-bird S.B.; div. L. Cairns. D. Smith.

In spite of the absence of many well-known patrons at the Condamine shoot, another well-attended shoot under perfect conditions, as witness the possibles on the day. With two electric traps operating, the programme went so smoothly that there was time for an extra event. Congratulations to Garry Darlington on winning the Central Burnett D.B. C'ship.

New Zealand visitors, P. Hayman and G. A. Graft, found conditions much more pleasant than at the Southport Nationals. Thank you, visitors, and congratulations, club members and workers, for another wonderful day.

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

COBAR (N.S.W.), 18/6/67.—Weather conditions: cool, but pleasant. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 5 pr. D. Rise: J. Manns, A. Eves, J. Webster, 9/10. No. 2, 10 pr. D. Rise Club C'ship: A. Burgess, N. Singleton, R. Webster, 18/20.—shoot-off: A. Burgess, 1st; R. Webster (inter.). No. 3, 20-bird D.B. H'cap Trophy: J. Manns, 19/20.

A pleasant shoot and afternoon tea was served by the ladies. 20-bird D.B. Handicap Trophy (watch) to be shot over five club shoots—the three nominated events to count.

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

COLAC (V.), 3/6/67.—Weather conditions: fine, sunny. Attendance: 31. Results: No. 1, 5-target D.B. Pts.: div. R. Harris, A. Carroll, A. Manifold, S. Hamill, B. Hill, N. Smart, A. McCarthy, W. Gange, P. Stinchcombe, S. Bennett. No. 2, 15-target D.B. H'cap: 1st, R. Harris, 85/85; 2nd, S. Bennett, 84/85; 3rd, E. Oborne, 46/47; 12-16 yds., D. Lestrange, 43/44; 17-19 yds., M. Sutherland, 33/34; 20 and over, D. Corstorphan, 18/19; others: G. Moore, 37/38; N. Smart, 38/39; A. McCarthy, 25/26; A. Neale, 23/24; G. Oborne, 17/18; W. Carr, 16/17; A. Manifold, 15/16. No. 3, 10-target D.B.: div. Sue Carroll, R. Harris, G. Moore, D. Lestrange, N. Smart, M. Sutherland, 10/10. A good attendance of shooters had perfect

A good attendance of shooters had perfect conditions to compete with. No less than 13 had a clean score at the end of the 15-target Trophy event. After a long battle, with fortunes alluding first one, then another, Roy Harris, a new member from Lorne, won out. This shooter went on to an unbeaten 100 straight for the day. Stuart Bennett, placed second, recorded his first 75 break during the day.

Shooters from Warrnambool, Cobden, Lorne, Birregurra, Apollo Bay, Winchelsea, Dundonnell and Boort attended. Three new shooters joined us, P. Lowrey (Winchelsea), R. Harris (Lorne) and Rev. Fr. Brennan (Colac). A big welcome to them. Thanks to the ladies for a tasty afternoon tea.

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

COLEAMBALLY (N.S.W.), 20/5/67.—Weather conditions: overcast and windy. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: K. Shields, possible. No. 2, Trophy: D. W. Dunbar, 1st; T. Salafia, 2nd; S. Shields, 3rd. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: K. Shields, C. Shields, M. Stanmore, No. 4, 5-bird S.B.: C. Shields, M. Stanmore, S. Shields.

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Today's shoot was held under windy conditions which had spoiled a good afternoon's shoot. Visitors came from the Lecton Club. A very fine exhibition on how to shoot under windy conditions was given by visitor Dudley Duplar, who won the trophy event.

Once again the ladies provided an enjoyable afternoon tea.

(R. P. Clayton, Hon, Sec.)

CONDAMINE, 20/6/67. — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 81. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: div. 24. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Condamine Dist. D.B. C'ship: 1st, D. James; 2nd, B. Dobbie; 3rd, J. O'Donnell. No. 3, 20-bird Pts.: 1st, C. Selke; 2nd, J. Beer; 3rd, B. Dobbie. No. 4, 5-bird S.B.: 21 possibles. No. 5, 20-bird S.B. Condamine Dist. C'ship: 1st, R. Golden; 2nd, R. Northdurft: 3rd, D. James. No. 6, 40-bird D.B. H'cap: 9 possibles, M. Morgan, C. Prosser, D. James, J. Hughes, J. O'Donnell, B. Dobbie, E. Hawkins, N. Shand, R. Northdurft:

(W. H. Beeton, for Sec.)

COOTAMUNDRA (N.S.W.), 16/4/67. — Weather conditions; good. Attendance: 73. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: 29 possibles. No. 2, 10-bird Pts. (16 yds.): 22 possibles. No. 3, 20-bird South West Dist. D.B. C'ship: 1st, G. Catt; 2nd, B. Hawley; 3rd, D. Byrnes. No. 4, 20-bird \$100 H'cap (Hudson Shield): 16 possibles.

It was almost a perfect day, as reflected by the shooting, and the best attendance at the club for quite some time. We were unfortunate at the beginning of the day when an aeroplane broke power wires and we were unable to use our electric trap for about 40 minutes.

The Championship was very keenly contested, with 35 shooters scoring the possible. Congratulations go to Graham Catt, who shot 128 to win the event. Congrats. also to B. Hawley and D. Byrnes, the placegetters. The High Gun went to N. Nicholson, and Queanbeyan won the Hudson Shield with 98 and made sure of it with a 96 by another of their teams. Too good, fellows.

Special thanks go to the ladies, who prepared the lunch for us, and without whom we would be in trouble.

(T. V. Johnson, Hon. Sec.)

COOTAMUNDRA (N.S.W.), 21/5/67. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. H'cap: F. English, R. Blake, J. Thompson, F. Chudleigh, G. Lymbery, L. Goodacre. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: F. English, R. Blake, K. Oldfield, G. Lymbery, K. Corcoran, W. Manning. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. H'cap: G. Lymbery, 1st; L. Goodacre, 2nd; K. Corcoran, 3rd. No. 4, 10-bird Pts. H'cap: K. Oldfield, 30/30; W. Manning, F. English, 29/30. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: F. Chudleigh, 10; J. Thompson, 9.

Another fine day, with good attendance in view of the weather situation; it had rained the day before here and in surrounding districts, so some of our faithful followers were no doubt busily planting seed. George Lymbery won the main event of the day. Congratulations, George, with Lloyd Goodacre running second and myself third.

Special thanks to Mrs. Thompson for preparing the afternoon tea for us. Very rarely does she ever miss a shoot. Thanks also go to all the other good ladies who may not

WERRIBEE

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- Saturday, 5th August, 1967 -

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Event 2 ---

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20 Targets from 16 yards.

Nomination \$3,00

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always be able to get there, but never miss sending the goodies along.

Keith Oldfield and Bill Manning were un-

lucky to miss out on the High Gun, for the Secretary had a bad case of nerves.

(T. V. Johnson, Hon. Sec.)

COWRA (N.S.W.), 3/6/67. — Weather conditions: cool, brisk winds. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, E.O.: O. Feilen, B. Kable, J. Petty, D. Byrne, L. Bird, 10/10, div. No. 2. Lachlan Valley D.B. C'ship: 1st, D. Byrne, 34/34; 2nd, A. Martens, 33/34; 3rd, M. Cass, 32/33; F/M., P. Byrne, 23/24. No. 3, Sweep: D. Heilman, D. Byrne, L. Bird, 15/15. div. 15/15, div.

Seasonal rain allowed the farming frater-nity to start their ploughing—this affected the attendance at our open shoot, which started under ideal conditions. The Championship was won by Denis Byrne of Michelago, with Bert Martens of Grenfell 2nd and ago, with Bert Martens of Grenteil 2nd and Michael Cass of Cowra 3rd. Front-marker was won by Mrs. Pat Byrne of Michelago. Visitors were in attendance from Melbourne, Queanbeyan, Sydney and Berridale. Leaders in the High Gun for the first day

were: L. Bird, 45/45; D. Byrne, 45/45. Intermediate High Gun: Mrs. P. Byrne, 42/45; J. Petty, 41/45; M. Cass, 40/45.

(M. Ryan, Hon. Sec.)

COWRA (N.S.W.), 4/6/67. — Weather conditions: cold and showery. Attendance: 37. Results: No. 1, Gun-warmer: J. Petty, K. Muir. D. Byrne, K. Everitt, R. Toshack, P. Lyons, 10/10, div. No. 2, Sweep: A. Martens, B. Kable, D. Heilman, E. Field, 10/10, div. No. 3, Lachlan Valley S.B. C'ship: 1st, R. Toshack, 34/34: 2nd, G. Kable, 33/34; 3rd, A. Martens, 19/20; F/M., A. Koorey, 17/20. No. 4, \$300 Cash H'cap: div. 15 targets D.B.: K. Muir, D. Byrne, A. Jones, A. Koorey, E. Miles, K. Everitt, R. Toshack, H. Wilder, M. Cass, 15/15. div. 15 targets S.B.: A. Martens, 15/15; T. Powell, R. Morley, 14/15, div. over-all: A. Jones, A. Martens, R. Morley, M. Cass, 28/30. No. 5, Sweep: P. Lyons, A. Martens, O. Feilen, D. Byrne, M. Lyons, R. Toshack, H. Wilder, K. Everitt, T. Powell, J. Thompson, 10/10, div.
Once again the attendance was affected by the wet weather. The Lachlan Valley S.B. C'ship was won by R. Toshack of Cowra from G. Kable of Sydney, with A. Martens of Cowra third; F/M., A. Koorey of Queanbeyan. The main handicap event was divided by 16 shooters—our new way of dividing the handican over double barrel, single harrel and

by 16 shooters—our new way of dividing the handicap over double barrel, single barrel and "over-all" certainly spread the \$300 amongst the shooters and was well accepted by all present.

The club wishes to sincerely thank the ladies for their efforts in the kitchen. The barbecue was certainly popular with all present.

(M. Ryan, Hon. Sec.)

CROOKWELL (N.S.W.), 27/5/67,—Weather conditions: cool and fine. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.; div. R. Howlett, N. Nicholson, J. Webster, H. Anderson, R. Churchill. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.; div. G. R. Plumb, R. Howlett, F. Willis, J. Webster, H. Anderson, R. Churchill, W. Webster. No. 3, 5-bird Pts.; div. R. Howlett, J. Webster, C. Harries, H. Anderson, W. Webster, K. Ridley. No. 4, 15-bird Club Pts. C'ship: 1st, J. Webster; 2nd, R. Howlett; F/M.

R. Stephenson. No. 55, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, R. Howlett; 2nd, F. Willis. No. 6, 5-bird D.B.: div. R. Howlett, N. Nicholson, F. Willis, C. Harries, H. Anderson.

A small attendance, but a very interesting shoot, with close results, Jeff. Webster shot extremely well to win Club Pts. C'ship from Russell Howlett in second place. Russell dinot miss a bird during the afternoon and attained his 75 break — good shooting. Other shooters showing good form were Frank Willis and Harry Anderson. Apparently the return of cold weather could have something to do with keeping the head down! to do with keeping the head down!

Thanks to the ladies for their usual hot "cuppa".

(N. T. Nicholson, Hon. Sec.)

CROYDON (V.), 3/6/67. — Weather: cool. Attendance: 35. No. 1, 5 pr. D. Rise: G. Biggs, T. De Lorenzo, 10/10; R. Garth, R. Buchan, F. Whitten, 9/10. No. 2, Yarra Valley Dist. D. Rise C'ship: 1st, W. Stone: 2nd, G. Biggs; 3rd, T. De Lorenzo; 12-14 yds., J. Kneebone: 15-16 yds., W. Lonie. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. H'cap: div. B. Williams, Bill Attraced 15/15

Bill Attwood, 15/15.
George Biggs and Tista De Lorenzo commenced in good form by shooting the possible in the D. Rise E.O., and maintained their good form in the D. Rise C'ship to fill 2nd and 3rd positions respectively, but Bill Stone outlasted both to take first prize and the sash, Congratulations to the first three, also the place-getters. A 15-bird D.B. Handicap followed, and Brian Williams and Bill Attwood were the only possibles to divide the cartridges supplied for this event.

(G. Lear, Hon. Sec.)

CROYDON (V.), 17/6/67.—Weather: cool and cloudy. Attendance: 34. No. 1, 20-bird D.B. H'cap: 1st, C. Fankhauser, 20/20: 2nd, P. Henwood, 25/26; 3rd, A. Catomore, 24/26; 12-14 yds., V. McLachlan, 18/20; 15-17 yds., Dick Madden, 23/25; 18-21 yds., Bill Copeland, 18/20; 22-27 yds., S. Henwood, 18/20, No. 2, 15-bird D.B. H'cap: div. C. Johnson, V. McLachlan, 15/16; K. Dunstan, P. Wilson, C. Fankhauser, P. Collins, T. Morris, R. Henwood, F. Thatcher, S. Henwood, 14/15. Congratulations to Cyril, who was the only shooter capable of a clean score in the main

shooter capable of a clean score in the main event. Cyril's win was particularly popular, event. Cyril's win was particularly popular, for as well as being a great sport, he is a regular stalwart of the club. Another regular, committeeman Perc. Henwood, was second, following a shoot-off with Andrew Catomore, who finished a creditable third. Congratulations to the four yardage winners, also to Cas. Johnson and Vivian McLachlan, who divided the second event, 15/15.

(G. Lear, Hon, Sec.)

DANDENONG (V.), 3/6/67. - Weather conditions: fine and cool. Attendance: 47. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. H'cap Pts.: G. Ferguson, R. Jacobs, L. Swain, K. Morrison, N. De Lorenzo, 15/15. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. H'cap Pts.: L. Swain, J. Nelson, 60/60; N. De Lorenzo, 57/60.

(Keith Pretty, Hon. Sec.)

DULACCA (Qld.), 4/6/67. — Weather conditions: cloudy, with showers. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: birds only. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Kills (Cash H'cap): 1st, L. Oliver, 20/20: 2nd, N. Beeton, A. Flegler. Cont. on page 64





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WEDNESDAY NIGHT, 2nd:

10-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP. Comp. Div. 20-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP. Trophies.

SATURDAY, 5th:

3 PAIRS DOUBLE RISE EYE-OPENER. Comp. Div.

WESTERN SUBURBS DOUBLE RISE CHAMPIONSHIP Trophies.

ALTONA DISTRICT SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, 9th:

4 PAIRS DEAUVILLE DOUBLES EYE-OPENER. Comp. Div.

FOOTSCRAY DISTRICT NIGHT DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP Trophies.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, 16th:

NOVELTY NIGHT !!!!!!

Event 1 — 10-BIRD TOWER. Event 2 — 10-BIRD WALK-UP. Event 3 — 5 PAIR DOUBLE RISE. Cash Div. each event and over-all Trophy.

SATURDAY, 19th:

ALTONA DISTRICT DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP
BROOKLYN DIST. D'VILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP
Trophies.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, 23rd:

5-BIRD WALK-UP EYE-OPENER. Comp. Div.

SUNSHINE DIST. NIGHT WALK-UP CHAMPIONSHIP

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, 30th:

10-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP EYE-OPENER. Comp. Div.
20-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP. Trophies.
1st Trophy kindly donated by VERN HARPER.

SATURDAY, 2nd SEPTEMBER:

WESTERN SUBURBS D.B. SPARROWS CHAMPIONSHIP

FOOTSCRAY DIST. DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Committee reserves the right to alter the Programme if necessary.

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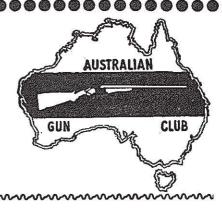
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SATURDAY, 5th AUGUST, 1967. Promptly at 1.30 p.m.
10 BIRDS POINTS from 16 yards EYE-OPENER

Australian Gun Club Walk-up Championship

1st — Gold Badge and Electric Blanket. Trophies 2nd, 3rd, 12-15 yds. and Lady's.

10 BIRDS DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE

25 BIRDS SKEET HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE

(incorporating first round of elimination for Interstate Team)

25 BIRDS SKEET HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE

SATURDAY, 19th AUGUST, 1967. Promptly at 1.30 p.m.

10 BIRDS POINTS from 16 yards EYE-OPENER

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20 Birds from 16 yards.

1st — Sash and Seemak Vitamiser. Trophies 2nd, 3rd, 12-14 yards, 15-16 yards, and Lady's.

25 BIRDS SKEET HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE (incorporating second round of elimination for Interstate Team)

25 BIRDS SKEET HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE

SATURDAY, 2nd SEPTEMBER, 1967. Promptly at 1.30 p.m.
10 BIRDS POINTS from 16 yards EYE-OPENER

Australian Gun Club Single-barrel Championship

20 Birds from 16 yards.

1st - Gold Badge and Coffee Table. Trophies 2nd, 3rd, 12-14 yards, 15-16 yards, and Lady's.

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Shoots commence at 1.30 p.m. Sharp unless otherwise advertised.

August 5th:

Event 1 - 15 BIRDS POINTS EYE-OPENER. Comp. Div.

30-birds Double-barrel Handicap

Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd - Yardage Prizes.

Event 3 - 10 PAIRS DOUBLE RISE SPARROWS SWEEP. Comp. Div.

August 19th:

Event 1 - 8 BIRDS EYE-OPENER WALK-UP

Event 2 -

Metropolitan Walk-up Championship

20 Birds Double-barrel Handicap

Event 3 -

Club Double-rise Championship

10 Pairs off 16 yards.

September 2nd:

Event 1 - 15 BIRDS POINTS EYE-OPENER. Comp. Div.

Event 2 -

Lilydale-Croydon Team Shoot

20 Birds Double-barrel Handicap

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

Afternoon Tea and Ammunition available on the Ground always.

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August 12th:

Club Double-rise Championship

1st Sash and Trophy. Trophies for 2nd, 3rd, 12-14, 15-16 yds. Nom. \$3.00

August 26th:

Metropolitan Intermediate Double-barrel Championship

1st Sash and Trophy. Trophies for 2nd, 3rd and 12-14 yds. Trophies donated by courtesy of Mr. TISTA DE LORENZO.

In conjunction . . .

Club Back-Markers' Championship

1st Sash and Trophy. Trophies for 2nd and 3rd. Nom. \$3.00

OTHER EVENTS EACH DAY, TIME PERMITTING.

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R. BUCHAN, President. Phone 87-5459.

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G. LEAR, Secretary. Phone 28-5129.

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Event 1.	SUNDAY, 13th AUGUST, 1967, at 9.30 a.m. s-BIRD EYE-OPENER — 16 yards.	500
Event 2.	20-bird Brisbane Exhibition Double-barrel Championship Trophics 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Best 12-15 yds, 16 yds. :: Optional Sweeps 50c each 10 Birds.	
Event 3.	40-BIRD \$500 DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP	\$12.00
Event 4.	10 PAIR DOUBLE RISE I.C.I. TROPHY	\$3.00
	WEDNESDAY, 16th AUGUST, 1967, at 9.30 a.m.	
Event 1.	5-BIRD EYE-OPENER — 16 yards.	200
Event 2.	15-pair Brisbane Exhibition Double-rise Championship	\$4.00
Event 3.	20-BIRD SINGLE-BARREL BERIO TROPHY Optional Sweeps 50c each 10 Birds	\$3.00
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Event 1.	WEDNESDAY NIGHT, 16th AUGUST, at 6.30 o'clock Event 1. 30-bird Queensland Double-barrel Night Championship. 18 yds.	\$4.0(
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Saturday, 12th August, 1967

5 BIRDS D.B., 5 BIRDS S.B. Cash. Entry \$1.50.

Club Mixed Birds Championship R. MAYBURY is invited to defend his title.

Club Tower Championship

K. PATERSON is invited to defend his title.

First, Second, Third and 12-15 yds. Trophies in each C'ship. Sashes to winners. :: ENTRY \$3.00 each.

SKEET at 12 o'clock. OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

Saturday, 26th August, 1967

15 BIRDS POINTS. Cash. Entry \$2.00.

Epping & Dist. D.B. Sparrow Championship

20 Birds from 16 yards.

Trophies First, Second, Third and 12-15 yds. Sash to winner. Optional Sweep. :: Entry \$3.00.

Whittlesea & District S.B. Championship

20 Birds from 16 vards.

Trophies First, Second, Third and 12-15 yds. Sash to winner. Optional Sweep. :: Entry \$3.00.

SKEET at 12 o'clock. OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

H. BELMORE, President,

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PUCKAPUNYAL

ARMY GUN CLUB . VICTORIA

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Patron: Major J. T. POOLE

.. Programme ...
SUNDAY, 27th AUGUST, 1967

Commencing 1 p.m. Sharp.

Event 1 — 10 BIRDS (POINTS), 16 yds. Comp. Div.
Noms. \$1.00

Event 2 ---

Puckapunyal District D.B. Championship

20 Birds D.B. from 16 yards.

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

Opt. Sweepstake over-all, 50c. Noms. \$2.50

Event 3 ---

Trophy Handicap

20 Birds D.B. from Handicap Marks.

Trophies for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and F.M. Opt. Sweepstake over-all, 50c.

Noms, \$2.50

Event 4 ---

Novelty Sweepstakes

10 Birds Novelty

Noms. \$2.00

- Aggregate HIGH GUN over-all -

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Afternoon Tea Children's Playground

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GUN CLUB N.S.W.

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Saturday, 19th August, 1967

Two STATE TITLES to be shot for.

— Commencing 10 a.m. —

Event 1 - 10 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL. H'cap Marks.

Event 2 —

New South Wales State Intermediate Single Barrel Championship

20 Birds from 16 yds. Nom. \$4.00. Op. Sweep.

1st Sash and Trophy, with Trophies for 2nd and 3rd, also best 12-13 yard Trophy.

Event 3 ---

N.S.W. Walk-up Championship

Sash and Trophy for winner, with Trophies for 2nd and 3rd, also best 12-13 yard Trophy.

Event 4 — \$60 HANDICAP, with Optional Sweep.

20 Birds D.B. Handicap.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

Luncheon, etc., on Ground. Also Cartridges available.

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K. POWELL, President.

R. BUSHBY, Hon. Secretary.

NARRABRI DIGGERS and Citizens Gun Club - N.S.W.

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Sunday, 27th August, 1967

Commencing at 9.30 a.m.

Event No. 1 - 5 PAIR DOUBLE RISE EYE-OPENER

\$1.00

Event No. 2 ----

N.S.W. State Double-rise Championship

15 Pairs off 16 vards.

\$4.00

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

Event No. 3 ---

Namoi District Single-barrel Championship -----

20 Birds off 16 vards.

\$3.00

1st Trophy and Sash; 2nd and 3rd Trophies. 50 cents Optional Sweeps each 10 Birds.

Event No. 4 -

\$12.00

\$350.00 DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP TROPHY

1st --- MIROKU OVER & UNDER 2nd—GEVARM A6.22 AUTOMATIC RIFLE

3rd - GEVARM JGA 1386 Single Shot

TWO ELECTRIC DAMO TRAPS. :: More Events Timé Permitting.

I.C.I. HIGH GUN on Events 2, 3, 4. Intermediate High Gun.

The Committee reserves the right to after the Programme if considered necessary.

Cartridges, Light Luncheon, Tea and Afternoon Tea available on Grounds.

G. HENKEL - Shoot Marshal.

A. PALMER, President, "Beresford Park", Narrabri. ERIC SAUNDERS, Hon. Sec., 30 Wee Waa Road, Narrabri. Phone 327.

CLONCURR CLUB

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Hospital Road, Cloncurry,

CENTENARY

SUNDAY, 27th AUGUST, 1967. Commencing 10.00 a.m.

- PROGRAMME -

Event 1 - DOUBLE-BARREL TROPHY

10-bird Double Barrel from Handicop. Nomination \$1.50

Event 2 -

North West Queensland D.B. Championship

Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd, best 12-15 yards. Also Badge to winner.

Optional Sweepstakes 50c each 10 Birds.

— LUNCH —

Event 3 - E. A. LEMMON SINGLE-BARREL TROPHY

Nomination \$3.00 15 Birds from Handicap. :: Optional Sweepstakes 50c each 5 Birds.

Event 4 - \$150 CENTENARY HANDICAP Nomination \$10.00 30 Birds Double Barrel Points Scoring from Handicap.
1st \$90 — 2nd \$45 — 3rd \$15. :: CALCUTTA to be run on this event.

Event 5 - FOUNDATION DEAUVILLE DOUBLES Nomination \$3.00 10 Pairs from Handicap. :: Identical Trophies for winning team.

Event 6 - DOUBLE RISE EYE-OPENER

5 Pairs from 16 vds. Opt. Sweeps 50c. Nomination \$1.50

Event 7 -

Queensland Night Double-rise Champ'ship

15 Pairs from 16 yards. Nomination \$4,00 Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd place-getters. Also Badge to winner, Event 8 -

Queensland Night Mixed Birds Champ'ship

5 Birds D.B. from 18 yds. 5 Birds S.B. from 18 yds. 5 Birds Walk-up.
5 Birds Double Rise from 16 yds. Nomination \$4.00
Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd place-getters. Also Badge to winner.
OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

\$50 Cash High Gun over Events 1, 2, 3 and 4. \$15 Cash High Gun, 12-15 yds., Events 1, 2, 3 and 4.

★ Meals and Refreshments available on Grounds. ★ Cartridges available on Grounds. The Committee reserves right to alter Programme if necessary.

G. H. BURKE, President, Hillside Stn., Cloncurry.

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GUN CLUB (QLD.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

● Annual Clay Target Shoot ● 2nd & 3rd September, 1967

BRISBANE VALLEY CHAMPIONSHIPS Double-barrel - Day and Night

. . . PROGRAMME . . .

SATURDAY, 2nd SEPTETMBER, 1967 Commence	elp.m.
Event 1 5-BIRD EYE-OPENER	50c
Event 2 — 30-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL TROPHIES Op. Sweeps 25c Rounds of 10.	\$4.00
Event 3 — 20-BIRD POINTS I.C.I. TROPHIES Op. Sweeps 25c Rounds of 10.	\$2.50
SATURDAY NIGHT:	
Event 1 5-BIRD EYE-OPENER	50c
Event 2 —	

20-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL BRISBANE VALLEY NIGHT CHAMPIONSHIPS

Op. Sweeps 25c Rounds of 10.

\$3.00

SUNDAY, 3rd SEPTEMBER, 1967 - - Commence 9 a.m. Event 1 - 5-BIRD EYE-OPENER

Event 2 - 20-bird Double-barrel

Brisbane Valley D.B. Championship

Op. Sweeps 25c Rounds of 10. \$2.50

Event 3 - 20-bird Points BAUMAN'S TROPHY Op. Sweeps 25c Rounds of 10.

\$3.00

Event 4 -- 30-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL \$200 HANDICAP \$10.00 DIVIDEND: \$120, \$60, \$20, \$10 :: 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 after the advertised Programme without notice.

W. C. KASSULKE, President, Toogoolawah. Phone 88.

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G. RAWLINS, Secretary, Toogoolawah. Phone 83.

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

. . . PROGRAMME FOR SHOOT . . .

SATURDAY - SUNDAY, 9th and 10th SEPTEMBER, 1967 Commencing 9.30 a.m. both days.

- SATURDAY -

No. 1 - 5-BIRD S.B. EYE-OPENER. Nomination 50c. Opt. Sweepstakes 50c.

No. 2 — BELYANDO SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP. 20 Birds off 16 yards. Nomination \$2.50. :: Optional Sweepstakes 50c on each 10 Birds. Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd and F.M.

No. 3 — STAN HILL MEMORIAL TEAM SHOOT. 10-bird Single Barrel.
Nomination \$1,00. :: Optional Sweepstakes \$1,00.
Handicap mark. Teams of 5. All scores to count. Open to Clermont Teams and Teams from Northern Circuit Clubs only.

No. 4 — \$100 HANDICAP. 30 birds D.B. Kills. Nomination \$4.00.
Optional Sweepstokes 50c on each 10 Birds.
1st \$60, 2nd \$30, 3rd \$10, plus yardage prize.

- SUNDAY -

No. 1 - 5-BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER. Nomination 50c. Opt. Sweepstakes 50c.

No. 2 — CENTRAL HIGHLANDS D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP. 20 Birds off 16 yds. Nomination \$2.50. :: Optional Sweepstakes 50c on each 10 Birds. Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd and F.M.

No. 3 — \$200 HANDICAP. 20 Birds D.B. Kills. Nomination \$8.00.
Optional Sweepstakes 50c on each 10 Birds.
1st \$120, 2nd \$60, 3rd \$20, plus yardage prize.

No. 4 - CENTRAL HIGHLAND DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP Nomination \$2.50. :: Optional Sweepstakes 50c on each 10 Birds.

A CALCUTTA will be run in conjunction with the \$200 HANDICAP.

OTHER EVENTS WILL BE ARRANGED IF TIME PERMITS.

Luncheon, Morning and Afternoon Teas served on Grounds. HIGH-GUN TROPHY donated by I.C.I.A.N.Z. Ltd. (Kills to Count).

Please Note: Committee of Management reserves the right to alter or delete from this programme if considered necessary.

ANNUAL DINNER will be held on Saturday Night, 9th September, for shooters, their wives or lady friends.

E. B. BARTON, President, "Huntly", Clermont. Phone 44. J. E. KENNEDY, Secretary, P.O. Box 47, Clermont. Phone 65.

AUGUST, 1967

2nd and 3rd SEPTEMBER, 1967

Saturday — commencing

Event 1 - 5-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL EYE-OPENER

Event 2 - 5 PAIR DOUBLE RISE (Comp. Division)

Nom. \$2.00

Nom.

50c

Commonwealth Deauville Doubles Sparrow Championship

(Op. Sweeps \$1.00 each 10 Pair) :: 1st Badge and Trophies - 2nd Trophies.

Nom. \$3,50

Event 4 - 30-BIRD POINT SCORE HANDICAP (Op. Sweep \$1.00 each 10 Birds) Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd and Front Marker.

Nom. \$4.00

Event 5 - 15-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP (Comp. Division)

Nom. \$3.50

Sunday — commencing

Event 1 -- 10-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP (Comp. Division)

Nom. \$1.50

Eyent 2 - 15-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP (Comp. Division)

Nom. \$3.00

Event 3 -

Handicap Double-barrel

(Op. Sweeps \$1.00 each 10 Birds)

2nd - 6,4 cu. ft. G.E. DEEP FREEZE - - 3rd - 11" A.W.A. PORTABLE T.V. 1st -- MIROKU U/O BROADRIB Yardage Prizes of \$20 for each of the following groups: 12-16, 17-20, 21-24, 25-27. Nom. \$16.00

Event 4 -

Central Double-barrel Championsnip

(Op. Sweeps \$1,00 each 10 Birds) :: 1st Badge and Trophy - 2nd and 3rd Trophies. Nom. \$2.50

Event 5 - 10-BIRD SINGLE-BARREL HANDICAP CASH

Nom. \$2.00

High Gun by courtesy of MICK SMITH PTY. LTD.

ONE DAMO ELECTRIC TRAP

Intermediate High Gun Trophy. ONE AUTOMATIC TRAP.

Lunches — Refreshments — Cartridges available at Club.

A CALCUTTA will be conducted on Main Event, Second Day. Drawing to take place at the Gun Club on the Saturday Night. Shooters and friends will be the guests of the Club for a BARBECUE at the finish of the first day's shooting. Shooters requiring accommodation are requested to contact Secretary, Box 217, Dubbo, not later than 7 days prior to Shoot.

K. HEYWOOD, President,

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

"Kilburnie". Phone: Narromine 155-N.

AUGUST, 1961

AUGUST, 1967

BLACKALL GUN CLUB . . OLD

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

ANNUAL SHOOT

Saturday and Sunday, 9th and 10th Sept.

BLACKALL GUN CLUB (Qld.) will conduct . . .

Central Queensland Single-barrel Championship

Barcoo Double-barrel Championship Barcoo Single-barrel Championship

R. G. BANKS MEMORIAL CUP
G. A. PATTERSON MEMORIAL CUP
\$400 HANDICAP

A CALCUTTA will be run in conjunction with the \$400 Handicap, and will be sold on the Grounds on SATURDAY, 9th SEPTEMBER.

All Shooters, their wives and lady friends to be our guests at our BANQUET to be held on Saturday night.

LUNCHEON, MORNING and AFTERNOON TEAS, REFRESHMENTS on Grounds.

PRACTICE SHOOT 3.30 p.m. FRIDAY, 8th SEPTEMBER.

- THREE ELECTRIC "DAMO" TRAPS -

For Bookings of Accommodation, contact H. J. S. ROSS, "Amaroo", BLACKALL. Phone 112 R.

D. G. LLOYD, President, "Cootabynia", Blackall. Phone 42.

G. A. PATTERSON, Hon. Secretary, "Listowel Valley", Blackall. Phone 112 D.

MARYBOROUGH GUN CLUB LIMITED • • QLD.

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Open Carnival Shoot

SATURDAY and SUNDAY, 9th and 10th SEPT., 1967

— Day and Night Shoot —

SATURDAY — 1 p.m. Sharp:

Event 1 — 11 Targets see one D.B. SWEEPSTAKES and 4 yardage prizes.

Event 2 — 15 Targets D.B. PTS. TROPHIES, 1st, 2nd, 3rd. \$4.00

Event 3 — 15 Targets S.B. SWEEPSTAKES and 4 yardage prizes. \$4.00

SATURDAY NIGHT:

Event 4 — 11 Targets see one D.B. SWEEPSTAKES \$3.00 Event 5 — 20 Targets \$4.00

Maryborough & District Night Champ'ship

Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd, plus Badge.

SUNDAY MORNING — 9 a.m.: 2-target EYE-OPENER Event 6 — 20 Targets

Maryborough & District D.B. Champ'ship

Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd, plus Badge. Opt. S.S. 25c each 10 Targets.

Event 7—20 Targets S.B. STAN HOBERG CUP

Plus Trophy 1st, Trophies 2nd and 3rd.

This trophy to be returned and shot for annually. :: Present holder of Cup: ERIC MENDE, Brisbane.

Optional Sweepstakes each 10 Targets.

Event 8 — 20 Targets D.B. "T.A.A. ON TARGET" TROPHY EVENT
1st Prize donated by TRANS AUSTRALIAN AIRLINES. \$10.00
1st — Free Flight and Accom. to 1968 International Shoot in Adelaide.
2nd — Free Accommodation, Nominations and Cartridges to Maryborough
Gun Club's 1968 Carnival Shoot.
3rd — 10 boxes Contriders Australian prizes

3rd — 10 hoxes Cartridges, 4 yardage prizes, Optional Sweepstakes each 10 Targets.

Event 9 — 15 Targets DOUBLE-BARREL POINTS \$4.00
The I.C.I.A.N.Z. Trophy, 1st. Trophies 2nd and 3rd.
KAHLER SHIELD to be shot in conjunction with this event.

High Gun and Intermediate High Gun over whole Shoot, excluding eye-openers. Conditions demanding, the Committee reserve the right to vary this Programme.

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ANNUAL SHOOT, 1967

Saturday & Sunday, 9th & 10th Sept.

SATURDAY, 9th. Commencing 10 a.m.

Event No. 1 - 5 PAIRS DOUBLE RISE EYE-OPENER (Comp. Div.) Nom. \$1.00 Event No. 2 -

10 Pairs Double Rise. Trophy and Badge, 1st. Trophies 2nd, 3rd, 12-14 yds.
Optional Sweeps each 5 pairs, 50c. \$3.00

Event No. 3 - \$100 HANDICAP. 20 Birds Point Score. \$4.50

Event No. 4 - PAST PRESIDENT'S TROPHY. 20 Birds D.B. Optional Sweeps each 10 Birds, 50c. OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING \$3,00

SATURDAY NIGHT:

Shooters and friends to be the guests of the Moree Gun Club at a DINNER, and a CALCUTTA on the \$200 Handicap will be conducted.

SUNDAY, 10th. Commencing 10 a.m.

Event No. 1 - 10-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL EYE-OPENER (Comp. Div.) Event No. 2 -

Northern Double-barrel Championship

Trophy and Badge, 1st. Trophies 2nd, 3rd and 12-14 yds. Optional Sweeps each 10 Birds, 50c. \$3.00

Event No. 3 — \$200 HANDICAP. 30-bird Double Barrel.
Divided \$120, \$50, \$20, and \$10 best 12-14 yds.

\$8.00 Event No. 4 - PRESIDENT'S TROPHY. 20-bird Single Barrel.

Optional Sweeps each 10 Birds, 50c. OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

SUNDAY NIGHT. Commencing 7.30 p.m.

Sweepstakes will be conducted, but these will not be taken into consideration when calculating High Gun scores and are for the benefit of shooters wishing to continue shooting after the programme is completed.

HIGH-GUN TROPHY ON ADVERTISED PROGRAMME.

Meals and Refreshments on Ground.

TED BROWN, President,

FRED BARDSLEY, Secretary, "Midkin", Ashley. Phone: Moppin 42 144. Coolanga", Moree. Phone: 735R.

REG MORLEY, Asst. Secretary, Greenbah Road, Moree

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Saturday, 9th September, 1967

Event 1 - 10 a.m.:

I.C.I. INTER-ASSOCIATION TEAMS SHOOT

(Teams from Western Wimmera and South East South Australia)

Event 2 — 1.30 p.m.:

\$500 Double-barrel Handicap

Nomination \$10

1st — STIRLING MIROKU BROADRIB \$270.00 \$123.50 2nd—VICTA MOTOR MOWER 3rd — 1 Case BLUE STAR SHELLS \$52.00

4 yardage groups, \$12 Trophy each group — 12-15, 16-18, 19-21, 22 and over.

Programme to be shot as advertised.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

R. C. KENNEALLY, Secretary

\$3.50

GUN CLUB (QLD

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(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Annual Two-day Shoot

— Saturday, 16th September, 9 a.m.

Event 1 - 5-BIRD EYE-OPENER. Nomination 50 cents. Event 2 -

Northern Downs Double-barrel C'ship

20 Birds off 16 yds. :: Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Nomination \$3.00. :: Optional Sweeps each 10 - 50 cents.

Event 3 - 30-BIRD POINTS off A.C.T.A. Handicaps. Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd. Nom. \$6.00. Optional Sweeps each 10 - 50 cents. OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

- Sunday, 17th September

Event 1 - 5-BIRD SINGLE-BARREL EYE-OPENER Nomination 50 cents.

Event 2 -

Northern Downs Single-barrel C'ship

20 Birds off 16 yds. :: Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Nomination \$3.00. :: Optional Sweeps each 10 - 50 cents.

Event 3 - \$250 HANDICAP - 40 Birds D.B. off A.C.T.A. H'caps. \$100 first 20 - - \$100 second 20.

> \$50 HIGH GUN - \$10 best 12-13 yards. Money to be split - 60 per cent., 30 per cent., 10 per cent.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING. HIGH GUN over two days.

All Trophies guaranteed. All events under A.C.T.A. Conditions. The Committee reserves the right to alter or modify any event, change the sequence of events or cancel any event because of insufficient shooters.

CALCUTTA and entertainment by the Committee on Saturday night. Refreshments, Ammunition and Gunsmith on Grounds.

W. SHAND, President Hawthorne Street, Dalby.

C. CONDON, Secretary, Pirrinuan, Dalby. Phone 288D.

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Shoot — Day and

. . . AMENDED PROGRAMME . . .

SATURDAY and SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7th and 8th, 1967 - \$250 PRIZE MONEY -

Commencing 1 p.m. SATURDAY and 9.30 a.m. SUNDAY.

SATURDAY:

Event No. 1 - 5-TARGET SINGLE-BARREL EYE-OPENER Optional Sweepstake, 50c.

Nom. 50c

Event No. 2 - PRESIDENT'S TROPHY. 15-target Single Barrel. Trophies 2nd and 3rd. Opt. Sweepstake, \$1.00. S/S. 1st x 5, 2nd x 5, 3rd x 5. Event No. 3 ---

Nom. \$5.00

1st \$60, 2nd \$30, 3rd \$10. :: Opt. Sweestake, 50c.

Event No. 4 - I.C.I.A.N.Z. TROPHY. 15-target D.B. Points. Nom. \$2,00 Optional Sweepstake, \$1.00.

BARBECUE FOR SHOOTERS AND FAMILIES ON THE SATURDAY NIGHT.

SUNDAY. Commencing 9.30 a.m.

Event No. 1 - 5-TARGET DOUBLE-BARREL EYE-OPENER Optional Sweepstake, 50c.

Nom. 50c

Event No. 2 - VANDYKE TROPHY. 20-target D.B. Kills. Trophies 2nd and 3rd. Opt. S'stake, \$1.00. Nom. \$2,50

Event No. 3 — PATRON'S TROPHY . . . Value \$40.00

20 Targets D.B. Points.

Trophies 2nd and 3rd. :: Optional Sweepstake, \$1.00. Nom. \$4.00

Event No. 4 --

20 Targets D.B. Kills. :: Opt. S'stake, \$1.00. Event No. 5-FOUNDATION PRESIDENT'S TROPHY. Value \$40.00 Nom. \$3.00

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TWO-DAY SHOOT: Saturday, 30th Sept; Sun. 1st Oct., 1967

SATURDAY — Commencing 12.30 p.m.

Event No. 1 - 5-TARGET D.B. EYE-OPENER Nom. 50c Event No. 2 - SPECIAL WINCHESTER H'cap Trophies. Nom. \$4.00 20-target D.B. Points. :: Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd.
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Annual Shoot

30th Sept. and 1st October, 1967

SATURDAY, 30th SEPTEMBER Commencing 2.30 p.m.

No. 1

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20 Birds from 16 yards. Trophy and Sash, 1st; Trophies 2nd and 3rd. Nominations \$2.50. :: \$1 Op. Sweeps 20 Birds. CASH HANDICAPS - TIME PERMITTING.

SATURDAY NIGHT at 8 p.m. . . . Shooters and friends will be entertained at the OXLEY CLUB, where a CALCUTTA will be conducted on the \$400 Handicap Event.

> SUNDAY, 1st OCTOBER Commencing 10 a.m.

No. 1

Bourke & Darling River S.B. Championship

20 Birds from 16 yards. Trophy and Sash, 1st; Trophies 2nd and 3rd. Nomination \$2.50. :: \$1 Op. Sweeps each 10 Birds.

No. 2 — \$400 HANDICAP. 40-bird Double-barrel Handicap.
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1967 GRAND PRIX

PROGRAMME

Friday, 20th October, 1967 ——

Commencing 7.30 p.m.

Event 1 —

10-BIRD DOUBLE BARREL

Nom. \$2.00

Event 2 -

N.S.W. State (Night) D.B. Championship

Nom. \$3.00

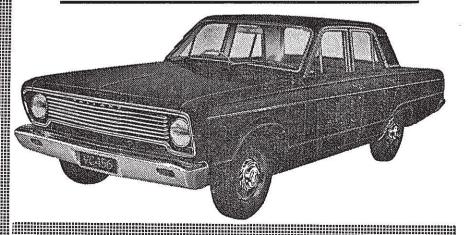
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Event 3 -

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Event 4 ---

Deniliquin & District S.B. Championship

20 Birds

Nom. \$3.00

. . . SATURDAY NIGHT . . .

Commencing 7.30 p.m.

Event 5 -

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C. McLennan, P. Armstrong, 19/20, div. No. 3, 20-bird S.B. C'ship (16 yds.): 1st, L. Oliver, 19/20; 2nd, L. Bishop, 18/20; 3rd, R. Ziesemer, 23/26. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Pts. 3 and 2 H'cap: 1st, R. Ziesemer, 26/30; 2nd, A. Flegler, 24/30; 3rd, L. Oliver, 23/30.

A good roll-up of shooters, with a big representation from Condamine Club. L. Oliver was successful in the D.B. and S.B. event with scores of 20/20 and 19/20. Five shooters divided second in the cash event, with Leo Bishop, 18/20, 2nd, in the S.B. and Rob. Ziesemer 3rd, 23/26. Robin Ziesemer went on and took the points event, which was shot under lights.

Would like to thank all the visitors for coming along and helping to run the shoot for us. We all hope to visit Condamine on Saturday week for their big opening shoot. Hope you have a successful two days, chaps.

Our next shoot, first Sunday in July,

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

EASTERN GOLDFIELDS (W.A.), 4/6/67. - Weather conditions: fine and sunny. Attendance: 8. Results: 25-bird Skeet: 1st, R. Ovens, 22 plus 3 h'cap — 25.

We were fortunate to have perfect weather for our first Skeet event of the year, but the attendance was disappointing, only eight shooters trying their skill against the two towers. It was pleasing to see "Arthirites" Ovens back on the tracks, and he showed the other shooters how skeet should be shot. Minor placings were filled by J. Lithgow and D. Martin, who both recorded 24/25 with handicap.

After the completion of the Skeet a 10-bird D.B. was conducted, and this was won by D. Martin, 9/10. He only needs two more divisions to pay for his new U/O, so look out, shooters.

(J. Lithgow, Hon. Sec.)

EASTERN GOLDFIELDS (W.A.), 18/6/67.

Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance:
12. Results: 15-bird S.B., 10-bird Walk-up: 1st. W. Montgomery.

Weather conditions were perfect for our shoot of 10 birds Walk-up and 15 birds S.B. for a trophy for the best aggregate over the two events. W. Montgomery won the trophy outright with 24/25, followed by J. Bright and J. Lithgow with 22/25. The handicapper still has not got Bill's measure, for he shoots on a club handicap of 27 yds., so for future shoots he has to shoot either left hand or from the hip.

A new club was recently formed at Leonora approx. 140 miles north of Kalgoorlie, and they have an attractive programme for their opening shoot at the end of this month. It is hoped that 10 local shooters will attend to help make it a success.

(J. Lithgow, Hon. Sec.)

ECHUCA (V.), 10/6/67. — Weather conditions: wet. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, tions: wet. Attendance: 25. Kesuits: No. 1, 5 prs. D. Rise: 3 possibles. No. 2, D. Rise C'ship: 1st. A. James, 19/20; 2nd. R. Lamb, 20/22; 3rd. F. Bradley, 19/22. No. 3, D.B. H'cap: 1st. G. Dobson, 35/35; 2nd. J. James on (retired), 34/34; 3rd. A. James, 23/24.

In spite of bad weather, competition was the spite of ond weather, competition was keen in the D. Rise C'ship event, which was won in fine style by A. James with a score of 94 pairs. Congratulations are extended to Alf for his recent record break from our club. An excellent effort by 15-year-old Geoff. Dobson resulted in a win for this young

shooter in the Handicap event. Congrats, to Geoff, and also J. Jamieson, who retired from this event in a very sporting way. (R. Adamson, Hon. Sec.)

EUROA (V.), 27/5/67. — Weather condi-tions: fine. Attendance: 31. Results: No. 1: A. James, 1st, 349/349; V. Bussell, 2nd; B. Hall, 3rd. No. 2: B. Hall, 1st; S. Single-ton, 2nd; N. Bridges, 3rd.

The May shoot at the Euroa Club may well of down in history as the most momentous shoot held here. Perfect calm and excellent conditions were ideal for big breaks. Alf James (Bendigo), pushed by Vic. Bussell (Wangaratta), went on to shoot 351 straight, thus beaching the Victorian of the property of the propert thus breaking the Victorian record. Vic. Bussell also shot like the champion he is and dropped his 349th target. We believe Vic. shot over 200 targets before using the second barrel. Other shooters who shot well were B. Hall (Seymour), 133/134; G. Huff (Benalla), 78; Ray Halsall (Shepparton), 70; G. Saglietti, Euroa President, 66.

Attendance for the Euroa District D.B. C'ship was 31, and the fine day was much enjoyed by all present. Congratulations to Alf, and Vic., for whom the club is arranging special break badges as souvenirs of the

Thanks to our President for excellent championship trophy, and Jim Barnes for the sash. In the 20-bird D.B. Trophy event the sash. In the 20-bird D.B. Trophy event Bruce Hall (Seymour) won this event, 23/23; Syd. Singleton, 2nd, 22/23; Noel Bridges, 28/29. Championship event: A. James, 349/349, 1st; V. Bussell, 348/349, 2nd; B. Hall, 134/135, 3rd; G. Huff, 78/79; Ray Halsall, 70/71; G. Saglietti, 66/67; N. Bridges, 58/59; R. Barnes, 51/52; G. Cumming, 33/34, took part in shoot-off. part in shoot-off.

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

EUROA (V.), 24/6/67. — Weather conditions: fine and overcast. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. G. Saglietti, V. Walters, K. McKendrick, L. Singleton, R. Barns, S. Singleton, S. Mackrell, J. Kilgour, G. Huff, L. Parks, C. McCormack, G. Cumming, Mrs. E. Mackrell, No. 2, 15-bird D.B. Trophy: L. Singleton, 1st; K. McKendrick, 2nd; V. Walters, 3rd. No. 3, 5 pr. D. Rise: div. L. Parks, C. McCormack, G. Cumming, S. Singleton, A. Mackrell, R. Barns. No. 4, 6 pr. D'ville Doubles: A. Mackrell - R. Barns. G. Cumming - C. McCormack, L. Parks - S. Singleton.

With fine and overcast conditions, 21 shooters took part in our monthly shoot. Visitors came from Benalla, Mansfield, Shepparton and Melbourne. The trophy event of 15 birds D.B. was donated by I.C.I. Mr. J. Kilgour, I.C.I. representative, presented the trophy to Mr. Lance Singleton.

Thanks once again to the ladies for a welcome cuppa.

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

FINLEY (N.S.W.), 11/6/67.—Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 17. Results:
No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: 5 possibles. No. 2,
15-bird D.B. H'cap: 3 possibles. No. 3,
10-bird S.B. Cup: 4 possibles. No. 4, 10 birds:
6 possibles. No. 5, Quail Novelty: 2 possibles.

The club's June shoot was held under unnatural conditions for this time of the year, with the sun shining all afternoon. The first event was divided by G. Kennedy, S. Kinsey, R. Sutherland, J. McGraw and J. Armstrong. The second event was the Allen Wolfenden

Memorial Trophy. This was won by J. Armstrong from S. Kinsey, and G. Kennedy third, Jack's total being 40/40.

The G. A. Edwards Cup saw Jack Armstrong again come out on top with 15/15, single barrel, and J. McGraw, 14/15, second. Event 4 saw R. Poore, H. Marshall, D. Edwards, S. Kinsey, K. Mathews, J. Armstrong, who divided. The last event of the day saw the local poachers come to the fore in a Quail shoot, G. Thomas and G. Kennedy the only ones to hit the lot.

A special mention to J. Armstrong, who shot the whole programme without a miss, also winning or dividing in all events, his final total being 83/83. If time had allowed, he would have easily passed the 100 straight.

I always leave it till last to thank the ladies for again putting on the afternoon ten. But by the crowd that turns up for it, proves how good it is.

(D. Edwards, Hon. Sec.)

FOSTER (V.), 3/6/67. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts.: J. Green, 30/30; N. Gannon, V. Davis, H. Pearson, 29/30, div. No. 2, 20-bird S.B. C'ship: 1st. J. Green, 23/24. 2nd, K. Davidson, 22/24; 3rd, H. Pearson, 22/24. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: equal, C. Arnup, D. Stone, E. Cripps, N. Gannon, J. Green, J. Hamblin, 10/10 — 1st., J. Hamblin, 45/45; 2nd, D. Stone, 43/44; 3rd, N. Gannon, 42/43. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Miss-out: equal, H. Pearson. No. 4. 10-bird D.B. Miss-out: equal, H. Pearson, N. Gannon, J. Green, E. Cripps, J. Hamblin, M. Cripps, 10/10, div. sweep.

Very good. Sixteen shooters came from Korumburra, Yarram, Foster and Morwell. We saw very good shooting from J. Green to win the S.B. C'ship; congratulations, John. K. Davidson, H. Pearson, C. Arnup also shot well. Then came the surprise of the day — and we must say, well done, J. Hamblin, for your excellent shooting in the third event, and the shoot-off was terrific also congratulations to you on winning your 50 break badge.

I would also like to wish all the shooters every success when they shoot in the International competitions at Southport, Brisbane, next week-end. Many thanks to kindergarten ladies for a delicious afternoon tea. Many thanks to all helpers.

(D. Cripps, Hon. Sec.)

FRANKSTON (V.), 17/6/67—Weather conditions: dull. Attendance: 64. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. H'cap Pts. (C.D.): L. Phillips Spr., G. Boswell, F. Spicer, div. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. H'cap: 1st, F. Buchan; 2nd, G. Boswell; 3rd, R. Kent.

A very good muster on a dull day, but nevertheless some good shooting. The third event had to be cancelled due to the failing light. Fred Buchan took out the main event, with Ian Wuchatsch runner-up and Ron Kent a close third.

The club is still progressing and more new shooters are taking a keen interest. A new toilet block has been installed at the grounds.

(C. D. Wilson, Hon. Sec.)

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ROYAL AERO CLUB OF N.S.W. GUN SOCIETY

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

SHOOTING GROUNDS are at The Royal Aero Club at Western end of MARION STREET, BANKSTOWN.

Sunday, 13th August, commencing 1.30 p.m.: R.A.C. TROPHY DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP

Sunday, 27th August, commencing 1.30 p.m.: R.A.C. TROPHY DEAUVILLE DOUBLES HANDICAP (off divided handicaps)

There will be approximately four events each day in addition to the main events programmed above.

The Club reserves the right to change any Programme on the day.

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GANMAIN (N.S.W.), 10/6/67. — Weather conditions: cool, cloudy. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.; P. Overs, M. Weymouth, G. Lymbery, R. Hali, J. Graham, G. Graham, P. Booth. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.; G. Schiener, P. Overs, L. Dow, M. Webb, R. Douglas, P. Booth. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Trophy: P. Booth. M. Webb, G. Schiener. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. Pts.; G. Schiener, P. Overs, R. Douglas, L. Graham.

A cloudy day, with little or no wind and warm for June gave pleasant shooting conditions. Our ladies' trophy went to Mrs. R. Tye.

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

GEELONG (V.), 13/5/67 (Night shoot).— Weather conditions: cold and clear. Attendance: 66. Results: No. 1, 10-target Sparrows Pts. (20 yds.): 1st, B. Williams, 29/30; 2nd, A. James, T. Spence, R. Griffen, 27/30. No. 2, Commonwealth D.B. Night Sparrows C'ship: 1st, R. Griffen, 43/46; 2nd, A. James, 42/46; 3rd, T. Spence, 41/45.

The night section of our full day's shooting saw 66 contest the Commonwealth D.B. Sparrows C'ship. The eye-opener was div. B. Williams, A. James, T. Spence, R. Griffen, 29/30 pts. Bob Griffen went on in the blue sash event to beat Alf James and Tom Spence in a short shoot-off. Congrats., Bob!

Thanks to our great number of helpers, including club members and visitors alike, the State Teams and Commonwealth shoots were a great success.

(M. Eastwood, for Sec.)

GEELONG (V.), 27/5/67. — Weather conditions: cold and clear. Attendance: 34. Results: No. 1, 10-target Pts.: R. Jorgenson, E. Oborne, F. Burns, J. Ford, R. Bath, L. Reicha, 30/30, div. No. 2, W.D.C.T.A. Shield Teams Shoot: Geelong team, 1st, 141/150 (A. Wembridge, 30/30; G. Hall, 30/30; M. McGarigle, 30/30; P. Wellam, 30/30; M. McGarigle, 30/30; P. Wellam, 30/30; B. King, 21/30). No. 3, W.D. D. Rise C'ship: 1st. R. Jorgenson, 19/20; 2nd, R. Bath, 18/20; 3rd, B. Mark, 21/25. No. 4, 20-target H'cap Trophy: 1st, S. Bennett, 20/20; 2nd, B. Wembridge, 25/26; 3rd, E. Limb, 24/26; F/M., G. Mark; B/M., J. Ford; M/M., M. Sutherland.

The Geelong round of the Western Dist. Team shoot saw Geelong defeat Colac and Noorat narrowly — a disappointing attendance from Western Dist. clubs. The W.D. D. Rise C'ship was won by R. Jorgenson, who shot the only 19/20; R. Bath 2nd and B. Mark 3rd. A 20-target H'cap Trophy was won outright by Colac shooter S. Bennett, 20/20, with our own club member B. Wembridge 2nd and E. Lumb 3rd; F/M., G. Mark; B/M, J. Ford, and M/M., M. Sutherland, who also won the High Gun trophy over the day's shooting.

A pleasant afternoon's sport and thanks to Mrs. Hehir, Mrs. Lumb and Mrs. Bath for their continued interest and hard work in providing afternoon tea.

(M. Eastwood, for Sec.)

GERALDTON (W.A.).—On Sunday last, May 11, Geraldton Gun Club members competed for the Bill Elliott Memorial Trophy. This annual event consists of 30 targets double barrel, with competitors firing from handicap marks. Most shooters found the birds elusive as the gusty conditions blew the targets about in a most unpredictable

manner. A shoot-off between Eddie Daw and Lou Pember, with placings finishing in that order, was the result of these two "top guns" each killing the very good score of 28/30. Ray McDonald and Jim Boyes div. third place, being one bird down with 27 each. Chris Russell and Joe Costantino shot well to record their 28's, whilst Sam Zorino and Milton Hatch both killed 25. Harry Finlay shot 24, with Eric Boschetti and Eric Gartner 22.

Vice-President Bill Heath, on behalf of all the members of the club, thanked Mrs. Elliott for making this trophy available. Mrs. Elliott then presented the trophy to Eddie Daw, who reiterated Mr. Heath's remarks.

Afternoon ten proved a welcome break from the weather and was, as usual, provided by the ladies present.

Next Shoot . . . Club Deauville Doubles C'ship on Sunday, June 25.

(J. Boyes, Sec.)

GERALDTON (W.A.).—Although conditions were far from ideal for competitive shooting, last Sunday, June 25, members of the Geraldton Gun Club conducted their Club D'ville Doubles C'ship. This event consists of two shooters competing as a team, with two targets being released simultaneously, on the call of "pull". Both birds must be broken to record a "kill". Dick Burton, partnered by Taffy White, proved too good for the opposition and won the event outright for the second successive year, with the identical score as before, 19/20. Second place went to Sam Zorino and Eric Boschetti with 17, whilst the Harry Finlay - Joe Costantino combination killed 15.

At the conclusion of the afternoon teas, members took part in a 10-bird D.B. H'cap, and this was convincingly won by Taffy White with the only possible. Harry Finlay and Dick Burton each killed 9, with Stan Gratte, Lou Pember and Sam Zorino each with 3.

At the presentation of trophies, members congratulated President Dick Burton on his achievements in the East recently, when he attended the National Championships.

(J. Boyes, Sec.)

GOLD COAST (Qld.), 8/6/67. — Weather conditions: wet. Attendance: 166. Results: No. 1, Gold Coast Gun Club D.B. Ch'ship (40 targets D.B.): 1st. D. Scoweroft, 103/103; 2nd. K. Heywood, 117/119; 3rd, R. Hayes, 116/119. No. 2, \$350.00 H'cap (30 targets D.B.): 1st, J. Petty; 2nd, D. Bice; 3rd, J. Steiner.

Our congratulations to Don Scowcroft for his win from a field of 166 in the Gold Coast D.B. C'ship; this was excellent shooting, as the weather conditions were very wet and windy.

(Leila L. Hogarth, Sec.)

GOLD COAST (Qld.), 9/6/67. — Weather conditions: wet. Attendance: 182. Results: No. 1, Gold Coast Gun Club S.B. C'ship (40 targets S.B.): 1st, E. Hawkins, 40/40; 2nd, R. Jorgenson, 54/55; 3rd, A. W. Barnes, 53/55. No. 2, \$350.00 H'cap (30 targets D.B.): 1st, B. Hall, 55/56; 2nd, A. Eves, 54/55; 3rd, B. Fagan. High Gun over both days, June 8 and 9: D. Bice, 138/140.

Our congratulations to E. Hawkins for his win of the Gold Coast S.B. C'ship, also to B. Hall after a fine shoot-off with A. Eves for the gun. The High Gun over the two days was won by Don Bice, an American, who has recently joined our club. His score of 138/140 was most creditable.

(Leila L. Hogarth, Sec.)

GOROKE (V.), 17/6/67. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 36. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: div. 16 shooters. No. 2, 10-bird \$50 Cash H'cap: div. L. Williams, C. Perry, C. England. No. 3, 10 pr. D.D. Trophy: 1st, C. Watkins - J. Hinneberg; 2nd, J. Kneebone - B. England.

(A. Aitken, Hon. Sec.)

GOULBURN VALLEY (V.), 26/6/67. —
Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 13.
Results: No. 1, 10 targets: T. Baldwin, M.
Adams, C. Johnson, div. No. 2, 10 targets
Trophy: 1st, R. Hitchcock; 2nd, J. Jamieson,
3rd, W. Wootton; F/M., S. Clark. No. 3,
5 skeet, 5 pigeons: J. Brewer, C. Johnson.

Quite a good attendance for the first Sunday shoot. Trophy event winners were Ray Hitchcock, 1st; John Jamieson, 2nd; Wilf Wootton, 3rd, and Sam Clark, F/M. trophy. The club has obtained permission for Sunday shooting from the Chief Secretary of Victoria for the next two shoots, July 23 and August 27.

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

GRIFFITH (N.S.W.), 27/5/67. — Weather conditions: cold and cloudy. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 5-target D.B.: 13 div., D. Lucas, B. Gordon, K. Sim, O. Kelly, P. Jenkin, N. Milliken, T. Dancey, M. Stanmore, F. Casella, M. Webb, T. Salafia, R. Lewis, No. 2, Club D.B. C'ship: A Division: 1st, O. Kelly, 49/49: 2nd, K. Sim, 48/49; 3rd, N. Milliken, 47/48; B Division: 1st, T. Dancey, 19/20; 2nd, T. Salafia, 22/26; 3rd, M. Weymouth, 21/26. No. 3, 10-target D.B. H'cap: 8 div., D. Lucas, B. Gordon, O. Kelly, T. Dancey, F. Casella, M. Webb, B. Salafia, H. Gibbs.

The Club C'ship was shot this month in two divisions: A Division, 17-27 yds.; B Division, 12-16 yds. The shooting in B Division was not of a high standard, T. Dancey winning B Division with 19/20. The shooting was a little better in A Division, three shooters shooting the possible, K. Sim, O. Kelly and N. Milliken, O. Kelly winning the division with 49/49.

It was decided to shoot the Club C'ship in May so that any shooters attending the International would get some practice prior to going away.

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

GUYRA (N.S.W.), 27/5/67.—Weather conditions: fine and cold. Attendance: 42. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: 22 shooters 5/5, div. No. 2, Club S.B. C'ship: A. McClenaghan, 35/35; I. Reid, 34/35; D. Williams, 27/29. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Stone Trophy: E. Glasser, G. McCowan, G. White, A. McClenaghan, S. Smith, A. Gregan, M. Thrift, I. Reid, D. Macansh, J. Newby, K. Starr, C. Kelly, D. Grills, D. Williams, V. Mackson, 10/10. No. 3, 10 pr. D. Rise Club Trophy: N. Campion, 20/20; H. Williamson, S. Smith, D. Macansh, J. Newby, C. Varley, R. Fulloon, 18/20. High Gun: N. Campion.

Despite wintry conditions, we had a good day's shooting, with a good roll-up of shooters. Club S.B. C'ship was finally won by A. McClenaghan, who was shooting in top form—congratulations, Alick, and also Noel

Campion for his club trophy win and High

The County Council should be starting to extend the power to the club in the next week or so. We are looking forward to our first shoot over our own electric traps.

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

GUYRA (N.S.W.), 24/6/67.—Weather conditions: fine but cold. Attendance: 43. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Stone Trophy: K. Starr, F. Starr, G. McCowan, M. Thrift, D. Macansh, C. Varley, R. Fulloon, S. Cross, R. Varley, G. D. T. Seccombe, G. White, H. Williamson, G. Little, D. Williams, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Club Trophy: D. Macansh, 60/60: 2nd, F. Starr; 3rd, M. Thrift, F. Starr, G. McCowan, M. Thrift, D. Macansh, R. Fulloon, G. D. T. Seccombe, B. Brazier, 20/20, No. 3, D. Rise: K. Starr, B. Duff, R. Varley, 10/10. No. 4, D'ville Doubles: div. R. Varley, 10/10. No. 4, D'ville Doubles: div. R. Varley, 10/10. No. 4, Thrift, F. Starr, 39/40. Box Sweep: C. Varley. After the week we spent at Southport re-

After the week we spent at Southport recently, shooting conditions were almost perfect by comparison. The boots of various cars still seem to be jammed with oil skins and rubber boots.

The club trophy event provided a very keen shoot-off, with Don Macansh the ultimate winner — congratulations, Don! G. D. T. Seccombe was High Gun for the day on the toss of a coin from M. Thrift and F. Starr. If he can hold the form, he should be prominent at St. George.

We hope to have at least one of the electric traps in for our next shoot.

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

HAMILTON (V.), 17/6/67.—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 5 birds (C.D.): 12 shooters div., 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird S.B. H'cap S'stake, 10-bird Pts., 10-bird D.B.: 1st, A. Manifold, 49/50; H. Vaughan, R. Millard, R. Murray, J. Beaumont, 48/50, div. High Gun, 12-15 yds.: B. Millard, 46/50. High Gun, 16 and over: A. Manifold. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. H'cap S'stake: 7 shooters div. this event with possibles 10/10.

Weather conditions for this shoot were good. Attendance was down owing to some shooters remaining at the Gold Coast after the National shoots. Shooters were from Dundonnell, Tyrendarra, Myamyn, Macarthur.

Ladies were thanked by our President for the afternoon tea, which is most acceptable. Quite a number of Hamilton shooters attended the National shoot in the rain.

(K. Ilsley, Hon. Sec.)

HAWKESBURY (N.S.W.), 17/6/67.—Weather conditions: dull. Attendance: 60. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: 16 div. No. 2, President's Trophy: 1st, A. Hayes, 44/44: 2nd, R. Barrett, 43/44; 3rd, D. Dopper, 37/38. No. 3, Vice-President's Trophy: 1st, L. Evans (N.Z.), 13/13; 2nd, K. Everett, 12/13; 3rd, A. Peterson (N.Z.), 17/18. No. 4, Mayor's Trophy: best score in events 2 and 3: L. Evans (N.Z.).

A busy afternoon, with 60 shooters, including 15 visiting N.Z.'s, providing strong competition. There were 14 possibles in the President's Trophy — won after a shoot-off by Adrian Hayes from Rudge Barrett, with young Don Dopper shooting well to fill third

The trophies were presented by the Mayor, Ald. Gillespie, who, on behalf of the club, welcomed the visitors.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon, Sec.)

HAY (N.S.W.), 21/5/67. — Weather conditions: cold and windy. Attendance: 22. Results: E.O.: 8 possibles. 20-bird Trophy: 1st. P. Jenkin, 23/23: 2nd, T. Dancey, 22/23; 3rd, C. Anderson, 20/22; F/M., J. Pearson, 21/23. 10-bird H'cap: Max Gibson, Jack

A rather inhospitable day led to pretty low scores, but the spirit was good, mateship excellent, and this more than compensated. We were pleased to welcome the ever-increasing new-comers and visitors to our club and trust they enjoyed themselves.

As we shoot every third Saturday in the month, we welcome and seek visitors to enjoy with us this sport, so if you are passing through, consider yourself invited.

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

HAY (N.S.W.), 3/6/67. — Conditions: excellent—fine and cool. Attendance: 23. No. 1, 100-target D.B. (off 16 yds.): 1st, J. C. Headon, 97/100; 2nd, N. Milliken, L. Booth, 94/100; 3rd, P. Jenkin, D. Anderson, 93/100. No. 2, 20-target D.B. (off h'cap marks); 5tt, L. Booth, 26/26; 2nd, A. Salaffa, 25/26; 3rd, P. Jenkin, 24/25; F/M., M. Valentine.

Today we tried ourselves over 100 birds non-stop, using the four traps, with 25 targets per trap from 16 yds. This is something well worth the effort because one's shooting is apt to lapse with 40 birds per normal shoot. Honours went to Jack Headon, who showed great skill with a fine score. Seemed to be Lloyd Booth's day with a fine 94/100, then 26 first barrels in the second event congratulations.

Visitors from Griffith and Coleambally were ably represented, and we were indeed pleased to have them as were we to welcome Alan Schirmer to the sport. 100 birds in an afternoon takes some marshalling, for which we were thankful to have George Williams at the helm and, for the essential sustenance, our helpful ladies.

This was, as well as being something new to shooters who have never had long shootoffs or International competition, an essential practice for Norm Milliken and Pete Jenkin, who will be attending the Qld. In-ternationals.

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

HOPETOUN (V.), 2/6/67. — Weather conditions: calm and cold. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: E. A. Poulton, L. Ey, R. Neville, B. Mitchell, K. McGee, A. Roberts, K. Rickards, R. Coundon, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Novelty: 1st, K. McGee; 2nd, C. Barbary; 3rd, K. Rickards, No. 3, 5-bird D.B. Trophy: equal 1st, C. Dalton, A. Mitchell.

Attendance 32, and frost 1 in, thick on the tracks, but the club has an oil heater installed in the shed. The 10-bird event saw a reala real tussle between a few shooters and the winner finally was Kevin McGee of Roxbery with a tidy 34/34; Clem Barbary of Woomelang 2nd, 33/34, and Ken Rickards of Curiv 3rd. The last event was soon over and the equal winners were C. Dalton of Tempy and A. Mitchell of Woomelang.

I must say thank you to those ever willing ladies of our committee, who once again lined up with a most enjoyable supper.

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

HORSHAM (V.), 10/6/67.— Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 45, Results; No. 1, 5 targets (16 yds.): 20 shooters div. No. 2, Wimmera D.B. C'ship: 1st, M. Sullivan, 107/107; 2nd, R. Millard, 106/107; 3rd, J. Hinneberg, 60/61.

The shoot was held under perfect conditions, as the scores of the winner and runnerup indicate. This score of Maurie Sullivan's is the highest ever shot on our ground. Congratulations to all the place-getters in the Championship, also to Alan Tucker, a young shooter, on getting his 50 break; his actual score was 59/60.

Thanks to all the visiting shooters, some of whom travelled long distances to attend. Thanks also to our ladies for the very nice afternoon tea provided. I am sending in this afternoon tea provided. 1 am sending in this report, as our Sec., Bert Robinson, is holidaying in the sun (?) or rain, at Surfers Paradise. Looks like he may come home with webb feet.

(Norm Stewart, Asst. Sec.)

HUNTLY (V.), 3/6/67. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: fair. Results: No. 1. 5-bird Pts.: D. Rumbold, N. Carboon, S. C. Kerr, A. C. Kerr, B. Santon, G. Shields, F. Doyle, A. Mason, W. Carlson, No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Heap: 1st, N. Carboon, 63/63; 2nd, N. Scott, 62/63; 3rd, J. Jones, 58/59; F/M., N. Green, 19/20. No. 3, 5 pr. D. Rise: D. Rumbold, 9/10, 1st.

In ideal conditions Huntly conducted their In ideal conditions Huntly conducted their monthly shoot, with visitors from Kerang and surrounding districts. Nine shooters divided the eye-opener. The main event for the afternoon, 20-bird D.B., saw seven shooters with the possible 20/20. After quite a lengthy shoot-off, consistent N. Carboon, with 63/63, took first trophy. N. Scott, with 62/63, taking second place; J. Jones, 58/59, third trophy. The final event, 5 pair D. Riset D. Rumbold, with 9/10, had this event to himself, four other shooters getting 8/10.

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

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INVERELL (N.S.W.), 17/6/67. — Weather conditions: windy. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: 15 shooters div. No. 2, 10-bird S.B. (C.D.): div. N. Campbell, J. Griffey, R. Strakley, J. Newby, C. McLane. No. 3, 20-bird D.B.: div. L. Kennedy, J. Griffey, F. Stranieri, E. Redman, D. Yee. No. 4, D'ville Doubles: div. P. Menzel, J. Newby, E. Redman, B. Hobday, F. Stranieri, G. McGowan, C. Colley, M. Burgess, C. McIntosh, D. Yee.

Twenty-five shooters attended under windy conditions; however, competition was still keen, as every shoot was divided. Visitors were welcomed from Glen Innes and Bingara Clubs.

Thanks, members, for pulling your weight at the shoot.

(N. Campbell, Hon. Sec.)

IPSWICH (Qld.), 28/5/67.— Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 37. Results: No. I. 10-bird D.B.: C. Culley, G. Mawer, N. Johnston, B. Mundt, N. McLennan, 10/10.

No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: 14 div. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. Club C'ship: J. Herman, 70/70; J. Smith, 69/70; C. Culley, 38/39. No. 4, 20-bird D.B.: C. Culley, G. Stevens, G. Rao, N. Johnston, H. S. Smith, W. Edwards, 20/20. No. 5, 20-bird D.B. Pts.: N. Johnston, 63/63; G. Stevens, 60/63; P. Kilner, 64/66.

A very pleasant day for shooting and the shooters appreciated the conditions with some good shooting. A good performance was put up by our Patron, Joe Herman, in winning the Club D.B. C'ship after a good shoot-off with an old-stager, Jim Smith; congratulations, Joe. The other events were also keenly contested by the winners of the other events. (K. G. Smith, Hon. Sec.)

IPSWICH (Qld.), 17/6/67. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 33. Results: No. 1, half-round Skeet: D. McCraith, D. Edger-1, half-round Skeet: D. McGraith, D. Edgerton, R. Hogarth, G. Stevens, J. Herman, 11/12. No. 2, Commonwealth Sparrows Skeet C'ship: R. Burton, 48/50; D. McGraith, 50/50; W. Samootin, 49/56. No. 3, Skeet S'stakes: R. Burton, 25 plus 1; R. Hogarth, 23 plus 2; D. Smith, 22 plus 3; D. Clarke, 21 plus 7; W. Stevens, 23 plus 4; J. Herman, 22 plus 5. No. 4, Skeet S'stakes: D. McGraith, 25; D. Eldridge, 23 plus 7; F. Lang, 24 plus 2; R. Hogarth, 23 plus 2; D. Smith, 23 plus 3; G. Stevens, 23 plus 4; D. Clarke, 20 plus 7; W. Stevens, 23 plus 4; J. Herman, 24 plus 5.

The conditions were very good for our Commonwealth Skeet Sparrows C'ship after a week of very bad weather. The Championship was won by Dick Burton of Western Australia. Congratulations. Dick, on a fine performance of 48/50. Melbourne shooter D. McCraith, won the shoot-off for second place from our President, Wally Samootin, Dick

Burton shot the first fifty break on our ground with a good performance of 72/73 without a lost.

(K. G. Smith, Sec.)

KAR KAR ISLAND (off Madang, T.P.N.G.). 28/5/67. — Shoot number 12, shooters 26, spectators 100. No. 1, Walk-up (22 yds.): 1st, B. B. Williamson: 2nd, F. Rimmer; 3rd, J. Middleton. No. 2, S. Rise: 1st, G. Forbes; 2nd, I. Campbell; 3rd, F. Rimmer. No. 3, H'cap: 1st, M. Dvorskey; 2nd, D. Childes; 3rd, F. Philipo.

KATANNING (W.A.), 4/6/67. — 15 prs. D. Rise (birds % for the E. Pedler trophy): E. Clegg, 34/30; A. Kowald, R. Ritchie, 32/30, took place in a shoot-off for the above event, and resulted in: 1st, A. Kowald; 2nd, E. Clegg; 3rd, R. Ritchie. 10 birds Skeet; 1st, E. Pedler, 12/10; equal 2nd, S. Gibson, J. Parker, 11/10.

The L. Lupp High Gun Trophy for the day went to E. Pedler, 35/41. Weather conditions were excellent and a good attendance of shooters were on the tracks.

(N. C. Rae, Hon. Sec.)

KATANNING (W.A.), 25/6/67.—15 birds Walk-up (birds % for the N. Broun trophy): 1st, P. James, 20/22: 2nd, K. Battersby, 19/22; equal 3rd, S. Gibson, D. Ryall, 14/15.

The L. Lupp High Gun Trophy went to P. James with 18/22. Despite atrocious weather conditions, 25 shooters were in attendance and cheerfully shot on in the face of continual heavy rain showers. Due to the poor weather, a further event of 10 pairs D. Rise had to be cancelled.

(N. C. Rae, Hon, Sec.)

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KORUMBURRA (V.), 24/6/67. — Weather conditions: fine and cool. Attendance: 51. Results: No. 1, 10-target Pts. (C.D.): R. Barlow, A. Frank, J. Balcombe, K. Davidson, R. Wykes, 30/30. No. 2, 15-target D.B. 1st, V. Davis, 34/34; 2nd, F. Brown, 33/34; 3rd, F. Buchan, 26/27; 12-16 yds., P. McGaw, 19/20.

Weather conditions for the "Chas. Budge Shield" were near perfect for the 51 shooters who took part. This large attendance was very heartening to our young club, but shows a second trap is very necessary (any offers?). The 15 D.B. Shield event saw 11 possibles, and our congratulations go to Vin Davis on again taking the main trophy—a good effort for a 14 yd. shooter in such a big field. Frank Brown, 33/34, and Fred Buchan, 26/27 filled the minor placings. Peter McGaw, with 19/20, took the 12-16 yd. trophy.

It was rather disappointing not to be able to complete the programme, but we certainly would have run out of light. Many thanks to those who assisted with trap and pulling, and to all for your attendance.

(John Green, Hon. Sec.)

LILYDALE (V.), 27/5/67.— Weather conditions: overcast, cool. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1, 8 prs. D.D.: A. Corridas - K. McKay, B. Douglas - F. Apted, 8/8; 8 pairs shot 7/8. No. 2, Club D.D. C'ship: 1st, B. Douglas - F. Apted, 24/25; 2nd, A. J. Byers - G. Robinson, 23/25; 3rd, J. Henwood - R. Henwood, 21/23. No. 3, 20-bird Pts.: 4 shooters shot 57/60, B. Douglas, G. Robinson, P. Firman, C. Gyngell.

Weather conditions were somewhat poor and so reflected on our attendance. No doubt our regulars will return when conditions are more favourable.

Despite the attendance, the usual keenness was ever foremost. In the first event new shooter Kim Corvidas made his presence felt by shooting the possible with Keith McKay. An interesting feature in this event was that seven pairs shot 7/8.

Basil Douglas, one of our ever regular shooters, had a day out by being on top in all three events — an excellent performance. He combined superbly with partner Fred Apted, who was having his first visit to Lilydale. Fred did very well for his first visit and we hope he favours us with another visit shortly. Other shooters to show out on the day were Fred Byers, George Robinson, Perc. Henwood and Rupert Henwood. Experienced young shooters in P. Firman and C. Gyngell added to the occasion by scoring 57/60 each in the 20 birds Points event.

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

LILYDALE (V.), 10/6/67. — Weather conditions: cool, overcast. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts. (C.D.): 1st, A. McCulloch, 30/30; 2nd, N. White, W. R. Johns, 29/30. No. 2, Club D.B. C'ship: 1st, G. Robinson, 35/35; 2nd, W. Gresselle, 34/35; 3rd, L. Swain, 32/33; yardage prizes: 12-14 yds., K. Dunstan, 18/20; 15-16 yds., G. Jones, 49/50; 17-18 yds., C. Gyngell, 28/20. No. 3, Club Inter. S.B. C'ship: 1st, J. Christie, 21/22; 2nd, P. McCold, 20/22; 3rd, P. Ford, 18/21. Back-markers' Sweep in conjunction with above: 1st, A. McCulloch, 26/27; 2nd, C. Gyngell, 25/26; 3rd, L. Swain, 19/21.

In the main event of the day, the Club D.B. C'ship, George Robinson maintained his

consistent form and, with fine shooting, took out this event with a score of 35/35. Veteran shooter Bill Gresselle showed a return to form in taking second place with a score of 34/35. Perhaps the return of Bill's lost gun had something to do with this.

One of the club's younger shooters, John Christie, did well once again and won the Club Intermediate S.B. C'ship with the good score of 21/22. Second place-getter Peter McCoid, with a return of 20/22, gave the impression that he was on the way up.

Other notable performances on the day were those of President Alex McCulloch, who always shoots well; Roy Johns, Noel White, Lloyd Swain, C. Gyngell and K. Dunstan. Another performance worthy of special mention was that of Bill Jones. Bill headed the 15-16 yardage group with the remarkable score of 49/50. He was fully extended in the shoot-off by Harold Wademan, one who is quite consistent, but is not lucky enough to get on top.

Finally I would like to offer a special vote of thanks to shooter Max Chilton for his kind gesture in providing trophies for the Club Intermediate S.B. C'ship.

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

LILYDALE (V.), 12/6/67. — Weather conditions: fine, overcast. Attendance: 121. Results: No. 1, 15-bird Pts. (C.D.): D. Hyett, D. Suter, W. R. Johns, J. Veal, 45/45. No. 2, 30-bird D.B. H'cap: 1st, A. Bremner. 62/62: 2nd, G. Arkinstall, 61/62: 3rd, W. Stone, 59/60; 4th, R. Fallshaw, 48/49; 5th, A. J. Duke, 46/47; 6th, J. Christie, 44/45; 7th, J. Sliger, 38/39; 8th, A. McCulloch, 38/39; 9th, J. Drake, 35/36; 10th, R. W. Fox, 35/36. Yardage prizes: 12-14 yds., V. Bidstrup, 31/32; 15-16 yds., P. Ford, 30/31: 17-18 yds., W. Gresselle, 31/32; 19-21 yds., N. Gannon, 29/30. No. 3, Legacy Shield Teams' Shoot: won by Lilydale. No. 4, 15-bird Pts. H'cap: R. Kilpatrick, A. Senservick, P. Ford, 46/45.

This was the first occasion on which our club has held the Legacy shoot at its home ground. The day was an extremely successful one for both Legacy and the club.

Competition on the day was extremely keen in view of the excellent prizes offered by the sponsors, "Winchester Western".

As there were many fine performances on the day, it would be difficult to cover them all. One exception, however, would be that of the winner of the main event, A. Bremner of Morwell. His score of 62/62 against strong opposition was most creditable.

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

LILYDALE (V.), 24/6/67. — Weather conditions: cool, cloudy. Attendance: 51. Results: No. 1, 15-bird Pts.: A. Bove, W. R. Johns, 45/45; W. Carlon, M. Golding, B. Kilpatrick, 44/45. No. 2, Harold Sweeney Memorial 20-bird H'cap: 1st, J. Henwood, 25/25; 2nd, B. Douglas, 24/25; 3rd, A. Bove, 33/34; 12-14 yds., J. Nelson, 19/20; 15-16 yds., W. Lonie, 19/20; 17-18 yds., R. Henwood, 32/34. No. 3, Lilydale D. Rise C'ship (10 pairs off 16 yds.): 1st, A. F. Drake, 20/20; 2nd, W. Carlon, 19/20; 3rd, G. Robinson, 31/34.

The day for the Harold Sweeney Memorial Event was well attended. Excellent shooting by John Henwood enabled him to win this event with a score of 25/25. John obviously

set himself for this one, as he also won this event last year—quite a remarkable feat to win the event in successive years. Basil Douglas maintained form to take second place with 24/25. Tony Bove and Rupert Henwood put on quite a performance to determine the third place-getter. Tony, with a score of 33/34, took the honours.

In the D. Rise C'ship Jack Drake, with 20/20, took first place, with consistent performers Bill Carlon and George Robinson taking the minor placings. It was good to see Jack get back on top after a run of outs. Others who performed well were Roy Johns. Murray Golding (absent for some time), Bill Lonie, John Nelson and Brian Kilpatrick. Veteran Roy Johns is still featuring very well and has turned in some very good performances of late.

Finally I would like to thank the relatives of the late Harold Sweeney for their attendance and also for providing the trophy for the winner of the memorial event.

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

MACARTHUR (V.), 24/6/67. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 4 pr. D'ville Doubles: G. Sharrock M. Sullivan, C. Plowright-T. Knight, P. McInnes-W. Thomas, J. Arnold-T. McDonald, H. Vaughan-K. Ilsley, A. McSween J. Boyle. No. 2, Club D'ville Doubles C'ship: 1st. G. Sharrock-M. Sullivan, 30/30; 2nd, J. Arnold-T. McDonald, 29/30. No. 3, McSween Shield shoot: McSween Shield won by Tyrendarra team (R. and B. Millard, G. Sharrock, C. Crawford, A. Simkin), 25/25. No. 4, \$2 H'cap: div. T. McDonald, T. Knight, M. Sullivan, W. Thomas, 10/10. No. 5, 5-bird Pts.: A. Simkin, T. Knight, T. Laidlaw, 15/15. No. 6, off Fence: T. McDonald, T. Laidlaw, 15/15. No. 6, off Fence: T. McDonald, T. Laidlaw, 8/8, div.

Local shooters G. Sharrock and M. Sullivan took out the championship after a good shoot-off with J. Arnold and T. McDonald from Hamilton. Congratulations to Tyrendarra team on winning the McSween Shield for the third time.

Many thanks to the ladies for a good afternoon tea, and special thanks to Les Trigger for a mighty job in the trap.

(R. Trigger, Hon. Sec.)

MANNUM (S.A.), 28/5/67.—Weather conditions: overcast, slight north breeze. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, E.O.: D. Gordon, 1st, 5/5; R. Janezic, J. Gerogles, E. Spargo, W. Fachrmann, C. Thomas, 4/5. No. 2, Winchester Trophy: C. Thomas, 18/20, 1st; R. Janezic, 44/44, 2nd; E. Spargo, 43/44, 3rd. No. 3, 10 sparrows (off h'cap): W. Fachrmann, 8/10, 1st; D. Gordon, C. Thomas, J. Gerogles, 8/10. No. 4, 10 sparrows Walk-up: J. Maczkowiack, 6/10, 1st; J. Warnes, 5/10, 2nd; E. Spargo, C. Thomas, 4/10, 3rd. No. 5, 10 targets Down-the-Line: J. Gerogles, 10/10, 1st; W. Fachrmann, C. Thomas, J. Maczkowiack, 8/10.

Cold, overcast and slight northerly wind. Welcome to two new shooters in the Humphrey brothers. Congratulations to C. Thomas on his winning the Winchester Trophy, this being only the third time shooting in competitive shoot.

Many thanks to ladies for providing afternoon tea.

(R. H. Pym, Hon. Sec.)

MENDOORAN (N.S.W.), 3/6/67. Wenther conditions: fine, calm, cool. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: W. Leeson, F. Hudspeth, R. Yeo, H. Blaauw, J. Doherty, D. Smith, J. Ellery, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: R. Marchant, R. Yeo, H. Blaauw, J. Doherty, D. Smith, J. Ellery, 5/5. No. 3, 10-bird Pts.: H. Blaauw, 1st, 75/75; R. Marchant, 2nd, 72/75. No. 4, 15-bird D.B.: J. Doherty, 1st, 34/34; H. Blaauw, 2nd, 23/34. No. 5, 5-bird D.B.: W. Leeson, H. Blaauw, J. Doherty, G. Blackman, D. Smith, 5/5.

Perfect shooting weather and a good attendance of club members made an enjoyable afternoon's shooting. Outstanding shooter was Hendrick Blaauw, with a very popular win in the points score event, with the creditable score of 75/75 from Mr. Rube Marchant, 2nd, with 72/75, who at 81 years of age is still a very hard man to beat.

Jack Doherty was the winner of the rifle for this month, with Hendrick Blaauw a close second. J. Doherty was the winner of the High Gun also. Two breaks were shot: H. Blaauw with 68/68, and J. Doherty 73/73. J. Doherty did not miss one bird until it got too dark to see the trap house.

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

MERSEY (Tas.), 17/6/67. — Weather conditions: foggy, dull. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B. Novice: 1st, J. Oakes, 4/5; 2nd, H. Brett, 3/5. No. 2, 6 prs. D'ville Doubles (18 yds.): div. G. Roberts B. Bott, S. Bott J. Sidnell, 5/6. No. 3, Club D'ville Doubles C'ship: 1st, S. Bott J. Sidnell, 14/15; 2nd, G. Roberts - B. Bott, J. Sidnell, 14/15; 2nd, G. Roberts - B. Bott, J. Sidnell, 14/15; 2nd, G. Roberts - B. Bott, A. Hudson, H. Neville, 8/10. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: div. G. Waterhouse, H. Neville, D. Brett, S. Bott, 16/10. No. 6, 5 Mixed Birds H'cap: 1st, S. Bott, 5/5; 2nd and 3rd, div. B. Bott, L. Whittle, J. Walker, J. Sidnell, 4/5.

Although foggy and dull, conditions for shooting were good. In the Club Deauville Doubles, four pairs fronted up for the shoot-off, which after 3 pairs went to Selwyn Bott and John Sidnell. A further 12 pairs were needed before President Geoff. Roberts and Byron Bott took out second honours. In the keen rivalry between father and son, Byron was heard to say that his father had to borrow a \$800.00 gun to clinch the honours on the day. Better luck next time, Byron

Trophies were presented by President Geoff. Roberts and Vice-President D. Brett, who welcomed visitors and thanked the ladies' committee for the most welcome cuppa, which is always appreciated by all.

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

METROPOLITAN (V.).—We had two good shoots in June. The attendances were good and the shooting very pleasant. The only thing that worries us at this time of the year is the fading light. We have got to be on our toes to get finished in time.

On June 3 we commenced with a 15-bird Points, and in this, Eugene Colautti was the only one to return a clean score. Bill Robertson, Graham White and Max Day div. second and third.

The main event was the Whittlesea Intermediate D.B. C'ship, with the back-markers conjunction. The title went to Bill Tudbrook with 41/41. Jim McVicar (40/41) was second, and Pat Ford (36/37) third.

Four shooters got the possible in their section. They were Ken McErlain, Eugene Colautti, Maurice Goulding, and Graham White. As this was for cash, they divided.

The next event was the Epping Tower C'ship. Maurice Goulding (28/28) was the winner from Fred Reade (27/28) and Ray Maybury (26/27). The 12-15 yds. prize was taken by R. Woodhart.

Roy Fallshaw, D. Hyett and W. Markham divided the first Skeet, and the second Skeet was cut between Jim Sliger, W. Markham, Des O'Callaghan, Ken McErlain and Don

There was a good muster on June 17, when the Epping D'ville Doubles Sparrows was the main attraction.

Proceedings commenced with a 6 pair D.D., and in this five pair divided.

In the Championship, shooting proved a little difficult. Bill Attwood and Jim Walls combined well and ran out winners with a score of 19/20.

Alec McCulloch and Don Nicholls (23/25) shot on well to take second place.

A 20-bird D.B. was next, and Dick Thornton, Lyle Mitchell and Barry Eaton were the only possibles and divided the spoils.

Eleven shooters divided the first Skeet: Roy Fallshaw, Graham White and Des O'Callaghan shared the second.

We were pleased to welcome Ike Cathcart from New Zealand. Ike enjoyed himself and made some very complimentary remarks about our grounds.

The Grand Prix of 1967 is drawing near, and the committee is busy with preparations. Next issue we will be able to give you all particulars.

(C. J. Colledge, Sec.)

MILDURA (V.), 10/6/67.—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 35. An excellent turn-up of shooters to enter for the 20 pair of targets from 20 yds, for the North West District D'ville Doubles C'ship. Shooters to shoot the possible were J. Johnstone and B. Murphy, G. Wilkinson and W. K. Wakefield, C. Farnsworth and W. Chapman, S. Barnes and R. Erhardt, P. Caddy and A. Grose, R. Heley and C. Wakefield, In a shoot-off the winners were G. Wilkinson and W. K. Wakefield, 44/44, and second were P. Caddy and A. Grose, 43/44. and A. Grose, 43/44.

Pleasing to see visitors at the shoot from distant clubs, Broken Hill and Barmera. Our thanks to ladies for arranging afternoon tea.

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

MILLICENT (S.A.), 25/6/67. — Weather conditions; fine. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: div. 15 shooters. No. 2, 15-bird H'cap: 1st and 2nd, div. T. Reschke, W. Hetherington; 3rd, L. Earl. No. 3, 10 birds: 1st and 2nd, div. M. Earl, L. Sims; 3rd, div. 7 shooters. Note: Front-marker prize in No. 2 divided by P. Oborn and N. Bowman.

A fine, calm day gave shooters from as far as Robe (S.A.) and Hamilton (V.) a very pleasant day of shooting. A marathon shoot off occurred when 10 shooters qualified for third place in the second event, with Les Earl proving too good for Rob Griffin, who missed his 30th bird with Peter Sheridan, who missed his 21st.

Thanks to Keith Manning, who fitted an electric release to our trap, which worked perfectly all afternoon. Thanks, ladies, for the usual cuppa.

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

MOREE (N.S.W.), 4/6/67. - Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: F. Thompson, E. Brown, Brown, B. McPherson, Rob Morley, R. Morley, F. Bardsley, L. Buxton, G. McPherson, F. Mathiske, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: Rob Morley, 10/10. No. 3, 20-bird Pts. Jackpot: L. Buxton, 56/60.

Good attendance at our first Sunday shoot. Congratulations to Lyle Buxton on getting a leg in the jackpot.

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

MT. GAMBIER (S.A.), 4/6/67. — Weather conditions: fine, cold and calm. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 5-clay D.B. H'cap (C.D.): 18 possibles, 5/5. No. 2, 20-clay Race Carnival D.B. H'cap Trophy: 1st, F. F. Kentish, 40/46; 2nd, T. L. Sims, 45/46; 3rd, T. Reschke, 43/44; F/M., D. F. Bull, N. Bowman. No. 3, 10-clay I.C.I. D.B. H'cap Trophy: 1st, R. Messenger, 21/21; 2nd, D. F. Bull, 20/21; 3rd, J. E. Hood, 15/16; F/M., I. L. Spehr, R. Errington.

A rather disappointing attendance for a shoot of this magnitude, but all present enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon's shooting. Frank Kentish is really in form, although the two yards he won this afternoon may steady him down for a while.

One pleasing aspect of the afternoon was that 20 of the 28 shooters present won a trophy or some prize money.

Trophies were not presented until after all shooting had been completed for the day, and this was attended to by the President, who congratulated all prize winners, and also thanked the ladies for another excellent afternoon tea.

(Ian A. Marks, Sec.)

NARACOORTE (S.A.), 11/6/67.-Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 33. Reconditions: perietic. Attendance: 33. Kesults: No. 1, 5 birds: div. J. Hood, J. Grove, C. England, N. Hinneberg, K. Mules, B. England, A. Bant, A. McCarthy, W. Hetherington, T. Reschke, L. Williams, M. Sullivan, H. Williamson, A. Miller, R. Andrews, K. Foster, I. Grant, L. Earl, P. Oborn. No. 2, Naracoorte and Dist. D.B. C'ship: 1st. M. Sullivan, 68/68: 2nd, K. Mules, 67/68; 3rd, T. Reschke, 55/56; F/M. trophy, div. R. Luff, P. Oborn; ladies' trophy, Mrs. P. Oborn. No. 5, Yardage Heap: 1st, div. L. Earl, D. F. Bull, 31/31; 3rd, R. Andrews, 17/20; 12-15 yds.: 1st. I. Grant; 2nd, div. B. Hetherington, R. Luff, P. Oborn; 16-17 yds.: div. J. Standerwick, A. McCarthy, J. Grove: 18-19 yds.: div. J. Hood. S. Mitchell, C. Copping; 20 yds. and over: 1st, H. Williamson; 2nd, div. J. Hinneberg, C. England, K. Mules, M. Holloway, W. Hetherington, T. Reschke, K. Foster. sults: No. 1, 5 birds: div. J. Hood, J. Grove,

A good muster of shooters to contest the Naracoorte and District D.B. C'ship under near perfect weather conditions. Congratulations to Maurie Sullivan on winning the title, and also to Keith Mules and Trevor Reschke on taking out the minor placings.

Mr. Allan Rodda, M.P., presented the trophies to the successful shooters. Over-all a very successful and enjoyable shoot.

(I. Grant, Hon. Sec.)

NARROGIN (W.A.), 11/6/67. - Weather MARKUGIN (W.A.), 11/6/67. — Weather conditions: wet and windy. Attendance: 10. Results: 30-bird S.B.: 1st, T. Ryall, 24/30; equal 2nd, N. Broun, R. Schmidt, 22/30; 1st F/M., B. Guest, 23/30; 2nd, M. Bosworth, 19/30.

Shocking day — gale-force winds which made the targets do some remarkable things. Remarkably good shooting to get 24 out of 30 single barrel to T. Ryall. This was second leg of aggregate, and T. Ryall now leads 2 birds over N. Broun and R. Schmidt — a long way to go, of course.

(N. G. Broun, Hon. Sec.)

NEW ENGLAND (N.S.W.), 4/6/67.—Weather conditions: cloudy, cool and showers. Attendance: 37. Results: No. 1, 10-bird S.B.: Attendance: 37. Results: No. 1, 10-bird S.B.: N. Campion, E. Redman, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird S.B. New England C'ship: N. Campion, 20/20; H. Young, 19/20; D. Macansh, 18/20, shoot-off: 12-13 yds., E. Glasser: 14-15 yds., J. Hartmann. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. \$100 Cash H'cap: L. Kennedy, S. Smith, R. Strahley, D. Macansh, H. Stevenson, B. Hollingworth, B. Blomfield, E. Redman, D. McDouall, J. Hartmann, 20/20; 12-13 yds., G. Evans; 14-15 yds., J. Newby. No. 4, 10-bird Pts.: 1st, E. Glasser; 2nd, B. Blomfield; 3rd, S. Smith, 30/30, shoot-off. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: II shooters 10/10.

Commencing the day in cold, cloudy conditions, the scores were generally low, but improved after the ladies' barbecue luncheon. Noel Campion shot consistently to win the

S.B. C'ship outright and the High Gun with 59/60. Eleven shooters shot 39/30 in Point to find the winners.

(Allan H. Lewis, Hon. Sec.)

N.S.W.G.C. (N.S.W.), Sat., 10/6/67.—45 shooters. Intermittent rain. 10-bird D.B. H'cap: A. Palk, J. Edgell, B. Dopper, R. McCathie, F. Denza, L. Chodat, B. Kable, D. Suthers, W. Thurlow, K. Soames, W. Shelton, R. Clare, I. Mills, 10/10. 5 prs. D. Rise: A. Palk, B. Kable, F. Mitchell, W. Hanley, N. Rogley, 10/10. N.S.W.G.C. D'ville Doubles C'ship: L. Massey-D. Suthers, shooting 60/60, took out the title, with B. Kable, L. Alexander, 59/60, 2nd. Kable - L. Alexander, 59/60, 2nd.

Wed. Night, 21/6/67.—33 shooters. 10-bird D.B. Night Continental: D. Eynon, R. Cathcart, J. Peterson, B. Mackenzie, J. Catsanis, L. English, I. Mills, K. Willmann, 10/10. Final of Nite Owls Trophy: B. Mackenzie, 28/30; R. Clare, 25/30. Best N.Z. shooter. R. Cathcart, 28/30. High Gun: B. Mackenzie, 28/30. zie, 28/30.

zie, 28/30.

Sat., 24/6/67. — 53 shooters. Conditions: windy. 15-bird D.B. H'cap: B. Hunt, R. Clarke, R. Webber, L. Lane, D. Suthers, L. Alexander, S. Leonardi, S. Cavallaro, R. Hayes, J. McDonough, C. Loy, 15/15. 15-bird Pts.: L. Nye, L. Alexander, S. Leonardi, C. Loy, 45/45. 15-bird D.B. H'cap Trophy. C. Eynon (N.Z.) proved too good for the locals with 37/37, Bill Salvatori getting second, 36/37; Mal Fuller third, 32/33. Sam Leonardi, with a very good 53/54, took the High Gun honours for the day.

(Jim Evans, Mgr.-Sec.)

LISMORE GIN CLUB O N.S.W.

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Grounds at Three Chain Road, South Lismore.

SHOOTING DATES, 1967

AUGUST 27: North Coast of N.S.W. Single-barrel Championship. 20 Targets from 16 yards. 1st Trophy donated by A. G. Robertson Pty. Ltd. Trophies for 2nd and 3rd.

SEPTEMBER 24: Club Double Rise Championship. Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd. 10 Pairs Deauville Doubles Handicap Trophy. Trophies 1st and 2nd.

OCTOBER 22: Lismore Gun Club Double-barrel Championship. 20 Targets from 16 yards. 1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies donated by Fred Hoskins and Dick Powell.

NOVEMBER 26: 20 Targets Single-barrel Trophy from Handicaps. Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd donated by The Men's Mercers of Lismore.

DECEMBER 17: Christmas Shoot, featuring a variety of straight and novelty events, with appropriate traphies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each event.

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NOORAT (V.), 26/5/67. - Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, E.O.: H. Durbridge, A. Blain, A. Carrol, B. Marks, M. Pascoe, div. No. 2, S.B. Night C'ship: 1st. L. Reicha, 19/20; 2nd, M. Sullivan, 21/24; 3rd, R. Griffin, 20/24; F/M., L. Whyte, 18/23. No. 3, D.B. Sparrows C'ship: 1st, D. Grummett, 16/16; 2nd, A. Carvol, 15/16; 3rd, M. Pascoe, 14/15; F/M., P. Mallynes 12/15. P. McInnes, 13/15.

Noorat Gun Club held another night shoot in favourable conditions. There was a good turn-up of 23 shooters, with two Championships being held for the evening. The first Championship, being a S.B. Night Sparrows, went to local shooter L. Reicha. He must have a house full of sashes by now. Second event was a D.B. Sparrows C'ship, with first prize going to club shooter D. Grummett.

The ladies served an excellent supper, as

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

NOORAT (V.), 24/6/67. - Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, E.O.: L. Reicha, N. Davis, T. Davis, 1. E.O.: L. Reicha, N. Davis, T. Davis, M. Hollaway, J. Standerwick, A. Blain, S. Mitchell, A. Carrol, G. Kirkpatrick, L. Francis, div. No. 2, W.D. D'ville Doubles: 1st, T. Davis - M. Holloway, 22/25; 2nd, S. Mitchell - A. Carrol, 21/25; 3rd, L. Reicha-N. Davis, 18/21. No. 3, Club D. Rise: 1st, N. Davis, 19/20; 2nd, D. Grummett, 17/20; 3rd, G. Kirkpatrick, 16/20; F/M., R. E. Manifold Jnr.

A usual attendance of 24 shooters made the day at Noorat Gun Club. Two Championships were conducted, being firstly Western District D'ville Doubles and a Club D. Rise

The topics of the day were on Surfers Paradise, as about six of our shooters attended the Internationals, along with surrounding

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

PARKES (N.S.W.), 10/6/67. - Weather conditions: cloudy, some rain. Attendance: conditions: cloudy, some rain. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.; div. R. Ellison, H. Jaques, C. Bradley, B. Williamson, H. Wright. No. 2, 15-bird D.B. H'cap Trophy: 1st, P. Williams; 2nd, B. McAneney; 3rd, R. Ellison; F/M., I. Laing, No. 3, 15-bird S.B. Club C'ship: 1st, H. Jaques; 2nd, J. Watts; 3rd, P. Williams; F/M., I Laing, No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise: div. E. Miles, P. Williams, T. Powell, I. Williams, H. Wright Wright.

The weather threatened to stop the shoot attended by shooters from Orange, Bathurst, Junee, Tullamore, Grenfell, Forbes and Parkes. The main attraction at the afternoon shoot was the shoot-off between Bathurst shooter Harry Jaques and Parkes Club President, Jim Watts for the 15-bird Parkes Gun Club S.B. C'ship. Harry Jaques won the event and Peter Williams was placed third. Front-marker was gained by Ian Laing.

The 15-bird H'cap Trophy event was won after a lengthy shoot-off by Peter Williams from fellow Tullamore Club member Bernard McAneney, who was placed second after missing his 84th bird. Third place went to Robert Ellison, and front-marker went once again to Ian Laing.

(K. R. Hall, Hon, Sec.)

PORT MORESBY (T.P.N.G.), 24/6/67.—Weather conditions: fine, but cloudy. Attendance: 12. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: J. Kelly, J. Ruge, G. Zoghaib, 4/5; J. McKinley, R. Inwood, E. Skoumbourdis, 3/5. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: G. Zoghaib, 10/10; V. Brown, J. Ruge, J. McKinley, 8/10; J. Kelly, 7/10. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: G. Zoghaib, 30/30; J. McKinley, 29/30; J. Ruge, 27/30; J. Kelly, 26/30. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: J. McKinley, 28/30. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: J. McKinley, R. Inwood, N. Zoghaib, 5/5; J. Ruge, J. Kelly, V. Brown, E. Skoumbourdis, 4/5. No. 5, 20-bird S.B. Club C'ship: G. Zoghaib, 22/25; J. Kelly, 21/26; J. Ruge, 18/23; J. McKinley, 16/21; V. Brown, 15/20. No. 6, 30-bird D.B. Pts.: J. McKinley, 85/90; J. Ruge, 84/90; J. Kelly, 81/90; N. Zoghaib, 71/90. High Gun over events 4, 5, 6 (kills only to count): J. McKinley, 50/55. Conditions were generally good. Weather

Conditions were generally good. Weather fine, but cloudy, with some changing light. This was the last all-day shoot to be shot over the temporary grounds, as a new site has been chosen and a lease obtained from the administration over an area of 50 acres.

A fair amount of work is to be carried out to prepare the new site for active shooting in 3-4 months. It is hoped to install an electric trap and lights for night shooting.

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

PUCKAPUNYAL (V.), 25/6/67.-Weather conditions were clear and sunny, but cold for the club's S.B. Winter C'ship held on Sunthe club's S.B. Winter C'snip neld on Sunday June 25, 1967. Thirty shooters attended from many clubs. No. 1, 10-bird Pts.: div. five 30/30's, turned in by B. Williams, A. Drake, K. Ramsdale, J. Walls, W. Attwood. No. 2, the Club Winter S.B. C'ship, again tied with five perfect 20/20's, Bill Williams, A. T. Spence, H. Weitzel, B. Hall, J. Walls. Bill Williams proved his consistency, shooting 55 firsts to take the sash and trophy from J. Walls, 54/55; H. Weitzel, was runner-up, 49/50. The Trophy H'cap was the next event, with seven shooters remaining for the shoot-off after registering possibles, A. James, A. Buskauskas, B. Williams, B. Hall, W. Attwood, K. Ramsdale and G. Smith; after 40 birds, only 3 remained, then B. Williams dropped his 41st rise, leaving K. Ramsdale and G. Smith to decide the issue. Gerry and G. Shift to declar the Issue. Gerry proved the better on the day after Kev. dropped his 52nd. The final Novelty event was again divided with five 10/10's, T. Spence, B. Williams, M. Day, K. Ramsdale. J. Walls.

The High Gun for the day was finally won in fast failing light by club President, Kev. Ramsdale, from Bill Attwood, with 79/81. The ladies' trophy was won by Hazel Summers, wife of our past President Jim.

At the conclusion of the shoot a special presentation was made to Jim Summers, the club's previous President, when club President awarded Jim with a brooch of Life Membership of Puckapunyal Gun Club, an award richly deserved by Jim for his undying efforts and support to a club that he was largely responsible in building up to its present-day popularity. Congratulations, Jim.

(K. W. Ramsdale, Pres.)

QUEANBEYAN (N.S.W.), 27/5/67.-Weather conditions: fine and cold. Attendance:
41. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: P. Byrne,
R. Hawley, T. Hayden, R. Maiden, J. Merchant, K. Muir, J. O'Connor, A. Povey, G.
Tilyard, R. Turbitt, K. Willman. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Sparrows Trophy: 1st, J. O'Connor, 20/20; 2nd, J. Bink, 19/20; F/M., R. Brown, 11/12. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, W. Jordan, 61/61; 2nd, Mrs. P. Byrne, 60/61; F/M., P. Lyons, 19/20. No. 4, Fred Morton Memorial Trophy (an annual trophy shot for over six 10-bird Pts. events during 1665-67; winner M. Lyone, 178/180. trophy shot for over six 10-bird Pts. events during 1966-67): winner, M. Lyons, 178/180; 2nd, G. Tilyard, 176/180; 3rd, B. Hawke, 172/180. No. 5, Peter Bakos Trophy (this trophy is decided annually by the total kills in club high-gun events): 1966-67 winner, G. Tilyard, 308/325. This shooter has now won the Peter Bakos Trophy three years in preserved. succession.

A cold breeze spoilt otherwise perfect shooting weather. However, many good scores were put up and there was insufficient time to complete the planned programme. Congratulations to the successful shooters.

(K. J. Muir. Hon. Sec.)

QUEANBEYAN (N.S.W.), 24/6/67.—Weather conditions: cold, breezy and fine. Atther conditions: cold, breezy and nne. Attendance: 33. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.:
J. Westhorp, G. Armour, B. Hawke, K.
Robertson, H. Cassidy, H. Lyons, J. Merchant, T. Cassidy, A. Neilsen, J. O'Connor,
A. Koorey, K. Brockelsby, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird Pts. Fred Morton Memorial Trophy: 1st,
V. Pakesteen 54/54. hird Pts. Fred Morton Memorial Trophy: 1st, K. Robertson, 54/54. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, J. Westhorp, 61/61; 2nd, B. Hall, 60/61; 3rd, A. Povey, 53/54; F/M., G. Armour, 20/21. No. 4, 10-bird S.B.: J. Westhorp, R. Hawley, R. Morley, J. Bink, W. Jordan, G. Tilyard, A. Povey, 10/10.

Cold weather took the edge off otherwise fine shooting conditions. Good shooting was the order of the day. Congratulations to Albert Povey on his selection for the International Team.

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

ROCKHAMPTON (Qld.), 4/6/67—Weather: cool, light winds, showery. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. H'cap: A. Henderson, R. Gray, A. Olive, W. Schoch, C. Rackemann, J. Gray, Mrs. C. F. Barton, R. Meldrum, P. Grimditch, B. Horney, C. War-Meldrum, P. Grimditch, B. Horner, C. Warnock, C. Allan, W. Bartley, J. MacDonald, E. Barton, P. Barton, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: W. Schoch, C. Allan, C. Rackemann, P. Barton, E. Barton, C. Warnock, W. Bartley, J. MacDonald, 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. H'cap Pts.: R. Gray, C. Allan, 30/30; A. Henderson, J. MacDonald, 29/30. No. 4, 15-bird D.B. Pts. (16 yds.) Shield Shoot: 1st. Clermont, 214/225; 2nd, Rocklampton, 206/225; 3rd, Bundaberg, 188/225. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: J. Olive, T. Appleby, R. Meldrum, B. Horner, C. Allan, No. 5, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: J. Olive, T. Appleby, R. Meldrum, B. Horner, C. Allan, H. Milner, W. Fraser, W. Bartley, J. Mac-Donald, P. Barton, 10/10. No. 6, 20-bird D.B. H'cap Pts.: R. Meldrum, 60/60; P. Barton, J. Gray, 57/60. No. 7, 15-bird S.B. H'cap: P. Barton, C. Penhallurick, 14/15; E. Barton, H. Milner, G. Horrocks, W. Fraser, W. Bartley, N. Massey, J. Gray, C. Allan, R. Meldrum, R. Gray, 13/15.

It was pleasing to see and welcome Bundaberg and Clermont shooters to a district get-together, which will now become an annual event. Bundaberg Secretary, Bill Schoch, presented Rockhampton Club with a Silver Cup which President Bob Meldrum eventually found amongst the rather elaborate wrappings. This cup will be shot for on every Bundaberg - Rockhampton gathering, and was a very excellent gesture indeed. (F. B. Horner, Hon. Sec.)

ROCKHAMPTON (Qld.), 14/6/67 (Night).

—Weather conditions: fine, mild. Attendance: 28. No. 1, 5 birds: B. Horner, H. Milner, A. Olive, R. Clarke, R. Meldrum, C. Penhallurick, C. Allan, G. Lee-sye, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: A. Olive, F. Walker, J. Godfrey, B. Horner, D. Roberts, A. Wood, C. Penhallurick, R. Meldrum, 10/10. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Pts.: J. Godfrey, 45/45; L. Smith, 44/45; D. Roberts, J. Olive, 42/45. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: S. Nock, H. Milner, C. Warnock, K. Bacon, 10/10. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: D. Davenport, 30/30; D. Roberts, W. Nock, 29/30. W. Nock, 29/30.

A most successful shoot and barbecue night was attended by Showman shooters, who were guests of the club for their annual visit to Rockhampton during Carnival week. Congratulations go to Don Davenport and J. Godfrey, who scored well during the night's entertainment.

(F. B. Horner, Hon. Sec.)

ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.), 4/6/67.—Weather conditions: overcast and calm. Attendance: 37. Results: No. 1, 15-target D.B. H'cap: B. Young, F. Denza, F. Thompson, J. Kenny, J. Bosco, R. McAlister, G. Shepherd, 15/15. No. 2, 15-target Pts. H'cap: R. Watts, 45/46; F. Thompson, 44/46; J. Kenny, R. McAlister, 43/45. No. 3, R.A.C. Pre-International C'ship: F. Denza, 1st; R. Watts, 2nd; J. Kenny, 3rd; R. McAlister, F/M. No. 4, 10-target S.B. H'cap: J. Bosco, R. Maso, 10/10. No. 5, 10-target D.B. H'cap: T. Mercer, L. Chodat, 10/10; K. Williams, S. Zantis, A. Polk, 9/10. H'cap: B. Young, F. Denza, F. Thompson,

Frank Denza "ran up" 61 straight to win rank Denza ran up 61 straight to win the R.A.C. Pre-International D.B. C'ship; Ray Watts, 2nd, 60/61; Jack Kenny, 3rd, 44/45, and R. McAlister won the front-marker trophy, 38/39.

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

ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.), 18/6/67-Weather conditions: cold southerly. Attendance: 42. Results: No. 1, 15-target D.B. H'cap: 42. Results: No. 1, 15-target D.B. H'cap: J. Bosco, R. Clarke, K. Prentice, S. Knibb, C. Eynon, E. Peterson, B. Kable, J. Marshall, J. Begg, M. Steed, G. Binkworth, 15/15. No. 2, 15-target Pts. H'cap: S. Knibb, A. Hayes, 45/45; B. Kable, M. Steed, H. Puckey, 44/45. No. 3, 15-target D.B. R.A.C. Trophy H'cap: R. Clarke, 67/67, 1st; K. Williams, 66/67, 2nd; G. Brinkworth, 42/43, 3rd. No. 4, 5 prs. D. Rise (off 16 yds.); J. Marshall, W. Craig, 10/10. No. 5, 10-target D.B. H'cap: 10 shooters div. We were pleased to receive 11 visitors from

We were pleased to receive 11 visitors from New Zealand at this shoot: Messrs. K. Prenrice, S. Knibb, H. Puckey, E. Petersen, C. Eynon, A. Peterson, W. Shaw, J. Marshall, J. Begg, M. Steed, G. Brinkworth.

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

SCONE (N.S.W.), 10/6/67.—Weather conditions: cloudy. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, 10 birds: equal 1st, G. D. K. Finlay, No. 1, 10 birds: equal 1st, G. D. R. Finlay, G. Clendenning, C. Pay, A. McDougall, R. Devine. No. 2, 10-bird Pts.: 1st, G. D. K. Finlay, G. Clendenning; 2nd, C. Pay, D. Brooker, A. McDougall; 3rd, H. Wright, R. Devine. No. 3, 20-bird Trophy: 1st, G. Pay, 97/97; 2nd, R. Devine, 96/97; 3rd, G. D. K. Finlay, 90/97 Finlay, 90/97.

The following shooters qualify for 100 break badges: C. Pay (117), G. D. K. Finlay (110), R. Devine (116).

We intend to hold a team shoot at Scone grounds Sunday, July 9, 1967. Teams invited from Scone, Cessnock, Newcastle and Dungog. (W. A. Collison, Hon. Sec.)

SEBASTOPOL (V.), 10/6/67. — Weather conditions: cloudy (good). Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. H'cap Pts.: div. L. Le Maitre, C. D. Keith, M. Pascoe, R. Eason, N. Paterson, E. Bevan, G. Kirkpatrick, 15/15. No. 2, 10-bird H'cap: 3 equal, H. Bantz, L. Francis, A. Finlayson, 17/17. No. 3, 10-bird Novelty: 3 equal, K. Fisher, L. Francis, N. Paterson, 18/18.

Although only 15 shooters were in attendance, they had a good afternoon of shooting. The E.O. was divided by 7 shooters. The 10-bird event saw 6 possibles. The shoot-off was won at 17 birds, the 3 equal being H. Bantz, L. Francis and A. Finlayson. The Novelty event (5 birds off 12 yds. and 5 birds off 27 yds.) again saw 6 possibles, the shoot-off going to 18, with K. Fisher, L. Francis and N. Paterson being the 3 equal.

Many thanks to all who attended, also a special thank-you to the ladies for lovely afternoon tea.

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

SHEPPARTON (V.), 3/6/67. — Weather conditions: fair. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1, 10 birds: 9 div. No. 2, 10-bird H'cap Trophy: 1st, N. McPherson; 2nd, V. Ryan; 3rd, G. Huf. No. 3, 6 prs. D'ville Doubles: div. V. Ryan - M. Feldtman, J. Cooper - N. McPherson. No. 4, 10-bird Pts.: div. V. Ryan, E. Matheson, D. McGuinness.

With conditions fair, the following shot the E.O.: F. McMeekin, V. Ryan, J. Cooper, D. Suter, N. McPherson, R. Sutherland, M. Feldtman, D. McGuinness Jnr., Leo Shallard. The main event was won by N. McPherson from V. Ryan of Yabba North, with G. Huf (Benalla) 3rd. The D.D. S'stake was divided between the teams of V. Ryan - M. Feldtman and J. Cooper - N. McPherson. V. Ryan showed his form by cutting the last event with D. McGuinness Snr. (Benalla) and E. Matheson (Finley). He had then received a return from each event on the programme—good shooting.

(V. Lawford, Hon, Sec.)

SILKWOOD (Qld.), 31/5/67—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.; F. Di Bartolo, A. Girgenti, A. Di Bartolo, M. Di Mauro, F. Guerra, W. Frazer, M. Eadle, L. Crestaldi, W. Oakes. A. Stewart, B. Buyers, E. Palmer, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird S.B. \$50.00: W. Frazer, F. Maccarone, L. Crestaldi, 10/10. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Pts. I.C.I. Trophy: 1st, A. Girgenti:

2nd, J. Ashford; 3rd, M. Di Mauro. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.; A. Di Bartolo, A. Girgenti, F. Di Bartolo, R. Plant, A. Stewart, J. Ashford, J. Spina, F. Guerra, M. Eadie, W. Oakes, E. Palmer, B. Buyers, L. Crestaldi, G. Williams, 10/10. No. 5, 20-bird D.B. \$70.00: R. Di Bartolo, J. Spina, F. Guerra, C. Haller, M. Eadie, E. Palmer, L. Crestaldi, 20/20. No. 6, D'ville Doubles: R. Plant-L. Crestaldi.

Shooters from Mossman, Ravenshoe, Townsville, Herbert River, Burdekin. The main event, the I.C.I. Trophy, was won by A. Girgenti, who had a lengthy shoot-off with J. Ashford to win it. L. Crestaldi, a 12 yarder, shared in nearly every event of the day. R. Plant and L. Crestaldi won the D'ville Doubles after shooting on the back marks for some time.

An enjoyable time was had by all. Thanks to the ladies for the nice meal that they put

(J. Spina, Hon. Sec.)

S.A.G.C. (S.A.), 4/6/67. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 52. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: T. Bruce, R. A. Baldwin, L. Holmes, W. Solly, E. A. Collins, V. Kelly, K. Flaherty, H. Commons, B. Glenn, D. Kimber, M. Ralston, D. Phelps, L. S. Ridge, 15/15. No. 2, W. E. Ekins Trophy: F. Angeloni, 31/31; M. Fontana, 30/31; R. Kimber, 29/30; T. Bruce, 26/27. No. 3, Club S.B. C'ship: K. Flaherty, 20/20; R. Winning, 41/42; L. S. Ridge, 40/42. No. 4, Intermed. Club S.B. C'ship: L. Spizzo, 17/20; M. Ralston, 16/20; A. Gillett, 16/23.

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

S.A.G.C. (S.A.), 18/6/67.—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 47. No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: A. Ralston, J. Hutchings, R. Franks, F. Grey, R. Alvaro, D. Ekins, F. Angeloni, V. Kelly, D. Brown, B. Glenn, K. Flaherty, G. A. Black, L. S. Ridge, D. Phelps, 15/15. No. 2, Carlos Memorial Trophy: L. S. Ridge, K. Flaherty, 50/50; E. A. Collins, 47/48: M. Ralston, 39/40. No. 3, 5-bird Pts. (18 yds.): R. Curtis, W. Starling, F. Angeloni, B. Glenn, D. Kimber, L. S. Ridge, R. Treloar, P. Mules, 15/15. No. 4, Inter. Teams Shoot (18 yds.): D. Kimber, 72/72; R. Mules, 71/72; L. S. Ridge, 61/62; T. Bruce, 22/23.

Very good shooting by Stan Ridge, Kevin Flaherty, Des Kimber and Bob Mules.

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

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SOUTH BURNETT (Qld.), June.—Weather: fine and cool. Attendance: 24. No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, L. Vidler, 43/43; 2nd, B. Muller, 42/43. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: 1st, M. Jones, 12/12; 2nd, N. Ivins, 11/12. No. 3, 15-bird Pts.: 1st, B. Rowsell, 60/60 pts.: 2nd, N. Dale, 59/60 pts.

High Gun winner of the events was Norm Dale, who eliminated John Taylor after shoot-off of 22 birds. Norm shot consistently all day, with the programme terminating too soon, as one more bird shot would have been Norm's first 50 break. More opportunities coming, Norm!

Hard luck for John Taylor, who dropped only one bird on the programme, but was not able to clinch any events.

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

SOUTHERN (S.A.), 25/6/67. — Weather conditions: fine and cool. Attendance: 34. Results: No. 1, 10 clays: 14 div., 10/10. No. 2, 20-clay D.B. Ekins Trophy: 1st, H. L. Potts, 23/28; 2nd, R. Treloar, 27/28; 3rd, B. Hender, 23/24. No. 3, \$40 H'cap (5 walkup, 5 D. Rise, 5 S.B.): 1st, div. A. Scott, T. Bruce, 20/20; 3rd, div. E. Duller, P. Mules, R. Mules, 19/20.

Being mid-winter — according to the almanac only — a very encouraging muster of shooters were in attendance. Congratulations to H. L. Potts on winning the trophy event in fine style from R. Treloar and B. Hender. Congratulations also to A. Scott and T. Bruce for shooting a very creditable 20/20 in the mixed birds.

Thanking all for their attendance and participation; especially Denis Ekins for donating the trophy for the main event.

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

SUTTON FOREST (N.S.W.), 28/5/67. —Weather conditions: fine and sunny. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: G. Horton, B. Ellsmore, S. Zantis, W. Rutty, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: G. Horton, K. Clark, L. Moran, J. O'Connor, S. Joice, K. Willman, B. Ellsmore, G. Catt, B. Dopper, W. Rutty, B. Palk, K. McCloy, 5/5. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st. A. Palk, 28/28; 2nd, A. Zantis, 27/28; F/M., B. Ellsmore, 23/24. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: G. Horton, G. Catt, C. Tickle, A. Palk, B. Palk, 10/10. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: B. Dopper, B. Palk, 10/10.

Very successful shoot held in fine, cool weather. Twenty-six shooters competed in the various events. In the trophy event eight competitors were in the shoot-off: B. Ellsmore, W. Rutty, A. Palk, B. Palk, C. Harries, G. Catt, A. Zantis, B. Dopper Winners were: A. Palk, 28/28; A. Zantis, 27/28; F/M., B. Ellsmore, 23/24.

Mr. and Mrs. Handley and Mrs. McKell once again provided very tasty meals without the afternoon. The club house and barbecue now built on the ground is a great improvement.

(June White, Hon. Sec.)

SWAN HILL (V.), 27/5/67.—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 28. Results (Day): No. 1, E.O.: 7 div. No. 2, Trophy: R. Ferrier, 42/42, 1st; R. Hammond. 41/42, 2nd; P. O'Loughlan, 29/30, 3rd; L. Ey, F/M. No. 3, 10 targets: S. McCleary, H. Coundon, C. Radcliffe, R. Ferrier, A. Kerr, P. O'Loughlan, S. Steele, R. Dawson, R. Canny, div.

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Attendance at this shoot was very pleasing to the club committee; shooters from Birchip, Hopetoun, Kerang, Watchupga and Nyah made it a great success.

The "Poole Cup" team shoot was held in conjunction with event 2, and once again the Hopetoun boys "pulled it off" with a score of 47/50, to win this cup for the second time. Congratulations, chaps, we know how you feel when taking home the big prize.

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

TASMANIAN (Tas.), 4/6/67. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 44. Results: No. 1: div. S. Towns, D. von Stiglitz, T. Harper, W. Arnold, K. Pulford, G. Johnston, D. Burton, W. Thorne, J. Rhodes, E. Johnson, R. Wighton, R. Ward, K. Littlejohn, P. Thurley, D. M. Rhodes. No. 2, City L'ton S.B. C'ship: 1st, J. Blake, 50/50; 2nd, E. Johnson, 49/50; 3rd, V. Mitchell; F/M., G. Tilyard. No. 3, Ansett H'cap: 1st, M. Blake, 76/76; 2nd, P. Thurley, 75/76; 3rd, G. Richardson; F/M., L. Rhodes.

We had a splendid day's shooting, culminating in the long-awaited Ansett H'cap. Young Michael Blake outclassed the best of the State's shooters. We welcomed a party of Flinders Is. shooters.

(Geo. J. Pinner, Hon. Sec.)

TASMANIAN (Tas.), 10/6/67. — Weather conditions: lousy. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 4 pr. D'ville Doubles: div. R. Blake D. von Stiglitz, H. Bye - I. Heazlewood, T. Headland - G. Pinner, G. Johnston - H. Richardson, A. J. Richardson - No. 2, D'ville Doubles: 1st, R. Blake - D. von Stiglitz; 2nd, G. Pinner - G. Johnston. No. 3, 5 pr. D. Rise: div. von Stiglitz, H. Bye, A. Hudson. No. 4, Novice: N. Hudson. No. 5, Sparrows: div. H. Bye, G. Pinner, G. Johnston, A. Hudson. No. 6, D.B.: div. D. von Stiglitz, H. Bye, I. Heazlewood, T. Headlam. Although we clashed with the National

Although we clashed with the National titles, we had a fair turn-up, despite the weather. "Yon Stig." teamed with Robert Blake to take his first title. Alan Hudson, a new shooter, showed outstanding ability.

(George J. Pinner, Hon. Sec.)

TATURA (V.), 17/6/67. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts.: div. F. Crawford, L. Scriven, B. Hall, H. Marshall, N. Carboon, C. Johnson. No. 2, Tatura Gun Club S.B. C'ship: 1st, F. Crawford; 2nd, G. Coombs; 3rd. L. Scriven. No. 3, 15 birds: div. H. Marshall, N. Bridges, C. Johnson. No. 4, 10 birds: div. N. Bridges, N. Carboon, B. Hall.

Shooters from Shepparton, Tatura, Koyuga, Nathalia, Colbinabbin, Rochester, Toohloen attended the club's shoot. The E.O. 10-bird Pts. saw F. Crawford and L. Scriven too good, and got their 30 points; 4 shooters, B. Hall, H. Marshall, N. Carboon, C. Johnson, 29. The Club S.B. C'ship saw three shooters get their 20. In a short shoot-off F. Crawford proved himself too good and got the sash and trophy with 8/8; G. Coombs. our local shooter, 2nd, 7/8; L. Scriven, 3rd, 2/3. A 15-bird sweep was next, and three shooters div. The last event, 10-bird sweep, was divided by three again.

Afternoon tea served by Mrs. F. Crawford and Mrs. A. Moles and helpers was enjoyed by all. Thanks, ladies. A special thanks to Mr. Fred Crawford, who very capably con-

ducted the shoot in the absence of Ted Baldwin, who was in Queensland. Thanks again,

(A. Moles, Hon. Sec.)

VICTORIAN (V.), 30/5/67.-Weather con-VICTORIAN (V.), 30/5/67.—Weather conditions: cold night, Attendance: 34. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts. (16 yds., cash div.): 1st, div. 10 shooters. No. 2, V.G.C. D.B. Night C'ship: 1st, A. James, 46/46; 2nd, A. Giddons, 45/46; 3rd, J. Walls, 23/24; F/M., H. Williamson, 18/20. No. 3, 10-bird Tower div. A. James, D. Chapple, 10/10; 3rd, W. Markhur 9/10 Markham, 9/10.

Alf James and Arthur Giddons staged yet another duel. These two shooters are figuring in quite a few shoot-offs lately, with the honours going either way. This one, however, went to Alf, and Arthur second, Jim Walls third, and Hugh Williamson F/M. Quite a few visitors attended and a good shoot was enjoyed by all who attended.
Thanks to the ladies for the supper.

(J. Platten, Sec.)

VICTORIAN (V.), 3/6/67. - Weather conditions: fine and sunny. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts. (16 yds.): div. A. James, S. Henwood, L. Benvenuto, A. Giddons, L. Phillips, P. Radoa, F. Apted, L. Coombes, T. Spence, 15/15 pts. No. 2, Southern Dist. S.B. (16 yds.): 1st, A. Giddons, 46/47; 2nd, A. James, 45/47; 3rd, R. Layton, 34/36; F/M., L. Phillips Jnr., 23/25. No. 3, Footscray Dist. D.B. Sparrows: 1st, Bob Layton, 23/24; 2nd, J. Veal, 22/24; 3rd, S. Henwood, 20/22; F/M., P. Clark, 16/20.

The first event was divided by 9 shooters. The Southern District S.B. was taken by Arthur Giddons, with Alf James 2nd, Bob Layton 3rd, and front-markers' going to Layton 3rd. and front-markers' going to Lindsay Phillips Jnr. Congratulations to all the place-getters, especially young Lindsay Phillips, who shot like a champion. The Footscray District D.B. Sparrows was won by Bob Layton, who has been knocking on the door for a long time; second was Jim Veal and third S. Henwood, with the front-markers' going to P. Clark. markers' going to P. Clark.

Thanks to all who attended, and thanks to Barbara and Beryl for the afternoon tea.

(L. Coombes, Asst. Sec.)

VICTORIAN (V.), 7/6/67. — Weather conditions: cold night. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts. H'cap (cash div.): 1st, div. I. Chapple, R. Layton, 30/30 pts; 5 shooters div. 3rd. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. H'cap (trophies): 1st, Evans, 25/25; 2nd, L. Williams Jnr., 27/28; 3rd, F. Apted, 26/28; F/M. L. Kaye. 19/20 F/M., L. Kaye, 19/20.

We were all pleased to see a young shooter in Lloyd Williams cut the Pts. Dec. and finish second in the main event. This lad has tried hard for many months and everyone was hoping that he would do well in the shoot-off. Ron Evans, shooting brilliantly from 23 yds., won, with Lloyd second and



Western Australian Shooters R. (Dick) BURTON (Geraldton) and JULES STEINER (Perth) on the steps of the Brisbane Gun Club Clubhouse at the pre-international Shoot held early June. 1967.

ever-reliable Frank Apted third. Les Kaye took front-markers'.

Congratulations to all and thanks to Carol for her efforts in the kitchen.

(J. Platten, Sec.)

VICTORIAN (V.), 17/6/67.—Results: No. 1, 5-target Pts. (16 yds., cash div.): A. Fintayson, V. Harper, A. F. Drake, J. Henwood, C. Downs, 15/15 pts. No. 2, V.G.C. Tyro C. Ship (20 targets, 14 yds.): ist, J. Muscat, 25/35; 2nd, D. Hyett, 34/85; 3nd, G. Smith, G. Smith, A. Finlayson, A. Gild. 30/30; znq. D. Hyett, 34/30; 3rd, 4. Shitti, 32/33; B/M. sweep, A. Finlayson, A. Giddons, 20/20. No. 3, V.G.C. D.B. C'ship (20 targets, 16 yds.): 1st, K. Lowry, 84/84; 2nd, A. Giddons, 33/84; 3rd, R. Layton, 65/56; F/M., B. Kilpatrick, 19/20.

The committee was pleased with the attendance for this shoot. The Tyro, it seems, is a popular event. Joe Muscat thinks so, as he ran out the winner from Don Hyett, and Gerry Smith third. Congratulations to these shooters.

In the V.G.C. D.B. title we saw a fine exhibition of shooting, with the honours going to Ken Lowry with 84/84. Arthur Giddons was a good second and Bob Layton third. The scores were of high standard, as the light was failing and this must have been an added worry. Brian Kilpatrick shot a nice 19/20 to win the front-markers'.

Thanks to all who attended, and thanks to the ladies for afternoon tea.

(J. Platten, Sec.)

VICTORIAN (V.), 28/6/67.—Weather conditions: fine night. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1, 5-target Pts. (cash div.): div. G. Carroll, W. Markham, T. Bove, 15/15. No. 2, Brooklyn D.B. C'ship: 1st, R. Evans, 46/46; R. O'Donnell, 45/46; R. Layton, 40/41; F/M., W. Williamson, 20/22

H. Williamson, 20/23.
A very good shoot-off for the Brooklyn D.B. C'ship with eight shooters resulted in a win for Ron Evans from Bob O'Donnell, and Bob Layton third. Front-markers' went to Hugh Williamson. Ron Evans always is hard to beat in a shoot-off, and Bob O'Donnell shot very well to stay with him so far. Bob Layton is a constant beat and could have ton is very consistent lately and could have gone closer, we thought.

Thanks to all who attended and made for such an enjoyable night. Thanks also to the

(J. Platten, Sec.)

VICTORIAN (V.), 1/7/67. — Weather conditions: overcast. Attendance: 43. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts. (16 yds.): div. M. Golding, W. Bamford, L. Phillips, R. Layton, K. Downs, L. Coomhes, J. Muscat, 30/30 pts. No. 2, Brooklyn Dist. D.B. C'ship: 1st, K. Lowry, 64/64; 2nd, J. Henwood, 63/64; 3rd, W. Bamford, 52/53; F/M., T. Milligan, 21/22. No. 3, V.G.C. Tower C'ship: 1st, F. Reade, 20/20; 2nd, R. Burrell, 19/20; 3rd, R. J. Woodhart, 18/20; F/M., T. Milligan, 14/20. 14/20.

The first event was divided by seven shooters. The Brooklyn Dist. D.B. C'ship was won by Ken Lowry with a score of 64/64, with J. Henwood, 63/64, 2nd, and Bill Bamford, 52/53, 3rd; F/M., T. Milligan, 21/22. The Victorian Gun Club Tower title went to Fred Reade, who seems to star in these events; congratulations, Fred. Second was R. Burrell and third R. J. Woodhart, with the F/M. again going to T. Milligan of

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Congratulations to all the place-getters and thanks to all who attended. Thanks to Beryl for the fine cuppa.

(L. Coombes, Asst. Sec.)

WAGGA (N.S.W.), 4/6/67. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, D. Edwards: 2nd, D. Ratcliffe, G. Finch, R. Sheather, R. Hall, G. Lymbery, C. Vonthien. No. 2, 10-bird Pts.: 1st, T. Salafia, G. Lieschke; 2nd, C. Taylor. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, G. Finch; 2nd, G. Lieschke; 3rd, T. Salafia. No. 4, 15-bird \$50.00 H'cap: div. D. Ratcliffe, G. Finch, G. Graham. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: G. Finch, G. Graham. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: div. J. Wood, T. Salafia, H. Caldwell, D. Edwards, John Graham, G. Graham, E. Hands.

A good day's shoot was held. Only a small programme, so that the new trap could be tried out. Geoff. Finch finally won a major event. In the past Geoff has only made minor placings, but today defeated Graham Lieschke placings, but today acreated grammi leasures and Tony Salafia. The cash handicap was also won by Geoff. in conjunction with Don Ratcliffe and Greg Graham.

It was very good to see Ray Hall returning to shooting after a long illness.

(D. Manton, Hon. Sec.)

WALCHA (N.S.W.), 11/6/67. — Weather conditions: cold, windy. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: R. Kermode, S. McFarlane, L. Kermode, J. Gill, 5/5. No. 2. 10-bird D.B.: D. Ireland, J. Lisle, G. Ireland, 9/10. No. 3, 5-bird Walk-up: J. Lisle, R. Kermode, G. Little, 5/5. No. 4, 5 prs. D'ville Doubles: R. Scott - J. Gill, 10/10. No. 5, 5-bird D.B. Sparrows: J. Gill, 10/10. No. 6, 5 pr. D. Rise: D. Ireland, 6/10. High Gun: J. Gill. WALCHA (N.S.W.), 11/6/67. - Weather Gun: J. Gill.

Cold, damp weather conditions with high winds prevailed during the afternoon. Attendance once again good considering conditions. Would like to welcome two new shooters, Clem Fenwicke and Peter Lisle. Congratulations to John Gill on winning the High Gun.

(G. B. Little, Hon, Sec.)

WALLERAWANG (N.S.W.), 28/5/67. -WALLERAWANG (N.S.W.), 28/5/67.
Weather conditions: fine and cold. Attendance: 7. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: P.
Hayman, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Sparrows: H. Jaques, 10/10. No. 3, Club D.B.
C'ship: A. Hayes, 1st; J. Holland, 2nd;
P. Hayman, 3rd. No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise:
A. Blackadder, 10/10.
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Adrian Hayes of Hawkesbury Club won our Club D.B. C'ship after a short shoot-off with Joe Holland and Peter Hayman. A disappointing roll-up, but the weather was cold, so this would account for this.

(A. Blackadder, Hon. Sec.)

WALLERAWANG (N.S.W.), 25/6/67. -Weather conditions: fine and cold. Attend-Weather conditions: fine and cold. Attendance: 12. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: J. Martin, G. Roberts, J. Holland, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: P. Hayman, G. Roberts, J. Holland. No. 3, 10-bird Pts. Trophy: G. Roberts, 30/30: P. Hayman, 28/30. No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise: G. Roberts, J. Holland. No. 5, 10-bird S.B.: J. Holland, 10/10.

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we were nicky to have a nne day — the only fine day in a month of rain. The pleasing feature of the day's shooting was the success of Gordon Roberts and Joe Holland. This is the first time that Gordon Roberts has well as Roberts has won a trophy in several years of shooting. Must be the new over & under

that he has. Keep it up, Gordon, Joe Holland is always a consistent shot since he got his over & under, too.

(A. Blackadder, Hon. Sec.)

WANGARATTA (V.), 18/3/67. - Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, half-round Skeet: div. R. Fallshaw, W. Delaney, 10/10, 1st; div. J. Siede, K. Paterson, M. Landers, R. Jones, 9/10, 2nd. No. 2, C'wealth Skeet C'ship: 1st, J. Siede, 49/50; 2nd, K. Paterson, 66/70; 3rd, R. Jones, 65/70; op. sweeps div. J. Siede, K. Paterson, R. Jones, R. Falishaw, D. Scowcroft. No. 3, 10 birds: div. C. Dean, D. Suter, R. Maroney, D. Dent, L. Coulston, B. Peters, J. Gray, F. Bently, R. Fallshaw,

(S. K. Cordy, Hon. Sec.)

WANGARATTA (V.), 15/4/67. — Weather WANGARAIA (v.), 10/1/01. Weather, conditions: good. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: div. C. Dean, L. Coulston, D. Suter, 5/5. No. 2, \$1.00 Sweep: div. B. Keir, R. Maroney, 5/5. No. 3, King Valley S.B. C'ship: 1st, F. Bently, 19/20; 2nd, R. Maroney, 19/21; 3rd, G. Walker, 18/21. No. 4, \$4.00 20-bird H'cap: div. G. Walker, D. Dent, 20/20; 3rd, C. Dean, 19/20, No. 5, \$2.00 Sweep: won by B. Keir, 17/17. No. 5, \$2.00 Sweep: won by B. Keir, 17/17. No. 6, Porter Shield: won by Wangaratta team (D. Dent, D. Suter, B. Peters, I. Reith. R. Maroney), 90/100.

(S. K. Cordy, Hon, Sec.)

WANGARATTA (V.), 12/6/67. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 21. Results: No. I, 4 prs. D.D.: div. C. Dean - V. Bussell, I. Reith - D. Dent, K. Maurey - B. Keir, N. Burns - J. Stamp, R. Maroney - B. Peters.

F. Crawford - D. McGuinness, 4/4. No. 2, Ovens Valley Deauville Doubles C'ship: F. Crawford - D. McGuinness, 1st, 52/52; G. Huff - N. Bridges, 2nd, 50/51; op. sweep: div. G. Huff, N. Bridges, D. Dent, B. Keir, F. Crawford, D. McGuinness Snr. No. 3, F. Crawford, D. McGuinness Snr. No. 3, King Valley D.B. C'ship: 1st, G. Walker, 115/115; 2nd, I. Reith, 114/115; 3rd, V. Bussell, 56/57; op. sweep: div. C. Dean, V. Bussell, G. Walker, N. Bridges, I. Reith, N. Burns, D. McGuinness Snr. No. 4, \$4.00 20-bird H'cap: 1st and 2nd, div. C. Dean, R. Maroney, 20/20; B. Keir, J. Bourke, 19/20; 3rd, B. Peters, N. Bridges, D. McGuinness, N. Burns, K. Vincent.

(S. K. Cordy, Hon. Sec.)

WARRACKNABEAL (V.), 12/6/67.—Weather conditions; dull and windy. Attendance: 43. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: div. J. Wishart, G. Pike, D. Kennedy, K. Hart, R. A. Fowler, R. McInnes, J. Hinneberg, J. O'Donnell, A. J. Milbourne, M. Sullivan, G. Fraser, G. Taylor, F. James, R. Manuel, C. Mitchell, H. Coundon. No. 2. Warracknabsal Dist. H. Coundon. No. 2. Warracknabeal Dist. D.B. C'ship: 9 possibles: 1st, R. Millard, 60/60; 2nd, M. Sullivan, 59/60; 3rd, R. Hudson, 51/52. No. 3, \$100 H'cap: div. G. Pike, C. Nuske, C. Dalton, D. Kennedy, R. Walker, N. Hinneberg, R. Fowler, P. McInnes, R. McInnes, J. O'Donnell, A. J. Milbourne, R. Millard, J. Standerwick, S. Fraser, H. Coundon, J. W. Mitchell, N. Stewart, W. Oliver, E. McMillan. No. 4, 10 birds: div. G. Pike, C. Nuske, S. McLenry, C. Dalton, F. James, W. Makeham, J. Hinneberg, J. O'Donnell, A. J. Milbourne, R. Heath, H. Coundon, E. McMillan, No. 5, 10 birds: R. Krause, R. Lynch, R. Hudson, J. Mitchell, N. Stewart. J. Mitchell, N. Stewart.

This was a really good shoot and shooters were present from far afield. We saw some



PETER PROUDFOOT (Boggabri) and LES. SMILES (Gunnedah), winners of the Liverpool Plains District Championship, held at the Gunnedah Gun Club in April, 1967.

(Photo, Main, Wilkins)

very fine shooting, as the incoming wind made targets very elusive. Rex Millard had to shoot 60 straight to win from M. Sullivan. The club would like to thank all visiting

shooters for their attendance.

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

WARREN (N.S.W.), 10/6/67. — Weather conditions: fine and cloudy. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: D. Cosgrove, R. Kinsey, D. Barton, W. Hunt, K. Everett, 10/10, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: N. Montgomery, D. Cosgrove, R. Kinsey, R. Richardson, W. Hunt, K. Everett, 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird Pts. 3/2 Jackpot: D. Cosgrove, 78/78, 1st; N. Montgomery, 75/78, 2nd; R. Kinsey, 36/39, 3rd. No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise Trophy: 1st; N. Montgomery, 75/78, 2nd; R. Kinsey, 36/39, 3rd. No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise Trophy; D. Cosgrove, 12/12, 1st; W. Hunt, 11/12, in shoot-off. No. 5, 6 pr. D'ville Doubles Treble Rise: B. Rowe-W. Hunt, R. Kinsey-N. Montgomery, D. Cosgrove - W. Hunt, 14/18, div. No. 6, off the Box (27 yds.); W. Hunt.

Attendance 13. A very light attendance owing to recent rain and farming activity; also some shooters going to A.C.T.A. National Championships at Gold Coast. Conditions fine, very cloudy, threatening rain. Shooting was of fairly high standard. D. Cosgrove in particular was in deadly form, not missing a bird in the first four events. D. Cosgrove also got his second leg in on the jackpot, which has to be won twice in succession or three times in all.

Thanks again to the ladies for a beautiful afternoon tea. A very pleasant day held by all.

(K. R. Starr, Asst. Sec.)

WARRNAMBOOL (V.), 10/6/67.-Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 18. Results: conditions: perfect. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: div. B. Hill, A. McCarthy, A. Bant. No. 2, 20-bird Trophy: 1st, A. Bant; 2nd, A. Manifold; 3rd, R. Hamill. No. 3, 10 birds: J. Hall, J. R. Brown, L. Henry, A. Bant, S. Mitchell.

Excellent shooting by Allan Bant, who won the trophy event and divided each of the other events.

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

WERRIBEE (V.), 10/6/67.—Weather conditions: cold, wet. Attendance: 36. Results: No. 1, 10-target Pts. H'cap (C.D.): K. How-No. 1, 10-target Pts. H'cap (C.D.); K. Howkins, G. Viney, D. Hyett, F. Buchan, J. Wilkinson, 30/30. No. 2, 20-target D.B. H'cap: 1st, W. Cations, 25/25; 2nd, G. Viney, 24/25; 3rd, P. Radoa, 25/26; F/M., I. Chapple, 20/20. No. 3, 15-target S.B. H'cap: 1st, P. Radoa, 15/15; 2nd, D. Chapple, 13/15; 3rd, A. Senserrick, 13/15; F/M., L. Kay, 13/15.

In spite of the very inclement weather, there was a very good turn-out for this shoot. In conditions that were anything but helpful, some very good cards were handed in. It was very pleasing to see our own member Bill Cations return to the winning list — his 25/25 was an excellent effort.

In conjunction with the D.B. event, the team shoot between Werribee and Victorian Clubs was held. The local club was successful in wresting the Bob Batey Shield from Victorian Club, but only after a shoot-off, as the first figures were level with 92/100 for as the first figures were level with 92/100 for each team. In the shoot-off Werribee won by point. While congratulating the visitors on a very good effort, the locals are confident of holding the shield for quite some time.

(Kevin P. Shanahan, Hon. Sec.)

WYARAMA (N.S.W.), 4/6/67. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts. (16 yds.): 5 possibles — D. Hammat, W. Maddocks, R. Warren, G. Wilkinson, I. Wakefield, div. No. 2, 10-bird Walk-up: G. Wilkinson, R. Wakefield. No. 2, 10-bird Walk-up: G. Wakefield. No. 2, 10-bi Watefield, G. Wilkinson, L. Dunn, A. Wilkinson, W. K. Wakefield, I. Wakefield, div. kinson, W. K. Wakefield, I. Wakefield, div. No. 4, 15-bird Trophy: 4 possibles — 1st, R. Mace, 23/23; 2nd, R. Wakefield, 22/23; 3rd, W. K. Wakefield, 18/19; yardage, D. Hammat, 15/16. No. 5, 5 birds (16 yds.): 10 possibles—R. Warwick, P. Page, D. Hammat, L. Dunn, G. Warwick, W. Maddocks, I. Wakefield, G. Wilkinson, M. Sims, W. K. Wakefield, div. No. 6, Wyarama S.B. C'ship: 4 possibles—P. Page, R. Warren, D. Warren, W. Maddocks—1st, R. Warren, D. Warren, W. Maddocks—1st, R. Warren, 20/20; 2nd, D. Warren, 19/20; 3rd, W. Maddocks, 17/18. No. 7, 10 pr. D'ville Doubles: A. Wilkinson—W. K. Wakefield, L. Dunn—R. Mace. No. 8, 5 pr. D. Rise: 5 possibles—I. Wakefield, G. Wilkinson, M. Sims, R. Wakefield, W. Maddocks, div. No. 9, Miss-out: L. Kolstad. We had a nice, sunny day for our club

We had a nice, sunny day for our club shoot and a very good attendance. Our thanks to visiting shooters for attending and helping to make an enjoyable day. Congratulations to Roy Mace for winning the Trophy shoot—his first for some time. Good shooting, Roy. Roy had two consistent placesnooting, toy key had two consistent places. Ron Wakefield took a good second, with W. K. Wakefield third. Doug. Hammat again collected the yardage trophy. The Club S.B. C'ship was won in fine style by R. Warren Usup was won in time style by R. Warrenhis first championship win after a keen shootoff with his father, Dick Warren, who took
second place, and his cousin, Warren Maddocks, who again retained a place with third.
Congratulations to all winners and place-

Our thanks to the ladies for an excellent afternoon tea, and to all who helped with the running of the shoot.

(Marg. Warren, Hon. Sec.)

YARRAM (V.), 18/3/67. - Weather conditions: fine, windy. Attendance: poor. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts. (off 16 yds.): Suits: No. 1, 10-364 Fts. (on 10 yas.),
R. Barlow, 30/30; E. Cripps, C. Arnup, J.
Green, 29/30. No. 2, Club M/B. C'ship:
K. Davidson, 22/25; R. Barlow, 30/34; J.
Green, 27/33. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.; S. Collins, 19/19; R. Brown, 18/19.

A poor attendance of 16 shooters to contest our Club Mixed Bird C'ship; however, all who attended enjoyed the three events afternoon programme.

Ray Barlow of Yarram shot the possible 30/30 in the first event. The Club M/B. C'ship went to K. Davidson, 22/25, with Ray Barlow 2nd and J. Green 3rd. Stan Collins from Bairnsdale won the last event, with R. Brown running second.

Thanks to the ladies for afternoon tea. (Joyce Pearson, Hon. Sec.)

YARRAM (V.), 20/5/67. — Weather conditions: fine, cold. Attendance: good. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts.: S. Turner, 30/30; N. Gannon, W. Pryde, 29/30. No. 2, 15-bird D.B.: G. Mowat. 15/15; N. Gannon, 35/36; R. Barlow, 34/36; F/M., P. Barlow. No. 3, Club D. Rise C'ship: N. Gannon, 19/20; E. Cripps, 21/26; F. Brown, 20/26.

Glad to welcome so many new visitors to Yarram from Morwell, Korumburra and

Warragul, all to compete for the Charles Budge Team shoot. Yarram scored enough to win the team event, and the next venue will be Korumburra.

Stan Turner, 12 yarder, showed how to shoot when he was the only possible in the first event, 10-bird Pts. The 15-bird D.B. was won by Geoff. Mowat, and the last event. was won by Geom. Mowat, and the last event, a Club Double Rise C'ship, was won by Neil Gannon, who had been shooting so well all day, gaining second place in both other events.

All admired the new brick and concrete trap house erected by our own shooters. Thanks to all visitors for attendance and ladies for welcome afternoon tea.

(Joyce Pearson, Hon. Sec.)

YARRAWONGA (V.), 24/6/67. — Weather conditions: cold, slight wind. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1, 5 targets: only 3 shot the 15 points — W. Williams, T. Clifton, S. Carter. No. 2, Murray Valley S.B. C'ship: no possible: 5 19's — P. Bussell, F. Crawford T. Clifton, E. Oliver, S. Carter — 1st, S. Carter; 2nd, T. Clifton; 3rd, E. Oliver. No. 3, 10-target Trophy: 7 possibles — F. Crawford T. Charter & Control & Carter & Control & Contr ford, N. Bridges, J. Gray, S. Carter, H. Jamieson, G. Walker, T. Baldwin — 1st, S. Carter; 2nd, G. Walker; 3rd, N. Bridges; F/M. trophy, Heather Jamieson, No. 4,

8-target Quail Novelty: 4 possibles - div. P. Bussell, J. Gray, A. Jamieson, D. Suter.

A very good attendance. Once again S. Carter cleaned us all up. The Murray Valley S.B., 22/23, and the Trophy event, 59/59, from George Walker, 58/59. The round of Quail was shot cleanly by the four poachers. Bussell, Gray, Jamieson and Suter.

All in all, a good afternoon's shooting capped off by a nice cup of tea by our good ladies, Mrs. Gray and Mrs. Sullivan. Thanks to our ladies.

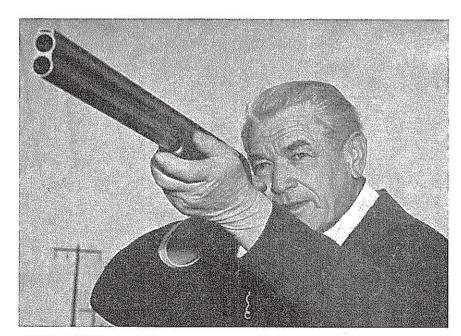
(James A. Grav. Hon. Sec.)

YASS (N.S.W.). 10/6/67.-Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 7. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Sparrows: T. Frost, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird Pts.: K. Robertson, 30/30. No. 3, 20-bird President's Trophy: P. Frost, 1st; D. Withers, 2nd. No. 4, 10-bird S.B.: R. Smith, 10/10. No. 5, 5 prs. D. Rise: E. Elrington, 10/10.

With only seven shooters, it was very disappointing when it was the President's Trophy shoot. Most of the regular shooters were away attending the shoot at the Gold Coast.

The President's son Peter won the main trophy after a shoot-off with D. Withers. It was Peter's day; he won the High Gun and also a 50-bird break badge.

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



FRANK CLARKE (Dentist) of Newcastle G. C., N.S.W., demonstrates the steady hand and eye that won him this "D" Grade Miroku Broadrib shot gun from a field of 40 shooters at the major handicap conducted on 27'5'67. Shooter Clarke, who has been shooting for only six years, is now 71 years of age and contestants in this event included D. Scowcroft (Sydney), R. Burton (Geraldton, W.A.), and others from Cessnock, Narrabri and Scone (N.S.W.),

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