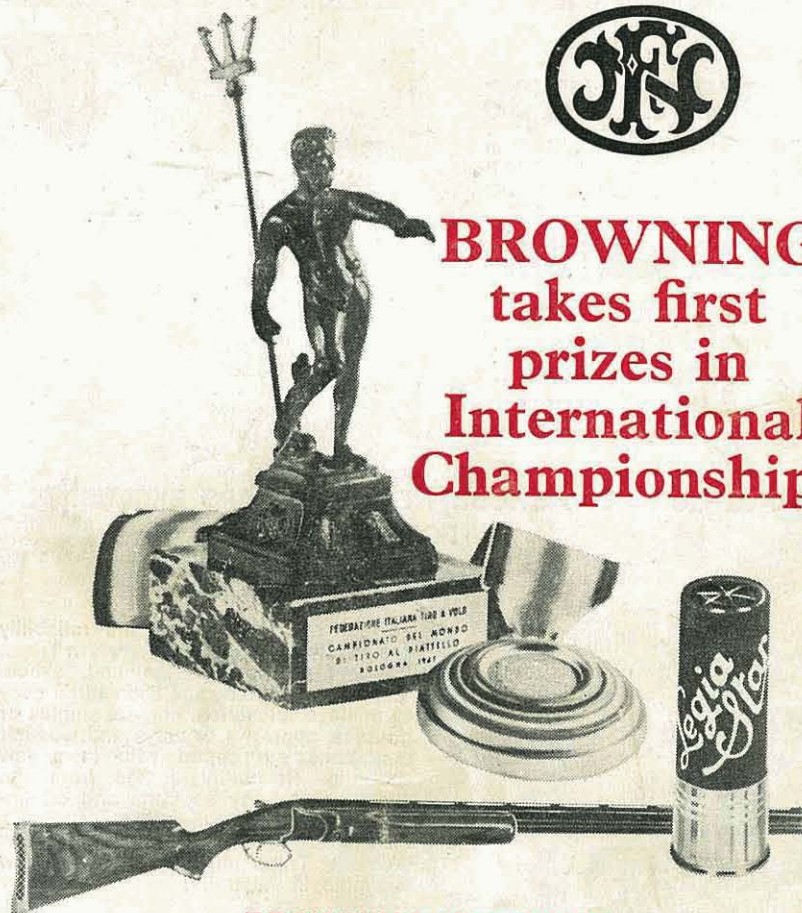




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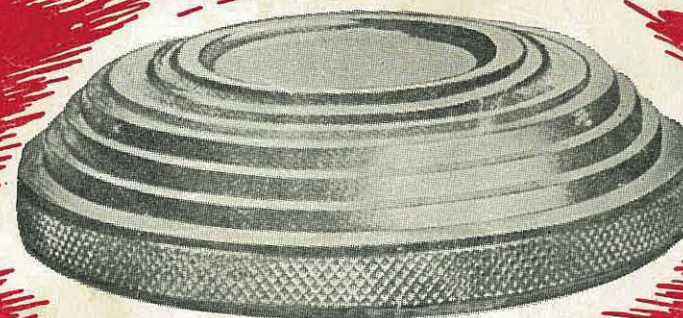
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**Winners of the Commonwealth Veterans' Championship.**

Left to right—Winner, Fred Apted (Vic.); Andy Gordan (Q.) 2nd, and Eddie Nixon (Q.), 3rd.

(Photo with acknowledgments to F. Lang).



# The Editor's Notebook



## 1969 ANNUAL MEETING

The 1969 annual meeting of affiliated club delegates and representatives of member clubs will be held on Sunday, March 9, at the Carlton Hotel, Geelong, Victoria. Delegates and representatives to assembly at 7.30 p.m. and the meeting to begin at 8.00 p.m.

Only such items as submitted within the Association Articles and published on the Agenda shall be discussed.

A.C.T.A. Secretary shall be available for discussion at 7.00 p.m.

## DELEGATE APPOINTMENT

Affiliated units of the A.C.T.A. are reminded that they are entitled to one delegate (Article 15) to represent their interests at the Annual Meeting. However, delegates can only be accepted providing the Association "Articles of Association" are complied with. This involves the completion of the necessary forms, namely "Acceptance of Membership" (Article 5(a)), "Nomination of Representative" (Article 21) (in the case of a corporate club, or "Nomination of Delegate" (Articles 5(c) and 16) (in the case of an unincorporated club), followed finally by "Notice of Acceptance of Delegates". Official printed forms as applicable are obtainable from the A.C.T.A. office. It should be noted that nomination of a representative or member delegate can only be accepted providing all subscriptions and monies due by either the nominee or the club, to the Association, have been paid as provided for in Article 49.

It is also pointed out that where a representative or delegate has been appointed previously, and this has not been officially rescinded, the appointment as previously made will stand, until the

Association is advised or instructed otherwise. In accordance with the Articles of Association, clubs cannot appoint a delegate other than on the prescribed form (letters are unacceptable).

Each 1968 financial affiliated member club has been mailed a Delegate Card (for unincorporated clubs) or a Representative Card (for incorporated clubs). These cards must be presented by the respective financial shooters concerned to obtain permission to attend and be eligible to vote at future annual general meetings.

## NOMINATION FOR EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, 1969

The following nominations have been received by the A.C.T.A. Secretary for the Executive Committee for the 1969 period:

### PRESIDENT:

1. H. G. GIBBS
2. G. H. HALL
3. J. M. TYQUIN  
(one to be elected)

### QUEENSLAND:

- R. H. MOYSE  
(one to be elected)

### NEW SOUTH WALES:

1. D. B. MOTT
2. K. D. OLDFIELD  
(two to be elected)

### VICTORIA:

1. E. T. BALDWIN
2. E. G. BIGGS
3. G. H. HALL  
(two to be elected)

### SOUTH AUSTRALIA:

- R. C. MULES  
(one to be elected)

## TASMANIA:

- D. R. TAYLOR  
(one to be elected)

## WESTERN AUSTRALIA:

- N. WELLS  
(one to be elected)

The election of seats on the Executive Committee of the Association will take place during the holding of the 33rd Annual General Meeting of the Australian Clay Target Association to be held at the Carlton Hotel, Geelong at 8.00 p.m. on Sunday, March 9, 1969.

## REGISTERED SHOOTERS

Article 49 of the Articles of Association of the Australian Clay Target Association states: (a) The Association shall keep a register of shooters and no person may enter or compete at any Association competition or event conducted by a member Club of which a Delegate is a member of the Association unless such person is registered with the Association and is not in arrears with his subscription.

(b) Each member Club and each member who is the Delegate of an unincorporated Club shall BEFORE THE THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF JANUARY IN EACH YEAR supply the Secretary with a full and accurate list of all members and shooters registered with such club for the year commencing on the first day of January of such year and shall at the same time remit to the Secretary the subscription of such Club members and shooters. Each member Club and each member who is the Delegate of an unincorporated Club shall also promptly forward to the Secretary of the Association the names and subscriptions of any person joining such club or registering as shooters after the thirty-first day of January in any year.

The above information is given for the benefit of secretaries and shooters alike. In the past, the cost to the Association of the preparation and mailing A.C.T.A. shooting "News" to unfinancial shooters has been far too heavy. MARCH 1969 "NEWS" WILL BE MAILED ONLY TO SHOOTERS FINANCIAL (actually received by the A.C.T.A.) AS OF FEBRUARY 17, 1969.

A.C.T.A. 1969 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS AND INTERNATIONAL TEAMS' MATCH will be conducted over five traps at the grounds of the Geelong Clay Target Club (one mile from the centre of the City of Geelong,

facing Corio Bay) from 8.00 a.m. daily over six days — Friday, March 7, until p.m. Wednesday, March 12, inclusive.

The programme has one major title event each day, with, in addition where possible, a D.B. Handicap event.

On the first day, Friday, March 7, will be the coveted **Champion of Champions Cup event** (1968 winner was P. Marshall of Hobart, Tas.), to be followed by a \$300 value D.B. Handicap.

On the second day, Saturday, March 8, the **Australian National Double Barrel Championship** shall be conducted (1968 winner was M. Burgess of Cobar, N.S.W.). In conjunction shall be the **Australian National Intermediate Double Barrel Championship** (1968 winner was J. Brook of Roma, Queensland).

On the third day, Sunday, March 9, shooting shall be within the hours of 12.00 noon until 6.00 p.m., as prescribed under the Victorian State Firearms Act. The sole event for this day shall be the **Australian National Double Rise Championship** (1968 winner was W. Rae of Warren, N.S.W.).

The fourth day, Monday, March 10, shall commence at 8.00 a.m. with the **Australian National Single-Barrel Championship** (1968 winner was J. Hutchings of the S.A.G.C., South Aust.), thence shall be two \$300 value D.B. Handicaps.

The fifth day, Tuesday, March 11, will be a full and interesting day with the **Australian New Zealand Championship** (1968 winner was T. Catling of Katanning, West. Aust.) and a \$300 value D.B. Handicap.

The sixth and final day, Wednesday, March 12, will see the Australian Team shoot the **Australian Section of the Twenty-third International Teams' Match** for the Mackintosh Trophy, of which the scores shall be sealed until July 18, when the final section will be contested in Edinburgh, Scotland, by the Clay Pigeon Association. Competing countries will then receive the results by cable. The Clay Pigeon Shooting Association of Great Britain have advised that up to five targets may be permitted for practice before the Competition. The Australian High Gun scorer in the 1968 International Team was M. Burgess of Cobar, N.S.W.

[NOTE: This event commenced in 1939 with the cup being presented, for competition in perpetuity, by the late Donald Mackintosh of Melbourne, Victoria. Competing countries are England,



Scotland, Wales, Ireland, Rhodesia, South Africa, Canada, New Zealand, Australia. Australia has won this event eight times in the last eleven years, and although varying methods of scoring have been used over the years, the 7355/7500 total score recorded by Australia in both 1966 and 1968 has established the highest total to date and all contestants can be justly proud of their contributions. A double perfect score of 300/300 each was registered in 1967 by J. N. Thomas (Melbourne) and M. Burgess (Cobar), then again in 1968 by M. Burgess (Cobar) and S. Marshall (Hobart).

The Twentieth Grand Australian Handicap event shall then be contested (1968 winner was E. Johnson of Latrobe, Tas.) and, subject to time available, a further \$300 value D.B. Handicap shall complete the programme.

Shooters will note that the trophies for the National Championships appear to be in excess of the Olympic Federation requirements but when expenses of travelling to and attending the shoot are deducted, the values are satisfactory.

For the information of all concerned, the accommodation agents have ample accommodation of 500 beds available for all fastidious tastes, plus 150 caravan sites. Agents are Dalgety & Co. of Geelong. Travel agents are Patrick Travel Service of Melbourne. (See December advertisement — the early use of the self-explanatory tear-out forms is recommended.)

Cartridges to be used in the 1969 National Clay Target Championships and in the Twenty-Third International Teams' Match shall be of the same load and specifications, contained in a plastic shell with appropriate markings, as for the 1968 National Championships. Competitors may use any cartridges of their choice in the respective handicap events.

A "Browning" under-and-over shotgun shall be presented to the highest-gun-scorer over the six main events, viz. Champion of Champions, Double Barrel, Double Rise, Single Barrel, Australia/New Zealand and the Grand Australian, with the provision that each shooter can gain this award only once. If a shoot-off is necessary to determine the High-Gun winner, then the shoot-off shall be shot under handicap conditions. The gun is a broad rib, 30 inch barrel, half and full choke, Grade B2(d). The Association is very grateful and records its compliments to the makers of this fine trophy, Messrs. F. N. Browning & Co. of Belgium, and to their agents, Messrs. Gollin & Co. of

Sydney, for this fine gesture annually since 1966.

The Association also appreciates the offer of Fuller Firearms of Sydney, who will present a Stirling Broadrib Trophy Gun to the first New Zealand shooter who wins "any of the five Australian championships held annually".

All empty shells on the ground during the period of the 1969 National Championships shall be the property of the Geelong Clay Target Club. (NOTE: An empty cartridge outer case — with flaps excluded — can contain 350 empty shells. The marketable price of such quantities of empty shells is a club affair. One well-known club imposes a penalty of \$5.00 on any person who picks up empty shells before completion of the whole programme. — This is a world-wide trapshooting safety precaution.)

On the night of Monday, March 10 at 8.00 p.m. at the Geelong Clay Target Club shall be an open invitation to all A.C.T.A. Referees to be guests of the Association for an open discussion on rules interpretations.

Contestants and visitors entering Geelong from the Melbourne Highway (Route Number 1), may, after passing the Ford Motor Works proceed two miles into Geelong then turn left into Bell Parade, then follow the beach two miles to the Geelong Clay Target Club and so skirt the city.

As no cars shall be parked within the club grounds proper, the area behind tracks one to five shall be free for spectators. The brick clubhouse shall be available for spectator use and as a shooter rest area.

Cars may be parked under the trees in the huge parkland across the roadway from the club grounds. Also space exists for 100 cars in an enclosed area eastwards of trap layout number one.

All cars will find parking space as close as at any gun club.

New Zealand shooters shall be guests of the A.C.T.A. for luncheon each day.

The 1969 New Zealand National Championships will be conducted at Hamilton (North Island) from March 23 to March 29 inclusive.

The Clay Pigeon Shooting Association cordially invite any Australian shooters to the final section of the 1969 International Teams' Match to be conducted at Edinburgh, Scotland, on July 18.

The 1970 National Championships shall be conducted at Perth, Western Australia, dates yet to be confirmed.

Because of printer's errors in the December 1968 publication, the A.C.T.A. Rules, Conditions and Formulae are reprinted in this edition in their corrected form. The principal corrections being:—

(a) Trap Rule 98 = D.R. quoting 79 should read 81; Trap Rule 98 = D.D. quoting 89 should read 90; Trap Rule 98 = W.U. quoting 91 should read 92.

(b) Trap Handicapping Formula — the 1968 and 1969 amendments concerning procedure whereby "only the club and Association Handicapper have authority to amend shooters' cards."

(c) Skeet — page 49 December 1968 news, last two lines should read "it shall be scored as first target "dead", and the second target "lost".

The A.C.T.A. Rules having been clarified, regrouped and published in this March 1969, Volume 22, Edition number 5 supersede any previous such publications. Copies of A.C.T.A. Rules and Championship conditions are available in brochure form through Club Secretaries. Price one dollar (\$1.00) per copy. Noticeboard copies have been issued to club secretaries.

1969 Championship allocation amendments:—

To Narrandera (N.S.W.) — Riverina D.B. and D.R.

To Pooncarie (N.S.W.) — N.S.W. State D.D. (night) Sparrows.

To McKinlay (Qld) — North West Queensland S.B.

To Mount Isa (Qld.) — North West Queensland D.B. and W.U.

To Townsville (Qld) — North Queensland D.D. (night) and S.B. (night).

To Grenfell (V) — Weddin District — all titles.

The attention of all club secretaries is drawn to the last paragraph of the handicapping formula which reads "Handicap returns must be lodged within seven days." Records are only as accurate as the information supplied and received and if one shooter's handicap is not correct, then all other shooters are penalised.

2. And all shooters are reminded that CURRENT HANDICAP CARDS MUST BE PRESENTED AT ALL SHOOT.

2. Due to the high costs involved, club secretaries do not receive a gratis copy of the A.C.T.A. Clay Target Shooting News. The Executive Committee is aware of the present-day increases of all attendant costs and wishes to remind clubs and shooters accordingly. Secretaries should register as shooters.

3. Annual shooter registration fee of \$4.00 for the year commencing January 1, 1969, must be forwarded through a club Secretary. No pro-rata rates are accepted.

4. To non-shooter subscribers A.C.T.A. Shooting "News" is \$5.00 per annum. No pro-rata rates are considered.

5. The POSTCODE reference is vital for all "News" addressees — otherwise the publication will be rejected by the postal authorities.

6. The Handicapping Formula is calculated on the retail value of trophies.

7. Handicapping — The Formula commences "Cash or Trophy value wins and divisions obtained in one day" — this includes yardage prizes. Thus, a shooter may be handicapped after his results in, say, the first event, but, unless that plus his results in the following events do not total in excess of \$101, then only one yard per day can be applied to the shooter.

8. Handicap cards must be handed to the club Secretary when nominating at any shoot. The card will then be marked whether, or not, of any alteration under the handicapping formula, or with an asterisk (\*) where the full programme has not been contested. A.C.T.A. must then be informed, within seven days, by use of the handicap return form as available to all clubs. Shooters shall collect their cards at the completion of the day's programme. (See 'Dec. '67 "News" for full details.)

9. In all handicap events a shooter shoots from the handicap last listed on his current handicap card, or as in A.C.T.A. "News".

10. The total of all wins or divisions for the day should be shown on the shooter's handicap card.

11. The next step is to apply those wins or divisions, of trophy values and/or compulsory sweepstakes, against the shooter's handicap recorded on his card from his last attended shoot as provided for within the values listed in the handicapping formula.

NOTE: For possible inward movement calculations, the value(s) listed must include any wins or divisions in novelty events.

Thus, please show any such wins/divisions, then enter the correct handicap rating (whether new or amended or unaltered) on the handicap card and return it to the shooter.

Such handicap amendments must be listed on the Handicap Forms (as pro-



vided). These forms must reach A.C.T.A. office within seven days of the shoot concerned.

#### 12. Championships—

(i) A shooter winning a championship which is shot from in front of his current A.C.T.A. handicap receives no alteration to his recorded handicap.

(ii) A shooter winning a championship which is shot from behind his current A.C.T.A. handicap receives an immediate handicap alteration to that of the championship.

(iii) A shooter winning a championship which is shot from his own current A.C.T.A. handicap receives an immediate adjustment according to the Handicapping Formula and the prescribed Championship Trophies.

13. A.C.T.A. Rules require that all Commonwealth, State and District Titles, plus any event over \$100 value, must be applied for on the prescribed form. The lodging of an advertisement only, without any application, merely holds up the procedure involving return mails.

14. Enamelled metal championship badges are struck by the makers only against firm orders by A.C.T.A. office. Club Secretaries only may request these badges using the prescribed form. The badges will be of the standard A.C.T.A. insignia with the surround, containing the year, the championship title, the winner's initials and name. Such lettering on the surround will be in the following colours:—

Commonwealth Championships — Blue  
State Championships — Red  
District Championships — White  
Club Championships — Green

Clubs are charged for each badge ordered.

15. Championship SASHES only may be ordered direct from the makers by club Secretaries. Recommended and official makers are W. FLATTELY & SON, 11 ORR STREET, CARLTON, 3053. Colours for the respective gradings of championships are AS FOR BADGES as shown above.

16. Break badges in cloth form are available for \$1.00, but only where score sheets, are submitted by the club Secretary on the prescribed form, clearly show the shooter has earned this right. Break badges are for 50, 75, 100, 150, 200, 250 and 300 breaks (see Rule Number 80).

17. Available on request by club secretaries at nominal prices are:—

- (a) A.C.T.A. pocket insignia on navy cloth background;
- (b) A.C.T.A. ties with embroidered insignia on navy background;
- (c) A.C.T.A. tie bars;
- (d) A.C.T.A. metal car badges;
- (e) club shoot record books;
- (f) club shoot report forms.

#### 18. CLAY TARGET SHOOTING ON SUNDAYS — STATE OF VICTORIA

— permission is subject to approval of the Victorian State Government Chief Secretary through the controlling central body. A.C.T.A. will forward, when requested, the appropriate forms for application. Clubs must then at least, one month in advance, submit through A.C.T.A.:

1. Standard A.C.T.A. shoot request for mshwing programme and date(s) concerned;

2. "Sunday shooting" forms (two copies) — [NOTE: Four copies must be completed, of which one is to be lodged with the club's local municipal authority, another with the officer in charge of the Police Station nearest to the gun-club range, thence two copies to A.C.T.A. for submission to the Chief Secretary's office.]

The A.C.T.A. will advise the club of the outcome as soon as it is available. NO firearms may be discharged without this permission in writing, also Sunday shooting of clay targets is permitted between 12 noon and 6 p.m. only.

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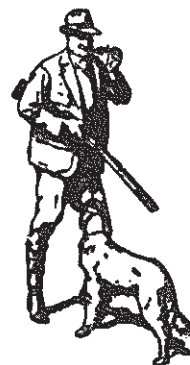
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## "TIPS AND TAILS"



**COLEAMBALLY (N.S.W.)** have gone into recess for the 1969 year.

**BALLANDEAN (Qld.)** at 17/12/68 annual meeting President, A. J. Smith, Secretary, Noel Smith and Treasurer, P. J. Lynam were re-elected for the eighth successive year. Also elected to the Committee was John Bridle.

This very active and soundly administered club in South Eastern Queensland enjoys a strong membership and is one of the leaders in that state. Club policy is to return as much as possible to the shooter. Their three trap layout should be fully converted to electric power by the time the club commences shooting again in March.

**COFFS HARBOUR (N.S.W.)**—Office bearers for 1969 are: Patron, Boy Tancred; President: W. S. (Sandy) Cox; Vice-Pres., S. Simmonds, T. C. Seccombe; Sec.-Treas., J. Forsythe; Captain/Coach, D. Scowcroft; Armourers, S. Simmonds, G. Blundell; Caterers, M. Bailey, J. Leussink; Publicity, T. Owens; Hon. Solicitor, N. G. Green. Club shoots trap each 2nd Saturday, and skeet each 4th Saturday, monthly.

**GOULBURN (N.S.W.)** — Re-formed 10/12/1968 with office-bearers of President, W. Lambert; Secretary-Treasurer, R. K. Brown; Committee, J. Wacht, B. Buckley, J. White.

**AZZURRI (W.A.)** — Secretary as of 21/1/69 is D. B. Fracaro.

**KORUMBURRA (Vic.)** — At annual general meeting elected as office-bearers: President, D. Stone; Vice-Pres., K. Brown; Secretary, Mrs. M. Hamblin; Asst. Sec., J. Green; Treasurer, J. Hamblin.

**ARARAT (Vic.)** — Elected as office-bearers on 29/1/69: President, S. Cunningham; Sec.-Treas., G. L. Willett, Senior Vice-Pres., J. J. Jones.

**GOULBURN VALLEY (V.)** — Have disbanded 30/1/69.

**AUSTRALIAN (V.)** — Since transferring from Blackburn 20 years ago this club has operated continuously at Burwood and will now conduct its last shoot at these ground on March 15. The club is attempting to secure alternative shooting grounds.

**MERSEY (Tas.)** — At 29/1/69 annual meeting elected as office-bearers: President, G. Roberts; Secretary, G. P. Matthews; Asst. Sec., G. Waterhouse.

**TOWNSVILLE (Qld.)** — At 14/1/69 annual meeting elected as office-bearers: Patron, E. McKimmin; President, K. Miskin; Vice-Pres., J. Hart; Secretary, R. Knuth, Asst. Sec.-Treasurer, T. Lewis; Committeemen, A. Lenti, C. Ray, R. Lovelady, H. Harris, S. Horwood, C. Kydd.

**PERTH (W.A.)** — At 29/1/69 annual meeting elected as office-bearers: President, Jules Steiner; Vice-Pres., Wally Johns; Captain, Robin Bailey; Vice-Captain, Doyle Martin; Sec.-Treasurer, Jim Spark; Committeemen, Ed Metcalf, Wayne Shields, Brian Brady, Ron Scott, Tom Holt, John Webster. Keith Barker, retiring President, was made an honorary life member of the club — he joins Colin Ferguson, who was previously the only such member.

**WARRACKNABEAL (V.)** — Shooting friends of Ben Schilling regret to hear that he is in hospital and wish him a speedy recovery. We hope to see him back on the tracks soon.

**BRISBANE (Qld.)** lost an old and valued friend on January 10 when Mr. Alf Thurlow, one of their foundation members passed on. Even in his later years he was still a wonderful shooter and would entertain friends with a tune on a violin of his own make.

**OPEN SEASON FOR PROTECTED GAME** — New South Wales have announced their first Quail season to be Saturday, May 3 to Saturday June 28, inclusive, for 1969. Bag limit of stubble (or grey) quail and brown (or swamp) quail is fifteen quail on the first day and ten quail every other day. A Game Licence (Quail) must be obtained direct from National Parks and Wild Life Service, G.P.O. Box 39, Sydney, 2001 during April.



## NEW BREAK RECORDS

The standard of shooting, world wide, has risen remarkable in recent years, with credit due to the shotgun makers, and to the cartridge manufacturers for their constant research and application of technical knowledge, BUT, the shooter, over the years, has continually proven himself with the results of his skill in the field or at clay target shooting through his co-ordination of sight, reflexes and stamina. In the developed countries of our modern world field shooting has diminished as the taking of fauna is a controlled privilege, not an inherent right. Consequently, from about 1870 the sport of clay target shooting has developed and two types of shotgun shooting have emerged. These are:

(a) "Trap" or "Down-the-line" shooting which simulates game flushing then flying away, directly ahead of the shooter.

(b) "Skeet" shooting which simulates flushed game flying close in, from left or right, across the shooter's line of vision.

The earliest of shotgunmakers realised the different shooting situations between far and near targets and the smooth bored shotguns commenced with either long or short barrels accordingly. It was then found that by boring the barrels, a further variation of result could be achieved, and controlled, at the target position. Currently, shotguns are manufactured with varying "choke" borings from "full choke" for long distance shooting down to "improved cylinder" for short range requirements of either skeet (clay target) shooting or for quail shooting in the field.

The wooden stock of shotguns has always been of selected timber for its strength to withstand shock and for its eye appeal. Gun stocks for field shooting were originally designed to blot the game out for the correct moment of pulling the trigger and had about 2½ inches drop at the heel. This was alright for single barrel shooting but where a second barrel shot was required, the target had to be re-found by the shooter. When clay target shooting became popular it was found beneficial to raise the drop at the heel of the stock to 1½ inches or 1¾ inches from a 1½ inch start at the comb — thus, the line of vision of the

shooter was raised, keeping the target in view at all times, his second barrel shot was away faster than before and also at a much shorter range. A 'Monte Carlo' stock is designed to drop 1½ inches at both front and back and is supposedly flat with the high comb on the same plane as the sighting rib along the barrels. This particular stock is satisfactory for trapshooting but presents problems for either skeet or field shooting.

(Individual shooters of note have found that better results are obtained (a) in a following wind by lowering the head slightly so that the sighting plane is closer to the target; (b) in a head wind, by raising the head for your line of sight shot.)

The ammunition makers have progressed from paper to plastic shotgun shells principally to overcome storage and/or damp weather conditions. Whilst the charges or propellants have been improved, the wad pressures are the controlling internal factors of the modern shotgun cartridges.

Shotgun shooters have been known to establish phenomenal results either in the field or at glass ball and other man made targets but in the sport of clay target shooting, the current trap record appears to belong to Austin Dorr of New Jersey, U.S.A., who in September 1968 shot 730 straight in one day during a 1000 target marathon. He ended with 995 x 1000.

The first Australian 100 break recorded appears to have been established in 1951 in Victoria by a Melbourne dentist, Gus Russell.

Australian shooter Kevin Heywood of Narromine (N.S.W.) had previously established the world record of 501 consecutive broken targets in the one day at Dubbo in 1966.

This Australian record has now been increased to 544/544 by 2 Vic. shooters when competing on January 11, 1969 at Lilydale Gun Club in two events — a ten target (points scoring) eye-opener off 16 yards and the Lilydale District Double Barrel Championship. Mr. Jim Anderson and Mr. J. Newton Thomas shot until 7.40 p.m. when fading light

made continuation impossible. The weather conditions were perfect with a temperature of 85°, virtually no wind and good natural light.

Shooter J. Newton Thomas, known to most Australian shooters has, over the years, won each of the Australian National Trapshooting Championships and some of his recorded efforts read as follows:

1951 shot 183 straight at Burwood (Vic.).

1953 shot 321 straight at Cootamundra (N.S.W.).

1959 shot 454 straight at Bankstown (N.S.W.) (this was eclipsed by K. Heywood's 501 at Cobar in 1966).

1969 shot 544 straight at Lilydale (Vic.)

His efforts around this time at three

successive shoots attended were:

January 1st at Geelong (Vic.) 35/35.

January 11th at Lilydale (Vic.) 544/544.

January 18th-19th at Gold Coast (Qld.) 5 target eye-opener 5/5.

Annual Bauman Gold Cup Event 140/140. (He has now won this event two years in succession).

On the second day missed his 35th target 34/34.

**TOTAL FOR THREE CONSECUTIVE SHOTS 758/758.**

To all these and other similar shooters go the compliments of shotguns all over the world with the knowledge that no shooter can achieve these records unless another contestant is pushing him all the way.

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**Mr. J. H. (Jim) ANDERSON — Mr. J. Newton THOMAS** on your magnificent performances in jointly shooting a new Australian and Victorian Break Record of 544 (unfinished) Clay Targets to share the Lilydale and District D.B. Championship shot at the Lilydale Clay Target Club on Saturday, 11th January, 1969. These two fine sportsmen have again proved the reliability of F/N-Browning superposed D.B. "Under and Over" Shotguns, as also did English representative shooter, Bob Braithwaite in winning the Clay Target Shooting Gold Medal at the 1968 Mexico Olympiad.

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### New South Wales

K. HEYWOOD (Narromine) .....	(1966)	501	—
E. HAWKINS (Hawkesbury) .....	(1968)	—	78

### Victoria

J. ANDERSON (Lilydale) .....	(1969)	544	—
J. NEWTON THOMAS (Lilydale) .....	(1969)	544	—
G. CARROLL (Australian) .....	(1967)	—	114

### Tasmania

J. BLAKE (Tasmanian) .....	(1968)	212	—
D. R. TAYLOR (Hobart) .....	(1967)	—	72

### South Australia

R. KIMBER (S.A.G.C., S.A.) .....	(1966)	359	—
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### Western Australia

T. CATLING (Katanning) .....	(1967)	253	—
G. BAILEY (Perth) .....	(1968)	—	71

### T.P.N.G.

F. L. RIMMER (Kar Kar Is.) .....	(1968)	92	—
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## Letter to the Editor . . .

New Zealand  
19/12/1968

The Secretary,  
A.C.T.A.,  
Box 2038S,  
G.P.O. Melbourne, 3001.

Dear Sir,

Thank you for your letter of 14th November. It was most kind of you to invite me to attend your next Championships and I also appreciate your Executive Committee's good wishes.

As you are probably aware our own National Championships are scheduled for March 22nd to March 29th. As I

will have considerable preliminary work to do before this event, I feel that it would mean rushing things a bit if I tried to get to Geelong, much as I would like to be there. I understand however that a number of our shooters propose to attend. We look forward to meeting the usual Australian contingent at Hamilton this year, and I hope that as many as possible will make it.

Please accept and extend to your President and Committee my best wishes for the festive season and for a successful trap shooting year to come.

Yours sincerely,

P. A. MATHESON.



Mr. Peter A. Matheson, successor to the late Mr. T. M. Glenn as President of the New Zealand Gun Clubs Association, is a youthful looking 59 ex sheep farmer from Otago, a qualified pilot who served in the RNZAF overseas before retiring as a Wing Commander with the O.B.E. He has represented New Zealand in both trap and skeet shooting, was second placegetter in the World Skeet Championships, Class E, at Savannah, Georgia, U.S.A. in 1965 and was third placegetter in a Grand Australian Handicap.



# AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET ASSOCIATION

## TRAP (D.T.L.) SHOOTING RULES APPLICABLE FROM 1st JANUARY, 1969

### A.C.T.A. RULES MUST BE OBSERVED AT ALL TIMES.

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#### TRAP SHOOTING RULES

##### 1. TRAP LAYOUT

A standard trap lay-out shall consist of five firing points arranged on the arc of a circle of radius 16 yards and whose centre is the trap, firing points to be 3 yards apart, numbered 1-5 from left to right when viewed from the firing points and facing the trap, with No. 3 firing point directly behind the trap.

A horizontal line joining No. 3 firing point and the trap and prolonged indefinitely will be known as the "Centre Line".

##### 2. FIRING POINTS FOR HANDICAPS.

These firing points are situated at intervals of 1 yard from 12 to 27 yards behind the trap on lines from the trap extended through the firing points for standard trap lay-out. These firing points may be referred to as "Handicap Marks".

##### 3. SHOOTING TRACKS.

This collection of firing points, forming a fan-shaped pattern, shall be known as the "Shooting Tracks" and on these, distances should be clearly marked to signify the forward limit of each firing point.

##### 4. SHOOTING SQUARE.

When firing, the competitor's feet must be behind the firing mark assigned to him, and he must stand with both feet completely within a 3 ft. square; this square shall extend 18" either side of the centre of the shooting lane and shall extend backward 3 ft. from the assigned handicap mark.

##### 5. TRAP HOUSES.

Trap houses shall be used to give full protection to the trappers. These houses shall be 3'3" high in front, tapering or sloping to 2'9" at the back, and shall be 6'0" from front to back, 8'0" wide. A tolerance of 3" either way is permissible on these dimensions. All height measurements shall be taken from the level of the centre line. The trap shall be mounted in a manner which will bring the top centre oscillation of the throwing arm 14" above the

level of the centre line. A tolerance of 1" either side of this dimension is permissible.

##### 6. LEGAL TARGETS.

Targets, to be legal, whether single or doubles, shall be thrown out not less than 45 yards nor more than 55 yards (measured horizontally at trap level) with a flight of 9 feet above the centre line at a point 10 yards from the trap, with a margin of tolerance of not more than 18" above or below. Except in double target shooting, the flight of targets shall be at unknown angles, thrown within an area subtending an angle at the trap of 45 deg. right and left of the centre line.

7. As an aid in determining the legality of targets, where possible three pegs at least 3 ft. high are to be placed on the arc of a circle (known as the "Distance circle") of radius 50 yards and whose centre is the trap; one on the centre line—"the Central Peg"—and one other each 45 deg. to right and left of the centre line respectively. These two pegs will be known as the "Lateral Limit Pegs". Concrete blocks and measuring sticks for measuring target heights are to be standard equipment at all clubs.

##### 8. LEGAL TARGETS—DOUBLE.

Each double shall be thrown as a right and left quarterer respectively into an area subtending an angle of 25 deg. at the trap; each area having as one boundary a line to the Lateral Limit Peg as defined, and as its other a line drawn 20 deg. to the right or left respectively of the centre line.

##### 9. SERGEANT SYSTEM.

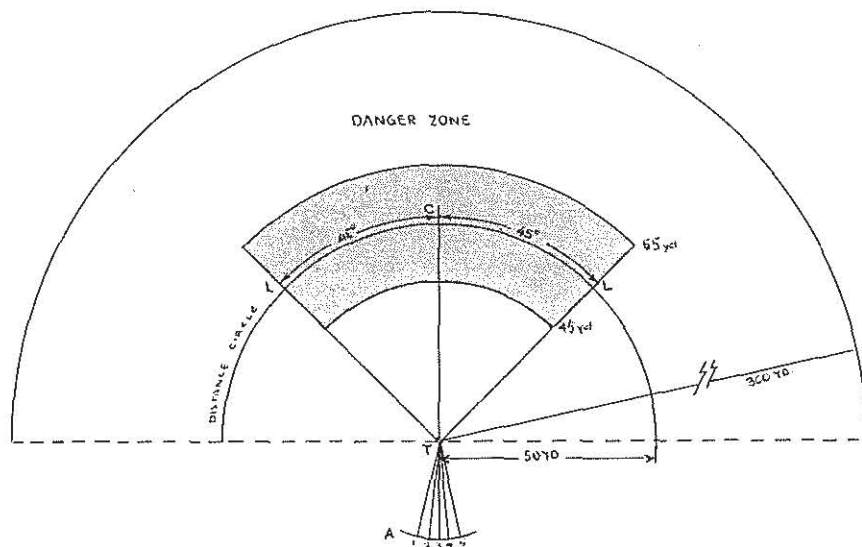
Five single traps, 5 yards apart, constitute the Sergeant System. The targets are thrown from unknown traps at unknown angles. Maximum throw of traps to be 55 yards, minimum 30 yards. Limit mark to be 16 yards, shot from centre track. In this and any multi-trap lay-out, the centre trap must be on the "Centre Line".

##### 10. TARGETS.

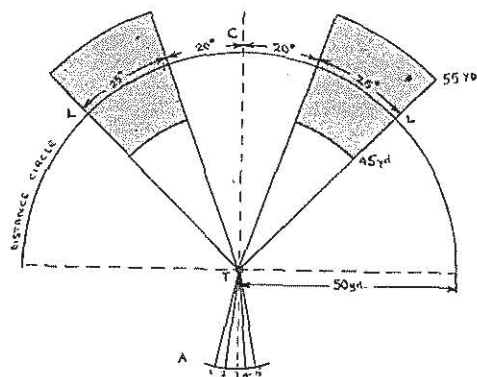
No target shall measure more than four and five-sixteenths inches in diam., nor more than one and one-eighth (1½) inches in height.



## LEGAL TARGETS — SINGLE TO BE THROWN IN SHADED AREAS



## LEGAL TARGETS — DOUBLE TO BE THROWN IN SHADED AREAS



### LEGEND

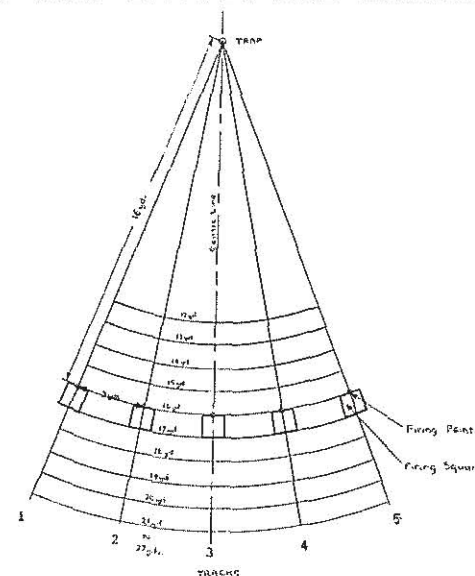
T. TRAP

C. CENTRAL PEG

L.L. LATERAL LIMITS

C.T. CENTRE LINE

## STANDARD TRAP LAYOUT AND HANDICAP MARKS



ALL TRACKS AS FOR TRACK 2

### GUNS AND LOADS

#### 11. MAGAZINE GUN.

The term "Magazine gun" applies alike to automatic guns, pump guns (so called) and other guns not directly dependent on hand loading and are permissible for clay target shooting.

12. No gun whose gauge is larger than 12 gauge is permitted.

13. For Championship events (Commonwealth, State, District) the load is limited to 1½ ounces struck measure or equivalent, shot size not larger than No. 6. Re-loads are permitted in all events except National Championships.

14. For Handicap events, load is restricted to 1½ ounces struck measure or equivalent, shot size not larger than No. 6.

#### 15. CHALLENGE.

A competitor may challenge the load of any other competitor. On receipt of a written challenge, with \$2 forfeit, the Management shall obtain a cartridge from the challengee, and if after public

examination of it the Management finds the challengee has violated requirements, he may be disqualified or not accordingly as the offence was wilfully committed or otherwise. In case the challengee is wholly innocent the forfeit shall be paid to him, otherwise it shall be returned to the challenger. The Management of any club, or of any tournament has the power to examine any competitors' cartridges at their discretion, without involving themselves in any penalty.

### OTHER SHOOTING

16. The Management of any Club holding a tournament or competition under these rules has the authority to reject any entry in the said tournament, or other competition without giving any reason, therefore, and to disqualify in whole or in part any competitor who acts in an ungentlemanly or disorderly manner, or who handles his gun dangerously.

### COMPETITOR AND COMPETITION

17. Wheresoever the word "Competition" may be used in the following



rules, it is to be understood to refer to each particular event, and must at all times be construed by the Management in whose charge the carrying out of such "Competition" has been entrusted.

18. A competitor is one who has nominated for a particular event, and whose name appears on the official score sheets or score board. A competitor can compete only once in each event. Each competitor shall carry his Handicap and Registration Card at all shoots.

19. Every competitor entering competitions agrees to accept all official decisions, and to abide by the rules controlling the competition.

20. All competitors must be registered by the A.C.T.A. before taking part in competition. Unregistered competitors are not permitted to compete at any time. (Registered competitors who shoot at unregistered or unaffiliated Clubs render themselves liable to disqualification.)

21. Competitors must at all times use their correct names when entering a competition. Shooting nom-de-plumes are not permitted.

22. If a competitor withdraws or is disqualified from a competition, he forfeits all rights to resume.

23. The No. 1 shooter may request a target be thrown at his first and subsequent visit to each trap.

24. All clay targets — broken or otherwise — at all times remain the property of the club and not the competitor. The competitor only pays for the privilege of shooting.

25. Should darkness, bad weather, or other cause interfere with the competition the Management shall have the right to decide when and how the competition shall be continued, provided that this is not postponed longer than 14 days. Any competitor who defaults in respect of such postponed competition forfeits all his rights and standing therein.

26. Shooting for targets only, is a term which shall be held to define the status of a competitor in any given event, or events, or in an entire tournament programme, and shall signify that a competitor is "shooting for targets only"

and has no interest in any trophy or trophies, nor any interest in money or monies in any specific event or events or in the entire programme. The competitor's name shall be placed on the squad board, signifying that he is shooting for targets only. "Shooting for targets only" shall not be allowed at open shoots. Shooting for targets shall be permitted at normal Club shoots only, and then at the discretion of the Club.

27. Open shoots, that is Commonwealth, State and District Championships and open competitions (cases where more than \$100 is allotted for distribution in any one event), must have the approval of the A.C.T.A. before being advertised or conducted. (This rule applies both to the actual event and the proposed date of holding.)  
28. A manual automatic or electric oscillating trap must be used at all open shoots.

## SAFETY

29. A competitor shall hold his gun in a position of safety, with breech open at all times.

30. Shooting on the grounds at any place other than the firing point at legitimate targets only is prohibited except where a pattern plate is installed.

31. Holding the gun "Pistol" fashion, using one hand only, is barred. Any competitor acting in this way is to be warned against continuance — if continued, the competitor is to be disqualified from competition forthwith and the matter reported to the Executive Committee (Penalty, fine \$10).

32. When it is his turn to shoot, a competitor shall close his gun only when at the firing point and facing the traps. He must remove the cartridge or cartridges from his gun before turning from the firing point on No. 5 track and proceeding to No. 1 track. The cartridge or cartridges must be removed from any magazine gun between each track and not replaced until the competitors turn to shoot.

## PROCEDURE

33. A competitor must be at the firing point within two minutes after having been called by the official referee, scorer or a member of the Club Man-

agement. Failing therein, he may be disqualified or penalised with loss of targets or may be re-squadded in the last squad at the discretion of the Club.

34. A competitor is duly notified to compete when his name is called out by the referee, scorer or other person authorised to do so by the management or when his name appears on the score board. If a "Squad hustler" is furnished it is a matter of courtesy only and does not in the least relieve the competitor from responsibility. It is the duty of each and every competitor to be promptly on hand to compete when called upon to do so.

35. When firing, the competitor's feet must be wholly within the limit of the correct Firing Square.

36. When at the firing point ready for competition, the competitor shall distinctly give the command "pull" to the puller and thereafter the competitor is in the competition.

37. Unless, in the opinion of the referee, it is contrary to the equity of the competition, a competitor taking part in a competition may shoot at pieces of his own target, if he so wishes.

38. No competitor shall make, negotiate, or discuss any bet (either on his own shooting or that of any competitor) while he is at the firing point or shooting tracks, nor shall he leave the firing point or the shooting tracks for the purpose of making, negotiating or discussing any bet. If any competitor infringes this rule, he may be disqualified by the referee.

## HANDICAP SHOOTING

39. No competitor is permitted to shoot from other than his A.C.T.A. handicap except in graded shoots, which may be shot from 16 or 18 yards or a mark designated by the Club conducting the event. Trophies of equal value must be provided for place-getters in each handicap yardage group.

Other exceptions are Novelty events and Championships, and eye-openers preceding Championships, which may be shot from the same yardage as the Championships. Eye-openers are restricted to five targets per trap or ten targets when only one trap is used. All clubs are permitted to run one Pre-International shoot per annum, when Clubs at their discretion may shoot any

event from 16 yards. Such shoots must be held within 30 days prior to the advertised date of the commencement of the International programme. Prizes or trophies must not exceed \$200.00 value on any one event.

40. Club handicaps must not be less than Association Handicaps.

## SQUADS

41. Competitors shall be in squads with a maximum of 6; where there are withdrawals from a squad or squads after the competition has begun, squads will be closed up before each run over any track. No. 1 competitor in each squad shall always start the shooting. The Club, at its discretion, may require competitors to change starting lanes on each trap as follows:— No. 1 Competitor shall commence shooting from Lane 1 on Trap No. 1, Lane 2 on Trap No. 2, Lane No. 3 on Trap No. 3, and so forth over all the traps. Preserving the continuity of lane changing on each visit to the traps. This rule shall also apply to Double-rise.

42. Managements have the right to divide the number of targets by the number of traps available, shooting 6, 7 and 8 targets per visit per trap. Illustration No. 1: 15 targets, 2 traps, 1 visit. No. 1 competitor shoots 8 targets on Trap No. 1, finishing on Lane 3. No. 1 competitor now starts on Lane No. 4 on Trap No. 2, and shoots 7 targets, finishing on Lane No. 5. Illustration No. 2: 30 targets, 5 traps. 6 targets per trap, one visit. Clubs must preserve equality by lane changing between traps.

43. All competitors in a squad automatically change lanes as soon as the next competitor has shot, and not wait until all competitors have shot. All members of a squad shall remain at the firing track until the last shot of the squad is fired.

## SHOOTING UP

44. "Shooting up" after the first round of a competition is not permitted in any circumstances, except in the instance of competitors taking part in the Annual International Match.

## REFEREE

45. To become a registered referee, a candidate shall approach his Club



Secretary and President, who (when they consider that the Candidate has achieved a satisfactory standard) shall recommend to the nearest REGISTERED REFEREE EXAMINER that the candidate be given a practical and oral examination. When the candidate has passed this examination to the Examiner's entire satisfaction the Examiner will then notify the A.C.T.A. Secretary, who will issue the official A.C.T.A. Referee Badge to the candidate and place his name on the official list of referees.

On receipt of a complaint from any affiliated club or Registered Referee Examiner, the members of the Executive of the State concerned shall investigate the complaint and if substantiated, the A.C.T.A. Secretary shall immediately recall the badge of the referee concerned and remove his name from the list of Registered referees. The same penalty may apply to any Registered referee who refuses to take his turn at refereeing at any shoot or is considered in any way to be incompetent.

46. The Referee's decision in all cases coming under his jurisdiction as set forth in these rules, shall be final. Referees should wear their official badges at all shoots.

47. The Referee, besides attending to special duties set forth in these rules, shall adjudicate the competition, he shall distinctly and loudly announce the result of each shot by calling out "Kill" when the target is broken, and "Lost" when the target is unbroken, except in Double Rise shooting and point scoring. He shall decide all other issues which arise in relation to the direct competition.

48. An assistant referee for Deauville Doubles and Double Rise competition is permitted and recommended. The Chief Referee to give his decision following the call of the assistant referee.

49. If the Referee is negligent, or inefficient, impairing thereby the equity of the competition, the Management may forthwith remove him. This rule applies also to scorers, pullers, trappers and any other of the staff.

50. The referee is empowered to challenge the ammunition used by any competitor.

51. The referee has power to alter his decision. If altering his decision on "Lost target" or "No target", "Baulk", etc., during a competition, this must be done within the period of the following 5 targets, or before the squad leaves the tracks.

52. The officiating referee, Executive member or the Management MUST adjust the trap immediately it is not throwing regulation targets. Immediately following such alteration a target must be thrown and the competition continued.

### SCORER AND PULLER

53. The Scorer shall keep an accurate record of each shot. According to the referee's call "Kill" or "Lost". He shall mark the figure 1 for "Kill" or 0 for "Lost", for either single-barrel or double-barrel shooting. Double barrel denotes that 2 shots are allowed per target, each shot equal scoring value. Double barrel "points" denotes 3 points for a "Kill" on the first barrel, 2 points for a "Kill" on the second barrel, and no points for "Lost". These points scores will be called by the referee and scored by the scorer accordingly.

For Double-rise scoring, see rule No. 81.

54. The official score must be kept on a score sheet and be available for inspection by the competitor.

55. It shall be the responsibility of the competitor to check his score with the score sheet before leaving the shooting track. Any protest on his score must be lodged with the referee immediately, i.e. before leaving the shooting track. Such protest can only be made against incorrect score.

56. The Puller shall pull the trap, or traps, instantly in response to the competitor's call of "Pull".

57. The Puller shall have an uninterrupted view of the competitors at the firing points.

### BROKEN TARGET

58. A "broken target" (kill) is one which has at least a visible piece or pieces, or the centre section broken from it, or which is completely reduced to dust, or which has a visible section from it, even when such section is

broken into dust by the competitor's shot while in the air.

59. A "dusted" target is one from which more or less dust is detached by the competitor's shot, but which shows no visible diminution in size therefrom. A dusted target is not a broken target and is a "Lost target".

### NO TARGET

60. After "No target" has been called by the referee under any of the following conditions it thereafter plays no part in the competition and is irrelevant to it.

61. "No target" shall be called when a target is released without the call of "Pull" or at a material interval before or after the call of "Pull".

62. "No target" shall be declared when a broken target is released.

63. "No target" shall be called when, in single target shooting, two targets are released at the same time.

64. "No target" shall be called when a target does not conform to the definition of legal target as regards height, distance, or angle thrown (see Rules, 6, 8).

65. "No target" shall be called when a competitor shoots out of turn, or from the wrong track.

66. "No target" shall be called when two competitors, or a competitor and non-competitor shoot at the same time, at the same target.

67. "No target" shall be called when a misfire or malfunction in either barrel caused by the competitor's gun or misfire of the cartridge due to no neglect on the competitor's part. In the event of misfire of the second barrel the competitor must fire a live cartridge in the general direction of the target, and is permitted to score with the second barrel only. If the competitor accidentally breaks this target with the first barrel, "no target" shall be called and another thrown. If he again breaks this with the first barrel, "Lost target" shall be scored.

68. "No target" shall be called when a simultaneous or near simultaneous discharge occurs, i.e.: from any cause both barrels are discharged together or nearly together; after the second occurrence "Lost target" shall be declared.

69. "No target" shall be called when a round fired is sufficiently faulty as to leave an obstruction in the barrel or the cartridge is faulty in the opinion of the referee.

### BAULK

70. Any extraneous occurrence which, in the opinion of the referee, materially interferes with the equity of the competitor after he calls "Pull" constitutes a baulk.

Under no circumstances will a baulk be granted unless claimed by the competitor immediately it occurs, or if, in the opinion of the referee, a baulk has occurred, he may restore the competitor's target.

### LOST TARGET

71. "Lost target" shall be called when the competitor fails to break the target.

72. "Lost target" shall be called when the competitor fails to shoot because his gun is unloaded, or uncocked, or because the safety was faultily adjusted or jarred back whether from his own oversight or not, or because of any other cause chargeable to his own oversight or neglect.

73. A competitor having an apparent misfire or malfunction will forthwith call the referee for his decision, otherwise the referee shall declare it a "Lost target". The competitor must not turn around, must not open his gun and must keep his gun pointing in the direction of the traps until the referee has given his decision.

74. "Lost target" shall be called if in single-barrel shooting the competitor loads two cartridges into the gun. A competitor is allowed to load one cartridge only and is not permitted to load an empty shell or dummy cartridge.

75. "Lost target" shall be declared if a competitor shoots from his wrong handicap mark, or the competitor's stance violates Rule No. 35.

76. "Lost target" shall be declared on the third and subsequent misfire or malfunction of a gun in any one event.

77. "Lost target" shall be declared when over any one trap the competitor has a second or subsequent misfire with a cartridge which has already misfired once in the competition, or is using



reloaded cartridges which have misfired once in the competition.

78. "Lost target" shall be declared when a target is "dusted" (see Rule 59).

#### ABIDE BY RESULT

79. Should a gun misfire in the first barrel and the competitor fire the second barrel in such guns where this is physically possible, the competitor shall abide by the result. (Also see rules 90-91.)

#### BREAK RECOGNITION

80. The A.C.T.A. will recognise breaks in sequences of 50, 75, 100, 150, 200, and 250, and so on, providing same are shot over an automatic trap under double or single-barrel conditions and in regular competition on one day only excepting over two or more successive days. No practice between events is permitted and breaks must be continuous. To shoot in other than double or single-barrel events immediately concludes the break. Actual score sheets, clearly marked, showing where break occurred, must be produced to the A.C.T.A., together with the prescribed form and \$1.00 per badge, before recognition can be granted. Break badges, once they have been obtained, will not be repeated. "27 yard" badges will be available to those attaining this as their registered handicap.

#### OTHER TYPES OF SHOOTING

##### 81. DOUBLE TARGETS.

Double-rise shooting may be off handicap marks or such marks as the Club may decide, except in the case of championships, and shall be scored and called by the referee, 1-1 or 0-1 or 0-0, whichever the case may be, each target to count as 1 point. In the event of a tie to be shot off, squad system first miss-out, best of each pair until finality.

82. The competitor must shoot at a complete pair of targets on every occasion, each "Kill" shall score (1) one point. Two barrels must not be fired at one target.

In the event of a misfire or malfunction on the first barrel the referee shall declare "no targets" and another pair thrown.

In the event of a misfire or malfunction on the second barrel the referee shall declare "No targets"; the result of the first shot shall be scored "1" or "0" as the case may be and another pair of targets thrown; the competitor must shoot at both targets and the result of his second shot shall be added to the score.

83. "No target" shall be declared when only one target is thrown.

84. "No target" shall be declared when both targets are not released simultaneously.

85. "No target" shall be declared when either or both targets do not conform to the definition of legal targets (see Rules 6 and 8).

86. "No target" shall be declared when a target is released without the call "Pull" or a material interval of time before or after the call of "Pull".

87. "No target" shall be called when a broken target is released.

88. "No target" shall be called when a simultaneous or near simultaneous discharge occurs, i.e.: when from any cause both barrels are discharged together or nearly together. (Refer Rule No. 68.)

89. "No target" shall be called when a round fired is sufficiently faulty as to leave an obstruction in the barrel — or the cartridge is faulty in the opinion of the referee (see Rule 69).

##### 90. DEAUVILLE DOUBLES.

Deauville Doubles shall be shot with four competitors on the ground at one time, the first pair using tracks 1 and 5 and the second pair using tracks 2 and 4. After shooting first round of 5 pairs, competitors then change tracks, first pair taking tracks 2 and 4 and second pair taking tracks 1 and 5. Tie shoots shall be conducted first miss-out from tracks 2 and 4, one team at a time. The competitors may arrange between themselves which track they will take, and who will call for the release of the clay targets, which will be released on the call of "Pull". In the event of a false call by either competitor they must abide by the result. Only pairs will count, and 1 point. Either competitor can help his partner.

91. Any misfire or mechanical failure in Deauville Doubles does not entitle the competitors to another pair of targets and they must abide by the result.

##### 92. WALK-UP.

Walk-up events shall be shot double barrel from No. 3 track, squad system. The competitor shall load his gun at the 22-yard mark; when ready in this position he commences to walk at a normal walking pace, holding his gun at any position of safety. The puller shall release the target between the 20-yard and 15-yard marks inclusive, the mark being unknown to the competitor, having previously been determined by an indicator or dice. No. 1 competitor shoots at one target, he then returns to the rear of the squad, each competitor doing the same in turn.

##### 93. WALK-UP POSITION OF SAFETY.

A loaded gun shall be deemed to be in a position of safety when it is the competitor's turn to shoot and he faces and points the gun in the general direction of the trap house, having the gun either mounted on the shoulder or in the gun-down position.

##### 94. TOWER.

Tower events shall be shot double barrel, both barrels equal value, 5 to 10 targets per competitor per visit to the tracks, squad system, competitors in a straight line left to right, with centre (No. 3) competitor standing 5 ft. in front on the centre of the tower. Whilst at the firing point the competitor must not turn towards the tower, but must face directly to the front throughout the competition.

The trap shall be 35'0" above the ground, plus or minus 30" either way, mounted on a tower. Targets shall be thrown at standard angles, i.e.: 45 deg. either side of the centre line. Targets shall be thrown a minimum of 45 yards and maximum of 65 yards.

#### SWEEPSTAKE DEDUCTION AND CASH DISTRIBUTION

95. Possible deduction from sweepstakes by clubs, in club contests, shall not be more than 50 per cent. (inclusive of targets).

96. No deduction is permitted by clubs in optional sweepstakes.

97. In all cash distribution handicaps or sweepstakes, the distribution shall be on the basis of 60% (1st), 30% (2nd) and 10% (3rd). A competitor scoring the only possible on an event wins only 60% first place. In these events division shall be compulsory unless the majority concerned agree otherwise.

#### TIES

98. Commonwealth, State and District Championships shall be shot off squad system, first miss-out. All competitors to commence on the same trap, competitors shall be squadded in the order they qualified. Competitors shall close up after each five targets per shooter, and be re-squadded as soon as it is practicable, i.e.: at the commencement of each run.

**Double Rise.** Squad system, first miss-out, best of each pair until finality as per rule No. 81.

**Deauville Doubles.** First miss-out shot from tracks 2 and 4 as per Rule 90.

**Walk-up.** To be shot squad system as per Rule 92, best of five targets until finality.

**Mixed Targets.** To be shot from No. 3 Lane, 2 double barrel, 2 single barrel, 2 walk-up, 2 pair double-rise. Total 10 points until finality.

#### HIGH GUN

99. The high gun for a shoot shall be over the advertised programme or such events as the club, at its discretion, has advertised. In the event of a tie for High Gun, where such programme includes both championship and handicap events, it shall be shot off squad system, first miss-out from handicap marks "double barrel". International Teams and State Teams High Gun excepted.

#### DUTIES OF OFFICIAL REFEREES AT ALL TOURNAMENTS

1. He must have complete knowledge of the Rules of the A.C.T.A. and shall adjudicate the competition at all times as set out by the management.
2. It is his responsibility to announce the conditions as set out in the Rules



for each event before the competition commences, also to displace shooters to their correct firing lanes.

3. As shooting proceeds he must observe that shooters are standing on their correct yardage, not shooting out of turn, handling their guns with safety, and using the correct shells as laid down for each individual event.
4. He must at all times observe that the trap is releasing regulation targets and may at any time challenge the heights or angles thrown.
5. The referee must distinctly and loudly announce the result of each shot and shall decide all other issues which arise in relation to the direct competition.
6. The referee must be efficient and alert at all times and it is most important that he should gain the confidence and respect of each and every competitor.

#### DUTIES OF A SHOOT MARSHAL ARE:

1. He must observe all the duties of the official referee.
2. He must be present at all shoot-offs.
3. He must see that all traps are checked for correct height and angles prior to shoot-off.
4. The shoot marshal shall be in charge of all operations and personnel including referees relating to the shoot and may be responsible only to the management.
5. He must instruct and roster the duties of all personnel prior to the commencement of each day's shooting.
6. At International Teams events he shall announce that teams photos be taken as instructed by the Executive Committee.

## SHEPPARTON

### GUN CLUB (Affiliated A.C.T.A.) VICTORIA

Situated 7 miles south of Shepparton on Goulburn Valley Highway. Two Dams traps. Both illuminated. Cartridges and Afternoon Tea available. Barbecue facilities available for those wishing to use it.

5th APRIL, 1969, 1 p.m. sharp

Event No. 1 — 10 TARGET EYE-OPENER C.D.

Nomination \$2.

Event No. 2 —

### DAMION DONCON MEMORIAL TROPHY HANDICAP

Nomination \$9.50, Optional Sweep \$1.00.

1st — \$235, 2nd — \$70, 3rd — \$30 SHOOTING ACCESSORIES.

A team shoot will be shot in conjunction with this event for the Damion Doncon Memorial Trophy. Nomination 50 cents per shooter.

Badges will be awarded to the winning team members.

Event No. 3 —

### City of Shepparton Double-barrel Champ'ship

Nomination \$3, Optional Sweep \$1.

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

Cartridges and refreshments available on ground.

V. LAWFORD, Secretary,  
Phone 21-9017.

## A.C.T.A. CLAY TARGET SHOOTING RULES

**Championship Conditions** APPLICABLE from 1st JANUARY, 1969

### NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

#### INTERNATIONAL TEAMS MATCH

Team 30 members, 25 highest scores to count. 100 targets per member from 16 yards. Double-barrel points scoring 3 and 2. 5 track squad system, 25 targets per trap over 4 traps, 5 targets from each track per member before changing tracks. In the event of a tie for High Gun, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. International load shells, 1½ oz. shot, No. 6 size or lighter, electric oscillating traps.

#### QUALIFICATIONS

Each team member shall be an Australian citizen of at least 12 months standing. In the event of a member being unable to take his place in the team, his place will be filled by another shooter, agreed upon by the Executive Committee.

The 30 highest scores in the National Double Barrel of 50 targets; National Single Barrel of 50 targets, and the Australian and New Zealand Championships of 50 targets, all points scoring 3 and 2, shall automatically become Australia's International Team. In the event of a tie, to be shot off squad system first miss-out.

Highest scorer in the Australian Team will hold the special International High-Gun Cup, valued at \$150.00 (presented by J. M. Bauman, Esq., of Brisbane) for 12 months (or until the next International Match) and will be awarded a special trophy valued at \$10.50, and the International High-Gun Sash and I.C.I. Sterling Silver Commemoration Badge. Second and third High Guns will also receive trophies valued at \$10.50 each.

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

Only A.C.T.A. official Referees to officiate, scorer and check scorer to be provided, score sheets to be signed by Scorers and Referees. The team members to be squadded in the order in which they qualify.

The products donated for this shoot, both cartridges and clay targets, must be used in the Teams shoot.

#### NATIONAL DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 50 Targets from 16 yards. Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal value, kills only to count, 25 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

Entrance Fee and Trophies to be determined each year by the full Executive Committee. All optional sweeps to be paid out without deduction and shall be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., and third 10 per cent.

#### NATIONAL INTERMEDIATE DOUBLE-BARREL CH'SHIP

The 50 clay targets released from 16 yards in the Australian National Double-Barrel Championship will be counted for the Intermediate Double-Barrel Championship and shall be restricted to shooters whose Association Handicap does not exceed 16 yards on the date annually that these Championships are contested. Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal value, kills only to count. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

Entrance Fees and Trophies shall be determined each year by the full Executive Committee. All optional sweeps to be paid out without deduction and shall be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., and third 10 per cent.

#### NATIONAL SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 50 Targets from 16 yards. Using one barrel only, the competitor shall load one cartridge only in his gun, kills only to count, 25 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor



shall shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

Entrance Fee and Trophies to be determined each year by the full Executive Committee. All optional sweeps to be paid out without deduction and shall be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., and third 10 per cent.

#### AUSTRALIA-NEW ZEALAND CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 50 Targets from 16 yards, double barrel, scoring 3 points for the first barrel and 2 points for the second barrel, 25 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

Entrance Fees and Trophies to be determined each year by the full Executive Committee. All optional sweepstakes to be paid out without deduction, and shall be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., and third 10 per cent.

#### NATIONAL DOUBLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 25 pairs double rise from 16 yards,

one visit to the traps, and shall be scored one point for each target. Each competitor shall shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out, best of each pair until finality.

Entrance Fee and Trophies to be determined each year by the full Executive Committee. All optional sweepstakes to be paid out without deduction and shall be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., and third 10 per cent.

#### NATIONAL CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS CUP

The Championship shall be shot at 50 Targets from 20 yards, double barrel, both barrels equal value, kills only to count, 25 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

Entrance Fee and Trophies to be determined each year by the full Executive Committee. All optional sweepstakes to be paid out without deduction, and shall be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., and third 10 per cent.

## COMMONWEALTH CHAMPIONSHIPS

#### COMMONWEALTH DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 40 Clay Targets from 20 yards. Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal value and score one point. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks squad system at 5 to 10 clay targets at each visit. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$5, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

#### COMMONWEALTH SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at

40 clay targets from 20 yards. One barrel only. The competitor shall load one cartridge only in his gun. Each competitor shall shoot from the five tracks squad system at 5 to 10 targets at each visit. The management shall provide three trophies, 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$5, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

#### COMMONWEALTH MIXED TARGETS CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot in the following order at five clay targets from 20 yards, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring

value and score as one point. Five clay targets from 20 yards single barrel, one cartridge only allowed in gun, each kill to count as one point. Five walk-up clay targets, double barrel, competitor to have gun loaded and ready to commence his walk from the 22 yards mark. The competitor advances at an ordinary walking pace—to shuffle or walk slowly is a "no target". The clay target is released between 20 and 15 yards inclusive and the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator, or dice arrangement, and is determined each target the competitor is to shoot at. Five pairs of double-rise clay targets from 16 yards rise, squad system, each target to count as one, making possible total 25 points. In the event of ties to be shot at 2 double barrel, 2 single barrel, 2 walk-up, and 2 pair double rise, from number 3 lane total 10 points, until finality. Maximum Entrance fee \$5 for Championship, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The club management to provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

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#### COMMONWEALTH DOUBLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 20 pairs of clay targets from 16 yards. Each competitor to shoot at five pairs at each visit, five tracks squad system, and score each kill as one point. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out, best of each pair until finality. The management of club conducting Championship shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$5, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep of five pairs.

#### COMMONWEALTH DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot from 24 yards at 20 pairs of doubles. The competitors will stand with four shooters on the ground at one time, the first pair of shooters using tracks one and five for the first round, changing over to tracks two and four for the second round. The second pair of shooters to alternate with first pair. The competitors can arrange between themselves which track they will take and who shall call for the release of the clay targets, which will be released on the call of Pull. In the event of a false call by either competitor they must abide by the result. Only pairs shall count, and as one point. Either shooter can help his partner after he has broken his own target. In the event of a misfire by either gun, another clay target or targets will not be given to that competitor, and he is required to abide by the result. Each two competitors will shoot at five pairs at each visit. In the event of ties, to be shot off first

#### COMMONWEALTH WALK-UP CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 25 clay targets, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value and count as one point. The competitor shall load his gun on the 22 yard mark. When ready in this position he commences and continues to walk at a normal walking pace. To walk slow or shuffle constitutes a "no target". The puller will release the target between the 20 and 15 yards mark inclusive, the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator or dice arrangement. The competitor will shoot at five or ten targets at each visit, in the order laid down in Rule 96. Each competitor shoots from centre track. Maximum Entrance fee to Championship \$5, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The manage-



miss-out tracks 2 and 4. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$5 for each competitor, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, 60 per cent. first pair, 30 per cent. second pair, 10 per cent. third pair from money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets each pair that have entered the optional sweep. The management shall provide four trophies—two for 1st and two for 2nd.

## State Championships

### INTERSTATE TEAMS MATCH

Team 15 members. 10 highest scores to count. 50 targets per member from 18 yards, double barrel, both barrels equal value. 5 track, squad system, to be shot in two stages of 25 targets per visit, over one or two traps. 5 targets from each track per member before changing tracks. In the event of a tie for High Gun, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. International load shells, 1½ oz. shot, No. 6 size or lighter, only manual automatic or electric oscillating traps to be used.

### QUALIFICATIONS

Each team member shall have resided in the State for which they represent, for at least the preceding three months.

Team members shall be chosen by an elimination match, 30 targets from 18 yards, 5 track squad system, double barrel, both barrels equal value. 1½ oz. shot, No. 6 size or lighter. 15 highest scorers to automatically become the State Team.

In the event of a tie, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

An appropriate High-Gun trophy shall be provided, and a souvenir badge shall be given to each member of the State Team (15) by the club conducting the event. The programme and venue of the Interstate Teams Match shall be advertised by the club conducting the event in the A.C.T.A. "NEWS" at least two months prior to the State Team's elimination shoot, and the State Teams match. The winning team shall hold the Great Britain and Ireland Trophy for a period of 12 months. The competition to be completed in each State not later than the first day of September of each year.

The club conducting the Elimination match shall provide prize money

of not less than \$100 compulsory division. Maximum Nomination for the Elimination match shall be \$5.00.

Only official A.C.T.A. Referees to officiate, scorer and check scorer to be provided. Score sheets to be signed by Scorers and Referees.

No other major shoot is permitted in the particular State on the day or days when the Elimination and State Teams shoot is held. The team members shall be squadded in the order in which they qualify.

The products donated for this shoot, both cartridges and clay targets, must be used in the Teams shoot.

### STATE DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 30 clay targets from 18 yards. Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal value and score one point. Each competitor to shoot five to ten clay targets at each visit from five tracks squad system. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$4, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

### STATE SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 30 clay targets from 18 yards One barrel only. The competitor shall load one cartridge only in his gun. Each competitor shall shoot from five tracks squad system at five to ten clay targets at each visit. The management shall provide three trophies — 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$4, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

## STATE MIXED TARGETS CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot in the following order at five clay targets from 18 yards, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value, and score as one point. Five clay targets from 18 yards single barrel, one cartridge only allowed in gun, each kill to count as one point. Five walk-up clay targets, double barrel, competitor to have gun loaded and ready to commence his walk from the 22 yards mark. The competitor advances at an ordinary walking pace—to shuffle or walk slowly is a "no target". The clay target is released between 20 and 15 yards inclusive, and the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator, or dice arrangement, and is determined each target the competitor is to shoot at. Five pairs of double-rise clay targets from 16 yards, each target to count as one point, making possible total 25 points. In the event of ties to be shot at two double barrel, two single barrel, two walk-up and two pair double rise, from number 3 lane total ten points, until finality. Maximum Entrance fee \$4 for Championship, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The club management to provide three trophies — 1st, 2nd and 3rd. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

### STATE WALK-UP CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 20 clay targets, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value, and count as one point. The competitor shall load his gun on the 22 yard mark. When ready in this position he commences and continues to walk at a normal walking pace. To walk slow or shuffle constitutes a "no target". The puller will release the target between the 20 and 15 yards mark inclusive, the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator or dice arrangement. The competitor will shoot at five to ten targets at each

visit, in the order laid down in Rule 96. Each competitor shoots from centre track. Maximum Entrance fee to Championship \$4, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall provide three trophies — 1st, 2nd and 3rd. In the event of ties, to be shot off in lots of five clay targets until finality. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

### STATE DOUBLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 15 pairs of clay targets from 16 yds. Each competitor to shoot at five pairs at each visit five tracks squad system, and score each "kill" as one point. In the event of ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out, best of each pair until finality. The management of club conducting Championship shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$4, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

### STATE DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot from 22 yards at 20 pairs of doubles. The competitors will stand with four shooters on the ground at one time, the first pair of shooters using tracks one and five for the first round, changing over to tracks two and four for the second round. The second pair of shooters to alternate with first pair. The competitors can arrange between themselves which track they will take and who shall call for the release of the clay targets, which will be released on the call of Pull. In the event of a false call by either competitor they must abide by the result. Only pairs



shall count, and as one point. Either shooter can help his partner after he has broken his clay target. In the event of a misfire by either gun, another clay target or targets will not be given that competitor, and he is required to abide by the result. Each two competitors will shoot at five pairs at each visit. In the event of ties, to be shot off first miss-out from Nos. 2 and 4 tracks. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$4 for each competitor, optional sweepstakes, to be divided 60 per cent. first pair, 30 per cent. second pair, 10 per cent. third pair, from money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets each pair that have entered the optional sweep. The management shall provide for trophies—two for 1st and two for 2nd.

## District Championships

### DISTRICT DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 20 clay targets from 16 yards. Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal scoring value and shall score one point. Each competitor to shoot from five tracks squad system at five to ten clay targets at each visit. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$3, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

### DISTRICT SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 20 clay targets from 16 yards. One barrel only. The competitor shall load one cartridge only in his gun. Each competitor shall shoot from five tracks squad system at five or ten clay targets at each visit. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance

fee for Championship \$3, optional sweepstakes, to be divided first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those competitors who have entered for the optional sweep.

### DISTRICT MIXED TARGETS CHAMPIONSHIP

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

### DISTRICT WALK-UP CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 20 clay targets, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value, and count as one point. The competitor shall load his gun on the

22 yard mark. When ready in this position he commences and continues to walk at a normal walking pace. To walk slowly or shuffle constitutes a "no target". The puller will release the target between the 20 and 15 yards mark inclusive, the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator or dice arrangement. The competitor will shoot at five to ten targets at each visit, in the order laid down in Rule 96. Each competitor shoots from centre track. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$3, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. In the event of ties, to be shot off in lots of five clay targets until finality. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

### DISTRICT DOUBLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 10 pairs of clay targets from 16 yards. Each competitor to shoot five tracks squad system at five pairs at each visit, and score each "kill" as one point. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out, best of each pair until finality. The management of club conducting Championship shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$3, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

### DISTRICT DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot from 20 yards at 20 pairs of doubles. The competitors will stand with four shooters on the ground at one time, the first pair of shooters using tracks one and five for the first round, changing over to tracks two and four for the second round. The

second pair of shooters to alternate with first pair. The competitors can arrange between themselves which track they will take and who shall call for the release of the clay targets, which will be released on the call of Pull. In the event of a false call by either competitor they must abide by the result. Only pairs shall count, and as one point. Either shooter can help his partner after he has broken his clay targets. In the event of a misfire by either gun another clay target or targets will not be given that competitor and he is required to abide by the result. Each two competitors will shoot at five pairs at each visit. In the event of ties, to be shot off miss-out from Nos. 2 and 4 tracks. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$3 for each competitor, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, 60 per cent. first pair, 30 per cent. second pair, 10 per cent. third pair from money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets each pair that have entered the optional sweep. The management shall provide four trophies—two for 1st and two for 2nd.

## Tower Championships

### COMMONWEALTH TOWER CHAMPIONSHIPS

To be shot at 20 clay targets, squad system, as in Rule 94, five feet directly in front of centre of Tower—five to ten clay targets to be shot on each visit to the track. Normal setting of trap, clay targets to be thrown at usual angles. Two barrels permitted, and each barrel to be of equal scoring value, and score one point. Ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. Competitors must not turn towards the Tower and must face directly to the front throughout the competition. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$5, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.



# STATE TOWER CHAMPIONSHIP

To be shot at 20 clay targets squad system, as in Rule 94, five feet directly in front of centre of tower, five to ten clay targets to be shot on each visit to track. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$4, thence same conditions as Commonwealth Championship.

## DISTRICT TOWER CHAMPIONSHIP

Same conditions as in State Tower Championship. Maximum Entrance fee \$8.

## INTERMEDIATE DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP COMMONWEALTH, STATE AND DISTRICT

The Championship shall be shot at 20 clay targets, double-barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value, and count as one point. Shooting will take place from 16 yards. Each competitor to shoot from five tracks, squad system. Each competitor to shoot at five to ten clay targets at each visit. The event is restricted to shooters whose Association handicap does not exceed 16 yards on day of competition. The management shall provide three trophies — 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee \$5 Commonwealth, \$4 State, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

(Intermediate Deauville Doubles will be shot from 18 yards.)

## INTERMEDIATE SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

Same conditions as Commonwealth, State or District above, except where double-barrel is stated, single-barrel should be understood, with the addition that competitor shall load one cartridge only in his gun.

## CLAY SPARROW TITLES

Same conditions as applicable to clay targets.

## NIGHT SHOOTING CONDITIONS

Same as foregoing, maximum entrance fee \$0.50 extra.

# WALK-UP CONDITIONS

In all walk-up events the position of the gun shall be optional, providing complete safety conditions are observed. A loaded gun shall be deemed to be in a position of safety when it is the shooter's turn to shoot and he faces and points the gun in the general direction of the trap house, having the gun either mounted on the shoulder or in the gun-down position.

## CARTRIDGES

Standard Shell for Championships. Shells used in all open championships (Commonwealth, State and District) are required to be restricted to 1½ oz. of shot, struck measure, or its equivalent, No. 6 shot size or lighter. Shells marked by reputable manufacturer as complying with this regulation are approved. Re-loaded cartridges are permitted.

Home-loaded or re-loaded cartridges may be used in all events excepting International Championships and events, National Championships and Interstate matches and events.

## CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHIES

Championship trophy value (inclusive of badge or sash) for Commonwealth Championships is fixed by the Association at \$80. Similarly with State Championships the amount fixed for trophies (inclusive of sash or badge) is fixed at \$60. In District and Club Championships the value of trophies is left optional and at the discretion of the club conducting the event.

## TIES

All tie shoots in Commonwealth, State and District Championships (except walk-up, mixed targets and Deauville Doubles) must be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

## SKEET CHAMPIONSHIPS

Conditions for all open skeet championships: Commonwealth, two rounds of 25 targets (= 50); State and District are one round of 25 targets. Maximum nomination in each event \$5, \$4 and \$3 respectively.

Skeet Tie Shoot Rules. — Skeet tie shoots shall be shot squad system, miss-out.

Reloaded or home loaded cartridges are permitted in all events excepting International or National Championships events and Interstate Teams matches.

# A.C.T.A. TRAP HANDICAPPING FORMULA

As from January 1, 1969, the following Handicapping Formula, approved by the A.C.T.A. Executive Committee, is effective.

## CASH OR TROPHY VALUE WINS and DIVISIONS (Obtained in ONE (1) Day)

- 12 yarder. Immediate movement of 1 yard back on receipt of a win of \$2, or division, or equivalent trophy value. (A 12 yarder once having left the mark mentioned cannot be returned to that mark.)
- 13 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$4 or equivalent trophy value.
- 14 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$7 or equivalent trophy value.
- 15 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$10 or equivalent trophy value.
- 16 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$13 or equivalent trophy value.
- 17 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$15 or equivalent trophy value.
- 18 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$17 or equivalent trophy value.
- 19 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$19 or equivalent trophy value.
- 20 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$20 or equivalent trophy value.
- 21 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$22 or equivalent trophy value.
- 22 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$24 or equivalent trophy value.
- 23 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$26 or equivalent trophy value.
- 24 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$28 or equivalent trophy value.
- 25 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$30 or equivalent trophy value.
- 26 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$32 or equivalent trophy value.

The following will apply to all yardages:

A win or division or equivalent trophy value of \$101 to \$300, 2 yards back.

A win or division or equivalent trophy value of \$301 to \$400, 3 yards back.

A win or division or equivalent trophy value of \$401 or more, 4 yards back.

In graded shoots the handicapping will be double the handicapping formula values. (Examples: 12 yarder—1 yard back on winning \$4 or equivalent trophy value; 16 yarder—1 yard back on winning \$26 or equivalent trophy value.)

OPTIONAL SWEEPSTAKE winnings and High-gun trophies should NOT be included.

Winners of championships or other events gained behind their A.C.T.A. Handicap automatically go back to the mark from which the win or division was obtained.

No shooter can be handicapped on a win or division gained in front of his A.C.T.A. handicap mark.

A shooter, once having attained the mark of 16 yards, on merit, cannot be handicapped in front of that mark again.

## INWARD MOVEMENT

Shooters who compete and shoot right through four consecutive FULL DAILY PROGRAMMES, and receive no trophy or division of any description, may receive inward movement from Club Secretaries (except in case where the shooter concerned is the Secretary, then the President or Club handicapper). Such recommendations must be accompanied by fullest details on the Official Handicap Return Form. No recommendations of more than one (1) yard on each recommendation, unless the shooter is suffering from some physical disability, will be accepted.

No shooter can come forward more than one yard in any six month period.

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

## GENERAL

Club Presidents and Secretaries are instructed that during any shoot, the management must immediately re-handicap each and every shooter who, for any of the reasons prescribed in the A.C.T.A. Handicapping Formula,



# A.C.T.A. Skeet Shooting Rules and Regulations

APPLICABLE AS FROM 1st JANUARY, 1969

qualifies for backward movement off his handicap. Such adjustments are to strictly comply with the Formula. No shooter is to be permitted to compete in another event should he refuse to accept his new mark. Handicap details concerning on-the-spot adjustments are to be forwarded within two days, to the A.C.T.A. official Handicapper for ratification. Should the shooter ignore his latest handicap, irrespective of mark shown in "News", he will be penalised a further yard if he shoots inside his latest handicap.

Only the Club and Association Handicapper have authority to amend shooters' Handicap Cards.

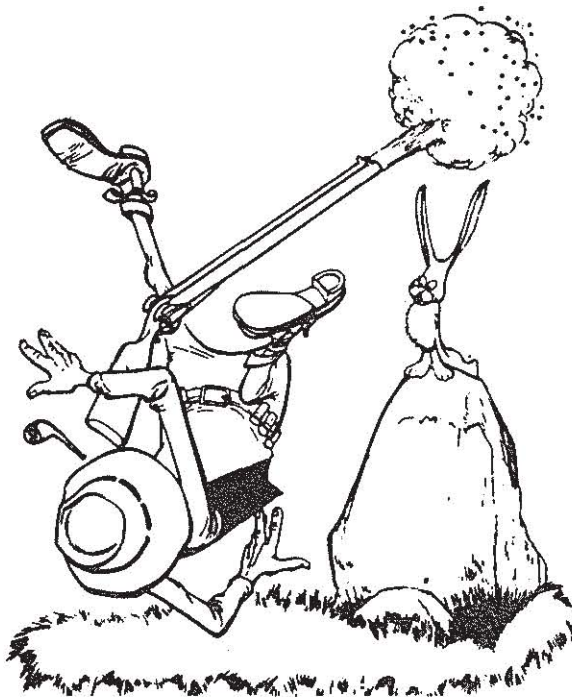
Club managements have the right to re-handicap any obviously under-handicapped shooter immediately, providing the Association is notified within TWO DAYS and the reason given on a Handicap Return Form. If these details are not completed, such handicap movement cannot be ratified.

No shooter can come forward more than ONE yard in any six month period.

Clubs when registering a shooter for the first time must clearly indicate whether the shooters is a complete novice gun handler, or has had field or other experience, before a 12-yard mark can be approved. Failure to provide this information will result in the shooter being placed on 16 yards.

No handicaps are assessed on Tower, Deauville Doubles, Double-Rise, Walk-Up and Mixed Targets. All other novelty contests to be handicapped in accordance with this Formula.

Club managements are informed that a Handicap Return must accompany every result sheet forwarded to the A.C.T.A. office within SEVEN DAYS of each shoot being held. (Handicap Return Pads are available on application to the A.C.T.A., Box 2038 S, G.P.O., Melbourne, 3001.)



**BE CAREFUL WHEN HANDLING A GUN.**

## SECTION I FIELD LAYOUT — TARGETS

1. A Skeet field shall consist of eight shooting stations arranged on a segment of a circle of twenty-one (21) yards radius, with a base chord (exactly one hundred twenty (120) feet, nine (9) inches long), drawn six (6) yards from the centre of the circle. The centre of the circle is known as the target-crossing point and is marked by a stake.

Station 1 is located at the left end of the base chord, and Station 7 at the right end when facing the centre while standing on the periphery of the segment. Stations 2 to 6, inclusive, are located on the periphery at points equidistant from each other (the exact distance between Stations 1 and 2, 2 and 3, etc., is twenty-six (26) feet, eight and three-eighths (8 $\frac{3}{8}$ ) inches. Station 8 is located at the centre of the base chord.

Shooting Stations 1 to 7, inclusive, are a square area, 3 feet on a side, with two sides parallel to a radius of the circle drawn through the station marker. Shooting Station 8 is a rectangular area 3 feet wide by 6 feet long, with the long sides parallel to the base chord. The location of each shooting station shall be accurately designated by a suitable marker, not easily removable, not more than 30 inches high and so constructed as not to interfere with the free swing of a shooter standing on the shooting station. The marker for Shooting Stations 1 to 7, inclusive, is on the centre of the side nearest the target crossing point. The marker for Shooting Station 8 is on the centre point of the base chord.

A shield should be installed at the target opening of each traphouse so that the trap operator is not visible to the shooter when he is firing at Station 8. This precaution is desir-

able as a safety factor for the protection of the trap boy from possible injury from direct or ricocheting shot.

As a safety precaution there should be a barrier (wire or rope) located 7 to 10 yards behind the shooting stations 1 to 7, and roughly following the course of the semi-circle on which these stations are located. No spectators should be allowed within this barrier and the referee should be responsible for the enforcement of this rule.

One target should emerge from a traphouse (called High House) at a point three (3) feet beyond Station Marker 1 (measured along the base chord extended), and ten (10) feet above the ground level. The other should emerge from a traphouse (called Low House) at a point three (3) feet beyond the Station Marker 7 (measured along the base chord extended), and two and one-half (2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ) feet from the base chord extended (measured on side of target-crossing point), and three and one-half (3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ) feet above the ground.

Suitable markers shall be placed at points forty-four (44) yards and fifty-five (55) yards from both the High House and the Low House, to indicate the shooting boundary limit (44 yards). These distances shall be measured along a line and the flight of a regular target (55 yards) from the opening (where target emerges) in traphouse through the target-crossing point.

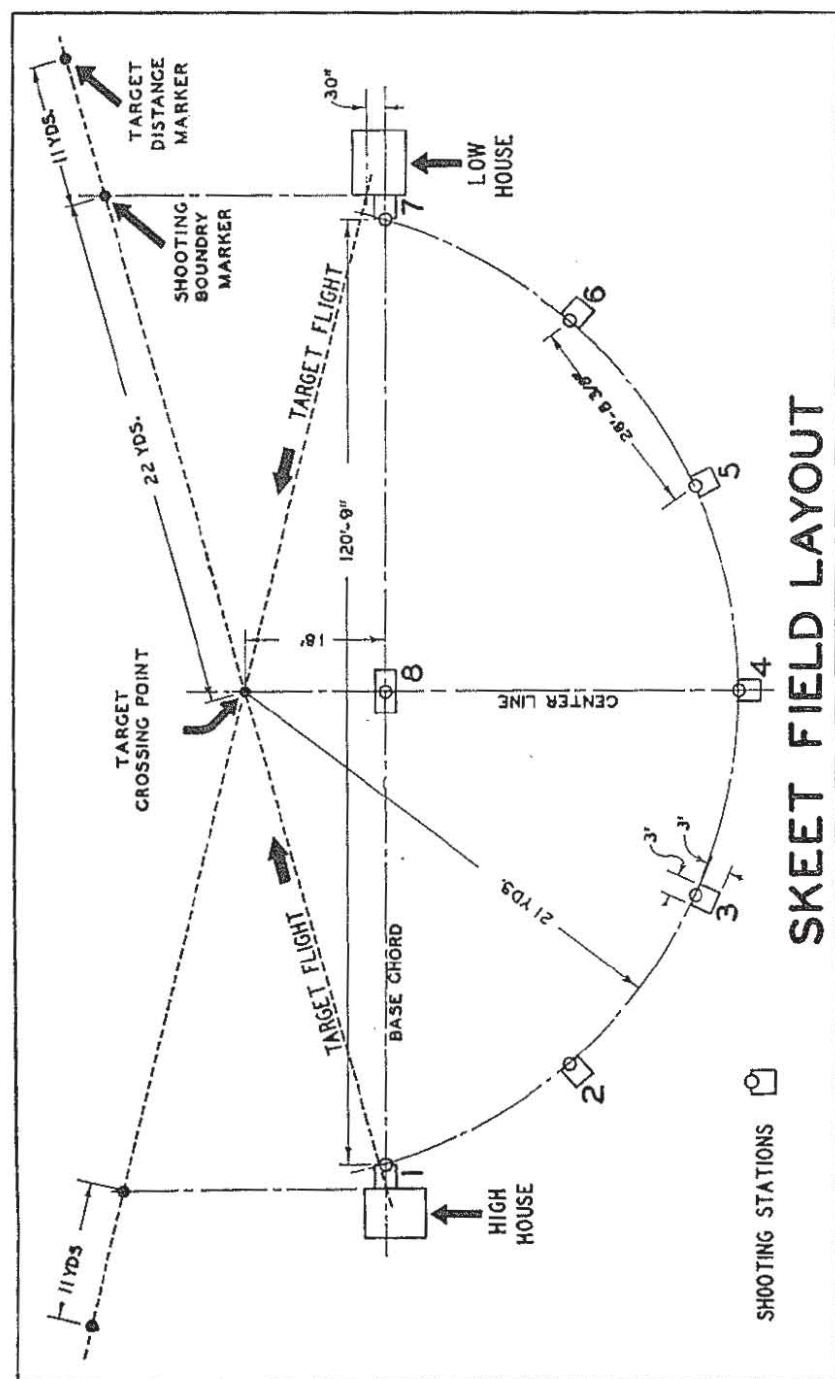
## SECTION II SHOOTING PROCEDURE

### 1. Definition of Terms.

#### (a) Shooting Position.

Standing with both feet entirely within the boundary of the shooting station.





(b) Gun Position.

Any position which is comfortable or satisfactory to the shooter and is consistent with safety.

(c) No Target.

(i) A No Target shall be called in the event of a mal-function or misfire at the second target when double loading.

(ii) Any target thrown for which no score is recorded, or failure of a target to be thrown within the prescribed time limit of one second. This permits the throwing of "instant" targets, but gives a short time period in order to prevent a contestant from refusing a target which does not appear immediately after his call. If a shooter fires upon a target which appears after one second has elapsed between his call and the emergence of the target, and also before the referee calls, "No Target", the result of his shot shall be scored. If he withholds his shot after such an alleged "slow pull," the referee may declare the target, "No Target", provided he, in his sole judgment, decides that the delay exceeded the one second time allowance. The pull is not required to be "instantaneous."

(d) Interference.

Any circumstance beyond the shooter's control which unduly affects his opportunity to break any particular target. The appearance of a target, or a piece of a target, from an adjoining field shall not be ruled as interference, unless such target, or piece of target, strikes or threatens to strike, the shooter or his gun, and provided that such interference occurs after the shooter has called for his target and before he fires upon it.

(e) Regular Target.

A regular target is one that appears after the shooter's call and within a period not to exceed one (1) second, and which passes within three (3) feet, horizontally or vertically, of a point fifteen (15) feet above the target-crossing point. This target, in still air, must carry to a distance equivalent, on level ground, to fifty-five (55) yards from the trap-house, but under no conditions exceed sixty-five (65) yards.

(f) Irregular Target.

(1) An unbroken target that has

not conformed to the definition of a regular target.

(2) Two targets thrown simultaneously in singles.

(3) Target thrown broken. Under no circumstances shall the result of firing upon a broken target be scored.

(g) Regular Double.

A regular target thrown from each traphouse simultaneously.

(h) Irregular Double.

Either or both targets of a double thrown as irregular targets. Only one target is thrown.

(i) Proof Double.

A repeat of a double.

(j) Shooting Bounds.

For Stations 1 to 7, inclusive, an area forty-four (44) yards in front of the traphouse from which the target is thrown. For Station 8, the distance from the traphouse to a point directly over a line with Stations 4, 8, and the target-crossing point.

(k) Baulk.

Failure to shoot at a regular target or double.

(l) Malfunction of Gun.

Failure of gun to operate or function through no fault of the shooter. A gun doubling shall be considered a malfunction for the second shot.

The "fan-firing" of the second shell in doubles, caused by a shooter holding back the trigger after the firing of the first shot, shall be considered as the fault of the shooter and is not an allowable malfunction.

(m) Defective Ammunition.

Failure of ammunition to fire or function due to structural deficiency.

(n) Dead Target.

A target from which a visible piece is broken as a result of having been fired upon and seen by the referee.

(o) Lost Target.

A target from which no visible piece is broken as a result of having been fired upon.

(p) Doubles, First and Second Shot.

The first shot shall be the first shot fired. The second shot shall be the second shot fired.



## (q) Optional Shot.

The shot fired after the first twenty-four targets have been scored dead in any one round.

## (r) Shooting Procedure.

In shooting single Targets, except from No. 8 Station, a competitor may load two cartridges if he so desires, using one cartridge for each target.

## 2. General.

A normal skeet squad is composed of five shooters. The squad shall start shooting singles at Station 1 in the order in which the names appear on the score sheet, and shall proceed through the singles at stations as numbered, shooting the high-house target first and the low-house target second. Each shooter shall shoot at both targets before leaving the shooting station, except at Station 8, where each shooter shall shoot at a target from high traphouse before any member of the squad shoots at a target from low traphouse.

Doubles shall be fired upon at Stations 1, 2, 6, and 7 in that order, shooting the first shot at the target emerging from the nearest traphouse and the second shot at the target from the farthest traphouse. However, the shooter shall have the option of reversing the order of the first and second shot, in which case the referee must be notified before shooting. If a double is not completed before any reason beyond the control of the shooter, another double shall be fired upon, and is known as a proof double; except, however, if a shooter fires upon the first target of a regular double and fails to fire upon the second target because of the fault of the shooter, the result of the firing upon the first target shall be scored and the second target shall be scored "lost."

A round of Skeet for one person consists of twenty-five (25) shots, the object being to score the greatest number of dead targets. Twenty-four shots are fired as stated above. The first shot scored lost in any round shall be repeated immediately and the result scored as the twenty-fifth shot. Should the first shot lost occur in a double, the lost target shall be repeated as a single with the result of this shot scored as the twenty-fifth shot. If the first shot scored

"lost" should be the first target of an irregular double, then a proof regular double shall first be fired upon to determine the result of the second shot, and then the first target scored "lost" shall be repeated as a single and scored as the twenty-fifth shot.

Should the first twenty-four targets of a round be scored "dead," the shooter shall have the choice ("optional") of trap and station for this twenty-fifth shot.

In the interest of conserving time, the shoot management may elect to have shooters fire upon their doubles at Station 1 immediately following the shooting of singles at that post and follow the same procedure at Stations 2, 6 and 7. When this policy is adopted, shooters who have not missed a target after having fired upon doubles at Station 7 shall then take their optional shots at that station (7). The squad will finish out the round by shooting singles in the usual manner at Station 8. Taking the "optional" shot by all "straight" shooters while they are at Station 7 is intended to prevent confusion and cross traffic that would result in taking the twenty-fifth shot after finishing at Station 8. Clubs adopting this speed-up policy, in the interests of uniformity, require all squads to follow the same procedure.

All rounds shall be shot in a regular sequence of stations as follows:—

(Singles and doubles to be shot from one visit to the appropriate stations to speed things up.)

Station 1 = Singles, then Doubles  
i.e. one single from High House = 1  
followed by  
one single from Low House = 1  
THEN, without moving from the station, a target from each house is released simultaneously, constituting a pair — (these are the doubles, of which the HIGH HOUSE target must be shot first, unless otherwise requested by the shooter). = 2  
= 4

Station 2 = Singles, then Doubles  
= 1  
(as for Station No. 1) = 1  
= 2  
= 4

Station 3 = a Single from the High House = 1  
followed by  
a Single from the Low House = 1  
= 2

Station 4 = Singles as for Station No. 3  
= 1  
= 1  
= 2

Station 5 = Singles as for Stations 3 and 4  
= 1  
= 1  
= 2

Station 6 = Singles, then Doubles  
i.e. one single from High House = 1  
followed by  
one single from Low House = 1  
THEN, without moving from the station, a target from each house, constituting a pair, released simultaneously — (these are the doubles, of which the LOW HOUSE target must be shot first, unless otherwise requested by the shooter. NOTE: The target coming from behind the shooter in the pairs is shot first) = 2  
= 4

Station 7 = Singles, then Doubles  
= 1  
(as for Station No. 6) = 1  
= 2  
= 4

(Note: So far, shooters have had 22 targets, and if any shooter has not yet missed a target in this round (i.e. he has a clean score), he must now take his optional shot). = 1  
(Note: All shooters have now had 23 targets.)

Station 8 = a Single from the High House = 1  
(NOTE: At station 8, each shooter shall shoot at a target from the High House before any member of the squad shoots at a target from the Low House — this sequence is observed as a safety precaution.)  
followed by  
a Single from the Low House = 1  
= 2  
TOTAL TARGETS = 25

The first target missed during the round must be repeated immediately — (this counter-balances a clean scorer's optional shot on Station No. 7).

At the beginning of each round, when the squad is assembled at Station 1, the squad shall be entitled to observe one (1) regular target from each traphouse and shall have the option of observing one regular target after each irregular target, except where said irregular target was fired upon.

No member of a squad shall advance to the shooting station until it is his turn to shoot, and until the previous shooter has left the shooting station. No shooter shall order any target or shoot at any target except when it is his turn. The penalty for shooting out of turn without permission of the referee shall be to score all targets so fired upon as "lost."

No member of a squad, having shot from one station, shall proceed toward the next station in such a way as to interfere with another shooter. The penalty for wilful interference in this manner shall be disqualification from the event.

No shooter shall unduly delay a squad without good and sufficient reason in the judgment of the referee in charge of his squad. A shooter who persists in deliberately causing inexcusable delays after receiving a first warning from the referee shall be subject to disqualification from the event.

**Broken Gun.** When a gun breaks in such a manner so as to render it unusable, the shooter has the option of using another gun if such gun can be secured without delay, or dropping out of the squad until the gun is repaired and finishing the event at a later time when a vacancy occurs or after all other contestants have finished the event. Nothing shall prohibit the shooter from missing one round because of a broken gun, having the gun repaired and then rejoining the squad for all later rounds that the squad have not started. In that case the shooter will finish any or all rounds, starting with the shot where the breakdown occurred, that were not shot because of a broken gun, on the proper fields and in the first vacancy that may occur, or after the event has been finished by all other contestants.

**Shooting Up.** Where a shooter has entered but does not show up to start



an event with his squad, he will not be permitted to shoot up after the first man in the squad has fired the first shot at Station 2. He may join the squad for all later rounds, but the round missed because of lateness must be shot on the proper field in the first vacancy, or after all other contestants have finished.

## 3. Scoring.

(a) The score in any one round shall be the total number of "dead" targets.

(b) Targets declared "no target" shall not be scored.

(c) One "lost" target shall be scored on:

(1) A baulk or failure of gun to fire due to fault of shooter. Should this include both targets of a regular double, it shall be scored as first target lost, and a proof double shall be thrown to determine the result of the second shot only.

If a baulk should occur, or his gun fail to fire because of the shooter's fault, when a proof double is thrown and the result of the first shot has already been scored, the second target shall be scored as "lost".

(2) Each excessive malfunction or malfunctions of the gun.

(3) Doubles fired upon in reverse order without notifying referee of intention.

(4) Target broken after it is outside the shooting bounds.

(5) Each target fired at when shooter fires out of turn without permission of referee.

(6) Each target fired upon and allegedly missed because the shooter's gun had a bent barrel, or a bent compensator, or any other bent tube or accessory.

(d) No claim of irregularity shall be allowed, either on singles or doubles, where the target or targets were actually fired upon and the alleged irregularity consists of deviation from the prescribed line of flight, or because of an alleged "quick pull" or "slow pull", unless the referee has distinctly called "no target" prior to the firing of the shot in the event of the "quick pull", or prior to the emergence of the target from the trap-house in the event of a "slow pull". Otherwise, if the shooter fires, the result shall be scored.

## 4. Repeat of Target for Malfunction of Gun or Defective Ammunition.

Only two malfunctions of any one gun in the same round shall be allowable.

The third and all subsequent malfunctions of the same gun shall be excessive. Provided, however, that when more than one person is using the same gun in the same round, this rule shall apply to each of said persons separately.

A shot shall be repeated for each instance of defective ammunition. If a shell having once misfired is used again, and fails to fire, the result shall be considered a fault on the part of the shooter and scored "lost".

## 5. Double or Proof Double.

(a) (1) If the first target of a double is thrown irregular as deviation from the prescribed line of flight and is NOT shot at, a proof double shall determine the score for both shots whether the second target is fired upon or not. The score for both shots, whether the referee shall be the sole judge of irregularity.

(2) If the first target emerges broken, the double shall, in all cases, be declared "no target" and a proof double shall be thrown to determine the result of both shots.

(3) If the shooter fires at the irregular target described in (1) above, then the result shall be scored for the first shot and the following rules pertaining to the second shall apply:

(b) In shooting doubles, if the shooter is deprived of a normal second shot because (1) the second target is thrown broken, or (2) the second target is thrown irregular as to deviation from the prescribed line of flight and is not shot at, or (3) the second target is not thrown at all, or (4) the second target is not thrown simultaneously, the result of the first shot shall be scored, and the second target only shall be declared "no target" and a proof double shall be fired to determine the result of the second shot. If the shooter fires at the irregular target described in

(2) above the result shall be scored.

(c) If a double is thrown but the targets collide, before the result of the first target is determined, it shall be declared "no target", and the result of a proof double shall determine the score of both shots.

(d) If a double be thrown but the shooter is deprived of a normal second shot for any of the following reasons, the result of the first shot shall be scored, and the second target

only shall be declared "no target", and a proof double shall be fired to determine the result of the second shot only.

(1) Both targets are broken with the first shot.

(2) The wrong target is broken with first shot. (For proof double ruling, see par. F. below.)

(3) The first shot is lost and a collision occurs before the result of the second shot is determined.

(4) The second target collides with fragments of the first target, properly broken, before the result of the second target is determined.

(5) The result of the first shot is determined, and interference occurs before the second shot is fired.

(6) An allowable malfunction occurs on the second shot. If such malfunction is excessive, not allowable, the second target shall be scored "lost."

(e) If a double is thrown and an allowable malfunction occurs on the first shot, it shall be declared "no target", and the result of a proof double shall determine the score of both shots. If such malfunction is excessive, not allowable, the proof double shall be thrown to determine the result of the second shot only.

(f) There shall be no penalty for withholding the first shot when either target of a double is irregular. A proof double shall determine the score of both shots thereafter.

(g) In shooting a proof double after the first target (of a double) is "lost," if the shooter fires at, or breaks the wrong target first, said proof double shall be declared "no target"; but, if this same procedure is repeated at the same station by the same shooter, it shall be scored as both targets "lost." If, in such a proof double and the first target (of a double) is "dead," the shooter fires at, or breaks, the wrong target first, said proof double shall also be declared "no target"; but if the same procedure is repeated at the same station by the same shooter, it shall be scored as first target "dead", and the second target "lost."

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**Skeet Tie Shoot Rules** — Skeet Tie shoots shall be shot squad system, miss-out.

## SKEET HANDICAPPING FORMULA

APPLICABLE AS OF 1st JANUARY, 1969

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 comprise 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.  $24 - 18 = 6$ ). 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

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

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 HANDICAPPING 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 average 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.

## NOTES:

1. Maximum skeet handicap is to be 10.
2. Once a shooter attains a skeet handicap of 3 or less, he cannot be handicapped forward of 3 unless there are unusual reasons.
3. Where no previous skeet handicap rating exists, clubs should handicap as follows:—
 

Current registered Trap (D.T.L.) Handicap	Maximum commencement Skeet handicap to be
20-27 yards	= 3
16-19 yards	= 5
12-15 yards	= 7
4. A Skeet handicap applies to every skeet round contested except in Skeet Championship shooting.

## 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, 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.

## 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.

## Half Handicap

(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 number 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.



**NEVER SHOOT AT A FLAT HARD SURFACE OR THE SURFACE OF WATER; A DANGEROUS RICOCHET MAY RESULT.**



# CLAY TARGET SHOOTING



## 1969 Australian National Championships and The Twenty-third International Teams' Match

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### FIRST DAY — FRIDAY — 7th MARCH, 1969

- Event No. 1 — AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS CUP
- Event No. 2 — \$300 VALUE DOUBLE-BARREL CARTRIDGE HANDICAP

### SECOND DAY—SATURDAY—8th MARCH, 1969

- Event No. 3 — AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP  
and shot in conjunction . . .
- AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL INTERMEDIATE DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP
- Event No. 4 — \$300 VALUE DOUBLE-BARREL CARTRIDGE HANDICAP

### THIRD DAY — SUNDAY — 9th MARCH, 1969

- Event No. 5 — AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL DOUBLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP  
(Note: Under Victorian State Law this event shall be conducted  
between noon and 6.00 p.m.)

### FOURTH DAY—MONDAY—10th MARCH, 1969

- Event No. 6 — AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP
- Event No. 7 — \$300 VALUE DOUBLE-BARREL CARTRIDGE HANDICAP
- Event No. 8 — \$300 VALUE DOUBLE-BARREL CARTRIDGE HANDICAP

### FIFTH DAY — TUESDAY — 11th MARCH, 1969

- Event No. 9 — AUSTRALIA/NEW ZEALAND CHAMPIONSHIP
- Event No. 10 — \$300 VALUE DOUBLE-BARREL CARTRIDGE HANDICAP

### SIXTH DAY—WEDNESDAY—12th MARCH, 1969

THE TWENTY-THIRD INTERNATIONAL TEAMS' MATCH

Followed by

- Event No. 11 — THE TWENTIETH GRAND AUSTRALIAN HANDICAP  
and, time permitting
- Event No. 12 — \$300 VALUE DOUBLE-BARREL CARTRIDGE HANDICAP

To be conducted under A.C.T.A. Rules and Conditions, effective as from January 1, 1969 and within the requirements of the Olympic Federation.

HIGH GUN (previous such winners excluded) shall be over the six events — Champion of Champions, Double-Barrel, Double-Rise, Single-Barrel, Australia-New Zealand and Grand Australian — kills only to count. Prizewinners are not eligible for Yardage Awards.

INTERNATIONAL TEAMS' MATCH under agreement and direction of the International Committee of Great Britain.

Subject to time permitting, DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAPS of \$300 may be conducted daily after the completion of the Programmed Events.



**FIRST DAY — FRIDAY, MARCH 7, 1969**

Event No. 1

COMMENCING 8.00 A.M.

**Australian National Champion of Champions Cup**

The Championship shall be shot at 50 targets from 20 yards, double barrel, both barrels equal value, kills only to count, 25 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

The winner of the Champion of Champions Cup event will have won the Mackintosh Perpetual Cup for 12 months (or until the next National Championship series) and will also receive a substitute Champion of Champions Cup (presented by Evans & Balfour Pty. Ltd. of Melbourne), the A.C.T.A. Champion of Champions sash, a special winner's trophy valued at \$100, and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge. Second trophy is valued at \$50, third trophy valued at \$40. Fourth prize shall be \$20 cash, fifth prize \$10 cash, and for the best 12-16 yarder \$10 cash.

Nomination \$7.00 (Targets free); Optional Sweepstake overall, \$1.00;

Optional Sweepstake each 25 targets @ \$1.00 = \$2.00; Total \$10.00.

All optional sweepstakes will be paid out, without deduction: First, 60 per cent.; Second, 30 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent. No entries will be accepted for the Australian National Champion of Champions Cup event after 10 a.m.

Event No. 2

**\$300 VALUE D.B. CARTRIDGE HANDICAP**

25 TARGETS, DOUBLE-BARREL, BOTH BARRELS EQUAL VALUE

Targets Free :: NOMINATION \$6.00 :: POSSIBLES TO DIVIDE

**SECOND DAY SPECIAL NOTE:—**

IF SHOOTER NOMINATES IN BOTH NATIONAL DOUBLE-BARREL AND INTERMEDIATE DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS—

Additional Nomination \$4.00; Optional Sweepstake overall, \$1.00;

Optional Sweepstake each 25 targets @ \$1.00 = \$2.00;

Total Nomination if for both events = \$17.00.

**SECOND DAY — SATURDAY, MARCH 8, 1969**

Event No. 3

COMMENCING 8.00 A.M.

**Australian National Double-barrel Championship**

The Championship shall be shot at 50 targets from 16 yards, double barrel, both barrels equal value, kills only to count, 25 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

The winner will receive the J. M. Wilson Perpetual Cup for 12 months (or until the next National Championship series), a trophy valued at \$90, a sash and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge. Second trophy is value at \$50, and third trophy at \$40. The fourth prize will be \$20 cash, after which \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the fifth to 15th inclusive place-getters. Special awards of \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the competitors registering the best performance and whose Association handicap is within the category (not winning any other trophy), 12-16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 yards and over. A trophy will also be awarded to the best lady shooter in the event. Subject to there being a minimum of three entrants from each of the following States, New South Wales, South Australia, Tasmania, Queensland, Western Australia, then the best registered such performance from each State, not having won any other award in this event, will be awarded \$10 cash.

Nominations (this event only) \$7.00 (Targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstakes overall, \$1.00; Optional Sweepstakes each 25 targets @ \$1.00 = \$2.00; Total \$10.00;

will be conducted in conjunction with the Australian National Double-Barrel Championship. Sweepstakes will be paid out, without deduction: First, 60 per cent.; Second, 30 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent. No entries will be accepted for the Australian National Double-Barrel Championship later than 10.00 a.m.

and SHOT IN CONJUNCTION

**Australian National Intermediate Double-barrel Championship**

The 50 clay targets from 16 yards, in the Australian National Double-Barrel Championship, will be counted for the Australian National Intermediate Championship and shall be restricted to shooters whose Association Handicap does not exceed 16 yards on March 8, 1969. Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal value, kills only to count. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

The winner will receive a trophy valued at \$40, the Championship sash and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge. Second trophy is valued at \$30, and third trophy at \$20. Fourth prize will be \$10 cash, and fifth prize will be \$10 cash.

Nominations (this event only) \$7.00 (Targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstake overall, \$1.00; Optional Sweepstake each 25 targets @ \$1.00 = \$2.00; Total \$10.00.

Optional sweepstakes will be paid out, without deduction: First, 60 per cent.; Second, 30 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent. No entries will be accepted for the Australian National Intermediate Double-Barrel Championship after 10.00 a.m.

Event No. 4

**\$300 Value D.B. Cartridge Handicap**

25 TARGETS, DOUBLE-BARREL, BOTH BARRELS EQUAL VALUE, TARGETS FREE  
Nomination \$6.00, possibles to divide.



**THIRD DAY — SUNDAY, MARCH 9, 1969**

**Special Notes:**

1. In accordance with Victorian State Laws, this event shall be conducted between noon and 6.00 p.m., Sunday, March 9.
2. The 33rd Annual General Meeting of Representatives of Incorporated Member Clubs and Delegates of Unincorporated Member Clubs shall be held at The Carlton Hotel, Geelong at 8.00 p.m. on Sunday, March 9.

Event No. 5

## Australian National Double-rise Championship

The Championship shall be shot at 25 pairs double rise from 16 yards, one visit to the traps, and shall be scored one point for each target. Each competitor shall shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

The winner will receive the J. M. Tyquin Perpetual Cup for 12 months (or until the next National Championship series), a trophy valued at \$90, a sash and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge. Second trophy is valued at \$50, third trophy at \$40, and fourth prize will be \$20 cash, after which \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the fifth to 15th inclusive place-getters. Special awards of \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the competitors registering the best performance and whose Association handicap is within the category (not winning any other trophy), 12-16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 yards and over. Subject to there being a minimum of three entrants from each of the following States, New South Wales, South Australia, Tasmania, Queensland and Western Australia, then the best registered such performances from each State, not having won any other award in this event, will be awarded \$10 cash.

**Nomination \$7.00 (Targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstake overall, \$1.00; Total \$8.00.**

Sweepstakes will be paid out, without deduction; First, 60 per cent.; Second, 30 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent. No entries will be accepted for the Australian National Double-Rise Championship later than 1.30 p.m.

**FOURTH DAY — MONDAY, MARCH 10, 1969**

Event No. 6

COMMENCING 8.00 A.M.

## Australian National Single-barrel Championship

The Championship shall be shot at 50 targets from 16 yards, using one barrel only. The competitor shall load one cartridge only in his gun, kills only to count, 25 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor shall shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

The winner will receive the W. Rainbird Perpetual Cup for 12 months (or until the next National Championship series), a trophy valued at \$90, a sash and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge. Second trophy is valued at \$50, third trophy is valued at \$40, and fourth prize will be \$20 cash, after which \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the fifth to 15th inclusive place-getters. Special awards of \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the competitors registering the best performance and whose Association handicap is within the category (not winning any other trophy), 12-16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 yards and over. Subject to there being a minimum of three entrants from each of the following States, New South Wales, South Australia, Tasmania, Queensland and Western Australia, then the best registered such performance from each State, not having won any other award in this event, will be awarded \$10 cash.

**Nominations \$7.00 (Targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstake overall, \$1.00;**

**Optional Sweepstake each 25 targets @ \$1.00 = \$2.00; Total \$10.00.**

Sweepstakes will be paid out, without deduction: First, 60 per cent.; Second, 30 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent. No entries will be accepted for the Australian National Single-Barrel Championship later than 10.00 a.m.

Event No. 7

## \$300 Value D.B. Cartridge Handicap

25 TARGETS, DOUBLE BARREL, BOTH BARRELS EQUAL VALUE  
TARGETS FREE :: NOMINATION \$6.00 :: POSSIBLES TO DIVIDE

Event No. 8

## \$300 Value D.B. Cartridge Handicap

25 TARGETS, DOUBLE BARREL, BOTH BARRELS EQUAL VALUE  
TARGETS FREE :: NOMINATION \$6.00 :: POSSIBLES TO DIVIDE



**FIFTH DAY — TUESDAY, MARCH 11, 1969**

Event No. 9

COMMENCING 8.00 A.M.

## Australia - New Zealand Championship

The Championship shall be shot at 50 targets from 16 yards, double barrel, scoring three points for the first barrel and two points for the second barrel, 25 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out, points scoring.

The winner will receive a trophy valued at \$90, and the A.C.T.A. championship sash. The second trophy is valued at \$50, third trophy is valued at \$40, and fourth prize will be \$20 cash, after which \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the fifth to 15th inclusive place-getters. Special awards of \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the competitors registering the best performance and whose Association handicap is within the category (not winning any other trophy) 12-16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 yards and over. Subject to there being a minimum of three entrants from each of the following States, New South Wales, South Australia, Tasmania, Queensland and Western Australia, then the best registered such performance from each State, not having won any other award in this event, will be awarded \$10 cash.

Nominations \$7.00 (Targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstake 150 Points, \$1.00;

Optional Sweepstake each 75 Points @ \$1.00 = \$2.00; Total \$10.00.

Sweepstakes will be paid out, without deduction: First, 60 per cent.; Second, 30 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent. No entries for the Australia-New Zealand Championship will be accepted later than 10.00 a.m.

Event No. 10

## \$300 Value D.B. Cartridge Handicap

25 TARGETS, DOUBLE BARREL, BOTH BARRELS EQUAL VALUE

TARGETS FREE :: NOMINATION \$6.00 :: POSSIBLES TO DIVIDE

**SIXTH DAY — WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 1969**

COMMENCING 8.00 A.M.

## Twenty-third International Teams' Match

Competing teams are England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, South Africa, Rhodesia, Canada, New Zealand and Australia for the Mackintosh International Trophy, with results by air mail.

### AUSTRALIAN TEAM

30 members, 25 highest scores to count. 100 targets per member from 16 yards. Double-barrel points scoring 3 and 2; 5 track squad system, 25 targets per trap over 4 traps, 5 targets from each track per member before changing tracks. In the event of a tie for High Gun, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. International load shells, 1½ oz. shot, No. 6 size or smaller, automatic angle traps.

The team shall be squadded in the order that the respective shooters qualified.

### QUALIFICATIONS

Each team member shall be an Australian citizen of at least 12 months standing. In the event of a member being unable to take his place in the team, his place will be filled by another shooter, agreed upon by the Executive Committee. There shall be no entrance fee for members of the team. Targets and cartridges are free.

The 30 highest scores in the National Double Barrel of 50 targets; National Single Barrel of 50 targets, and the Australian and New Zealand Championships of 50 targets, all points scoring 3 and 2, shall automatically become Australia's International Team. In the event of a tie, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

Highest scorer in the Australian Team will hold the special International High-Gun Cup, valued at \$150.00 (presented by J. M. Bauman, Esq., of Brisbane) for 12 months (or until the next International Match) and will be awarded a special trophy valued at \$10.50, the International High-Gun Sash and an I.C.A.N.Z. Sterling Silver Commemoration Badge. Second and third High Guns will also receive trophies valued at \$10.50 each.

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

**PRACTICE:** Members of the International Team will be permitted up to five practice targets before the competition, in accordance with the International conditions.

Followed by

Event No. 11

## Twentieth Grand Australian Handicap

The Handicap shall be shot at 50 clay targets from Association Handicaps, double barrel, both barrels equal value, squad system, one target from each track, 25 clay targets each visit. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

The \$550 allotted to the event will be distributed as trophy or cartridges valued as follows:— First \$150, Second \$100, Third \$50, with ten yardage awards of \$25, namely 12-13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20-21, 22-24 and 25-27 yards. The actual winner of the event will also receive a special Grand Australian Handicap Sash and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge.

Nomination \$8.00 (Targets inclusive); Sweepstake each 25 targets @ \$1.00 = \$2.00; Total \$10.00.

The sweepstake will be paid out without deduction and shall be divided: First, 60 per cent.; Second, 30 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent.

Followed by (time permitting)

## Event No. 12 \$300 Value D.B. Cartridge Handicap

25 TARGETS, DOUBLE BARREL, BOTH BARRELS EQUAL VALUE

Targets Free :: Divided 60%, 30% and 10%

NOMINATION \$6.00 :: POSSIBLES TO DIVIDE



## PROVISIONS THROUGHOUT THE PROGRAMME

**1969 Registrations Cards** must be produced when lodging entries for all events listed on the programme.

**HIGH GUN:** If a shoot-off is necessary to determine the high-gun winner, then the shoot-off shall be shot under handicap conditions.

THE OVERALL HIGH GUN TROPHY SHALL BE DETERMINED FROM THE SIX MAJOR EVENTS ONLY — (Viz.: Champion of Champions, Double-Barrel, Double-Rise, Single-Barrel, Australia-New Zealand and Grand Australian).

**CARTRIDGES:** Special cartridges will be available to competitors only, at \$2.20 per packet of 25. **ONLY THESE CARTRIDGES MAY BE USED THROUGHOUT THE PROGRAMME OTHER THAN FOR THE HANDICAP EVENTS.** All competitors' cartridges will be subject to examination by Association officials at any time.

Competitors are requested to check their scores before leaving the track at the end of each visit. THE DECISION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SHALL BE FINAL.

**REFRESHMENTS:** Meals and light refreshments will be available throughout each day from 7.00 a.m.

**NO CARS SHALL BE PARKED WITHIN THE CLUB GROUNDS.**

**NO LIABILITY:** The organizers, whilst taking every precaution, do not accept responsibility for any accidental damage to any person or property on the ground, or for safe custody of guns, ammunition, clothing, etc., deposited in the pavilion or elsewhere.

Clay targets for the Champion of Champions Cup and the International Teams' Match, and cartridges for the International Teams' Match, are presented by Imperial Chemicals Industries of Australia and New Zealand Ltd.

Should circumstances warrant, the Executive Committee reserves the right to vary the conditions of any event.

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# SHATTERING NEWS

## A NEW cartridge in the Blue Star

Here's great news for clay busters — ICI proudly introduce a new cartridge — Blue Star 'HI-SKOR' — designed to meet the exacting requirements of the Australian trap and skeet shooter. Blue Star 'HI-SKOR' pattern performance gives the maximum efficiency at ranges where a concentration of shot can prove a handicap.

Loaded with famous ICI specially selected shot and popular imported NOBEL shotgun powder, this 1½ oz. load is recoil regulated to minimise shooting fatigue. Ideally suited for the home loader, Blue Star 'HI-SKOR' features a durable plastic case with a 7/16" brass plated steel head for greater rigidity and strength and non-corrosive priming in an easily replaceable battery pocket ignition system.

Similar to the load chosen by the A.C.T.A. for the 1968 National Championships in Adelaide, Blue Star 'HI-SKOR' is truly the competition cartridge you have been waiting for. Champions like Newton Thomas, the only shooter yet to have won every A.C.T.A. National Championship, use and recommend Blue Star 'HI-SKOR'.

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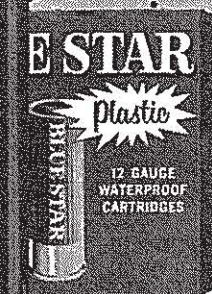
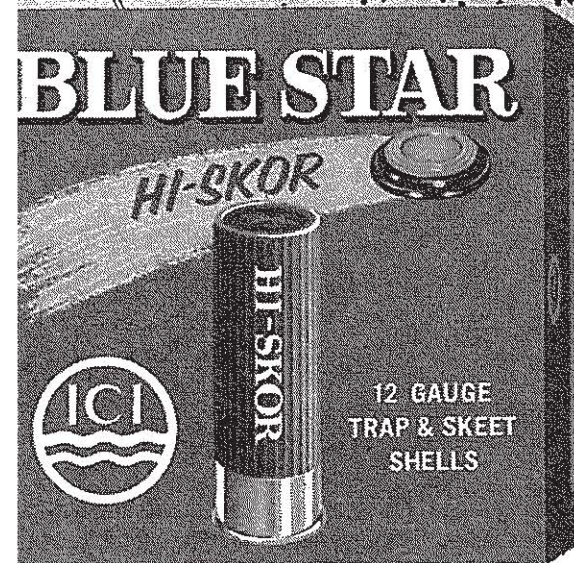
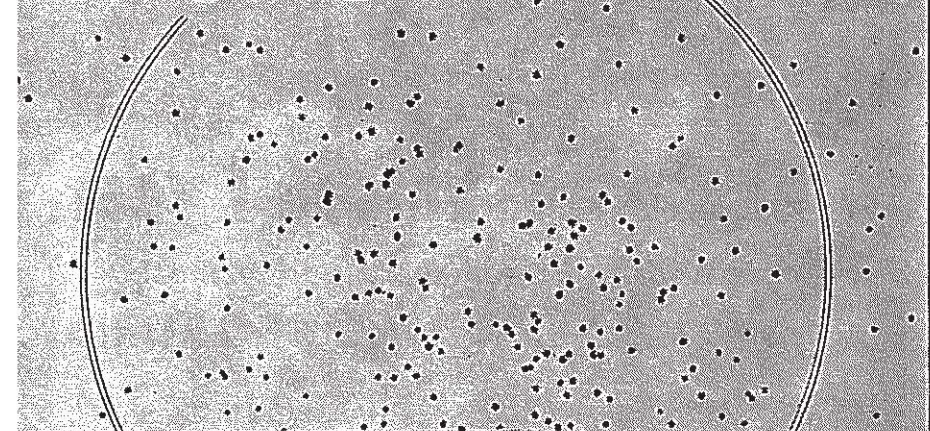


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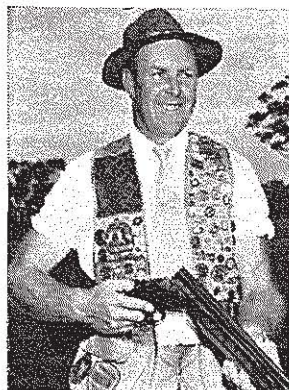


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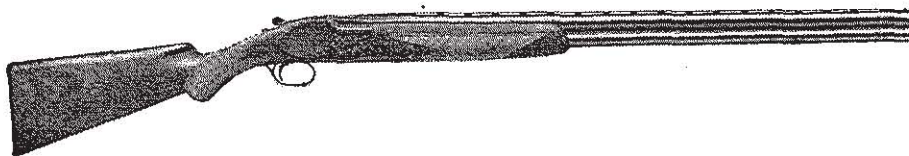






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**SATURDAY, 17th MAY** commencing at 9 a.m.

Event No. 1 —

**Granite Belt Single-barrel Championship**

20 TARGETS OFF 16 YARDS

Badge and Trophy 1st, Trophies 2nd, 3rd and best 12-14 yards.  
 Nomination \$3.00, Optional Sweep 50 cents on each 10.

Event No. 2 —

**SOUTHERN QUEENSLAND TROPHY**

20 TARGETS POINTS HANDICAP

Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd

Nomination \$6.00, Optional Sweep 50 cents on each 10.

Event No. 3 —

**\$400 — CARTRIDGE HANDICAP — \$400**

To be divided \$200 value — 60%, 30%, 10%

20 TARGETS SINGLE-BARREL

and \$200 — 60%, 30%, 10% — 20 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL  
 Nomination \$9.00

**SUNDAY, 18th MAY** commencing at 9 p.m.

Event No. 1 —

**QUEENSLAND DOUBLE-BARREL SPARROWS**

30 TARGETS OFF 18 YARDS

Badge and Trophy 1st, Trophies 2nd, 3rd and Best 12-13 yards  
 and 14-16 yards.

Nomination \$4.00, Optional Sweep 50 cents sweep on each 10.

Event No. 2 —

**\$600 — CARTRIDGE HANDICAP — \$600**

To be divided \$250 — 60%, 30%, 10% — 25 Targets Single-Barrel

\$250 divided — 60%, 30%, 10% — 25 Targets Double-Barrel

\$100 divided — 60%, 30%, 10% — Over the 50 Targets

Trophies in this Event and the \$400 Event on Saturday to consist of  
 Shooting Equipment or Ammunition of the Shooter's choice to the  
 appropriate value.

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The Committee reserves the right to alter the number of targets  
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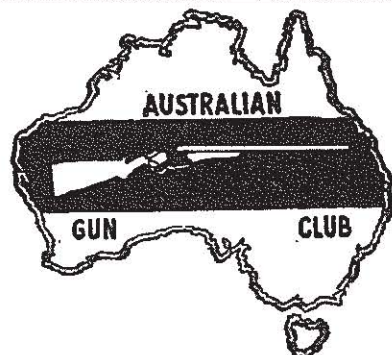
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# **AUSTRALIAN — GUN CLUB —**

INCORPORATING NOBEL  
AND BLACKBURN CLUBS

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

EAST BURWOOD, VIC.



## **Burwood Single-Barrel Championship**

(See February Shooters' News)

**SATURDAY, 15th MARCH**

**LAST SHOOT AT BURWOOD**

promptly at 1.00 p.m.

**10 TARGETS POINTS EYE-OPENER**

## **Moomba Single-Barrel Championship**

20 Targets from 16 yards.

1st Gold Sash and Trophy.

Trophies 2nd, 3rd, 12/14 yards, 15/16 yards.

## **Moomba Double-Barrel Championship**

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1st Gold Sash and Trophy.

Trophies 2nd, 3rd, 12/14 yards, 15/16 yards.

## **Moomba Skeet Championship**

1st Gold Sash and Trophy.

Trophies 2nd, 3rd and Front Marker (3 and over)

**25 TARGETS SKEET HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKES**

MOOMBA CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS — Special

Tri-colour Sash to High Gun over 3 Championships.

**Hospitality of the Club will be extended to all Shooters.**

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# **VICTORIAN GUN CLUB (V) (Affiliated A.C.T.A.)**

## **MARCH PROGRAMME, 1969**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 1st**

**NO SHOOT — QUAIL OPENING**

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT, MARCH 5th**

**20 Targets Double-barrel Handicap.** Trophies.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT, MARCH 12th**

**Southern Dist. Night D.B. Championship**

Trophies.

**SATURDAY, MARCH 15th**

**Sunshine District D.B. Championship**

Trophies.

**20 Targets Double-barrel Cash Handicap.**

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT, MARCH 19th**

**20 Targets Double-barrel Handicap.** Trophies.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT, MARCH 26th**

**Brooklyn District Night Double-rise  
Championship**

Trophies.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT, APRIL 2nd**

**20 Targets Double-barrel Handicap.** Trophies.

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

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# **HAY GUN CLUB (N.S.W.)**

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.) — 4 DAMO TRAPS — 3 for NIGHT SHOOTING

## **Easter Carnival ★ 1969**

**Saturday, 5th April** - Commencing at 9 a.m.

**\$100 HANDICAP, 20 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL**  
Value divided 60, 30, 10, in cartridges. Nomination \$2.00.

### **Hay District Double-barrel Championship**

20 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL  
1st Trophy and Sash, 2nd Trophy, 3rd Trophy.  
Front markers trophy 12 to 14 yards. Nomination \$2.00.

**\$100.00 HANDICAP** under same conditions as first event

**Saturday Night** - Commencing at 7.30 p.m.

### **Hay District Single-barrel Championship**

20 TARGETS SINGLE-BARREL  
1st Trophy and Sash, 2nd Trophy, 3rd Trophy.  
Front markers trophy 12 to 14 yards. Nomination \$2.50.

**Easter Monday** - Commencing at 9 a.m.

**\$100.00 HANDICAP, 20 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL**  
Value divided 60, 30, 10, in cartridges. Nomination \$2.00.

### **Hay District Single-barrel Championship**

20 TARGETS SINGLE-BARREL  
1st Trophy and Sash, 2nd Trophy, 3rd Trophy.  
Front markers trophy 12 to 14 yards.

**OTHER \$100.00 HANDICAPS WILL BE RUN TIME PERMITTING.**

The Committee of the Hay Gun Club reserve the right to alter this programme within A.C.T.A. rules if they think fit.

**\$1.00 OPTIONAL SWEEPS WILL BE RUN ON ALL CHAMPIONSHIPS.**

Our usual Sunday Barbecue on the river.

Sunday night dance and refreshments at Showground Hall.

Usual Gun Club accommodation — Lawns for Caravans.

H. F. COX, President. Phone 576 Gun Club Phone 160 G. WILLIAMS, Hon. Sec.

# **METROPOLITAN CLAY TARGET CLUB (VICTORIA)**

LOCATION: EPPING (VIC.) — — — — — (Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

**NO SHOOT SATURDAY, MARCH 8**

**FRIDAY NIGHT, MARCH 14**

## **Whittlesea Deauv. Doubles Night Champ'ship**

Trophies First and Second Pairs.

**SATURDAY, MARCH 22**

15 TARGETS POINTS — CASH C.D.

## **Whittlesea Single-barrel Championship**

in conjunction

## **Whittlesea Intermediate Single-barrel Champ.**

Intermediate shooters may enter for both Championships at an additional \$1.50 nom. Such entry eligible to take both Championships.

Sash and trophy to winners, 2nd and 3rd Trophies.

SKEET AND OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

**FRIDAY NIGHT, MARCH 28**

10 TARGETS POINTS — CASH C.D.

## **Northern Suburbs Double-barrel Championship**

Sash and trophy to winner. Trophies 2nd, 3rd, 12-14 yards, 15-16 yards.

SKEET AND OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

**SATURDAY, APRIL 19th**

## **Victorian Double-barrel Championship**

— also —

**\$500 HANDICAP**

FULL PARTICULARS NEXT ISSUE

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# MELBOURNE GUN CLUB (V)

(FORMERLY LILYDALE CLUB)

Affiliated A.C.T.A.

VICTORIA ROAD, LILYDALE 4 AUTO TRAPS & SKEET  
Practice commences 11.30 a.m. Programme commences 1.30 p.m.

**SATURDAY, 8th MARCH, 1969**

**CLUB TYRO D.B. CHAMPIONSHIPS OFF 14 YARDS**

Nom. \$3.00

In conjunction **CLUB AUTUMN D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP POINTS**

Nom. \$3.00

**SKEET HANDICAP — SPARROWS C.D.**

Nom. \$3.00

**SATURDAY, 15th MARCH, 1969**

**POST INTERNATIONAL SHOOT**

See separate advertisement.

**SATURDAY, 22nd MARCH, 1969**

**20 TARGETS D.B. HANDICAP TEAMS SHOOT**  
(Lilydale, Euroa, Alexandra)

Nom. \$3.00

**COLDSTREAM D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP**

**COLDSTREAM D.B. INTER CHAMPIONSHIP**

Nom. \$3.00

**SATURDAY, 29th MARCH, 1969**

**YARRA GLEN D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP**

In conjunction **YARRA GLEN D.B. INTER CHAMPIONSHIP**

Nom. \$3.00

**YARRA GLEN S.B. CHAMPIONSHIP**

In conjunction **YARRA GLEN S.B. INTER CHAMPIONSHIP**

Nom. \$3.00

**YARRA GLEN SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP GRADED**

Nom. \$3.00

Club Champion of Champions on Skeet and D.T.L.

**SATURDAY, 5th APRIL, 1969**

**EASTER SATURDAY. CASH SWEEPSTAKES ONLY.**

**DAILY EYE-OPENER C.D. AND**

Nom. \$1.00

**25 TARGETS SKEET HANDICAPS C.D.**

Nom. \$3.00

D. B. O'Callaghan Skeet Aggregate — 1st March and 22nd March.

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# N.S.W. TEAMS SHOOT

**26th and 27th April, 1969**

**QUEANBEYAN—CANBERRA GUN CLUB**

Situated: Race Course, Queanbeyan, N.S.W.

**SATURDAY, 26th APRIL, 1969, commencing 9.00 a.m.**

Event 1 — **15 TARGETS D.B. EYE-OPENER**

18 Yards — Comp. Div.

Nom. \$2.00

Event 2 —

**1969 N.S.W. STATE TEAM ELIMINATION**

30 TARGET DOUBLE-BARREL — 18 Yards — \$200 Comp. Div. Nom. \$5.00  
Optional Sweeps: 50c each 10 targets and \$1.00 overall.

Event 3 —

**SOUTHERN DISTRICTS S.B. CHAMPIONSHIP**

20 TARGET SINGLE-BARREL — 16 Yards  
Optional Sweeps: 50c each 10 Targets and \$1.00 overall.

Nom. \$3.00

Event 4 —

**15 TARGETS POINTS SCORE**

TIME PERMITTING.

Nom. \$3.00

**SATURDAY NIGHT, 26th APRIL, 1969**  
commencing 7.30 p.m.

Event 1 — **20 TARGETS D.B. HANDICAP**

Comp. Div.

Nom. \$5.00

**SUNDAY, 27th APRIL, 1969, commencing 9.00 a.m.**

Event 1 — **N.S.W. STATE TEAMS SHOOT**

50 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL — 18 Yards

Event 2 — **SOUTHERN TABLELANDS D.B. C'SHIP**

20 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL — 16 Yards  
Optional Sweeps: 50c each 10 targets and \$1.00 overall.

Nom. \$3.00

Event 3 —

**CANBERRA CUP**

**\$1100 HANDICAP**

30 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL

Nom. \$15.00

Shooting Accessories: 1st Trophy valued at \$580; 2nd Trophy valued at \$255;  
3rd Trophy valued at \$55; Yardage Prizes — 12-13, 14-15, 16-18, 19-20, 21-23,  
24-27 valued at (\$35 each) total \$210.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING

HIGH GUN TROPHY — Events 1, 2, 3 and 4 Saturday plus 2 and 3 Sunday.  
The Committee reserves the right to cancel or vary any event on the programme  
except the Elimination and Teams' Shoot.

LUNCHEON, CARTRIDGES, REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE ON GROUND.

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# NEW SOUTH WALES

**GUN CLUB  
LIMITED**

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WHERE SHOOTERS MEET

**SATURDAY, MARCH 1**

## **N.S.W. G.C. 90th ANNIVERSARY SHOOT**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 15 — 1.30 p.m.**

### **Sydney District Skeet Championship**

Handicap Trap Events on Traps 1 and 2.

**SATURDAY, MARCH 29 — 1.30 p.m.**

### **Sydney District D.B. Championship**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 12 — 1.30 p.m.**

### **HANDICAP TROPHY DAY**

TRAP, SKEET AND DOUBLE RISE EVENTS

**SATURDAY, APRIL 26 — 11.30 a.m.**

### **Sydney District Deau. Doubles Champ'ship**

**SATURDAY, MAY 10 — 1.30 p.m.**

### **HANDICAP TROPHY DAY**

**SATURDAY, MAY 24 — 1.30 p.m.**

### **Metropolitan S.B. Championship**

**SATURDAY, JUNE 7 — 1.30 p.m.**

### **Illawarra Winchester Shield**

20 Targets off 16 yards.

### **WINCHESTER WINTER HANDICAP**

1st Trophy Winchester Under and Over Gun.

Trophies for 2nd, 3rd and High Gun.

Practice Shooting every Wednesday 3.30 p.m.

Trophy and Sweepstakes each Wednesday night 7.30 p.m.

4 Electric Traps — Electric Skeet Lay Out — Modern Club House

Liquor Licence — Meals — Cartridges available.

A.C.T.A. MEMBERS HONORARY MEMBERS FOR THE SHOOT.

GEO WEST, President

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# TOOWOOMBA

**GUN CLUB (QLD)** (Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Ground Location:- 5 Miles West of City on Oakley Road.

## **BIG TWO DAY SHOOT — MARCH 29 & 30**

(Note DATE CHANGE now the 5th Weekend in March)

### **1ST DAY — SATURDAY 29th MARCH**

Commencing at 11 a.m. sharp, to be shot over 2 traps.

EVENT 1. **5 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL EYE-OPENER** Nom. 50c.

EVENT 2. **DARLING DOWNS DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP**

20 Targets from 16 yards — Nom. \$3.00 — Optional Sweeps  
50c. on each 10 — 1st Badge and Trophy — 2nd and 3rd Trophies

EVENT 3.

### **QUEENSLAND INTERMEDIATE DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP**

20 Targets from 16 yards. 12 to 16 yard shooters eligible  
Nom. \$4 — 1st Badge and Trophy — 2nd and 3rd Trophies  
in conjunction with this event — A back-markers Sweepstakes shot from 16 yards.  
Nom. \$2 for Targets and \$2 Sweeps.

EVENT 4. **\$200 — HANDICAP — \$200**

20 Targets Double-Barrel Points — Nom. \$8. Divided 60% 30% 10%.  
Trophies consist of shooting equipment or ammunition of the shooters choice  
to the appropriate value.

**SATURDAY NIGHT BAR-B-QUE AND DRINKS ON THE GROUNDS.**

### **2ND DAY — SUNDAY 30th MARCH**

Commencing 9.30 a.m. Sharp, to be shot over 2 Traps.

EVENT 1. **5 TARGETS SINGLE-BARREL EYE-OPENER** Nom. 50c.

EVENT 2. **TOOWOOMBA SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP**

20 Targets from 16 yards — Nom. \$3. Optional Sweeps  
50c. on each 10. 1st Badge and Trophy — 2nd and 3rd Trophies.

EVENT 3. **\$200 — "CRAVEN A" HANDICAP — \$200**

20 Targets Double-Barrel — Nom. \$8 — Divided 60% 30% 10%. Trophies to consist  
of shooting equipment and ammunition of the shooters choice to the appropriate  
value.

EVENT 4. **HOGARTH CUP (for perpetual competition)**

20 Targets Double-Barrel Points 3 and 2 — Nom. \$4  
Optional Sweeps 50c. on each 10. Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

EVENT 5. **\$500 — HANDICAP — \$500**

40 Targets Double-Barrel — Nom. \$13 — To be divided \$150 value — 60% 30%  
10% on first 20 Targets Double-Barrel; \$150 value — 60% 30% 10% on second 20  
Targets Double-Barrel. Points 3 and 2 score:- \$100 value on High Gun over 40  
Targets.

Yardage Cartridge Trophies \$20 value each 12 to 14 yards, 15 to 17 yards, 18 to 20  
yards, 21 to 23 yards, 24 to 27 yards. Trophies consist of shooting equipment or  
ammunition of the shooters choice to the appropriate value.

Sweep to be conducted on last event.

**HIGH GUN Trophy** — Kills only to count over all programmed events not including  
eye-openers. All events will be held under A.C.T.A. conditions and the Club  
reserves the right to alter or modify an event, change the sequence of events or  
cancel an event for which there is insufficient shooters.

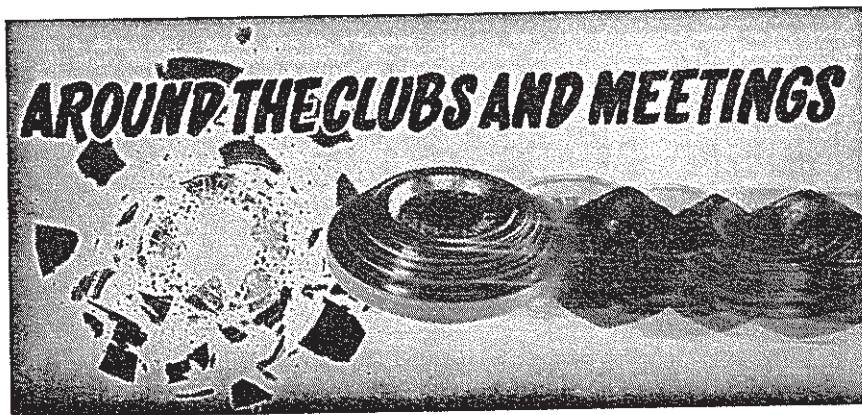
Refreshments and Meals available on grounds. Ammunition and Equipment available  
on grounds.

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**ALBANY (W.A.), 3/11/68.**—Weather conditions: fine and mild. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 15 pr. D.R.: 1st visit: M. Lubcke, 10/10; D. Webb, 9/10; C. Shepherd, 8/10; M. Gow, 7/10. 2nd visit: B. Ford, 9/10; C. Shepherd, G. Stone, D. Webb, M. Lubcke, J. Downer, R. McCarthy, L. Binks, J. Thompson, 6/10 each. 3rd visit: C. Shepherd, 9/10; D. Webb, 8/10; J. Downer, B. Ford, D. Mitchell, 6/10 — 1st, M. Lubcke; 2nd, C. Shepherd; 3rd, D. Webb. No. 2, Extra 20-tgt. D.B.: 1st visit, C. Shepherd, R. McCarthy, 10/10; B. Ford, J. Downer, M. Lubcke, 9/10; 2nd visit, C. Shepherd, D. Webb, 10/10; B. Ford, J. Downer, R. McCarthy, D. Mitchell, 9/10 — 1st, B. Ford; 2nd, R. McCarthy; 3rd, L. Binks; 4th, C. Shepherd.

(Jean M. Lubcke, Hon. Sec.)

**ALBANY (W.A.), 24/11/68.** — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, Barrel Warmers: C. Shepherd, G. Stone, D. Webb, J. Cameron, M. Lubcke, 5/5. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B.: C. Shepherd, G. Stone, M. Lubcke, 14/15; B. Ford, R. McCarthy, A. Fleay, 13/15; C. O'Donnell, L. Binks, J. Cameron, 12/15. No. 3, 15-tgt. S.B.: D. Webb, 14/15; G. Stone, C. Shepherd, L. Binks, 11/15; J. Downer, C. O'Donnell, B. Ford, J. Cameron, 10/15. Club H'cap: 1st, R. McCarthy, 23/30; 2nd, L. Binks, 27/30; 3rd, C. Shepherd, 25/30.

(Jean M. Lubcke, Hon. Sec.)

**ALBANY (W.A.), 25, 26/1/69.** — Weather conditions: ideal. Attendance: 39. Results: No. 1, C'wealth Walk-up Sparrows: 1st, G. Bailey (Perth), 17/25; 2nd, D. Webb (Albany), 16/25; 3rd, T. Catling (Katanning), 16/25; 14-15 yds., M. Gow (Albany), 16-17 yds., G. Hall (Albany); 18-19 yds., C. O'Donnell (Albany); 20 yds., etc., I. Gibson (Katanning). No. 2, Dist. Winchester Cartridge C'ship: 1st, T. Catling (Katanning), 20/20; 2nd, D. Cumming (Perth), 20/20; 3rd, G. Bailey (Perth), 19/20; 12-14 yds., M. Gow (Albany), 19/20; 15-16 yds., A. E. Warburton (Kojonup), 19/20; 17-18-19 yds., G. Stone (Albany), 19/20; 20 back yds., D. Anderson (Katanning), 19/20. No. 3, State Walk-up: 1st, D. Cumming (Katanning), 18/20; 2nd, I. Gibson (Katanning), 18/20; 3rd, G. Stone (Albany), 17/20; 14-15 yds., T. Hollingsworth (Katanning), 16/20; 16 yds., M. Gow (Albany), 16/20; 17-18-19 yds., D. Webb

(Albany), 17/20; B/M., K. Anderson (Kojonup), 16/20. No. 4, King George Sound Winchester Gun H'cap (\$270): 1st, T. Wells (South West), 30/30; 2nd, C. Hinkley (Narrogin), 29/30; 3rd, K. Vincent (Wangaratta, V.), 29/30; 13-14 yds., J. Thompson (Albany); 16 yds., J. Cameron (Albany); 17-18-19 yds., D. Webb (Albany); B/M., I. Gibson (Katanning). \$20 comp. div.: A. Fleay, D. Webb, G. Stone, A. Holmes. High Gun Badges: C. V. Hinkley (Narrogin), D. A. B. Webb (Albany). Veterans' Trophy: J. Battersby (Katanning).

(Jean M. Lubcke, Hon. Sec.)

**ALEXANDRA (V.), Sat., 4/1/69.**—20-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 6 shot the possible. Lin Baxter was the winner and eventual High Gun for the day. Bill Lonie shot well to take second, with D. Madden third; F/M. trophy went to Bill Jones.

The main event at night was also over 20 tgts., and our local shooter, Bob Nicolson, shot brilliantly to take this out, along with a 50 break. Bob beat Freddie Buchan, and Geoff Boswell run third.

**ALEXANDRA (S.A.), 8/12/68.** — No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: 14 shooters shot 10 tgts. No. 2, 20-tgt. Xmas Cheer H'cap: 1st, R. Fry, 45/45; 2nd, D. Plummer, 44/45; 3rd, P. Macrow, 43/44. No. 3, 10 pr. D. Rise: 1st, K. Flaherty, 19/20; 2nd, R. Mules, 22/24; 3rd, A. Ralston, 21/24. No. 4, D. Doubles: 1st, A. Ralston - M. Jaeger, 36/36; 2nd, P. Mules - A. Perry, 35/36; 3rd, W. Maddock - P. Hartmann, 28/29. No. 5, Skeet: 1st, A. Ralston, 33/35; 2nd, P. Macrow, 32/35; 3rd, J. Ralston, 25/29.

(Lyle G. Griffin, Hon. Sec.)

**ALEXANDRA (S.A.), 19/1/69.** — No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: M. Fontana, R. Mules, N. Chellew, B. Hollywood, J. Murphy, M. Kerley, P. Macrow, P. Marconi, H. Moore, A. Ralston. No. 2, \$100 H'cap: div. P. Macrow, C. Verbio, R. Alvaro. E. Boldrin, 20/20. No. 3, Don Fleetwood Trophy: 1st, M. Kerley, 60/60; 2nd, P. Macrow, 59/60; 3rd, R. Dini, 41/42; yardage, B. Rayner, 30/31.

Weather conditions were fine and mild for the 35 shooters. Also congratulations to M. Kerley on winning Fleetwood Trophy with 60/60.

(Lyle G. Griffin, Hon. Sec.)

**APSLEY (V.), 17/1/69.** — Weather conditions: windy. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O. H'cap: B. Robinson, S. Williams, H. Williamson, P. Cleggett Jr., H. Miller, P. Seneca, I. Roberts, R. Andrews, C. England, J. Humphris, L. Williams, B. England, J. Murphy, 5/5. No. 2, \$30 Trophy H'cap (10 tgts.): 1st, J. Humphris, 40/40; 2nd, H. Miller, 39/40; 3rd, J. Murphy, 21/22; F/M., N. H. Chellew, 7/10. No. 3, \$30 Cash H'cap (10 tgts.): P. Cleggett Jr., J. Humphris, B. England, 10/10, div. High Gun: J. Humphris, 20/20.

A cool change after a very hot, windy day made conditions pleasant though windy. Congratulations to Jim Humphris, who shot throughout the evening without missing a target.

(Athol Miller, Hon. Sec.)

**ARARAT (V.), 15/12/68.** — Weather conditions: hot and windy. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O. Pts. (C.D.): W. Peart, 15 pts.; A. Bant, A. Wohlers, 14 pts. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: W. Peart, 1st; A. Mahoney, 2nd; R. Harrison, 3rd. No. 3, 5 prs. D. Rise: B. Wigg, 1st; W. Peart, 2nd; A. Mahoney, 3rd.

(W. Peart, Hon. Sec.)

**ARARAT (V.), 6/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine, mild. Attendance: 44. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O. Pts. (C.D.): W. Peart, V. Hamilton, B. Jenkins, R. Eason, I. Stewart, M. Morrissey, G. Willett, N. Paneco. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap (3 equal firsts): M. Morrissey (Callawadda), C. Stewart (Callawadda), N. Smart (Ararat), 30/30. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. (5 off 12 yds., 5 off 27 yds.): K. Hamilton (Ararat), R. Eason (Ballarat), T. McDonald (Hamilton), 24/24.

(W. Peart, Hon. Sec.)

**ARARAT (V.), 3/1/69.** — Weather conditions: fine, strong winds. Attendance: 45. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O. Pts.: div. 11 shooters—G. Willett, H. Bantz, A. Shepherd, W. Crouch, J. Lowe, R. Bell, A. McKenzie, G. Sottovia, C. Walker, G. Stanes, H. Sommers. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. (3 equal prizes), div. 7 shooters—G. Robson, M. Morrissey, P. Scott, B. Robinson, G. Sottovia, H. Vaughan. No. 3, 5-tgt. S.B. S'take: div. 6 shooters—A. McKenzie, G. Sottovia, R. Frazer, G. Willett, K. Hamilton, M. Morrissey.

Our first meeting of the New Year was a very encouraging one in that the attendance figures was one of the best we have had. Shooters had very windy conditions to compete under, which is becoming a set pattern.

H. Vaughan, shooting from 23 yds., only missed two tgts. for the night. Morris Morrissey never missed a tgt. and earned a penalty of a yard.

Shooters from Ballarat, Noorat, Stawell, Callawadda, Beaufort and Horsham attended to make this shoot a very successful one, and we look forward to your continued support.

(G. L. Willett, Sec.-Treas.)

**ATHERTON (Qld.), 1/12/68.** — No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B.: D. Byrnes, B. Panigas, H. Nasser, H. Rankine, W. Ryan, 10/10. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. Pts.: 1st, H. Nasser, 54/54; 2nd, H. Rankine, 51/54; 3rd, N. Dempsey, 23/54; best 12-13 ydr., J. Millar. No. 3, Jack Page Memorial: 1st, J. Wharton, 40/40;

2nd, H. Rankine, 38/40; 3rd, J. Ashford, 37/40; best 12-13 ydr., M. Prochazka. No. 4, Novice 5-tgt. S.B.: 1st, K. Gorton; 2nd, J. Dowling. No. 5, I.C.I.A.N.Z. Trophy: 1st, S. Day; 2nd, J. Ball; 3rd, H. Rankine; best 12-13 ydr., R. Dunn. No. 6, Novice 5-tgt. D.B. Pts.: 1st, J. Millar, 15/16; 2nd, R. Dunn, 14/15. No. 7, Far Northern Lions Clubs' Team Shoot: 10-tgt. D.B. Pts.: 1st, Ravenshoe, 138/150; 2nd, Atherton No. 1, 131/150; 3rd, Herberton, 114/150. No. 8, 10-tgt. D.B. Pts.: 1st, J. Ball, 69/69; 2nd, H. Nasser, 68/69; best 12-13 ydr., R. Dunn, 30/30. No. 9, Ladies 5-tgt. S.B.: 1st, A. Ashford; 2nd, B. Steinhardt. No. 10 (a), Novice Students' 5-tgt. D.B.: 1st, M. Nasser; 2nd, D. Nasser. No. 10 (b) 4 prs. D'ville Doubles: 1st pair, B. Panigas - A. Pezzelato; 2nd pair, R. Dunn - J. Day. No. 11, Night 5-tgt. D.B.: H. Rankine, R. Plant, J. Beattie, J. Wharton, 5/5. No. 12, Q'land D.B. Night C'ship (30 tgts. equal barrel, off 18 yds.): 1st, H. Nasser, 30/30; 2nd, J. Ashford, 29/30; 3rd, R. Dunn, 28/30. High Gun won by H. Nasser.

Weather conditions were excellent. Barbecue was enjoyed by all.

(C. Cahill, Sec.)

**AUSTRALIAN (V.), 21/12/68.** — Attendance: 136 for Christmas shoot. 30-tgt. D.B. H'cap (Grade Trophies): 12-15 yds.: F. Burgess, 32/33; R. McHutchinson, 31/32; 16-18 yds.: I. Porter, 62/62; W. Hull, 61/62; 19-21 yds.: F. Buchan, 30/30; V. Harper, 29/30; 20 yds. and over, W. Bruino, 34/36; W. Stone, 33/36. 25-tgt. Skeet (Graded Trophies): "A" Grade: J. Newton-Thomas, 50/50; D. Edgerton, 49/50; "B" Grade: F. Burgess, 32/33; R. Mayberry, 31/33; "C" Grade: J. Ousey, 23/25; W. Henwood, 22/25.

Pull ham to all first-prize winners, half-ham to all seconds, and seasonal trophies to every shooter. Barbecue tea and hospitality greatly enjoyed until after dark.

4/1/69. — All Cash Day from Handicaps. 10-tgt. D.B.: div. H. Williamson, S. Stamell, W. Gresselle, E. McGoldrick, R. Brown, N. De Lorenzo, W. Stone, T. De Lorenzo. 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap: won outright R. Garth, 20/20; minor places div. 3 shooters. 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: R. Fallshaw, 0 plus 25; T. De Lorenzo, 3 plus 23; S. Neale, 4 plus 21; I. Porter, 1 plus 25; T. Minton, 9 plus 16. 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: L. Croxford, 7 plus 18; R. Fallshaw, 0 plus 24; R. Burrill, 0 plus 22.

18/1/69. — Good attendance of 40 for H'cap Trophy Day. 10-tgt. E.O.: 8 div.—S. Stamell, A. Morris, J. Paul, J. Reizneck, R. McMicking, D. Edgerton, M. Doherty, M. Goulding. 20-tgt. D.B. Trophy: W. Bruino, 26/26; A. F. Drake, 26/27; F. Phelan, 26/27; F/M., A. Morris, 20/20. 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: div. A. Morris, D. Edgerton, W. Copeland, A. F. Drake. 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap S'take: I. Porter, 0 plus 25; N. Filby, 3 plus 22; J. Kilkenny, 2 plus 19; L. Croxford, 7 plus 21; R. Dinsdale, 1 plus 24. 26-tgt. Skeet H'cap S'take: T. Kilkenny, 6 plus 20; L. Croxford, 7 plus 24.

The club shall hold its last shoot at Burwood in March, 1969.

(John Lucas, Hon. Sec.)

**BAIRNSDALE (V.), 14/12/68.** — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 34. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts.: 1st, S. Collins, 36/36; 2nd, L. Hirt, 35/36; 3rd, K. Browne, 34/36. No. 2, 5-tgt. D.B.: 1st, S. Lett, 14/14; 2nd, D. Young, 12/13; 3rd, L. Byles, 11/12. No.



3, 5-tgt. S.B.: 1st, L. Byles, 12/12; 2nd, J. Walker, 19/21; 3rd, E. Dowe, 18/21. No. 4, 5-tgt. Walk-up: 1st, C. Heath, 17/17; 2nd, J. Greene, 16/17; 3rd, D. Young, 12/13. No. 5, 10-tgt. Pts.: 1st, J. Greene, 66/66; 2nd, K. Browne, 63/66; 3rd, S. Collins, 60/63.

(Stan M. Collins, Hon. Sec.)

**BAIRNSDALE (V.), 28/12/68.** — Weather conditions: good, some rain. Attendance: 41. Results (Night shoot): No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts.: div. E. Dowe, G. Taylor, D. Albanese, J. Hollonds, A. Kyle, J. Belcombe, H. Logan, Jack Collins. No. 2, Gippsland D.B. Night C'ship: 1st, S. Collins, 33/34; 2nd, J. Hollonds, 32/34; 3rd, W. Dalzell, 31/33. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, J. Hollonds, 17/17; 2nd, N. Elliott, 16/17; 3rd, M. Huggins, 15/16.

A good turn-up for our last shoot of the year, with 24 visitors. The main event saw five shooters record 19/20, with no possibles registered.

(Stan Collins, Hon. Sec.)

**BAIRNSDALE (V.), 11/1/69.** — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. (16 yds.): div. R. Walker, S. Collins, M. Huggins, N. Elliott, K. Hoffman, R. Glover, 15/16. No. 2, East Gippsland D.B. C'ship: 1st, R. Glover, 29/29; 2nd, S. Collins, 31/32; 3rd, J. Patterson, 30/32. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap Sweep: div. S. Collins, J. Hollonds, T. Pedersen, E. Dowe, K. Hoffman, Jack Collins, 10/10.

(Stan M. Collins, Hon. Sec.)

**BARMERA (S.A.), 8/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine and hot. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. E.O.: H. Curnow, I. Campbell, G. Clark, 10/10. No. 2, W. S. & A. N. Wright Trophy (20-target D.B. H'cap): 1st, E. R. Barratt, 34/34; 2nd, D. Bannear, 33/34. No. 3, Xmas Trophy (5 D.B., 5 S.B., 5 Secret Call, 5 D.B. Sparrow): 1st, A. Grose, 25/25; 2nd, E. R. Barratt.

(K. J. Coats, Sec.)

**BERRIDALE (N.S.W.), 14/12/68.** — Weather conditions: very good. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B.: 1st, M. Fraser; 2nd, B. Scanes; 3rd, A. Feilen. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts.: 1st, A. Povey; 2nd, R. Sands; 3rd, L. Venables. No. 3, 10-tgt. Novelty: 1st, B. Scanes; 2nd, A. Povey; 3rd, M. Fraser. No. 4, 10-tgt. S. Rise: 1st, P. Byrne; 2nd, A. Feilen; 3rd, C. Fraser. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: 1st, T. Hayden; 2nd, C. Trevanion; 3rd, B. Scanes. High Gun: A. Povey.

(Ross L. Britt, Hon. Sec.)

**BERRIDALE (N.S.W.), 11/1/69.** — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B.: 1st, M. Fraser, B. Scanes, A. Povey, L. Venables, H. Kennedy, R. Sands. No. 2, 5 pr. D. Rise: 1st, M. Fraser; 2nd, A. Povey, A. Feilen, R. Maiden, O. Feilen. No. 3, 10-tgt. Pts.: 1st, M. Fraser; 2nd, B. Scanes. No. 4, 5 S.B., 5 D.B.: 1st, L. Venables; 2nd, C. Fraser. No. 5, 15-tgt. Continental: 1st, B. Scanes; 2nd, C. Trevanion. High Gun: M. Fraser.

(Ross L. Britt, Hon. Sec.)

**BOMBALA (N.S.W.), 21/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine but windy. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B.: 1st, H. Kennedy, 28/28; 2nd, C. Trevanion, 27/28; F/M., T. Kennedy, 8/10. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts.: 1st, D. Badewitz, 45/45; 2nd, D. Twigg, 44/45; F/M., A. Caldwell, 32/36. No. 3, 10 S.B. Sparrows: 1st, A. Feilen, 10/10; 2nd, T. Kennedy, 9/10; 3rd, R. Feilen, 10/12. No. 4, 10-tgt. Gun Down: 1st, A. Caldwell, 19/19; 2nd, B. Scanes, 18/19; F/M., J. Badewitz, 11/12. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: 1st, C. Trevanion, 10/10; 2nd, O. Feilen, 13/14; 3rd, R. Sands, 10/12.

(Mrs. M. F. Badewitz, Hon. Sec.)

**BOMBALA (N.S.W.), 18/1/69.** — Weather conditions: fine but windy. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O.: 1st, div. J. Badewitz, A. Feilen, D. Badewitz, L. Venables, H. Kennedy, A. Bookallil, 5/5. No. 2, 10 D.B. Sparrows: 1st, B. Scanes, 24/24; 2nd, L. Venables, 23/24; F/M., A. Campbell, 11/14. No. 3, 20-tgt. S.B. Club C'ship: 1st, L. Venables, 20/20; 2nd, B. Caldwell, 21/22; 3rd, O. Feilen, 20/22; F/M., D. Twigg, 16/20. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B.: 1st, div. P. Bookallil, B. Scanes, B. Caldwell, J. Badewitz, 10/10. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: 1st, A. Feilen, 13/14; 2nd, B. Scanes, 12/14; F/M., A. Campbell, 10/12. No. 6, 10-tgt. Quail: 1st, D. Badewitz, 10/10; 2nd, div. L. Venables, O. Feilen, T. Hayden, B. Scanes, 9/10. High Gun: L. Venables.

(Mrs. M. F. Badewitz, Hon. Sec.)

**BOORT (V.), 21/12/68 (Xmas Shoot).** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 38. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B.: 1st, A. Walker, 18/18; 2nd, G. Taylor, 17/18; 3rd, N. Nalder, 14/15; 4th, A. Mason, 12/13. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B.: 1st, S. Schlitz; 2nd, F. James; 3rd, N. Nalder; 4th, F. Baker.

(J. Piccoli, Hon. Sec.)

**BUNDABERG (Qld.), 12/1/69.** — Weather conditions: hot and humid. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, E.O. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. Kills: J. Gray, E. Drinnen, L. Mooring, T. Jensen, 10/10. No. 3, 20-tgt. D.B. Pts. S'takes: E. Jensen, 59/60; M. Sankowsky, 56/60; E. Drinnen, 54/60. No. 4, 10-tgt. S.B. Kills: W. Schoch, 10/10; J. Gray, M. Sankowsky, D. Moller, 9/10. No. 5, 10-tgt. D. Rise S'takes: D. Taylor, 9/10; B. Thiele, 8/10; R. McCracken, E. Drinnen, 7/10.

New committee's recommendation of introducing a novelty event for each month's shoot (Jan. 1969 — D. Rise) well received. With the proposal of inviting sporting organisations separately to participate in social shoots with members, should encourage shooters to be gun shooters also. With nine enthusiastic potential shooters attending, members are keen to assist in shooting techniques. Enquiries are now being made for club guns and it is envisaged 1969 will really introduce gun shooting to the city.

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

**CALIVIL (V.), 1/1/69.** — Weather conditions: very good. Attendance: 47. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B.: F. Day, R. West, C. Johnston, K. Shearer, E. Doyle, O. Dowker, W. O'Shannessy, G. Shields, B. Santon, F. Adamson, M. Carboon, T. Voddan, div. Main Event, D.B. C'ship (off 16 yds.): 1st, R. Harris; 2nd, C. Johnston; 3rd, F. Day; F/M. trophy, M. Barnes. No. 3, 5-tgt. D.B.: G.

Bennett, N. Carboon, L. Ervin, O. Dowker, M. Barnes, G. Elstob, G. Orouch, W. O'Shannessy, F. Doyle, div.

(H. Reg Humbert, Hon. Sec.)

**CENTRAL BURNETT (Qld.), 15/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine and sunny. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1, 20-tgt. D.B. Club C'ship: D. Gull, 116/116; R. B. Bloxsome, 115/116; G. Darlington, 66/67. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts. H'cap: D. Gull, O. B. Bloxsome, S. Marks, N. Goody, K. Vicary, J. Trotti, R. Kentish, R. McCracken, J. Webb, 30 pts. No. 3, 10 ducks Gun Down: T. Goody, N. Wilson, R. Kamradt, R. B. Bloxsome, 10/10. No. 4, 4 sets D'ville Triples: 5 pairs shooters div. stubbies with 3/4. No. 5, 5 prs. D. Rise (black and white): S. Kentish, 10/10; B. Goody, J. Gray, N. Wilson, G. Hoole, 9/10.

(O. B. Bloxsome, Hon. Sec.)

**CENTRAL BURNETT (Qld.), 19/1/69.** — Weather conditions: very hot and fine. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: B. Goody, D. Taylor, N. Goody, equal 5/5. No. 2, 20-tgt. Pts. H'cap: K. Vicary, 60/60; O. B. Bloxsome, 94/98; N. Goody, 92/98. No. 3, Walk-up C'ship: N. Goody, 15/15; O. B. Bloxsome, 14/15; D. Smith, 13/15. No. 4, 10 prs. D. Rise (16 yds.): D. Gull, 17/20; D. Smith, 16/20; G. Linscott, N. Goody, O. B. Bloxsome, 15/20.

The usual small attendance for January, in extremely hot conditions. The Jack Webb trophy was won by consistent Ken Vicary from O. B. Bloxsome and N. Goody, who shot off for the places. The Walk-up Club C'ship went to Noel Goody from Monto. This youngster has a bright future. President Don Gull took out the D. Rise.

(O. B. Bloxsome, Hon. Sec.)

**CESSNOCK CITY (N.S.W.), 14/12/68.** — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 29. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B.: G. Clendinning, J. Vernon, K. Pearce, E. Hill, K. Morgan, A. George, W. Collis, B. Phillip, J. Hunter, C. Bland, B. Smith, R. Woollen, 10/10. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. Pts. Trophy: 1st, P. Jenkin, 59/60; 2nd, R. Marshall, 67/69; 3rd, K. Pearce, 66/69; F/M., B. Dick, 56/60. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B.: K. Morgan, J. Jenness, 10/10.

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

**CESSNOCK CITY (N.S.W.), 18/1/69.** — Weather conditions: hot and windy. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B.: S. Coyle, T. Turner, 10/10. No. 2, 20-tgt. Mixed Trophy: 1st, B. Phillip, 44/47; 2nd, B. Smith, 43/47; 3rd, C. Bland, 29/32; F/M., J. Hunter, 15/20. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. Pts.: R. Lambkin, T. Turner, R. Boggiss, R. Dean, 10/10.

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

**CLONCURRY (Qld.), 14/12/68 (Night).** — Weather conditions: mild. Attendance: 13. Results: 10-tgt. D.B. E.O.: 1st, H. Smith, 10/10; R. Wharton, A. C. Selke, R. Batt, 9/10. No. 2, Nth. Qld. D.B. Night title (20 tgts., 16 yds.): 1st, E. A. Lemmon, 20/20; 2nd, G. Muller; 3rd, S. Linton. No. 3, Club Perpetual Trophy (20-tgt. D.B. Pts.): 1st, G. Lemmon, 59/60; 2nd, G. Muller, 58/60; 3rd, R. Wharton, 57/60. No. 4, 15-tgt. S.B. \$30.00 H'cap: 1st, S. Linton, 13/15; 2nd, E. A. Lemmon, 12/15; 3rd, E. Sebastiani, 12/15.

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

# SEBASTOPOL (Ballarat)

## GUN CLUB ♦ ♦ ♦ VIC.

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.) — 2 TRAPS —

**SATURDAY, 15th MARCH, 1969**

1.00 p.m.

## Commonwealth Double-rise Sparrow Championship

1st Sash and trophy, 2nd and 3rd trophies.  
Optional Sweeps on each ten pair. Nomination \$4.

**OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING**

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Bus. Hours 2.5366.



**CLONCURRY (Qld.), 11/1/69 (Night).** — Weather conditions: warm and cloudy. Attendance: 10. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O. H'cap: 1st, C. Selke, E. A. Lemmon, E. Sebastiani, 5/5. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. Trophy H'cap: 1st, C. Selke, 18/20; 2nd, H. Smith, 17/20; 3rd, S. Linton, 17/20. No. 3, 15-tgt. D.B. Pts. Trophy H'cap: 1st, S. Linton, 44/45; 2nd, C. Buhagaria, 42/45; 3rd, C. Selke, 40/45. No. 4, 20-tgt. D.B. Pts. Club Trophy: 1st, H. Smith, 60/60; 2nd, S. Linton, 56/60; 3rd, E. A. Lemmon, D. Harrison.

Our monthly shoot and the first for the year was a night programme. Ten shooters from Mt. Isa and Cloncurry. The club trophy shot for each month was won by Harvey Smith of Mt. Isa, who now has two wins to his credit in this event. Congratulations, Harvey, and also to the winners of the other two trophy events, G. Lemmon and S. Linton, both youngsters and doing well to date in getting amongst their share of trophies.

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

**COBAR (N.S.W.), 8/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: P. Brown, R. Pike, J. McNamara, F. Pryor, J. Webster, A. Burgess, 10/10 — R. Pike, 1st; A. Burgess, 2nd. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts.: R. Pike, H. Manns, F. Pryor, R. Morris, J. Manns, 30/30 — 1st, H. Manns; 2nd, R. Morris. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B. H'cap: J. Manns, 1st; 10/10; H. Manns, J. McNamara, F. Pryor, R. Morris, J. Webster, R. Webster, 9/10 — 2nd, J. McNamara. No. 4, 10-tgt. Pts.: M. Burgess, 1st; J. McNamara, R. Morris, R. Webster, A. Burgess, 27/30 — J. McNamara and A. Burgess, div. 2nd. No. 5, 10-tgt. D.R. Club C'ship: R. Morris, J. Webster, M. Burgess, A. Eves, 8/10; F.M., K. O'Connor — 1st, J. Webster; 2nd, R. Morris.

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

**COFFS HARBOUR (N.S.W.), 11/1/69.** — Weather conditions: fine, light breeze. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts.:

D. Secombe, J. Tyquin, div. 1st and 2nd, 10/30; A. Fotheringham, 3rd, 10/29. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts.: A. Fotheringham, 1st, 10/30; J. Leussink, S. Cox, E. Simmon, R. Morley, 10/29, div. 2nd and 3rd. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B.: T. Sinclair, J. Leussink, P. Thompson, D. Secombe, S. Cox, J. Tyquin, M. Bailey, E. Simmon, T. Siddins, G. D. T. Secombe, J. Forsythe, D. Scowcroft, R. Morley, 10/10, div. No. 4, 10-tgt. S.B.: P. Thompson, M. Bailey, A. Fotheringham, 10/10, div. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: A. Fotheringham, J. Forsythe, H. T. Siddins, 10/10, div. No. 6, 40 tgts. over 1 to 4: J. Tyquin, 53/54, 1st; A. Fotheringham, 52/54, 2nd; R. Morley, 43/45, 3rd. High Gun: A. Fotheringham, 49/50.

Visitors shot well to take out the major events of the day. Extra events were conducted after the programme, 5 pr. D'ville Doubles being won by Club President, Sandy Cox, and Arthur Fotheringham.

(J. Forsythe, Hon. Sec.)

**COFFS HARBOUR (N.S.W.), 25/1/69.** — Weather conditions: gusty. Attendance: 9. Results: No. 1, Skeet: M. Bailey, G. Blundell, div. 1st and 2nd; J. Forsythe, 3rd. No. 2, Skeet: J. Williamson, 1st; G. Blundell, M. Bailey, div. 2nd and 3rd. No. 3, 10-tgt. Continental S'take: J. Forsythe, 1st; J. Leussink, J. Williamson, div. 2nd and 3rd. No. 4, 10-tgt. Continental S'take: W. Cox, J. Williamson, div. 1st and 2nd; M. Bailey, J. Forsythe, div. 3rd. No. 5, 10-tgt. Continental (lowest score buys lottery ticket): J. Forsythe.

The first skeet afternoon for 1969, to be conducted on the fourth Saturday each month over the club's new "Continental" trap. Event 5 proved a popular innovation, nomination targets only, lowest scorer to buy a lottery ticket. The doubtful honour went to club Sec., J. Forsythe.

A popular visit by Guyra shooting team, Bruce and Shan Blomfield, Bruce performing well at his first glimpse of skeet.

(J. Forsythe, Hon. Sec.)

**COHUNA (V.), 27/12/68.** — Weather conditions: cool, windy. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O. D.B. (C.D.): A. Walker, M. Tate, R. Hipwell, K. Frankling, N. Nalder, J. Saville. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. Trophy: 1st, R. Hipwell, 28/28; 2nd, N. Nalder, 27/28; 3rd, C. Ballard, 23/24; op. sweep div. A. Walker, M. Tate, R. Hipwell, G. Elstob, N. Nalder. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. S/S.: div. M. Tate, L. Davis, K. Frankling, N. Nalder. No. 4, 5-tgt. D.B. S/S.: div. M. Tate, R. Hipwell, K. Frankling, J. Saville. No. 5, 5-tgt. D.B. S/S.: div. K. Frankling, G. Elstob, N. Nalder.

Shooters came from Quambatook, Kerang, Leitchville and Cohuna to our shoot.

(Keith Frankling, Hon. Sec.)

**COHUNA (V.), 13/12/68.** — Weather conditions: very good. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O. D.B. (C.D.): G. Bennett, L. Davis, C. Williams, A. Easton, J. Kennedy, G. Elstob, J. Miller, M. Tate, C. Bowman, K. Frankling, J. Saville. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B.: 1st, R. Fowler; 2nd, C. Bowman; 3rd, F. Day; op. sweep div. F. Twiss, C. Ballard, F. Day, C. Bowman, R. Fowler. No. 3, 10-tgt. S/S.: div. F. Twiss, F. Day, J. Saville, M. Tate, R. Fowler. No. 4, 5-tgt. S/S.: div. L. Davis, R. Hipwell, C. Ballard, J. Adams, J. Miller, M. Tate.

Twenty shooters from Echuca, Leitchville, Kerang and Cohuna came along to our shoot to contest the trophies.

(Keith Frankling, Hon. Sec.)

**COHUNA (V.), 29/11/68.** — Weather conditions: cool, with slight wind. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O. (C.D.), 16 yds.: div. L. Davis, C. Ballard, G. Hipwell, J. Kennedy, J. Adams, C. Bowman, V. Yeaman, M. McDonald, M. Tate, N. Nalder, A. Easton. No. 2, 20-tgt. Cohuna Dist. D.B. C'ship: 1st, A. James; 2nd, R. Fowler; 3rd, R. Peacock; op. sweep div. R. Hipwell, A. James, R. Fowler, F. Day, M. Tate, R. Peacock. No. 3, 10-tgt. S/S.: div. R. Fowler, J. Miller, F. Day, C. Bowman, M. McDonald, M. Tate.

(Keith Frankling, Hon. Sec.)

**COHUNA (V.), 11/1/69.** — Weather conditions: hot, with a little wind. Attendance: 42. Day Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O. D.B. (C.D.): J. Miller, I. Beattie, A. Ball, M. Tate, L. Shallard, A. Easton, P. Masters, G. Elstob, J. McGraw, C. Ballard, D. Moore, F. James. No. 2, 20-tgt. \$530 H'cap: 1st, K. Frankling, 49/49; 2nd, I. Beattie, 48/49; 3rd, N. Haslam, 32/33; op. sweep 1st ten: F. Day, R. Hipwell, K. Frankling, I. Beattie, L. Shallard, P. Masters, J. McGraw, W. Makeham, N. Haslam, F. James; 2nd ten: N. Scott, R. Hipwell, K. Frankling, R. Heywood, I. Beattie, D. Rumbold, A. Easton, J. McGraw, C. Ballard, P. Rhodes, A. Kerr, N. Haslam, S. Fraser, J. Saville, A. Richmond, F. Twiss. No. 3, 10-tgt. S/S. D.B.: div. F. Day, L. Davis, M. Williams, C. Mudford, C. Johnson, D. Rumbold, C. Bowman, P. Masters, J. McGraw, P. Rhodes, N. Haslam, S. Fraser, A. Richmond, C. Radcliffe.

A good attendance from Finley, Euroa, Melbourne, Bendigo, Echuca, Mathoura, Birchip, Quambatook, Kerang, Leitchville and Cohuna. The day's fixtures went off very well, with the Deep Freeze going to Keith Frankling, and Ivan Beattie, 2nd; this shooter can really shoot single barrel; Norm

Haslam of Birchip 3rd. Two shooters in this event obtained their 50 break—Keith Frankling and Ivan Beattie.

We wish to thank all the shooters for coming so far and making it so successful.

(Keith Frankling, Hon. Sec.)

**COHUNA (V.), 11/1/69.** — Weather conditions: warm and calm. Attendance: 30. Night Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O. D.B. (36 yds., C.D.): C. Radcliffe, C. Bowman, K. Frankling, C. Johnson, J. McGraw, R. Hipwell, G. Bennett, V. Yeaman, J. Miller, M. McDonald, G. Hipwell, R. Peacock, C. Mudford, K. Dobson. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. Club C'ship: 1st, R. Peacock, 76/76; 2nd, N. Haslam, 75/76; 3rd, C. Mudford, 36/36; op. sweep 1st ten: D. Moore, C. Bowman, K. Frankling, N. Haslam, J. Kennedy, C. Johnson, J. McGraw, R. Hipwell, N. Nalder, F. James, M. Williams, M. Tate, L. Davis, R. Peacock, C. Mudford, K. Dobson; 2nd ten: C. Radcliffe, S. Fraser, N. Haslam, L. Shallard, R. Hipwell, I. Beattie, G. Hipwell, R. Peacock, C. Mudford, K. Dobson. No. 3, 5-tgt. S/S. D.B.: div. D. Moore, C. Radcliffe, W. Makeham, J. McGraw, K. Frankling, L. Shallard, J. Saville, R. Hipwell, V. Yeaman, M. Tate, R. Peacock, P. Dobson.

The night fixtures went off very well, with the shooters staying on and having tea at the club, which was provided by the ladies. The championship was won by Rex Peacock with 76/76; N. Haslam, 2nd, 75/76. Norm had a mixed day; he was third in the H'cap and second in the C'ship. Nice to see our old friend Clem up having a shot and coming third in the C'ship.

(Keith Frankling, Hon. Sec.)

**COHUNA (V.), 24/1/69.** — Weather conditions: warm, with showers. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O. D.B. (C.D.): div. F. Day, G. Bennett, R. Hipwell, J. Miller, C. Radcliffe, A. Kerr, K. Frankling, C. Bowman, L. Davis, V. Yeaman, J. Adams. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. Trophy: 1st, R. Hipwell, 19/19; 2nd, A. Easton, 18/19; 3rd, F. Day, 17/18; op. sweep div. C. Radcliffe, A. Kerr, K. Frankling, A. Walker. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. S/S.: cut F. Day, G. Bennett, F. Twiss, C. Radcliffe, A. Kerr, C. Woods, M. Tate. No. 4, 5-tgt. D.B. S/S.: F. Day, R. Hipwell, C. Radcliffe, A. Kerr, C. Ballard, C. Bowman, L. Davis, V. Yeaman, M. Tate.

Shooters from Echuca, Kerang, Cohuna and Leitchville. Everyone seemed to enjoy shower of welcome rain after the hot weather. Reg Hipwell won the trophy event; he is shooting well lately. Kelly Easton was second; he is an old, good shooter; Fred Day third.

This is my last shoot as Secretary of the Cohuna Gun Club and I wish to thank everyone who has helped me.

(Keith Frankling, Hon. Sec.)

**COLAC (V.), 6/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 36. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts.: div. J. Thomas, P. McDonald, S. Hamill, F. Dignan, R. G. Bryant, N. Wenning, E. Osborne, M. Holloway, L. Reicha, E. Lumb, I. Holt, S. Bennett, 15/15. No. 2, 15-tgt. Xmas Hamper Event: 12-15 yds.: F. Dignan, E. Lumb, D. Lestranger; 15-18 yds.: C. Grist, R. G. Bryant, N. Wenning; 19-21 yds.: S. Bennett, M. Sutherland, S. Mitchell; 22 and over: E. Osborne, I. Holt, L. Reicha, G. Green, B. Hamill, J.

## MELBOURNE GUN CLUB (V)

(FORMERLY LILYDALE CLUB)

Victoria Road, Lilydale. Affiliated A.C.T.A. 4 Auto Traps and Skeet.

Shoot Commences 9.30 a.m.

SATURDAY, 15th MARCH, 1969

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COMMONWEALTH SKEET SPARROWS CHAMPIONSHIP

Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

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SATURDAY, 26th APRIL, 1969

INTERSTATE TEAMS SHOOT — VICTORIAN DIVISION

President: R. W. FOX

Secretary: PETER JOSS,  
50 Morna Road, East Doncaster. 842-1504.



Yates. No. 3, Xmas Hamper Novice Event (under 15 years): 1st, T. Tarrent; 2nd, G. Holt.

Shooters from Warrnambool, Noorat, Geelong, Barwon Heads, Cobden, Dundonnell joined local and district members, and hamper were keenly shot for.

(Arthur Neale, Hon. Sec.)

**COLAC (V.), 31/1/69.**—Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 44. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. Pts.: div. R. Manifold, M. Rayner, J. Forster, D. Lestrangle, N. Wenning, K. Walters, J. Atwell, 15/16. No. 2, 15-tgt. Trophy D.B. H'cap: 1st, R. Wiffin (Geelong), 63/63; 2nd, R. Parker (Colac), 62/63; 3rd, I. Dickens (Geelong), 53/54; yardage: 12-15 yds., M. Rayner; 16-18 yds., R. Harris; 19-21 yds., div. D. Corstorphann, H. Walker; 22 and over, S. Bennett. No. 3, 27 yd. Special: S. B. Walker, 2/2.

A fine and warm night brought shooters from Geelong, Barwon Heads, Lorne, Birregurra, Carlisle River, Cobden, Noorat, Dundonnell, Warrnambool to join local sportsmen in keen competition. A late start and high scores caused our programme to be reduced; for this we apologise.

With eleven possibles and good conditions, the field was reduced slowly till Ray Wiffin and Ray Parker were left to battle it out. Both gave a grand exhibition of clay busting, with Wiffin outlasting Parker.

Our thanks to all who assisted with this shoot.

(Arthur Neale, Hon. Sec.)

**CONDAMINE (Qld.), 14/12/68.**—Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1, 5 tgt. E.O. No. 2, 15-tgt. H'cap D.B.: 1st, R. Britton; 2nd, G. Wenhman; 3rd, B. Rowsell. No. 3, 15-tgt. H'cap S.B.: 1st, R. Pharaoh; 2nd, J. Brodie; 3rd, B. Cameron. No. 4, 15-tgt. Pts. (18 yds.): 1st, N. Beeton; 2nd, A. D. James; 3rd, J. Homan. No. 5, 10 pr. Sparrows D'ville Doubles: 1st, J. Homan-A. D. James; 2nd, N. Beeton-R. Britton. No. 6, 10-tgt. D. Rise (16 yds.): 1st, R. Pharaoh. High Gun: J. Beer. Inter. High Gun: R. Pharaoh.

(Elizabeth Beeton, Hon. Sec.)

**CONDAMINE (Qld.), 11/1/69.**—Weather conditions: fair. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 15-tgt. Pts.: 1st, D. Mundell; 2nd, E. Jenkins; 3rd, R. Solly. No. 2, 20-tgt. S.B. H'cap: 1st, J. Jenkins; 2nd, R. Daniels; 3rd, C. Alexander. No. 3, 15-tgt. D.B. Sparrows (16 yds.): 1st, J. Jenkins; 2nd, R. Daniels; 3rd, B. Moore.

Owing to the annual holidays the attendance at this month's shoot was far below our average. The shooters present showed fine form, with Mr. Jinks Jenkins, our President, winning most events.

(Elizabeth Beeton, Hon. Sec.)

**COONAMBLE (N.S.W.), 7/12/68.**—Weather conditions: fine and mild. Attendance: 10. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O. D.B.: C. Dickson, D. Taylor, R. Murray, P. Skilthorp. No. 2, 20-tgt. S.B.: D. Taylor, J. Skilthorp, 19/20. No. 3, 20-tgt. D.B.: D. Taylor, 18/20. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. (off 16 yds.): J. Skilthorp, 9/10. No. 5, 5-tgt. Sparrows: D. Taylor, 5/5. No. 6, 5 prs. D. Rise: R. Murray, 5 prs.

(Mary Taylor, Hon. Sec.)

**COONAMBLE (N.S.W.), 14/12/68.**—Weather conditions: fine and cool. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O.: C. Dickson, J. Stuart, D. Taylor, B. Fagan, I. McKenzie, 5/6. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B.: D. McKenzie, 10/10, 1st; D. Taylor, 2nd; B. Fagan, 3rd. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B.: D. Barton, 1st; D. Taylor, 2nd; L. Smith, 3rd. No. 4, 15-tgt. Champ. High Gun Pt. Score: D. Taylor, 43/45. No. 5, 5 prs. D. Rise: D. Taylor, 1st; D. Barton, 2nd; L. Smith, 3rd. No. 6, 10-tgt. D.B.: L. Smith, 1st; D. McKenzie, 2nd; R. McKenzie, 3rd.

(M. Taylor, Hon. Sec.)

**COONAMBLE (N.S.W.), 4/1/69.**—Weather conditions: fine and cool. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O.: C. Dickson, C. Taylor, D. McKenzie, S. Reynolds, R. Murray, 5/5. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. Trophy: D. Taylor, 1st, 20/20; G. Dickson, 2nd, 19/20; D. Barton, 3rd, 16/20. No. 3, 20-tgt. D.B.: B. Murray, 20/20; D. Taylor, 19/20. No. 4, 10 tgs.: K. Constable, 10/10.

(M. Taylor, Hon. Sec.)

**COOTAMUNDRA (N.S.W.), 14/12/68 (Night).**—Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 12. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. H'cap: I. Whyteross, F. Chudleigh, A. Baker, possibles. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap Trophies: F. Chudleigh, K. Oldfield, D. Sheather, A. Baker, div. No. 3, 10-tgt. Pts. H'cap: B. Rooke, 1st; I. Whyteross, F. Chudleigh, eq. 2nd. No. 4, 10-tgt. S.B. H'cap: J. Rootes, 10/10, 1st; G. Rootes, I. Whyteross, 8/10, 2nd and 3rd. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: F. Chudleigh, 9/10, 1st; I. Whyteross, K. Oldfield, 8/10. No. 6, 5-tgt. D.B. Novelty: G. Rootes, 5/5; L. Goodacre, K. Oldfield, I. Whyteross, 4/5.

(F. Chudleigh, Hon. Sec.)

**COWRA (N.S.W.), 7/12/68.**—Weather conditions: fine and sunny. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, E.O.: D. Heilman, B. Martens, L. Alexander, L. Bird, S. McAneney, C. Anderson, R. Sherwin, D. Simpson, 5/6. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts. Trophy: 1st, B. McAneney; 2nd, B. Martens; F/M., D. Walker. No. 3, 10-tgt. Trophy: 1st, G. Bell; 2nd, D. Simpson; F/M., R. McAneney, K. Reid, D. Toshack, 10/10. No. 5, Trophy: 1st, B. McAneney, 10/10; 2nd, R. Reid; F/M., E. Rushton.

(Janice G. Wood, Hon. Sec.)

**CROOKWELL (N.S.W.), 28/12/68.**—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 5 S.B., 5 D.B. Trophy: 1st, B. Churchill, 27/27; 2nd, H. Anderson, 26/27; 3rd, R. Stephenson, R. Churchill, div. 16/17. No. 2, 5 pr. D. Rise Trophy: 1st, N. Nicholson; 2nd, B. Churchill; 3rd, C. Harries. No. 3, 5 pr. D. Doubles Trophy: 1st, K. Keogh-F. Willis; 2nd, B. Churchill-C. Harries. No. 4, 10-tgt. S.B. Trophy: 1st, H. Anderson; 2nd, R. Howlett; 3rd, N. Nicholson, A. Jones, div.

(Russ Stephenson, Asst. Sec.)

**CROOKWELL (N.S.W.), 28/12/68 (Night).**—Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts. Sparrows (Ken Ridley Trophy): 1st, R. Churchill; 2nd, R. Stephenson; 3rd, E. Hurn, N. Nicholson, div. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. (for Geo. Nicholls Trophy): 9 possibles—1st, K. Keogh; 2nd,

N. Nicholson; 3rd, M. Webster; F/M., A. Hall. No. 3, President's v. Secretary's Team Shoot: Secretary's team, 152 pts.; President's team, 130 pts. High Gun: N. Nicholson. Box Sweep: K. Keogh.

The consistent K. Keogh won the Geo. Nicholls Trophy in fine style, while the Ken Ridley Trophy went to R. Churchill. High Gun for afternoon and night shoots went to N. Nicholson.

(Russ Stephenson, Asst. Sec.)

**CROOKWELL (N.S.W.), 25/1/69 (Night).**—Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. Sweep: F. Willis, G. Plumb, R. Howlett, R. Stephenson, B. Buckley, E. Hurn, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. Sweep: F. Willis, R. Howlett, B. Buckley, W. Webster, C. Harries, 10/10, div. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. Trophy: 1st, K. Keogh, 25/26; 2nd, R. Howlett, 25/26; F/M., K. Buckley, 23/24. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. Sparrow Sweep: R. Howlett, E. Hurn, D. Nelson, 10/10, div. Box Sweep: K. Keogh.

A good roll-up for our monthly shoot with a dozen or so shooters from Goulburn. K. Keogh won the only trophy event of the night, with R. Howlett coming in second. Other shooters in top form were President, F. Willis, B. Buckley and C. Harries. Russ Howlett missed only one tgt. all night and must get another yard very soon.

(Russ Stephenson, Asst. Sec.)

**DANDENONG (V.), 7/12/68.**—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 44. Results: 30-tgt. D.B. Pts.: F. Buchan, F. Burgess, 90/90; R. Allen, 88/90.

(Keith Pretty, Hon. Sec.)

**DANDENONG (V.), 4/1/69.**—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 33. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. Pts.: R. Hansen, F. Burgess, L. Schilling, L. Martin, N. Miller, K. Pretty, 15/15. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. Pts.: R. Hansen, B. McComb, 55/60; H. Koch, 54/60.

(Keith Pretty, Hon. Sec.)

**DARKAN (W.A.), 14/12/68.**—Weather conditions: fine, warm, light wind. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 20-tgt. D.B.: 1st, J. Goss, 26/30; shoot-off, S. Gibson, T. Ryall, 24/30. No. 2, 10-tgt. S.B.: won by T. Ryall; 2nd and 3rd, S. Gibson; 4th, C. Horley, 22/30. No. 3, 30-tgt. shoot: E. Pedler, 21/30; G. Horley, J. Oliver, A. Rossi, 20/30.

Last shoot for 1968, with some visitors from other clubs—T. Ryall from Narrogin, S. Gibson, E. Pedler, J. Battersby and D. Leach from Katanning.

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

**EAST COAST (Tas.), 12/1/69.**—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: A. Tucker, L. Richardson, B. Castle, 5/5. No. 2, 5-tgt. S.B.: A. Tucker, N. Thorne, 5/5. No. 3, 10-tgt. Pts.: L. Richardson, N. Thorne, G. Pyke, 27/30. No. 4, 5-tgt. W.U.: W. Sawford, L. Richardson, A. Lovell, B. Castle, 4/5. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: G. Richardson, 9/10.

Weather conditions good. Most of the shooters still feeling the effect of Xmas. Ladies' committee has helped the club with afternoon tea and has helped build up the attendance of the East Coast Gun Club.

(Basil G. Castle, Sec.)

**ECHUCA (V.), 26/12/68.**—Weather conditions: shocking, gale-force winds. Attendance: 105. Results: No. 1, E.O.: 4 pairs shot possible. No. 2, C'wealth D. Doubles Sparrows C'ship: 1st, F. Reade-T. Zagore, 17/20; 2nd, J. Walls-W. Williams, 14/20. No. 3, \$9.00 D.B. H'cap: 1st, J. Wells, 28/28; 2nd, T. Salafia, 27/28; 3rd, M. Robinson, 30/31. No. 4, I.C.I. Trophy H'cap: 1st, R. Caldwell, 22/22; 2nd, G. Elstroff, 21/22; 3rd, W. Kelly, 17/18. No. 5, E.O.: 11 possibles. No. 6, North Dist. D.B. C'ship: 1st, S. Power, 25/25; 2nd, J. Masters, 24/25; 3rd, F. James, 22/23; F/M., J. Miller, 16/20. No. 7, \$4.00 D.B. H'cap: 1st, R. West, 20/20; 2nd, C. Johnson, 21/22; 3rd, R. Maybury, 20/22.

(R. Adamson, Hon. Sec.)

**ECHUCA (V.), 14/12/68.**—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 44. Results: No. 1, 30-tgt. D.B. H'cap: Sect. 1, 12-15 yds.: 1st, R. Shawcross; 2nd, P. Jamison; 3rd, G. Norris, 4th, I. Beattie; 5th, H. O'Connor; 6th, R. Adamson; 7th, R. Ash; 8th, P. Dobson. Sect. 2, 16-18 ds.: 1st, D. Murray; 2nd, C. Bartlett; 3rd, J. Jamison; 4th, H. Hawking; 5th, J. Pola; 6th, R. West; 7th, G. Williams; 8th, V. Yeaman. Sect. 3, 19-27 yds.: 1st, J. Brewer; 2nd, W. Wickham; 3rd, N. Carboon; 4th, L. Scriven; 5th, P. Maher; 6th, L. Gibson; 7th, S. Power; 8th, D. Rumbold. No. 2, 10 pr. D. Doubles Sparrows: no possibles—K. Dobson-E. McCullough, D. Murray-J. Howe, R. Caldwell-C. Bartlett, 3/10.

(R. Adamson, Hon. Sec.)

**FOSTER (V.), 14/12/68 (Christmas shoot).**—Weather conditions: fine, mild, easterly wind. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts.: R. Whykes, J. Hamblin, eq. 30/30; E. Cripps, K. Patterson, 29/30; 3rd, E. Cripps. No. 2, 10-tgt. S.B.: E. Cripps, H. Pearson, 10/10, div.; A. Cripps, C. Arnup, K. Patterson, T. McGaw, A. Webster, M. Cripps, I. Wushatsch, R. Whykes, A. Cripps, 9/10, div. No. 3, 10-tgt. Pts.: A. J. Morris, M. Cripps, 30/30, div.; R. Whykes, I. Wushatsch, I. Wushatsch, 29/30, div. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B.: C.D. Sweep: E. Cripps, A. Webster, G. Mowat, W. Pryde, J. Hamblin, C. Arnup, M. Cripps, T. McGaw, R. Whykes, P. Goulden, eq. 10/10. No. 5, 10-tgt. S.B.: C.D. Sweep: J. Hamblin, W. Pryde, A. Cripps, A. J. Morris, eq. 10/10.

Weather conditions quite good. Fair roll-up, considering the farmers are very busy hay-making. Shooters came from Morwell, Korumburra, Yarram and Foster.

The Kindergarten ladies once again supplied an excellent afternoon tea. Thank you to all helpers, and especially our President, E. Cripps, who carries out the brunt of the work.

(Dorothy Cripps, Hon. Sec.)

**FOSTER (V.), 11/1/69.**—Weather conditions: warm, humid, dull, good for shooting. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts.: B. Barlow, P. Barlow, K. Brown, J. Hamblin, 30/30. No. 2, 10-tgt. S.B.: C. Arnup, P. Kuyer, E. Cripps, K. Brown, 10/10. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B.: G. Mowat, P. Kuyer, E. Cripps, P. Barlow, K. Brown, A. Cripps, 10/10. No. 4, 10-tgt. Walk-up: G. Mowat, P. Kuyer, J. Hamblin, 10/10. No. 5, 10-tgt. S.B.: J. Hamblin, K. Brown, C. Arnup, 10/10. High Gun over first three events: 1st, P. Kuyer, 67/68; 2nd, E. Cripps, 66/68; 3rd, K. Brown, 61/62.

(Dorothy Cripps, Hon. Sec.)



FRANKSTON (V.), 14/12/68. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 62. Christmas Shoot.

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

FRANKSTON (V.), 18/1/69. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 36. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap Pts. (C.D.): 1st, G. Farrar; 2nd, L. Heywood; 3rd, H. Retallick, R. Miller, K. K. Paterson, div. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, P. Kuyser; 2nd, C. O. Oke; 3rd, L. Baker. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. (5/12 yds., 5/20 yds.): 1st, F. Allen, G. Farrar, div.; 3rd, L. Cairns.

A very good attendance following the Xmas holidays, and some good shooting. Peter Kuyser, who is also a Korumburra member, shot well to take the main event 21/21, with Cyril Oke runner-up, 20/21; the shoot-off for third place went to Len Baker. Both Len Baker, 54 straight, and Noel Miller, 61 straight, qualified for badges.

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

GEELONG (V.), 13/12/68.—Weather conditions: perfect night. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 5 pr. D.R. Sparrow E.O.: A. James, 9/10; J. Platten, 8/10. No. 2, West. Dist. D.R. Sparrow Night C'ship: A. James, 20/20; T. Dickens, 17/20; R. Morrison, 15/20. No. 3, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap S/S.: J. Foster, 47/47; W. Attwood, 46/47; B. Wembridge, 44/45. No. 4, 5-tgt. H'cap S/S. D.B.: J. Platten, B. Wembridge, J. Foster, N. Wenning, R. Wiffen, W. Attwood, 5/5, div.

(M. McGarigle, Hon. Sec.)

GEELONG (V.), 1/1/69. — Weather conditions: fine and mild. Attendance: 97. Results: No. 1, 15-tgt. E.O.: 29 div. No. 2,

City of Geelong Charity H'cap: 1st, R. Maybury, 46/46; 2nd, M. Dipietrantonio, 45/46; 3rd, N. Robinson, 32/33; 4th, J. Bradbury, 32/33; 5th, G. Williams, 60/61; yardage: 12-14 yds.: 1st, H. Logan; 2nd, M. Robinson; 3rd, F. Hunter, D. Maloney; 15-17 yds.: 1st, V. Dipietrantonio; 2nd, W. Ford; 3rd, D. Holmes; 18-20 yds.: 1st, A. Wembridge; 2nd, L. Mitchell; 3rd, L. Shallard; 21-22 yds.: 1st and 2nd, J. Green, S. Walker, cut; A. Calandro, 3rd; 23-24 yds.: 1st, G. Kirkpatrick; 2nd, S. Scherger; 3rd, J. Murphy; 25-27 yds.: 1st, B. England; 2nd, L. Reicha; 3rd, N. Davis. No. 3, City of Geelong D.B. C'ship: 1st, W. Stone, 110/110; 2nd, G. Kirkpatrick, 109/110; 3rd, R. Parker, 96/97. No. 4, State Night D.B.: 1st, B. England, 60/60; 2nd, J. Green, 59/60; 3rd, K. Robinson, 43/44. State Night Inter. D.B.: 1st, J. Hawke, 31/31; 2nd, J. Corbett, 30/31; 3rd, R. Wiffen, 33/35.

A fine, mild day saw 97 shooters face up in the 15-tgt. E.O., and of these, the high number of 29 shooters shot the possible 15/15. The main event appeared to bring out nervousness in some shooters, and only four out of 87 shot the possible 30/30.

The City of Geelong C'ship saw some excellent shooting, with 19 possibles and a marathon shoot-out ending at 110/110 by Bill Stone, shooting as strong as ever. The State shoot at night saw a wind spring up which made teeth chatter all round the ground and apparently stiffened up trigger fingers, as only four shot 30/30. B. England did not appear pressed to win 60/60. The Intermediate was won by J. Hawke with a fine possible for a 16 yd. shooter.

The club wishes to thank Winchester for their help in loaning an extra trap for this programme.

(A. Wembridge, Hon. Sec.)

GEELONG (V.), 25/1/69. — Weather conditions: calm, but wet early. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, E.O. 10 sparrows Pts.: K. Rankin, W. Attwood, D. Holmes, cut, 26 pts. No. 2, City of Geelong D.B. Sparrows C'ship: 1st, A. Wembridge, 18/21; 2nd, I. Dickens, 25/30; 3rd, R. Green, 24/30. No. 3, 20-tgt. Trophy H'cap: 1st, I. Dickens, 27/27; 2nd, R. Wiffen, 26/27; 3rd, A. Wembridge, 19/20; yardage: 12-16, D. Holmes; 17-20, N. Wenning; 21-27, R. Green. No. 4, Skeet S'stake H'cap: A. Wembridge, D. Holmes, I. Dickens, div.

Some wet sparrows proved difficult for shooters to handle, and the best in the C'ship were three with 17/20 after a short shoot-off. Results were: A. Wembridge, 1st; I. Dickens, 2nd, and R. Green, 3rd. In the H'cap local shooters Ray Wiffen and Ian Dickens shot the 20 and conducted a very careful shoot-off to noisy encouragement from the crowd. Allan Wembridge was lucky to sneak in third without a shoot-off. "Zorba" Holmes and "Top Shot" Maloney were another couple expected to shoot a big shoot-off, but "Top Shot" wilted under pressure (or recoil) and will now have to borrow "Zorba's" cool jug.

The only thing under pressure in the Skeet event was Ron Green's skeet gun, which got plenty of use.

(A. Wembridge, Hon. Sec.)

GOLD COAST (Qld.), Sun., 15/12/68. — No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. (trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd): 1st, R. G. Wray, 10/10; 2nd, T. Morgan, 10/10; 3rd, H. Marstella, 10/10. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. Pts. (trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd): 1st, T. Morgan, 30/30; 2nd, H. Marstella, 30/30; 3rd, R. G. Wray, 30/30. No. 4, 10-tgt. S.B. (trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd): 1st, W. Mann, 10/10; 2nd, C. Milburn, 10/10; 3rd, J. Farrow, 9/10. No. 5, 5-tgt. Walk-up (trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd): 1st, H. J. Quirk, 5/5; 2nd, G. E. Parker, 5/5; 3rd, I. Bamberry, 5/5. No. 6, 5 prs. D. Rise Walk-up (trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd): 1st, R. Hogarth, 8; 2nd, P. Wray, 8; 3rd, A. Hicks, 7. No. 7, 6 prs. Deauville Trebles (trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd): 1st, C. Whitney and I. Bamberry; 2nd, J. Farrow and C. Culley; 3rd, H. Quirk and C. Milburn.

(J. Westcott, Hon. Sec.)

GOLD COAST (Qld.), Thurs., 26/12/68. — No. 1, 15-tgt. D.B. S'stakes: 1st, J. Smith, 15/15; 2nd, G. Hogarth, 15/15; 3rd, C. Kemp, B. Wilkins, A. Naumann, 15/15. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. Pts. S'stakes: 1st, B. Deignan, 44; 2nd, J. Farrow, 42; 3rd, A. Naumann, D. Clarke, 42. No. 3, Club C'ship (Novelty Event, 25 mixed tgts.): 1st, B. Wilkins, 24/25; 2nd, J. Smith, 23/25; 3rd, W. Chandler, 22/25. No. 4, 25-tgt. S.B. S'stakes: 1st, C. Milburn, 15/15; 2nd, B. Wilkins, 15/15; 3rd, J. Smith, B. Deignan, A. Naumann, 14/15.

Attendance: 22 shooters. With the exception of the novelty event, this programme consisted of sweepstakes arranged on the ground, all ties being divided. The attendance was disappointing, but with perfect weather conditions, shooters enjoyed a day's light-hearted shooting.

(J. Westcott, Hon. Sec.)

GOLD COAST (Qld.), 18/1/69. — Weather conditions: fine and hot. Attendance: 84. Results: No. 1, E.O. No. 2, Pacific Coast D.B. C'ship (20 tgts.): 1st, J. Newton Thomas (Lilydale, V.), 140/140; 2nd, A.

Kemp (Brisbane), 139/140; 3rd, C. Ferguson (G.C.), 89/90. No. 3, Ladies' Bracelet (30 tgts. D.B. Pts.): 1st, D. Makim (Moree), 100/102; 2nd, L. English (B'bane), 99/102; 3rd, R. Porter (B'bane), 96/99. No. 4, President's Trophy (30 tgts. D.B.): 1st, L. Bull (Tamworth), 33/33; 2nd, D. Mundell (O'mine), 37/38; 3rd, A. K. Kelman (Richmond, Q.), 36/38.

(J. Westcott, Hon. Sec.)

GOLD COAST (Qld.), 19/1/69. — Weather conditions: fine and hot. Attendance: 77. Results: No. 1, E.O. No. 2, Pacific Coast S.B. C'ship (20 tgts.): 1st, K. Cameron (Roma), 30/30; 2nd, J. Newton Thomas (Lilydale), 29/30; 3rd, A. Marstella (G.C.), 29/30, shoot-off. No. 3, \$500 H'cap (60 tgts. div. first 30 D.B.): div. C. Alexander (Dalby), L. Bull (Tamworth), C. Murray (Richmond, Q.), I. Bamberry (G.C.), 30/30. Do. (second 30): 1st and 2nd, div. L. Frederickson (Lismore), B. W. Hughes (Chinchilla), 30/30; 3rd, div. 8 shooters. High Gun for event: B. W. Hughes. No. 4, Extra Event (20 tgts. D.B.): 1st, J. Sands (Wandoan), 2nd and 3rd, div. D. Mundell, R. Britton, B. W. Hughes.

(J. Westcott, Hon. Sec.)

GOLD COAST (Qld.), 21/1/69 (Night). — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 56. Results: No. 1, E.O. No. 2, Pacific Coast D.B. Night C'ship (20 targets): 1st, R. Golden (Wandoan), 61/61; 2nd, D. E. Murray (Richmond, Q.), 60/61; 3rd, W. D. Ridge (Bourke), 47/48.

(J. Westcott, Hon. Sec.)

GOLD COAST (Qld.), 23/1/69. — Weather conditions: fine and hot. Attendance: 62. Results: No. 1, E.O. No. 2, C'wealth Veterans' C'ship (40 tgts. D.B., 20 yds.): 1st, F. Apted (Victorian), 40/42; 2nd, W. A. Gordon (G.C.), 40/41; 3rd, G. Nixon (Brisbane), 40/41. No. 3, Winchester Western Trophy (30 tgts. D.B.): 1st, R. Porter (Brisbane), 41/41; 2nd, D. Mackay (Newcastle), 41/41, conceded; 3rd, B. Deignan (G.C.), 40/41. No. 4, Gaven Shield (20 tgts. D.B. Pts.): won by Newcastle, 282/300 (F. Apted, D. Mackay, J. H. Byrne, K. Edmunds, R. G. Wray. High Gun for event: L. Hasted (G.C.). No. 5, Extra Event, 25-tgt. D.B.: div. I. K. Bamberry, T. Soames, J. D. Rogers, 25/25.

(J. Westcott, Hon. Sec.)

GOLD COAST (Qld.), 23/1/69 (Night). — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 62. Results: No. 1, E.O. No. 2, Pacific Coast S.B. Night C'ship (20 tgts., 16 yds.): 1st, D. Murray (Richmond, Q.), 30/30; 2nd, A. D. James (Wandoan), 29/30; 3rd, A. K. Thornton (Dalby), 24/25.

(J. Westcott, Hon. Sec.)

GOLD COAST (Qld.), 25/1/69. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 57. Results: No. 1, E.O. No. 2, Trophy Event (30 tgts. D.B. Pts.): 1st, A. Marstella (Gold Coast), 95/96; 2nd, I. Bamberry (Gold Coast), 94/96; 3rd, D. Makim (Moree), 89/90. In conjunction with event 2, best 12 and 13 h'cap: won by J. L. Betts (Mangoplah), 75/90. No. 3, \$200 H'cap (30 tgts. D.B.): 1st and 2nd, div. J. D. Rogers (Barcaldine), W. J. Hamlyn (Wandoan), 30/30; 3rd, div. G. E. Parker (Brisbane), D. Makim (Moree), W. Ridge (Bourke), C. McClymont (G.C.), 29/30. No. 4, Pacific Coast D. Rise C'ship (16

## MOREE GUN CLUB (N.S.W.)

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### DAY and NIGHT SHOOT

SATURDAY, APRIL 12th Commencing 10 a.m.

DAY—

GWYDIR D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP

GWYDIR DOUBLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

\$200 HANDICAP

NIGHT—

N.S.W. STATE D.B. SPARROWS  
CHAMPIONSHIP

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Secretaries.



yds.): 1st, B. Schmidt (Cunnamulla), 30/30; 2nd, G. Parker (Brisbane), 28/30; 3rd, A. D. James (Wandoan), 27/30.

(J. Westcott, Hon. Sec.)

**GOLD COAST (Qld.), 26/1/69.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 77. Results: No. 1, E.O. No. 2, City of Gold Coast D.B. C'ship (20 tgts., 16 yds.): 1st, R. Golden (Wandoan), 182/182; 2nd, D. Murray (Richmond, Q.), 181/182; 3rd, J. Newton Thomas (Lilydale), 169/170. No. 3, \$500 H'cap (60 tgts. D.B.): 1st 30: div. T. Soames (Brisbane), J. Mott (Newcastle), B. Schmidt (Cunnamulla), N. L. Thompson (Bundella), 30/30. Second 30: div. J. Hamlyn (Wandoan), W. Ridge (Bourke), W. A. Gordon (G.C.), N. L. Thompson (Bundella), C. Culley (Brisbane), 29/30. High Gun: N. L. Thompson, 59/60. No. 4, I.C.I.A.N.Z. Trophy (30 tgts. D.B. Pts.): 1st, F. Jackson (Brisbane), 87/90; 2nd, J. Hamlyn (Wandoan), 86/90; 3rd, S. Roach (Lismore), 86/90. High Gun for programme: W. Ridge (Bourke), 397/420. Intermediate High Gun: C. Murray (Richmond, Q.), 380/420.

Average attendance not up to previous years. Abnormally dry conditions prevailing in country areas prevented many of the regulars attending. Weather conditions for the whole programme were extremely hot, with temperatures well above normal Gold Coast readings.

Winners were well split up, with R. Golden of Wandoan the only dual winner. Bob took out the Pacific Coast Night C'ship and the City of Gold Coast D.B. C'ship, winning the latter event with the good score of 182 from D. Murray of Richmond, Q.

Our thanks and appreciation to all those voluntary workers whose efforts resulted in a good week's shooting, with special mention for "live wire" Ray Hogarth, whose untiring work before and during the shoot was outstanding.

(J. Westcott, Hon. Sec.)

**GRENFELL (N.S.W.), 11/12/68.** — 10-tgt. E.O.: B. Martens, L. Bird, B. Birch, D. Pipe, D. Simpson, E. Rushton, B. Witt, K. Reid. 20-tgt. Trophy: D. Simpson, 1st; B. Martens, 2nd; D. Pipe, 3rd. 15-tgt. Sweep: D. Pipe, D. Simpson, B. Witt, K. Reid. D'ville Doubles: B. Witt - R. Sherwin, D. Pipe - G. Pipe, B. Spies - B. Martens, K. Reid - D. Simpson.

(Mrs. M. Thorn-Clarke, Hon. Sec.)

**GRENFELL (N.S.W.), 12/1/69.** — No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: N. Thorn-Clarke, B. Witt, A. Martens, D. Simpson, G. Pipe, N. Horn. 10-tgt. S'stakes: B. Witt, A. Martens, G. Pipe, N. Horn, W. Birch, A. Munck. 10-tgt. S'stakes: N. Thorn-Clarke, B. Witt, D. Simpson, E. Rushton, K. Reid, Mr. Brown, C. Anderson, H. Anderson. 10-tgt. Trophy: N. Thorn-Clarke, B. Witt, A. Martens, G. Pipe, N. Horn, A. Munck, Mr. Brown, C. Anderson, D. Pipe, H. Anderson. Shoot-off: B. Witt and N. Thorn-Clarke were the only shooters left in the shoot-off after 50 tgts. and divided the trophy. G. Pipe and N. Horn divided third prize. High Gun on the day was B. Witt with 75/75, with N. Thorn-Clarke runner up, 74/75.

Twenty-one shooters attended, the most improved shooter on the day being N. Thorn-Clarke.

(Mrs. M. Thorn-Clarke, Hon. Sec.)

**GRIFFITH (N.S.W.), 31/12/68.** — Weather conditions: strong N.E. wind, warm to hot. Attendance: 46. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. E.O.: 6 div. — C. Taylor, D. Lucas, S. Shields, B. Shields, E. Heffernan, T. Salafia. No. 2, Riverina D.D. Sparrow C'ship: 1st, A. James - B. Attwood, 19/20; 2nd, D. Dunbar - E. I. Whyteross, 18/20. No. 3, \$100.00 Cartridge H'cap: 4 div. — J. C. Harman, C. Taylor, E. I. Whyteross, B. Shields.

Night. — No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. (off 16 yds.): 6 div. — W. Attwood, A. James, S. Messina, R. Bushby, K. Sim, B. Shields. No. 5, Riverina Night S.B. C'ship: 1st, A. James, 21/22; 2nd, K. Dobson, 20/22.

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

**GRIFFITH (N.S.W.), 1/1/69.** — Weather conditions: N.E. wind, cool. Attendance: 63. Results: No. 6, 10-tgt. D.B. (off 20 yds.): 8 div. — J. Simpson, A. James, K. Dobson, L. Dow, M. Weymouth, G. Mooney, E. I. Whyteross, W. Smith. No. 7, C'wealth Mixed Target Sparrow C'ship: 1st, C. L. Caskey, 30/35; 2nd, P. Maguire, 29/35; 3rd, D. Allen, 29/35. No. 8, \$760.00 H'cap: 1st, T. Clifton, 65/65; 2nd, C. Taylor, 64/65; 3rd, div. E. Kocks, J. Ellis, 84/85. No. 9, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 16 div. — K. Trembath, P. McWilliam, F. Casella, J. Ellis, S. Trembath, G. Rao, D. Lucas, G. Dunbar, D. Allen, P. Dobson, I. Smith, G. Pipe, M. Weymouth, S. Codemo, R. Sherwin, D. Simpson.

The blue-ribbon event was won by C. L. Caskey of Menindee with a score of 30/35. The Handicap event was won by Tom Clifton from Corowa, with our local club member Col. Taylor from Coleambally 2nd.

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

**GUYRA (N.S.W.), 21/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 36. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B.: won by P. Dutton, C. Varley, A. Cregan, 3rd. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts.: I. Reid, C. Fenwicke; 3rd, J. Phillip. No. 3, 10 pr. D. Rise: N. Campion, C. Bloxsome; 3rd, H. Williamson, K. Starr, D. Lockyer; club trophy won outright on this event by N. Campion. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. Continental: A. Fenwicke, G. Lockyer; 3rd, D. Lockyer, C. Varley, I. Reid. High Gun: N. Campion. F/M.: G. Lockyer.

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

**HAMILTON (V.), 18/1/69.** — Weather conditions: very windy. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O. (C.D., 16 yds.): 11 div. with possibles 5/5. No. 2, Hamilton and Dist. D.B. C'ship: 1st, D. Mayfield, 40/40; 2nd, M. Sullivan, 39/40; 3rd, K. Ilsley, 27/28; F/M. A. Edgar, 17/20. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 3 div. with possibles 10/10. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 2 possibles, 10/10; 5 with 9/10.

Shooting conditions were very poor, with very hot, gusty winds. Results of our shoot are an example of the conditions. Shooters were from Myamyn, Tyrendarra, Macarthur and Horsham.

(K. Ilsley, Hon. Sec.)

**HAWKESBURY (N.S.W.), 2/11/68.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. S.B. (16 yds.): E. Hawkins, P. Hayman, K. Soames, M. Quirk, 10/10. No. 2, South Pacific S.B. C'ship: 1st, E. Hawkins, 56/56; 2nd, K. Soames, 55/56; 3rd, J. Thatcher, 54/55. No. 3, 15-

tgt. D.B. Trophy: 1st, A. Romanello, 87/87; 2nd, L. Crema, 84/87; 3rd, M. Quirk, 38/39. No. 4, 10 prs. D. Rise: W. Charlton, 20/20; M. Fuller, K. Soames, J. Rawlinson, J. Thatcher, 19/20. No. 5, N.S.W. D.B. Night C'ship: 1st, K. Soames, 43/43; 2nd, P. Hayman, 42/43; 3rd, W. Charlton, 32/33; best F/M., J. Stephenson, 28/30.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

**HAWKESBURY (N.S.W.), 16/11/68.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: E. Hawkins, S. Joice, C. Mackaness, I. Clisdell, 25/25. No. 2, 25-tgt. Skeet Trophy: 1st, M. Quirk; 2nd, S. Joice; 3rd, K. Clarke. No. 3, Les English Trophy: 1st, P. Hayman; 2nd, I. Clisdell. No. 4, 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: R. Clarke, E. Hawkins, 25/25. No. 5, Hawk. Dist. Night Skeet C'ship: 1st, J. Worley, 25/25; 2nd, J. Rawlinson, 24/25; 3rd, M. Quirk, 23/25.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

**HAWKESBURY (N.S.W.), 30/11/68.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B.: S. Joice, R. Clarke, A. Hayes, J. Rawlinson, F. Mitchell, I. Clisdell, B. Wilson, R. Clare, W. Charlton, P. Baylor, A. Freeman, 10/10. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. Trophy: 1st, P. Hayman, 39/41; 2nd, R. Clare, 37/41; 3rd, J. Rawlinson, 27/30. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. Sparrows (16 yds.): R. Clarke, P. Hayman, I. Clisdell, E. Hawkins, W. Charlton, K. Soames, J. Thatcher, 10/10. No. 4, County of C'land D.B. Sparrows C'ship: 1st, W. Charlton, 27/27; 2nd, K. Williams, 26/27; 3rd, I. Mills, 22/23; best F/M., L. Betts, 18/20. No. 6, 10-tgt. Walk-up: P. Hayman, A. Hayes, S. Joice, 10/10.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

**HAWKESBURY (N.S.W.), 14/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 58. Results: No. 1, Les English Skeet Shield Final: 1st, E. Hawkins, 50/50; 2nd, J. Rawlinson, 49/50; 3rd, M. Quirk, 48/50. No. 2, 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: Col. Hawkins, S. Simmonds, G. Roberts, K. Waters, M. Quirk, R. Snow, K. Soames, R. Macquire, R. Clark, E. Hawkins, L. English, 25/25. No. 3, 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: R. Ramsay, M. Dunston, Col. Hawkins, S. Joice, A. Blackadder, J. Martin, K. Waters, W. Charlton, 25/25.

Night. — No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B.: J. Rawlinson, B. Jackson, S. Joice, M. Mitchell, M. Quirk, R. Hunt, W. Charlton, W. Thurlow, K. Soames, 10/10. No. 5, 10-tgt. S.B.: P. Smith, 10/10. No. 6, 10-tgt. Pts.: W. Thurlow, W. Charlton, 30/30.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

**HAWKESBURY (N.S.W.), 28/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B.: J. Rawlinson, A. Hayes, M. Quirk, L. Crema, A. Johnson, E. Hawkins. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. Trophy: 1st, C. Tickle; 2nd, R. Hyatt; 3rd, S. Joice. No. 3, 5-tgt. Walk-up: P. Hayman, C. Joass, A. Romanello. No. 4, Hawk. G.C. Walk-up C'ship: 1st, L. Crema, 20/20; 2nd, S. Joice, 28/30; 3rd, J. Rawlinson, 27/30; best F/M., Clyde Hawkins. No. 5, 10 prs. D. Rise: J. Rawlinson, A. Hayes, 18/20; R. Hyatt, J. Thatcher, E. Hawkins, 17/20. No. 6, 10-tgt. D.B. (27 yds.): J. Rawlinson, A. Hayes, L. Tosolini, E. Hawkins, 9/10.

Cec. Tickle shot well to win the trophy from Roger Hyatt and Steve Joice. In the

# HOPETOUN GUN CLUB (VIC.)

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— TWO TRAPS —

**SATURDAY, 22nd MARCH, 1969**

Commencing 1 p.m.

## Victorian State Walk-up Championship

Nom. \$4. 50c Opt. at 5 targets.

### EVENT 2-10 TARGETS D.B. HANDICAP - MARKS

\$50 Value. Nom. \$2.

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C'ship Len Crema shot the only possible. Steve Joice won the shoot-off for second, and John Rawlinson third. Clyde Hawkins won the F/M. trophy.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

**HAWKESBURY (N.S.W.), 11/1/69.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: A. Hayes, A. Stubbs, J. Thatcher, B. Wilson, 25/25. No. 2, Hawk. G.C. Skeet C'ship: 1st, J. Rawlinson, 25/25; 2nd, E. Hawkins, 35/35; 3rd, J. Thatcher, 34/36. No. 3, Les English Shield: M. Quirk.

John Rawlinson won the C'ship with the only possible; Ernie Hawkins was second after a shoot-off, and John Thatcher third. First to get his name on the shield for 1969 was Morrie Quirk.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

**HAWKESBURY (N.S.W.), 25/1/69.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. S.B. (16 yds.): R. Clarke, M. Quirk, W. Charlton, 10/10. No. 2, Hawk. G.C. S.B. C'ship: 1st, R. Faunt, 34/35; 2nd, M. Quirk, 33/35; 3rd, W. Charlton, 28/30; F/M., B. Wilson, 17/20. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B.: W. Charlton, I. Clisdell, M. Quirk, A. Stubbs, J. Rawlinson, R. Hunt, L. Crema, 10/10. No. 4, 10-tgt. Pts.: J. Rawlinson, P. Hayman, K. Soames, 30/30. No. 5, 10 prs. D. Rise: J. Thatcher, 20/20;

K. Soames, W. Charlton, 19/20; R. Clarke, 18/20. No. 6, 10-tgt. D.B. (27 yds.): J. Rawlinson, I. Clisdell, 10/10.

Night. — 5-tgt. D.B. (16 yds.): 9 div. No. 8, Hawk. Dist. D.B. Night C'ship: 1st, R. Clarke; 2nd, W. Charlton; 3rd, K. Soames Snr.; F/M., C. Fabbri.

Russ. Faunt won the day C'ship from Morrie Quirk and Warren Charlton after a shoot-off. Bryce Wilson shot well to win the F/M. trophy.

At night Reg Clarke was in good form to win the C'ship from the two other possibles, Warren Charlton and Keith Soames Snr.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

**HOBART (Tas.), 30/11/68.** — Weather conditions: windy. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Tower Sweep: R. Ward, P. Marshall, R. Wighton, T. Newman, 5/5, div. No. 2, State Tower C'ship: 1st, D. Taylor, 20/20; 2nd, P. Marshall, 25/26; 3rd, L. Witzerman, 24/26. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. Sweep: R. Ward, T. Newman, D. Taylor, N. Thorn, L. Witzerman, 10/10, div. No. 4, 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: D. Clarke, G. Genders, V. Mitchell, 25/25, div. No. 5, State Night S.B. C'ship: 1st, D. Taylor, 30/30; 2nd, S. Marshall, 29/30; 3rd, L. Richardson, 28/30. No. 6, Club Night D. Doubles C'ship: 1st, D. Taylor - R. Wells, 44/44; 2nd, D. Gray - N. Arnol, 43/44.

(S. E. Marshall, Hon. Sec.)

**HOBART (Tas.), 21/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 87. Results: No. 1, 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: S. Marshall, D. Taylor, L. Witzerman, A. Hudson, P. Marshall, R. Geard, M. Burgess, A. Adams, E. G. McRae, D. Perry, D. Burton, 25/25, div. No. 2, 10 tgts. (12-14 yd. shooters): J. Nielsen, 22/22, 1st; M. Burgess, 21/22, 2nd; A. W. Behrens, 18/19, 3rd. No. 3, Club S.B. C'ship: S. Marshall, 25/25, 1st; P. Marshall, 24/25, 2nd; N. Thorn, 20/21, 3rd. No. 4, 8 pr. D'ville Doubles: M. Oakley - D. Hallam, 18/18, 1st; N. Arnol - M. Burgess, 12/13, 2nd. No. 5, 10-tgt. S.B. Sweep: D. Benbow, M. Oakley, S. Marshall, D. White, P. Marshall, G. Richardson, A. Hudson, N. Thorn, R. V. Conlan, 10/10, div. (S. E. Marshall, Hon. Sec.)

**HOBART (Tas.), 25/1/69.** — Weather conditions: rough (wind and rain). Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: M. Blake, K. Littlejohn, B. Chapman, D. Perry, R. Ward, C. Conlan, 25/25, div. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. Sweep: C. Conlan, D. Benbow, M. Blake, G. Richardson, S. Marshall, T. Newman, D. Perry, 10/10, div. No. 3, 20-tgt. D.B. Ansett H'cap: 1st, K. Hendry, 23/23; 2nd, T. Newman, 22/23; 3rd, K. Littlejohn, 48/49.

(S. E. Marshall, Hon. Sec.)

**HORSHAM (V.), 13/12/68 (Night).** — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 54. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. H'cap: B. Croser, A. Aitken, B. Robinson, A. Miller, E. Smith, N. Hinneberg, C. Ball, C. Walker, C. Presser, 9/9. No. 2, 5-tgt. H'cap: S. Bethune, R. Batson, A. Aitken, N. Stewart, A. Miller, N. Hinneberg, I. Taylor, R. Nicholls, C. Walker, D. Miller, A. Dumesny, 9/9. No. 3, 5-tgt. H'cap: S. Bethune, R. Batson, C. Budde, A. Facchin, W. Smith, A. Miller, N. Hinneberg, I. Taylor, L. Smith, P. Kain, E. Smith, M. Morrissey, 8/8.

(Bert Robinson, Hon. Sec.)

**HORSHAM (V.), 18/1/69.** — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: R. Krause, F. Davis, D. Kennedy, I. Taylor, M. Gribben, J. Hinneberg, R. Nicholls, G. Stanes, E. Smith, A. Dumesny, 5/5. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: R. Krause, D. Kennedy, G. Robson, A. R. Walter, 10/10, div. No. 3, 5-tgt. D.B., 5-tgt. S.B. H'cap: G. Robson, C. Walker, 10/10, div. 1st and 2nd: A. Aitken, C. Budde, W. Drendel, I. McLeod, A. Dumesny, 9/10, div. 3rd.

A very good night for shooting, but the scores were certainly not as good as the conditions. Thanks to all the visitors who came along. Once again the Stawell and Callawadda boys did their share of winning. We will catch up with you one of these days.

(Bert Robinson, Hon. Sec.)

**HUNTLY (V.).** — No. 1, 15-tgt. D.B.: 1st, G. Ashman; 2nd, J. Whitewood; 3rd, R. West; 4th, W. Coulson; F/M., B. Dunphy. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B.: 1st, M. Barnes, 48/48; 2nd, N. Carboon, 47/48; 3rd, E. McCullough; 4th, J. Whitewood; B/M., G. Ashman.

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

**ILLAWARRA (N.S.W.), 22/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. Trophy: 1st, K. Perkins; 2nd, B. Ellsmore; 3rd, Bill Perkins. No. 2, 50-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, K. Perkins;

2nd, K. McCloy; 3rd, A. Webb. No. 3, 10 pr. D. Doubles: 1st, L. Chodat - L. Boniface; 2nd, B. Ellsmore - S. Joice; 3rd, R. Hayes - M. Quirk. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap Sweep: S. Joice, B. Ellsmore, D. Maher, K. McCloy, M. Quirk, 10/10. No. 5, Ladies' 5-tgt. D.B.: 1st, Jean Webb, 5/5.

(Mrs. N. Fleming, Asst. Sec.)

**ILLAWARRA (N.S.W.), 26/1/69.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. E.O.: T. Muller, K. Perkins, B. Palk, 10/10. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. Trophy: 1st, B. Palk, 27/27; 2nd, K. Perkins, 26/27; 3rd, D. Brown, 22/23; F/M., M. Arkwright. No. 3, 20 pr. Club D.D. Sparrow C'ship: B. Palk - A. Palk, 1st, 17/20; K. Perkins - A. Arkwright, 2nd, 15/20; No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise: A. Webb, K. Perkins, 9/10. No. 5, 20-tgt. D.B. Night: 1st, C. Morton, 21/21; 2nd, A. Webb, 20/21; 3rd, R. Smith, 31/32. No. 6, Ladies' 5-tgt. D.B.: Mrs. J. Webb, 1st, 7/9; Mrs. J. Lacey, 2nd, 6/9.

The first shoot of 1969 was held under fine conditions, with extremely good shooting by Brian Palk to win the trophy event, and with his brother Alan to win the Deauville Doubles Sparrow C'ship. He was closely followed by Kevin Perkins in these events. It was good to see Mat Arkwright receive his first trophy and move from 12 yds.

Sixteen shooters stayed on for the night shoot, which was won by Craig Morton, who is 14 years of age, from the Sutton Forrest Gun Club. We were pleased to welcome Mr. Doug. Allen from Barendan Gun Club, who is holidaying in this area.

We wish to thank the ladies' auxiliary for their valiant efforts in the canteen, and special thanks to the Sutton Forrest Gun Club for their assistance.

(A. Arkwright, Hon. Sec.)

**KERANG (V.), 9/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine and mild. Attendance: 33. Results (Night shoot): No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B.: 11 shooters div. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B.: 1st, T. Dawson; 2nd, M. Tate; 3rd, G. Elstob. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B.: 1st, M. Tate; 2nd, L. Davis; 3rd, R. A. Walker. Sweep: P. O'Loughlan, R. A. Walker, L. Davis, F. James, M. Tate, D. Matthews, div. Novice: G. Hayes. Lady Spectator: Pamela Walker. Schoolboy shooter: Robert McCurdy, Russell Walker, div.

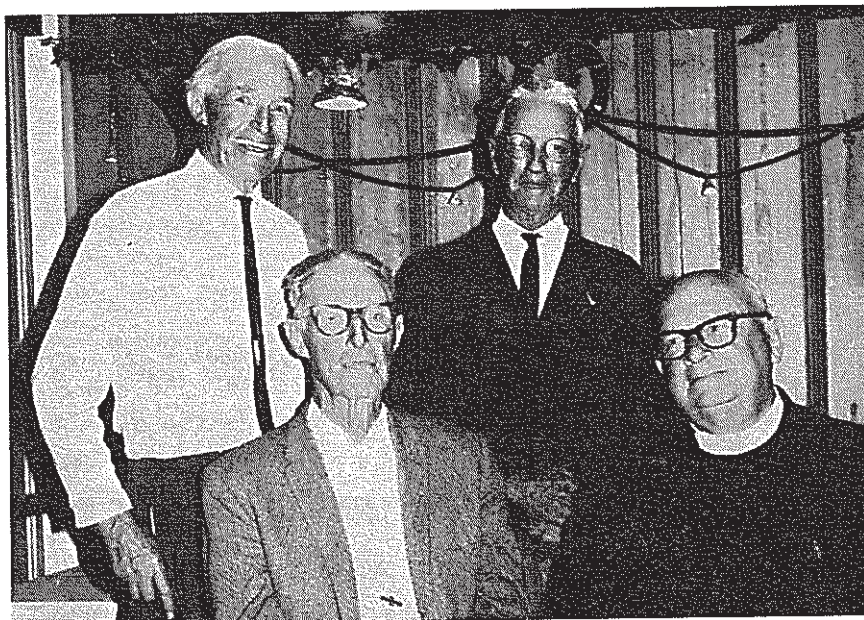
(R. Alister Walker, Hon. Sec.)

**KORUMBURRA (V.), 25/1/69.** — Weather conditions: initially strong, following winds, followed by heavy rain. Attendance: 31. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts. (C.D.): F. Buchan, J. Green, C. Arnpur, P. Kuyser, A. Drake, R. Lamb, 30/30. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, J. Hamblin, 33/33; 2nd, J. Green, 32/33; 3rd, M. Kenny, 29/30. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B. H'cap: 1st, W. Pryde, 39/39; 2nd, P. Kuyser, 38/39; 3rd, M. Kenny, 28/29.

Despite the poor conditions, a good turn-up of shooters, with some very good shooting. Congratulations to all prize winners who had to contend with the bad weather. Morris Kenny showed a return to form with two thirds, and we hope to see him taking off the winner's prize very soon.

(M. Hamblin, Hon. Sec.)

**LETHERO (N.S.W.), 1/1/69.** — Weather conditions: very good. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, C.D.: C. Barenas, B. Bock, P. Richardson, A. Follett, Ted Smith, R.



Four prominent veteran shooters of the Ballandean Gun Club (South East Queensland). Standing from left CLIVE EVANS, C. J. LEE. Seated from left G. P. WICKHAM, RT. REV. MONSIGNOR HISCOX. These four shooters, whose combined ages tally nearly 320 years, have over 200 years shooting experience between them. All shoot regularly at Ballandean, and each still does his share of winning. Their enthusiasm may be judged by the fact that the number of miles needed to be travelled to bring all four to a Ballandean shoot and home again would be over 500! The Ballandean Gun Club is proud of their support.



Wakefield, Nell Wakefield, D. Wakefield. No. 2, Trophy: won by M. Doyle: 2nd and 3rd, div. C. Wakefield, R. Wakefield. (A. E. Wilkinson, Hon. Sec.)

**LILYDALE (V.), 7/12/68.** — Weather conditions: warm and milder. Attendance: 120. Results: No. 1, Club Graded Xmas Shoot: Grade A, 12-14 yds.: 1st, P. McDonald, 41/42; 2nd, D. Brown, 40/42; 3rd, B. Arnott, 35/40. Grade B, 15-16 yds.: 1st, V. Bidstrup, 48/48; 2nd, T. Williams, 41/42; 3rd, L. Patterson, 34/35. Grade C, 17-20 yds.: 1st, W. Bryan, 49/49; 2nd, H. Wademan, 48/49; 3rd, R. Brown, 41/42. Grade D, 21-23 yds.: 1st, W. Arandt, 30/30; 2nd, R. Buchan, 29/30; 3rd, G. White, 24/25. Grade E, 24-27 yds.: 1st, T. Spence, 31/32; 2nd, N. Thomas, 30/32; 3rd, D. O'Callaghan, 26/27. No. 2, Xmas Skeeet Shoot (graded): 0-2: N. Thomas, 35/35; D. O'Callaghan, 34/35; R. Fox, 29/30; 3-5: D. Nicholls, J. Ousey, W. Carlson; 6-10: B. Fowler, R. Blackwell, W. Henwood.

The graded shoot was an experiment for Xmas shoots and appeared to go off fairly well. All shooters received seasonal gifts as well as trophies in the D.T.L. events.

(P. Joss, Hon. Sec.)

**LILYDALE (V.), 11/1/69.** — Weather conditions: 85 deg., fine and mild. Attendance: 70. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts. E.O.: K. Dunstan, W. Dalzell, 30/30; K. McKay, D. Brown, L. Baxter, J. Newton Thomas, J. Anderson, F. Shearer, B. Flower, W. Abbott, B. Douglas, R. Henwood, 29/30. No. 2, Lilydale Inter. D.B. C'ship: 1st, G. Breman, 26/26; D. Germaine, 25/26; 3rd, G. Boswell, 22/29. No. 3, Lilydale D.B. C'ship: 1st, J. Newton Thomas, J. Anderson, 534/534; 3rd, W. Dalzell, 195/196. High Gun: W. Dalzell. No. 4, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap: L. Marsham, G. Dryden, D. Brown, K. Dunstan, D. Bruce, G. Boswell, H. Logan, K. Venables, R. Madden, L. Baxter, F. Buchan, F. Shearer, W. Abbott, W. Lonie, W. Dalzell. No. 5, 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: C. Hadden, M. Thornton, R. Buchan, M. Goulring, R. Madden, J. Newton Thomas, M. Miller, 25/25, div. No. 6, 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: R. Thornton, M. Thornton, 25/25, div.

The main event saw an amazing performance by J. Newton-Thomas and Jim Anderson, both of whom shot 534 straight in the shoot-off. This score, together with 10 tgts. in the E.O., established a new Victorian and Australian record of 544, something this club is proud of.

Fifteen shooters scored the possible in the Handicap and divided. Congratulations to Mick Thornton, son of Dick Thornton, on his 50 break in the Skeet.

Four traps are now in operation at Lilydale, including Croydon's electric Damo.

(P. Joss, Hon. Sec.)

**LILYDALE (V.), 18/1/69.** — Weather conditions: fine and mild, slight breeze. Attendance: 55. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts. E.O.: W. Henwood, A. Hamilton, R. Buchan, W. Williams, J. Henwood, W. Lonie, J. Wales, N. White, 30/30, div. No. 2, Croydon and Dist. D.B. C'ship: 1st, C. Mudford, 144/144; 2nd, J. Henwood, 143/144; 3rd, W. Abbott, 55/56. No. 3, Croydon Inter. D.B. C'ship: 1st, V. Bidstrup, 49/49; 2nd, N. De Lorenzo, 48/49; 3rd, J. Senserrick, 22/23; 12-14 yds., D. Brown, 22/23. No. 4, 10-tgt. S. Rise (C.D.): Dave Brown, K. Priestley, D. Germaine, B. Ireland, R. Henwood, N. De Lor-

enzo, R. Brown, H. Wademan, J. Henwood, 30/30, div. No. 5, 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap No. 1 (C.D.): N. White, D. B. O'Callaghan, J. Ousey, R. Buchan, W. Williams, T. De Lorenzo, 25/25, div. No. 6, 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap No. 2 (C.D.): W. Delaney, W. Dalzell, 25/25, div. No. 7, 10-tgt. S.B. (C.D.): G. Boswell, H. Somers, B. Ireland, 20/20, div. Daily High Gun: J. Henwood, 40/40.

Today's attendance was just below average and shooting conditions were near perfect. The Croydon and Dist. D.B. C'ship, always a popular event, was won in good style by C. Mudford after shooting a straight 144; the Intermediate division went to Viv. Bidstrup with a score of 49. Congratulations to both. Nine shooters divided after scoring the possible in the novelty event, a 10 tgts. Silent Rise. Bill Delaney, Noel White, Des O'Callaghan and Bob Buchan all shot 25 straight in today's skeet events.

(P. Joss, Hon. Sec.)

**LILYDALE (V.), 25/1/69.** — Weather conditions: cold, windy and wet. Attendance: 65. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts. E.O. (C.D.): A. James, L. Baxter, H. Somers, K. Dobson, 30/30, div. No. 2, Club D.B. Pts. C'ship: 1st, R. Ferrers, 114/114; 2nd, L. Baxter, 113/114; 3rd, A. James, 101/102; 12-14 yds., L. Marsham, 54/60; 15-16 yds., D. Germaine, 57/60. No. 3, Schoolboys' D.B. C'ship: 1st, P. Heywood, 52/52; 2nd, P. Rhodes, 51/52; 3rd, G. Henwood, 50/51; 4th, P. Vipond, 24/25. No. 4, Junior Skeet C'ship: 1st, M. Thornton, 25/25; 2nd, J. Garsed, 18/25; 3rd, P. Rhodes, 17/25. No. 5, Skeet 25 tgts. H'cap, (C.D.): R. Buchan, W. Dalzell, R. Peacock, 25/25.

Two events were cancelled because of the rain. The first event, the Club D.B. C'ship, and the first event in the Club Aggregate, was won by Bob Ferrers after a short shoot-off.

It was refreshing to see so many shooters, many from country clubs, enter their sons in the Schoolboys' C'ship and the Junior Skeet C'ship. Congratulations to Paul Heywood and Michael Thornton on winning these events. Both boys show excellent promise and their performance today put many of their seniors to shame.

All trophies today were donated by club members.

(P. Joss, Hon. Sec.)

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**LISMORE (N.S.W.), 15/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine and clear. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. H'cap: K. de Saxe, C. J. Lee, S. Anderson, L. Roach, 15/16. No. 2, 10-tgt. Walk-up: 1st, D. Worrall, 10/10; 2nd, G. Ethell, 10/11; 3rd, G. Lynam, 9/11. No. 3, 10 prs. D. Doubles H'cap: G. Lynam-J. Bell, 19/19, 1st; Ted Davies-Dick Powell, 18/19, 2nd; B. Frederiksen-D. Worrall, 17/18, 3rd. No. 4, 20 Mixed tgts. for the Ethell Trophies: 1st, G. Lynam, 30/30; 2nd, Ted Davies, 27/30; best F/M., L. Roach, 27/30. No. 5, 5 tower tgts. D.B.: G. Pringle, J. Bell, G. Lynam, D. Mount, Darcy Powell, C. J. Lee, R. Shepherd, G. Ethell, Dick Powell, J. Lynam, D. Worrall, L. Frederiksen, 5/5.

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

**LISMORE (N.S.W.), 15/12/68 (Night).** — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. H'cap: G. Pringle, Dick Leadbeater, D. Worrall, L. Frederiksen, 15/15. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: Darcy Powell, Ted Davies, J. Bell, J. Tainsh, D. Worrall, 10/10. No. 3, 20-tgt. Pts. H'cap Trophy: 1st, Darcy Powell, 59/60; 2nd, Dick Leadbeater, 58/60; 3rd, R. Shepherd, 62/66. High Gun: L. Frederiksen, 33/90.

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

**LISMORE (N.S.W.), 11/1/69 (Night).** — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. E.O.: Darcy Powell, Bill Wilson, J. Bell, G. Ethell, D. Mount, Dick Leadbeater, 15/15. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: J. Tainsh, G. Ethell, L. Frederiksen, D. Ethell, Bill Wilson, Dick Powell, 10/10. No. 3, 25 Mixed Tgts. H'cap Trophy: 1st, D. Mount, 22/25; 2nd, G. Pringle, 21/25; best 12-15 ydr., Bill Wilson, 21/27.

Don Mount shot consistently throughout the programme, and especially in the mixed tgts. trophy event, which he won with a good 22/25. Geoff Pringle emerged to trophy lists again after a few months in the desert, and new shooter, Bill Wilson, took out the front-marker's trophy after the shortest possible shoot-off with Jim Bell.

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

**LISMORE (N.S.W.), 26/1/69.** — Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. E.O. H'cap: D. Worrall, Dick Leadbeater, P. Powell, Bill Wilson, B. Frederiksen, L. Frederiksen, 15/15. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: J. Bell, Dick Powell, G. Ethell, R. Shepherd, D. Mount, Bill Anderson, Bill Wilson, 10/10. No. 3, 20-tgt. Pts. H'cap Trophy: 1st, Bill Wilson, 59/60; 2nd, Dick Powell, 58/60; 3rd, best 12-15 ydr., P. Powell, 56/60. No. 4, 10-tgt. S.B. H'cap: D. Mount, Dick Leadbeater, Dick Powell, Bill Wilson, L. Frederiksen, D. Ethell, 10/10. No. 5, Continental Box Sweep: Bill Wilson, G. Pringle, J. Bell, P. Powell, Bill Anderson, 5/5. No. 6, Box Sweep: L. Frederiksen. High Gun: Dick Powell, 51/51.

The heat and humidity made the day a very trying one, but most shooters scored well over our re-conditioned trap. A breeze late in the afternoon made targets fly unevenly, but all were happy with the cooler change. Bill Wilson shot very well and consistently to record an outright win in the trophy event, and one yard on his handicap. Bill lost his battle for High Gun to Dick Powell, 51/51, when he missed his 51st target.

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

**MANNUM (S.A.), 14/12/68.** — Weather conditions: hot, sultry. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, J. Varnes, Esq. Trophy (10 clays D.B., 10 clays S.B.): 1st, C. Maczkowiack, 33/34; 2nd, R. Simcock, 32/34; 3rd, B. Hollywood, 24/26. No. 2, 5 pr. D. Rise off H'cap: 1st, J. Maczkowiack, 8/10; 2nd, C. Maczkowiack, R. Simcock, R. Humphrey, 7/10. No. 3, 5 pr. D. Rise off H'cap: J. Georgies, R. Humphrey, J. Maczkowiack, 9/10.

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

**MANSFIELD (V.), 18/1/69.** — Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 12. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: div. L. Parks, R. Forrest, G. Huf, W. Tremayne, C. McCormack, No. 2, 10-tgt. Trophy: 1st, C. McCormack, 49/49; 2nd, L. Parks; 3rd, R. Forrest, 14/15; F/M., N. Vanner, No. 3, 10-tgt. S'stakes: div. L. Parks, K. Newman, G. Huf, L. Shallard, C. McCormack, No. 4, 10-tgt. S'stakes: div. L. Parks, L. Shallard, N. Vanner, K. Newman, W. Tremayne, G. Huf, J. Challis, C. McCormack, No. 5, 6-tgt. S'stakes: div. L. Parks, K. Newman, G. Huf, J. Challis, C. McCormack.

Although the attendance was disappointing, we saw some very good shooting at our monthly shoot. Best was a 75 straight shot by Mansfield Club member Con McCormack. All shooters were disappointed when L. Parks missed his 49th bird and missed out on a 50 break badge.

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

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**MARYBOROUGH (V.), 17/12/68.**—Weather conditions: excellent. Attendance: 30. Results: 15-tgt. D.B.: L. Scarce, 1st; D. Robinson, 2nd.

(M. C. E. Wangeman, Hon. Sec.)

**MENINDEE (N.S.W.), 24/11/68.**—Weather conditions: fine, light wind. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O.: T. Hadad, D. Hammat, D. Smith, J. Owen, L. Kolstad, D. Gates, A. Langford, R. Warren, S. Bruni. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B.: I. Josephs, J. Vigar. No. 3, 15-tgt. D.B. Trophy: 1st, R. Warren; 2nd, J. Owen; 3rd, S. Bruni. No. 4, 20-tgt. D.B. (Xmas Hamper): 1st, L. Kolstad; 2nd, D. Smith; 3rd, R. Warren; F/M., D. Fuller. No. 5, 10-tgt. Skeet (Novelty): D. Hammat, D. Smith, H. Mellowship, J. Trask, R. Warren.

Our Xmas shoot was conducted under near ideal conditions and enjoyed by all present. Congratulations to R. Warren and Len Kolstad for their wins in the Trophy and Xmas Hamper events respectively.

(John Caskey, Hon. Sec.)

**MERSEY (Tas.), 21/12/68.**—Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Walk-up: 1st, div. R. Wills, D. Brett, B. Roberts, 4/5. No. 2, Novice 5-tgt. S.B.: 1st, div. B. Williams, A. Dobson, B. Young, G. Matthews, 4/5. No. 3, Walk-up C'ship (10 tgts. D.B.): 1st, A. Bowering, 13/15; 2nd, G. Blaskett, 10/15; 3rd, B. Young, 8/10; F/M., D. Bottle, 8/15. No. 4, President's Trophy (15 tgts. D.B. Pts. H'cap): 1st, A. Bowering, 44/45; 2nd, D. Brett, 43/45; 3rd, K. Lowry, 48/51. No. 5, Ladies' Shoot (5 tgts. S.B.): 1st, S. Lowry, 5/8; 2nd, W. Brett, 4/8. No. 6, 10 Mixed Tgts.: div. 5 shooters—R. Will, K. Blazely, B. Roberts, D. Brett, G. Matthews, 9/10.

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

**MERSEY (Tas.), 1/2/68.**—Weather conditions: hot and humid. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. Pts.: 1st, div. G. Roberts, R. Young, B. Roberts, R. Wills, G. Richardson, G. Waterhouse, 15/15. No. 2, Novice 5-tgt. S.B.: 1st, div. Mrs. S. Lowry, A. Dobson, 4/5. No. 3, Club S.B. C'ship: 1st, R. V. Conlan, 19/20; 2nd, B. Roberts, 27/30; 3rd, G. Roberts, 26/30; F/M., R. Wills, 18/20. No. 4, T.A.A. Air Fare H'cap: 1st, R. Young, 23/23; 2nd, D. Brett, 22/23; 3rd, G. Blaskett, 20/21. No. 5, Ladies' 5-tgt. D.B.: 1st, S. Lowry, 5/5; 2nd, S. Willis, 2/5; 3rd, M. Hall, 1/5. No. 6, 5 prs. D. Rise: K. Lowry, G. Crosswell, R. V. Conlan, D. Brett, div.

Fine shooting by R. V. Conlan of Huonville to take out the club's S.B. C'ship with the near perfect score of 19/20. Bob Young of Burnie won the major Handicap shoot, so he gets a free trip to Melb.; congratulations, Bob—23/23.

It was the first shoot of the season. Pleasing to see so many shooters. Once again thanks to our very good ladies. A special thanks once again to T.A.A. for supplying the return air fare to the National Championships.

(Greg. Matthews.)

**METROPOLITAN (V.), Sat., Jan. 11.**—Northern Suburbs D.D.: A. James—Bill Attwood, 45/45; T. Spence—M. Day, 44/45.

The Northern Suburbs D.B. went to P. Radoa, 121/121; 2nd, M. Day, 120/121; 3rd,

Bill Stone, 117/118. Mal. Wilson, 18/20, took the 12-14 trophy, and Brian Kirkpatrick, 37/38, the 15-16 yds.

**Friday Night, Jan. 17.**—Tom Spence, 28/28, was successful in the Epping D.B. Night C'ship, with Ray Hering, 27/28, second, and Doug. Trembath, 25/26, third; 12-14 yds., Bob Fulton, 19/20; 15-16 yds., Reg McGlone, 16/20.

**Sat., Jan. 25.**—Northern Suburbs Tower C'ship: 1st, Bill Arandt, 43/43; second, Des O'Callaghan, 42/43; third, P. Frisina, 39/40.

Northern Suburbs S.B. C'ship: first, Bob Dale, 33/38; second, Bill Arandt, 37/38; third, Keith Paterson, 30/31; 12-14 yds., Ian Heslop, 28/29; 15-16 yds., P. Frisina, 32/33.

Northern Suburbs Skeet C'ship: first, Don McCraith, 33/33; second, Ray Burrill, 32/33; third, Des O'Callaghan, 24/25; F/M., Bill Markham, 23/25.

**Friday Night, Jan. 31.**—Epping S.B. Night C'ship went to E. Colautti, 24/25; second, Doug. Trembath, 33/35; third, Lyle Mitchell, 32/35; 12-14 yds., Helmut Ricker, 16/21; 15-16 yds., Reg McGlone, 16/20.

(C. Colledge, Sec.)

**MILDURA (V.), 15, 16/11/68.**—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 50. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: M. Doyle, C. Farnsworth, W. Perry, H. Moore, R. Warren, F. Barnes, S. Scherger, W. Chapman, C. L. Barnes, 10/10, div. No. 2, North West D.B. C'ship: 1st, H. Moore, 48/48; 2nd, L. Connors, 47/48; 3rd, J. Wilkinson, 24/25; F/M. trophy, R. Wells, 17/20. No. 3, 15-target Sweep: M. Smith, G. Williams, D. Farnsworth, G. Farnsworth, F. Barnes, W. Maddocks, J. Owen, K. Robinson, W. Chapman, 15/15, div. No. 4, 15-tgt. Sweep: R. Williams, G. Williams, M. Doyle, W. Ruchel, S. Scherger, C. Farnsworth, J. Wilkinson, W. Maddocks, W. R. Wakefield, J. Owen, H. Moore, C. L. Barnes, W. Chapman, A. C. Barnes, G. Wakefield, 15/15, div. No. 5, Laurie Bruce Mem. Shoot: 1st, A. C. Barnes, 56/56; 2nd, C. Farnsworth, 55/56; 3rd, J. Trask, 31/32. No. 6, Mildura Gun Club Cup: 1st, K. Robinson, 49/49; 2nd, J. Owen, 48/49; 3rd, R. Warren, 44/46. No. 7, \$100 H'cap: R. Williams, G. Williams, M. Doyle, P. Caddy, C. Farnsworth, F. Barnes, R. Wakefield, L. Connors, div. No. 8, North West D.B. C'ship: 1st, I. Wakefield, 89/89; 2nd, S. Scherger, 88/89; 3rd, R. Warren, 81/82; F/M., J. Owen, 19/20. No. 9, North West S.B. C'ship: 1st, W. Perry, 20/20; 2nd, F. A. Barnes, 22/23; 3rd, W. Maddocks, 21/23; F/M., J. Owen, 19/20. High Gun: C. Farnsworth, 103/105.

(L. Connors, Hon. Sec.)

**MILDURA (V.), 21/11/68.**—Weather conditions: warm. Attendance: 46. Results: No. 1, 10 pr. D. Rise: J. Wilkinson, 18/20; P. Caddy, H. Moore, R. Erhardt, L. Connors, 17/20, div. 2nd and 3rd. No. 2, 15-target Sweep: P. Caddy, P. Richardson, J. Doyle, A. E. Wilkinson, S. L. Richardson, W. Chapman, D. Smith, A. W. Barnes, F. A. Barnes, D. Budich, R. A. Richardson, D. Martin, div. No. 3, Mildura Gun Club Gift: 1st, W. Chapman; 2nd, G. Smith; 3rd, J. Doyle. No. 4, 10-tgt. Pts.: R. Erhardt, J. Mitchell, div. 1st and 2nd; I. Josephs, G. T. Wakefield, F. A. Barnes, W. Chapman, P. Richardson, A. W. Barnes, A. E. Wilkinson, div. 3rd.

Mildura Gun Club ended its year's activities with a Xmas shoot that was attended

by many club members, visiting shooters and their families. Father Xmas duly arrived to the delight of the children. The hospitality given by the club seemed to be enjoyed by all and it was probably one of the best wind-ups the club has ever held since its inception. The committee, through this media, take the opportunity to wish all members of Mildura Gun Club a Merry Xmas and Prosperous New Year. We look forward to seeing you all at our shoots in 1969.

(L. Connors, Hon. Sec.)

**MT. GAMBIER (S.A.), 25/1/69.**—Weather conditions: afternoon—strong westerly wind, with showers late afternoon; evening—cold westerly breeze, with an odd light shower. Attendance: afternoon 26, evening 30. Results: No. 1, 15-clay D.B. H'cap S'stake (C.D.): P. C. Lamond, 15/15; 1st, A. L. Cameron, 14/15; 2nd, P. D. Pringle, A. K. Lawson, L. J. W. Earl, J. R. Humphris, J. D. Murphy, B. England, K. A. Marks, 13/15, 3rd. No. 2, 10-clay D.B. Sweep (18 yds., C.D.): D. Plummer, D. O. Mayfield, J. D. Murphy, B. England, 10/10. No. 3, 10-clay D.B. Sweep (18 yds., C.D.): A. K. Lawson, P. C. Lamond, J. D. Murphy, K. A. Marks, C. England, T. L. Sims, P. G. Yoannidis, 10/10. No. 4, Sth. Aust. D.B. Night Clay C'ship: 1st, J. D. Murphy, 30/30; 2nd, D. O. Mayfield, 41/42; 3rd, T. Reschke, 40/42.

General seasonal conditions. A very disappointing attendance for this our fifth Jan. long week-end, major programme. The strong westerly wind proved difficult for a number of shooters, although some good scores were returned. Joe Murphy shared in each event.

It was pleasing to see shooters in attendance from Ascot Vale (V.) and Mangain (N.S.W.).

(Ian A. Marks, Hon. Sec.)

**MT. GAMBIER (S.A.), 26/1/69.**—Weather conditions: fine, almost perfect, light westerly breeze. Attendance: 42. Results: No. 1, 10-clay D.B. H'cap E.O. (C.D.): A. Aitken, D. O. Mayfield, G. Smith, J. D. Hinge, C. McIntosh, L. J. W. Earl, E. W. Hetherington, A. McSweeney, 10/10. No. 2, \$500 Mt. Gambier D.B. H'cap (20 clays): D. Plummer, G. Smith, C. McIntosh, L. J. W. Earl, A. McSweeney, 20/20; 12-15 yds., P. C. Lamond, 17/20; 16-18 yds., P. L. Telford, 18/20; 19-20 yds., C. F. Copping, E. W. Hetherington, 19/20; 21-23 yds., F. F. Kentish, K. R. Wait, T. L. Sims, 19/20; 24-27 yds., N. Hinneberg, 19/20. No. 3, City of Mt. Gambier D.B. Clay C'ship: 1st, F. F. Kentish, 62/63; 2nd, J. D. Murphy, 61/63; 3rd, J. R. Humphris, 47/48. No. 3a, City of Mt. Gambier D.B. Intermed. Clay C'ship: 1st, L. Aubrey, 38/39; 2nd, P. C. Lamond, 37/39; 3rd, W. J. McIntyre, 17/20. No. 4, 10-clay Pts. H'cap Sweep: P. G. Yoannidis, K. A. Marks, J. R. Humphris, G. Manning, A. J. McIntyre, 30/30. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise Sweep (16 yds.): 1st, C. F. Copping, 9/10; 2nd, P. L. Telford, R. W. Scott, L. J. W. Earl, B. Hetherington, T. L. Sims, A. J. McIntyre, 8/10.

Congratulations to Senior Vice-President, Frank Kentish, on winning his first championship after letting Joe Murphy miss a clay and then eventually proving too strong. Also congratulations to Life Member of our club, Fred L. Bishop, who was present on his 81st birthday.

Many thanks to our ladies for providing an excellent display of refreshments during the programme.

(Ian A. Marks, Hon. Sec.)

**MOUNT ISA (Qld.), 5/1/69 (Night).**—Weather conditions: hot, humid. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. E.O.: H. Biondi, H. J. Smith, C. Selke, E. Sebastiani, D. Dingle, T. Jerkie, 15/15. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, D. Dingle, 28/28; 2nd, G. Buerchler, 27/28; 3rd, H. Biondi, 22/23. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B. H'cap: H. T. Linton, G. Buerchler, H. J. Smith, E. Sebastiani, 10/10.

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

**MORWELL (V.), 21/12/68.**—Weather conditions: fine, with gusty winds. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. Pts. H'cap: R. Bremner, E. Beal, 30/30, div.; L. Mitchell, 29/30. No. 2, 15 Mixed Tgts.: 1st, H. Duff, 26/26; 2nd, E. Beal, 25/26; 3rd, E. Dowe, 25/27; F/M., R. Bremner, 25/27. No. 3, 5-tgt. D.B. (12 yds.), 5-tgt. D.B. (27 yds.): G. Williams, R. Bremner, W. Pryde, 10/10, div. No. 4, 9-tgt. Quail: A. Bremner, G. Williams, K. Davison, R. Brown, 9/9. No. 5, Red Cross Cake Shoot: R. Brown.

(W. T. Pryde, Hon. Sec.)

**NARACORTE (S.A.), 14/12/68.**—Weather conditions: fine and clear. Attendance: 37. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, div. R. Scott, B. England, W. Hetherington, I. Roberts, R. Mock, No. 2, 5-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, div. J. Grove, R. Luff, B. England, C. Copping, R. Mock, No. 3, 5-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, div. J. Hinge, J. Standewick, C. England, B. England, J. Grove. No. 4, 5-tgt. D.B. H'cap: J. Grove, J. Standewick, W. Hetherington, A. Miller, I. Roberts, R. Mock.

(I. Grant, Hon. Sec.)

**NARACORTE (S.A.), 1/1/69.**—Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O.: div. T. Mock, J. Standewick, A. Chellew, R. Mock, A. Hamilton, R. Luff, C. Copping, I. Grant, J. Humphris, P. Telford, 5/5. No. 2, \$100 Trophy H'cap (10-tgt. D.B.): 1st, J. Humphris, 25/25; 2nd, T. Mock, 24/25; 3rd, G. Dinning; ladies' trophy, M. R. Copping. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. Sweep: div. D. Hamilton, N. Chellew, P. Foster, 15/15.

(I. Grant, Hon. Sec.)

**NEW ENGLAND (N.S.W.), 8/12/68.**—Weather conditions: warm and stormy. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. Walk-up: 1st, D. Macansh, G. Bloxsome, M. Thrift, J. Hartmann, 5/5. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts.: 1st, G. R. Smith, F. Wilshire, C. Bloxsome, G. Smith, S. Kane, D. Hall, J. Hartmann, I. Reid, 30/30. No. 3, 20-tgt. D.B.: 1st, G. Smith, D. Macansh, N. Campion, A. Kempton, G. Evans, C. Bloxsome, R. Crothers, E. Glasser, M. Burgess, J. Newby, 20/20. No. 4, 5 triple sparrows D. Doubles: 1st, S. Kane, D. Hall; 2nd, C. Bloxsome—A. Kempton.

(Allan H. Lewis, Hon. Sec.)

**NEW ENGLAND (N.S.W.), 12/1/69.**—Weather conditions: humid, stormy. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. Sweep: D. Hall, C. Coldham, I. Reid, S. F. Kane, G. White, Mrs. White, C. Bloxsome, P. Raffety, K. Starr, G. Evans, C. McIntosh,



V. Mackson, J. Webster, 5/5. No. 2, 20-tgt. S.B. Sweep: 1st, I. Reid, 24/25; 2nd, G. White, 23/25; 3rd, C. Bloxsome, 21/23. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. Sweep: I. Reid, G. White, C. Bloxsome, R. Gilder, M. Thrift, J. Webster, 10/10. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. Continental Sweep: I. Reid, G. White, G. Evans, D. Friend, C. Coldham, C. Bloxsome, C. McIn-tosh, J. Webster, V. Mackson, 10/10.

Shooting for the first time over the Damo electric continental trap at our club. The Kwong Sing trophy event went to I. Reid from G. White and C. Bloxsome. However, when the same three shot off for High Gun, Craig Bloxsome won the club spoon with a score of 56/57.

(Allan H. Lewis, Hon. Sec.)

N.S.W.G.C. (N.S.W.), 4/1/69. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 39. Results: No. 1, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap: G. West, T. Powell, A. Vernon, F. Hudson, B. Smith, N. Rogley, K. William, R. Clare, F. Ward, F. Horton, W. Shelton. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap Trophy: G. West, 66/67; K. Willman, 65/66; G. Papageorgiou, 46/46. No. 3, 10 pr. D. Rise: F. Hudson, 10/10; S. Coyle, B. Smith, N. Rogley, Omar Younsi, G. Kable, 9/10. No. 4, H'cap Skeet: L. Talbot, A. Waters, 25/25.

(J. Evans, Sec.)

N.S.W.G.C. (N.S.W.), 18/1/69. — Weather conditions: heat wave. Attendance: 48. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: R. Clarke, R. Hyatt, I. Mills, R. Maso, J. Worley, N. Doubleday, B. Mackenzie, J. Keogh, G. Kable, B. Kable, N. Rogley, F. Horton, F. Ward, W. Charlton, 10/10. No. 2, 10 pr. D. Rise: W. Charlton, R. McCallister, 10/10. No. 3, N.S.W.G.C. D'ville Doubles: F. Hudson - G. Kable, 42/42; I. Mills - T. Powell, 41/42; K. Reid - B. Kapel, 22/23. No. 4, 10-tgt. Pts.: J. Bosco, K. Keogh, 30/30. No. 5, H'cap Skeet: W. Charlton, R. Clark, 25/25.

Temperature above 90 deg. made it a bit unpleasant, but the standard of shooting was good. Fred Hudson and Geoff. Kable, proving too good, won the Club D'ville Doubles C'ship with 42 kills.

(J. Evans, Sec.)

NOORAT (V.), 11/1/69. — Weather conditions: very good. Attendance: 37. Afternoon shoot Results: No. 1, 6-tgt. D.B. E.O. Pts.: 8 shooters div. 1st, 6/6. No. 2, Mt. Noorat D.B. C'ship: 1st, A. Bant, 53/53; 2nd, M. Sullivan, 52/53; 3rd, N. Hinneberg, 51/52; F/M., L. Trigger, 17/20. No. 3, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, H. Somers, 37/37; 2nd, L. Whyte, 36/37; 3rd, I. Dickens, 32/33; 20-23 yds., L. Francis, 21/22; 24-27 yds., N. Davis, 22/23; 17-19 yds., A. Wembridge, 20/22; 12-16 yds., J. Close, 19/20. No. 4, Western Dist. D. Rise Sparrow C'ship: 1st, N. Davis, 19/20; 2nd, N. Hinneberg, 17/20; 3rd, J. Corbett, 16/20. Triumph Team Shield (in conjunction with event 2): 1st, Warrnambool, 97/100; 2nd, Noorat No. 1, 96/100; 3rd, Sebastopol, 94/100; 4th, Noorat No. 2, 90/100.

NOORAT (V.), 11/1/69. — Weather conditions: very good. Attendance: 32. Night shoot Results: No. 5, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, J. Trigg, 45/45; 2nd, L. Whyte, 44/45; 3rd, G. Taylor, 34/35. Yardage prizes: 24-27 yds., L. Reicha, 29/30; 20-23 yds., T. McDonald, 33/34; 17-19 yds., I. Dickens, 21/22; 12-16 yds., J. Twaddle, 21/22. No. 6, Mt. Noorat S.B. C'ship: 1st, N. Hinneberg, 20/20; 2nd, T. McDonald, 30/32; 3rd, A. McSweeney, 29/32; F/M., J. Trigg, 17/20. High Gun over events 2, 3, 5: won by L. Francis, 74/76.

Noorat Gun Club's 77th Annual Shoot held on the 11/1/69 over day and night, with good competition throughout. The main event in the afternoon was the 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap, won by a Melbourne shooter, H. Somers, who won the automatic shotgun. Lloyd Whyte of Noorat was second in the two H'cap events day and night. Western District D. Rise Sparrow C'ship was won by N. Davis of Cobden outright. The Triumph Herald Shield was won by a Warrnambool team, 97/100, just beating Noorat No. 1 team by 1 point. However, as this was the last time this shield was to be shot for, the Sebastopol team have won the right to keep the shield, as they have won it three times.

The club's President, L. Reicha, presented the trophies and thanked all who assisted in running the shoot.

(Ian G. Grummett, Hon. Sec.)

PERTH (W.A.), 1/12/68. — Weather conditions: pleasant. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1, 20-tgt. D.B. Pts. (C.D.): J. Steiner, J. Boyes, 60/60. No. 2, 50-tgt. D.B. H'cap Pts.: E. Willey, 144/150; N. Thomazos, 142/150; R. Bailey, W. Scrimgeour, J. Steiner, 141/150; visitors' trophy, D. D'Ovidio, 136/150. No. 3, "Friendship Day" Team Shoot, Azzurri v. Perth: Azzurri, 700/750 (N. Festa, R. Di Lanzo, G. Yozzi, R. Mordini, A. Yozzi); Perth, 672/750 (R. Bailey, E. Willey, J. Steiner, W. Scrimgeour, N. Tomazos).

Azzurri comfortably retained the magnificent Del Caro trophy. The team match will be held at Perth Gun Club again in 1969.

(J. G. Spark, Hon. Sec.)

PERTH (W.A.), 4/12/68. — Weather conditions: cool — night shoot. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1, 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: B. Sharp, B. Zuchetti, D. McCarthy, R. Bailey, J. Boyes — shoot-off to be held later. No. 2, 10 D.B., 10 S.B.: J. Boyes, 20/20.

(J. G. Spark, Hon. Sec.)

PERTH (W.A.), 14/12/68. — Weather conditions: mild. Attendance: 42. Being our Xmas wind-up shoot, novelty was added to the programme. 10-tgt. D.B., 10-tgt. S.B., 10 pr. "Kogan Special", 10 pr. D.R. Tower. The "Special" being a high right swinger from No. 3 trap, followed by a low left swinger from No. 4 on report of gun. B/M., F. Durbidge, 49/60; F/M., Bob Allen, 41/60. "Low Gun" Lady: D. D'Ovidio, Mrs. Nell Martin.

(J. G. Spark, Hon. Sec.)

PERTH (W.A.), 18/12/68. — Weather conditions: Night shoot — pleasant conditions. Attendance: 23. Results: 10-tgt. S.B., 20-tgt. D.B. (club h'cap marks): K Barker, C. Lee (Northam), 28/30; Lady, Mrs. J. Wright, 16/30.

(J. G. Spark, Hon. Sec.)

POONCARIE (N.S.W.), 30/11/68. — Weather conditions: fine and hot. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Sweep (off h'cap): 12 possibles div. No. 2, 10-tgt. Sweep (off h'cap): N. Wakefield, W. Perry, S. Barnes, B. Watson, A. F. Wilkinson, div. No. 3, 15-tgt. Xmas Hamper H'cap: G. Wakefield, 1st, 32/32; B. Bock, 2nd, 31/32; W. K. Wakefield, 3rd, 21/22. No. 4, 10-tgt. Pts. Xmas Cheer: equal 1st, E. Smith, J. Trask; 3rd, E. Owen, M. Lambert.

Fine weather prevailed for our Xmas shoot and a good attendance to take part in all events. The main event, the Xmas Hamper shoot, was won by Gordon Wakefield, with Brian Bock second and Bill Wakefield third. In the Xmas Cheer H'cap the President and Secretary shot the possible. Equal third in this event were Edwin Owen and Max Lambert. Novelty events then followed, with everyone sharing.

Father Christmas called on all the children and later everyone on the ground received a hamper to celebrate Xmas. Once again special thanks to the ladies' committee for their hard work during the year.

The Pooncarie Gun Club extends Xmas and New Year Greetings to the A.C.T.A. and to all shooters and hope everyone prospers in the coming year.

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

PORTARLINGTON (V.), 8/12/68. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: possibles, W. Attwood, D. Holmes, R. Jorgenson, T. Buskauskus, R. Coombs, 10/10. No. 2, Portarlington S.B. Sparrow C'ship: T. Buskauskus, 1st, 20/23; K. Robinson, 2nd, 19/23; A. James, 3rd, 18/23. No. 3, Queenscliff D.B. C'ship: 1st, A. James, 20/20; 2nd, K. Robinson, 19/20; D. Clarke, 3rd, 34/35. No. 4, 10-tgt. H'cap: R. Coombs, 25/25.

(R. Jorgenson, Hon. Sec.)

PORTARLINGTON (V.), 22/12/68. — Results: No. 1, 5 pr. D.D.: div. D. Holmes - D. Maloney, A. Tie - Tex Tie. No. 2, Portarlington D.D. C'ship: K. Robins - D. Branah, 1st, 70/70; B. Mark - G. Mark, 2nd, 69/70. No. 3, Portarlington D. Rise C'ship: D. Branah, 1st, 27/28; B. Mark, 2nd, 26/28; W. Attwood, 3rd, 25/28. No. 4, 15-tgt. H'cap: div. A. James, W. Attwood, W. Williams, J. Walls, I. Dickens, 15/15. Two ladies' trophies: Mrs. Gresselle.

(R. Jorgenson, Hon. Sec.)

PORTARLINGTON (V.), 26/12/68. — Results: No. 1, 5 pr. D. Rise: A. Smeaton, 1st, 10/10; B. Mark, 2nd, 9/10; A. Tie, 9/10. No. 2, Queenscliff D. Rise: B. Wembridge, 1st, 20/22; J. Ludbrook, 2nd, 19/22; K. Downs, 3rd, 22/26. No. 3, St. Leonards D.B. C'ship: A. Tie, 1st, 20/20; D. Holmes, 2nd, 33/34; W. Bamford, 3rd, 32/34. No. 4, 15-tgt. H'cap: div. B. Mark, A. Tie, W. Bamford, T. Tie, R. Evans, 15/15. Ladies' trophies: Mrs. Buskauskus and Glenda Tie.

(R. Jorgenson, Hon. Sec.)

PORTARLINGTON (V.), 1/1/69. — No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts.: div. I. Dickens, B. Mark, 30/30. No. 2, Bellarine Pen. S.B.: R. Evans, 1st, 30/31; B. Hart, 2nd, 29/31; W. Stone, 3rd, 33/35; J. Ludbrook, 12-14 yds., 18/20. No. 3, Portarlington D.B. C'ship: B. Mark, 1st, 70/70; A. Illingworth, 2nd, 69/70; A. Tie, 3rd, 51/52; 12-14 yds., A. Coleman, 19/20. No. 4, 15-tgt. H'cap: div. G. Ludbrook, B. Wembridge, A. Tie, G. Mark, I. Dickens, 15/15. Two ladies' trophies: Mrs. Coleman on both events.

(R. Jorgenson, Hon. Sec.)

PORTARLINGTON (V.), 5/1/69. — No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts.: A. Tie, 30/30; D. Drinkwater, F. Apted, 29/30. No. 2, Bellarine S.B. C'ship: A. James, 1st, 23/24; G. White, 2nd, 22/24; L. Mitchell, 3rd, 27/29; 12-14 yds., F. G. Jamison, 15/20. No. 3, Portarlington D.D. C'ship: W. Ford - A. Senserrick, 1st, 55/55; T. Mitchell - K. Maybury, 2nd, 54/55. No. 4, 15-tgt. H'cap: div. F. Apted, K. Maybury, D. Roberts, 15/15.

(R. Jorgenson, Hon. Sec.)

QUAMBATOOK (V.), 16/1/69. — Weather conditions: fine and hot night. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: 12 shot 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-tgt. Trophy: 9 shot 10/10, div. op.: R. Hipwell, 39/39, 1st; W. McGrath, 38/39, 2nd; M. Connelly, 27/28, 3rd. No. 3, 10-tgt. Sweep: R. Hipwell, S. Schlitz, I. Whytcross, D. Moore, D. McGrath, 10/10, div.

Night, fine and hot, saw some good shooting. In trophy shoot-off R. Hipwell shot his 50 straight. Good muster of visitors. Some of the locals away fishing, including Secretary.

(A. E. Richmond, Asst. Sec.)

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APRIL 5 — EASTER SATURDAY — AT 11 A.M.

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WESTERN DISTRICT S.B. (NIGHT) CHAMPIONSHIP

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**QUAMBATOOK (V.), 30/1/69.** — Weather conditions: fine and hot. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: 17 shot 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-tgt. Trophy: 11 shot 10/10, div. op. sweep: M. Tate, 92/92, 1st; W. McGrath, 91/92, 2nd; R. Hipwell, 34/35, 3rd. No. 3, 10-tgt. Sweep: W. McGrath, J. Wallis, F. James, D. McGrath, B. Dawson, P. O'Loughlan, P. Nalder, M. Connelly, M. Tate, S. Fraser, G. Taylor, 10/10, div.

Conditions for shooting very good, but very hot. D. McGrath and M. Tate had a great battle for 1st and 2nd trophies. M. Tate shot 107 straight for the night.

(A. E. Richmond, Asst. Sec.)

**RABAU (T.P.N.G.), 28/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine, hot. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O.: E. Seal, F. Pannekoek, E. D. Clarke, L. Berkefeld, S. T. Quinlan, D'Vorski, 5/5. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. Kills: L. Berkefeld, S. T. Quinlan, 10/10. No. 3, 25-tgt. S.B. C'ship (Paul Trophy): 1st, G. R. Rissen, 23/25; 2nd, D. Childs, 22/25; 3rd, G. Brookes, R. Pooley, L. Paul, 21/25. High Gun trophy won by G. R. Rissen.

(F. Pannekoek, Hon. Sec.)

**ROMA (Qld.), 14/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: J. Bickers, A. Bischoff, N. Makinson, J. McIntosh, W. Carne, R. Dean, F. McEwan, B. D. Goodrich, R. McHugh, G. Ferrier, T. Ferrier, N. Bassett, R. Perkins, H. Johnston, I. Arthur, 5/5. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B.: R. Dean, B. D. Goodrich, G. Bassett, N. Bassett, H. Johnston, 15/15 — shoot-off, J. McIntosh, B. D. Goodrich, A. Bischoff. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B.: J. Bickers,

R. Dean, J. Bassett, R. Perkins, 10/10; A. Bischoff, J. McIntosh, J. Page, W. Carne, F. McEwan, R. McHugh, T. Ferrier, 9/10; shoot-off, J. Bickers, R. Perkins, J. Bassett. No. 4, 20-tgt. Pts. D.B.: W. Carne, R. McHugh, 59/60; J. Page, 58/60; J. Bickers, F. McEwan, G. Ferrier, 57/60 — shoot-off: 1st, R. McHugh; 2nd, W. Carne. No. 5, 10-tgt. D. Rise: K. Thomas, 10/10; R. Dean, G. Ferrier, 9/10; A. Dean, J. Bickers, A. Bischoff, J. McIntosh, J. Page, F. McEwan, T. Ferrier, J. Bassett, K. Cameron, R. Perkins, 8/10. No. 6, 10 pr. D. Doubles: A. Dean - R. Dean, G. Ferrier - J. Bickers, J. Bassett - T. Ferrier, J. McIntosh - G. McIntosh — shoot-off, G. Ferrier - J. Bickers, J. Bassett - T. Ferrier. Event 2, 12-13 yds., L. Due; event 3, 12-13 yds., D. McIntosh; event 3, 12-13 yds., B. Camp. High Gun over 16 yds., R. Dean; under 16 yds., J. Bickers. Low Gun: B. Camp.

Trophies were presented by Mr. and Mrs. E. Denton, our President and his wife.

(A. B. Camp, Hon. Sec.)

**ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.), 15/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine, light breeze. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap: A. Mills, F. Thompson, J. Bosco, L. Crema, I. Clisdell, J. Worley, 15/15. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. Pts. H'cap: L. Crema, J. Worley, 45/45; A. Mills, 44/45. No. 3, 15-tgt. D.B. Christmas H'cap: L. Boniface, 1st; J. Worley, 2nd; R. Maso, 3rd. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. Sparrow H'cap: J. Tyquin, J. Worley, 10/10; L. Chodat, N. Frisina, M. Stuart, N. Rogley, 9/10. No. 5, 5 prs. D.R. (off 16 yds.): J. Worley, 10/10; N. Rogley, 9/10; L. Crema, L. Boniface, W. Craig, 8/10.

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

**ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.), 29/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine, light breeze. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap: A. Romanello, R. Hunt, R. Maso, J. Worley, W. Collis, L. Crema, K. Williams, 15/15. No. 2, 15-tgt. Pts. (off 16 yds.): A. Romanello, R. Maso, W. Collis, L. Crema, K. Williams, 45/45. No. 3, Bankstown S.B. C'ship: L. Boniface, 1st; L. Crema, 2nd; R. Maso, 3rd; N. White, F/M. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. Sparrow H'cap: R. Maso, 10/10; L. Boniface, F. Denza, 10/10. No. 5, 5 prs. D.R. (off 16 yds.): L. Crema, 10/10; F. Denza, R. McAllister, 9/10. No. 6, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: A. Romanello, L. Boniface, 10/10.

Les Boniface won the Bankstown S.B. C'ship with the only possible 20/20; Len Crema "ran up" with 18/20, and Don Maso won third trophy with 18/20. N. White won the F/M. trophy.

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

**ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.), 12/1/69.** — Weather conditions: fine, light breeze. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap: A. Romanello, J. Bosco, D. Allen, L. Crema, G. Kable, 15/15. No. 2, 10-tgt. S.B. H'cap: D. Allen, 10/10; A. Romanello, J. Harman, 9/10. No. 3, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap (R.A.C. Trophy): G. Kable, 1st; D. Allen, 2nd; J. Harman, 3rd. No. 4, 5 pigeons D.B., 5 sparrows S.B.: D. Allen, 10/10; L. Crema, G. Kable, 9/10. No. 5, 5 prs. D.R. (off 16 yds.): L. Crema, 10/10; J. Bosco, D. Allen, G. Kable, J. Harman, 9/10. No. 6, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: J. Bosco, D. Allen, L. Crema, G. Kable, J. Harman, 10/10.

There were five possibles in the R.A.C. Trophy — J. Harman, J. Bosco, D. Allen, G. Kable and R. Clarke. Geoff. Kable won the shoot-off for 1st with 34, D. Allen "ran up" with 33, and J. Harman from Rankin Springs (N.S.W.) won third trophy with 28.

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

**ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.), 26/1/69.** — Weather conditions: fine, strong wind. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap: G. Kable, L. Crema, F. Ward, 15/15. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts. (off 16 yds.): F. Hudson, K. Keogh, P. Naylor, 30/30. No. 3, R.A.C. D.B. C'ship: N. Rogley, 1st; K. Keogh, 2nd; F. Ward, 3rd; Y. Omar, F/M. No. 4, 5 sparrows D.B., 5 tgts. S.B. (off 16 yds.): Y. Omar, 10/10; G. Kable, K. Keogh, N. Rogley, 9/10.

Nick Rogley scored the only possible 20/20 to win the R.A.C. D.B. C'ship; five with 19/20 shot off for the places: G. Kable, W. Every, K. Keogh, F. Ward, Y. Omar. K. Keogh finished second with 11 in the shoot-off; Frank Ward won third trophy with 10, and Y. Omar won the F/M. trophy 19/21.

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

**RUTHERGLEN (V.), 30/11/68.** — Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: R. Cullen, T. Clifton, G. Clifton, G. Colvin, A. Jamieson. No. 2, Ovens Dist. D.B. C'ship Sparrows: A. Jamieson, 1st; T. Clifton, 2nd; R. Cullen, 3rd. No. 3, 20-tgt. H'cap and Porter Shield: Porter Shield won by Corowa No. 1 team (Alex and Heather Jamieson, Noel Mills and Tom and Graeme Clifton). Shooters dividing Handicap event were W. Ford, J. Reid, D. Glasgow, L. Ashford, D. Murray, G. Colvin, J. Terrill, T. Clifton, N. Mills.

F/M. trophy, 12-14 yds., won by H. Jamieson.

After winning the Porter Shield at Wangaratta, Rutherglen were successful in gaining another day for this year to defend it. The Ovens Dist. D.B. Sparrow C'ship saw Alex Jamieson (Corowa) make a fine comeback to win from Tom Clifton, also of Corowa, 2nd, and very consistent Rutherglen lad, Ray Cullen, 3rd. The Porter Shield was won by Corowa No. 1 team, who down at Wangaratta pushed Rutherglen very hard before our lads shot 145/150 to win. Corowa won outright in very fine style with 96/100.

(D. Murray, Hon. Sec.)

**SEBASTOPOL (V.), 24/1/69.** — Weather conditions: fine and mild. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: 1st, A. Boyd, 10/10; eq. 2nd, G. Taylor, A. Shepherd, 14/15. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B.: 1st, J. Close, 15/15; 2nd, A. Shepherd, 14/15. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B.: 1st, L. Butler, 11/11; 2nd, J. Corbett, 10/11.

Small turn-up for our first shoot of the year, but a good night was enjoyed by all present.

(Alan Shepherd, Hon. Sec.)

**SHEPPARTON (V.), 4/1/69.** — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O. (C.D.): 12 div. No. 2, 20-tgt. Trophy H'cap: 1st, A. Kriss, 2nd, J. McCraw, 3rd, R. Mitchell.

Shooters arrived from Finley, Corowa, Yarrowong, Dookie, Benalla, Numurkah, Kyabram and Croydon. First event was divided by the following shooters: P. Gribben, R. Ruhe, L. Sim, J. McCraw, R. Henwood, J. Henwood, L. Ashford, V. Ryan, N. Robinson, H. Jamieson, J. Pola and G. Huf. Winner of the main event was A. Kriss from (Quick Draw) McCraw of Finley, with President, R. Mitchell, third. The rest of the programme was taken up with novelty events.

(O. Lawford, Hon. Sec.)

**S.A.G.C. (S.A.), 11/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine and hot (Night shoot). Attendance: 50. Results: No. 1, 15-tgt. H'cap S'takes: M. Kerley, P. Browne, I. Ekis, F. Starling, T. Bruce, B. England, H. Ash, A. Loro, A. Dalle-Molle, 15/15, div. No. 2, State Night D. Doubles: B. Glenn-W. Brown, 20/20, 1st; A. Dalle-Molle, L. Spizzo, 26/27, 2nd.

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

**S.A.G.C. (S.A.), 2/2/69.** — Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 45. Results: No. 1, Skeet H'cap: C. Hollywood, B. Hollywood, A. H. Shearer, E. A. Collins, H. Baynes, W. D. Ekins, R. Mules, R. Treloar, A. Ralston, P. Torok, div. No. 2, Club Skeet C'ship: 1st, R. Mules, 34/35; 2nd, R. Kimber, 33/35; 3rd, I. Campbell, 26/29.

Our first Skeet day — well attended and standards rising as members get the feel of the skeet lay-out.

(P. T. Browne, P/O.)

**SOUTHERN (S.A.), 24/11/68.** — Weather conditions: cold and windy. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 5 D.B., 5 S.B. E.O.: div. W. Starling, I. Campbell, R. Mules, G. Ash, R. Rossiter, 10/10. No. 2, S.G.C. S.B. C'ship: 1st, I. Campbell, 27/28; 2nd, R. Mules, 26/28; 3rd, G. Ash, 27/29. No. 3, Sportsgoods

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Trophy (20 tgts. D.B.): 1st, R. Johncock, 24/24; 2nd, G. Ash, 23/24; 3rd, K. Flaherty, 28/29; yardage, S. Churches, 18/20. No. 4, 5 D.B., 5 D. Rise: div. I. Campbell, S. Churches, G. Ash, 13/15.

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

**SOUTHERN (S.A.), 21/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine and hot. Attendance: 46. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. Pts.: 8 div. No. 2, Christmas H'cap (15 tgts. D.B.): 1st, T. Bruce, 38/38; 2nd, R. Mules, 37/38; 3rd, B. Rayner, 35/36; yardage, P. Macrow, 33/34. No. 3, Mixed Tgts. Trophy (8 D.B. Pts., 7 S.B., 18 yds.): 1st, B. Rayner, 39/40; 2nd, T. Roberts, 38/40; 3rd, L. Tessiere, 36/39; yardage, R. Fry, 29/31. No. 4, 10 pr. D.D.: 1st, T. Bruce - L. Tessiere, 22/22; 2nd, P. Macrow - G. Ash, 21/22. High Gun over 2 and 3: T. Roberts, 47/48.

With a fine, hot day, extremely good scores were returned, with T. Bruce gaining top honours in the Christmas H'cap from 14 other shooters who shot the possible. Bruce Rayner has at last hit his straps to take off the Mixed Tgts. Trophy from strong opposition. The partnership of T. Bruce and L. Tessiere won the D'ville Doubles from 10 other combinations after an unusual shoot-off. Terry Roberts gained the coveted High Gun ham.

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

**SOUTHERN (S.A.), 26/1/69.** — Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O.: div. M. Vorwerk, C. Thomas, B. Rayner, M. R. Schubert, M. Jaeger, A. Thielson, 5/5. No. 2, Spilsbury's Trophy (20 tgts. D.B.): 1st, R. Mules, 31/32; 2nd, B. Rayner, 30/32; 3rd, M. Kerley, 24/26; yardage, L. Fendler, 18/20. No. 3, S.G.C. D.B. C'ship: 1st, R. Mules, 50/50; 2nd, K. Flaherty, 49/50; 3rd, J. Dowdell, 47/48; yardage, C. Thomas, 19/20.

With a perfect day, Bob Mules completely scooped the pool, winning the Trophy and D.B. C'ship — this is the second consecutive D.B. Watch out next year, Bob. Congratulations to the place-getters, especially the McLaren Vale boys, Jack and Bruce.

Thanking Spilsbury's Hardware for their fine trophy, the shooters for their attendance and participation.

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

**SPRINGSURE (Qld.), 15/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. S.B. E.O.: N. Kavanagh, S. Kavanagh, 5/5. No. 2, 10-tgt. S.B. H'cap: 1st, S. Coaker, 19/19; 2nd, N. Kavanagh, 18/19; 3rd, G. Peterson, 11/12. No. 3, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, N. Kavanagh, 30/30; 2nd, S. Coaker, 29/30; 3rd, C. Jensen, 21/22. No. 4, 15-tgt. Pts.: 1st, S. Kavanagh, 46/45; 2nd, C. Jensen, 44/45; 3rd, S. Coaker, 42/45. No. 5, 10 prs. D. Rise: 1st, C. Jensen, 18/20; 2nd, L. Knox, 17/20; 3rd, P. Bousgas, 15/20.

(S. Kavanagh, Hon. Sec.)

**SUTTON FOREST (N.S.W.), 8/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 41. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: J. Stevenson, P. Lace, E. Lace, K. McCloy, L. Boniface, S. Joice, L. Chodat, R. Hayes, N. Doubleday. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap Trophy: 1st, M. Quirk; 2nd, N. Doubleday; 3rd, M. B. McCloy; F/M., W. Perkins. No. 3, Berrima Dist. D. Doubles C'ship: 1st, L. Chodat - L. Boniface; 2nd, B. Palk - W. Fleming. No. 4, 5-tgt. D.B. Ladies' Trophy: 1st, G. McCloy. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: S. Joice, L. Boniface, 9/10; R. Hayes, M. Quirk, B. Palk, 8/10.

(Stephen P. Joice, Hon. Sec.)

**SUTTON FOREST (N.S.W.), 5/1/69.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 34. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: P. Lace, S. Joice, J. Rawlinson, K. Robertson, M. Lyons, L. Chodat, K. Turner, K. Perkins, T. Crouch, 10/10. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap Trophy: 1st, B. Ellsmore; 2nd, L. Chodat; 3rd, J. Worley; F/M., Bill Perkins. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B. (16 yds.): E. Lace, K. Perkins, J. Worley, E. Hawkins, A. Hayes, 10/10. No. 4, Club S.B. C'ship: 1st, T. Romanello; 2nd, E. Hawkins; 3rd, K. Perkins; F/M., C. Hawkins. No. 5, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: P. Lace, E. Lace, J. Worley, J. Rawlinson, A. Hayes, C. Morton, K. Perkins, 10/10. No. 6, 5 pr. D. Rise: M. Lyons, 9/10; T. Romanello, K. Perkins, 8/10.

The H'cap Trophy event was won by our club President, Barry Ellsmore, with Lionel Chodat second and John Worley third. Bill Perkins won the F/M. trophy. The Club S.B. C'ship was won outright by Tony Romanello, with Ernie Hawkins second and Kevin Perkins third. Clyde Hawkins was the F/M. trophy winner.

(Stephen P. Joice, Hon. Sec.)

**SWAN HILL - NYAH (V.), 1/1/69.** — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 40. Results (Day): No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: div. 13 possibles. No. 2, Mid Murray D.B. C'ship: J. Headon, 69/69; 1st, L. Brown, 68/69; 2nd, R. Hammond, 42/43; 3rd, P. Rhodes, F/M., 18/20. No. 3, 20-tgt. H'cap: J. Headon, 33/34; 1st, L. Brown, 32/34; 2nd, R. Hammond, 3rd, P. Rhodes, F/M. No. 4, Club Tower C'ship (10 tgts.): R. Burrill, 40/40; 1st, C. Radcliffe, 39/40; 2nd, G. Moore, 36/37; 3rd.

A remarkable feature of championship and handicap events was that placings in both events were identical. This must be a record for any club. Club Tower C'ship was won in fine style by Ray Burrill, with the ever consistent Charlie Radcliffe second. This was the first time Charlie had shot tower, and graced 39/40. Geoff Moore has mastered the tower and is now top local shooter.

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

**SWAN HILL - NYAH (V.), 1/1/69.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 22. Results (Night): No. 1, E.O.: div. 13 possibles. No. 2, Mid Murray D.B. C'ship: F. James, 129/129; 1st, J. Headon, 128/129; 2nd, R. Peacock, 61/62; 3rd, L. Gilbert, F/M.

Frank James struck top form to win D.B. Night C'ship from Jack Headon of Hay. He had to work hard to prevent Jack from taking a "clean sweep" of the programme.

Visitors from Birchip, Hopetoun, Kerang, Echuca, Quambatook and Melbourne. Many thanks to referee Alf Richmond and all other workers, especially Roy Williams.

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

**TASMANIAN (Tas.), 14/1/69.** — Weather conditions: poor. Attendance: 65. Results: No. 1, E.O.: div. W. Rainbird, P. Marshall, R. Ward, A. Tucker, L. Larcombe, D. von Stieglitz, R. Blake, 5/5. No. 2, Novice S.B.: 1st, R. Conlan, 11/11; 2nd, L. Larcombe, 10/11. No. 3, State S.B. C'ship: 1st, R. Ward, 30/30; 2nd, P. Marshall, 33/35; 3rd, D. Taylor, 32/35; F/M., A. Tucker. No. 4, President's Trophy: 1st, H. Taurin, 60/60; 2nd, C. Young, 60/63; 3rd, R. Blake, 59/60; F/M., B. Chaplin.

(G. J. D. Pinner, Sec.)

**TASMANIAN (Tas.), 26/12/68.** — Weather conditions: windy. Attendance: 69. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: D. von Stieglitz, G. Palmer, W. Boatwright, A. Cunningham, B. Chaplin, J. Head, T. Newman, A. Bowering, M. Blake, A. Taurin, N. Thorne, 5/5. No. 2, Novice D.B.: 1st, A. Hudson, 14/14; 2nd, W. Boatwright, 13/14. No. 3, Boxing Day D.B.: 1st, H. Bowerly, 34/34; 2nd, W. Tubb, 33/34; 3rd, J. Youl, 29/30; F/M., B. Chaplin, 18/20. No. 4, Boxing Day D. Rise: 1st, B. Chaplin, 22/26; 2nd, R. V. Conlan, 21/26; 3rd, W. Tubb, 20/24. No. 5, 8 pr. D. Doubles: Lowry - Dobson, Perry - Head, Blake - Bye, Bennett - Tubb, Chaplin - Conlan, Taylor - Sulwiche.

(G. J. D. Pinner, Sec.)

**TATURA (V.), 18/1/69.** — Weather conditions: hot, gusty winds. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: div. 15 shooters. No. 2, 20-tgt. Trophy: 1st, P. Gribben; 2nd, P. Jamison; 3rd, V. Ryan. No. 3, 10-tgt. Sweep: div. 9 — P. Gribben, A. Kirchiek, R. Sutherland, J. Cooper, V. Ryan, E. Bald-

win, L. Sim, C. Jordan, A. H. Jones. No. 4, 10-tgt. Sweep: 7 div. — C. Johnson, D. Rumbold, R. Sutherland, C. Jordan, R. Halsall, V. Ryan.

Shooters from Shepparton, Yabba, Cosgrove, Kialla, Colbinabbin, Undera, Kyabram, Stanhope, and locals attended the club's first shoot for 1969. For the flies Aeroguard was pretty popular; this did not interfere with most shooters, as 15 div. the E.O. The Trophy event saw P. Gribben the only one to shoot the 20. The shoot-off for 2nd and 3rd saw R. Sutherland, V. Ryan, C. Johnson, P. Jamison line up. Sutherland went first, C. Johnson next, leaving Ryan and Jamison. P. Jamison, 2nd, pipped Vin with 56/56; Vin Ryan, 3rd, 55/56. Two 10-tgt. Sweeps saw 9 div. one and 7 div. the other.

(A. Moles, Hon. Sec.)

**TOWNSVILLE (Qld.)** conducted its first clay target shoot for 1969 Sunday, 19/1/69. Thirty-two shooters attended, with visitors from Cloncurry and Burdekin Gun Clubs. No. 1, 12-tgt. Half-round Skeet: K. Miskin, E. Sinclair, eq. 1st, 11/12 kills; C. Sinclair, B. Tavasci, eq. 3rd, 10/12 kills. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 3 possibles div. — R. Lovelady, T. Wrechet, C. Haller, 10/10. No. 3, 10-tgt. Sparrow D.B. H'cap: C. Wellington, 1st, 10/10; C. Haller, E. McKimmin, eq. 2nd, 9/10. No. 4, 10-tgt. S.B. H'cap: R. McKimmin, E. West, eq. 1st, 10/10; C. Haller, K. Miskin, R. McAllister, T. Lewis, A. Lenti, eq. 3rd, 9/10. No. 5, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 7 possibles div. — N. Beasley, R. McAllister, B. Tavasci, J. Hart, C. Sinclair, W. Horwood, R. Reeves.

**TYRENDARRA (V.), 26/12/68.** — Weather conditions: warm and windy. Attendance: 37. Results: No. 1, 5 clays E.O. (16 yds.): 27 shooters shot the 5 clays. No. 2, South Western Dist. C'ship: 1st, N. Hinneberg, 152/152; 2nd, W. R. Millard, 151/152; 3rd, H. Smith, 134/135; F/M., L. Aubrey. No. 3, 10 clays off H'cap Marks: div. 6 shooters.

Shooters from Melbourne, Ballarat, the Wimmera, South East of S.A., as well as our local district. Thirteen shot the possible and lined up for the shoot-off. To see the talent lined up would almost frighten you — 27 yarders and other back-markers; five had to be silly enough to strike form on the same day. N. Hinneberg and Rex Millard dropped out at 134/135 to let them fight it out to 152 before Rex missed. N. Hinneberg, 152/152; R. Millard, 151/152, and H. Smith, 134/135. Neither first or second shooter had shot 150 before. Congratulations. This was the biggest break ever shot at the club. The \$2 sweep off handicap marks was divided by six shooters, and so ended a great day's shooting.

(Harold Smith, Hon. Sec.)

**UNGARRA (S.A.), 15/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine and cool. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. S.B. E.O.: D. Smith, J. Schramm, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-tgt. S.B.: 1st, I. Newland, 13/13; 2nd, D. Liddicoat, 12/13; 3rd, J. Schramm, 8/10. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B.: 1st, J. Schramm, 10/10; 2nd, D. Fitzgerald, 13/14; 3rd, J. Averis, 12/14. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. Sparrows: 1st, J. Schramm, 10/12; 2nd, J. Averis, 9/12; 3rd, D. Liddicoat.

(Tom Newland, Hon. Sec.)

**VICTORIAN (V.), 11/12/68.** — Weather conditions: fine night. Attendance: 35. Results:

## GRIFFITH GUN CLUB - N.S.W.

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SATURDAY, 29th MARCH —

**Riverina Double-barrel Championship**

**Riverina Deauville Doubles Championship**

**\$100 Cartridge Handicap**

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No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. (16 yds., cash div.): 20 shooters div. No. 2, V.G.C. Xmas D.B. Night C'ship: 1st, A. James, 96/96; 2nd, F. Apted, 95/96; 3rd, D. Trembath, 84/85; F/M., 15-16 yds., D. Holmes, 26/27; 12-14 yds., H. Williamson, 18/20.

(J. Platten, Hon. Sec.)

**VICTORIAN (V.), 18/12/68.**—Attendance: 37. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. H'cap (cash div.): W. Markham, J. Frisina, H. Williamson, F. Apted, R. Evans, B. Kilpatrick, 15/15. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap (trophies): 1st, D. Trembath, 26/26; 2nd, R. Morrison, 29/30; 3rd, F. Thomas, 28/30; F/M., A. Stellato, 21/22.

(J. Platten, Hon. Sec.)

**VICTORIAN (V.), 1/1/69.**—Weather conditions: fine night. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. (16 yds.): R. Evans, H. Williamson, K. Downs, R. O'Donnell, 15/15. div. No. 2, V.G.C. New Year D.B. Night C'ship: 1st, D. Trembath, 26/26; 2nd, F. Apted, 25/26; 3rd, R. O'Donnell, 22/23; F/M., H. Williamson, 17/20.

Doug Trembath won his first sash on his own, his others being D'ville Doubles. Frank Apted is still shooting well, as his second shows, as also is Bob O'Donnell with third to his credit. Hugh Williamson won front-markers'.

(J. Platten, Hon. Sec.)

**VICTORIAN (V.), 7/1/69.**—Weather conditions: light winds. Attendance: 33. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. (16 yds., cash div.): 13 shooters div. No. 2, Altona Dist. D.B. C'ship: 1st, G. Williams, 99/99; 2nd, W. Arandt, 98/99; 3rd, G. Smith, 93/94; F/M., V. Dipietro, 21/21. No. 3, V.G.C. New Year S.B. C'ship: 1st, W. Arandt, 26/26; 2nd, J. Walls, 25/26; 3rd, R. Evans, 23/24; F/M., D. Bruce, 16/20.

(J. Platten, Hon. Sec.)

**VICTORIAN (V.), 8/1/69.**—Weather conditions: windy night. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. H'cap (cash): 1st, D. Trembath, F. Apted, 15/15. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap (trophies): 1st, D. Trembath, 20/20; 2nd, W. Copeland, 19/20; 3rd, J. Wilson, 21/25; F/M., F. Thomas, 20/25.

(J. Platten, Hon. Sec.)

**VICTORIAN (V.), 15/1/69.**—Weather conditions: fine night. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Walk-up (cash div.): T. Spence, W. Copeland, B. Kilpatrick, T. Nash, R. Morrison. No. 2, V.G.C. Night Walk-up C'ship: 1st, R. Morrison, 23/24; 2nd, D. Trembath, 22/24; 3rd, J. Walls, 37/38; F/M., J. Davies, 14/20.

Ray Morrison won the sash after a very short shoot-off with Doug Trembath. Jim Walls had a good battle with Tom Spence and finished with third prize. Front-markers' went to new shooter John Davies. Congratulations to them all.

(J. Platten, Hon. Sec.)

**VICTORIAN (V.), 18/1/69.**—Weather conditions: fine and windy. Attendance: 31. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Tower: div. B. Kilpatrick, F. Burns, R. Burrill, C. Rettig, W. Markham, M. Landers, T. Zagore, L. Hendra, G. White, J. Nicholl, L. Coombes, 5/5. No. 2, Footscray Dist. Tower C'ship: 1st, R. Burrill, 25/25; 2nd, G. White, 24/25; 3rd, S. Cations, 79/80. No. 3, Altona Dist.

S.B. C'ship: 1st, F. Reade, 26/26; 2nd, Bill Arandt, 25/26; 3rd, U. Dipietro, 20/21; F/M., J. Nicholl, 13/20.

The tower sash went to Ray Burrill once again. Ray is undoubtedly the best tower shooter in the State today. Second prize went to Graham White, and third prize went to Stan Cations from Werribee after a long shoot-off with Merv Landers. The S.B. event went to Fred Reade, with Bill Arandt 2nd and Ubaldi Dipietro 3rd; F/M. went to J. Nicholl.

(L. A. Coombes, Asst. Sec.)

**VICTORIAN (V.), 22/1/69.**—Weather conditions: fine night. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. D.B.: M. Vipond, P. Vipond, P. Frisina, T. Baldwin, B. Kilpatrick, R. Sadler, W. Bamford, 15/15. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, P. Ferguson, 35/36; 2nd, B. Kilpatrick, 34/36; 3rd, R. Morrison, 31/32; F/M., H. Williamson, 22/23.

P. Ferguson won the main event from B. Kilpatrick; R. Morrison, also consistent, with third, and H. Williamson taking the front-markers'.

(Julie Coombes, Acting Sec.)

**VICTORIAN (V.), 29/1/69.**—Weather conditions: fine night. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1, 4 pr. D.D.: 11 prs. div. No. 2, Brooklyn Dist. D.D. C'ship: 1st, D. Trembath, R. Evans, 121/121; 2nd, K. Downs, R. Patterson, 120/121.

Good shooting conditions, and with the form of some of the shooters lately, it's no wonder that we saw the best D'ville Doubles scores to date for this club. Doug Trembath, who is having a terrific run lately, and Ron Evans, always a danger, paired to win the sashes from Ron Patterson, President, and Ken Downs (121/121). Five pairs shot the possible and the shoot-off lasted just on the hour.

(J. Platten, Hon. Sec.)

**WAGGA (N.S.W.), 4/1/69.**—Weather conditions: fine and calm. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: C. Taylor, D. Lucas, D. Ratcliffe, R. Podmore, J. Podmore, R. Douglas, M. Miegel, A. Baker, G. Rootes, C. Rodham, A. J. Graham, 5/5. No. 2, 3 pr. D. Rise: A. J. Graham, 6/6; E. Vincent, G. Finch, R. Podmore, 5/6. No. 3, Wagga and Dist. Night D. Rise C'ship: T. Salafia, 17/20; 1st, D. Lucas, 18/24; 2nd, G. Rodham, 17/24; 3rd, J. Rootes, F/M., 14/20. No. 4, 10-tgt. Sweep: G. Scheuner, G. Finch, R. Podmore, L. Coulston, C. Rodham, A. J. Graham, H. Casley, 10/10. No. 5, 5-tgt. Pts.: T. Salafia, E. Vincent, C. Lord, J. Rootes, L. Coulston, H. Caskey, 15/15.

(D. Ratcliffe, Hon. Sec.)

**WALCHA (N.S.W.), 5/1/69.**—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 29. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B.: A. Cregan, I. Reid, C. Fenwick, R. Kirmoon, G. Little, P. Rafferty, B. Wilkins, 10/10. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts.: J. Lisle, D. Ellis, B. Wilkins, 30/30. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B.: P. Rafferty, B. Wilkins, T. O'Connor, 10/10. No. 4, 5 pigeons, 5 sparrows: G. Ireland, B. Wilkins, W. Davis, W. Newcombe, 10/10.

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

**WALLERAWANG (N.S.W.), 24/11/68.**—Weather conditions: cold, very strong wind. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. S.B.

E.O.: R. Faunt, J. Thatcher, C. Coles, Ted Martin. No. 2, Blue Mountains Dist. S.B. C'ship: 1st, E. Hawkins, 2nd, M. Quirk; 3rd, J. Thatcher. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. Sweep: R. Faunt, J. Thatcher, K. Soames Snr., C. Joas, W. Charlton, J. Martin, L. Alexander. No. 4, Blue Mountains D.B. C'ship: 1st, W. Charlton, 117/117; 2nd, M. Quirk, 116/117; 3rd, P. Hayman, 66/67. No. 5, I.C.I. High Gun: R. Faunt.

(A. Blackadder, Hon. Sec.)

**WALLERAWANG (N.S.W.), 22/12/68.**—Weather conditions: fine, light wind. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. Sparrows: A. Blackadder, J. Martin, P. Hayman, 10/10; R. Taylor, R. Mackenzie, E. Ferguson, E. Hayman, 9/10. No. 2, Blue Mountains Dist. D.B. Inter. C'ship: 1st, G. Roberts; 2nd, E. Ferguson; 3rd, R. Mackenzie. No. 3, Back-markers' Trophy: 1st, P. Hayman, 45/45; 2nd, A. Blackadder, 44/45. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. Trophy: A. Blackadder, 1st; Ted Martin, 2nd; G. Roberts, H. Cox, J. Martin, E. Ferguson. No. 5, 5-tgt. D.B. Walk-up: Ted Martin, 5/5. No. 6, 10-tgt. D.B. (27 yds.): P. Hayman, 8/10; A. Blackadder, R. Taylor, 7/10.

(A. Blackadder, Hon. Sec.)

**WARREN (N.S.W.), 14/12/68.**—Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B.: B. Rowe, 22/22; S. Kinsey, 21/22. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. Pts. (3/2): N. Montgomery, 57/57; J. Scott, 54/57; D. Cosgrove, 41/42. No. 3, 15-tgt. D.B.: D. Cosgrove, 37/37; J. Noonan, 36/37; J. Scott, 19/20. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B.: D. McMillan, 23/23; I. McCalman, 22/23; R. Burnett, 13/14.

Night. — No. 5, 10-tgt. D.B.: K. Starr, 14/14; E. Smith, 16/17; S. Kinsey, 15/17. No. 6, 10-tgt. D.B.: P. Caddington, 12/12; J. Noonan, 11/12; J. Scott, 10/11.

(K. Starr, Asst. Sec.)

**WARREN (N.S.W.), 11/1/69.**—Weather conditions: fine and warm, 100 deg. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. (off 16 yds.): N. Montgomery, R. Kinsey, B. Walton, 10/10. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. (off 16 yds.) Day Club C'ship: D. Cosgrove, 67/67; 1st, D. Hunt, 66/67; 2nd, J. Scott, 54/55; 3rd, No. 3, Mixed tgts. (5 D.B., 5 S.B., 5 Walk-up, 5 prs. D. Rise): J. Scott, 32/35; 1st, D. Cosgrove, 31/35; 2nd, R. Kinsey, 21/25; 3rd, No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. (off 16 yds.) Night: K. Starr, B. Walton, D. Barton, D. Coaker, F. Firth, 10/10. No. 5, 20-tgt. D.B. (off 16 yds.) Night Club C'ship: D. Coaker, 20/20; 1st, N. Montgomery, J. Scott, E. Smith, D. Barton, 19/20. No. 6, 10-tgt. D.B. Pts. (3/2): S. Kinsey, 30/30.

Congratulations to Des Cosgrove on winning the Club Day C'ship after a good shoot-off from Dennis Hunt and Jim Scott. Jim Scott proved too good for Des in the Mixed Tgts. Saunders Cup after a shoot-off.

D. Conker took out the Night Club C'ship with the only possible four shooters dropping one tgt. Sid Kinsey got his second leg in on the jackpot — one leg to go, Sid.

(R. Deacon, Hon. Sec.)

**WARRNAMBOOL (V.), 14/12/68.**—No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O. (P.D.): eq. 1st, J. Brown Jr., L. Pilkington, W. Martin. No. 2, 10-tgt.

D.B. H'cap (in four yardage groups): 12-15 yds.: 1st, L. Trigger; 2nd, J. Brown Jr.; 3rd, J. Jewell; 16-18 yds.: 1st, T. Kenneally; 2nd, J. R. Brown; 3rd, C. Martin; 19-21 yds.: 1st, A. Blain; 2nd, S. Mitchell; 3rd, A. McSween; 22 and over: 1st, T. Davis; 2nd, E. Osborne; Novice Group: 1st, B. Doyle; 2nd, K. Thwaites; 3rd, J. Poole. No. 3, 6 pr. D. Doubles (drawn partners): 1st, A. Blain - L. Trigger; 2nd, J. Brown Jr. - L. Pilkington.

(Angus McSween, P/O.)

**WARRNAMBOOL (Vic.), annual shoot, 1/1/69,** was shot under mild conditions with a south-easterly wind blowing. Twenty-four shooters were present from many parts of Victoria. The main event on the programme was the City of Warrnambool D.B. C'ship. The Warrnambool City Council donate the sash to the winner every year, and we were very fortunate to have his Worship the Mayor of Warrnambool (Cr. Stephenson) to present the sash on behalf of the Council. Some very good shooting was seen when M. Holloway shot 89 to defeat W. Henwood 88, and D. Grummett was third with a score of 62/63.

No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: N. Paterson (Ballarat), K. Edge (Hotspur), M. Holloway (W'bool), eq. 1st. No. 2, City of Warrnambool S.B. C'ship: 1st, R. Millard (Tyrendarra), 19/20; 2nd, K. Edge (Hotspur), 32/34; 3rd, M. Holloway (W'bool), 31/34. No. 3, \$75.00 Trophy H'cap: 1st, H. Sommers (Melbourne), 24/24; 2nd, A. Gordon (Hamilton), 23/24; 3rd, R. Nicholls (Stawell), 20/22; yardage trophies: 12-16 yds., P. Williams (Melbourne), 18/20; 17-20 yds., L. Rundell (Myamyn), 18/20; 21 and over, M. Sullivan (Macarthur), 18/20. No. 4, City of Warrnambool D.B. C'ship: 1st, M. Holloway (W'bool), 89/89; 2nd, W. Henwood (Melb.), 88/89; 3rd, D. Grummett (Noorat), 62/63; F/M., L. Albury (Portland), 24/25.

(Angus McSween, P.O.)

**WERRIBEE (V.), 27/1/69.**—Weather conditions: hot, slight wind. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts. (C.D.): A. James, H. Somers, J. Henwood, W. Abbott, R. O'Donnell, D. Trembath, R. Sadler, 30/30. No. 2, Club D.B. C'ship: 1st, D. Trembath, 101/101; 2nd, A. McSween, 100/101; 3rd, T. Davis, 97/98; F/M., A. Stillato, 18/20. No. 3, Werribee Dist. S.B. C'ship: 1st, A. McSween, 35/35; 2nd, R. O'Donnell, 34/35; 3rd, W. Abbott, 29/30; F/M., W. Crooks, 14/20.

A fine day with a slight breeze made conditions perfect for the annual Australia Day shoot. Eight shooters obtained the possible in the D.B. C'ship, and the shoot-off resulted in two scores of more than 100. The same standard was produced for the District S.B. C'ship with two possibles and five 19's.

This shoot was a very successful beginning to the 1969 season. The committee thanks all members and visitors for their support during the past year, and hope that this will be continued during the next 12 months.

(Kevin P. Shanahan, Hon. Sec.)

**WHYALLA (S.A.), 31/1/69.**—Weather conditions: beautiful, calm summer evening. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: 1st, Garry Bollen, 5/5; 2nd, T. Rodgers, 15/16; 3rd, M. Villalta, 14/16. No. 2, 10-tgt. S.B. H'cap: 1st, T. Rodgers, 9/10; 2nd, M. Villalta, 10/12; 3rd, D. Cook, 9/12. No. 3,



(R. T. Barlow, Hon. Sec.)

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Adams, J. J. (Echuca)	17
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Albanese, C. J. (Morwell)	13
Albanese, D. (Morwell)	12
Albrecht, E. (Colac)	16
Alexakis, G. (N.S.W.)*	18
Albert, E. E. (Barellan)	17
Alexander, R. (Perth)**	16
Allen, D. (Barellan)	17
Allen, F. T. (Dandenong)	15
Allen J. (Geelong)	12
Allen, K. (Dandenong)	12
Allen, R. A. (Perth)	14
Alport, C. (Crockwell)	16
Alport, H. G. (Crockwell)	12
Almond, T. L. (Australian)**	14
Aluaro, R. (Sydney)	12
Alvaro, R. (Sh. Australian)	20
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Boote, J. D. (Alexandra, Vic.)	16	Brown, M. (Metropolitan)	17	Byes, L. D. (Bairnsdale)	16	Cayley, N. C. (Jnr.) (Bundaberg)	12
Booth, S. E. (Quambatook)	18	Brown, R. (Melbourne)*	17	Byrne, V. (Geelong)	13	Cayley, N. D. (Snr.) (Bundaberg)	12
Boswell, G. (Melbourne)	16	Brown, R. (Morwell)	18	Byrnes, J. (Sth. Aust.)*	22	Challis, J. (Benalla)*	16
Bowman, C. (Cohuna)	18	Brown, T. R. (Australian)*	16	Byrnes, D. (Atherton)	16	Chandler, R. W. M. (Barcardine)	22
Bowman, E. R. (Richmond, Qld.)	15	Brown, W. H. (Bundella)	17			Chandler, W. J. R.	19
Boxsell, L. (Tatura)	12	Brown, P. T. (Sth. Aust.)	18			Chapman, E. (Boyup Brook)	14
Boyd, A. (Sebastopol)	12	Bruce, T. (Sth. Aust.)	19			Chapman, K. (Kempsey)	14
Boyd, K. J. (Corowa)*	20	Bruni, S. M. (Broken Hill)	16			Chapman, T. (Boyup Brook)	14
Boyd, O. (Broken Hill)	20	Bruno, W. (Metropolitan)	12			Chapman, W. H. (Mildura)	16
Boyle, J. (Warrnambool)	21	Bubb, L. (Sebastopol)	16			Chapman, W. H. (Mildura)	16
Brack, F. (Mstr.) (Benalla)	12	Buchan, F. J. (Frankston)	17			Chapple, D. (Victorian)*	18
Brack, F. (Benalla)	12	Buckley, G. (Sydney)	14			Chellew, A. (Barmera)	18
Brack, F. (Geelong)	21	Buckley, J. (HMAS Cerebus)	12			Cherry, G. (Broken Hill)	12
Branagh, W. R. (Geelong)*	18	Budde, C. M. (Horsham)	20			Chiaruttini, L. (Australian)	16
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Bremner, A. A. (Morwell)*	20	Buerchler, B. (Mrs.) (Mount Isa)	12			Chisari, A. (Mount Isa)	12
Bretag, N. (Griffith)	13	Buerchler, G. (Mount Isa)*	21			Chizzotti, E. (Ballandean)*	20
Bridges, N. T. (Benalla)*	19	Buemi, F. (Narrogin)	12			Christensen, I. (Burdekin)	17
Brookes, G. R. (Rabaul)	17	Buhagiar, G. (Mount Isa)	15			Christie, I. (Hamilton)	14
Brooks, A. J. (Birchip)	16	Burgess, A. E. (Cobar)	17			Christmas, P. A. (Walcha)	14
Broughton, P. (Barcardine)	16	Burgess, B. (Frankston)	16			Churches, D. J. (HMAS Cerebus)	14
Brown, A. L. (Australian)	13	Burgess, M. (Cobar)*	27			Churches, S. (Sth. Aust.)	13
Brown, B. (Aust. Showmens)	14	Burlington, B. (Kar Kar Is.)	16			Churchill, R. H. (Crookwell)	20
Brown, B. H. (Griffith)	14	Burnett, R. C. (Warren)	15			Churchill, R. B. (Crookwell)	19
Brown, D. (Mrs.) (Aust. Showmens)	13	Burns, W. (Sydney)	17			Clark, R. W. (N.S.W.)	17
Brown, D. I. F. (Barcardine)	14	Burstall, R. W. (Burdekin)	16			Clark, F. J. (Dr.) (Sth. Aust.)	16
Brown, E. (Moree)	24	Bushby, J. R. (Narrandera)*	25			Clark, W. (Hawkesbury)*	17
Brown, F. L. (West Gippsland)	16	Butler, J. (Sebastopol)	17			Clark, W. (Jnr.) (Hawkesbury)	12
Brown, I. (Barcardine)	19	Butler, G. R. (Kar Kar Is.)	14			Clarke, E. R. (Rabaul)	17
Brown, J. R. (Warrnambool)*	17	Butler, R. J. (Horsham)	22			Clarke, P. (Griffith)	14
Brown, J. (Jnr.) (Warrnambool)	13	Butler, R. L. (Sebastopol)	16			Clarke, R. G. (Hawkesbury)	16
Brown, K. D. (Korumburra)*	17	Buxton, G. T. (Moree)	13				
		Buxton, L. C. (Moree)	15				
		Bye, J. (Bourke)	20				
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Thurlow, H. W. (Dr.) (N.S.W.)*	22
Thurlow, L. (Mrs.) (N.S.W.)	12
Tickle, C. J. K. (Hawkesbury)	22
Tie, A. R. (Portarlington)	16
Tindall, C. (Snr.) (Ballandean)	14

## V

Valenta, G. (Townsville)	13
Vanner, N. (Benalla)	14
Venables, L. (Berridale)	20
Verbis, C. (Sth. Aust.)	13
Verbis, E. (Sth. Aust.)	13
Vigar, J. (Menindee)	24
Viveash, R. H. (Perth)	12
Vivian, E. (Sth. Aust.)	16
Vodden, T. J. (Calivil)	15
Vorwerk, M. J. (Southern)	12



Willett, G. (Ararat) .....	19
Willett, S. E. (Corowa) .....	15
Williams, D. (Bourke) .....	24
Williams, F. J. (Tullamore) .....	13
Williams, G. (Morwell) .....	18
Williams, H. L. (Mildura) .....	14
Williams, I. T. (Tullamore) .....	18
Williams, J. L. (Mildura) .....	16
Williams, K. V. (Royal Aero) .....	19
Williams, K. (Bourke)* .....	24
Williams, L. T. (Tullamore) .....	16
Williams, M. (Calivil)* .....	17
Williams, P. T. (Tullamore)* .....	17
Williams, P. (Warrnambool) .....	13
Williams, R. (East Coast) .....	15
Williamson, D. (Frankston) .....	13
Williamson, D. H. J. (Apsley)** .....	20
Williamson, J. A. (Perth) .....	13
Williamston, J. C. (Coffs Harbour) .....	16
Williamson, T. (Melbourne) .....	15
Willis, F. A. (Crookwell) .....	18
Willman, K. M. (N.S.W.) .....	17
Wilshire, F. (Ballandean) .....	14
Wilson, B. (Lismore) .....	12
Wilson, M. (Metropolitan) .....	13
Wilson, M. J. (Cloncurry) .....	12
Wilson, R. (Moree) .....	12
Wines, L. (Warrnambool) .....	16
Winzen, P. (Barmera)* .....	22
Woodhill, Dr. V. R. (Toowoomba) .....	13
Worley, J. (N.S.W.) .....	16
Wray, R. G. (Gold Coast) .....	17
Wright, D. H. (N.S.W.) .....	17
Wythe, D. (Macarthur) .....	12
Wykes, R. (Morwell) .....	18

## Y

Yeaman, V. (Echuca) .....	16
Yeo, M. B. (Mendooran) .....	13
Young, D. C. (Bairnsdale) .....	13
Young, N. A. (Bairnsdale) .....	18

## Z

Zantis, A. (N.S.W.) .....	16
Zanetti, G. (Burdekin) .....	25
Zantis, S. (N.S.W.) .....	17

### 1969 A.C.T.A. AMENDED HANDICAPS

As received up to  
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\* Denotes Referee  
\*\* Denotes Referee Examiner  
† Denotes Duplicate Card Issued  
‡ Denotes Life Registered Shooter  
UR Denotes Unregistered Shooter

Allen, D. (Barellan) .....	16
Alvaro, R. (S.A.G.C.) .....	20
Anderson, W. (Lismore) .....	15
Ash, G. (Frankston) .....	24
Ashman, G. (Huntly) .....	23
Bailey, M. (Coffs Harbour) .....	14
Baker, F. (Boort) .....	16
Ball, S. (Ch. Towers) .....	19
Bantz, H. (Ararat) .....	17

Barnes, A. W. (Mildura) .....	21
Barnes, F. A. (Mildura) .....	21
Barnes, M. (Huntly) .....	13
Baronvskis, R. (S.A.G.C.) .....	13
Barratt, E. R. (Barmera) .....	16
Barratt, R. R. (Barmera) .....	19
Baumann, A. (Gold Coast) .....	14
Baxter, L. (Australian) .....	19
Beatie, I. (Echuca) .....	15
Bell, W. E. (Ch. Towers)* .....	19
Bennett, S. (Colac)** .....	22
Betts, J. L. (Mangoplah) .....	13
Beveridge, G. M. (N.S.W.) .....	15
Beveridge, J. W. (N.S.W.) .....	15
Biondi, H. (Mt. Isa) .....	13
Blackadder, A. (Wallarawang) .....	19
Boldrin, E. (E.A.G.C.)* .....	20
Bonato, P. (Burdekin) .....	17
Boyes, J. (Geraldton) .....	19
Bradbury, J. W. (Brisbane) .....	18
Branagh, W. R. (Geelong) .....	18
Bray, R. J. (Gunnedah) .....	20
Brookes, G. R. (Rabaul) .....	17
Bruino, W. (Metro.) .....	22
Buhagiar, C. (Mt. Isa) .....	15
Buxton, L. C. (Moree) .....	15
Byers, R. (Burdekin) .....	21
Byles, L. D. (Bairnsdale) .....	16
Byrne, V. (Geelong) .....	13
Cameron, B. (Roma) .....	19
Campbell, B. (Burdekin) .....	16
Campion, N. G. (Guyra) .....	22
Carrington, C. W. (Ch. Towers) .....	25
Chaplin, B. (Tasmanian) .....	15
Chapman, E. (Kempsey) .....	14
Chellew, A. (Barmera) .....	18
Chellew, N. H. (Naracoorte) .....	13
Childs, D. (Rabaul) .....	16
Chizzotti, E. (Ballandean) .....	20
Clare, R. G. (N.S.W.) .....	17
Clarke, E. D. (Rabaul) .....	17
Cleggett, P. (Jnr.) (Apsley) .....	16
Clifton, A. T. (Corowa) .....	22
Clifton, G. M. (Corowa) .....	14
Close, J. (Sebastopol) .....	17
Coddington, P. J. (Dubbo) .....	16
Coldwell, R. (Echuca) .....	15
Corbett, J. R. (Sebastopol) .....	16
Coyle, G. (Huntly) .....	16
Daley, B. (Coffs Harbour) .....	20
Davies, T. (Lismore) .....	13
Deignan, B. G. (Gold Coast) .....	19
Di Bartolo, F. D. (Derwent River)* .....	21
Di Bartolo, S. D. (Derwent River)* .....	23
Dickens, I. (Geelong) .....	18
Dinning, G. (Apsley) .....	15
Dipietrantonio, M. (Victorian) .....	14
Dipietrantonio, V. (Victorian) .....	17
Doubleday, N. (N.S.W.) .....	17
Drinnen, E. (Bundaberg) .....	13
Duffy, P. W. (Rabaul) .....	16
Earl, L. J. W. (Mt. Gambier) .....	18
Edgar, A. W. (Hamilton) .....	15
Edgerton, M. (Australian) .....	16
Eklis, I. (S.A.G.C.) .....	14
Ellis, J. (Griffith) .....	13
Elrington, H. G. (Kempsey) .....	14
England, B. E. (Mt. Gambier) .....	26

Fagan, J. (Kerang) .....	16
Fantini, C. (N.S.W.) .....	13
Favero, R. B. (Burdekin) .....	19
Fenwick, W. A. (Guyra) .....	15
Ferrier, D. (Birchip) .....	16
Ford, W. G. (Puckapunyal)* .....	18
Foster, J. (Geelong) .....	14
Fotheringham, A. (Kempsey) .....	17
Francis, L. (Sebastopol) .....	21
Frankling, K. (Cohuna) .....	21
Fraser, R. (Ararat) .....	15
Fraser, S. (Birchip) .....	21
Frost, R. W. (Toowoomba) .....	18
Germaine, D. (Australian)* .....	14
Goodacre, L. (Cowra) .....	18
Gordon, W. A. (Gold Coast) .....	21
Green, J. (Korumburra)* .....	23
Grey, F. R. (S.A.G.C.) .....	24
Gribben, P. (Cosgrove) .....	18
Griffiths, A. A. (Gold Coast) .....	26
Hadden, C. (Korumburra) .....	16
Haller, C. (Burdekin) .....	18
Hammond, L. G. (Roma) .....	14
Hardwick, A. (Winton) .....	15
Harman, J. C. (Rankins Springs)* .....	16
Harrison, R. (Ararat) .....	13
Haslam, N. E. (Birchip) .....	17
Hassall, E. J. (Kempsey) .....	15
Hawke, J. A. (Geelong) .....	17
Hawkins, C. (Hawkesbury) .....	13
Hawkins, E. (Hawkesbury) .....	22
Hayden, W. J. (Berridale) .....	19
Hayes, R. (N.S.W.) .....	21
Haymen, P. (Wallerawang) .....	20
Heath, C. H. (Bairnsdale) .....	19

Herbert, C. (Gunnedah) .....	18
Hudson, A. (Tasmanian) .....	15
Hudson, A. R. (Hopetoun) .....	19
Humphris, J. R. (Mt. Gambier) .....	18
Hunter, F. L. (Brisbane) .....	13
Hutchings, J. (S.A.G.C.) .....	24
Illingsworth, A. (Geelong) .....	19
Irvine, R. H. (Rankins Springs) .....	15
Jamieson, H. M. (Miss Corowa) .....	14
Jamieson, P. (Echuca) .....	15
Jensen, C. (Springsure) .....	14
Johncock, R. (S.A.G.C.) .....	18
Johnson, C. (Huntly) .....	21
Johnson, G. N. (Bundaberg) .....	14
Kavanagh, N. (Springsure) .....	17
Kelman, B. T. (Richmond)† .....	17
Kemp, L. J. (Harcourt) .....	18
Kennedy, J. (Cohuna) .....	15
Kerley, M. (Barmera) .....	15
Kinsey, R. (Warren) .....	21
Kirkpatrick, G. (Beaufort)† .....	25
Knoth, Z. (Rabaul) .....	15
Knuth, K. (Burdekin) .....	20
Knuth, R. (Townsville)* .....	17
Kocks, G. (Finley) .....	17
Kriss, A. (Shepparton) .....	19
Kuyer, P. (Wonthaggi) .....	16
Lamond, P. C. (Mt. Gambier) .....	16
Leadbeater, D. (Lismore) .....	13
Lemmon, G. W. (Cloncurry) .....	15

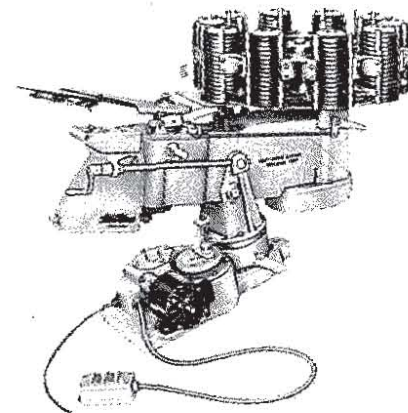
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Loro, A. (S.A.G.C.) .....	14
Lynam, G. (Ballandean) .....	18
Mackay, D. (Kelly's Creek) .....	15
Macrow, P. M. (Naracoorte) .....	14
Mackowiack, C. R. (Manum) .....	16
Maher, D. (Braidwood)† .....	13
Maloney, D. (Geelong) .....	15
Malony, J. (Roma) .....	14
Maybury, R. (Metro.) .....	20
Mende, E. (St. George) .....	22
Miller, J. (Cohuna) .....	13
Mitchell, H. M. (Australian) .....	16
Mitchell, L. (Metro.) .....	19
Mitchell, R. L. (Shepparton) .....	18
Mock, R. J. (Apsley) .....	14
Mock, T. J. (Apsley) .....	19
Moffat, I. L. (Guyra) .....	17
Moody, B. A. (Cunnamulla)† .....	18
Morley, R. (Moree) .....	17
Morrissey, M. (Ararat) .....	16
Morrissey, M. J. (Ararat) .....	17
Muller, F. D. (Dorrigo) .....	13
Murray, C. (Richmond) .....	15
Murray, D. E. (Richmond) .....	26
McAllister, R. (Burdekin) .....	21
McAllister, R. (Hawkesbury) .....	19
McGrath, W. (Quambatook) .....	16
McIntosh, C. W. (Hamilton) .....	18
McIntyre, J. (Toowoomba) .....	16
McLaren, I. (Cunnamulla)† .....	13
McMillan, D. (Warren) .....	15
McSween, A. J. (Warrnambool)† .....	22

Naughton, A. L. (N.S.W.) .....	16
Neill, A. S. (Kempsey) .....	18
Nevinson, L. (Rankins Springs) .....	14
Newman, T. (Hobart) .....	20
Nicholson, I. (St. George) .....	23
Nicholson, R. (Alexandra) .....	16
Noonan, J. S. (Warren) .....	18
North, P. (Cohuna) .....	17
Oakes, W. (Burdekin) .....	15
Oakley, K. (Southern) .....	13
Oliver, W. (Horsham) .....	20
Olsen, L. G. (Burdekin) .....	14
O'Riley, J. (Ch. Towers) .....	15
O'Sullivan, A. J. (Cunnamulla)† .....	13
Owen, J. (Broken Hill) .....	16
Palk, A. (Illawarra)* .....	17
Pannekoek, P. (Rabaul) .....	15
Patterson, K. (Foster) .....	17
Paul, L. (Rabaul) .....	17
Payard, W. (Burdekin) .....	17
Peacock, R. (Kerang)* .....	24
Pear, W. (Ararat) .....	15
Pedersen, W. J. (Sale) .....	18
Perry, W. H. (Mildura) .....	24
Piastri, R. (Shepparton) .....	20
Plummer, D. (Alexandra) .....	19
Podey, R. J. (Rabaul) .....	16
Poole, J. (Huntly) .....	14
Poulton, E. A. (Hopetoun)* .....	18
Pryde, W. D. (Morwell) .....	17
Quinlan, S. J. (Rabaul) .....	16
Quirk, M. (Hawkesbury) .....	21
Rackemann, C. W. (Bundaberg) .....	14

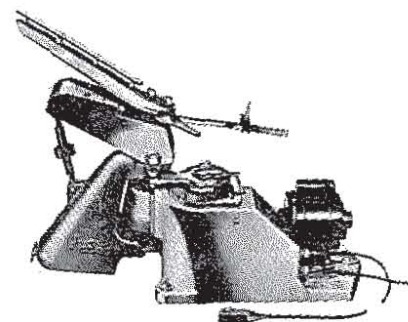


SKEET HANDICAP AMENDMENTS			As received up to 31st January, 1969		
15	Vipond, M. (Victorian)	20	20	Bremner, A. (Morwell)	4
20	Vitale, S. (Burdekin)	23	23	Clark, W. (Hawkesbury)	2
20	Waddell, F. (Victorian)	19	19	Dickens, I. (Geelong)	6
25	Wakefield, G. T. (Mildura)	14	14	Edgerton, D. (Australian)	0
17	Walker, C. (Horsham)	18	18	Gardner, H. J. (Hawkesbury)	1
22	Walker, S. (Colac)*	13	13	Hall, G. (Geelong)	7
23	Walls, J. (Metropolitan)*	19	19	Hawkins, C. (Hawkesbury)	2
15	Walter, A. R. (Callawadda)	14	14	Hayes, A. W. (Hawkesbury)	7
24	Webster, G. J. (Cunnamulla)*	16	16	Holmes, D. (Geelong)	2
20	Welings, G. (Broken Hill)	18	18	Jennings, R. F. W. (Australian)	2
19	Wembridge, B. A. (Geelong)*	21	21	Kaufman, D. (Australian)	3
19	West, R. (Huntly)	15	15	Neale, S. J. (Australian)	2
22	Whitcross, E. I. (Cootamundra)*	15	15	Porter, I. (Australian)	1
18	Whyte, L. (Noorat)	16	16	Pryde, W. T. (Morwell)	4
17	Wickham, J. R. (Ballandean)	15	15	Rhodes, R. (Australian)	6
16	Wilkins, B. (Walcha)	17	17	Siede, R. (Australian)	0
15	Willet, E. (Perth)	16	16	Snow, R. (Australian)	2
20	Williams, B. (Metropolitan)*	26	26	Taylor, R. G. (Hawkesbury)	6
19	Williams, G. (Morwell)	19	19	Thatcher, J. (Hawkesbury)	0
19	Williams, K. V. (Royal Aero)	19	19	Wembridge, A. F. (Geelong)	5
13	Williams, P. (Warrnambool)	13	13	Wilson, B. (Hawkesbury)	6
15	Williams, R. (East Coast)	15	15	Worley, J. (Hawkesbury)	1
20	Williamson, D. H. J. (Apsley)	20	20		
16	Williamson, J. C. (Coffs Harbour)	17	17		
17	Willman, K. M. (N.S.W.)	13	13		
13	Wilson, B. (Lismore)	13	13		
13	Wilson, J. (Brisbane)*	17	17		
17	Worley, J. (N.S.W.)	17	17		
20	Smith, G. (Ballandean)	20	20		
23	Smith, G. A. (Geelong)*	23	23		
15	Smith, R. G. (Yass)	15	15		
19	Somers, H. (Australian)	19	19		
14	Spargo, E. G. T. (Mannum)	14	14		
18	Spence, C. M. (N.S.W.)	18	18		
13	Sprague, M. (Gold Coast)	13	13		
19	Steiner, J. (Perth)*	19	19		
14	Stellato, A. (Victorian)	14	14		
16	Stewart, A. S. L. (Toowoomba)	16	16		
16	Stewart, C. (Callawadda)	16	16		
14	Stirrat, R. (Mildura)	14	14		
18	Stoneman, M. (Bangall)	18	18		
21	Taylor, C. (Coleambally)	21	21		
15	Taylor, C. L. (Corowa)	15	15		
16	Taylor, G. (Morwell)	16	16		
15	Taylor, G. L. (Birchip)	15	15		
17	Taylor, G. R. (Sebastopol)	17	17		
16	Taylor, R. A. (Coonamble)	16	16		
19	Tainsh, J. (Lismore)	19	19		
17	Talbot, L. (N.S.W.)	17	17		
15	Tatt, W. (Boort)	15	15		
17	Taurin, A. (Tasmanian)	17	17		
17	Telford, P. L. (Mt. Gambier)	17	17		
15	Terry, L. F. B. (Richmond)	15	15		
21	Thatcher, J. (Hawkesbury)	21	21		
13	Thompson, N. L. (Bundella)	13	13		
22	Thurlow, Dr. H. W. (N.S.W.)	22	22		
14	Tindal, C. (Ballandean)	14	14		
20	Tremayne, L. (Benalla)	20	20		
13	Trenbath, D. (Victorian)	13	13		
14	Trigg, J. (Sebastopol)	14	14		
14	Twaddle, J. (Noorat)	14	14		
14	Vanner, N. (Benalla)	14	14		
20	Venables, L. (Berridale)	20	20		
14	Verbis, C. (S.A.G.C.)	14	14		
21	Radoo, P. (Victorian)	21	21		
16	Rayner, F. (Calivil)	16	16		
17	Reidman, M. B. (Southern)	17	17		
26	Reicha, L. (Noorat)	26	26		
15	Richards, N. (Richmond)	15	15		
17	Richardson, J. P. (Mildura)	17	17		
13	Richardson, R. (Warren)	13	13		
17	Roach, L. (Lismore)	17	17		
17	Roberts, G. (Wallerawang)	17	17		
14	Robinson, J. G. (N.S.W.)	14	14		
19	Robinson, K. (Geelong)	19	19		
15	Robinson, M. J. (Shepparton)	15	15		
16	Robinson, N. (Shepparton)	16	16		
19	Robotham, A. (Hawkesbury)	19	19		
15	Robson, G. (Callawadda)	15	15		
18	Romanello, A. (Hawkesbury)	18	18		
23	Safala, T. (Coleambally)	23	23		
26	Scherger, S. V. (Mildura)	26	26		
15	Schevegmann, H. D. (Rabaul)	15	15		
25	Schmidt, G. H. (Cunnamulla)*	25	25		
22	Scott, J. (Warren)	22	22		
15	Seal, E. (Rabaul)	15	15		
17	Shields, B. (Coleambally)	17	17		
20	Shun, F. R. (Ch. Towers)	20	20		
14	Siddins, H. T. (Jnr.) (St. George)*	14	14		
17	Simcock, R. (Mannum)	17	17		
21	Simmonds, S. (Coffs Harbour)	21	21		
24	Sims, T. L. (Mt. Gambier)	24	24		
18	Small, L. A. (Portarlington)	18	18		
	Smith, A. B. (Bundaberg)				

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