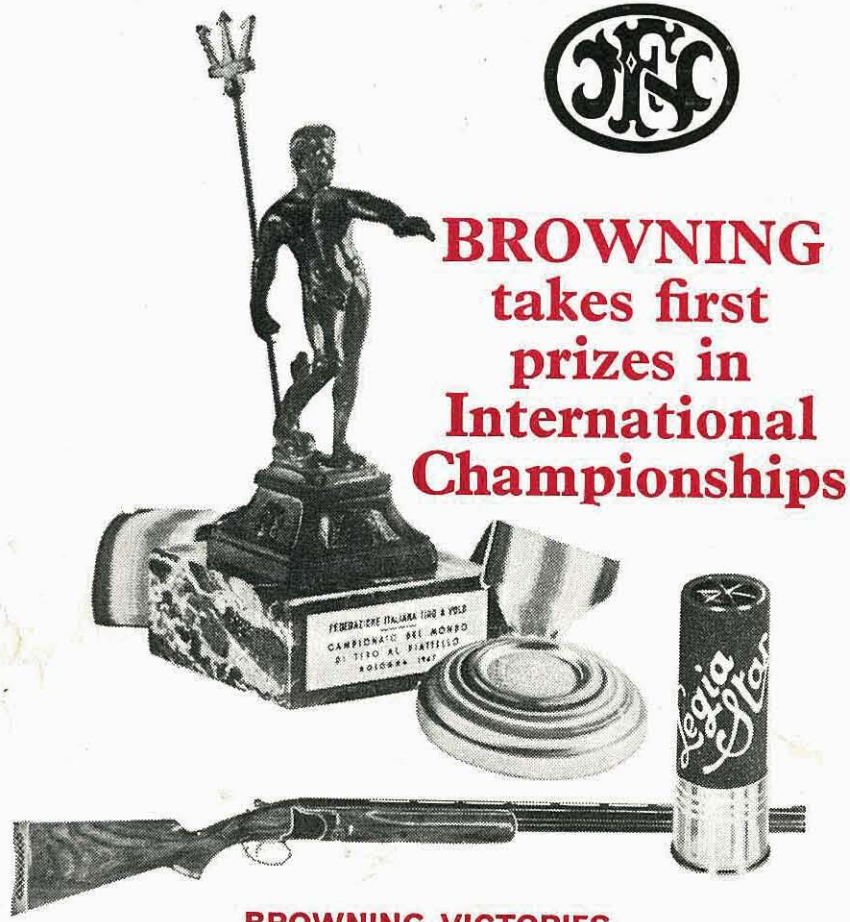

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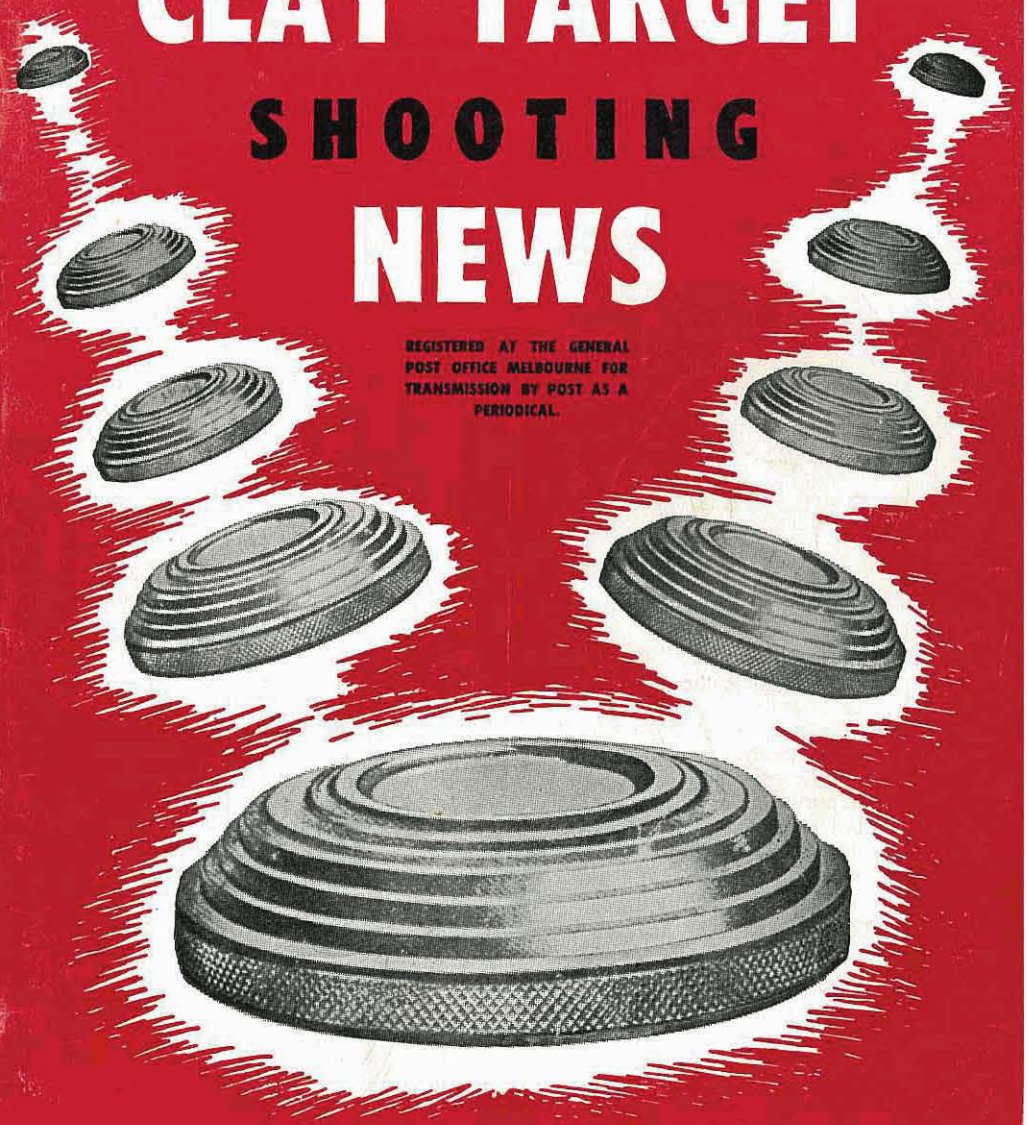

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The Editor's Notebook

The 1970 Australian National Trapshooting Championships shall be conducted over the five successive days, February 28 to March 4, at the Perth Gun Club, Koojan Avenue, South Guildford, approximately seven miles from Perth along the Great Eastern Highway of Western Australia. All shooters and friends who make this trip to Perth will find new and renew old acquaintances in this land of the sand groper. Every facility possible is available in this modern clean city and its environs cater for all tastes of outdoor living. The grounds of the Perth Gun Club have been brought to a peak and shooters are expected from near and far, including overseas. As is always the case when known conventions or meetings take place, accommodation and travel arrangements cannot always satisfy unless bookings are made well in advance. For those who travel by car, the road is reported to be completely satisfactory.

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For those considering New Zealand in 1970, the N.Z.G.C.A. National Trapshooting Championships shall be conducted at Christchurch (in the South Island) at the Christchurch Gun Club grounds from April 5 to April 11 inclusive and the Australia/New Zealand Teams' Matches will be included in this series.

Skeet shooting varies from Trapshooting and does not draw the quantity of shooters, however, for those interested in (a) — skeet championship shooting, scores are off the gun; (b) — in skeet handicap shooting, scores are off the card handicap.

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Reports have been received of a number of clubs, in their endeavours to establish speedy growth rates, are retaining their permissible percentages of shooter nominations but are issuing very meagre trophies. The clubs concerned will ultimately find their own levels.

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The 1969 New Zealand Trapshooting Championships were conducted at Hamilton Gun Club, an "A" rating ground, in the North Island of New Zealand over the period March 24 to March 29.

A light drizzle set in during the first morning but the sky soon cleared allowing most of the matches to be shot in bright sunshine and near perfect conditions.

Australian shotgunners present were J. Newton Thomas (Melbourne), M. J. Fuller (Sydney), J. R. Bushby (Narrandera, N.S.W.), F. R. Hudson (Sydney), R. Peacock Kerang, Vic.), G. Smith (Ascot Vale, Vic.), F. Apted (Glenroy, Vic.), E. Hawkins with his 10-year old shooter son Wade (Sydney), S. Simmonds (Sydney), R. G. Clarke (Sydney) and H. McDiarmid (Portland, N.S.W.).

On Monday March 24 the programme commenced with the New Zealand Skeet Championship. This was won by J. McKenzie, one of New Zealand's leading trapshooters who has now won five such skeet titles over the years 1957, 1959, 1961, 1963 and 1969, all at the Hamilton Gun Club's grounds. From 14 entries in this 50 target event J. McKenzie and R. W. S. Cavanagh both shot 50/50, McKenzie won the shoot off round with 24 against 23. C. F. Gunn and C. W. Hartley both shot 49/50. A two-men Skeet Teams' Championship of 100 targets attracted 24 entries — B. R. Dobbie and J. McKenzie shot 93; R. W. Gunn and C. F. Gunn shot 92; W. F. Hamill and R. O. Hughes shot 90. A five-men Skeet Teams' Championship of 250 targets attracted 10 entries and was won by J. McKenzie, J. Sutherland, A. Brown, J. L. Gorton, B. R. Dobbie with 234 from J. R. Thomson, W. E. Hamill, R. O. Hughes, J. A. Chilcott, R. Sloane whose score was 231.

The Australia-New Zealand five-men Skeet Teams' Match was won by New Zealand 118 against Australia 109 and individual scores were:—

New Zealand	
J. McKenzie	25
R. W. S. Cavanagh	23
C. F. Gunn	22
C. Hartley	24
F. Fyers	24
	118
Australia	
E. Hawkins	24
J. Newton Thomas	23
F. Apted	16
M. J. Fuller	24
F. R. Hudson	22
	109

On Tuesday March 25 the New Zealand Clay Sparrow Championship over 25 targets attracted 198 entries. R. W. Gunn and H. T. Fyers both shot 25/25 then Gunn won the three target shoot off. Some ten shooters shot 24/25 for third placing and these included J. Newton Thomas of Melbourne (Aust.), also in this event was Ian Ballinger of Christchurch N.Z., winner of the bronze medal in rifle shooting at the 1968 Mexico Olympic Games. Ballinger shot 23/25 in the N.Z. Clay Sparrow Championship.

The 1969 New Zealand Double Rise Championship (15 pairs = 30 targets) followed with 176 entries and was won outright by L. V. Evans with 29/30, then from a shoot-off amongst the 28/30 scorers J. Sutherland gained second place. There were nine scores of 27/30 and ten with 26/30.

A 15 target single-barrel match followed with eighteen shooters scoring 15/15 including M. Fuller of Sydney.

After the success of the South Island shooters on the Monday, the North Island shotgunners were prominent on this Tuesday.

On Wednesday, March 26 the New Zealand Single-barrel Championship of 50 targets, 177 entries, was won, after a seven target shoot off, by C. Hartley from fellow 50/50 scorer C. F. Gunn. This was Hartley's fourth New Zealand title — he had won the double rise in 1963 and 1967 and the single rise in 1962 — also he was the New Zealand High Gun scorer in the New Zealand section of the International Teams' Match in the years 1955, 1956, 1957 and 1962. (NOTE: C. Hartley was overall high gun scorer at the Australian National Championships in Sydney in 1966). Seven scored 49/50 in this National single-barrel event.

On Thursday, March 27 from a record of 286 entries, R. W. Gunn won the New Zealand Single Rise Clay Target Championship. Gunn along with nine others, including Harry McDiarmid and F. Apted of Australia, shot the possible 50/50 and after such a set of scores, the spectators were all set for a long shoot off, but, at the 10th target Gunn emerged the winner from R. O. Hughes, second and R. J. McGregor, third. The Single Rise Championship concluded the matches for the Champion of Champions and this title went to C. Hartley winner of the single-barrel event and consistent high scorer in the other events.

The series was then concluded with the Australia-New Zealand Six-men Trap Teams' Match for the Glenn Cup. This was won by New Zealand 116 to Australia 114 and the individual scores were:—

New Zealand	
R. W. Gunn	20
R. O. Hughes	20
R. J. McGregor	18
D. G. Marfell	20
R. Menzies	19
R. W. S. Cavanagh	19
	116
Australia	
H. McDiarmid	19
F. Apted	18
J. Newton Thomas	20
F. R. Hudson	19
J. R. Bushby	19
M. J. Fuller	19
	114

The New Zealand Champion of Champions over the series was Charles Hartley but as he had won a presentation Browning shotgun in Australia in 1966, he became ineligible and the next highest scorers were R. W. Gunn (N.Z.)

and J. Newton Thomas (Australia). Newton Thomas had also received a Browning shotgun some years ago from the makers Fabrique Nationale of Belgium and conceded the magnificent trophy to N.Z. shooter R. W. Gunn. His action has been recorded with appreciation in New Zealand.

The New Zealand section of the 23rd International Teams' Match was also part of the programme but all scores have been sealed and forwarded to England to be opened on July 18 at Edinburgh, Scotland. The N.Z.G.C.A. team members were selected from the results of the Single Rise Championship and two 25 target points scoring events conducted from the 16 yard mark. Of the final 30 members of the team, the top 25 scores only are to count in this 100 target International event with three points for a 1st barrel kill and two points for a second barrel kill.

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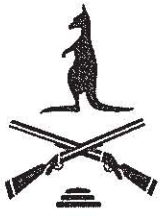

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SPRINGSURE (Q.) — at 23/2/69 annual general meeting office bearers elected were: President, Peter Bousgas; Secretary, D. T. Fifoot; Treasurer, A. W. Knox.

WARRACKNABEAL (V.) at annual meeting office bearers elected were: President, A. J. Melbourne; Vice-Pres., J. O'Donnell; Secretary, B. Schilling; Asst. Sec., C. Ricketts, G. Jolly; Treasurer, K. Hart.

IN OSBORNE South Australia, a naturalist has been trying to raise King Quail. Recently he found that four chicks, each aged three days and about two inches tall, had got into some drinking water intended for bigger birds. Two were dead and two were near death. When they were given mouth-to-mouth resuscitation the two feeble chicks responded and were soon running round as well as ever.

MARYBOROUGH (Vic.) — Secretary now is Mr. H. Doran and office bearers are, President, Don Robinson; Vice-Pres., Henry Doran.

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2nd Shooter — A big clot on the trigger.

BUNBURY (W.A.) — Rifle and Skeet Club has been formed and office bearers as of 5/12/68 are, President, A. Sullivan; Secretary, R. Harris; Handicapper, Ward; Committee Members, T. White, V. Marney, C. Linacre, J. McCormack.

ETON (Q.) — Have formed and office bearers are, President, R. Knuth; Treasurer, S. M. Deguara; Secretary, W. P. Butt; Committee, C. Attard, P. Muscat.

LISMORE (N.S.W.) — At 12/4/69 meeting, office bearers elected were: President, D. S. Powell; Vice-Pres., R. L. Powell; Secretary, L. Roach; Treasurer, G. Pringle; Captain, R. Shepherd; Publicity, F. Hoskins; Armourer, F. Hoskins; Equipment, L. Frederiksen. After seven years as Club Secretary, David Worral who is off to Vancouver (Canada) to live was made a Life Member of the Lismore G.C.

TAMWORTH (N.S.W.) — Office bearers elected at the annual general meeting were: President, Alan Reed; Secretary, Ross Hopper; Treasurer, Ray Thompson.

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DARKAN (W.A.) — Office bearers for 1969 are, President, J. Flugge; Hon. Sec., J. Oliver; Hon. Treas., P. Doudle; Committeemen, H. Gibbs, G. Harley.

PUCKAPUNYAL (V.) — Secretary as of 16/4/69 is Sgt. R. (Bob) P. MacKenzie.

COROWA (N.S.W.) — At 15/4/69 annual meeting, elected as office bearers, President, A. Jamieson; Sec.-Treas., A. T. Clifton.

KOJONUP (W.A.) — Secretary now is R. Manolini.

COHUNA (V.) — Secretary now is P. H. Pigdon.

At the Annual General Meeting in March 1969 of the New Zealand Gun Club's Association, Allan Brown of Lauder, Central Otago was elected President.

Rex Peacock of Kerang, Victoria, when at the N.Z.G.C.A. National Championships in March 1969, states he "did not establish a record there but did shoot 70 straight on the last day." He then "——hooked a big blue marlin which gave a half hour fight before it broke the 130 pound breaking-strain line. The fish was estimated when seen at the surface as probably a 500-pounder". Rex then "shot a 12 point Red Stag. It weighed 319 lbs. and sold for $86.00 or 27 cents per pound. They export venison to Germany. Beef is worth 19.5 cents per pound to the grower so there is better money raising deer. Several deer farms have already been established."

PROSERPINE (Q.) — Secretary now is Jeffrey Law.

FINLEY (N.S.W.) — Are very proud of their 100 break badge shooter Gordon Huff of Benalla (Vic.) who earned this badge on 13/4/69. Gordon is in his mid-seventies.

YARRAWONGA (V.) — Is temporarily in recess.

At the 1968 Olympic Games in Mexico, 43 year old Lancashire (England) Veterinary Surgeon Bob Braithwaite equalled the Olympic record and won the first shooting gold medal for a British competitor for 60 years when he scored 198 points out of 200 in the Olympic Trap Event.

Tasmania — The Animals and Birds Protection Board announce:

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2. There will be **no** Male Pheasant Season on King Island for 1969. This decision was reached following a careful investigation of the status of the bird population and after discussion with the Island's residents.

CHARLEVILLE (Q.) — Office bearers elected at 27/4/69 Annual General Meeting were: President, G. I. Fletcher; Vice-Pres., T. J. Atkins, A. J. Raleigh; Sec./Treas., B. B. Allen; Captain, W. R. Chandler; Committee, I. East, R. Akers.

SUNNY CORNER (N.S.W.) — Have formed. President is Colin Ferguson; Secretary/Treasurer is John Martin.

INTERSERVICE SPORT

REPRESENTATIVE

The Annual Inter-Service Clay Target Trapshooting competition for the I.C.I. Shield was held at R.A.A.F. Base, Point Cook (Vic.) on Wednesday, March 26, 1969 in ideal shooting conditions.

Navy shot consistently to become the winners with 86/90 in this 15 target points scoring event. R.A.A.F. and Army tied with 81/90 each. High Gun scorer was Corporal R. Watt (R.A.A.F.), 29/29, to the delight of all present as he was runner up in 1968.

Commencing from a picnic shoot at Laverton (Vic.) early in 1935, it was arranged that this be an annual competition between officers of the three services for an I.C.I. donated shield.

For some reason, shoots were not held during the years 1938 and 1939 and World War II disrupted the continuity from 1939 to 1945. In 1947 the match continued as a competition between officers until 1957 when with the approval of I.C.I. the shield was made available to competition between all ranks.

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The match is conducted in squads of three shooters consisting of one R.A.A.F., one Army and one Navy and provides an interesting progressive event for the team members and for the spectators.

Results of these annual contests to date have been:—

Army	35/50	1935
Army	46/75	1936
Army	34/50	1937
Suspended 1938-1946		
Army	61/90	1947
Army	60/90	1948
R.A.A.F.	58/90	1949
R.A.A.F.	No record of scores	1950
R.A.A.F.	No record of scores	1951
R.A.A.F.	No record of scores	1952
Navy	77/120	1953
Navy	78/90	1954
Army	68/90	1955
R.A.A.F.	59/90	1956
R.A.A.F.	83/90	1957
R.A.A.F.	82/90	1958
R.A.A.F.	81/90	1959
R.A.A.F.	86/90	1960
R.A.A.F.	81/90	1961
Army	86/90	1962
R.A.A.F.	81/90	1963
Navy	84/90	1964
Navy	86/90	1965
Navy	118/120	1966
R.A.A.F.	80/90	1967
R.A.A.F.	85/90	1968
Navy	86/90	1969

A section of the 1969 Inter-Services Competition at R.A.A.F. Point Cook, Victoria. Left to right: Sqdn/Ldr R. Dant, F/Lt A. Pappin, Sgt R. Watts, Wing Cdr E. K. Kildey, L. A. C. Wooten.

Good shooting lies in looking

One of America's top skeet shooters, R. Rodale, said in an article which appeared in the Skeet Shooting Review, that the key to good skeet shooting lay in emphasis placed in looking at the target.

He summed up the technique by looking at the target as if he were trying to read the label on the top of it.

"After plugging along at trap for a whole year in that fashion, I suddenly realised that I wasn't looking clearly at the traphouse and consequently the target came out a blur, stayed blurry looking while I shot at it, and landed in one piece still blurred.

"What I was doing was looking at the rib, focussing my eyes at the near distance when I should have focused them at 16 yards. A most basic principal of shot gun shooting is that you focus your eyes clearly on the target, and allow the rib to look like a blur — not vice versa.

"If you are focussing on the rib, there is no quick way to recover and get your eyes instantly on the target. To prove that, try this experiment. Hold your hand in front of you, about 6 inches from your eyes. Now look out the window at the horizon, and focus your eyes there. Look down at your hand and notice that you can instantly focus from the horizon to your hand.

"Try to reverse the procedure and notice that it takes about a second to make the focus transition the other way, from your hand to the horizon. So you can see that if you are focused in close, that target will travel quite a ways before you can get it clearly in view, and chances are you will pull the trigger before you get a clear look at it.

"Successful skeet shooters know that they can't always be sure of the exact angle or position of the target, so take pains to look at it carefully. But many haven't learned the lesson. They go through the motions of shooting in the right way, their form is good, and the lead looks right to them. But they miss targets once in a while, probably because they haven't focused their eyes at the distance at which the target is flying. That is what I call 'sloppy looking'. If you can correct that habit, I think you will add significantly to your average.

"I go through the procedure of looking down at the centre stake, in the middle of the field, then looking out into the sky and calling for the target. But occasionally I lose my focus while calling for the target, and then am in trouble. There is always the temptation to glance at the rib, especially on high 1.

"The benefits of careful looking at targets aren't necessarily limited to a shooter's optical performance.

"Many skeet shooters go through a set of motions during each round which are, in effect, concentration procedures. Perhaps they do it without even realising it, although many are conscious that careful, repetitive actions can produce a sense of confidence and concentration."

(With acknowledgments to The Times Hamilton, N.Z.)

CLAY TARGET RECORDS

ENGLAND

The record number of clay targets shot in an hour is 1,308 by Joseph Nother (formerly Wheater) (born 1918), of Kingston-upon-Hull, Yorkshire, at Bedford on 21 September, 1957, using 5 guns and 7 loaders he shot 1,000 in 42 minutes, 22.5 seconds.
(Ref. — Guinness book of records — 1968 edition).

U.S.A.

Austin Dorr of New Jersey ran 730 straight in one day during a 1,000-bird marathon in September, 1968. He ended with 995 x 1,000.
(Ref. — Trap and Field U.S.A.)

Adolph P. Topperwein, son of a Texan frontier gunsmith was born in 1869, at Boerne, Texas, U.S.A. and retired at the age of 82 in 1967, at San Antonio, Texas.

Before he was ten he was a marksman with a crossbow, a 14 gauge shotgun and a .22 calibre rifle. His greatest feat was performed with a .22 calibre semi-automatic Winchester rifle, Model 03 at the San Antonio Fair Grounds in 1906. In twelve days of shooting he broke 72,491 out of 72,500 aerial targets, beating the greatest previous record of 60,000 out of 60,650 targets made by Dr. W. F. Carver, marksman of Buffalo Bill's

Wild West Show. No one has attempted to try for Topperwein's record, which will probably stand for all time.

Topperwein then became chief exhibition shooter for Winchester-Western. Under her husband's tutelage, Mrs. Topperwein became the greatest woman trapshooter of her time and her greatest feat, yet to be equalled by either man or woman, consisted of breaking 1,952 out of 2,000 clay targets in 3 hours and 15 minutes of actual shooting time. (Note: These were not normal trapshooting conditions).

Dan Pautler (Jnr.), a high school junior from Alden, N.Y. captured the 66th Grand American Handicap in 1965, in his second year of shooting. He missed his 87th target in a near perfect round when he shattered 99 of 100 targets from 20 yards to outshoot a record field of 3,031 marksmen.

This was the third time that a junior had won this event. Rufus King of Wichita Falls, Texas won the Grand in 1930 and Nick Egan of New York City won in 1954.

A.C.T.A. BREAK RECORDS

(IN ANY ONE PROGRAMME)

Queensland			
R. DEAN (Roma)	(1968)	393	—
W. STEVENS (Ipswich)	(1969)	—	131
New South Wales			
K. HEYWOOD (Narromine)	(1966)	501	—
E. HAWKINS (Hawkesbury)	(1969)	—	90
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	—
Western Australia			
T. CATLING (Katanning)	(1967)	253	—
G. BAILEY (Perth)	(1968)	—	71
T.P.N.G.			
F. L. RIMMER (Kar Kar Is.)	(1968)	92	—

Gordon Hunter Hall

Gordon Hall, National President of the A.C.T.A. is truly a man of many parts, with abilities and interests of an extremely contrasting nature.

Gordon Hunter Hall, born May 1925 has in a comparatively short span of years achieved success artistically, commercially and in many fields of the sporting world.

What is his job? He is a Ladies' Hairdresser, accepted by his contemporaries all over the world as one of the best artists in his craft. Gordon has been guest artist in hairstyling in London, New York and other leading Cities of the world. He is now National Chairman of Judges for hairstyling competitions in Australia and is a member of the Federal Executive of the Master Ladies Hairdressers' Association.

In business, Gordon Hall is Governing Director and virtual owner of a Company complex of a Holding Company and six subsidiary companies with more than twenty branches throughout Victoria.

While achieving success in these two fields Gordon has used his "spare" time in the realm of sport. In athletics Gordon Hall is a past record holder in 3,000 metres steeplechase, the 3,000, 5,000 and 10,000 metres footrunning, the 10 mile and 15 mile cross country running and was a Selectee for 1952 Olympic Games.

A.C.T.A. President, Gordon Hall

During World War II Gordon served with the Royal Australian Air Force in which, apart from achieving the flying rank of Flight Lieutenant, he was winner of the welter weight boxing championship in two successive years.

His ability as a shotgunner is known to all shooters and therefore needs no further reference here.

Fellow shooters — meet your new National President, Gordon Hall, artist, business and sportsman who has now represented Australia in the three spheres of hairstyling, athletics and trapshooting.

OUT OF THE PAST

30 YEARS AGO

1. W. R. Bloomfield of Sandringham gained his most important success when he won the Southern Hemisphere Double-Barrel Championship at the old Nobel's Ground at West Footscray, Victoria. Bloomfield won after a double tie with the then Seymour shooter Pat Reid and aggregated 31/33.

2. The Cunnamulla Club in Queensland held its first "championship" meeting late in 1938.

3. Bill Rainbird of Launceston (who is still an active shooter and also a present member of the Executive Committee of the A.C.T.A.,) outwitted a smart field of class trapshots when he won the Seymour District Championship after a rush trip across Bass Strait.

4. One of the most spectacular items about this period in 1938 was the presentation by the late Mr. Donald Mackintosh of the International Trophy for perpetual competition. The comments of the day were, "It is anticipated that the proposed International series will be a complete success". (How correct has been this anticipation!).

5. Late in 1938 Fred Burns, who now is well on the way to his second 100 in championships at all types of targets is reported as having won his "8th title at clays". (A lot of water has gone by since those days).

6. Big holiday shoots were conducted round about this period a couple of

decades ago — Many clay pigeon shooters were entertained by the Barellan Club in the Southern Riverina area of N.S.W. The Barellan Club (also of the 1st interstate clubs affiliated with the Association), conducted the N.S.W. Premier title Double-Barrel. Success went to what was then described in the following sentence, "Success on the inaugural occasion went to the Victorian Scot, J. M. Wilson, well known among sporting identities as 'Jock'". (Afterwards Association President for a number of years).

20 YEARS AGO

1. Bill Finnegan of Gardenvale, Victoria, won the Duke of Gloucester Cup at an Australian Club fixture late in 1948. This Cup was purchased by a group of Melbourne sportsmen, headed by the late Mr. Donald Mackintosh, to commemorate the occasion of the visit to Australia of Prince Henry, Duke of Gloucester.

2. Wangaratta Club (Vic.) staged its first open championship under Association conditions won by Keith Veall.

3. The Yarram Club in eastern Gippsland held its opening shooting after reforming following the war years.

4. Hay (N.S.W.) held its official opening on the local showgrounds, when the N.S.W. Double-Rise Championship was won by the **only** Melbourne competitor, W. R. Johns. Of interest is the fact that the present President of the A.C.T.A. John Houston, was secretary of the Hay Club at this period.

5. At Peak Hill (N.S.W.), the Western Districts of N.S.W. Double-Rise Championship was won by W. (Bill) J. McPhee, then of Dubbo, but now a senior police official at Taree (N.S.W.). McPhee won outright with a moderate score of 7/12 pair. The Townsville Club (Qld.) reported great difficulty in obtaining supplies of clay targets. J. E. Melville figured prominently during a shoot there in February, 1949.

Club Report — Sale (Vic.) dated 17/1/59.

Excellent day other than the 110.7 heat wave — Guns ran hot, so did shooters, etc. The large attendance was really excellent for such a day and many shooters did not attend owing to the terrific heat, but on the whole the shooting was really 1st class, and we are looking forward to 60 shooters at our duck-opening shoot. This should get all the boy's eye in for those fast-flying darkies. (Len J. Robinson, Hon. Sec.).

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Aust. Clay Target Shooting Results

*Scores not available

Australian Double-Barrel Championship

1953	G. BIGGS	176/180 points
1954	J. BRYANT Jnr.	60/60
1955	J. N. THOMAS	140/140
1956	J. W. RALEIGH	117/120
1957	A. HAMILTON	180/180
1958	J. N. THOMAS	239/240
1959	J. N. THOMAS	300/300
1960	K. PATTERSON	130/130
1961	W. CHARLTON	110/110
1962	R. HOGARTH	145/145
1963	W. CHARLTON	223/223
1964	J. BLAKE	81/81
1965	A. HAMILTON	270/270
1966	V. RYAN	115/115
1967	D. SMITH	278/278
1968	M. BURGESS	188/188
1969	D. SMITH	363/363

Australian Intermediate Double-Barrel Championship

1948	W. ROBINSON	20/20
1949	F. SKATE	40/40
1950	Maj.-Gen. W. BRIDGEFORD	30/30
1951	G. McLEOD	39/40
1952	F. OLVER	25/25
1953	E. BRUCE	35/35
1954	T. CLARSON	45/45
1955	E. J. EZARD	60/60
1956	W. G. EDWARDS	58/60
1957	G. GLEESON	49/50
1958	P. WILLIAMS	45/45
1959	H. LAVERY	144/145
1960	R. GEHRMAN	45/45
1961	M. WHITELAW	35/35
1962	K. CONSTABLE	60/60
1963	J. LUTTREL (N.Z.)	95/95
1964	H. McLEOD	53/54
1965	D. EDGERTON	92/93
1966	T. HOLMES	50/51
1967	J. VEALE (N.Z.)	50/50
1968	J. BROOK	58/59
1969	G. MARK	50/50

Australian Single-Barrel Championship

1955	J. BLAKE	50/50
1956	S. E. LAMB	50/50
1957	J. RALEIGH	89/90
1958	C. DEAN	95/95
1959	J. N. THOMAS	50/50
1960	R. MIDDLETON	50/50
1961	J. N. THOMAS	54/55
1962	J. RALEIGH	60/60
1963	S. STEWART	51/51
1964	J. N. THOMAS	55/55
1965	W. CHARLTON	57/58
1966	D. GLOVER	50/50
1967	D. SMITH	50/50
1968	J. HUTCHINGS	56/56
1969	N. DAVIS	57/57

Australian Double Rise Championship

1961	F. BURNS	28/30
1962	J. HEADON	30/35
1963	D. SMITH	23/25
1964	J. HEADON	24/27
1965	W. CHARLTON	56/58
1966	W. CHARLTON	48/50
1967	J. N. THOMAS	64/66
1968	W. RAE	48/50
1969	T. SALAFIA	53/56

Australia-New Zealand Championship

1962	J. McKENZIE	165/165
1963	K. CONSTABLE	165/165
1966	F. HUDSON	153/153
1967	K. HEYWOOD	156/156
1964	J. R. THOMPSON	189/190
1965	W. CHARLTON	324/324
1968	T. CATLING	459/459
1969	A. E. WILKINSON	198/198

Australian Champion of Champions Cup

1936	H. G. JAMES	*N/A
1937	L. BERTHAM	60/60
1938	W. J. LANCASTER	*N/A
1939	F. BURNS	49/50
1940	F. BURNS	49/50
1941	H. DONNELLY	52/60
1947	D. WATSON	49/50
1948	H. DONNELLY	49/50
1949	F. BURNS	59/60
1950	J. A. McGRAITH	59/60
1951	G. BIGGS	69/70
1952	F. BURNS	60/60
1953	J. N. THOMAS	55/55
1954	A. QUINTON	45/45
1955	S. MARSHALL	75/75
1956	C. MUDFORD	94/95
1957	R. FAUNT	84/85
1958	S. MARSHALL	90/90
1959	P. MARSHALL	90/90
1960	J. McKENZIE	65/65
1961	J. N. THOMAS	114 points
1962	J. N. THOMAS	70/70
1963	N. MILLIKEN	79/79
1964	J. HEADON	93/93
1965	W. CHARLTON	60/60
1966	M. BURGESS	163/164
1967	W. STEVENS	80/80
1968	P. MARSHALL	92/92
1969	R. MORRISON	54/54

Grand Australian Handicap

1949	H. ELDRIDGE	85/90
1950	R. WIGHTMAN	50/55
1951	W. A. COMMONS	39/40
1952	K. McKINNON	38/40
1953	J. BLAKE	89/90
1954	R. HEADON	59/60
1955	N. MILLIKEN	74/74
1956	H. C. HOLLOW	40/40
1957	T. CLARSON	64/65
1958	L. TURNER	45/45
1959	F. L. BROWN	45/45
1960	W. CHARLTON	90/90
1961	Not conducted	
1962	H. McDIARMID	51/51
1963	H. C. WALKER (N.Z.)	85/86
1964	G. BAILEY	53/53
1965	D. TAYLOR	50/50
1966	D. H. FREWIN (N.Z.)	140/140
1967	A. MARSTELLA	63/63
1968	E. JOHNSON	56/56
1969	R. FERRES	72/72

Australian National Trapshooting Championships

Annually since 1966 a Browning under-and-over shotgun has been presented to the highest gun scorer over the 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 Association is very grateful to the makers of these fine trophies, Messrs. Fabrique Nationale of Belgium and to their agents, Messrs. Gollin & Co. of Sydney.

A similar shotgun is presented annually at the National Trapshooting Championships conducted by the New Zealand Gun Clubs' Association and by common agreement, each shooter can gain this award only once.

Overall High Gun Scorers

1966 C. Hartley (N.Z.) 196/200. (Conducted over five main events).

1967 J. Newton-Thomas (Vic.) and M. Burgess (N.S.W.) both shot 300/300 over the six main events but by agreement, J. Newton-Thomas ceded the trophy for 1967 to M. Burgess as he had already won this trophy on many occasions.

1968 The 1968 overall high gun score was achieved by M. Burgess (Cobar) 312/325 but having won this trophy in 1967, the next top shooter, R. Kimber of S.A.G.C. (S.A.) took his high gun prize with 311/325.

1969 S. Marshall, Hobart 292/300.

International Teams' Event

(England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, Canada, South Africa, Rhodesia, New Zealand, Australia)

1939	ENGLAND	1878/2000
1948	ENGLAND	1410/1500
1949	AUSTRALIA	1374/1500
1950	ENGLAND	1657/1800
1951	AUSTRALIA	1443/1500
1952	ENGLAND	1645/1800
1953	ENGLAND	5013 pts.
1954	NEW ZEAL'D.	1725/1800
1955	NEW ZEAL'D. (A Team)	1462/1500
1956	NEW ZEAL'D.	1948/2000
1957	NEW ZEAL'D.	2951/3000
1958	AUSTRALIA	2876/3000
1959	AUSTRALIA	2956/3000
1960	CANADA	2914/3000
1961	NEW ZEAL'D.	8606/9000
1962	AUSTRALIA	8764/9000
1963	AUSTRALIA	8694/9000
1964	AUSTRALIA	8763/9000
1965	CANADA	8685/9000
1966	AUSTRALIA	7355/7500
1967	AUSTRALIA	7339/7500
1968	AUSTRALIA	7355/7500
1969	—	

International High Gun Trophy

1948	J. A. McCRAITH	98/100
1949	R. REDPATH	97/100
1950	J. SMITH	94/100
1951	J. N. THOMAS	100/100
1952	J. BRYANT	97/100
1953	J. N. THOMAS	289/300
1954	F. JOHNSON	99/100
1955	F. BURNS	99/100
1956	J. NUNN	199/200
1957	L. HASELER	297/300
1958	W. E. RUTTY	296/300
1959	J. N. THOMAS	300/300
1960	D. SMITH	297 points
1961	J. HEADON	324/330
1962	J. N. THOMAS	299/300
1963	J. N. THOMAS	298/300
1964	M. BURGESS	298/300
1965	D. SMITH	100/100
1966	J. RALEIGH	299/300
1967	M. BURGESS	300/300
1968	M. BURGESS	339/339
1969	V. RYAN	321/321

Australian Interstate Trap Teams' Match

1952	N.S.W.	478/500
1953	QUEENSLAND	471/500
1954	QUEENSLAND	483/500
1955	N.S.W.	496/500
1956	VICTORIA	981/1000
1957	TASMANIA	486/500
1958	TASMANIA	487/500
1959	N.S.W.	493/500
1960	QUEENSLAND	495/500
1961	TASMANIA	729/750
1962	VICTORIA	492/500
1963	N.S.W.	498/500
1964	QUEENSLAND	493/500
1965	N.S.W.	493/500
1966	QUEENSLAND	493/500
1967	VICTORIA	495/500
1968	STH. AUSTRALIA	495/500
1969	—	

Interstate Skeet Teams' Match

1965	VICTORIA	121/125
1966	VICTORIA	123/125
1967	VICTORIA	120/125
1968	W.A.	119/125
1969	—	

Australia-New Zealand Trap Teams' Match

(shot in each country on alternate years)

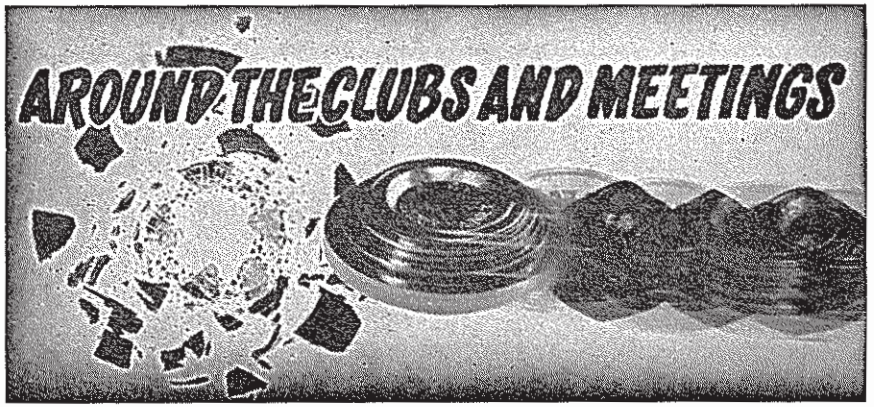
	Winners	Score	Hosted in
1960	N.Z./AUST.	tied 118/120	Australia
1961	NEW ZEALAND	117/120	New Zealand
1962	AUSTRALIA	117/120	Australia
1963	NEW ZEALAND	118/120	New Zealand
1964	AUSTRALIA	118/120	Australia
1965	NEW ZEALAND	117/180	New Zealand
1966	AUSTRALIA	117/120	Australia
1967	AUSTRALIA	115/120	New Zealand
1968	AUSTRALIA	118/120	Australia
1969	NEW ZEALAND	118/120	New Zealand

Australia-New Zealand Skeet Teams' Match

	Winners	Score	Hosted in
1966	NEW ZEALAND	124/125	New Zealand
1967	NEW ZEALAND	116/125	New Zealand
1968	NEW ZEALAND	Not recorded	New Zealand
1969	NEW ZEALAND	118/125	New Zealand

1969 winners of the Mick Smith Shield at the Illawarra Gun Club (N.S.W.), 13.4.1969. Left to right: L. Shipway, R. Shipway, S. Joice, B. Ellsmore and M. Quirk, members of the Sutton Forrest Gun Club.

Athol Webb (right) Vice-President of the Illawarra District Gun Club (N.S.W.) being interviewed by Channel 4's sporting personality Ron Ross, 13.4.1969. The Illawarra club is very active in promoting and publicising the sport of Clay Target Shooting.



ALEXANDRA (S.A.), 16/3/69. — Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: 9 shooters shot possible. No. 2, Legacy D.B. H'cap: 1st, B. Rayner; 2nd, R. Mules; 3rd, L. Fendler. No. 3, Legacy S.B. H'cap: 1st, R. Mules; 2nd, A. Ralston; 3rd, C. Hollywood. No. 4, 10 pr. D. Rise: 1st, R. Mules; 2nd, R. Treloar; 3rd, K. Flaherty.

Novice Events: No. 1, E.O.: 1st, D. Saltmarsh. No. 2, D.B.: 1st, D. Saltmarsh. No. 3, S.B.: 1st, L. Horward.

Weather conditions were cold and windy. Thirty-five shooters attended to make a very successful shoot to aid Legacy.

(Lyle G. Griffin, Sec.)

APSLEY (V.), 29/3/69. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 5 sparrows E.O. (18 yds.): J. Hinneberg, B. Robinson, P. Cleggett, M. Grigg, B. England, P. Cleggett Jnr., G. Sharrock, A. Miller, M. Holloway. No. 2, Vic. State D.B. Day Sparrow C'ship: 1st, M. Sullivan, 53/55; 2nd, P. Cleggett, 52/55; 3rd, N. Hinneberg, 33/36. No. 3, $100 Cartridge Trophy H'cap (15 tgts.): J. Hinneberg, P. Sheridan, C. Copping, 15/15; M. Grigg, G. Sharrock, 14/15. High Gun: C. Copping, 42/45.

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

ARARAT (V.), 4/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine and mild. Attendance: 36. Night Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. Pts.: 2 possibles—R. Fraser, B. Jenkins, 15/15. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap: W. Peart, 1st, 15/15; R. Fraser, 2nd, 16/17; J. Walls, 3rd, 15/17. No. 3, 10-tgt. H'cap (5 D.B., 5 S.B., C. Div.): 2 possibles — J. Walls, K. Hamilton, 10/10; 4 shooters div. — W. Crouch, W. Peart, J. Gemmola, G. Sottovia.

Our monthly night meeting for April showed quite a good attendance as compared with the preceding month. First prize in the main event saw Bill Peart winning the handicap with the only possible. After a short shoot-off, second prize went to another local shooter, Rod Fraser, shooting 16/17, and third went to our visiting shooter, Jim Walls, 15/17.

The new-chum, C. Fielding, took the F/M. trophy, shooting 12/15, which is a very good effort. The club wishes to thank those shooters who travelled long distances to attend, shooters coming from Warrnambool, Stawell, Melbourne, Callawadda, and surrounding districts. Thanks to the ladies who assisted with the catering for the nice supper.

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

AUSTRALIAN (V.), 1/3/69. — Attendance of 40 included two interstate and three country visitors. Results: 15-tgt. Pts. E.O.: div. S. Stamell, G. Robinson, L. Swain, R. Burgess, 45/45. Burwood S.B. C'ship: won by R. Burton from S. Henwood, 26/27; R. Mitchell, 24/25, third. R. McHutchinson, 18/20, won front-marker. 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap S'stake: div. W. Attwood, H. Somers, S. Henwood, R. Mitchell, R. Bailey, G. Robinson, 20/20. 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap S'stake: div. J. Whiteoak, 8 plus 17; D. Edgerton, 1 plus 24; F. Whitten, 3 plus 23. 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap S'stake: div. J. W. Johns, 3 plus 22; R. Bailey, 0 plus 25; S. Neale, 3 plus 22.

15/3/69. — Last shoot at Burwood prior to re-location at Lysterfield. Good attendance of 112 for three championships. 10-tgt. Pts. E.O.: div. A. James, G. White, J. Paul, 30/30. Moomba S.B. C'ship: J. Newton-Thomas, 30/31; A. Tie, 29/31; E. A. Collins, 23/24; 12-14 yds., G. Gardner, 19/20; 15-16 yds., S. Neale, 18/20. Moomba D.B. C'ship: B. Douglas, 91/91; Bill Stone, 90/91; D. McCraith, 59/60; 12-14 yds., R. Tait, 19/20; 15-16 yds., A. Hadden, 20/20. Moomba Skeet C'ship: D. McCraith, 72/72; B. Roberts, 70/71; G. White, 45/46; F/M., F. Thatcher, 24/25. Moomba Champion of Champions: won well by R. Siede, 64/65. Ron shot possible in both down-the-line events and missed one in his skeet. The Nunawading Council was represented by the Mayor and Mayoress, who assisted at the presentation of the trophies and were well received by the shooters.

(John Lucas, Hon. Sec.)

BAIRNSDALE (V.), 12/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine and windy. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts.: L. Byles, S. Collins, 15/15. No. 2, East Gippsland S.B. C'ship: S. Collins, Jim Collins, Jack Collins. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: Jim Collins, Jack Collins, 10/10. No. 4, 5-tgt. Walk-up: M. Huggins, Jim Collins, 5/5. No. 5, 5-tgt. Walk-up: Jim Collins, 5/5.

Very windy conditions, very tricky, not a good attendance, with no visiting shooters.

(Lionel Byles, Hon. Sec.)

BARELLAN (N.S.W.), 13/4/69.—Weather conditions: cloudy and cool. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O.: 11 possibles — S. Trembath, I. G. Smith, J. C. Harman, D. Allen, K. Trembath, J. Stewart, M. Webb, P. Overs, B. S. Gordon, D. Richards, L. Dow. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B.: 5 possibles — K. Trembath, J. Stewart, B. S. Gordon, N. Bretag, F. Casella. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. Trophy: shoot-off — 1st, P. Overs, 31/31; 2nd, I. G. Smith, 30/31; 3rd, J. Stewart, 28/31; 5 other possibles — J. C. Harman, K. Trembath, M. Webb, B. S. Gordon, G. Walker. No. 4, 10-tgt. S.B.: 5 possibles—P. Overs, W. Smith, E. Thomas, C. Garofolo, D. Lucas. No. 5, High Gun Shoot-off: P. Overs, 30/30; J. Stewart, 29/30.

Cloudy weather was not ideal for shooting, but P. Overs accredited himself with a 75 break; congratulations, Peter. Attendance was again pleasing, with Rankin Springs, Griffith, Coleambally and Ganmain shooters being present, and we look forward to your continued support in making our shoots successful.

Congratulations to the trophy winners: P. Overs, 1st; I. G. Smith, 2nd; J. Stewart, 3rd, and again to Peter on being High Gun winner. Ladies' trophy winner was Miss E. Hulme.

(Mrs. D. M. Smith, Hon. Sec.)

BARMERA (S.A.), 13/4/69—Weather conditions: light winds and showery. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. E.O.: C. Hollywood, B. Hollywood, J. Hollywood, P. Caddy, 10/10. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts.: A. Chellew, J. Wilkinson, 29/30. No. 3, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap (Winchester Trophy): 1st, J. Hollywood, 32/32; 2nd, A. Chellew, 31/32; 3rd, L. Hollywood, 19/20; 12-14 yds., P. Arnold, 17/20; 15-17 yds., G. Clark, C. Hollywood, 17/20; 18 yds. and over, R. Barratt, W. Perry, J. Wilkinson, 18/20. No. 4, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap: G. Clark, A. Grose, J. O'Keefe, 15/15.

A good roll-up for the Winchester Trophy, which was won by 11-year-old Jeff Hollywood in a shoot-off from Alby Chellew. As can be seen by the results, Fay Hollywood is the only one not to win something.

(K. J. Coats, Sec.)

BATHURST (N.S.W.), 19/4/69.—Weather conditions: cold and windy. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. Sweep: C. Coles, W. Burrow, A. Rosconi, J. Martin, R. Hanson, M. Williams, H. Jaques, L. Alexander, R. Parker, H. Blunt, 5/5. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. Sweep: E. Martin, M. Williams, Jack Martin, H. Blunt, 10/10. No. 3, 15-tgt. D.B. Trophy: 1 possible, E. Field, 15/15; M. Williams, 2nd; Ted Martin, 3rd; R. Hanson, F/M.

Conditions very difficult. Trophy event won outright by E. Feild (Orange). Nine shooters in the shoot-off for second place, won by M. Williams, 32/32, from Ted Martin (Sunny Corner), 31/32. Front-markers' trophy went to R. Hanson (Orange).

(A. Rosconi, Hon. Sec.)

BENDIGO (V.).—Weather: good. Attendance: 25. No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. (16 yds.): A. James, K. Shearer, D. Rumbold, W. Coulson, N. Scott, B. Dunphy, J. Cumming, B. Santon, C. Johnson, H. Birchall, 15/15. No. 2, Easter S.B. C'ship: 1st, D. Rumbold, 33/33; 2nd, A. James, 32/33 3rd, G. Ashman, 26/27; F/M., I. Bell, 17/21. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: div. 14 shooters. No. 4, 5-tgt. Walk-up: div. A. Mason, N. Carboon, H. Waring, D. Griffiths.

Bendigo Clay Target Club conducted its first championship sash that was eagerly sought by all shooters, but was won by the local shooter D. Rumbold from A. James, the only two shooters to get 20/20; four shooters with 19/20, W. Coulson, G. Ashman, A. Mason, N. Carboon, shot for third trophy, which went to G. Ashman, 7/7, with W. Coulson taking fourth place.

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

BENDIGO (V.), 1/3/69. — Weather: good. Results: No. 1, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap: T. H. C. Boyland (N.S.W.), 39/39; I. Bell, 38/39; N. Scott, 33/34. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B.: div. 7 shooters — N. Carboon, A. Jones, O. Dowker, F. Doyle, B. Dunphy, J. Cumming. No. 3: I. Bell, D. Rumbold, T. H. C. Boyland, C. Johnson, B. Dunphy, 5/5, div.

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

BERRIDALE (N.S.W.), 12/4/69.—Weather conditions: poor (windy). Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. (off 18 yds.): 1st, L. Venables, A. Feilen, B. Caldwell, O. Feilen, H. Kennedy. No. 2, 5 S.B., 5 D.B.: 1st, A. Feilen. No. 3, 10-tgt. Pts.: 1st, B. Caldwell; 2nd, A Feilen. No. 4, 20-tgt. D.B. (off 18 yds.): 1st, A. Feilen; 2nd, H. Kennedy. No. 5, 10-tgt. D.B.: 1st, D. Twigg; 2nd, B. Scanes. No. 6, 10-tgt. D.B.: 1st, B. Caldwell, B. Scanes, T. Hayden. High Gun: A. Feilen.

As is seen by the results of the shoot, Mr. Alf Feilen, President of Bombala Gun Club, had quite a day. Alf, using a standard Beretta under & over, with a well-developed style, together with extreme accuracy, helped to acquire this fine result. Our congratulations to Alf.

The club's sincere thanks are extended to the ladies for their usual co-operation.

(Ross L. Britt, Hon. Sec.)

BINGARA (N.S.W.), 30/3/69. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 9. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O.: M. Bell, J. Hawkins, E. Redman, R. King, R. Hobday, R. Scutt, J. Durkin, C. McLane, 5/5. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. C'ship (16 yds.): A Grade: E. Redman, 101; J. Hawkins, 100; B Grade: J. Durkin, 57; R. Scutt, 19. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. Pts.: M. Bell, R. Hobday, J. Durkin, 30; E. Redman, R. King, 29. No. 4, 10-tgt. S.B. H'cap: J. Hawkins, E. Redman, R. Hobday, 10/10.

Congratulations to E. Redman and J. Durkin for winning A and B Grade Championships. Congratulations also to John Hawkins for notching his initial 100 break.

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

BIRCHIP (V.), 28/3/69. — Weather conditions: cool and in-coming breeze. Attendance: 41. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. Trophy: equal 1st, I. McLeod, J. Blytheman; Opt. Sweep: div. R. Cook, M. Haslam, A. Richmond, J. Blytheman, L. Scarce, R. Hatcher, K. Coundon, M. J. Connelly, I. McLeod, G. Turner. No. 2, $2 Sweep: div. on 10th round by 11 shooters — N. Haslam, Allan Mitchell, D. Ey, C. Barbury, L. Goetz, G. Turner, H. Coundon, K. Coundon, J. Mitchell, I. McLeod, G. Taylor. No. 3, 5-tgt. Trophy: equal value, D. Ferrier, N. E. Haslam.

This is one of the best night shoots the club has held for some time and shooters were present from far and near. The club has just received word that their Damo trap has just been railed, so club hopes to have this installed very soon. When fixed up, club may have a snipe trap for sale in near future.

(H. G. Taylor, Hon. Sec.)

BOMBALA (N.S.W.), 19/4/69. — Weather conditions: cold, wet and windy. Attend-

ance: 15. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. Sparrows: 1st, div. B. Scanes, C. Trevanian, 10/10. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts.: 1st, C. Trevanian, 44/45; 2nd, W. Mackay, 43/45; F/M., J. Caldwell, 65/72. No. 3, 5 S.B., 5 D.B.: club trophy, B. Caldwell, 14/14. No. 4, 5 off 12 yds., 5 off 26 yds.: 1st, div. B. Scanes, R. Sands, H. Kennedy, T. Hayden, 10/10. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise Sparrows: 1st, D. Badewitz, 9/10; 2nd, W. Mackay, 8/10; F/M., G. Feilen. No. 6, 10-tgt. D.B.: 1st, B. Caldwell, 10/10; 2nd, div. W. Mackay, D. Badewitz, A. Feilen, 9/10. High Gun: D. Badewitz, 46/50.

Conditions were very cold and miserable, but the full programme and one extra were completed, so congratulations to all winners, and many thanks to the ladies for a very welcome cup of tea during the afternoon.

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

BOORT (V.), 19/4/69. — Weather conditions: cold and windy. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O. Pts.: J. McCurdy, G. Crouch, 15/15. No. 2, 5 tgts. 12 yds., 5 tgts. 18 yds., 5 tgts. 24 yds.: 1st, L. Toose, 15/15; 2nd, D. Rumbold; 3rd, H. Coundon; ladies', Mrs. Rothacker. No. 3, 5-tgt. D.B.: div. G. Turner, K. Slatter, L. Toose, J. Piccoli, D. Rumbold, 5/5. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B.: div. G. Turner, D. Ferrier, 10/10.

A good attendance for a day with weather conditions the way they were. President Lew was the only shooter capable of handling the conditions to return the perfect card.

(J. Piccoli, Hon. Sec.)

BOYUP BROOK (W.A.), 6/4/69—Weather conditions: sultry, some rain. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1, 25-tgt. Skeet: P. Wooding, 1st, 25/25; 2nd, K. Schinzig, 24/25. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B.: P. Wooding, T. Ryall tied, 10/10 — T. Ryall won in shoot-off.

The weather was threatening, but kept reasonably fine. It was pleasing to see some new members and interested, possibly prospective members besides visitors from other clubs. Peter Wooding shot very well considering he has not done much of this sort of shooting. Congratulations also go to T. Ryall, who won 10-tgt. D.B. on a shoot-off from P. Wooding, and also K. Schinzig, who won High Gun for the day.

Next shoot will be May 11th — 30-tgt. D.B.

(F. Schinzig, Hon. Sec.)

BRAIDWOOD (N.S.W.), 6/4/69.—Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. E.O.: S. Joice, J. Snow, K. Muir, B. Hawke, C. Geale, D. Sullivan, R. Howlett, D. Sturgess, K. Clarke. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. Pts.: P. Papps, E. Hurn, 45/45, div. 1st. No. 3, 20-tgt. D.B. Club C'ship: 1st, B. Hawke, 71/71; 2nd, K. Robertson, 70/71; 3rd, P. Papps, 56/57.

The first day with the Damo Standard Auto Electric clay target trap proved most successful. A very good roll-up of shooters for our April shoot, with fine weather prevailing. The main event of the day was the Club D.B. C'ship. After an excellent shoot-off, B. Hawke emerged as the winner, with Keith Roberts second and Peter Papps third.

Visitors came from Illawarra, Queanbeyan-Canberra, Crookwell, Sutton Forest, and Goulburn.

(A. Kennedy, Hon. Sec.)

BRISBANE (Qld.), 30/3/69.—Weather conditions: fair. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1, Brisbane S.B. C'ship (20 birds): 1st, H. S. Smith, 20/20; 2nd, G. Parker, 30/31; 3rd, D. Evans, 29/31. No. 2, Brisbane S.B. Intermediate C'ship: 1st, T. Morgan, 22/24; 2nd, R. Adams, 21/24; 3rd, F. Hunter, 23/27. No. 3, 20-tgt. D.B. Pts.: 1st, A. O. Brown, 60/60 pts.; 2nd, R. Slawson, 74/75; 3rd, S. Jackson, 71/75; best 12-15 yds., E. Bain, 57/60. No. 4, 25-tgt. Performance H'cap: Grade 1, D. Smith, 135/135; Grade 2, R. Porter, 101/105; Grade 3, E. Bain, 97/105. No. 5, 10 prs. D'ville Doubles: 1st, W. Edwards - D. Smith, 10/10; 2nd, B. Mackey - R. Slawson, 9/10. High Gun: B. Deignan, 64/65.

It was a great day for Life Member Barney Deignan when he won the High Gun for the first time, and on his home ground, too. Barney declared that he had been trying to do this for years. Another triumph was Andy Brown's when he won the Pts. H'cap with the only possible, and it was good to see this 13 yards shooter beating the back-markers.

President Bill is requesting the members to give their honest opinions on the Performance H'cap events which we conducted again. Bill explained that these grade events are still at an experimental stage, but the idea is to find a way of evaluating shooters' capabilities whilst competing under the same conditions.

(E. Mackey, Pub. Officer.)

BRISBANE (Qld.), 12/4/69 — Attendance: 21. Results: S.E. Qld. Skeet C'ship (25 tgts.): 1st, D. Devlin, 35/36; 2nd, J. Smith, 34/36; 3rd, R. Porter, 27/29.

Night Shoot, Wed., 16/4/69.—Attendance: 23. No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. Sweeps H'cap: 1st, J. Mott, G. Watson, 10/10; 3rd, div. M. Blumson, E. Cooke, R. Porter, R. Warneminde, B. Witt, C. Brodribb. No. 2, Brisbane D'ville Doubles C'ship (10 pairs, 20 yds.): 1st, A. Kemp - D. Evans, 104/104; 2nd, R. Gehrman - L. Tapper, 103/104. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. Pts. H'cap Sweeps: 1st, D. Clarke, 30/30; 2nd, G. Watson, 29/30; 3rd, D. Evans, J. Wilson, 28/30.

Our skeet and practice shoots, which are held on the second Saturday of every month, are proving to be quite popular.

Congratulations to the first and second winners of the Brisbane Deauville Doubles Night C'ship — Alan Kemp, Dave Evans, Ray Gehrman and Les Tapper put on a star performance.

(E. Mackey, Pub. Officer)

BROKEN HILL (N.S.W.), 13/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. S'stake: possibles — P. Cutting, G. Johnston, A. Langsford, I. Wakefield, R. Lehmann, H. Mellowship, A. W. Commons. No. 2, 10-tgt. S'stake: possibles — P. Cutting, L. Campbell, R. Caskey, A. Langsford, I. Josephs, S. Bruni, C. Johnston. No. 3, 15-tgt. Monthly Aggregate: 1st, G. Hoskins, 27/27; 2nd, R. Westgarth, 26/27; 3rd, I. Josephs, 21/22. No. 4, 15-tgt. Walk-up Night C'ship: 1st, P. Cutting, 18; 2nd, R. Lehmann, 17; 3rd, "Trout" Mellowship, 16. No. 5, 10-tgt. S'stake: possibles — S. Bruni, G. Hoskins.

The afternoon and night shoot was enjoyed by all in attendance. Veteran George Hoskins and Peter Cutting achieved the "Avant Tout" in the main events.

Special thanks to Mrs. M. Murphy for her capable assistance in the office and Mrs. N. Hoskins, with her ladies' committee, for the refreshments.

(D. J. Dow, Assist. Sec.)

BUNDABERG (Qld.), 13/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: R. McCracken, D. Moller, G. Doblo, E. Drinnen, L. Kirby, B. Thiele, 5/5. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. Pts.: G. Doblo, 45/45; W. Schoch, 44/45. No. 3, 20-tgt. D.B. Kills: J. Gray, R. McCracken, D. Moller, E. Drinnen, 19/20 — shoot-off: 1st, J. Gray; 2nd, D. Moller. No. 4, 10-tgt. S.B. Kills: J. Gray, B. Thiele, W. Schoch, R. McCracken, N. C. Cayley, 8/10 — shoot-off: 1st, N. C. Cayley; 2nd, B. Thiele. No. 5, 5-tgt. D. Rise: D. Smith, 8/10; W. Schoch, 7/10.

Good to see front-markers N. C. Cayley and G. Doblo re-handicapped.

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

CENTRAL BURNETT (Qld.), 20/4/69. — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 20-tgt. Pts. H'cap: 1st, R. B. Bloxsome, 63/63; 2nd, S. Angel, 60/63; 3rd, S. Marks, 59/60. No. 2, 10 prs. D. Rise Club C'ship: 1st, S. Marks, 18/20; 2nd, G. Darlington, 23/26; 3rd, O. B. Bloxsome, 22/26. No. 3, 10 sparrows 24 yds. S'stakes: B. Rowsell, G. Darlington, 9/10; N. Goody, S. Marks, 8/10. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap Sweepstakes: equal — S. Kentish, G. Linsket, J. Trott, J. Lindenmayer, S. Marks, N. Goody, G. Darlington, 10/10.

The April monthly shoot was held under perfect autumn conditions. Visitors from Kingaroy, and several new shooters took part. A special welcome was extended to the Jaycees, who showed good form for novices at clay shooting.

Richard Bloxsome won the Goody Brothers trophy from Spencer Angel in a shoot-off, with Stan Marks third. The Club D. Rise C'ship went to Stan Marks, with G. Darlington and O. B. Bloxsome filling the places.

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

CESSNOCK CITY (N.S.W.), 29/3/69. — Weather conditions: overcast, with showers. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B.: C. Bland, K. Pearce, P. Jenkin, R. Lambkin, B. Phillip, R. Kreamers, G. Wilson, R. Dean, A. Peden, J. G. Adams, D. Goy, G. Glendinning, C. Masterson, 10/10. No. 2, 10-tgt. S.B.: K. Pearce, T. Turner, R. Boggiss, 10/10. No. 3, 20-tgt. D.B. Trophy: 1st, B. Phillip, 101/101; 2nd, G. Glendinning, 100/101; 3rd, G. Wilson, 53/54; F/M., A. Peden, 35/36.

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

CLERMONT (Qld.), 19/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts. E.O.: P. Maguire, F. A. Henn. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. Pts.: P. Maguire; F/M., F. A. Henn. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B.: G. Petersen, T. Henn. No. 4, 30-tgt. S.B.: 1st, A. Henn; 2nd, D. Kavanagh; F/M., T. Mahady. No. 5, 15-tgt. D.B.: P. Maguire; F/M., T. Mahady.

(A. Langfield, Hon. Sec.)

COFF'S HARBOUR (N.S.W.), 12/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine and warm, westerly breeze. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts.: S. Simmonds, J. Forsythe, 10/30, div. 1st and 2nd; S. Cox, J. Williamson, 10/29, div. 3rd. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts.: D. Scowcroft, A. Fotheringham, 10/30; div. 1st and 2nd; S. Cox, 10/28, 3rd. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B.: G. D. T. Seccombe, D. Scowcroft, E. Simmon, S. Simmonds, M. Bailey, 10/10, div. No. 4, 10-tgt. S.B.: T. C. Seccombe, M. Bailey, 9/10, div. No. 5, 40 tgts. over events 1 to 4: M. Bailey, 61/64, 1st; S. Simmonds, 60/64, 2nd; A. Fotheringham, 36/40, 3rd. No. 6, 5 pr. D. Rise: E. Simmon, M. Bailey, 10/10, div. 1st and 2nd; A. Fotheringham, 9/10, 3rd. No. 7, 5 pr. D'ville Doubles: S. Cox - A. Fotheringham, J. Forsythe - G. D. T. Seccombe, 10/10, div. No. 8, 5 pr. D'ville Doubles: S. Cox - A. Fotheringham, J. Forsythe - G. D. T. Seccombe, E. Simmon - M. Bailey, J. Williamson - T. C. Seccombe, 5/5, div. No. 9, High Gun over events 1 to 6: M. Bailey, 47/50. No. 10, Box Sweep: A. Moller.

Murray Bailey continued his winning form, pushed very closely by Stan Simmonds and Arthur Fotheringham. After a lengthy shoot-off with Simmonds to decide the 40-tgt. event Bailey clinched High Gun for the third successive time by shooting a possible in the D. Rise event. Ted Simmon and Don Scowcroft shot well to share in two divisions each, otherwise scores were not good.

President Sandy Cox welcomed visitor John Raleigh from Clara Creek.

(J. Forsythe, Hon. Sec.)

COHUNA (V.), 21/3/69. — Weather conditions: fine and calm. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: O/S. cut C. Williams, R. Hipwell, A. Easton, R. Adamson, G. Bennett, V. Yeaman, J. Adams, C. Ballard, F. Day, F. Twiss, M. McDonald, W. McGrath. No. 2, 10-tgt. Trophy (handicap marks): 1st, C. Bowman, 33/33; 2nd, M. Nalder, 32/33; 3rd, W. McGrath; O/S. cut R. Hipwell, C. Bowman, J. Adams, F. Twiss, J. Miller, K. Hilderbrand, M. Nalder, W. McGrath. No. 3, 10 tgts. (h'cap marks): O/S. cut C. Williams, A. Easton, C. Bowman, J. Adams, V. Yeaman, C. Ballard, M. Nalder, W. McGrath.

Good shooting was enjoyed under good conditions, with the shooting finishing with the usual shoot off the fence.

(P. H. Pigdon, Hon. Sec.)

COHUNA (V.), 3/4/69. — Weather conditions: clear, calm and frosty. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: O/S. cut C. Ballard, G. Bennett, V. Yeaman, R. Hipwell, F. Twiss, J. Miller, J. Saville, M. Tate, A. Easton, A. C. Kerr, R. Hayward. No. 2, 10-tgt. Trophy (h'cap marks): 1st, C. Williams, 60/60; 2nd, C. Bowman, 59/60; F/M. trophy, R. Hayward; O/S. cut G. Bennett, M. Tate, A. Easton, A. C. Kerr, R. L. Hayward, C. Williams, C. Bowman. No. 3, 10-tgt. Trophy (h'cap marks): 1st, K. Hilderbrand; 2nd, A. C. Kerr; O/S. cut K. Hilderbrand, V. Yeaman, R. Hayward, F. Twiss, M. Tate, A. C. Kerr, R. Hipwell, R. L. Hayward, C. Williams, C. Bowman, M. McDonald.

A keenly contested night shoot was experienced in frosty conditions, with two reasonably long and exciting shoot-offs in each trophy event. Throughout the night's events shooter Colin Williams attained a break of 87, which included a 50 straight shoot-off to win the trophy event.

(P. H. Pigdon, Hon. Sec.)

COHUNA (V.), 17/4/69. — Weather conditions: clear and frosty. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O. (h'cap marks): O/S. cut A. Richmond, F. Day, J. Miller, G. Bennett, A. Kerr, V. Yeaman, S. Kerr, C. Williams, M. McDonald, R. Hipwell, M. Tate, A. Easton, C. Bowman. No. 2, 10-tgt. Trophy (h'cap marks): 1st, M. Tate, 36/36; 2nd, N. Nalder, 35/36; O/S. cut N. Nalder, J. Saville, F. Day, V. Yeaman, R. Hipwell, M. Tate, C. Bowman. No. 3, 10 tgts. (h'cap marks): O/S. cut N. Nalder, F. Day, V. Yeaman, C. Williams, R. Hipwell, A. Easton.

No. 4, 5-tgt. Walk-up: O/S. cut C. Ballard, F. Day, A. Kerr, C. Williams.

A good night's shooting was had by all, and as this was our last shoot for this season, the Cohuna Gun Club thanks all the shooters and spectators who helped to make a fine series of shoots possible. We look forward to your support next season.

(P. H. Pigdon, Hon. Sec.)

COLAC (V.), 5/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts. (16 yds.): div. W. Gange, N. Davis, A. Carroll, M. Holloway, D. Grummett, P. Stinchcombe, B. Wembridge, 30/30. No. 2, Western District Shield Shoot: 1st, Colac No. 1, 142/150; 2nd, Geelong No. 1, 140/150; 3rd, Warrnambool, 139/150; Colac No. 1, 138/150; Noorat, 136/150; Dundonnell, 131/150; Geelong No. 2, 127/150; spec. don. by W.D.C.T.A., 12-15 yards, D. Lestrange. No. 3, Western Dist. D.B. C'ship: 1st, D. Grummett (Noorat), 270/270; 2nd, T. McDonald (Noorat), 269/270; 3rd, M. Holloway (Warrnambool), 65/66; others: 12-15 yds., D. Lestrange, 43/44; A. McSween, 49/50. No. 4, 15-tgt. Pts. H'cap: 1st, A. Wembridge (Geelong), 63/63; 2nd, D. Holmes (G'long), 62/63; 3rd, D. Corstorphan (Colac) 50/51; 12-15 yds., M. Rayner; 16-18 yds., L. Worland; 19-21 yds., H. Walker; 22 and over, A. Carroll.

Fine weather and good muster of shooters attended our Easter shoot. President of the Western Dist. Clay Target Assoc., Alan Wembridge, presented the I.C.I. 1968 shield, won by Colac; and the new shield, also from I.C.I., was competed for for the first time, with Colac No. 2 team taking out the honours. Congrats. to John Ballagh, Alan Skinner, Wilf Gange, Doug. Lestrange, Ken Walters. We're proud of you all. The Western District D.B. C'ship resulted in a record score for our ground when Dave Grummett scored 270 to win from Tom McDonald. Congrats. to both shooters for a grand effort. The Handicap saw Alan Wembridge out-last D. Holmes, with third to Don Corstorphan; all three gave a good exhibition of points shooting.

(Arthur Neale, Hon. Sec.)

CONDAMINE (Qld.), 12/4/69. — Weather conditions: perfect shooting weather. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: Eye-opener event. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, N. Beeton; 2nd, C. Reilly; 3rd, R. Britton. No. 3, 15-tgt. D.B. Pts.: O. B. Bloxsome, 1st; W. Francis, 2nd; J. Beer, 3rd. No. 4, 10-tgt. S.B. H'cap: R. Britton, J. McIntosh, N. Beeton.

Visitors were welcomed to our monthly shoot from Dalby, Chinchilla, Roma and Central Burnett clubs. Our President, E. L. Jenkins, when thanking the visitors, reminded them and club members of our annual shoot, 28th and 29th June.

In the second event of the programme C. Reilly lost a yard; he is now a 13 yarder. Congratulations, Cecil. Another member to "do" a yard was W. Francis, who has only been shooting for a few months and is a new member to our club. On the whole, a successful shoot was had by all.

The President thanked the wives for providing afternoon tea for the shooters.

(Elizabeth Beeton, Hon. Sec.)

COONAMBLE (N.S.W.), 5/3/69.—Weather conditions: fine and cool. Attendance: 12. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B.: D. McKenzie, B. Harris, R. McKenzie, 5/5. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts.: K. Constable, R. McKenzie, 10/10, 30/30. No. 3, 20-tgt. Club D.B. C'ship: D. McKenzie, 1st; L. Smith, 2nd; D. Taylor, 3rd; R. Murray, 4th. No. 4, 20-tgt. D.B.: R. Murray, 20/20. No. 5, 5-tgt. S.B.: J. Taylor, D. Taylor, L. Smith, 5/5.

A good attendance for the Club D.B. C'ship. Congrats. to Doug. McKenzie, L. Smith and D. Taylor. We hope to see more members attending the winter shoots that will commence 1.30 p.m. from the May shoot. Thank you, ladies, for the cups of tea.

(M. Taylor, Hon. Sec.)

COOTAMUNDRA (N.S.W.), 20/4/69. — Weather conditions: cool and cloudy. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 7 shooters scored possible. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: D. Ratcliffe, B. Rooke, A. Baker, E. Vincent, 10/10. No. 3, 18 yd. Trophy: H. Mohr, 1st; B. Rooke, 2nd; K. Oldfield, 3rd. No. 4, 10-tgt. H'cap Points: G. Lymbery, 30/30; A. Baker, H. Mohr, J. Forsyth, 29/30. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: J. Forsyth, 10/10; K. Oldfield, 9/10. No. 6, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: G. Lymbery, J. Forsyth, E. Fisher, A. Baker, 10/10.

Our club shoot drew our usual number of supporters and everybody enjoyed the afternoon's events in cooler conditions. Congratulations to Harry Mohr, who was too good in the trophy event, and to Barney Rooke, who out-stayed Alec Baker to win the monthly High Gun.

(F. Chudleigh, Hon. Sec.)

COWRA (N.S.W.), 5/4/69.—Weather conditions: fine and sunny. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. Sweep: K. Reid, L. Alexander, H. Jaques, T. Powell, H. Wright, A. Barnett, D. Toshack, H. Wilder, B. Martens, 10/10. No. 2, 15-tgt. Trophy: 1st, A. Reid, 16/16; 2nd, H. Cox, 15/16; F/M., K. Reid, 14/15. No. 3, 10-tgt. Sweep: K. Reid, L. Alexander, T. Powell, D. Heilman, E. Field, A. Barnett, A. Reid, 10/10. No. 4, Trophy: 1st, A. Reid, 17/17; 2nd, D. Toshack, 18/19; F/M., K. Reid, 14/15. No. 5, 10 pr. D.R. Sweep: T. Powell, H. Wright, A. Lanham, 18/20.

Once again the Cowra Club met under ideal weather conditions, with visitors from Parkes, Grenfell, Orange, Bathurst and Sydney.

Outstanding shooting was displayed by A. Reid of Grenfell, who won both the main trophies for the day, with H. Cox coming second in the first trophy and D. Toshack out-shooting D. Heilman in a shoot-off for second place in the second trophy. K. Reid shot well to take off both the front-marker trophies. Congratulations to these chaps. The final event, a sweep with 8 single barrels and 7 continental targets, proved a challenge to the shooters, to end a good day's shooting.

(Janice G. Wood, Hon. Sec.)

DALBY (Qld.), 23/1/69. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 15-tgt. D.B.: 1st, C. Alexander; 2nd, J. Beer. No. 2, 10-tgt. S.B.: 1st, R. Reid; 2nd, N. Shand. No. 3, 15-tgt. D.B.: 1st, C. McLennan; 2nd, A. Thornton. High Gun: J. Ross, 44/45.

Fine weather and a pleasing increase in attendance, with visitors from Condamine, Toowoomba, Kingaroy and Dalby.

Afternoon tea provided by the ladies combined to produce a pleasant afternoon's shooting, during which fine results were recorded. Congratulations to High Gun winner, John Ross.

(Ashley T. Smith, Hon. Sec.)

DARKAN (W.A.), 9/3/69.—Weather conditions: fine; gusty wind. Attendance: 13. Results: 30-tgt. S.B.: 1st, I. Gibson, 25/30; A. Holmes (won shoot-off from I. Flugge), 24/30, 2nd; 3rd, I. Flugge, 24/30; others: D. Ryall, 23/30; A. Rossi, 22/30; J. Oliver, 20/30; M. Gow, 19/30; G. Horley, 17/30.

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

DARKAN (W.A.), 23/3/69.—Weather conditions: fine, windy. Attendance: 5. Results: 20-tgt. D.B.: 1st, H. Gibbs, won shoot-off; J. Oliver, 14/20, 2nd; 3rd, T. Ryall, 13/20; 4th, J. Hogan, 12/20; I. Flugge, 7/20.

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

DARKAN (W.A.), 6/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine, mild. Attendance: 6. Results: 20-tgt. S.B.: 1st, J. Oliver, 17/20; equal 2nd, G. Pritchard, P. Doudle, C. Horley, 14/20; eq. 3rd, G. Horley; I. Flugge, 11/20.

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

DARKAN (W.A.), 20/4/69.—Weather conditions: fine, warm. Attendance: 7. Results: 20-tgt. S.B. Club C'ship (16 yds.): 1st, J. Oliver, 20/20; 2nd, I. Flugge, 18/20; 3rd, C. Horley, 17/20; others: P. Doudle, G. Horley, 14/20; J. Hogan, 12/20; H. Gibbs, 11/20.

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

DARWIN (N.T.), 13/4/69.—Weather conditions: hot and humid. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O.: Rigoni, Munt, Viney, Davis, Celenza, 5/5; Fish, Letzner, 4/5; Taylor, 1/5. No. 2, 30-tgt. S.B. (off handicap): Munt, 26/30; Rigoni, Davis, 25/30; Vincy, 24/30; Wyatt, 23/30; Celenza, 22/30; Taylor, 21/30; Letzner, Chiericoni, 20/30.

Barry Munt won the opt. sweepstake event with consistent shooting in the second half of the event.

It was pleasing to see the attendance improving, especially with the showing of five new shooters.

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

DERBY (W.A.), 30/3/69. — Weather conditions: fine and hot. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: I. Macfarlan, R. White, W. Ah Chee, 5/5; B. McQuade, P. Newton, G. Ah Chee, J. White, 4/5; M. Bell, D. Archer, 3/5. No. 2, 30-tgt. D.B.: P. Newton, 29/30; B. McQuade, I. Macfarlan, R. White, W. Ah Chee, 28/30; after 14-tgt. shoot-off for second place, B. McQuade took honours; M. Bell, D. Archer, 26/30; J. White, 24/30; G. Ah Chee, 22/30.

Despite the extreme weather conditions, we enjoyed some reasonably good shooting, with members becoming better as the day steamed on. Night shooting will be doubly appreciated when we begin.

(Judith White, Hon. Sec.)

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1st Sash & Trophy. 2nd & 3rd Trophies. High Gun over 3 events.

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Luncheon available.

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EAST COAST (Tas.), 13/4/69. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 8. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. T.O.: 4 poss., 6 shooters. No. 2, 10-tgt. P.D.: S. Bagdonis, N. Thorne, 30/30. No. 3, 5-tgt. S. Rise: 6 poss., 8 shooters. No. 4, 5-tgt. D. Rise: A. Tucker, B. Castle, 8/10. No. 5, 4 pr. Deauville Doubles: A. Tucker - J. Gray, 8/8.

We had quite an enjoyable day on 6/4/69, when East Coast Gun Club joined with other local clubs to organise a walkathon from Triabunna to the Gun Club grounds, where sporting events were held to raise money for Triabunna Sports Pavilion, to make a most successful day, thanking one and all for their help.

Sunday, 13/4/69, usual day for shoot. Weather conditions good. Small quantity of shooters turned up, but had quite an enjoyable afternoon.

(Basil G. Castle, Hon. Sec.)

ECHUCA (V.), 12/4/69. — Weather conditions: cool. Attendance: 38. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: 15 possibles. No. 2, Vic. State Walk-up C'ship: 1st, W. Attwood, 25/25; 2nd, K. Dobson, 24/25; 3rd, C. Williams, 24/25; 12-15 yds., R. Adamson, 17/20. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, R. Piastri, 45/45; 2nd, J. Pola, 44/45; 3rd, H. O'Connor, 40/41.

Congratulations to W. Attwood on winning the State Walk-up C'ship from local shooter K. Dobson. The Handicap event proved to be a win for another visitor, Rex Piastri, who also won the Petty Cup High Gun Trophy for the night.

This was our last night shoot until Sept., and we intend to hold shoots on the fourth Sunday of each month as well as our usual Sat. programmes, throughout the winter.

(R. Adamson, Hon. Sec.)

FOSTER (V.), 12/4/69. — Weather conditions: strong wind, showers. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 10-target P.D.: P. Barlow, G. Williams, M. Cripps, A. Cripps, I. Wushatsch, J. Green, equal, 30/30. No. 2, 20-tgt. S.B. C'ship: J. Green, 20/20, 1st; K. Brown, G. Williams, H. Logan, H. Pearson, 19/20 — shoot-off: H. Pearson, 59/60, 2nd; G. Williams, 3rd, 59/60. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. Sweep: G. Williams, B. Barlow, V. Dowel, P. Kuyer, M. Cripps, F. Hobson, J. Green, R. Martin, J. Hamblin, H. Pearson, equal, 10/10, div. sweep. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. Sweep Novelty (25 yds.): div. sweep, J. Green, G. Williams, R. Martin, 24/24.

Visitors came from Korumburra, Morwell, Yarram, Foster. Conditions windy. Congratulations to J. Green for winning the Corner Inlet and District S.B. C'ship outright.

Thank you, ladies, for the delicious afternoon tea. Thanks to all helpers during the afternoon.

(Dorothy Cripps, Hon. Sec.)

FRANKSTON (V.), 30/3/69. — Weather conditions: wet. Attendance: 42. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap 16 yds. Points (C.D.): J. Henwood, L. Swain, W. Stone, J. Rodgers, A. McDonald, N. Miller, div. No. 2, Club 20-tgt. D.B. C'ship: 1st, G. Farrar; 2nd, W. Stone; 3rd, J. Henwood. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap Pts.: C. A. Oke, M. Pescott, R. Fox, div.

Bad conditions affected the attendance for the Club D.B. C'ship on Sunday, Mar. 30th. However, the shooting was good and the club was pleased to welcome a number of tried and proved shooters, including G. Biggs, A. Tye, W. Abbott. The championship was won by Geoff Farrar with 51/51; runner-up, W. Stone, followed by B. J. Henwood.

The club is conducting an aggregate High Gun shot over a period of three months, the first of which has been won by Noel Miller. The next will begin at the shoot on April 20th. The automatic trap, designed and manufactured by President Geoff Wickes, is proving very good.

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

FRANKSTON (V.), 12/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 38. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap Pts. (C.D.): F. Allen, G. Shepherd, div. 1st and 2nd; G. Wickes, H. Retallick, div. 3rd. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, D. Hands; 2nd, G. Wickes; 3rd, R. Allen. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap (5 16 yds., 5 24 yds.): L. Swain, I. Evans, B. Oke, div.

Not a good attendance, but some excellent shooting. It was a popular win, the main event. Dave Hands, shooting extremely well, gained the honours: President Geoff Wickes runner-up, and Roy Allen, third, pressing him all the way.

The new trap is acting very well, as was expected, and members and visitors can look forward to some good shooting.

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

FRANKSTON (V.), 27/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 53. Results: No. 1, 10 tgts., 16 yds., C.D. (5 D.B., 5 S.B.): D. Milner, L. Mitchell, M. Miller, G. Wickes, L. Swain, G. Shepherd, R. Miller, R. Evans, A. Tie, I. Evans, R. Allen, div. No. 2, Club 25 Mixed Tgts. C'ship: 1st, G. Shepherd; 2nd, W. Stone; 3rd, L. Cairns. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B. H'cap: L. Swain, G. Boswell, div.

The Club Mixed Tgts. C'ship, held on Sunday, April 27th, was well attended and conditions were ideal for shooting. Outright winner was Geo. Shepherd with 24/25; Bill Stone runner-up, 23/25, and the shoot-off for third place went to Lance Cairns with 42/42. Others to shoot well and take the third event (10-tgt. S.B.) were Geoff. Boswell and Lloyd Swain.

The club was pleased to see many tried and proven shooters in attendance.

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

GANMAIN (N.S.W.), 12/4/69. — Weather conditions: clear, bright. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B.: 13 div. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B.: F. Thompson, B. Rooke, D. Allen, J. Graham, A. Sheather, P. Hayman, L. Graham, J., R., and W. Podmore. No. 3, Trophy: B. Rooke, F. Thompson, E. Vincent.

A good roll-up and a calm autumn day made for good shooting. Barney Rooke took our trophy with 57/57; a new shooter, F. Thompson of Andletham, 2nd, 56/57, and E. Vincent, 3rd, dropping out at 55.

Mrs. Hector Plane drew our ladies' prize.

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

GEELONG (V.), 2/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine and mild. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1, 15-tgt. E.O.: R. O'Donnell, D. Holmes, J. Long, B. Kent, A. Wembridge, 15/15, div. No. 2, 20-tgt. Trophy H'cap: 1st, D. Holmes, 41/41; 2nd, I. Dickins, 40/41; 3rd, M. Rayner, 39/40; 12-14 yds., J. Foster, 15-17 yds., M. Howell; 18-20 yds., M. Sutherland; 21-23 yds., R. Bath; 24-27 yds., R. Green. No. 3, 20-tgt. Graded H'cap: Class 1, R. Green, 20/20; Class 2, R. Bath,

20/20; Class 3, R. Jorgenson, 38/38; Class 4, D. Holmes, 46/46; Class 5, M. Rayner, 18/20.

Perfect weather saw 40 shooters attend this handicap day, especially arranged for the local front-mark shooter, and some fine shooting was witnessed. D. Holmes, 102/102, without missing a target all day, was the best effort, and Don was only a 16 yd. shooter. Other good efforts were put up by R. Green and R. Bath, both shooting 20/20 off 25 yds. and 22 yds. respectively.

All shooters in Geelong are looking forward to the beginning of night skeet shooting in May on the third Friday nights.

(A. Wembridge.)

GEELONG (V.), 12/4/69. — Weather conditions: rain, then calm and mild. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O. C.D. Pts.: A. James, B. Wembridge, T. Zagorc, H. Walker, J. Walls, 30/30, div. No. 2, City of Geelong D.B. C'ship: 1st, A. James, 41/41; 2nd, J. Walls, 40/40; 3rd, T. Zagorc, 39/40. No. 3, City of Geelong S.B. Sparrow C'ship: 1st, A. James, 19/20; 2nd, J. Walls, 18/20; 3rd, W. Attwood, 20/24. No. 4, Trophy H'cap: 1st, H. Walker, 34/34; 2nd, I. Dickins, 33/34; 3rd, D. Holmes, 32/33. No. 5, 10-tgt. S/S. H'cap Pts.: T. Zagorc, P. Rayner, 10/10, div.

Rain early in the evening kept entrants down; however, conditions improved and shooters enjoyed plenty of shooting. Alf James was in fine form as usual and won both championships without apparent effort, followed in both events by Jim Walls, who is also shooting well.

Young Geelong shooter Phil Rayner looks like following in his dad's footsteps, as after trapping most of the night he shot in the last event and gained a cut after using only one second barrel for the event — fine shooting for a schoolboy.

(A. Wembridge.)

GEELONG (V.), 19/4/69. — Weather conditions: calm and overcast (ideal for shooting). Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, Half-round Skeet E.O.: N. Wenning, K. Robinson, A. Wembridge, J. Hawke, div. No. 2, City of Geelong Skeet C'ship: 1st, M. Millar, 24/25; 2nd, K. Robinson, 26/29; 3rd, R. Fallshaw, 24/29. No. 3, Skeet Trophy H'cap: 1st, J. J. Hehir, 50/50; 2nd, M. Millar, 49/50; 3rd, K. M. Robinson, 24/25.

A small field of shooters enjoyed ideal conditions in the club's first full Skeet programme. Local members surprised themselves when they gained placings against experienced skeet shooters and are looking forward to the next skeet day.

Special thanks is expressed by the club to Mick Millar and Roy Fallshaw for their help in running the shoot and coaching shooters new to skeet shooting.

(A. Wembridge.)

GEELONG (V.), 25/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine and mild. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: 1st, I. Dickins, 30/30; 2nd, D. Holmes, 29/30; N. Wenning, G. Hall, 29/30, div. No. 2, City of Geelong S.B. C'ship: 1st, M. McGarigle, 20/20; 2nd, D. Holmes, 25/26; 3rd, R. Bath, 24/26; F/M., G. Hall, 13/20. No. 3, City of Geelong D'ville Doubles C'ship: 1st, D. Holmes - K. Rankin, 65/66; 2nd, R. Green - G. Hall, 64/66. No. 4, S'stake H'cap: R. Wiffen, R. Bath, 21/21, div.

Local shooters did well to win both championships, Morrie McGarigle breaking a long drought with his win in the S.B., while Keith Rankin and Don Holmes had a battle on their hands to dislodge Gordon Hall and Ron Green in the D'ville Doubles after 66 pairs of targets.

(A. Wembridge.)

GERALDTON (W.A.), 23/3/69. — Weather conditions: windy. Attendance: 10. Results: No. 1, 20 pr. D'ville Doubles: 1st, E. Gartner - M. Hatch, 20/20; 2nd, J. Bailey - H. Finlay, 18/20. No. 2, 5 pr. D. Rise: 1st, H. Finlay, 10/10; 2nd, R. Burton, 8/10. No. 3, 5 pr. D. Rise: E. Gartner, R. Burton, 9/10.

With windy weather and a low attendance of 10 shooters owing to seasonal conditions, the Geraldton Club's main event was 20 pr. D'ville Doubles. E. Gartner and M. Hatch won the event outright with the possible 20/20; runners-up, J. Bailey and H. Finlay, 18/20. No. 2 event, 5 pr. D. Rise: H. Finlay walked in, 10/10, with R. Burton 8/10. No. 3 event, again 5 pr. D. Rise: E. Gartner and R. Burton tied with 9/10 each.

(H. L. Bailey, Hon. Sec.)

GERALDTON (W.A.), 6/4/69. — Weather conditions: very windy. Attendance: 13. Results: 50-tgt. Skeet: 1st, A. Ferrio, 50/50; 2nd, J. Boyes, 49/50.

In very windy conditions at Geraldton on April 6th, 13 shooters competed for 50-tgt. Skeet. This would be the worst day for shooting for some considerable time. A. Ferrio was the outright winner with 50/50, and J. Boyes runner-up, 49/50. A very good effort by both shooters.

The ladies supplied the usual excellent afternoon tea.

(H. L. Bailey, Hon. Sec.)

GOLD COAST (Qld.), 12/4/69 (Night). — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 10 prs. D. Rise S'stakes: 1st, W. Maddocks, 19/20; 2nd and 3rd, div. C. Milburn, K. Bamberry, I. Bamberry, 18/20. No. 2, State D. Rise Night C'ship: 1st, C. Whitney, 30/30; 2nd, C. Ferguson, 27/30; 3rd, L. Hasted, 26/30. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. S'stakes: div. with 8 possibles — C. Milburn, K. Bamberry, R. Hogarth, I. Bamberry, B. Mackey, A. Marstella, C. Whitney, B. Norris.

Twenty-one shooters attended in perfect conditions. Cliff Whitney was in good form to win the D'ville Doubles Night C'ship with the possible 30/30 — good shooting. A visitor in W. Maddocks of Wyarama Club (N.S.W.), shooting off 27 yards, took the first sweepstakes event with the creditable score of 19/20, and in the last event eight shooters divided with possibles.

(J. Westcott, Hon. Sec.)

GOLD COAST (Qld.), 13/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine and hot. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 15-tgt. D.B. S'stakes: div. with 7 possibles — J. Farrow, T. Soames, C. Milburn, K. Bamberry, I. Bamberry, C. Whitney, W. Stephens. No. 2, Club D'ville Doubles C'ship: 1st, K. Bamberry - I. Bamberry, 42/42; 2nd, A. Marstella - F. Lang, 41/42; 3rd, C. Milburn - H. Carne, 38/39. No. 3, 15-tgt. D.B. Pts. S'stakes: 1st, R. Porter, 45/45; 2nd and 3rd, div. R. Hogarth, B. Deignan, 44/45. No. 4, 15-tgt. D.B. Trophy: 1st, I. Bamberry, 27/27; 2nd, L. Ardron, 26/27; 3rd, A. Marstella, 20/21. No. 5, 10-tgt. S.B. S'stakes: div. K. Bamberry, R. Porter, W. Stephens, C. Culley, 9/10. No. 6, 5 prs. D. Rise S'stakes: div. R. Hogarth, I. Bamberry, R. Porter, W. Stephens, 10/10.

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EPPING, VIC. (Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

SATURDAY, JUNE 14

Commencing 1 p.m.

8 PAIR DEAUVILLE DOUBLES

Metropolitan Deauville Doubles C'ship

Trophies and Sashes for First Pair. Trophies, Second Pair.

Metropolitan Double Rise C'ship

Trophy and Sash for First; Trophies Second, Third. 12/14, 15/16 yds.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING. **SKEET.**

SATURDAY, JUNE 28

Commencing 1 p.m.

15 TARGETS POINTS CASH

Club Intermediate D.B. Sparrows C'ship

First, Sash and Trophy. Trophies Second and Third.
Shot in conjunction with:

Club D.B. Sparrows C'ship

Trophies First (and Sash), Second, Third, 12/14, 15/16 yds.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING. **SKEET.**

The Committee reserves the right to alter Programmes without notice.

SATURDAY, SHOOTS START AT 1 P.M.

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E. COLAUTTI, Assistant Secretary.

BARCALDINE
GUN CLUB (Q.) •• *(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)*

ANNUAL SHOOT

SATURDAY, 12th JULY, 1969 — Start 9 a.m.

Event 1 —

FIVE TARGET EYE-OPENER SPARROWS
Nomination 50c — Compulsory Division

Event 2 —

QUEENSLAND SPARROWS MIXED TARGETS C'SHIP
Nomination $4.00 — Optional Sweepstakes 50c each group of targets

Event 3 —

QUEENSLAND SPARROWS DOUBLE RISE C'SHIP
Nomination $4.00 — Optional Sweepstakes 50c on each 5 Pairs

Event 4 —

CENTRAL QUEENSLAND S.B. CHAMPIONSHIP
Nomination $3.00 — Optional Sweepstakes 50c each 10 Targets

Event 5 —

PRESIDENT'S TROPHY
30 TARGETS DOUBLE BARREL, POINTS 3 AND 2, OFF HANDICAP
First, Second, Third and Best Front Marker Trophies.
Nomination $6.00 — Optional Sweepstakes 50c each 10 Targets.

SUNDAY, 13th JULY, 1969 — Start 9 a.m.

One Target Eye-Opener at commencement of First Event

Event 1 —

20 TARGET SINGLE-BARREL SWEEPSTAKES
Nomination $2.00.

Event 2 —

ALICE RIVER CHALLENGE TROPHY
30 TARGETS DOUBLE BARREL, POINTS 3 AND 2, FROM 16 YARDS
Each team to comprise 5 Shooters. Top four scores to count.
Nomination $4.00 per shooter. Opt. Sweepstakes 50c each 10 targets.
HIGH GUN OVER EVENT

Event 3 —

AMMUNITION HANDICAP VALUED AT $400
30 TARGETS DOUBLE BARREL
First, Second, Third and Yardage Prizes. Nomination $14.00.

High Gun Trophy over Advertised Programme. Kills to Count.
Shooting Practice 4 p.m. Friday, 11th July.
Cartridges and Refreshments available on grounds.

CLUB BARBECUE ON GROUNDS SATURDAY NIGHT, 12th JULY.
Motel and Hotel accommodation available — apply Hon. Secretary.
THREE DAMO ELECTRIC TRAPS

The Committee reserves the right to alter the Programme if considered necessary and to add extra events time permitting.

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"Dunraven",
Barcaldine, 4725.
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MELBOURNE GUN CLUB (VIC.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Presents its ANNUAL

Winchester Day

in aid of

MELBOURNE JUNIOR LEGACY

Trophies — Shooting Equipment to the value of $1,250.00

have been donated by WINCHESTER WESTERN AUSTRALIA PTY. LTD.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY, MONDAY, 16th JUNE, 1969

at the Club Grounds — VICTORIA ROAD, LILYDALE

. . . SHOOT TO COMMENCE AT 9.30 A.M. SHARP . . .

Event 1 — **15 TGTS. POINTS DECISION. Comp. Division.** Off Handicap Marks.

Nomination $2.00. :: **Trophy: 1,000 WINCHESTER WESTERN DOUBLE AA CARTRIDGES.**

Event 2 —

The WINCHESTER HANDICAP of 30 TARGETS D.B.

Nomination $10.00.

First Prize: MODEL 101 WINCHESTER O/U TRAP GUN and 1 case AA Cartridges.

Second Prize: 1,250 WINCHESTER AA CARTRIDGES. :: Third Prize: 750 WINCHESTER AA CARTRIDGES.

Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth and Tenth each of 250 WINCHESTER AA CARTRIDGES.

Yardage Prizes: Five Trophies each of 250 Winchester AA Cartridges for 12-14, 15-16, 17-18, 19-21, 22 and over.

Event 3 —

The LEGACY SHIELD TEAMS' SHOOT

For Teams of five Shooters. :: Nomination: FREE to COMPETITORS in EVENT 2.

To be shot in conjunction with the **WINCHESTER WESTERN HANDICAP. Trophy: 1,000 WINCHESTER AA Cartridges.**

— WINNING TEAM TO HOLD THE LEGACY SHIELD FOR THE ENSUING YEAR —

SKEET . . .

WINCHESTER SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

GRADED: 0-2, 3-5, 6-10. Handicap groups — Nomination $5.00

1st Prize each group 1 case Winchester Skeet Shells.
2nd Prize each group ½ case Winchester Skeet Shells.
3rd Prize each group ¼ case Winchester Skeet Shells.
SASH DONATED FOR HIGH GUN.

FURTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

A GRAND SHOOT FOR A GRAND CAUSE

Barbecue Facilities and Hot Water provided. Steak, Chops and Afternoon Tea may be purchased. Ammunition available.

R. W. FOX, President. 86-8440. — PETER JOSS, Hon. Secretary. 842-1504.

ST. GEORGE GUN CLUB (Qld)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

(2 DAMO TRAPS)

5th & 6th July, 1969

COMMONWEALTH DOUBLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

AND

SOUTHERN QUEENSLAND DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP AND SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

SATURDAY, 5th JULY

Commencing at 9.30 a.m.

First Event —

10 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL EYE-OPENER

Compulsory Divide. Nomination $1.

Second Event —

SOUTHERN QUEENSLAND DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

20 Targets from 16 Yards. Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd; also Best 12/13 Yarder. Sash for Winner. Nomination $3.

Third Event —

SOUTHERN QUEENSLAND SINGLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

20 Targets from 16 Yards. Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd; also Best 12/13 Yarder. Sash for Winner. Nomination $3.

Fourth Event —

I.C.I. TROPHY — 20 TARGETS POINT SCORE

Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Nomination $4.

Shooters and friends will be entertained on Saturday Night at a Banquet, where a Calcutta will be conducted on the $200 Handicap.

SUNDAY, 6th JULY

Commencing at 9.30 a.m.

First Event —

10 PAIR DOUBLE RISE EYE-OPENER

Compulsory Divide. Nomination $2.

Second Event —

COMMONWEALTH DOUBLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

20 Pairs from 16 Yards. Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd; also Best 12/13 Yarder. Sash for Winner. Nomination $5.

Third Event —

$200 CARTRIDGE HANDICAP — 40 TARGETS

$10 to Best 12/13 Yarder. Nomination $8.

TROPHY FOR HIGH GUN ON ADVERTISED PROGRAMME
TROPHY FOR INTERMEDIATE HIGH GUN

Optional Sweeps 50c on each Round of 10 Targets excluding $200 Handicap

LUNCHEON PROVIDED ON THE GROUNDS

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

President: H. T. SIDDINS, The Terrace, Phone 380

Secretary: A. J. Sutton, P.O. Box 88, Phone 88.

MELBOURNE GUN CLUB (V)

(FORMERLY LILYDALE CLUB)

Victoria Road, Lilydale. Affiliated A.C.T.A. 4 Auto Traps and Skeet.
Practice Commences 11.30 a.m. Programme Commences 1.30 p.m.

SATURDAY JUNE 7th

CROYDON & DISTRICT DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

20 PAIRS OFF 20 YARDS Nomination $3.00

20 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP
TROPHIES: 1st, 2nd, 3rd 12-14, 15-17, 18-21, 22-27.
Nomination $4.00

SATURDAY JUNE 14th Nomination $3.00

CLUB WALK-UP CHAMPIONSHIP

(Counts Towards Club Aggregate)

CLUB INTERMEDIATE SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

In conjunction COLDSTREAM S.-B. CHAMPIONSHIP
Nomination $3.00

MONDAY JUNE 16th

WINCHESTER — LEGACY SHOOT

(See Separate Advertisement)

SATURDAY JUNE 21st Nomination $3.00

YERING & DISTRICT INTER. SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

In conjunction LILYDALE S.-B. CHAMPIONSHIP

20 TARGETS D.-B. HANDICAP
1st & 2nd Trophies in Yardage Groups
12-14 yds., 15-17 yds., 18-21 yds. & 22-27 yds
Nomination $4.00

SATURDAY JUNE 28th

CLUB DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMP'SHIP.

(Unrestricted) Nomination $3.00

COLDSTREAM DOUBLE RISE CHAMPIONSHIP
Nomination $3.00

DAILY: **SKEET HANDICAPS, C.D.; EYE-OPENER, C.D.**
SKEET AGGREGATE — 7th & 21st JUNE.

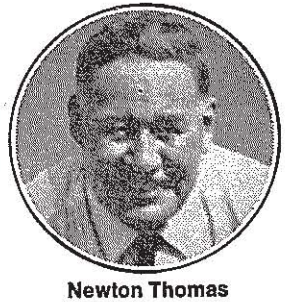
President: R. W. FOX 86-8440

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

AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET RECORD

Newton Thomas, Jim Anderson and ICI Cartridges

544 TARGETS



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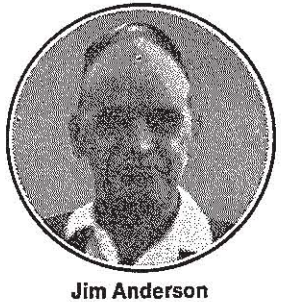

Jim Anderson

Congratulations to Newton Thomas and Jim Anderson on setting a new Australian Clay Target record at Lilydale on January 11th by shooting 544 targets. ICI Hi-Skor and Blue Star Plastic cartridges played a dominant part in the setting of this new record.

Look at these figures by Newton Thomas using ICI Cartridges.

- Jan. 1st, Geelong (Vic.) — 35/35
- Jan. 11th, Lilydale (Vic.) — 544/544 — New Australian Record.
- Jan. 18th-19th, Gold Coast (Qld.) 5 target eye-opener 5/5

Annual Bauman Gold Cup Event 140/140 2nd day 34/34
Total for three consecutive shoots — 758/758

Step up to efficiency and quality with

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VICTORIAN GUN CLUB (V)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

– JUNE PROGRAMME 1969 –

Wednesday Night, 4th, 7.30 p.m.
ALTONA DISTRICT NIGHT DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP
Sashes and Trophies

Saturday, 7th, 1.45 p.m.
FOOTSCRAY DISTRICT SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP
CLUB DOUBLE-BARREL SPARROWS CHAMPIONSHIP
Sashes and Trophies

Wednesday Night, 11th, 7.30 p.m.
20 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP
Cash Division

Wednesday Night, 18th, 7.30 p.m.
ALTONA DISTRICT NIGHT WALK-UP CHAMPIONSHIP
Sash and Trophies

Saturday, 21st, 1.45 p.m.
CLUB TOWER CHAMPIONSHIP
Sash and Trophies
20 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP
Cash Division

Wednesday Night, 25th, 7.30 p.m.
20 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL GRADED HANDICAP
Trophies for Winners of each Group

Wednesday Night, 2nd JULY, 7.30 p.m.
FOOTSCRAY DISTRICT NIGHT DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP
Sashes and Trophies. (DRAWN PARTNERS)

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

Note: The Victorian Gun Club has purchased a Winchester White Flyer Electric Trap, a set of Quartz Iodine Flood-lights, and will shortly have two Electric Traps available for Night Shoots. As well as these improvements, two new Toilet Blocks have been erected at the Club.

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GRIFFITH GUN CLUB (N.S.W.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

SATURDAY & SUNDAY, 14th & 15th JUNE, 1969

1ST DAY, Commencing 10 a.m.

Event 1 — **10 TARGET DOUBLE-BARREL SPARROWS**
Off 16 YARDS. Nomination $1.20

Event 2 —
RIVERINA DOUBLE-BARREL SPARROW CHAMP'SHIP
1st Sash and Trophy, 2nd and 3rd and Best 12-14 yds. Trophies.
Optional Sweep $1. Nomination $3.00

Event 3 — **$100 HANDICAP**
20 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL
Optional Sweep $1. Nomination $4.00

Event 4 —
CENTRAL RIVERINA SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP
1st Sash and Trophy, 2nd and 3rd and Best 12-14 yard Trophies.
Optional Sweep $1. Nomination $3.00

SUNDAY, Commencing 10 a.m.

Event 5 —
10 TARGET DOUBLE-BARREL SPARROW
Nomination $1.20

Event 6 —
RIVERINA SINGLE-BARREL SPARROW CHAMPIONSHIP
1st Sash and Trohpy, 2nd and 3rd and Best 12-14 yard Trophies.
Optional Sweep $1. Nomination $3.00

Event 7 — **$450 TROPHY HANDICAP**
20 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL
Nomination $10. Op. Sweep $1. 1st Trophy $270, 2nd $120, 3rd $60.

Event 8 —
N.S.W. MIXED TARGETS SPARROW CHAMPIONSHIP
1st Sash and Trohpy, 2nd and 3rd and Best 12-14 yard Trophies.
Optional Sweep $1. Nomination $4.00

Other Events time permitting. **High Gun Trophy over Events 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8.**
MEALS, REFRESHMENTS, CARTRIDGES AVAILABLE ON GROUND.

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K. H. SIM, Secretary
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BRISBANE GUN CLUB (Qld)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.) — 5 ELECTRIC TRAPS — MT. PETRIE ROAD, BELMONT (on Queensland Rifle Association area)

SHOW WEEK SHOOT and QUEENSLAND TEAM SHOOT

AUGUST 9th, 10th, 13th, 16th, 17th

SATURDAY, 9th AUGUST, 1969, 9.30 a.m.

Event 1—**The Vice-President's Trophy**

20 Target D.B. Handicap. Nom. $3.00

Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd and best 12 to 15 yards.
Optional sweep 50c each 10 targets.

Event 2—**The Brisbane Exhibition S.B. Championship**

20 Target from 16 yards. Nom. $3.00

Sash and Trophy 1st, Trophy 2nd, 3rd, and best to 15 yards.
Optional sweep 50c each 10 targets.

Event 3—**The Winchester Western Trophy Event**

30 Target D.B. Handicap. Nom. $5.00

Trophy (donated by Winchester), 1st, Trophies 2nd, 3rd, best 12 to 15 yards.
Optional sweep 50c each 10 targets.

Event 4—**The George Shaw Sports Store Trophy Event**

20 Target D.B. Points Handicap. Nom. $3.00

Trophy (donated by George Shaw's) 1st, Trophies 2nd, 3rd, best 12 to 15 yards.
Optional sweep 50c each 10 targets.

DINNER AND CALCUTTA AT SHANGRI-LA AT 6.30 p.m.
SHOOTERS AND FRIENDS INVITED

SUNDAY, 10th AUGUST, 9.30 a.m.

Event 1—**The Brisbane Exhibition D.B. Championship**

20 Target D.B. from 16 yards. Nom. $3.00

Sash and Trophy 1st, Trophy 2nd, 3rd, and best 12 to 15 yards.
Optional sweep 50c each 10 targets.

Event 2—**$500 Value Calcutta Handicap**

50 Target D.B. Handicap. Nom. $12.00

Divided $200 for each 25 Targets and $100 overall 50 targets.

Event 3—**The I.C.I. Trophy**

20 Target D.B. Points Handicap. Nom. $3.00

Trophy (donated by I.C.I.) 1st, Trophy 2nd, 3rd and best 12 to 15 yards.
Optional sweep 50c each 10 targets.

Event 4—**The President's Trophy**

20 Target D.B. Handicap. Nom. $3.00

Trophy (donated by President) 1st, Trophy 2nd, 3rd and best 12 to 15 yards.
Optional sweep 50c each 10 targets.

WEDNESDAY, 13th AUGUST, 1969, 9.30 a.m.

Event 1—**The Queensland Team Elimination Event**

30 Target D.B. from 18 yards. Nom. $5.00

At least $100 sweepstakes to be divided by all shooters shooting the possible or who have the highest scores.
Optional sweep 50c each 15 targets.

Interstate Shooters eligible to shoot this event for sweepstakes.

Event 2—**The Queensland Team Shoot**

50 Target D.B. from 18 yards

Event 3—**The South-East Queensland D.B. Championship**

20 Target D.B. from 16 yards. Nom. $3.00

Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd and best 12 to 15 yards.
Sash for winner.

Optional sweep 50c each 10 targets.

Event 4—**The Committee Trophy**

20 Target D.B. Handicap. Nom. $3.00

Trophy (donated by Committee of Brisbane Gun Club), 1st, Trophies 2nd, 3rd and best 12 to 15 yards.

Optional sweep 50c each 10 targets.

SATURDAY, 16th AUGUST, 1969, 10.30 a.m.

Queensland Sparrow Skeet Championship. Nom. $4.00

Handicap Events. Time permitting.

SUNDAY, 17th AUGUST, 1969, 9.30 a.m.

Queensland Skeet Championship. Nom. $4.00

Handicap Events. Time permitting.

High Gun Trophies over entire programme excepting Event 2 on Wednesday and Skeet Events.

Open High Gun Trophy donated by Robinson's Sports Store.
Intermediate High Gun Trophy for 12-16 yards.

High Gun Sashes donated by Bill Attwood (Victoria)

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Stirling NEWS

IMPROVEMENTS There have been many recent refinements including new type firing pins with a proven life of over 100,000 shots.

F. GRODE Increased supplies of this remarkably attractive model are now arriving. Retail price $345.

BROADRIB SKEET The delivery is about 2 months on this very superior skeet gun — winner of the 1969 Commonwealth Skeet.

FAMILY GUN The Stirling 20 gauge O/U is ideal for family participation. Call and inspect.

CONGRATULATIONS Illawarra gun club in winning 1st and 2nd places in the coveted Breda Shield at Hay. 9 of the 10 team members used Stirling Miroku's the tenth a Breda O/U.

CORRECTION Alf James won 58 championships not 54 in 1968 with his Stirling Broadrib.

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CONDAMINE GUN CLUB (Qld.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

ANNUAL SHOOT - 1969

10 A.M. SHARP

28th June

Event 1 —

5 TARGET EYE-OPENER

Event 2 —

Condamine Bell Double-barrel Champ.

20 Targets. Off 16 Yds.

Event 3 —

$200 CONDAMINE DOUBLE-BARREL MEDLEY SPARROWS.

To be divided $50 per Yardage — 12-15, 16-19, 20-23, 24-27 yds.

Barbecue at GOLDEN FLEECE. Calcutta to be drawn on Event 3 on 29th JUNE.

9.30 A.M. SHARP

29th JUNE

Event 1 —

5 TARGET EYE-OPENER

Event 2 —

Condamine Bell Single-barrel Champ.

20 Targets. Off 16 Yds.

Event 3 —

$500 VALUE HANDICAP 60 TARGET DOUBLE-BARREL

Calcutta on this Event

Event 4 —

PRESIDENT'S TROPHY 20 TARGETS. POINTS

1st $160 Trophy

Trophies 2nd and 3rd.

President: E. L. JENKINS, Phone Condamine 72

Secretary: Mrs. N. BEETON, Phone Condamine 22.

Twenty-five shooters attended in good weather conditions for an attractive programme of six events. The principal event, the D'ville Doubles Club C'ship, went to Keith and Ian Bamberry after a three-way shoot-off, with a well shot 42/42. The day's Trophy event (15-tgt. D.B.) saw Ian again a winner with 27/27 after a shoot-off with Len Ardron and Aub. Marstella. Four sweepstakes events saw the money well spread, Ron Porter earning just enough to attract attention to his handicap. High Gun over Sat. and Sun. programmes was won by Cliff Whitney.

Catering for the day's outing was in the capable hands of our ladies. Our thanks to them and to Cam for his ever vigilant care of our recently installed refrigeration plant.

(J. Westcott, Hon. Sec.)

GRENFELL (N.S.W.), 13/4/69—A perfect day greeted the 34 shooters who attended the first Championship shoot of the re-formed Grenfell Gun Club. Visiting shooters came from Tullamore, Wyalong, Cowra, Parkes and Bathurst, with local shooters present in force. Results: 10-tgt. 16 yds. E.O.: B. McAneney, B. Williamson, G. Wright, J. Watts, L. Williams, H. Wilder, H. Anderson, G. Pipe, A. Munck, T. Knight, L. Goodacre, L. Alexander, H. Jaques, A. Martens, M. Barr, C. Anderson, M. Maley. Mid-Western Dist. D.B. C'ship: M. Barr, 1st; B. McAneney, 2nd; H. Wilder, 3rd; A. Munck, F/M. 10-tgt. Handicap Sweep: T. Powell, B. Williams, G. Wright, J. Watts, H. Wilder, H. Anderson, W. Birch, R. Shaw, R. Shearwin, T. Knight, L. Goodacre, A. Martens, A. Barnes, M. Barr, C. Anderson, E. Rushton. 15-tgt. H'cap Trophy: M. Barr, 1st; C. Anderson, 2nd; R. Shaw, F/M.

Mr. Alwyn Shearer aged 83, Jeffrey Hollywood aged 11, at South Australian Gun Club Skeet Championship, 2.2.1969. (Note: As dates of birth records are not supplied it is difficult to establish the very oldest or the very youngest shooters in the Commonwealth).

High Gun on the day was won by Grenfell shooter, M. Barr, with 157/157. The most improved shooter on the day was R. Shaw, another local shooter.

The club congratulates all winners, and extends its thanks to all members and visitors who supported this shoot.

(Mina Thorn-Clarke, Hon. Sec.)

GRIFFITH (N.S.W.), 29/3/69. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 51. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. (off 16 yds.): 21 div. — E. Vincent, G. Finch, L. Foley, C. Taylor, I. Smith, D. Allen, K. Sim, D. Lucas, W. Podmore, K. Oldfield, S. Bell, H. Anderson, L. Booth, H. Gibbs, R. Williams, D. Gibbs, T. Broso, T. Salafia, J. Bone, E. Whytcross, D. Ratcliffe. No. 2, Riverina D.B. C'ship: 1st, D. Gibbs, 132/132; 2nd, T. Salafia, 166/167; 3rd, G. Finch, 165/167. No. 3, $100.00 H'cap: 8 div. — G. Finch, D. Rooke, H. Hillery, R. Podmore, S. Bell, R. Williams, D. Gibbs, M. Weymouth. No. 4, 4 pr. D'ville Doubles: 30 shooters div. No. 5, Riverina D'ville Doubles C'ship: 1st, K. Trembath - S. Trembath, 43/43 pr.; 2nd, T. Salafia - T. Broso, 42/43 pr.

A perfect day for shooting after so much wet weather, no wind and no clouds. A good attendance of shooters, with visitors from Hay, Wagga, Cootamundra, Coleambally, Barellan, Rankins Springs, Andlethan and Junee.

Shooting was of a fairly high standard, the D.B. C'ship going to 132/132, with Daryl Gibbs the winner. The Handicap was divided by eight shooters, and the Deauville Doubles came to a most popular conclusion when father and son, Stan and Kevin Trembath, out-stayed the field to win their first championship.

Congratulations and many thanks to the ladies for the most enjoyable luncheon. And many thanks to all shooters who attended.

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

GUNNEDAH (N.S.W.), 6/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine and hot. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: G. Hopper, Rod Brady, D. Thompson, C. Herbert, S. McMaster, V. Eather, R. Simson, K. Morris, E. Nott, M. Cochrane, S. Richardson, T. Mirow, R. Parker, 10/10. No. 2, 10 sparrows D.B.: S. Richardson, R. Parker, 10/10. No. 3, 10 pr. D. Rise: C. Herbert, 19/20; K. Morris, D. Smith, 18/20. No. 4, 10 rise D'ville Triplets: F. Wise - M. Cochrane, 9/10; J. McCulloch - C. Herbert, 7/10.

A very enjoyable day of shooting, with shooters from Tamworth, Bundella, Narrabri, Boggabri and Coonabarabran. Thirteen shooters out of a field of 26 shot the possible in the eye-opener, but only two shooters, S. Richardson and R. Parker, shot 10/10 in the Sparrow event. C. Herbert shot very well to take out the D. Rise event with a score of 19/20, only losing the last target. The D'ville Triplets (two clays and a sparrow thrown together) proved more difficult than most shooters realised and the scores ranged from 3/10 to 9/10, with M. Cochrane and F. Wise the winning pair. Congratulations go to R. Parker for winning the High Gun, and to S. Richardson for winning the Intermediate High Gun in a shoot-off with E. Saunders.

(Ron Simson, Hon. Sec.)

GUYRA (N.S.W.), 29/3/69.—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 38. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. Stone Trophy: D. Williams, D. Lockyer, P. Moffatt, I. Reid, A. McClenaghan, M. Mitchell, H. Williamson, R. Varley, C. Fenwicke, B. Duff, H. Campion, D. Macansh, K. Starr, D. Grills, 10/10. No. 2, 20-tgt. S.B. Club Trophy: C. Varley, I. Reid, B. Blomfield, H. Williamson, K. Starr, 20/20 — shoot-off: 1st, H. Williamson; 2nd, K. Starr. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. (18 yds.): D. Curtis, B. Brazier, C. Varley, M. Campion, P. Reid, B. Blomfield, E. Redman, H. Williamson, R. Varley, M. Thrift, B. Duff, H. Campion, D. Cunninghame, D. Ellis, M. Kane, V. Mackson, F. Dutton, 10/10. No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise: P. Moffatt, N. Campion, K. Starr, D. Grills, F. Starr, 10/10. No. 5, Novelty Event: F. Dutton, H. Williamson, C. Fenwicke, 8/10; F/M., D. Beesley. High Gun: H. Williamson.

Congratulations to Herb. Williamson for High Gun over the programme, and also club trophy win. We were also pleased to see Don Beesley and Frank Dutton hit top form.

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

GUYRA (N.S.W.), 19/4/69.—Weather conditions: wet and cold. Attendance: 39. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. Stone Trophy: C. Coldham, H. Campion, P. Moffatt, H. Williamson, A. McClenaghan, A. Gregan, D. Ellis, R. Fulloon, K. Starr, B. Brazier, 10/10. No. 2, 20-tgt. Pts. Club Trophy: A. Cregan, M. Thrift, 60/60; A. McClenaghan, D. Ellis, I. Reid, G. White, 59/60 — won by M. Thrift on shoot-off. No. 3, 20-tgt. D.B. (18 yds.): C. Bloxsome, P. Moffatt, H. Williamson, A. McClenaghan, C. Varley, N. Campion, K. Starr, I. Reid, B. Blomfield, B. Duff, V. Mackson, 20/20; F/M., B. Presnell. No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise: C. Coldham, V. Mackson, 10/10; N. Campion, P. Moffatt, H. Campion, Mrs. S. Blomfield, 9/10. F/M.: Mrs. B. Blomfield. High Gun: H. Campion.

The afternoon's shooting was spoiled to some extent by the rain, hail and very windy conditions. We were fortunate to have such a good attendance, considering the conditions.

The Stone Trophy for the past 12 months was won today by our senior member, H. Campion — congratulations, Bert. The club trophy was won by M. Thrift, who out-lasted our President, Athol Gregan, in the shoot-off. The most excited shooter on the ground was Mrs. B. Blomfield, who won the front-marker trophy and added another yard to her handicap. This follows a yard won at Ballandean earlier this month. Good work, Shan.

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

HAMILTON (V.), 15/3/69.—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 48. Results: No. 1, I.C.I. Shield Team Shoot: 1st, South East; 2nd, Wimmera; 3rd, Western District. No. 2, $200.00 H'cap S'stake: 16 shooters div. with possibles, 15/15. No. 3, 10-tgt. H'cap S'stake: 11 shooters div. with possibles, 10/10.

Results I.C.I. Shield Team shoot. Teams from Western District (Vic.), South East (S.A.) and Wimmera (Vic.). South East was the winning team with the score of 296/300; 2nd, Wimmera, 295/300; 3rd, Western, 289/300. $200.00 Handicap shoot: 16 shooters divided with possibles, 15/15. Shooting conditions were good, and the South East shooters proved best over the day.

Local Girl Guides' Assoc. catered for this event, their first big effort, and excellent results were obtained. Shooters appreciate I.C.I. donation of this trophy shield.

(K. Ilsley, Hon. Sec.)

HAMILTON (V.), 26/3/69 (Night shoot). — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O. (C.D.): 10 shooters div., 5/5. No. 2, 10-tgt. H'cap D.B. Trophies: 1st, T. Linke, 32/32; 2nd, I. Christie, 31/32; 3rd, B. Guy, 41/42; two F/M. trophies: B. Warburton, 9/10; C. Rundell, 6/10. No. 3, 10-tgt. H'cap S'stake: 4 shooters div., 10/10. No. 4, 5-tgt. S'stake Novelty event (off 27 yds.): 2 shooters div., 5/5.

Shooters from Myamyn, Tyrendarra, Nareen. All shooters won the event when the ladies from the Girl Guides' Assoc. put on supper.

(K. Ilsley, Hon. Sec.)

HAMILTON (V.), 19/4/69.—Weather conditons: good. Afternoon shoot. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O. (C.D.): 9 shooters with possibles, 5/5. No. 2, 15-tgt. H'cap D.B. Trophies: 5 shooters qualified with results as follows: 1st, H. Smith, 36/36; 2nd, J. Arnold, 35/36; 3rd, A. Edgar, 30/31; F/M., P. Neyland, 22/23. No. 3, 10-tgt. H'cap D.B. S'stake: 12 shooters qualified, 10/10. No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise H'cap: I. Christie, A. Edgar, 10/10.

(K. Ilsley, Hon. Sec.)

HAMILTON (V.), 19/4/69.—Weather conditions: good. Night shoot. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 4 pr. D.D. Sparrow E.O. (C.D.): 4 pairs qualified, 4/4. No. 2, Commonwealth Night D.D. Sparrow C'ship: 1st, M. Sullivan - P. Telford, 15/20 prs.; 2nd, A. James - W. Attwood, 14/20 prs. No. 3, 15-tgt. Clay H'cap S'stake: L. Reicha, C. Crawford, D. Mayfield, 15/15.

Shooters from Melbourne, Warrnambool, Macarthur, Myamyn, Tyrendarra, Mt. Gambier, Noorat clubs. The little white sparrows tried the shooters to the best of their abilities, but some could shoot the possible.

Ladies from the local Girl Guides did the afternoon tea and supper, and all shooters won with it.

Our President thanked all shooters for attending, and particularly those who travelled from Melbourne and long distances. Bill Attwood was unfortunate to run second in two Commonwealth shoots in the one day.

(K. Ilsley, Hon. Sec.)

HAY (N.S.W.), 5/4/69. — Weather conditions: sunny, slight N.W. breeze. Results: No. 1, $200.00 H'cap (113 shooters): D. Suter, H. Anderson, S. Trembath, A. F. Drake, D. Palk, A. Kneeling, E. Lace, N. Thomas, M. Valentine, K. Perkins, J. Ellis, I. Josephs, D. Bruce, D. Smith, J. Hughes, F. Fyers, J. Henwood, R. Poore, 20/20, div. No. 2, Hay Dist. D.B. C'ship (130 shooters): 1st, W. Williams, 127/127; 2nd, H. Fyers, 126/127; 3rd, J. Headon, 95/96; F/M., G. Anderson, 21/22. No. 3, $2.00 S'stake (115 shooters): 25 shot possible. No. 4, "Budgewah" H'cap (99 shooters): possibles — R. Wakefield, G. Kocks, B. Palk, A. Kneeling, J. Ellis, I. Josephs, G. Edwards, Max Gibson, E. Hand, E. Lace, A. Pocock, D. Suter, D. Drinkwater, R. G. Mitchell, J. Hughes, T. Cox, J. Reid, R. Henwood. The sash for this event was won by B. Palk, 55/55.

The club enjoyed perfect weather conditions for its 14th "Easter Gift" shooting carnival and good fields contested each event. Melbourne shooter W. Williams became the first man to win the Hay Dist. D.B. C'ship twice when he shot brilliantly to oust one of the New Zealanders in H. Fyers. B. Palk (Illawarra) won the "Budgewah" sash from a field of 18 possibles.

The Breda Shield, shot in conjunction with the first event, was won by the Illawarra Gun Club team of K. McCloy, B. Palk, A. Palk, O. Kneeling and P. Lace with a score of 95/100; three other clubs were close on the Illawarra Club's heels with a score of 94/100.

High Gun: B. Palk (Illawarra), 103/105. Intermediate High Gun: J. Ellis (Berrigan), 43/45.

(H. Cox, Hon. Sec.)

HAY (N.S.W.), 7/4/69. — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 157. Results: No. 1, "Easter Gift" (30 tgts.) (157 shooters): 26 possibles — H. Fyers, F. Fyers, W. McGrath, R. Williams, J. Harding, M. Moorehead, R. Hatcher, J. Worley, K. Reid, T. Baldi, J. Salter, M. Lyons, Mrs. G. Daley, K. Turner, R. Cullen, E. Scherger, T. Nixon, T. Cox, D. Drinkwater, D. Gibbs, H. Gibbs, J. Piastri, K. Williams, R. Maso, P. Frasini, J. Frasini; 1st, F. Fyers (N.Z.), 134/135. Yardage prizes, Easter Gift: 12 yds., L. McGrath; 13 yds., K. Reid; 14 yds., M. Moorehead; 15 yds., T. Nixon; 16 yds., J. Harding; 17 yds., J. Worley; 18 yds., R. Maso; 19 yds., K. Williams; 20 yds., M. Lyons; 21 yds., H. Gibbs; 22 yds., H. Fyers; 23 yds., T. Salafia, E. Hand; 24 yds., N. Milliken, M. Nalder, W. Henwood; 25 yds., D. Lucas; 26 yds., B. Williams; 27 yds., F. Crawford. No. 2, Hay Dist. S.B. C'ship (20 tgts.) (116 shooters): 1st, R. Wakefield, 46/46; 2nd, L. Swain, 45/46; 3rd, D. Lucas, 41/42; F/M. trophy, J. Carver, 17/20.

On Monday history was made when Frank Fyers won his second Easter Gift. Frank was very lucky to win this one, as J. Harding of Melbourne only had to shoot his 131st target to win, but he let Frank in, who made no mistake on his 134th target. Congratulations must go to Mrs. Gary Daly on being the first woman shooter to shoot the possible in the "Gift". It is also the first time that the "Gift" has been won by a shooter not shooting the possible.

Congratulations to Ron Wakefield on winning the S.B. C'ship; this was decided in conditions that nearly called for the lights and white clays.

(H. Cox, Hon. Sec.)

HAWKESBURY (N.S.W.), 5/4/69.—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: C. Catsanis, W. Charlton, E. Hawkins, R. Lumb, I. Clisdell, M. Quirk, W. Thurlow. 25/25. No. 2, 25-tgt. Skeet Trophy: 1st, E. Hawkins, 62/62; 2nd, M. Quirk, 61/62; 3rd, R. Snow, 57/58. No. 3, Les English Trophy: J. Thatcher.

Ernie Hawkins won the Trophy event with 62/62 from scratch, shooting a break of 90 over the programme — a new State record. Morrie Quirk was second and Dick Snow third. The Les English Trophy was won by John Thatcher.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

HAWKESBURY (N.S.W.), 22/3/69.—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: J. Rawlinson, N. Rogley, Birdsall, E. Crouch, W. Charlton, C. Mackaness, B. Wilson, K. Soames, A. Romanello, L. Crema, 10/10. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. Trophy: 1st, C. Tickle, 39/39; 2nd, K. Williams, 38/39; 3rd, L. Crema, 37/39. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. Sparrows (16 yds.): A. Hayes, A. Stubbs, E. Crouch, W. Charlton, C. Tickle, K. Williams, G. Kable, L. Crema, 10/10. No. 4, Hawk. Dist. D.B. Sparrows C'ship: 1st, G. Kable, 39/39; 2nd, K. Soames, 38/39; 3rd, W. Charlton, 28/29; F/M., A. Wright. No. 5, 10 prs. D. Rise: J. Rawlinson, N. Rogley, A. Hayes, J. Thatcher, L. Crema, 17/20.

Night. — South Pacific S.B. Night C'ship: 1st, I. Clisdell, 22/23; 2nd, V. Banovich, 21/23; 3rd, W. Charlton, 20/23; F/M., R. Satara.

The Trophy event went to Cec. Tickle, with Keith Williams second and Len Crema third. Geoff. Kable was too good in the Sparrows C'ship, winning the shoot-off from Keith Soames and Warren Charlton; best front-marker was Arthur Wright.

The Night C'ship did not produce a possible — Ian Clisdell winning from Val Banovich; Warren Charlton again third, and Ron Satara winning the front-markers' trophy.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

HOBART (Tas.), 29/3/69. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. Sweep: A. W. Behrens, N. Thorn, T. Newman, K. Hendry, D. Taylor, L. Richardson, N. Arnol, 10/10, div. No. 2, Club Intermediate C'ship: 1st, R. Wills, 16/16; 2nd, R. Young, 15/16; 3rd, K. Hendry. No. 3, Club Skeet C'ship: 1st, P. Marshall, 24/25; 2nd, D. Taylor, 23/25; 3rd, S. Marshall, 23/25. No. 4, 8 pr. Deauville Doubles (partners drawn): 1st, D. Taylor - A. Sutherland, 20/20; 2nd, P. Marshall - K. Hendry, 19/20.

(E. Marshall, Hon. Sec.)

HOBART (Tas.), 26/4/69. — Weather conditions: overcast, but fine. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, Half-round of Skeet: S. Marshall, D. Taylor, G. Richardson. No. 2, Tasmanian Skeet C'ship: S. Marshall, 25/25; P. Marshall, 44/45; D. Taylor, 43/45. No. 3, Skeet Team: S. Marshall, P. Marshall, D. Taylor, D. Burton, M. Blake. No. 4, 10-tgt. F/M.: T. Benson, 1st; L. Barlow, 2nd. No. 5, 10-tgt. Sweep H'cap: G. Richardson, P. Thurley, M. Burgess, K. Littlejohn, A. W. Behrens, R. Ward, S. Bagdonas, div. No. 6, 10-tgt. Trophy: P. Thurley, 1st, 29/29; K. Littlejohn, 2nd, 28/29. No. 7, 8 pr. D'ville Doubles: A. W. Behrens - K. Littlejohn, 12/12, 1st; S. Marshall - M. Burgess, 11/12, 2nd.

Congratulations to the five shooters on making the State Skeet Team, with special congratulations to front-marker D. Burton of Launceston in making the State Skeet Team.

A special welcome was made to the new shooters, of whom we will see more, due to fine efforts put up by them.

Special mention must go to Reg Ward for his outstanding performance of 8 straight with his new gun.

(Mrs. J. Arnol, Hon. Sec.)

HORSHAM (V.), 12/4/69. — Weather conditions: showery. Attendance: 34. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. H'cap: C. Budde, I. McLeod, A. Gordon, C. Nuske, E. Smith, A. Facchin, J. Blythman, A. Dumesny, W. Oliver, G. Stanes, P. Scott, Rob Scott, 5/5. No. 2, 10-tgt. Trophy H'cap: 1st, Rob Scott, 23/23; 2nd, P. Scott, 22/23; 3rd, L. Gibson, 24/25. No. 3, 10-tgt. H'cap: C. Budde, H. Cook, N. Hinneberg, E. Smith, J. Blythman, G. Stanes, 10/10. No. 4, Miss-out (off 27 yds.): S. Fraser, L. Gibson, N. Stewart, 7/7.

A good attendance for our shoot held in aid of Wimmera Legacy, thanks to the visiting shooters, some who travelled quite a long distance. Once again the Callawadda boys proved too good for the opposition, taking the three placings in the trophy shoot. Congratulations to them, particularly the young Scott brothers. These lads look like featuring in many more wins.

Mr. Fred Graham represented Legacy and made the presentations of the trophies. Our thanks to Winchester Western, who donated a case of cartridges for trophies; also to anyone who helped run the shoot, not forgetting our ladies, who as usual supplied a very tasty afternoon tea.

(Bert Robinson, Hon. Sec.)

ILLAWARRA (N.S.W.), 13/4/69—Weather conditions: ideal, warm with little wind. Attendance: 83. Results: No. 1, Mick Smith Shield: Sutton Forrest, 279/300; N.S.W. 2, 277/300; N.S.W., 276/300; High Gun Trophy, T. Crouch, 60/60. No. 2, S.B. Club C'ship: E. Hawkins (Hawkesbury), 46/46; K. McCloy (Illawarra), 45/46; K. Williams (Bankstown), 38/39; F/M., T. Crouch (Ill'ra) 37/38. No. 3, Wollongong Dist. Night D.B. C'ship: R. Hayes (Ill'ra), 94/94; E. Hawkins (Hawkesbury), 93/94; J. Arkwright (Ill'ra), 30/31; F/M., D. Maher (Braidwood), 23/25.

It seemed all over bar the prize giving when, late in the programme for the Mick Smith Shield, the team from little Sutton Forest went out to shoot. When they came back the shield was theirs and everyone was delighted; the win was a most popular one and definitely in the best of the David and Goliath tradition. Amazingly there was only one possible, Ted Crouch (Illawarra), who qualified for the High Gun trophy.

Gale McCloy, of the Illawarra ladies' team, showed up most of the men to shoot 59/60—which must have stung her husband into action, for he later duelled mightily with E. Hawkins to get second place in the S.B. C'ship. This event started a day event and finished under lights.

Bad news for many straight shooters: Roy Hayes is back in form! Roy has admitted suffering a prolonged spell of "trigger-freeze", but this wasn't evident when, in the Wollongong Dist. D.B. Night C'ship, he shot it out with E. Hawkins to score 94 under lights. Secretary John Arkwright, to his own and everybody else's delight, secured third place, with Braidwood's Don Maher as front-marker.

(Doug. Brown, Publicity.)

IPSWICH (Qld.), 5/4/69. — Weather conditions: slightly windy. Attendance: 29. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: 14 div. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. Pts. S'stake: W. Stevens, N. Johnston. No. 3, 20-tgt. S.B. West Moreton Dist. C'ship: D. Smith, 21/21; W. Stevens, 20/21; T. Soames, 30/31. No. 4, 20-tgt. D.B.

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QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY

MONDAY, JUNE 16th, 1969

Commencing 12.30 p.m.

Event 1 — **5 TARGETS EYE-OPENER**

Competition Divided. Nomination $1. 16 yards.

Event 2 —

WARRACKNABEAL & DISTRICT DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

20 Targets. 16 yards. Nomination $3.00. Optional Sweep 50 cents each 5 Targets. 1st Sash and Trophy. 2nd and 3rd Trophies.

Event 3 — **$100 HANDICAP**

10 Tgts. Handicap Mark. Nomination $5. Op. Sweep each 5 Tgts.

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H'cap Trophy: R. Porter, 22/22; G. Stevens, 21/22. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise S'stake: C. Cammerilli, T. Soames, G. Stevens, J. Herman, 9/10. No. 6, Skeet S/S. H'cap: D. Smith, 25; P. Scaroni, 25 plus 3; G. Mawer, 24 plus 2; G. Stevens, 25; R. Hogarth, 25. No. 7, Skeet W/M. Dist. C'ship: W. Stevens, 61/61; D. Smith, 60/61; W. Samootin, 36/37. No. 8, Skeet H'cap S/S.: W. Stevens 25, D. Smith 25.

A good day for shooting, especially for our President, Bill Stevens, who shot an unfinished skeet break of 131. He was closely followed by another excellent shooter, Doug. Smith of the Brisbane Club, who went on to win the West Moreton S.B. C'ship, with Bill running second to him in this event. Congratulations to these shooters for a very good effort.

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

KATANNING (W.A.). — The first skeet shoot was held at this club last Sunday. Nineteen attended. Sunny day, with no wind. The High Gun was won by T. Cusack, 19/25 plus 23/25 equals 42/50; G. Anderson, 2nd, 17/25 plus 24/25 equals 41/50; R. Anderson, 3rd, 21/25 plus 18/25 equals 39/50.

With handicap results, N. Rae finished first with 52; his handicap was 7, but after 19/25 plus 19/25 it has been altered to 6. 19/25 plus 19/25, it has been attended to 6. J. Battersby was second with 50, and G. Anderson third with 47.

(R. Filmer, Sec.)

KATANNING (W.A.)—Katanning held its opening shoot on April 13. Weather: fine, sunny day. Attendance: 27. Results: 20-tgt. D.B., 10-tgt. S.B.: 1st, A. Holmes, 49/50 (F.M.); R. Anderson, 46/50 (B/M.). A. Holmes, R. Anderson had a shoot-off to decide the outright winner, A. Holmes winning. 10 prs. D.D.: R. Anderson - Greg Downer, 19/19; there was also a shoot-off to decide the winner of this event. The visitors' trophy was won by: 1st, K. Schinzig; 2nd, C. Smith.

(R. Filmer, Sec.)

KERANG (V.), 14/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine and cold. Attendance: 18. Results Night shoot: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B.: N. Nalder, M. Nalder, M. Tate, W. Makeham, J. McCurdy, B. Vincent, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird Pts.: N. Nalder, J. McCurdy, A. Richmond, J. Fagan, 15/15. No. 3, 5 D.B., 5 S.B.: Trophies: N. Nalder, 1st; A. Walker, 2nd; M. Tate, 3rd; J. Fagan, F/M.; Sweep: N. Nalder, A. Walker, M. Tate, J. Fagan, div. No. 4, 10 sparrows D.B.: C. Radcliffe, A. Kerr, C. Bowman, 9/10. No. 5, 10-tgt. D.B.: F. James, J. Fagan, 10/10; C. Radcliffe, A. Walker, M. Tate, J. McCurdy, A. Richmond, 9/10.

Final night shoot for the 1968/69 season conducted under extremely cold conditions. Quite appropriate that the place-getters in the trophy event were the four Black and White Minstrels.

Twenty shoots conducted during the season with an average attendance of 28 shooters.

(R. Alister Walker, Hon. Sec.)

KOJONUP (W.A.), 20/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 20-tgt. D.B.: A. Holmes, G. Anderson, 20/20; R. Anderson, R. Manolini, C. Marsh, K. Schinzig, A. E. Warburton, 19/20. No. 2, 15-tgt. S.B.: A. Cusack, G. Downer, W. Pedrick, 51/15.

After a brief shoot-off with A. R. Cusack, A. Holmes won the trophy and high-gun spoon for the day's event with a score of 36/38.

(R. O. Hawkins, Hon. Sec.)

KORUMBURRA (V.), 26/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. S.B. E.O.: M. Kenny, C. Hadden, K. Brown, N. Dowel, G. Breman, F. Buchan, 10/10. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap Pts.: 1st, C. Hadden, 48/48; 2nd, Morris Kenny, 47/48; 3rd, C. Breman, 77/78. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B. H'cap: 1st, T. Gill, 19/19; 2nd, R. Frank, 18/19; 3rd, B. Kurrle, 17/19.

In very pleasant conditions there was a good turn-up of shooters. Congratulations to all winners. Three shooters, Morris Kenny, C. Hadden and G. Breman, were place-getters in two events. The third event was shot out by three front-markers. The novelty shoot was divided between Morris Kenny, K. Brown and T. Cripps. Heartiest congratulations to J. Green and J. Hamblin, two local shooters, who qualified for the State team.

(M. Hamblin, Hon. Sec.)

LISMORE (N.S.W.), 12/4/69 (Night). — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. E.O. H'cap: Darcy Powell, Dick Powell, R. Shepherd, J. Tainsh, Bill Wilson, 15/15. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: Darcy Powell, L. Frederiksen, G. Pringle, J. Tainsh, R. Shepherd, Bill Wilson, J. Bell, Dick Powell, D. Worrall, F. Hoskins, Dick Leadbeater, 10/10. No. 3, 10 pr. D. Rise H'cap Trophy: 1st, Bill Anderson, 28/30; 2nd, Dick Powell, 27/30. No. 4, 10 prs. D'ville Doubles H'cap Trophy: 1st, Bill Wilson - Dick Powell, 28/28 prs.; 2nd, J. Tainsh - P. Powell, 27/28 prs.

The shoot was preceded by the Annual Meeting, which saw the offices of Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer change hands. Lindsay Roach and Geoff Pringle reluctantly stepped into the breach to become, respectively, Secretary and Treasurer. Lloyd Frederiksen was elected as Equipment Officer. The burden of new offices proved too much, and the trophy winners were the workers without titles. Bill Anderson called in on his way home from the hospital, borrowed a gun, and showed us how to shoot double rise. Dick Powell reproduced his usual good form to take two trophies, dropping only one bird through the programme.

D. Worrall went bad again, possibly due to the relief at losing the secretary-treasurership. Reluctant resignation was brought about by his impending departure for Canada.

Mrs. R. J. Powell prepared an attractive supper — thanks again, Margaret!

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

LISMORE (N.S.W.), 27/4/69. — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. E.O. H'cap: L. Roach, J. Farrow, F. Hoskins, Bill Wilson, C. J. Lee, Bill Devonshire, G. Pringle, K. Stanton, D. Mount, P. Powell, D. Worrall, Darcy Powell, Dick Powell, L. Frederiksen, 15/15. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: D. Leadbeater, L. Roach, G. Pringle, D. Worrall, J. Lynam, G. Lynam, Darcy Powell, J. Bell, J. Farrow, K. Stanton, D. Mount, Dick Powell, P. Powell, Bill Wilson, D. Ethell, G. Ethell, F. Hoskins, B. Anderson, S. Anderson, 10/10. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B. H'cap: G. Pringle, K. Stanton, O. Webb, B. Anderson, S. Anderson, 10/10. No. 4, 25 Mixed Birds H'cap Trophy: 1st, O. Webb, 35/35; 2nd, Dick Powell, 42/43; best 12-15 ydr., J. Bell, 41/43.

No. 5, 10 pr. D'ville Doubles: D. Mount - D. Powell, L. Roach - W. Anderson, D. Ethell - R. Powell, O. Webb - W. Devonshire, K. Stanton - D. Leadbeater, J. Farrow - D. Worrall, G. Lynam - J. Bell, J. Lynam - R. Powell, J. Tainsh - W. Wilson. High Gun: F. Hoskins, 49/50.

Perfect weather for shooting encouraged a good roll-up of visitors and members, and the club was pleased to give a welcome to Owen and Mrs. Webb (Sydney), John Farren (Burleigh Heads) and Jack Gerrard and Mrs. Lynam of Ballandean. It was good, too, to have Clarrie and Mrs. Lee back on the grounds again.

Only Owen Webb as equal to the possible in the main event. Congrats., Owen, on your good shooting. Four shooters scored 34/35 and the shoot-off was "sudden death", with Lindsay Roach falling on the first pair, and Fred Hoskins and Jim Bell on the 4th pairs. Dick Powell's 2nd trophy made three for the last two shoots. Fred Hoskins, however, was our most consistent shot.

The President made a presentation of the club's second Life Membership, plus a wallet and notes to David Worrall, who has retired after seven years as Secretary-Treasurer, and is leaving for Canada on May 4th.

A special afternoon tea was prepared by all members, and Mrs. R. J. and D. S. Powell in particular.

(L. Roach, Hon. Sec.)

MACARTHUR (V.), 5/4/69—Weather conditions: fine and mild. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 5 sparrows (18 yds.): M. Sullivan, H. Smith, J. Hall, R. Millard, 5/5. No. 2, Vic. State S.B. Sparrow C'ship: 1st, M. Sullivan, 28/30; 2nd, W. Abbott, 28/32; 3rd, P. Telford, 27/32; F/M., R. Trigger, 30/39. No. 3, 10 clay H'cap: L. Rundell, G. Sharrock, T. Minton, P. Telford, T. Linke, J. Hall, P. Lamond, R. Trigger, C. Crawford, R. Millard, 10/10, div. No. 4, 5 clay S. Rise: M. Sullivan, H. Vaughan, P. Telford, T. Linke, J. Hall, W. Abbott, I. Christie, C. Crawford, 5/5, div. No. 5, Miss-out off 27 yds.: P. Telford.

Visiting shooters came from as far away as Werribee and Mt. Gambier. Local President, M. Sullivan, won the State title from Werribee President, Bill Abbott, with Peter Telford from Mt. Gambier third. Another visitor, Tom Minton, from the Australian Gun Club, was also with us and suggested the silent-rise novelty event, which was enjoyed by all.

Trappers Ian Tieman and Wes Thomas did a splendid job with the trap, and the ladies provided the usual good afternoon tea.

(R. Trigger, Hon. Sec.)

MANSFIELD (V.), 19/4/69. — Weather conditions: cold, windy. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: div. K. Newman, G. Gibson, L. Parks, L. Singleton, C. Leatham, L. Tremayne, L. Shallard. No. 2, 10-tgt. Trophy: 1st, K. Newman, 60/60; 2nd, L. Singleton, 59/60; 3rd, S. Singleton, 42/43; F/M., G. Gibson. No. 3, 10-tgt. S'stakes: div. G. Gibson, S. Singleton, L. Parks, L. Shallard, L. Singleton, K. Newman.

Although shooting conditions were not good, we saw some very good shooting at our monthly shoot. Congratulations to Ken Newman (Mansfield), who shot exceptionally well to get a 75 break, and also to Lance Singleton (Euroa), 50 break.

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

MANNUM (S.A.), 6/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine, ideal. Attendance: 31. Results: No. 1, President's Trophy: 1st, L. Hollywood, 27/27; 2nd, D. Brown, 26/27; 3rd, C. Maczkowiack, 20/21. No. 2, Lower Murray D.B. C'ship (16 yds.): 1st, R. Jarmyn, 77/78; 2nd, D. Brown, 76/77; 3rd, R. Mules, 73/74; Intermediate badge, I. Bell, 46/47. No. 3, 10 tgts. off H'cap: C. Hollywood, L. Hollywood, 10/10.

With the country looking like early spring, following the early rains, and ideal weather conditions for shooting, a crowd of 31 attended Mannum for the President's Trophy and Lower Murray D.B. C'ship. The Hollywood boys showed good concentration even when shooting in shoot-offs against experienced men and L. Hollywood emerged the winner from D. Brown and C. Maczkowiack.

In the Lower Murray D.B. C'ship 13 scored the possible from 30 shooters. This is believed to be a record for this club. Once again we were to see one of the young Hollywoods figuring in a shoot-off, this time it being C. Hollywood, who remained until only five were left. Fine shooting saw R. Jarmyn run out winner with 77/78. Congratulations to all winners and runners-up. Thanks also, ladies, for afternoon tea.

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

MARYBOROUGH (V.), 18/4/69.—Weather conditions: wet. Attendance: 17. No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: P. Hurse, D. Robinson, A. Lock, D. Howden, H. Doran. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts.: N. Curnow, 1st; P. Ross, 2nd; B. Raffety, F/M. No. 3, 5-tgt. D.B.: K. Walsh, D. Robinson, equal 1st.

With weather conditions very adverse, we were lucky to get 17 shooters at our April meeting. We were pleased Neil Curnow won the Points event — only shooter to get the possible. Phil Ross wasn't far behind with 29 points, and at long last Bryan Raffety has won the front-marker. It's good to see so many new shooters coming along who are turning in good scores.

We have had our annual meeting and a new President and office-bearers were elected. Don Robinson President, Gordon Colman Vice-President, and Henry Doran Secretary. We are looking forward to another good year with these enthusiastic club leaders.

(E. M. Robinson, Pub. Officer)

MERSEY (Tas.), 19/4/69. — Weather conditions: very windy. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, Novice 5-tgt. D.B.: 1st, div. F. Bitzner, J. Hoare, 5/5. No. 2, 3 prs. D. Rise: 1st, K. Lowry, 6/6; 2nd, A. Hudson, E. Johnson, R. Wills, L. Geale, 5/6. No. 3, Club D. Rise C'ship: 1st, R. Wills, 30/40; 2nd, G. Crosswell, 29/40; 3rd, K. Lowry, 17/21; F/M., D. Cox, 14/20. No. 4, D. Doubles: 1st, div. A. Hudson - W. Geale, E. Johnson - J. Hoare, 6/6. No. 5, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, div. E. Johnson, A. Hudson, A. Rumble, Lee Geale, 15/15. No. 6, 10-tgt. S.B.: 1st, div. A. Hudson, E. Johnson, 10/10.

Saturday's windy conditions did not hamper the good roll-up of shooters. After some splendid shooting, visiting shooter R. Wills won the Club C'ship — congratulations. The club was pleased to see so many new shooters; those who shot exceptionally well were Lee Geale and John Hoare. Congratulations to A. Hudson, who figured in nearly every event. Front-marker shoot to visitor D. Cox.

Many thanks to our women's committee for the splendid afternoon tea.

(G. Matthews, Hon. Sec.)

MELBOURNE (V.), 8/3/69—Weather conditions: fine and sunny. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O. (C.D.): B. Ireland, L. Baxter, R. Mitchell, S. Henwood. No. 2, Tyro D.B. C'ship: D. Bruce, 30/30, 1st; D. Roberts, 29/30; H. Williamson, 22/23. No. 3, Club Autumn D.B. C'ship Pts.: J. Paul, 1st; J. Middleton, 2nd; S. Henwood, 3rd. No. 4, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap: R. Mitchell, V. Bidstrup, L. Baxter, J. Paul, J. Reiznicks, G. Dryden, J. Stewart, L. Mitchell, G. J. Jones, D. Roberts, B. Douglas. No. 5, Skeet No. 1 (C.D.): J. Middleton, D. Germaine, L. Mitchell. No. 6, Skeet No. 2 (C.D.): M. Millar, D. O'Callaghan.

Considering that the nationals are being held in Geelong this week, today's attendance of 40 shooters was most encouraging. The new Winchester trap provided good shooting today, and we can look forward to some good competition in future.

Skeet proved popular, and with only a small number in attendance, a good many rounds were shot.

(D. Harnetty, Asst. Sec.)

MELBOURNE (V.), 15/3/69. — Commonwealth Skeet C'ship–Sparrows: 1st, G. Biggs, 48/50; 2nd. M. Thornton, 50/54; 3rd, M. Miller, 48/53. Australian Skeet C'ship: 1st, M. Landers, 59/60; 2nd, De Lorenzo, 58/60; 3rd, M. Thornton, 52/54. Metropolitan D.B. C'ship: 1st, B. Williams, 31/31; 2nd, W. Williams, 30/31; 3rd. S. Stevens, 27/28. Metropolitan Inter. D.B. C'ship: 1st, H. Williamson, 29/30; 2nd, D. Brown, 28/30; 3rd. N. White, 29/31; 12-14 yds., D. Bruce, 28/31. 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap: C. McLoughlin, K. Priestley, I. Stewart, R. Henwood, 20/20, div.

Today's attendance was 50. Weather conditions: mild. Unfortunately today's programme clashed with Australian Club's final shoot before going into recess, consequently our attendance was low for a major shoot.

Congratulations to Merv. Landers on being the first winner of the Australian Skeet C'ship — a new event initiated by Melbourne G.C. skeet shooters.

George Biggs, new Victorian A.C.T.A. representative and club committeeman, added another Commonwealth sash to his ever-growing collection by breaking 48/50 in the Commonwealth Skeet Sparrows.

The Metro. D.B. C'ship turned out to be a family affair, with Brian Williams the winner and father Bill Williams runner-up. Hugh Williamson was delighted to win his first sash in the Metro. D.B. Inter. C'ship.

(P. Joss, Sec.)

MELBOURNE (V.), 22/3/69. — Weather conditions: fine and sunny. Attendance: 70. Results: No. 1, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap Teams Shoot: W. Lonie, 31/31; J. Boote, 30/31; J. Wardell, 27/28. No. 2, Coldstream D.B. C'ship: J. Henwood, 98/98; H. Wademan, 97/98; W. Dalzell, 92/93. No. 3, Coldstream D.B. Inter. C'ship: 1st, R. Nicolson, 26/26; D. Germaine, 25/26; N. White, 24/25; 12-14 yds., K. Priestley, 20/21. No. 4, Skeet 1 (C.D.): L. Benvenuto, B. Roberts, F. Thatcher, L. Mitchell, D. O'Callaghan, D. Thornton. No. 5, Skeet 2 (C.D.): D. Thornton, N. White, L. Turner, B. Roberts, W. Dalzell, L. Mitchell.

An excellent day's shooting was enjoyed by members of Melbourne, Euroa and Alexandra at the three-ways team shoot. We are very pleased to keep up old Croydon-Lilydale associations, and the teams, as usual, fought the result out with great keenness.

The benefits of all-electric traps were experienced for the first time at a big meeting here, and with the installation of a further "white flier" next week, the last of our manual traps, today unused, will be replaced.

Once the clubhouse is finished, as it will shortly be, Melbourne G.C. will have as fine a range of facilities as are available in Victoria.

(D. Harnetty, Asst. Sec.)

MELBOURNE (V.), 29/3/69.—Yarra Glen S.B. C'ship: 1st, R. Ferres, 48/48; 2nd, R. Maybury, 47/48; 3rd, W. Williams, 25/26. Yarra Glen Inter. S.B. C'ship: 1st, L. Patterson, 23/24; 2nd, D. Kauffman, 22/24; 3rd, V. De Pietro, 27/29; 12-14 yds., K. Priestley, 17/20. Yarra Glen D.B. C'ship: 1st, L. Mitchell, 43/43; 2nd, R. Thornton, 42/43; 3rd, A. F. Drake, 107/109. Yarra Glenn Inter. D.B. C'ship: 1st, G. Dryden, 25/25; 2nd, K. Priestley, 24/25; 3rd, N. White, 78/79. Yarra Glen Skeet C'ship: A Grade (0-2): R. Thornton, 31/31; M. Landers, 30/31; B Grade (3-5): D. Germaine, 22/25; W. Henwood, 21/25; C Grade (6-10): D. Suter, 19/25; J. Stevens, 17/25. Club Champion of Champions: L. Mitchell, 93/97.

Weather: fine and mild. Attendance: 75. Congratulations to Lyle Mitchell on winning the coveted Club Champion of Champions title after a shoot-off with Des O'Callaghan and Bill Williams. Thanks to Des for donating the very handsome trophy.

Bob Ferres won the open section of the S.B. C'ship and Larry Patterson the Intermediate division. Congratulations to both boys.

Lyle Mitchell and George Dryden also deserve applause on winning the respective divisions of the Yarra Glen D.B. C'ship.

About 40 shooters contested the Skeet event, and Dick Thornton, Don Germaine and Doug. Suter from Wangaratta won their grades in this event.

A Skeet monthly High Gun now operates at this club, and skeet practice commences each Saturday at 11.30 a.m.

(P. Joss, Sec.)

MENDOORAN (N.S.W.), 5/4/69—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B.: G. Estens, W. Trethrowan, B. Walton, M. Haddrill, T. Parkinson, 5/5. No. 2, 5-tgt. S.B.: G. Blackman, R. Marchant, W. Trethrowan, B. Walton, M. Yeo, 5/5. No. 3, 10-tgt. Pts.: G. Blackman, 1st; M. Haddrill, 2nd. No. 4, 15-tgt. D.B.: G. Estens. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: B. Walton.

High Gun: B. Walton. 12-15 yd. High Gun: M. Haddrill.

(Michael Yeo, Hon. Sec.)

METROPOLITAN (V.). — On April 5 we had a diversified programme, catering for Tyros, Intermediates, back-markers and skeet shooters.

The Epping Intermediate D.B. C'ship was won in good style by Lal Mitchell, 21/21. Second was Bill Gresselle, 26/27; third, Alby Torr, 25/26, and the Back-markers' shot in conjunction: Bill Attwood, 57/57; Andy Tie, 56/57, and Fred Reade, 47/48.

The Epping Tyro D.B. C'ship proved a match between a father-and-son combination. Peter Vipond won the title with 41/41, downing his dad, Max, by one point. Nev. Whaley, 27/28, was third.

Des O'Callaghan, Laurie Patterson, Bruce Roberts, Graham White, Merv. Landers, N. Wenning cut the Skeet round.

Fred Reade got High Gun with 45/45.

Friday, April 11. Tom Spence scored another title event when he won the Northern Suburbs S.B. Night C'ship outright with 19/20. Second was Bill Williams, 18/21, and Fred Reade third.

Dan Jonge and John Hughes decided a 15 tgts. D.B. Handicap, 15/15, third place being cut by Lal Mitchell, Bill Williams, Lyle Mitchell, 14/15.

We enjoyed the company of two New Zealand visitors in John Hughes and Norm Howson, who were accompanied by their wives. All enjoyed themselves.

The main attraction on **April 19** was the Victorian State D.B. C'ship. It was unfortunate that this meeting clashed with a Commonwealth title event at Sebastopol. However, about 65 shooters took part during the day.

Five shooters divided a 15 tgts. Points Eye-opener, and all was set for the Championship. This proved a very good event. The winner was country shooter Vin Ryan with the splendid score of 111/111. Graham Ash was a little unlucky to miss at 110/111. Max Vipond, 72/73, finished in third place. The 12-14 yds. trophy was won by Mario Dipietrantonio, 29/30. Jack Senserrick, 29/30, was the best 15-16 yarder.

The supporting event was a $500 Handicap, and this went to Mario Dipietrantonio, who shot 49/49; second, Lyle Mitchell, 48/49; third, Anthony Senserrick, 25/26; 12-15 yds., Max Vipond, 25/26; 16-19 yds., Eugene Colautti, Max Feldtmann and John Harding div., 19/20; 20-23 yds., Keith Paterson, 19/20; 24-27 yds., Graham Ash, 18/20.

Two rounds of Skeet were shot. Tisto Delorenzo, Ray Maybury, Keith Paterson, Merv. Landers and Russ Kilkenny divided the first, and Keith Paterson, Anthony Senserrick, Russ Kilkenny and Garry White, the second.

Friday, April 25 (Anzac Night). A goodly crowd turned out for the Whittlesea D.B. Sparrows Night C'ship. The shooting wasn't easy and Jim Walls did well to win with 21/22. Lyle Mitchell, 20/22, was second, and Fred Reade, 32/35, third. Jim Laffan won

GEELONG CLAY TARGET CLUB (V.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

JUNE PROGRAM

FRIDAY NIGHT 13th commencing 7.30 p.m.

Event No. 1 — Nomination $1.50
5 TARGET EYE-OPENER DOUBLE-RISE. C.D.

Event No. 2 — Nomination $3.50
CITY OF GEELONG DOUBLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

Event No. 3 — Nomination $3.50
CITY OF GEELONG DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP
OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON 21st. commencing 1.30 p.m.

SKEET PROGRAM

Event No. 1 — Nomination $1.50
1/2 ROUND EYE-OPENER SWEEPSTAKE HANDICAP

Event No. 2 — Nomination $3.00
25 TARGET SKEET TROPHY HANDICAP

Event No. 3 — Nomination $1.50
1/2 ROUND SWEEPSTAKE HANDICAP

SATURDAY AFTERNOON 28th commencing 1.30 p.m.

D.T.L. SCHOOLBOY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Event No. 1 — Nomination $1.50
10 TARGET EYE-OPENER POINTS C.D. 16 YDS.
(Boys birds only 30c)

Event No. 2 — Nomination $3.00
CORIOBAY SINGLE-BARREL DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP
Badge and 1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies

Event No. 3 — Nomination $1.00
SCHOOL BOY CHAMPIONSHIP
Group No. 1 16-15 years 20T D.B. 16 yds.
Group No. 2 14-13 years 15T D.B. 14 yds.
Nomination 50c
Group No. 3 12-Years & under 10T S.B. 12 yds.

Event No. 3 — **20 TARGET TROPHY HANDICAP** Nomination 50c

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the 12-14 yds. trophy, 14/20, and Reg McGlone, 16/20, secured the 15-16 yds. prize.

In a Skeet Handicap, Tony Zagorc was the outright winner, 25/25.

(C. J. Colledge, Sec.)

MILDURA (V.), 19/4/69. — Weather conditions: cool. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. Sweep (16 yds.): I. Wakefield, A. W. Barnes, G. T. Wakefield, R. Scherger, C. Farnsworth, I. Josephs, J. Doyle, R. Blake, A. C. Barnes, F. A. Barnes, 10/10, div. No. 2, 10 pr. D. Rise (16 yds.): W. Chapman, J. Doyle, 19/20; R. Wakefield, I. Josephs, 17/20. No. 3, Club D. Rise C'ship (16 yds.): 1st, J. Doyle, 19/20; 2nd, A. C. Barnes, 18/20; 3rd, R. Wakefield, 21/24; F/M., D. Farnsworth. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. Sweep (16 yds.): I. Wakefield, A. W. Barnes, L. Connors, R. Wakefield, S. Scherger, A. C. Barnes, 10/10, div. No. 5, Club D.B. C'ship (16 yds.): 1st, A. C. Barnes, 27/27; 2nd, A. W. Barnes, 31/32; 3rd, S. Scherger, 30/32; F/M., R. Wells.

Twenty-six shooters turned up at the club's monthly shoot. Slightly lower attendance than usual. *John Doyle won the D.* Rise C'ship, being the only shooter to score 19/20. In the Club D.B. Night C'ship Albert Barnes, who is one of the club's founders and a member since its inception, won his first championship. A very popular win and we offer our congratulations and hope he goes on to win more of them.

Our thanks to the ladies for refreshments and barbecue tea.

(L. Connors, Hon. Sec.)

MOREE (N.S.W.), 12/4/69.—Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 29. Results: No. 1, 5 pr. D. Rise: H. Williamson, L. Kee, 10/10. No. 2, 10 pr. D. Rise Gwydir C'ship: 1st, H. Williamson, 20/20; 2nd, J. Hawkins, 19/20; 3rd, E. Saunders, 18/20; F/M., J. *Maidens. No. 3, 10-tgt. Pts.:* H. Williamson, S. McMaster, E. Brown, B. Thomson, J. Hawkins, E. Saunders, L. Hill, 30/30. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B.: H. Williamson, B. McPherson, S. McMaster, J. McCulloch, C. Herbert, K. Morris, B. Thomson, G. McPherson, R. Hobday, J. Durkin, A. Rowe, L. Hill, 10/10. No. 5, 20-tgt. D.B. Gwydir C'ship: 1st, J. McCulloch, 90/90; 2nd, B. McPherson, 89/90; 3rd, L. Hill, 49/50; F/M., J. Maidens. No. 6, 20-tgt. D.B. $200 H'cap: E. Redman, H. Williamson, J. McCulloch, J. Durkin, L. Hill, 20/20, div.

Night. — No. 7, 10-tgt. D.B. Sparrows: J. McCulloch, K. Morris, E. Saunders, 10/10. No. 8, N.S.W. C'ship (30-tgt. D.B. Sparrows): 1st, D. Makim, 20/30; 2nd, G. Reardon, 27/30; 3rd, C. Herbert, 25/30; F/M., J. Maidens, 19/30.

Very good shoot, but attendance not so good. Our visitors were welcome, and, we trust, enjoyed themselves.

Winner of the High Gun, donated by Hong Yuens of Moree, was H. Williamson with 182/190. A very creditable performance, considering 30 of the targets were night sparrows, and 20 double rise. Congratulations to I. McCulloch on winning the D.B. C'ship, and D. Makim on winning the N.S.W. State Sparrows (Night) C'ship.

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

MOUNT GAMBIER (S.A.), 29/3/69. — Weather conditions: fine, cold, w/ly breeze. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, Commonwealth D.B. Night Sparrow C'ship: 1st, T. Reschke, 37/40; 2nd, B. England, 36/40; 3rd, C. England, 33/40. No. 2, $2 D.B. H'cap Sweep (10 clays): F. F. Kentish, P. G. Yoannidis, 10/10, div.; R. W. Scott, R. S. Reschke, R. J. Mock, 9/10.

A rather disappointing attendance of shooters to compete for the Commonwealth Championship.

Trevor Reschke shot well to take out his second successive championship at Mt. Gambier, with Bruce England a close second, and his dad, Charlie, third. Visiting members took out all the major prizes.

President Frank Kentish and Senior Vice-President, George Yoannidis, were the only shooters able to score a possible in the sweepstake and divided 90 per cent. of the prize money.

The ladies again provided an outstanding *supper prior to the presentation of trophies.*

(Ian A. Marks, Hon. Sec.)

MOUNT ISA (Qld.), 8/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine, warm. Attendance: 12. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. H'cap: G. Buerchler, H. J. Smith, C. Selke, E. Sebastiani, 15/15. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, C. Selke, 21/21; 2nd, H. J. Smith, 20/21; 3rd, *L. Cristaudo, 21/22. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B.* H'cap: 1st, L. Cristaudo, 10/10; 2nd, T. Jerkic, H. Biondi, C. Barton, C. Selke, E. Sebastiani.

Our shoot over Easter saw a reduced number of shooters in attendance; however, an enjoyable shoot was had by all who attended. The main event was won with some good shooting by Charlie Selke, who missed only one target all night.

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

MYAMYN (V.), 29/3/69. — Weather conditions: ideal conditions. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, E.O.: 16 div., 5/5. No. 2, A. McSween Shield Teams Shoot (5 teams competed): won by Tyrendarra; Hamilton No. 1 and No. 2, Warrnambool and Myamyn also competed — score 71/75 pts. No. 3, Trophy Shoot (valued at $50.00): 7 shooters qualified, 15/15 — 1st, I. Christie; 2nd, T. Linke; 3rd, H. Vaughan; F/M., C. Rundell. No. 4, 10-tgt. H'cap: div. C. Plowright, C. Crawford, L. Rundell, A. Gordon, P. Neyland, R. Murray, I. Christie, B. Guy, 10/10.

A good attendance of 26 shooters competed. *Ideal conditions prevailed. Tyrendarra* proved too strong for the other four teams competing in the second round of the A. McSween Shield.

Congratulations go to a young shooter, I. Christie, in winning a pair of blankets after a good shoot-off with T. Linke, winner of second trophy; third went to H. Vaughan, President of Hamilton Club. Front-markers' went to *C. Rundell.* Mrs. Solly, who drew the trophy winner, was presented the ladies' trophy.

Luncheon was provided by the Myamyn ladies in their usual efficient manner and was enjoyed by all. Thanks once again, ladies.

(Joseph J. Wallis, Hon. Sec.)

NARACOORTE (S.A.), 13/4/69.—Weather conditions: cold and wet. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1, 3 pr. D. Rise E.O.: B. Robinson, M. Sullivan, D. Telford, T. Reschke, R. Reschke, 6/6, div. No. 2, State D. Rise C'ship (15 prs.): 1st, P. Telford, 30/34; 2nd, T. Reschke, 29/34; 3rd, K. Foster, 30/36; ladies' trophy, Mrs. P. Seneca. No. 3, $2 Sweep (10-tgt. D.B.): J. Hinneberg, J. Hood, F. Kentish, C. Copping, R. Reschke, 10/10, div.

Cold and wet conditions prevailed for the State D. Rise C'ship. Rain continued to fall through all events, which made shooting difficult. However, the rain was welcomed agriculturally.

Congratulations go to Peter Telford from *Mt. Gambier, who took out the championship* event with fine shooting under the difficult conditions. Congratulations also go to Trevor Reschke and Ken Foster, who took out second and third places respectively.

Thank you, ladies, for the very welcome hot cup of tea and other refreshments. Also thank you to all visiting shooters for your attendance.

(I. Grant, Hon. Sec.)

NEWCASTLE (N.S.W.), 5/4/69.—Weather conditions: hot. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. Sweep: I. Clarke, P. Jenkin, K. Pearce, G. Clendenning, 10/10. No. 2, 20-tgt. Club Trophy: P. Jenkin, K. Pearce, F. Clarke, H. Bowden, G. Clendenning, 20/20. No. 3, 10-tgt. D. Rise: G. Clendenning, 10/10; J. Fryer, K. Pearce, 9/10. No. 4, 10-tgt. D. Rise: P. Jenkin, *9/10; G. Clendenning, 8/10; I. Clarke, E.* Hill, 7/10.

Not a very large roll-up for our first shoot in April, but those that did attend had a very good day of shooting, as the conditions were perfect. Geoff Clendenning from Scone really excelled himself, dividing every event.

(W. Collis, P/O.)

NEW ENGLAND (N.S.W.), 13/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine, stormy. Attendance: 34. Results: No. 1, 5 pr. D. Rise E.O.: H. Williamson, R. Varley, 10/10; M. Bailey, C. Bloxsome, H. Young, A. Cregan, H. Stevenson, S. Kane, N. Campion, I. Reid, 9/10. No. 2, 10 pr. D. Rise Dist. C'ship: 1st, C. Bloxsome, 29/30; 2nd, S. Cross, 28/30; 3rd, H. Young, 26/28; 12-16 yds., W. S. Cox, 21/26. No. 3, 20 pr. D.D. Dist. C'ship: 1st, H. Williamson - M. Thrift, 71/71; 2nd, S. Cross - N. Campion, 70/71; 3rd, R. Crothers - C. Bloxsome, 38/39. No. 4, 30-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, C. Coldham, D. Cunninghame, R. Varley, C. Varley, A. Cregan; 12-14 yds., G. Wilson. High Gun: H. Young, 73/76.

Visitors from Guyra and Coff's Harbour clubs boosted our numbers and made the competition very keen for the Northern New England District D. Rise and D'ville Doubles Championships.

Very pleasing to see young club member Craig Bloxsome win the D. Rise C'ship from some of the State's top shooters. The Guyra champions, Herb Williamson and Mal Thrift, won the D'ville Doubles C'ship, 71/71. Club members Craig Bloxsome and Harvey Young shot off for the High Gun, and Harvey won with 73/76.

Special thanks to the ladies who provided the morning and afternoon tea, lunch and refreshments during the day.

(Allan H. Lewis, Hon. Sec.)

N.S.W.G.C. (N.S.W.), 12/4/69. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap: F. Clarke, R. Hyatt, R. Clarke, E. Troy, R. Croft, J. Worley, R. Clare, F. Horton, N. Rogley, 15/15. No. 2, 15-tgt. Pts. (16 yds.): L. Lane, Omar Yousri, 45/45. No. 3, 15-tgt. H'cap Trophy: J. Worley, 52/52; K. S. *Soames, 51/52; I. Clarke, 48/49. No.* 4, Skeet H'cap: E. Troy, L. Lane, 25/25.

The day was near perfect, the attendance being down on account of other commitments. John Worley had a day out, taking the High Gun for the day with 50/50.

(J. Evans, Sec.)

PERTH (W.A.), 16/4/69.—Weather conditions: mild evening. Attendance: 16. Results: Club Night Champion of Champions

WERRIBEE GUN CLUB (Vic.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Shooting grounds: BALLAN ROAD, WERRIBEE

SATURDAY, 14th JUNE, 1969. Starting 1.30 p.m.

Event 1 — **EYE-OPENER: 10 Targets Points Handicap.** Comp. Div. Nom. $1.50

Event 2 —

20 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP

(Trophies — I.C.I. Trophy) Nom. $3.00

(BATEY SHIELD TEAM SHOOT — Werribee/Victorian G.C.)

Event 3 —

15 TARGETS SINGLE-BARREL HANDICAP

(Trophies) Nom. $2.50

Cartridges, Afternoon Tea and Refreshments available on Ground.

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(25 Skeet, 10 D.B., 10 S.B., 10 W.U., 5 pr. D.R.): Open, 1st, D. Cumming, 61/65; Intermediate, M. Fisher, 54/65.

Doug. Cumming never looked in danger of defeat, but Keith Hewitt 57, Robin Bailey 56 and Jules Skinner 55 tried hard. A disappointing attendance, although an enjoyable night's shooting.

(J. G. Spark, Hon. Sec.)

PORTARLINGTON (V.) 5/4/69. — Results No. 1, 10-tgt. P.S.: R. Jorgensen, 30/30. No. 2, 10-tgt. P.S.: R. Jorgensen, 30/30. No. 3, St. Leonard S.B.: 1st, Brian Mark, 20/20; 2nd, Tony Buskauskus, 19/20; 3rd, R. Jorgensen, 18/20. Easter Mon No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts.: Div. A tie B. Wembridge, B. Mark, 30/30; R. Jorgensen, 29/30. No. 2, Bellarine D.B. C'ship: 1st, W. Attwood, 114/115; 2nd, D. Holmes, 113/115; 3rd, J. Walls, 82/83; L. Marsham, 12-14 yds. Mrs. Attwood, Ladies Trophy. No. 3, Portarlington D.R. C'ship: 1st, A. James, 12/12; 2nd, B. Mark, 11/12; 3rd, T. Zagorg, 13/14; J. H. Ibbert, F.M. 8/10. Ladies Trophy, Miss A. James.

(R. Jorgensen, Hon. Sec.)

RABAUL (T.P.N.G.), 5/4/69. — Weather conditions: fair and warm. Attendance: 29. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: T. Hodge (Rabaul), E. D. Clarke (Rabaul), F. Pannekoek (Rabaul), J. Bradbury (Geelong), 10/10. No. 2, New Britain S.B. C'ship: 1st, E. D. Clarke (Rabaul), 18/20; 2nd, F. Rimmer (Kar Kar), 17/20; 3rd, D. Horrell (Lae) 17/20—after shoot-off. No. 3, Rabaul Wakaia $100 D.B. H'cap: T. Hodge (Rabaul), T. Appleby (Mt. Hagen), G. Rissen (Rabaul), B. Smith (Rabaul), 20/20. No. 4, Winchester Easter Cup: 1st, J. Rankin (Mt. Hagen), 19/20; 2nd, E. Shoumbourdis (Lae), 19/20; 3rd, G. Brookes (Rabaul), 19/20 — after shoot-off: 26/27, 25/27, 20/22.

(F. Pannekoek, Hon. Sec.)

RABAUL (T.P.N.G.), 5/4/69. — Weather conditions: warm. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: J. Lynch (Mt. Hagen), J. Bradbury (Geelong), E. D. Clarke (Rabaul), 10/10. No. 2, Territory Papua New Guinea D.B. Night C'ship: 1st, J. Rankin (Mt. Hagen), 29/30; 2nd, J. Lynch (Mt. Hagen), 27/30; 3rd, F. Rimmer (Kar Kar), 27/30 — after shoot-off: 29/32, 28/32.

(F. Pannekoek, Hon. Sec.)

RABAUL (T.P.N.G.), 6/4/69. — Weather conditions: fair and warm. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: E. D. Clarke (Rabaul), G. Brookes (Rabaul), D. Horrell (Lae), T. Appleby (Mt. Hagen), H. Cotton (Rabaul), D. Childs (Rabaul), B. Smith (Rabaul), 10/10. No. 2, Territory Papua New Guinea D.B. Day C'ship: 1st, T. Hodge (Rabaul), 29/30; 2nd, G. Brookes (Rabaul), 29/30; 3rd, G. Rissen (Rabaul), 29/30 — shoot-off: 32/33, 38/40, 37/40. No. 3, Blanche Bay $100 S.B. H'cap: 1st, B. Smith (Rabaul), 18/20; 2nd, J. Rankin (Mt. Hagen), 18/20; 3rd, J. Gaskell (Rabaul), 18/20 — shoot-off: 30/32, 29/32, 26/29.

High Gun over nine events for two days: won by E. D. Clarke (Rabaul); 2nd, T. Appleby (Mt. Hagen).

(F. Pannekoek, Hon. Sec.)

RANKINS SPRINGS (N.S.W.), 20/4/69.— Weather conditions: fine and sunny, cloudy in afternoon. Attendance: 41. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: T. Salafia, L. Dow, P. Overs, H. Cox, D. Allen, J. R. Irvine, J. W. Harman, 10/10. No. 2, $100 H'cap: D. Lucas, A. W. Smith, L. Booth, C. Garofalo, J. Ellis, 20/20. No. 3, Northern Riverina D.B. C'ship: T. Salafia, D. Lucas, A. W. Smith, J. Ellis, 20/20 — 1st, T. Salafia, 33/33; 2nd, J. Ellis, 32/33; 3rd, D. Lucas, 25/26; F/M., G. Casella; High Gun, T. Salafia. No. 4, $2 H'cap (10 tgts.): C. Taylor, H. Cox, D. Allen, S. Trembath, F. Casella, J. C. Harman, I. Smith, C. Garofalo, G. Edwards, J. Ellis. No. 5, 10-tgt. Pts.: F. Casella, I. Smith, J. Ellis, 30/30.

Very good weather for shooting, but not as many shooters as expected. Visitors from Griffith, Barellan, Hay, Finley, Canberra, Lake Cargelligo and Naradhan. All those who helped are to be congratulated on the smooth running of the programme, the result being a very successful day for our club.

A very enjoyable luncheon and afternoon tea were provided by our willing helpers.

(M. Trembath, Hon. Sec.)

ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.), 6/4/69—Weather conditions: fine and calm. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1, 15-tgt. D.B. Handicap: L. Crema, A. Baker, J. Lisle, R. McAllister, L. Chodat, L. Boniface, 15/15. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts. (off 16 yds.): 8 shooters div. No. 3, Mick Smith C'ship (20-tgt. Pts. off 16 yds.): L. Crema, A. Baker, 60/60; D. Rumble, 59/60, 3rd; G. Little, 56/60, F/M.—shoot-off: L. Crema, 1st; A. Baker, 2nd. No. 4, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap: L. Crema, A. Baker, L. Chodat, G. Little, J. Bosco, 15/15. No. 5, 5 prs. D. Rise (off 16 yds.): L. Crema, L. Boniface, 10/10; R. Kermode, 9/10.

Len Crema was in top form, shooting the whole 70-target programme, including full points in the two point-score events. In the shoot-off for the Mick Smith (R.A.C.) C'ship Len shot a further four first barrels to win the event from A. Baker. D. Rumble won third trophy with 59/60 pts., and G. Little won the front-marker trophy with 56/60 pts.

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

ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.), 20/4/69—Weather conditions: fine and calm. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 15-tgt. D.B. Handicap: B. Kable, 15/15; L. Crema, A. Hayes, K. Turner, 14/15. No. 2, 15-tgt. Pts. H'cap: A. Hayes, 45/45; K. Turner, C. Morton, 44/45. No. 3, 15-tgt. D.B. R.A.C. H'cap: L Crema, A. Hayes, K. Turner, C. Morton, 15/15

The programme was cut short, due to the long shoot-off in the R.A.C. H'cap; Len Crema and K. Turner, after both shooting 120, decided to call it a tie, as the light was too bad to continue. Adrian Hayes won third trophy with 24 in the shoot-off. Both Len Crema and K. Turner qualified for 150 badges, with breaks of 162 and 159 respectively, for the day.

Craig Morton, the 14-year-old King's School boy, shot 30 straight, including a possible in the R.A.C. H'cap, but was unable to compete in the shoot-off, as he had to get back to school.

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

RUTHERGLEN (V.), 29/3/69. — Weather conditions: cloudy, mild and calm. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: D Baker, G. Edwards, M. Feldtman, K. Hodge T. Baldi, R. Renshaw, T. Ellis, L. Coulston G. Colvin, G. Cullen, T. Clifton, J. Terrill L. Ashford. No. 2, Club Trophy: J. Ellis 1st; T. Clifton, 2nd; J. Terrill, 3rd. No. 3 12-13 yd. H'cap: R. Renshaw, 1st; D. Glasgow, 2nd; J. Law, 3rd. No. 4, 12-15 yd H'cap: div. G. Willett, T. Baldi, D. Glasgow G. Cullen.

Rutherglen had its first shoot for 1969 under very good conditions all round. The

shoot was mainly for begginners, and we saw a lot of good prospects in some of them. Main event was 20-tgt. Club Trophy, which saw J. Ellis from Finley take out the honours from T. Clifton (Corowa) and J. Terrill (Rutherglen). Front-marker trophy was won by T. Baldi (Corowa).

The club is hoping to be able to hold more of these kind of shoots in the future, as we have quite a lot of young shooters coming up round this area.

As usual, special thanks to the ladies for a very nice afternoon tea.

(D. Murray, Hon. Sec.)

SEBASTOPOL (V.), 19/4/69. — Weather conditions: windy and cold. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1, C'wealth D. Rise Sparrow C'ship: 1st, J. Walls, 36/40; 2nd, W. Attwood, 35/42; 3rd, D. Grummett, 36/44; F/M, M. Morris, 28/40. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B. Sparrows: 3 equals — N. Paterson, J. Close, K. Hamilton, 10/10. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B.: 7 possibles — div. N. Smart, K. Fisher, J. Close, G. Taylor, M. Howell, K. Hamilton, G. Ludbrook. No. 4, off the Box: won by G. Shepherd.

Once again Ballarat never let its reputation down of the coldest place in the State; only consolation was that it did not rain. Congrats., Jim Walls, on winning the Commonwealth title with a fine piece of double-rise sparrow shooting, 36/40, second going to Bill Attwood, third D. Grummett.

Shooters attended from Melbourne, Maldon, Horsham, Ararat, Beaufort, Dundonnell, Noorat, Terang, Macarthur, Warrnambool and Frankston.

Thanks, Jean and Alvena, for the afternoon tea. Thanks also, Jack Jones and G. James, for your refereeing jobs.

(Alan Shepherd, Hon. Sec.)

SEYMOUR (V.), 29/3/69. — Weather conditions: fine and calm. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B.: 5 possibles — N. Pearson, K. Newman, G. Huff, J. Harding, A. H. Jones, 5/5. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B.: 4 possibles — R. Halsall, R. Callaghan, D. Blanchard, C. Jordan, 10/10, div. No. 3, 10-tgt. Pts.: 4 possibles — O. Laffan, R. Halsall, D. Blanchard, A. H. Jones, 30/30, div. No. 4, 5-tgt. D.B. Sparrows: K. Newman, J. Harding, O. Laffan, L. Singleton, D. Blanchard, A. H. Jones, 5/5, div. No. 5, 5-tgt. D.B. Novelty: 1st, O. Laffan, 5/5. High Gun: J. Harding, 33/35.

Perfect weather and a good roll-up of shooters from the surrounding clubs for our monthly shoot. Good scores were recorded throughout the day, with the money being well distributed. Top shooter for the day was J. Harding, who took out the High Gun trophy. Derek Blanchard also shot well enough to do a yard.

A good afternoon's sport was marred by

BOMBALA Gun Club (N.S.W.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

SUNDAY, 22nd JUNE, 1969

Commencing 10.00 a.m. sharp (morning tea 9.30 a.m.)

Event 1 — Nomination $1.50

10 TARGET SINGLE-BARREL EYE-OPENER

Event 2 — Nomination $3.00

20 TARGET MONARO DISTRICT SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

Event 3 — Nomination $1.50

15 TARGET POINTS SCORE

Event 4 — Nomination $1.50

10 TARGET DOUBLE-BARREL SWEEP OFF 16 YARDS

Event 5 — Nomination $3.00

20 TARGET MONARO DISTRICT DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

FURTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING

Optional Sweeps on Trophy Events. High Gun.
The Committee reserves the right to cancel or vary any event.
Barbecue lunch, cartridges and refreshments available on grounds.

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trap breakdowns, but we hope to install another trap very shortly. This will overcome any further trouble.

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

S.A.G.C. (S.A.), 2/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine, cool (night shoot). Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1, 20-tgt. P. Cleland Trophy H'cap: 1st, L. Antonini, 20/20; 2nd, R. Treloar, 30/32; 3rd, D. Schultz, 29/32; F/M., A. Schroeder, 19/20. No. 2, 20-tgt. Club D.B. C'ship: 1st, R. Treloar, 44/44; 2nd, I. Campbell, 43/44; 3rd, G. Ash, 31/32; Inter.: 1st, P. Marcionini, 19/20; 2nd, A. Schroeder, 19/21; 3rd, R. Fry, 18/21.

Perfect conditions and good shooting made this, our last night shoot before winter, an excellent night.

(P. T. Browne, P.O.)

SOUTH WEST (W.A.), 29/3/69.—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 53. Results: No. 1, S.W. Dist. D.B. C'ship: 1st, G. Bailey (Perth), 75/75; 2nd, T. Catling (Katanning), 74/75; 3rd, Dick Burton (Geraldton), 65/66; yardage trophies: 19 yds. and over, R. Bailey; 16-18 yds., G. Hayward; 12-15 yds., W. Morgan. No. 2, W.A. State S.B. C'ship: 1st, Dick Burton, 30/30; 2nd, J. Harris, 33/34; 3rd, J. Wells, 32/34; yardage trophies: 19 and over, E. Pedlar; 16-18 yds., D. J. Sears; 12-15 yds., A. E. Holmes. No. 3, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap (comp. div.): M. Conrau, F. Kohout, J. Bailey, N. Johnson, W. Johns, G. Bailey, R. D. Scott, M. Crossley, E. Pedlar, A. R. Cusack.

(M. Bisset, Handicapper)

SOUTH WEST (W.A.), 30/3/69.—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 48. Results: No. 1, W.A. State Mixed Tgts. C'ship: 1st, D. Anderson (Katanning), 33/35; 2nd, Dick Burton (Geraldton), 59/64; 3rd, E. Pedlar (Katanning), 57/64; yardage trophies: 19 and over, D. W. Cumming; 16-18 yds., T. K. Ryall; 12-15 yds., W. J. Morgan. No. 2, 20-tgt. H'cap: 1st, D. J. Campbell (Narrogin), 60/60; 2nd, J. Wells (South West), 59/60; 3rd, W. Johns (Perth), 56/57; 4th, W. Shields (Perth), 54/55.

(M. Bisset, Handicapper)

SOUTHERN (S.A.), 30/3/69. — Weather conditions: cool and cloudy. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, E.O. (5 clays, 5 sparrows): A. E. Collins, J. Dowdell, K. Flaherty, 10/10 div. No. 2, 20 clays H'cap (G. Black and T. Bruce Trophy): 1st, K. Brown, 32/32; 2nd, I. Campbell, 31/32; 3rd, A. Thiselton, 21/32; yardage, B. Rayner, 13/15. No. 3, State D.B. C'ship Sparrows (30 tgts.): 1st, R. Kimber, 27/30; 2nd, R. Mules, 26/30; 3rd, R. Fry, 25/30; yardage, B. Rayner, 22/30.

Weather conditions: cool and cloudy, fairly strong wind. Attendance: 24. Once again a young shooter was successful in winning the major prize. K. Brown, shooting for the first time with our club, won the Black & Bruce trophy, 32/32; also congratulations to runners-up I. Campbell and A. Thiselton. The State D.B. Sparrows C'ship was won by R. Kimber with a fine shoot, 27/30, with the runners-up very close; R. Mules, 26/30, and R. Fry, 25/30.

Once again the afternoon tea supplied by the ladies was much appreciated, as it was such a cold day.

(D. T. Lines, Hon. Sec.)

SPRINGSURE (Qld.), 23/3/69. — Weather conditions: overcast, no wind. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O.: 8 shooters 5/5. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. Pts.: N. Kavanagh, P. Bousgas, 44/45. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B.: M. Donald, S. Kavanagh, S. Coaker, 9/10. No. 4, 10-tgt. D. Rise: P. Maguire, K. Brown, 18/20.

This was the first shoot held for the year, and the attendance was very pleasing. Some good scores were recorded, with the results of all events being split.

ST. ARNAUD (V.), 20/4/69. — Weather conditions: fair. Attendance: 50. Results: No. 1, Trophies: M. J. Nalder (Lalbert), G. Taylor (Birchip), J. McVitty (St. Arnaud). No. 2, Cash: $100 cut 8 shooters — I. McLeod, S. Childs, N. E. Haslam, K. McKay, J. Blythman, N. G. Castle, R. Nicholls, J. Wright.

This was the first Sunday shoot held by the club, and with 50 shooters, representing 12 clubs, the committee considers it a highly successful shoot.

SUTTON FOREST (N.S.W.), 30/3/69. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: R. Shipway, P. Lyons, L. Creme, W. Every, A. Webb, A. Keeling, S. Joice, T. McCloy, M. Lyons, H. Townsend, 10/10. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B. Trophy H'cap: 1st, R. Shipway; 2nd, A. Webb; 3rd, P. Lyons; F/M., T. McCloy. No. 3, 5 pr. D. Rise: W. Every, S. Joice, 10/10; P. Lyons, R. Faunt, E. Lace, L. Creme, H. Townsend, 9/10. No. 4, Berrima Dist. D. Rise C'ship: 1st, W. Every; 2nd, H. Townsend; 3rd, R. Faunt; F/M., A. Webb. No. 5, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: R. Shipway, T. McCloy, P. Lyons, J. Arkwright, L. Boniface, W. Every, M. Lyons, B. Ellsmore, 10/10. No. 6, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: R. Smith, A. Keeling, L. Chodat, P. Lace, L. Boniface, D. Shipway, 10/10.

A smaller than usual attendance at our March shoot. The 15-tgt. Handicap Trophy event was won by a new shooter, Russell Shipway. Athol Webb was second, with Paul Lyons third, and Ted McCloy front-marker. The Berrima Dist. D. Rise C'ship was won by Warren Every after a shoot with Harry Townsend, who ran second. Russ Faunt was third, with Athol Webb taking the front-marker trophy.

Our thanks to all who assisted in running the shoot.

(Stephen P. Joice, Hon. Sec.)

S.Y.P. (S.A.) — report having held Grose Transport Shoot on 7/4/69 under near perfect conditions. Nineteen shooters competed in main event, when E. Commons of Bute won with a possible 30/30. Second went to P. Quinn and third to C. Rawlings. Front-marker trophy was won by S. Churches of Adelaide, and Jun. shoot by Paul Arbon, 10/10. Lyn Schwarz won ladies' shoot after a shoot-off. Next shoot 18/5/69.

(H. Edwards, Sec.)

TASMANIAN (Tas.), 12/4/69. — Weather conditions: good. Results: No. 1, E.O.: possibles — R. Ward, P. Marshall, R. Wighton, G. Blaskett, L. Richardson, G. Heywood, D. Gray, T. Newman, K. Lowry, K. Pulford, D. Taylor, S. Marshall, K. Littlejohn, C. Conlan, P. Thurley, N. Thorne. No. 2, Teams Elim.: possibles — S. Marshall, W. Tubb, B. Filby, E. Johnson, P. Thurley, K. Littlejohn, D. Von Stieglitz, D. Perry, G. Crosswell, P. Marshall, 30/30; R. Wills, N. Thorne, V. Mitchell, J. Blake, K. Lowry, 29/30. No. 3, Teams Shoot: results sealed. No. 4, 12-14 yd. C'ship: 1st, G. Mathews, 13/15; 2nd, S. Larcombe, 17/20; 3rd, L. Barlow, 16/20. No. 5, Trophy Shoot: 1st, L. Richardson; 2nd, J. Youl; 3rd, H. Bye. High Gun: P. Marshall, 148/148.

(George Pinner, Sec.)

TATURA (V.), 19/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine and cool. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: 5 div. — H. Nihill, J. Piastri, R. Piastri, F. Crawford, P. Jamison. No. 2, Goulburn Valley D.B. Sparrow C'ship: 1st, H. Nihill; 2nd, N. Robinson; 3rd, R. Piastri. No. 3, 10-tgt. Sweep: div. P. Jamison, G. Williams. No. 4, 10-tgt. Sweep: div. L. McMeeken, R. Ruhe, P. Gribben, B. Gribben, H. Nihill.

Shooters from Shepparton, Kyabram, Benella, Rochester, and locals attended the club's monthly shoot. The weather was fine, a bit cloudy. The Goulburn Valley D.B. Sparrows C'ship saw nobody getting the possible, and 19 lined up for the shoot-off — another short one, only 2 tgts., H. Nihill being 1st, 21/21; W. Robinson, 2nd, 20/21; R. Piastri, 3rd, 19/20. Third event, a 10-tgt. Sweep, saw two shooters div., P. Jamison, G. Williams. The last event, another 10-tgt. Sweep, 5 div., F. McMeeken, R. Ruhe, P. Gribben, B. Gribben, H. Nihill.

Thanks to all shooters for their attendance. They all enjoyed afternoon tea served by Mrs. Baldwin, I'm sure. Hope to see you all at our next shoot. Don't forget to bring your mates.

(A. Moles, Hon. Sec.)

TOOWOOMBA (Qld.), 29/3/69. — Weather conditions: overcast, heavy rain. Attendance: 58. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. E.O. No. 2, Darling Downs D.B. C'ship: 1st, F. McEwan (Surat); 2nd, R. Dean (Roma); 3rd, N. Goody (Monto). No. 3, Qld. Inter. D.B. C'ship: 1st, C. Rowlands (Toowoomba); 2nd, A. Wust (Rockhampton); 3rd, B. Goody (Monto). No. 4, $200 H'cap: div. J. Searle (Toowoomba), N. Goody (Monto), M. McEwan (Surat).

Excellent attendance in spite of threatening overcast conditions early in afternoon, followed by heavy rain late in day. Excitement and intense interest in shoot-off for Darling Downs D.B. C'ship when F. McEwan of Surat and R. Dean of Roma fired 181 rounds before Dean dropped 182nd shot to declare F. McEwan winner. New range record created in this shoot-off.

Day ended with shooters being entertained at barbecue.

(L. Latham, Hon. Sec.)

TOOWOOMBA (Qld.), 30/3/69. — Weather conditions: excellent. Attendance: 57. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. S.B. E.O.: nil. No. 2, Toowoomba S.B. C'ship (20 tgts. S.B., 16 yds.): 1st, D. McEwan (Surat); 2nd, M. McEwan (Surat); 3rd, R. Dean (Roma). No. 3, $200 Craven Filter H'cap (20 tgts. D.B.): div. E. Moyes, F. McEwan, M. McEwan, L. Stewart, J. Searle, W. Goodrich, A. Thornton, R. Dean, D. McEwan. No. 4, Hogarth Cup (20 tgts. D.B. Pts.): 1st, F. McEwan (Surat); 2nd, J. Millar (Condamine); 3rd, E. Jenkins (Condamine). No. 5, $500 H'cap (20 tgts. D.B., 20 tgts. Pts.): div. (1st 20): M. McEwan, O. B. Bloxsome, N. Goody, C. Alexander, R. Dean, D. James, C. Kassulke, B. Wells, J. Beer; 2nd 20: A. Wust, R. Dean, J. Tomkins, C. Alexander, D. James, D. McEwan, J. Beer. High Gun (40 tgts.): div. O. B. Bloxsome, C. Alexander, R. Dean, D. James, R. Wells, J. Beer; 12-14 yds., P. Weaver; 15-17 yds., B. Goody; 18-20 yds., J. Tomkins; 21-23 yds., R. H. Moyes; 24 yds., S. Horn.

Excellent shooting conditions. Interest maintained throughout the day in following prowess of previous day's winners. Main event of day, Hogarth Cup.

Most successful two-day shoot for club shooters coming from as far away as Rockhampton, Monto, Longreach, as well as nearby clubs. Club especially pleased with support given by W. D. & H. O. Wills in donating trophies and prize money.

(L. Latham, Hon. Sec.)

TOOWOOMBA (Qld.), 13/4/69. — Weather conditions: excellent. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B.: J. Searle, R. Hirning, R. Frost, R. Wells, A. Jarick, 5/5; M. Saal, 4/5; P. Weaver, 3/5. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. Pts.: R. Wells 59, R. Hirning 57, R. Frost 56, C. Rowlands 56, N. Goschnick 56. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B.: J. Searle, R. Frost, R. Wells, P. Weaver, C. Evans, 5/5; R. Hirning, 4/5.

Fifteen members shot in excellent conditions. Winner of High Gun was Bob Wells, who only dropped one point in second event. Roy Hirning shot consistently to take out back-markers' trophy for day.

Club was pleased to see visitor Gordon Flaherty try his hand at clay target shooting and hopes to welcome him to membership list shortly. Also pleasing to see regular visitors Sel Horn and Clive Evans.

Members enjoyed impromptu D. Doubles as novelty event. Many members and visitors had not seen this type of event shot before.

(L. Latham, Hon. Sec.)

TOWNSVILLE (Qld.), April 19 and 20 — Saturday afternoon. Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 12-tgt. Skeet: B. Tavasci, J. Hart, S. Vitale, 11/12, div. No. 2, Nth. Qld. Skeet C'ship: 1st, K. Miskin, 31/33; 2nd, C. Sinclair, 30/33; 3rd, S. Vitale, 21/25. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. S'stakes: K. Derrington, W. E. Bell, K. Miskin, G. Blackman, 10/10, div. No. 4, 10-tgt. S.B. S'stakes: G. Valenta, B. Tavasci, G. Blackman, 10/10, div. No. 5, 12-tgt. Skeet: 1st, J. Hart, 12/12; 2nd, C. Sinclair, R. McAllister, 11/12; 3rd, S. Vitale, K. Miskin, 10/12.

Sat. Night. No. 1, 10-tgt. S.B. S'stakes: R. Heferen, G. Blackman, 10/10, div. 1st and 2nd; N. Benson, N. Wright, R. McAllister, B. Tavasci, T. Lewis, N. Krabbenhoft, R. Dunne, div. 3rd. No. 2, Nth. Qld. Night S.B. C'ship: 1st, N. Wright, 32/34; 2nd, R. McAllister, 31/34; 3rd, G. Blackman, 23/25. No. 3, $50.00 H'cap: 1st, J. Hart, 15/15; S. Vitale, B. Tavasci, J. Casalegno, J. Ashford, R. Heferen, S. Spina, W. E. Bell, 14/15, div. 2nd and 3rd. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. S'stakes: 3 possibles div. — R. Dunne, W. E. Bell, R. Heferen.

Sunday. Conditions: fine and windy. Attendance: 36. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. S'stakes: A. Arano, L. Olsen, J. Galletta, C. Haller, G. Blackman, R. Di Bartolo, F. Di Bartolo, S. Di Bartolo, S. Vitale, S. Smith, K. Miskin, 10/10, div. No. 2, $60.00 H'cap: G. Archer, 15/15; B. Tavasci, W. Carrington, R. Dunne, K. Miskin, G. Jaques, 14/15, div. 2nd and 3rd. No. 3, Angus Smith's $100.00 Trophy: 1st, S. Di Bartolo, 20/20; 2nd, C. Haller; 3rd, G. Jaques. No. 4, $150.00 H'cap: L. Olsen, C. Haller, S. Spina, G. Jaques, 20/20, div. 1st, 2nd and 3rd. No. 5, D'ville Doubles: 1st pair, S. Horwood - H. Harris; 2nd pair, R. Dunne - N. Beasley.

On Saturday afternoon Ken Miskin won

the North Qld. Skeet C'ship after a shoot-off with Charlie Sinclair. Congratulations, Ken, on winning the North Qld. Championships.

Conditions were not the best, as we experienced an electrical fault in one of our skeet traps. We were a little bit disappointed with the attendance in this Skeet championship; however, skeet is becoming quite popular in the North.

Congratulations to Noel Wright on winning the North Qld. S.B. Night C'ships.

Approx. 36 shooters attended our Sunday shoot and quite a few shooters shot possibles and divided the prize money.

We thank the visiting shooters from Silkwood, Ravenshoe, Burdekin, Charters Towers and Herbert River Gun Clubs.

(J. Hart, Pub. Officer)

UNGARRA (S.A.), 6/4/69.—Weather conditions: fine, S.E. wind. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: W. Kerr, J. W. Stratford, D. Smith, 5/5. No. 2, 20-tgt. S.B.: K. Calderwood, 19/20; A. Daw, 18/20; W. J. Stratford, 17/20; F/M., T. Daw, 15/20. No. 3, 15 pr. D.D.: K. Calderwood - D. Fitzgerald, 34/34.

Fine day, S.E. wind made clays kick a bit, and visitors from Whyalla and Mallala Clubs made day very enjoyable, and visitors kept local shooters busy. The office staff enjoyed being on the receiving end.

Ladies again provided a tea enjoyed by all.

(W. J. Stratford, Hon. Sec.)

VICTORIAN (V.), 19/3/69.—Weather conditions: slight winds. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. H'cap (cash div.): 8 shooters 15/15, div. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap (trophies): 1st, G. White, 27/27; 2nd, F. Buchan, 26/27; 3rd, G. G. Ewen, 24/25; F/M., L. Marsham, 19/20.

(J. Platten, Sec.)

VICTORIAN (V.), 2/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine night. Attendance: 36. No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. H'cap (cash div.): 6 shooters div., 15/15. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap (trophies): 1st, P. Vipond, 29/29; 2nd, W. Arandt, 28/28; 3rd, A. Stellato, 25/26; F/M., J. Nicholl, 19/20.

Fine shooting by Peter Vipond won him first prize in the main event. Second was Bill Arandt, and third Tony Stellato. Peter is consistently improving and deserved his win. Congratulations to all the winners and thanks to the ladies for the supper.

(J. Platten, Sec.)

VICTORIAN (V.), 9/4/68.—Weather conditions: fine night. Attendance: 34. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts., 16 yds. (cash): J. Lawson, G. White, W. Arandt, R. O'Donnell, N. Whaley, J. Hughes. No. 2, Brooklyn Night S.B. C'ship: 1st, G. Smith, 24/26; 2nd, J. Lawson, 23/26; 3rd, T. Zagorc, 19/21; F/M., G. Gardner, 16/20.

We were pleased to see such a good attendance for the S.B. C'ship, including two New Zealand visitors and their wives. Gerry Smith won the title from Joe Lawson. Joe hasn't lost form, although he's been interstate and hasn't shot for quite a while. Tony Zagorc finished with third prize, and Graham Gardner took out front-markers'.

Congratulations to all and thanks to the ladies for the nice supper.

(J. Platten, Sec.)

VICTORIAN (V.), 16/4/69.—Weather conditions: windy night. Attendance: 19. No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. H'cap (cash div.): div. D. Trembath, T. Zagorc, G. G. Ewen, 15/15. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap (cash div.): 1st, R. Wiffen, 20/20; 2nd, R. Sadler, 19/20; 3rd, R. Coombes, 19/20. (in conjunction) Bob Batey Shield (V.G.C. v. Werribee G.C.): Werribee def. Victorian, 100/101.

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Although the weather prevented a few from attending, the shooting was still very keen as Victorian and Werribee Clubs shot for the Bob Batey Shield. It wasn't until the last squad had shot that a winning margin was gained. Werribee defeated Victorian by 1 point. This makes it hard now, as we have to try to win it back at Werribee.

Congratulations to the members of the winning team, and also to Geelong shooter R. Wiffen for winning the Handicap with the only possible from Ray Sadler (Werribee) and R. Coombes (Geelong), third. "It just wasn't Victorian Gun Club's night at all."

(J. Platten, Sec.)

VICTORIAN (V.), 19/4/69.—Weather conditions: overcast. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts. (16 yds.): div. F. Buchan, L. Cairns, R. Coombes, H Walker, P. Radoa, L. Kaye, 30/30. No. 2, Western Subs. D.B. C'ship: 1st, L. Coombes, 60/60; 2nd, R. Coombes, 59/60; 3rd, J. Platten, 25/26; F/M., L. Cairns, 19/20. No. 3, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, J. Platten, 40/41; 2nd and 3rd, div. I. Dickins, L. Coombes, T. Zagorc.

(J. Coombes, Acting Sec.)

WANGARATTA (V.), 19/4/69. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 36. Results: No. 1, 4 pr. D.D. E.O.: div. T. Minton - J. Stamp, I. Reith - K. Maurey, G. Walker - D. Gittings, G. Huf - D. Suter, R. Poore - J. McGraw, K. Boyd - K. Hodge, J. A. Kneebone - J. Reid, W. Sullivan - B. Reid, D. Dent - K. Vincent. No. 2, Ovens Valley D.D. C'ship: 1st, K. Boyd - K. Hodge, 19/20 pr.; 2nd, K. Maurey - I. Reith, 18/20 pr.; 3rd, D. Dent - B. Keir, O/S., 17/20. No. 3, I.C.I. Trophy: 1st, K. Maurey, 42/42; 2nd, R. Cullen, 41/42; 3rd, L. Coulston, 40/41; O/S. div. H. Jamieson, R. Morley, B. Reid, J. Reid, K. Hodge, J. A. Kneebone, L. Ashford, R. Renshaw, G. Walker, R. Poore, G. Willett, R. Cullen, T. Baldi, L. Coulston, K. Maurey, D. Baker.

A good day's shooting under perfect conditions. Visitors were present from Albury, Corowa, Rutherglen, Finley, Yarrawonga, Benalla, Melbourne and Hamilton Clubs.

A big "thank you" to Mrs. Reid for her assistance with the afternoon tea.

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

WARREN (N.S.W.), 12/4/69. — Weather conditions: fine, mild, clear day. Attendance: 12. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B.: J. Fisher, F. Firth, N. Montgomery, R. Kinsey, D. Hunt, 10/10. No. 2, 10-tgt. D.B.: J. Fisher, D. Cosgrove, B. Walton, 10/10. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. Pts. 3/2: E. Smith, 36/36, 1st; D. Cosgrove, 33/36, 2nd. No. 4, 20-tgt. D.B.: N. Montgomery, 39/41, 1st; S. Kinsey, 38/41, 2nd; J. Scott, 22/23, 3rd. No. 5, 10 prs. D'ville Doubles: D. McMillan - D. Hunt, F. Firth - R. Kinsey, B. Walton - J. Scott, E. Smith -N. Montgomery, 20/20. No. 6, 5 prs. D. Rise: R. Kinsey, D. Hunt, 10/10.

Attendance was down owing to farming activities from recent rains. Congratulations to Ted Smith in getting a leg in on the jackpot, also to Norm Montgomery on winning the 20 birder after a very interesting shoot-off, on two occasions both dropping their target — hard luck, Sid Kinsey. Only two pairs missed the possible in the Deauville Doubles.

An enjoyable afternoon held by all.

(R. Deacon, Hon. Sec.)

WARRNAMBOOL (V.), 12/4/69—Weather conditions: excellent. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O. Pts.: div. A. McSween, L. Reicha, M. Sullivan, G. Sharrock, H. Waring. No. 2, Vic. Mixed Tgts. C'ship: 1st, A. McSween, 25/25; 2nd, N. Davis, 24/25; 3rd, M. Sullivan, 33/35. No. 3, 15-tgt. H'cap: 1st, H. Waring; 2nd and 3rd, div. L. Reicha, K. Ilsley, W. Martin, M. Sullivan, A. Blain.

The Vic. Mixed Tgts. C'ship was won by the Warrnambool Club President, A. McSween, the only shooter with a perfect score. Second was the well-known Noel Davis, with another great shooter, Maurie Sullivan, third.

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

WARWICK (Qld.), 2/3/69.—Weather conditions: windy. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. Pts. E.O.: J. Crothers, C. Evans, G. P. Wickham, J. Burling, div. No. 2, 30-tgt. Trophy (10 Pts., 10 D.B., 10 S.B.): G. P. Wickham, 48/50. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B.: Alex Smith, A. Wren, 10/10.

Conditions generally were poor. The wind was blowing strongly from the S.E., causing targets to keep very low, with an occasional one rising sharply. The day was marred when the automatic trap broke down and the shoot was continued with the trap being operated manually — greasy fingers for the President and helper Eddy Anderson.

Our veteran shooter Percy Wickham (age uncertain, but over 80) performed exceptionally well to carry off the trophy and most of the money — congratulations, Perce.

(F. Wren, Hon. Sec.)

WARWICK (Qld.), 6/4/69.—Weather conditions: fair, with a light breeze. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: G. P. Wickham, R. Banks, A. Wren. No. 2, 10 sparrows D.B.: J. Crothers, Mrs. Paget, C. Evans. No. 3, 10 sparrows S.B.: J. Wickham, C. Evans. No. 4, 30 tgts. (10 D.B., 10 S.B., 10 Pts.): P. Evans, 49/50.

Conditions were fair, with shooters reaching a high standard, keeping the competition tough, a slight south-easterly wind springing up towards the latter part of the day, but not enough to affect the small sparrows. Our congratulations go to Phil Evans on winning the main trophy event with 49/50. The day was highlighted by the skill of some of the back-markers in the sparrow events.

(F. Wren, Hon. Sec.)

WHYALLA (S.A.), 28/3/69. — Weather conditions: cold and overcast. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. S.B. E.O.: 1st, W. Kerr, 5/5; div. A. Baird, S. Harvie, B. Foster, R. Robinson, 4/5. No. 2, 20-tgt. S.B. H'cap (I.C.I.A.N.Z. Trophy): 1st, F. Harding, 18/21; 2nd, S. Harvie, 17/21; 3rd, W. Kerr, 18/23; F/M., K. Watkins, 14/20. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap (Sweeps): 1st, M. Lawson, 10/10; 2nd, W. Kerr, 13/14; 3rd, S. Harvie, 14/16.

Rather a cold night, but a good attendance for the I.C.I.A.N.Z. Trophy shoot. Frank Harding won after a short shoot-off with Sid Harvie, then Bill Kerr winning third place after a shoot-off with Ken Watkins. A good evening's shooting, with some very consistent scores.

Thanks were due to Geo. Cobbin for the presentation of the I.C.I.A.N.Z. trophies.

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

WHYALLA (S.A.), 25/4/69—Weather conditions: a mild, clear evening. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. S.B. E.O.: div. J. Schramm, B. England, 5/5; 9 shooters

scored 4/5. No. 2, 20-tgt. S.B. Eyre Peninsular Night C'ship: 1st, J. Schramm (Ungarra), 18/20; 2nd, B. England (Mount Gambier), 17/20; 3rd, O. Park (Whyalla), 24/29. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, A. Varga, 9/10, 8/10; 2nd, D. Smith, 9/10, 7/10; 3rd, T. Rogers, 9/10, 1/2.

A good mixed turn-up for the Championship. Shooters from Ungarra, Port Pirie, Adelaide and Mount Gambier. Once again our Ungarra neighbours took the honours in the Championship, with Jim Schramm right on form as the clear winner. Bruce England gave us a bit of a shock when he arrived and presented his handicap card with a very big 26 on it, as we're still a very junior club, but he dropped a couple of sitters and was placed second. A shoot-off for third saw local Dave Park out-shoot the other contenders for his first honours this year.

Upset of the evening was local member Andre Varga's win in the Handicap event. Andre, our most permanent 12 yarder, brilliantly out-shot the field to gain his first ever honours and a yard.

Thanks to Cox-Foys, Peter Flavell and Harris Scarfe Ltd. for the trophies.

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

YARRAM (V.), 19/4/69. — Weather conditions: windy and cool. Attendance: 36. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. Pts.: A. Webster, K. Brown, M. Cripps, 30/30. No. 2, 15-tgt. D.B.: 1st, J. Hamblin, 58/58; 2nd, W. Pedersen, 57/58; J. Green, 37/38; P. Barlow, F/M., 26/27. No. 3, 10-tgt. S.B.: 1st, R. Traill, 23/23; R. Wykes, 2nd, 22/23.

Very cold and windy for C. Budge Shield shoot today, with Korumburra team shooting extremely well to take the lead in the Shield. Many visitors from all over Gippsland for shoot.

Afternoon tea very welcome by scout ladies. Special thanks to Mrs. Pearson for looking after books.

(R. Barlow, Hon. Sec.)

YARRAWONGA (V.), 22/3/69. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: 11 possibles — F. Lyons, P. Ryan, T. Clifton, J. Gray, W. Sullivan, R. Cullen, D. McGuinness Jnr., D. McGuinness Snr., L. Ashford, F. Crawford, L. Kennedy. No. 2, 15-tgt. Trophy: 6 possibles — 1st, Dr. F. Lyons; 2nd, J. Reid; 3rd, P. Ryan. No. 3, 10-tgt. Sweep: 12 cut — F. Lyons, P. Ryan, J. Gray, R. Cullen, J. Reid, D. McGuinness Jnr., B. Reid, L. Ashford, G. Edwards, D. Murray, L. Kennedy, G. Colvin. No. 4, 7-tgt. Quail Novelty: one possible, Frank Lyons.

Twenty-five shooters participated in our final shoot on a very fine afternoon. The Trophy Handicap went to our medical stalwart, Dr. Frank Lyons, after a lengthy shoot-off from P. Ryan, T. Clifton, G. Huff, J. Reid and G. Colvin, with J. Reid second and Vin Ryan third.

I would like to thank our small band of workers, especially my wife and Mrs. Sullivan, for their help and support in the past.

It is with sadness that I officially have to put this, the Yarrawonga Gun Club, into recess.

(James A. Gray, Hon. Sec.)

1969 A.C.T.A. REGISTRATION LIST

As received up to 30th April

* Denotes Referee
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Adams, R. (Brisbane) 14
Al Chee, G. (Derby) 16
Al Chee, W. (Derby) 17
Alexander, C. (Proserpine) 12
Alford, J. T. (Wonthaggi) 17
Allen, R. (Frankston) 17
Anderson, C. (Grenfell) .. 16
Anderson, C. (Hay) 17
Anderson, D. (Hay) 21
Anderson, G. (Hay) 13
Anderson, J. (Bunbury) .. 12
Angel, N. (Ungarra) 14
Archer, K. D. (Derby) 17
Ardon, L. P. (Gold Coast) 20
Armstrong, J. (Brisbane) 19
Averis, J. (Ungarra) 15

Bagley, C. W. (Alexandra) 13
Bailey, H. (Azzurri) 12
Baker, A. H. (Narrabru) 21
Baker, D. J. (Rutherglen) 12
Ballagh, J. (Colac) 14
Banks, R. J. (Blackall) 19
Barlow, L. (Hobart) 12
Barnes, F. A. (Pooncarie) 21
Barnett, A. (Kar Kar Is.) 12
Barnes, M. (Ballandean) 12
Barnes, R. C. (Ballandean) 15
Barron, P. (Corowa) 16
Bath, R. H. (Geelong) 21
Beard, H. W. (Wonthaggi) 15
Beeck, N. A. (Katanning) 17
Bell, D. M. (Derby) 12
Bell, G. (Cowra) 23
Bell, M. (Derby) 17
Bell, S. (Wagga) 20
Bennett, A. (Perth) 17
Bennett, B. (Hay) 19
Bennetts, O. J. (Quandeyan) 16
Berald, F. (Silkwood) .. 16
Berglund, R. G. (Perth) .. 14
Bertilone, C. (Azzurri) .. 16
Best, F. (Silkwood) 12
Binns, H. (Illawarra) 21
Birch, J. A. (Hawkesbury)* 12
Bird, G. (Wonthaggi) 12
Bird, J. (Wonthaggi) 12
Birkett, H. G. (Bunbury) 15
Blaber, G. (Hobart) 15
Blake, F. (Cressy) 25
Blake, J. (Cressy) 14
Blinca, K. (Moree) 12
Blythman, A. W. (Jnr.) (Hopetoun) 15
Bollen, G. (Whyalla) 12
Borrell, J. J. (Keilor) .. 14
Bousgas, P. (Springsure) .. 14
Boyd, M. (Mount Isa) 14
Braysher, F. (Kellerberrin) 15
Brennan, Rev. P. (Swan Hill/Nyah) 12
Bridle, J. (Ballandean) 14
Broad, E. (Perth) 12
Brooke, J. (Roma) 19
Brook, W. (Frankston) .. 12
Britt, R. L. (Berridale) 12
Brook, G. (Horsham) 16
Brose, R. R. (Condamine) 16
Brown, J. (Wonthaggi) 12
Brown, K. (Mt. Barker) .. 14
Bruce, D. (Lilydale) 15
Brugaletta, A. (Victorian) 12
Buckan, R. F. (Melb.)* .. 23
Budden, L. (Bundella) 12
Buemi, A. (Narrogin) 13
Burke, G. H. (Cloncurry) 21
Butcher, I. (Alice Springs) 16
Buzza, H. (Echuca) 12

Cade, R. (Hawkesbury) .. 12
Calandro, A. (Shepparton) 22
Calcouris, S. (Hawkesbury) 12
Calderwood, K. (Ungarra) 16
Camp, K. W. S. (Melb.) .. 12
Campbell, D. J. (Toogoolawah) 22
Cant, G. (Derby) 13
Cargill, B. (Wonthaggi) .. 13
Cargill, M. (Wonthaggi) 17
Carr, G. (N.S.W.) 15
Carver, W. J. (Hay) 14
Casotti, M. (Azzurri) 14
Cazzandello, A. (Metropolitan) 12
Celenza, F. (Darwin) 14
Chapman, F. (Boyup Brook) 14
Charlton, K. W. (Darwin) 14
Chatfield, P. G. (Callawadda) 12
Chericoni, V. (Darwin) .. 20
Chesney, A. H. (Brisbane)* 21
Chin-Quan, W. (Darwin) 16
Chirnside, A. F. (Dundonnell) 20
Chirnside, R. K. N. (Dundonnell) 16
Chodat, L. (Illawarra)* .. 19
Churchill, N. (Crookwell) 16
Clarke, G. (Frankston) .. 12
Clegg, B. D. (Katanning) 15
Clegg, E. A. (Katanning) 17
Cleland, M. L. (Bombala) 12
Climas, B. (Albany) 14
Cogan, W. S. (Berridale) 14
Cole, C. S. (Metropolitan) 13
Cole, S. (Metropolitan)* 13
Coleman, W. (Katanning) 16
Colledge, C. J. (Metropolitan) 12
Colley, A. (Inverell) 12
Colman, G. (Maryborough) 12
Condoleon, N. (Springsure) 12
Cook, H. (Callawadda) .. 13
Cook, L. (Callawadda) 13
Colesso, I. (Silkwood) 16
Colyer, J. (Korumburra) 12
Cominelli, A. P. (North Eastern Goldfields) 14
Corica, G. (Azzurri) 16
Cornwell, M. D. (Ungarra) 14
Costaras, N. (N.S.W.) 14
Cotrell, V. T. (North Eastern Goldfields) 14
Coupland, P. (Guyra) 14
Cousins, A. (Wallerawang) 12
Cox, T. (Hay)* 18
Cristaudo, L. (Mount Isa) 13
Cross, K. J. (Korumburra) 17
Crowley, K. R. (Bingara) 13
Cumming, G. S. (Alexandra) 19
Curley, H. (Derby) 14
Curnon, N. (Harcourt) .. 14

Dark, M. (Condamine) .. 12
Dart, B. (Callawadda) 12
Davidson, D. (Brewarrina) 13
Davidson, I. (Wonthaggi) 14
Davies, J. (Cessnock) 12
Davis, R. (Darwin) 13
Davis, V. (Korumburra) 15
Day, B. (Ballandean) 14
Dealy, R. M. (Tatura) 16
Debenham, J. (Illawarra) 12
Dellar, R. (Brisbane) 12
Detez, W. D. (North Eastern Goldfields) 15
Di'Labio, G. (Azzurri) 12
Dipeitrantonio, M. (Victorian) 16
Dipeitrantonio, U. (Victorian) 17
Dipeitrantonio, V. (Victorian) 17
Dolling, D. (Wallerawang) 12
Doran, H. J. (Maryborough) 14
Doudle, P. (Darkan) 14
Dovidio, D. (Azzurri) 12
Dowling, J. W. (Darwin) 14
Downer, I. (Metropolitan) 12
Downer, M. (Katanning) 14
Doyle, M. (Azzurri) 12
Draper, M. (Northam) 14
Drury, T. A. (Kellerberrin) 15
Dunlop, W. (Wonthaggi) 14
Dunn, P. (Bathurst) 14

Eddy, G. (Finley) 13
Ellies, C. B. (Perth) 22
Elliot, B. T. (Rutherglen) 13
Elliot, J. A. (Ballandean) 15
Elliot, M. (Derby) 16
Elliot, R. (Queanbeyan-Canberra) 16
Elvy, R. H. (Royal Aero) 12
Elvy, R. H. (Royal Aero) 12
Ely, J. (Nyah) 12
Evans, R. (Hawkesbury) 12
Evans, R. (Condamine) .. 12
Ewen, G. G. (Victorian) 18

Fanning, J. (Australian) .. 14
Favero, R. (Burdekin) 16
Feliciani, F. (Silkwood) .. 16
Ferguson, C. (Perth)* 20
Fisher, J. W. (Warren) .. 12
Fisher, M. A. (Perth) 16
Fitzgerald, B. (Bunbury) 12
Fitzgerald, D. (Ungarra) 15
Fleming, K. A. (Illawarra) 16
Flett, K. (Maryborough) 13
Foale, G. (Narrogin) 14
Ford, A. (Bundella) 12
Ford, H. O. (Toowoomba) 12
Ford, J. (Geelong) 26
Forster, J. M. (Kellerberrin) 16
Forsyth, A. (Kellerberrin) 15
Forsyth, D. (Kellerberrin) 15
Forsyth, V. (Kellerberrin) 14
Forzisi, I. (Winton) 14
Fragomeni, P. (Azzurri) .. 12
Fraser, B. (Whyalla) 14
Fraser, R. (Inverell) 12
Frisina, J. (Victorian) 12
Frisina, P. (Victorian) 13
Frost, A. J. J. (Kellerberrin) 15
Frost, R. (Kellerberrin) .. 14

Gablonski, N. (South Burnett) 14
Gange, W. G. (Colac) 17
Gardner, E. (Hawkesbury) 12
Garrett, K. G. (Geelong) 18
Gartner, B. (Darwin) 16
Geale, L. (Mersey) 12
Geale, W. (Mersey) 12
Gebert, N. R. (Hay) 16
Heddes, A. (Wonthaggi) 12
Gibson, L. A. (Echuca) .. 21
Gibson, L. R. (Callawadda) 18
Gibson, P. J. (Callawadda) 15
Gibbs, H. (Darkan) 14
Gill, T. (Wonthaggi) 14
Ginnivan, A. (Australian) 16
Gittings, D. W. (Rutherglen)† 22
Gittoes, B. S. (N.S.W.) .. 15
Glyde, R. (Rankins Springs) 12
Godkin, J. (Mildura) 15
Goodwin, B. (Proserpine) 12
Gourley, A. W. (Maryborough) 17
Graham, D. (Silkwood) .. 12
Grant, A. R. (Bundella) .. 12
Greco, I. (Silkwood) 16
Greenup, V. (Ballandean) 14
Greenhill, W. (Bunbury) 12
Gribben, W. (Cosgrove) .. 12
Griffin, J. (Queanbeyan-Canberra) 17
Griffen, L. (Alexandra) .. 17
Grimmond, J. (Corowa) .. 15
Gulotto, V. (Azzurri) 12

Hall, A. J. (Darwin) 19
Hall, G. (Whyalla) 12
Hall, G. (Jnr.) (Geelong) 13
Hall, I. (Callawadda) 16
Hallam, W. (Hopetoun) .. 15
Hammat, R. (Millicent) .. 12
Harden, R. G. (Perth) 16
Harris, R. (Bunbury) 14
Harvey, R. (Kar Kar Is.) 12
Hatcher, R. (Hopetoun) .. 16
Headon, W. (Hay) 15
Hemley, K. (Callawadda) 16
Hemley, L. G. (Callawadda) 14
Henson, Sgt. R. J. R. (Puckapunyal)† 18
Heritage, J. (Brewarrina) 13
Hill, D. (Wonthaggi) 14
Hill, F. (Wonthagggi) 15
Hiscox, Rt. Rev. (Ballandean) 14
Hobson, F. (Foster) 16
Hodder, A. (Callawadda) 12
Hollins, S. (Wonthaggi) .. 16
Hopkins, G. (Mount Isa) 16
Horley, C. (Darkan) 14
Horley, G. (Darkan) 14
Hough, E. W. (Bunbury) 12
Hough, K. (Bunbury Rifle & Skeet) 12
Hudson, H. (Cowra) 14
Humphries, M. (Myamyn) 22
Huther, S. (Wonthaggi) .. 12

Jack, R. D. (Burdekin) 16
Jackson, B. (Blackall) 13
James, B. (Condamine) .. 12
Jamieson, J. E. (Echuca) 19
Jenkins, B. M. (Callawadda) 14
Jenkins, R. D. (Callawadda) 12
Jenning, B. (Ararat) 12
Jensen, C. (Springsure) .. 13
Johnson, D. (Barellan) .. 12
Johnson, R. (Metropolitan) 14
Johnson, R. (Nth. Eastern Goldfields) 15
Jones, D. (Ungarra) 17
Jones, I. M. (Callawadda) 12
Jose, A. (Puckapunyal) .. 14
Joyce, P. (Whyalla) 12

Kavanagh, J. (Springsure) 12
Kavanagh, N. W. (Springsure) 17
Kavanagh, S. W. (Springsure)† 17
Keeling, A. (Illawarra) .. 19
Kelly, J. (St. Arnaud) 12
Kempton, A. J. (Guyra) .. 14
Kent, K. (Derby) 14
Kleinig, L. H. (Southern) 17
Knox, A. W. (Springsure) 12

La Cava, C. (Azzurri) 12
Laffan, J. F. (Metropolitan) 12
Laman, Mrs. L. (Toowoomba) 12
Lanham, A. (Cowra) 21
Lawman, A. R. (Gunnedah) 17
Lawrence, W. (Wonthaggi) 15
Lawrie, D. L. (Ungarra) 13
Leekey, C. (Birchip) 12
Lemmon, S. H. (Blackall) 18
Letzner, Mrs. A. (Darwin) 13
Letzner, K. (Darwin) 13
Liddicoat, D. (Ungarra) .. 15
Linaker, C. (Bunbury Rifle & Skeet) 12
Little, R. E. (Brisbane) .. 15
Lock, A. (Maryborough) 13
Lohse, P. (Ballandean) 16
Lo Monaco, S. (Silkwood) 16
Lowrey, P. (Colac) 13
Lowry, B. (Metropolitan) 24
Louis, M. (Metropolitan) 12
Mackfarlan, I. S. (Derby) 14
Mackay, W. G. (Bombala) 24
Mackey, B. (Brisbane)‡ .. 27
MacPherson, D. W. (Callawadda) 16
Magnetti, W. (Proserpine) 12
Mahady, A. (Springsure) 14
Mammone, C. (Bunbury) 12
Martin, G. (Springsure) .. 13
Martin, G. (Tamworth) .. 19
Martin, J. R. (Springsure) 13
Martin, R. (Foster) 18
Martin, R. (Springsure) .. 12
Martin, R. (Callawadda) 12
Mason, R. (Mersey) 16
Massey, C. (Melbourne) .. 12
Mathiske, J. E. (Moree)† 17
May, W. (Alexandra)† 21
Merizzi, G. (Azzurri) 12
Middleton, A. J. (Callawadda) 12
Middleton, Dr. J. W. (Melbourne) 17
Milbourne, A. J. (Warracknabeal) 16
Mildren, G. (Wangaratta) 12
Miles, W. (Wonthaggi) .. 13
Milkins, G. (Wonthaggi)† 15
Miller, F. (Callawadda) .. 12
Milner, E. C. (Korumburra) 12
Mitchell, A. (Hopetoun) .. 13
Mitchell, E. J. (Brisbane) 12
Mitchell, R. G. (Melb.) .. 18
Moffit, J. (Springsure) 12
Mollica, V. (Victorian) .. 13
Molloy, C. W. (North Eastern Goldfields) 14
Montgomery, R. J. (Perth) 16
Moore, J. E. (Katanning) 14
Moorehead, M. (Hay) 15
Morris, L. (Dubbo) 20
Morrissey, J. (Ararat) 12
Moss, C. J. (Griffith) 14
Mott, N. C. (Hopetoun) .. 16
Muller, Wing Comm.
Muller, Wing Comm. F. K. (Point Cook)† 15
Munt, B. (Darwin) 17
McArthur, D. (Springsure) 16
McCarthy, L. (Perth) 16
McCauliffe, P. (Benalla) .. 14
McCloy, M. B. (Illawarra Dist.) 14
McCormack, J. (Bunbury Rifle & Skeet) 17
McDougal, A. J. (Ararat) 12
McDougal, I. T. (Ararat) 12
McGoldrick, B. (Melb.) .. 12
McGoldrick, E. J. (Melb.) 16
McGrath, L. (Hay) 13
McGrath, L. (Snr.) (Hay) 12
McIntosh, D. J. (Roma) .. 13
McIntosh, G. (Roma) 12
McKenzie, Sgt. R. P. (Puckapunyal) 14
McLeod, E. J. (Frankston) 14
McLeod, I. (Callawadda) 16
McMillan, E. (Hopetoun) 20

Neale, J. L. (Colac) 12
Neiland, P. (Tyrendarra) 15
Neilson, J. F. L. (Kar Kar Island) 12
Newland, I. H. (Ungarra) 13
Newton, M. (Callawadda) 12
Newton, P. R. (Derby) .. 14
Neylon, W. (Wonthaggi) 15
Nicholls, R. (Callawadda) 17
Nihill, H. (Tatura) 17
Nixon, C. A. (Springsure) 15
Nolan, J. (Boort) 14
Norton, E. (Derby) 13
Norton, J. (Cent. Burnett) 17

Oats, P. J. (North Eastern Goldfields) 14
Oke, B. (Frankston) 12
O'Rourke, J. (Dubbo) 18
O'Shea, P. (Derby) 12

Palk, A. (Illawarra)* 17
Parker, R. (Bathurst) 14
Pascal, W. (Callawadda) 12
Pascoe, C. H. J. (Kellerberrin) 17
Pascoe, P. (Kellerberrin) 16
Patterson, L. (Metropolitan) 17
Patterson, W. M. (Blackall) 18
Pattingdale, J. (Bute) 13
Pearce, V. (Darwin) 16
Peden, A. (Cessnock) 12
Perkins, N. K. (Illawarra) 16
Perry, A. W. (Alexandra) 14
Petersen, B. M. (Springsure) 13
Phelps, D. C. (Mallala) .. 23
Philpott, J. W. (Darwin) 16
Pickhaver, P. (Whyalla) .. 14
Pickthall, W. F. (St. Arnaud) 16
Platten, J. (Victorian) 12
Pobjoy, A. S. (Gold Coast) 12
Pocock, G. (Hay) 14
Poulton, D. (Hopetoun)* 18
Pryke, R. L. (N.S.W.) 12
Puckle, L. E. (Hopetoun) 15

Quaresimin, L. (Derby) .. 13

Raciti, J. (Silkwood) 16
Radici, V. (Azzurri) 14
Rawlings, C. C. (South Yorke Peninsula) 17
Ray, C. (Bunbury) 12
Redman, D. (Inverell) 13
Reid, R. W. (Dalby) 18
Renshaw, K. A. (Rutherglen) 12
Renshaw, R. J. (Rutherglen) 13
Renz, D. (Blackall) 13
Rigoni, G. (Darwin) 17
Roberts, F. (Crookwell) .. 14
Robertson, J. (Alice Springs) 16
Robson, G. (Callawadda) 15
Robertson, H. (South Burnett) 13
Rodgers, M. (Whyalla) .. 12
Rodgers, T. (Whyalla) 12
Rodgers, W. (Whyalla) .. 14
Rothacker, A. C. (Boort)* 16

Saal, M. (Toowoomba) .. 14
Satara, B. (Hawkesbury) 12
Satara, L. (Hawkesbury) 12
Schramm, J. S. (Ungarra) 19
Scott, P. J. (Callawadda) 15
Scott, R. W. (Callawadda) 17
Scutt, R. (Bingara) 13
Searle, C. (Coonamble) .. 13
Searle, J. L. (Sth. Burnett) 16
Senserrick, P. (Metropolitan) 14
Sermon, A. M. (Northam) 14
Sertis, G. P. (Perth) 16
Shand, N. (Dalby) 20
Sharp, D. (Melbourne) .. 20
Shaw, R. M. (Blackall) .. 13
Shaw, R. (Grenfell) 12
Shelley, M. (Cent. Burnett) 17
Shepherd, G. (Frankston) 18
Siegmann, B. (Whyalla) .. 14
Simms, W. R. (Ungarra)* 16
Simson, R. D. (Bundella) 12
Skate, F. (Australian) 16
Skein, R. E. (Alice Springs) 16
Skene, G. J. (Hay) 16
Slatter, K. (Boort) 12
Small, J. (Brewarrina) 12
Smith, D. G. (Ungarra)* 18
Smith, G. (Ipswich) 18
Smith, T. (Bingara) 17
Solly, C. M. (Nth. Eastern Goldfields) 15
Sorgiovanni, F. (Azzurri) 14
Spalding, T. (Bunbury) .. 12
Starr, D. (Guyra) 12
Stamp, R. (Master) (Wangaratta) 12
Stanton, K. (Lismore) 17
Steedman, R. (Metropolitan) 13
Steel, R. (Proserpine) 12
Stewart, I. (Callawadda) 12
Stanes, G. E. (Callawadda)* 14
Stinchcombe, P. R. (Colac) 19
Stokes, K. (North Eastern Goldfields) 14
Stone, I. (Kellerberrin) .. 18
Stratford, J. W. A. (Ungarra) 17
Stratford, W. (Ungarra)* 16
Stratton, T. (Coonamble) 12
Sullivan, A. (Bunbury) 16
Sullivan, M. R. (North Eastern Goldfields) 14
Sussmill, K. (Derby) 13
Sutherland, A. F. (Hobart) 12
Sutherland, K. (Hobart) .. 12
Swiatek, A. R. (Victorian) 14

Tatonetti, N. (Azzurri) .. 12
Taylor, B. (Callawadda) .. 12
Taylor, H. (Bathurst) 14
Teboneras, S. (Melbourne) 12
Tennant, H. (Blackall) 12
Thomas, G. (Melbourne) 16
Thomas, W. (Macarthur) 18
Thomas, W. (Macarthur) 12
Thompson, D. (Ballandean) 15
Thompson, R. E. (Central Burnett) 18
Tieman, I. (Macarthur) .. 16
Toner, R. P. (Victorian) .. 12
Toose, H. (Boort) 17
Toose, L. J. (Boort) 19
Torrisi, F. (Ballandean) .. 14
Trethowan, J. (Corowa) .. 17
Trusz, K. (South Burnett) 13
Tucker, I. (Ararat) 12

Vanhout, H. (Metropolitan) 12
Veal, J. (Victorian) 20
Veech, M. R. (Dubbo) 16
Vincent, R. (Metropolitan) 16
Viney, R. (Darwin) 20
Vivers, J. (New England) 13

Wakefield, D. (Pooncarie) 15
Walker, C. (Derby) 13
Wall, P. (Darwin) 14
Walter, A. R. (Callawadda) 15
Ward, F. (Bunbury) 12
Watkins, K. (Whyalla) .. 12
Watson, R. (Silkwood) 16
Watson, T. (Silkwood) 16
Waywood, L. (Narrogin) 14
Wells, R. (Mildura) 14
Whaley, W. (Victorian) .. 12
Webber, C. (Brisbane) .. 16
White, C. (Springsure) .. 12
White, G. (Metropolitan) 21
White, G. (Metropolitan) 24
White, J. (Mrs.) (Derby) 14
White, T. (Bunbury) 14
White, T. R. (Derby) 12
White, W. R. (Derby) 15
Whitehead, H. (Whyalla) 12
Wiechecki, T. (Azzurri) .. 12
Wighton, G. (Master) (Hobart) 12
Wild, C. S. (Derby) 13
Wilkinson, G. (Pooncarie) 18
Wilkinson, T. C. (Wonthaggi) 20
Williams, C. F. (Cohuna) 12
Williams, G. (Toowoomba) 14
Williams, M. (Bathurst) .. 20
Williams, R. J. (Metropolitan) 19
Williams, R. J. (Nyah) 17
Willis, J. (Metropolitan) .. 17
Wills, B. (Springsure) 16
Winter, K. J. (Nth. Eastern Goldfields) 15
Witcombe, R. C. (Perth)* 18
Witcombe, R. M. (Perth) 14
Wood, L. C. (Blackall) .. 12
Wooding, P. (Boyup Brook) 14
Woodrow, G. (Alexandra)* 21
Woodward, P. W. (N.S.W.) 15
Worland, L. (Geelong) .. 16
Wright, J. (St. Arnaud) .. 18
Wyatt, J. (Darwin) 17
Wylie, H. C. (Rankins Springs) 12
Wysman, R. (N.S.W.) 12

Wythe, E. (Macarthur) .. 16
Wythe, S. R. (Macarthur) 17
Young, G. (Hay) 16
Zuchetti, B. J. (Perth) 17

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** Denotes Referee Examiner
† Denotes Duplicate Card Issued
‡ Denotes Life Registered Shooter
UR Denotes Unregistered Shooter

Arana, A. T. (Burdekin) 13
Antonini, L. (South Aust.) 17
Alexander, C. (Dalby)* .. 20
Arnold, P. (Barmera) 13
Allen, T. F. (Dandenong) 16
Abbott, W. G. (Werribee)* 27

Barker, J. M. (Snr.) (Newcastle) 21
Boyland, T. H. C. (Wingadee)* 19
Beasley, N. (Townsville) 18
Boswell, G. (Melbourne) 17
Banister, W. J. (Burdekin) 16
Birdsall, P. (Sydney) 16
Bell, I. (Huntly) 16
Buckley, B. A. (Goulburn) 15
Boldrin, E. (South Aust.)* 21
Brazier, B. J. (Guyra) 16
Bailey, T. (Ballandean) .. 15
Boggis, R. (Newcastle) .. 17
Byrnes, J. (South Aust.)* 23
Bailey, M. (Coffs Harbour) 16
Buemi, C. (Narrogin) 13
Battersby, J. (Katanning) 16
Bretag, N. (Griffith) 14
Bain, E. (Brisbane) 14
Blanchard, D. V. (Puckapunyal) 15
Brown, D. (Melbourne)* 16
Brown, A. O. (Brisbane) 14
Bruce, D. (Melbourne) .. 15
Boyes, J. G. (Perth) 19
Bailey, F. G. (Perth)* 22
Brodie, J. (Condamine) .. 15
Beer, J. (Condamine) 17
Blomfield, S. (Mrs.) (Guyra) 14
Brookes, G. R. (Rabaul) 18
Bookallil, A. (Berridale) .. 14
Betts, R. (Brewarrina) 19
Betts, M. (Brewarrina) .. 18
Berglund, R. G. (Perth) .. 16
Bennett, A. (Perth) 17
Bath, R. H. (Geelong) 21
Buchan, F. J. (Frankston) 20

Cook, H. (Callawadda) .. 13
Carrington, G. (Charters Towers) 13
Crouch, H. M. (Ipswich) 13
Chaplin, B. (Tasmania) .. 16
Cameron, K. F. (Roma) .. 24
Cayley, N. D. (Snr.) (Bundaberg) 13
Cameron, B. (Condamine) 14
Chellew, A. (Barmera) .. 19
Christensen, W. (Charters Towers) 15
Clout, D. (Guyra) 14
Cross, S. (Guyra) 17
Caon, D. (South Aust.) .. 14
Coburn, T. (Burdekin) .. 16
Cairns, L. G. (Australian) 14
Copping, C. F. (Naracoorte) 20
Calderwood, K. (Ungarra) 16
Commons, E. J. (Bute)* .. 20
Churches, S. (South Aust.) 14
Casella, G. (Hay) UR 14
Cox, P. T. (Hay)* 18
Carver, W. J. (Hay) 14
Christie, I. (Hamilton) 18
Curnow, B. (South Aust.) 13
Cayley, N. C. (Bundaberg) 13
Coldham, C. (New England) 18
Cristaudo, L. (Mount Isa) 13
Cooke, R. C. (Northam) 17
Chirnside, A. F. (Dundonnell) 20
Chin-Quan, W. (Darwin) 16
Crema, L. (Hawkesbury)* 17

Dunn, A. J. (South Aust.) 19
Deluca, D. (Ballandean) .. 20
Dryden, G. (Melbourne) 16
Dickens, I. (Geelong) 19
Drinkwater, D. (Metropolitan) 18
Dean, R. (Roma) 22
Doblo, G. (Bundaberg) .. 13
Dipeitrantonio, M. (Victorian) 16
Durkin, J. (Inverell) 16

Ellis, J. (Horsham) 17
Edwards, T. (Bundella) .. 17
Ellis, D. H. (Guyra) 18
Edwards, H. W. (Dungog) 16
Ellis, J. (Griffith) 15
Edwards, G. (Finley) 18
Elliott, B. T. (Rutherglen) 13

Fetch, E. (Bundella) 15
Fox, R. (Frankston) 13
Flegler, F. (Dalby)* 16
Fraser, S. (Birchip) 20
Fraser, R. (Ararat) 16
Foster, J. (Geelong) 15
Fielding, C. (Callawadda) UR 13
Fyers, F. (New Zealand) 24
Francis, W. (Condamine) 13
Farrow, J. (Gold Coast)* 19
Ford, J. (Geelong) 26

Gibson, L. A. (Echuca) .. 21
Gemmola, J. (Ararat) 13
Grilli, P. (South Australian) 20
Gehlig, G. (Bordertown) 15
Gaskell, A. J. (Rabaul) .. 16
Gittoes, B. S. (Boggabri) 15
Glasgow, D. J. (Rutherglen) 14
Gibson, M. (Hay) 19
Gibbs, H. G. (Griffith)* 22
Gibbs, D. (Griffith) 17
Goody, N. (Cent. Burnett) 17
Goody, B. (Cent. Burnett) 16
Goodrich, B. D. (Roma) 16
Goodacre, G. (N.S.W.) .. 22
Gaskell, J. (Rabaul) 17
Guymer, G. E. (Narrandera) 14

Hinneberg, J. (Horsham) 24
Hatcher, R. (Hopetoun) .. 16
Hunter, F. L. (Brisbane) 14
Harris, J. R. (Gold Coast) 13
Hodder, L. (Burdekin) 18
Hitzman, T. (Mt. Hagen) 13

Haddrill, M. (Mendooran) 13
Heywood, P. (Frankston) 16
Hartman, J. (Guyra) 19
Hamilton, K. (Ararat) 16
Headon, T. (Hay) 14
Heazlewood, B. I. (Tasmanian) 14
Hollywood, C. J. (Barmera) 15
Harding, F. J. (Whyalla) 17
Hillery, H. (Griffith) 14
Holmes, D. (Geelong) 18
Hands, E. (Wagga) 23
Hughes, J. (New Zealand) 20
Henwood, R. (Melbourne) 17
Harding, J. (Metropolitan) 17
Hands, D. (Frankston) 15
Hollywood, J. (Barmera) 15
Hollywood, L. (Barmera) 13
Hodge, T. C. (Rabaul) 19
Hamblin, J. (Korumburra)* 20
Hill, L. (Moree) 18
Hall, G. (Jnr.) (Geelong) 13
Hiscox, Rt. Rev. Monsigneur (Ballandean) 14

Johnson, B. (Newcastle) .. 23
Josephs, I. (Broken Hill) 16
Jamieson, P. (Echuca) 16
James, K. P. (Katanning) 14
James, D. (Kerang) 14
Jensen, C. (Springsure) .. 13

Kerley, M. (Barmera) 16
Kennedy, T. (Bombala) .. 14
Kerr, W. (Whyalla) 15
Knuth, R. (Townsville)* .. 18
Kean, G. (East Coast) 14
Kowald, A. S. (Katanning) 14
Kaufman, D. (Metropolitan) 16
Kent, B. J. (Portarlington) 14

Kocks, G. (Finley) 18
Keeling, A. (Illawarra) .. 19
Kavanagh, S. (Springsure)* 17
Kable, B. (N.S.W.)* 21

Linton, H. (Mount Isa)* 13
Lynch, J. (Mount Hagen) 13
Lord, C. (Wagga) 14
Logan, H. (Korumburra) 16
Longmore, M. (Rabaul) .. 16
Lonie, W. R. (Melbourne) 19
Linke, T. (Hamilton) 18
Lockyer, D. (Guyra) 17
Lyons, F. X. (Dr.) (Cowra) 19
Lace, P. (Hay) 16
Lucas, D. (Griffith)* 26
Lyons, M. D. (Queanbeyan)* 21
Lohse, P. (Ballandean) .. 16

Madens, J. (Master) (Moree) 14
Morony, T. A. (Bute) 17
Mitchell, A. (Jnr.) (Hopetoun) 14
Milner, D. (Korumburra) 13
Marks, S. (Central Burnett) 17
Mooring, L. (Bundaberg) 14
Moore, E. N. (Charters Towers) 14
Maguire, P. (Clermont) .. 21
MacDonald, J. (Snr.) (Clermont) 23
Mollica, V. (Victorian) .. 13
Marsham, L. (Melbourne) 14
Minton, T. H. (Australian) 13
Mitchell, H. M. (Metropolitan) 17
Mitchell, R. G. (Melb.) .. 18
Moorehead, M. (Hay) 15
Maso, R. (Hawkesbury) .. 19

Murray, D. (Rutherglen) 19
Mitchell, L. (Metropolitan) 21
Maidens, J. (Moree) 15
Montgomery, R. J. (Perth) 16
May, W. W. (Alexandra)* 21
Martin, J. R. (Springsure) 13
Martin, G. (Springsure) .. 13
McIntyre, W. J. (Millicent) 14
McGrath, W. (Quambatook) 17
McCloy, E. C. (Illawarra) 14
McGee, K. (Hopetoun) 16
McDougal, I. (Ararat) 13
McGrath, L. (Hay) 13
McCredden, S. G. (Birchip) 17
McEwan, M. (St. George) 21
McEwan, D. (St. George) 23
McCulloch, J. (Gunnedah) 20
McLeod, E. J. (Frankston) 14

Needs, A. (South Yorke Peninsula) 15
Nesci, T. (Katanning) 14
Nicholson, R. (Alexandra (Vic.) 17
Nixon, T. (Rand) 16

Olsen, N. G. (Burdekin) .. 15
O'Rourke, J. (Dubbo) 18

Phillip, B. (Cessnock City) 15
Peak, D. (Jnr.) (Sth. Aust.) 13
Petersen, G. (Clermont) .. 19
Pontifex, M. (Bute) 13
Plane, K. (Ganmain) 13
Peart, W. (Ararat) 16
Patterson, L. (Metropolitan) 17
Priestly, K. (Dandenong) 15
Perkins, K. (Sydney)* 17
Poore, R. A. (Finley) 14
Palk, B. (Sydney) 18
Pocock, A. G. (Hay) 17

Perry, W. H. (Mildura) .. 22
Papps, P. (Queanbeyan-Canberra)* 16
Press, B. A. (Griffith) 13
Patterson, J. (Bairnsdale) 16
Pearce, V. (Darwin) 16
Paul, R. (Tullamore)* 15
Parker, R. (Gunnedah) .. 15
Paget, F. (Ballandean) 18

Robb, C. (Bundella) 15
Ramsdale, K. W. (Sgt.) (Puckapunyal)* 19
Rolph, W. J. (Goroke) 15
Reid, R. I. (Guyra)* 22
Rayner, M. B. (Southern) 16
Reschke, R. S. (Naracoorte) 18
Raynor, M. (Geelong) 14
Renshaw, R. (Rutherglen) 13
Reid, A. (Cowra) 15
Richardson, S. (Bundella) 16
Reid, K. (Cowra)* 14
Reid, J. S. (Wangaratta) .. 17
Reid, I. (Master) (Benalla) 13
Rayner, P. (Geelong) 13
Rundell, C. H. (Myamyn) 15
Rowland, C. (Toowoomba) 17
Ralston, M. (South Aust.)* 20
Reilly, C. (Condamine) .. 13
Redman, E. (Bingara)* .. 26

Smith, R. (Illawarra Dist.)* 15
Sullivan, M. J. (Boort) 13
Southon, E. (Broken Hill) 13
Smith, I. G. (Barellan) .. 15
Sotovia, G. (Ararat) 14
Schulz, K. (St. Arnaud) .. 13
Smith, D. (Wyarama) 17
Seneca, P. (Naracoorte) .. 14
Starr, D. (Miss) (Guyra) .. 15
Steel, R. (Guyra) 13

Simson, R. P. (Gunnedah) 17
Seccombe, G. D. T. (Coffs Harbour) 20
Simmons, E. (Coffs Harbour) 15
Shand, W. E. (Dalby) 23
Shields, W. (Griffith) 20
Schmidt, R. J. (Narrogin) 16
Shipway, R. (Sutton Forest) 13
Starling, F. R. (Sth. Aust.) 24
Stewart, I. (Melbourne) .. 13
Suter, D. (Wangaratta) .. 18
Scott, R. (Callawadda) .. 17
Scott, P. (Callawadda) .. 15
Searle, J. (Toowoomba) .. 15
Stewart, L. (Toowoomba)** 17
Smith, C. E. (Northam & Districts) 19
Smith, H. (Tyrendarra)** 20
Stewart, J. (Melbourne) .. 13
Shelton, L. (Mrs.) (N.S.W.) 13
Sutherland, M. (Colac)* .. 19
Shand, N. (Dalby) 20
Shaw, R. M. (Blackall) .. 13
Stelling, T. (Eastern Goldfields)* 19

Twigg, D. (Bombala) 17
Turner, G. W. (Boort) 14
Thompson, R. E. (Central Burnett) 18
Taylor, D. (Newcastle) .. 15
Tucker, A. (East Coast) .. 14
Thurley, P. (Tasmanian)* 17
Thompson, D. (Ballandean) 15
Turner, G. (Quambatook) UR 13
Trembath, K. (Rankins Springs) 15
Trembath, S. (Rankins Springs) 16
Thornton, A. K. (Dalby) 18
Thurlow, H. W. (Dr.) (New South Wales)* .. 21

Volker, R. (Condamine) .. 13
Von Hombracht, F. L. (Newcastle) 14
Vipond, P. (Master) (Victorian) 16
Verbis, E. (South Aust.) .. 14
Valentine, M. (Hay) 16
Vipond, M. (Victorian) .. 16

Wardell, R. (N.S.W.) 14
Williams, A. G. (Central Burnett) 14
Weaver, A. P. (Toowoomba) 14
Whitson, K. K. (Burdekin) 19
Williams, L. (Jnr.) (Victorian) 17
Willett, G. (Ararat) 20
Williams, W. F. (Metropolitan)* 25
White, M. (Mrs.) (Guyra) 16
Whittaker, D. A. (Dorrigo) 20
Williamson, J. C. (Coffs Harbour) 17
Wren, F. A. (Warwick) .. 14
Williams, G. (Hay) 16
Walsh, K. (Maryborough) UR 13
Wardell, J. (Melbourne) .. 13
Warburton, R. (Hamilton) 13
Williamson, H. (Victorian) 16
Webb, A. (Illawarra)* 15
Wembridge, A. F. (Geelong)* 20
Wakefield, R. A. (Hay)* .. 22
Worley, J. (N.S.W.) 18

Williams, K. V. (Royal Aero) 20
Williams, B. (Metropolitan)* 27
Wust, A. (Rockhampton) 16
Westgarth, R. (Broken Hill) 14
Wilson, G .(Guyra) 15
Williamson, H. (Guyra)* 24

Young, C. (Tasmanian)* 16
Youl, W. (Tasmanian) 14
Yosri, G. (N.S.W.) 16

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Aitken, G. E. (Sth. Aust.) 10
Alvaro, R. (South Aust.) 6

Banovich, V. (Hawkesbury) 6
Browne, P. T. (South Aust.) 2
Banks, D. (Ipswich) 3
Boyes, J. (Geraldton) 1
Burton, N. (Geraldton) 8

Campbell, I. P. (Sth. Aust.) 1
Collins, E. A. (Sth. Aust.) 2
Clark, W. (Hawkesbury) 2
Clarke, R. G. (Hawkesbury) 2
Dalle-Molle, A. (South Australian) 8

Devonshire, W. F. (Ipswich) 5

Flaherty, K. F. (Sth. Aust.) 3
Ferrio, A. (Geraldton) 8

Glenn, B. (South Aust.) .. 9
Glass, J. (Geraldton) 1

Hollywood, C. J. (South Australian) 7
Hollywood, L. B. (South Australian) 7
Hollywood, J. (Sth. Aust.) 8
Hayes, A. W. (Hawkesbury) 3
Hawkins, C. (Hawkesbury) 3
Hatch, M. (Geraldton) 3

Kimber, R. (South Aust.) 0
Kerley, M. (Barmera) 6

Laurie, R. (Geraldton) 5

Mawer, G. (Ipswich) 2
Maguire, R. (Hawkesbury) 9

Peake, D. (Snr.) (Sth. Aust.) 4
Peake, D. (Jnr.) (Sth. Aust.) 5

Quire, P. (South Aust.) .. 7
Quirk, M. (Hawkesbury) 0

Ralston, M. (South Aust.) 7
Rayner, P. (Geelong) 8

Starling, F. R. (Sth. Aust.) 5
Simmons, S. (Hawkesbury) 6
Snow, R. (Hawkesbury) 1
Samootin, W. (Ipswich) .. 0
Soames, T. (Brisbane) 9
Stubbs, A. (Hawkesbury) 3
Soames, K. S. (Hawkesbury) 2
Staniforth-Smith, J. R. (Boyup Brook) 4
Satara, R. (Hawkesbury) 9

Thurlow, H. W. (Dr.) (Hawkesbury) 6
Tosolini, L. (Hawkesbury) 3

Wilson, B. (Hawkesbury) 5
Waters, K. (Hawkesbury) 3

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