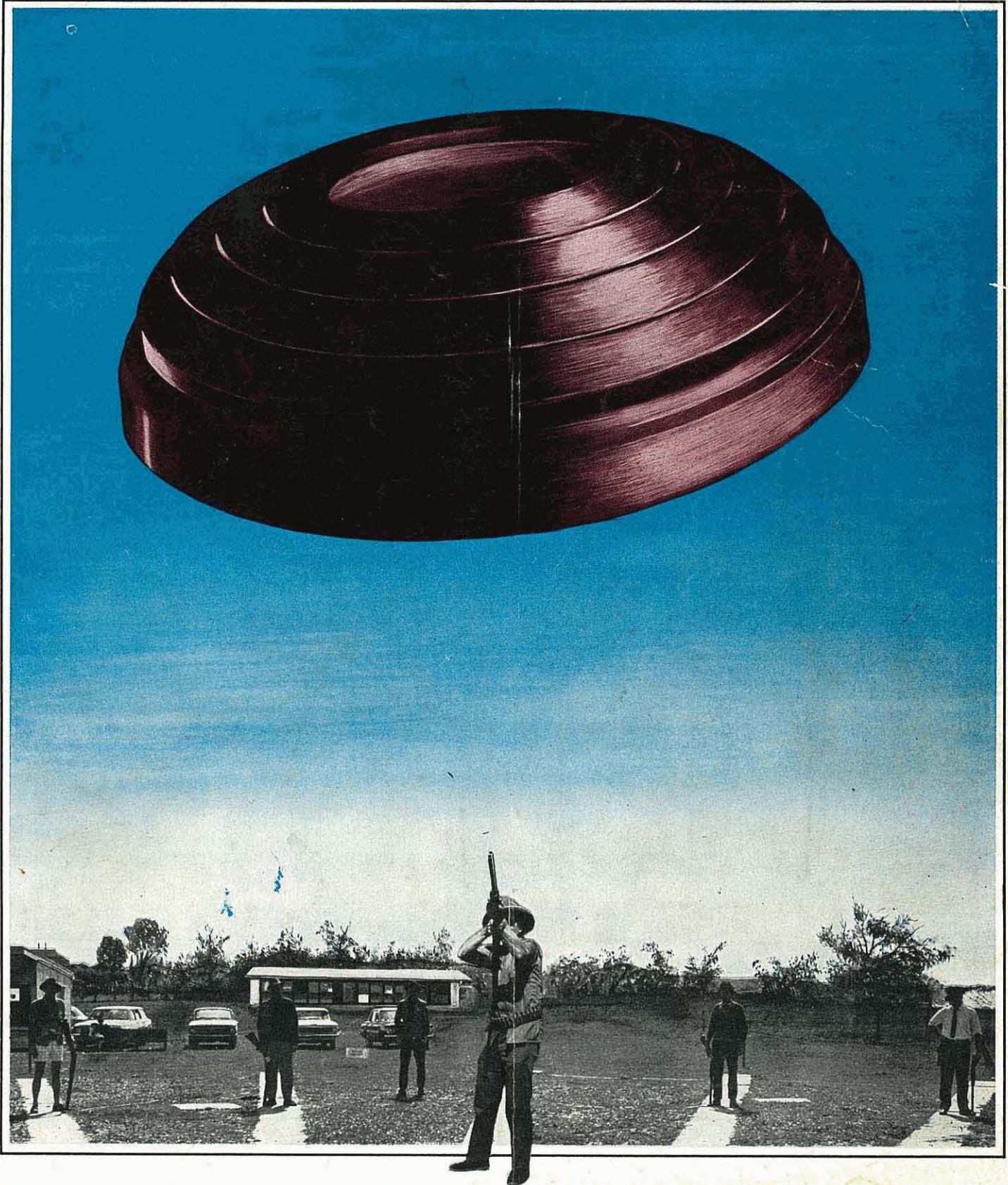


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MILDURA — NOVEMBER, 1969



Top left—from left: The President and Secretary of Mildura Gun Club and their wives dancing at the Club's annual dinner dance.

Centre: A section of members at the dinner dance—from left: Mrs W. Perry, Mr and Mrs P. Richardson, Mr and Mrs L. Richardson, Mr and Mrs A. O'Connor and Mr W. Perry.

Bottom left: The Committee of Mildura Gun Club and their wives.

Top Right: C. Howe (Broken Hill), winner of the Laurie Bruce Memorial Trophy at Mildura, 15/11/69.

Bottom right: J. Finis, winner of Murray Valley S.B. Championship, Mildura Gun Club Cup and High Gun Trophy, 15/11/69.

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Editor's Notes



REGISTERED SHOOTERS

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

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

Club Secretaries and shooters are reminded that all fees for 1970 are due and payable on January 1, 1970. Club affiliation fee is \$10.00 and shooter registration fee of \$4.00 must be forwarded through a Club Secretary. Subscribers (i.e., non-Club members) may send \$5.00 direct to A.C.T.A. for "News" publications only. No pro rata rates are accepted and such fees are for the calendar year concerned.

The POSTCODE reference is vital for all "News" addresses—otherwise your "News" will be rejected by the Postal Authorities.

March, 1970, "News" will be mailed only to shooters financial (actually received by the A.C.T.A. as of February 17, 1970).

February, 1970—2

DELEGATE APPOINTMENT

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

It is also pointed out that where a representative or delegate has been appointed previously, and this has not been officially rescinded, the appointment as previously made will stand, until the Association is advised or instructed otherwise. In accordance with the Articles of Association, clubs cannot appoint a delegate other than on the prescribed form (letters are unacceptable).

Each 1969 financial affiliated member club has been mailed a Delegate Card (for unincorporated clubs) or a Representative Card (for incorporated clubs). These cards must be presented by the respective financial shooters concerned to obtain permission to attend and be eligible to vote at future annual general meetings.

1969 ANNUAL MEETING

The 1969 annual meeting of affiliated club delegates and representatives of member clubs will be held at the Rivervale Hotel half way between Perth City and the gun club, on the highway, at 8 p.m., Monday, March 2.

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

A.C.T.A. Secretary shall be available at 7.30 p.m.

AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET SHOOTING NEWS

NOMINATION FOR EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, 1970

The following nominations have been received by the A.C.T.A. Secretary for the Executive Committee for the 1970 period:—

PRESIDENT:

G. H. HALL
(one to be elected)

QUEENSLAND:

L. S. R. STEWART
(one to be elected)

NEW SOUTH WALES:

1, A. E. CREGAN; 2, K. S. SOAMES
(two to be elected)

VICTORIA:

1, W. G. ABBOTT; 2, A. PEDERSEN;
3, H. SMITH
(two to be elected)

TASMANIA:

W. E. H. RAINBIRD
(one to be elected)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA:

R. C. MULES
(one to be elected)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA:

N. WELLS
(one to be elected)

The election of seats on the Executive Committee of the Association will take place during the 34th Annual General Meeting of the Australian Clay Target Association to be held at the Rivervale Hotel, Perth, Western Australia on Monday night, March 2, 1970.

A.C.T.A. 1970 National Championships and International Teams' Match will be conducted by the Association over the six successive days of February 28 to March 5 at the grounds of the Perth Gun Club, situated some six miles from Perth city centre at Koojan Avenue, South Guildford—a directional map is published in the advertising section of this issue.

The programme shall commence daily at 8 a.m. and for the first five days, Saturday to Wednesday inclusive, only down-the-line trap events (either championships or handicaps) shall be shot. On the sixth and final day only the Australian National Skeet Championship shall be shot.

On the first day, Saturday February 28, shall be the coveted AUSTRALIAN CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS event of 50 targets off 20 yards (1969 winner was Ray Morrison of Victoria), to be followed, if possible, by a \$300 value, double barrel, 25 target handicap event. This shall be the 30th such Australian National Champion of Champions event.

On the second day, Sunday, March 1, the 18th Australian National Double Barrel Championship — 50 targets off 16 yards (1969 winner was Doug Smith of Queensland), shall be conducted and in conjunction shall be the 23rd Australian National Intermediate Double Barrel Championship (1969 winner was 15-year-old G. Mark of Victoria). Time permitting, a \$300 value double barrel handicap shall follow.

The third day, Monday, March 2, shall commence with the 16th Australian National Single Barrel Championship of 50 targets off 16 yards (1969 winner was

Noel Davis of Victoria) and shot in conjunction shall be the 1st Australian National Intermediate Single Barrel Championship—an addition to the 1970 programme. These events shall be followed by the 10th Australian National Double Rise Championship of 25 pairs of targets, double rise, off 16 yards (1969 winner was Tony Salafia of New South Wales) and shot in conjunction shall be the 1st Australian National Intermediate Double Rise Championship—also an addition to the 1970 programme.

The fourth day, Tuesday, March 3, shall see the 9th Australia-New Zealand Championship of 50 targets, points scoring off 16 yards, followed by probably two \$300 value handicaps each of 25 targets. During this fourth afternoon, the 30-man team shall be announced for the Australian section of the 24th International Trap Teams' Match. This team shall have evolved progressively over the previous days from individual scores in the 16 yards National D.B., S.B. and A.N.Z. events.

The fifth day of down-the-line events shall commence with the 30-man Australian Team, as selected on the previous day, shooting 100 targets per member from 16 yards. This is a double barrel, points scoring, event, with 3 points for a first barrel "kill" and two points for a second barrel "kill" (NIL points for a LOST target).

The team shall shoot over four traps only, using the 5 track squad system, 25 targets per trap, 5 targets from each track per shooter before changing tracks. All shooter scoresheets shall be sealed immediately for despatch to England where the final section of the 24th International Teams' Match for the Mackintosh Perpetual Trophy shall be contested. Only the 25 highest scores in each team shall count.

Then shall follow the 20th Grand Australian Handicap of 50 targets, to be followed by, time permitting, a \$300 value D.B. handicap.

This shall conclude the five days of down-the-line trap shooting during which the \$300 value handicaps shall be of compulsory division to save time from extended shoot-offs.

AT THE 1970 NATIONALS

1. There be a choice of 1½ ounce load cartridges branded A.C.T.A./National Championships/Perth/1970 for shooter contestants.

2. The first shooter of each squad may observe a sighter at his first and subsequent visit to any layout.

3. The James Patrick Travel Service, of 35 William Street, Melbourne, 3000 (Phone 61-2941) OR their interstate offices, 35 Pitt Street, Sydney (Phone 27-6611), OR Maritime Building, 431 Queen Street, Brisbane (Phone 311-871) are the official 1970 travel and/or accommodation agents to whom all such enquiries should be directed.

4. Clay targets shall be orange domed for the trap events and plain black for the skeet events.

5. Visiting teams shall be welcome from registered English clubs and from U.S.A. rest and recreation servicemen.

6. Gunsmiths shall be available on the shooting grounds.

7. Shooters shall be squadded in the order of nomination.

8. Shotguns up to 12 gauge, with minimum barrel lengths of 25 inches, may be used in both the trap and/or skeet events.

9 (a) The overall trap high gun winner over the national events, Ch. of Ch., D.B., D.R., S.B., A.N.Z., Grand Australian, shall receive the high gun sash, a commemorative silver salver, a Browning under-and-over shotgun—a B2 special Trap 2 model—and a perpetual cup.

9 (b) The Association is grateful for and records its acknowledgment to the makers of this fine shot gun trophy, Messrs Fabrique Nationale of Belgium. Such a trophy has been donated since 1966 and for 1969, the "Browning" agents, Commercial Marketing Co. Pty. Ltd., of Sydney, have kindly indicated that this gun shall be available. It is noted that previous such winners are excluded from receiving a second gun.

9 (c) The perpetual Overall High Gun Cup shall be as donated by Mr J. Newton Thomas who has won some twenty open national clay target title events, has shot in 19 separate Australian International Teams for the Mackintosh Trophy during which he was five times High Gun scorer and also tied three times. He was the first shooter to break 100/100 targets double barrel and to score 300/300 points within any country competing in this event. He has won over 200 clay target shooting titles including some nine Commonwealth and twenty-four major State titles. He held the Australian break record for 15 years from 1951 to 1966 and again in 1969.

10. A Stirling Broadrib Trophy gun will be presented by Fuller Firearms of Sydney "to any New Zealander who wins any of the five annual Australian championships."

11. The sixth and final day, Thursday, March 5, shall see the first Australian Skeet Championship—an addition to the programme. This event shall consist of 50 targets shot in two rounds each of 25 targets using the Quick Round Method.

12. All empty shells on the ground during the period of the 1969 National Championships shall be the property of the Perth Gun Club.

13. It is recommended that participants bring a cool, shady hat.

14. All shooters visiting the State of Western Australia are advised that all firearms must be registered in that State. Thus, all shooters must present handicap cards and firearms at the first police station encountered in Western Australia for the purpose of licensing (\$1 per shooter). Licences permit the use of firearms for both competition and sport by the holder.

15. There shall be a Referee Discussion on the rules at the Perth Gun Club commencing 8 p.m., Tuesday, March 3, for which the Chairman shall be the Shoot Marshal and available for questions shall be:

For Trap—Messrs W. A. Edwards, D. R. Taylor and R. C. Mules.

For Skeet—Messrs N. Wells, E. G. Biggs and R. Burton.

16. The Perth Gun Club may conduct a barbecue at the Gun Club grounds AFTER the completion of the day's events, on Sunday, March 1.

17. Over the period February 28 till March 5, the grounds of the Perth Gun Club shall be controlled by the A.C.T.A. As these grounds are Commonwealth property, then only caravans for daytime use are permitted. The only exception is the night watchman caravan. All other intended caravan users are requested to contain their vans at any of the nearby caravan parks.

18. For all interested shooters, the Perth Gun Club shall conduct a pre and post-national shooting programme over February 26-28 and March 6—see their advert last page this publication.

For those planning a visit to New Zealand, the New Zealand Gun Clubs' Association have announced that:

- (a) The 1970 New Zealand North Island Championships will be held at Taumarunui on February 14/15, 1970.
- (b) The 1970 New Zealand National Trapshooting Championships shall be conducted at the Christchurch Gun Club in the South Island from April 5 to April 11 inclusive and shall include the 1970 Australia-New Zealand Trap Teams' Match.

For those planning a visit to England, the Clay Pigeon Shooting Association will be conducting the final section of the 1970 International Teams' Match at Leamington Spa, Warwickshire, England, on Friday, July 17, 1970.

Corrections to A.C.T.A. Clay Target Rules applicable as from 1/1/70 and as published in December 1969.

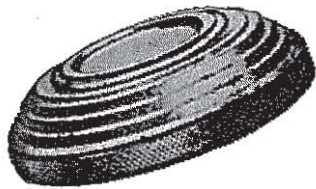
TRAP

- 1. Page 19, Rule 41, line 4 for "track" read "trap."
- 2. Page 25, Rule 150, add "points scoring" before "kills to count."
- 3. Page 25, Rule 152, delete both barrels equal value, substitute kills to count with points scoring 3 and 2 on a countback system to adjudicate ties only.

SKEET

Page 33, Rule 22, line 3, after "will" insert "not."
It has been reported that practically every shooter in Britain wears a blast eliminating ear plug of United States origin. These plugs disperse much of the blast effect but ordinary conversation is understandable. However, exhaustive studies by the Australian Accoustic Authorities — a Commonwealth Government body — have found that ear muffs are the most satisfactory safeguard.

April 1970, A.C.T.A. Shooting News shall be late as we shall be in Perth, Western Australia, for the 1970 Australian National Championships and thence the Easter shutdown of industry occurs at inconvenient dates for mailing. Consequently, would all advertisers please design their announcements for April accordingly.



TIPS AND TALES



Mount Isa (Qld.) — at 26/10/69 annual general meeting elected as office bearers for 1970 Messrs President, L. Cristauds; Vice-President, C. Buhagiar; Secretary, H. J. Smith; Assistant Secretary, Mrs B. Buerchler; Treasurer, K. Green; Range Captain, C. Selke.

Mount Gambier (SA) — have now installed a skeet layout.

Wyarama (NSW) — office bearers appointed at the November 19669, annual general meeting were R. Wakefield, President; Vice-Presidents, R. Warren, N. Smith, W. Maddocks; Hon. Secretary-Treasurer, L. Dunn; Assistant Secretary, Mrs N. Wakefield; Shoot Marshal, N. Smith; Assistant Shoot Marshal, A. Halls.

Burdekin (Qld.) — office bearers appointed at 4/11/69 annual meeting were Messrs President, A. W. Stewart; Patron, K. Russell; Treasurer, D. Helander; Secretary, M. H. King.

Taree-Wingham (NSW) — new club formed, shoots fourth Sunday monthly, situated 1.3 miles along Cedar Party Road off Taree-Wingham Road. Secretary is R. M. Sky, Treasurer is L. B. Sky.

Cunnamulla (Qld.) — Secretary now is Mr A. E. Ackroyd.

Euroa (Vic.) — shooters Jim McDonald, Lance Singleton and Noel Wilcox, drove to Cosgrove for the October, Wednesday night shoot, then sat waiting and waiting at the club but it was now Thursday night. It pays to read "Clay Target Shooting News" but we all have our mishaps.

Korumburra (Vic.) — instead of "two bob off the fence" at the end of a days shooting this club has a novel and most popular procedure. At the end of the programme, for 50 cents each, all line up on the centre track, single file, back from the 16 yard mark. Each shooter shoots double barrel at a target under miss-out conditions. For the second and each successive target, everyone, following the leader, shoots from one yard further back, thus from track four all shoot from 17 yards, track five from 18 yards thence over to track one from 19 yards and so on. Finally, those who remain continue shooting it out off 27 yards — all for a beautifully iced and decorated locally home-made fruit cake inscribed "Korumburra Gun Club" with crossed shotgun motif. Usually some 30 or so shooters commence, then by the time all move from track five to track 1, the field lessens smartly.

To speed things up in the case of darkness and a long shoot off, this is sometimes continued single barrel, miss-out.

Such a shoot relaxes all contestants after a day of concentration. It is surprising how well some shoot from the 27 yard mark. (Ed.)

During mid-November 1969, more than a foot of rain fell in Sydney during a period of 48 hours. A car driver on his way to work, peered through his windscreen and noticed a girl returning from shopping, with her dog on a lead. Apart from a cheerful smile on her face, she was wearing only a shower cap and a one-piece bathing costume.

Wangaratta (Vic.) — Secretary now is J. W. Stamp.

Victorian G.C. (Vic.) — annual meeting 27/11/69 elected as office bearers President, W. Arandt; Vice-Presidents, L. Kay and J. Walls; Secretary, J. Platten; Assistant Secretary, M. Vipond; Treasurer, G. Smith.

Horsham (Vic.) — office bearers elected at 27/11/69 annual meeting were President, Ern Smith; Vice-Presidents, Wally Oliver and Cyril Budde; Secretary, Bert Robinson.

Melbourne (Vic.) — at 11/11/69 annual general meeting elected as office bearers, President, R. W. Fox; Deputy President, N. White; Vice-Presidents, R. Buchan, D. Germaine, A. Ferguson; Treasurer, J. Petty; Committeemen, G. Biggs, G. Boswell, R. Brown, D. Brown, K. Coridas, G. Dryden, R. Henwood, W. Henwood, W. Lonie, K. McKay, R. Speed, H. Somers, W. Dalzell, H. Wademan, T. DeLorenzo, G. J. Jones, H. J. Stevens, W. Delaney, J. Ousey, J. Henwood. A sub-committee is investigating the possibility of forming the club into a Limited Company or like body.

Rutherglen (Vic.) — at 22/10/69 annual general meeting elected as office bearers for the following year President, G. Colvin; Vice-President, R. Morley; Secretary-Treasurer, D. Murray; Assistant Secretary, R. Cullen.

Grenfell (NSW) — at 12/11/69 annual general meeting, office bearers elected were President, K. Reid; Vice-Presidents, B. Witt and N. Thorn-Clarke; Treasurer, B. Adams; Secretary, Miss Dianne Gorham. Club shoots second Sunday, monthly.

Luina (Tas.) — A new club may soon be formed.

Wangaratta (Vic.) — Secretary now is Mr J. W. Stamp.

Kavieng (New Ireland) — new club formed as of 1/12/69, with office bearers appointed — President, T. C. Hodge; Vice-President, D. Williams; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs D. C. Hodge; Committee, M. Lussick, W. Taylor, A. Connors, H. McGuinness, J. Stanfield.

Burnie (Tas.) — at 26/11/69 annual general meeting elected as office bearers President, R. Young; Vice-President, A. Barnes; Secretary-Treasurer, J. Hall.

Rabaul (TPNG) — at 3/12/69 annual general meeting office bearers appointed were President, G. R. Rissen; Secretary, G. R. Brookes.

OUT OF THE PAST

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Early in January 1940, Harry Ball (Kew) outstayed J. Bryant to win the Nobel Club's single barrel title for that year. This was shot on the Bentleigh grounds. The pair had two tie shoots before Ball was equal to defeating his rival by one target. Bryant was later in good form to win the Metropolitan Deauville Doubles title when partnered by "Dubbs." Over the original course of the the event they had tied with H. Ogg, D. McKimmie, G. Daniels and W. Bloomfield. This contest was staged on the old Blackburn grounds. Bryant and "Dubbs" had, a few days previously, motored to Sydney to compete in the N.S.W. double-barrel title at Hornsby. "Dubbs" was runner-up in that event to W. Lawler, of Bowral. The latter now resides in Queensland.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

A record crowd is reported at Griffith in the Murrumbidgee irrigation area when the 1950 Commonwealth Single Barrel title was the main attraction. The crowd was estimated at over one thousand, including well over 100 competitors. Ollie Cox, Geoff Bragg, Bill O'Brien and Ted Matthews, all from the Mangoplah, Wagga, Holbrook area of N.S.W., chartered a plane to the shoot and duly arrived on the ground amidst great cheering. There was an equal amount of cheering of another kind when their plane departed and raised clouds of fine brown dust during take-off. Keith Cameron of Roma (Qld.), then holder of the title, was a competitor and very nearly held off the opposition to win for the second successive year. However, he struck the redoubtable W. R. Johns (later secretary of the Camberwell Club) in a tie shoot and was just not steady enough to keep Johns out over the final stages. Fred Robertson of Deniliquin was third.

TEN YEARS AGO

Longreach (Qld.) — Longreach Gun Club held its Annual Championships under almost ideal conditions. Twenty shooters took part in the daytime and twenty-two at night. Shooters from Longreach, Barcaldine, Aramac, Ilfracombe, Isisford, Bangall and Kelly's Creek Clubs were represented. Excellent form was shown by several, among them W. Moyse, P. Landers, D. Mackay and D. Ross.

The Club D.B. Championship off 16 yards was won by P. Landers in a shoot-off with W. Moyse and D.

Mackay, Landers having to shoot 80 birds before finally winning. W. Moyse won the Night D.B. Championship off 16 yards with a possible. A 20-Bird Points event was won by comparative newcomer to the sport D. Ross, with 58 out of a possible 60. The Deauville Doubles Championship was taken out by Aramac shooters J. Dickson and A. Finley.

Hawkesbury (N.S.W.) — Good shooting in perfect weather, with 29 shooters attending, including Alan Reed from Barraba. Ernie Hawkins, who only missed one bird all day, won the Club D.B. Championship with 15/15 from "Lappo" Stubbs, 14/15. Six shooters shot off in the Mayor's Trophy, Roger Hyatt winning with 35/35 and "Lappo" again runner-up with 34/35. New member, Warren Charlton, was third with 26/27 and shot very well all day. At our next shoot in December the club is starting our own air fare to Southport and return shoot to be shot over 50 birds, 10 at each of 5 shoots, so competition should be very strong in this series.

Cal Hollow a shooting enthusiast hailed from Melbourne and since coming to South Australia has become a keen pistol shot with the Police Pistol and Revolver Club. (Editor's Note — as of 1968 Cal Hollow is gainfully occupied with flying light aircraft out of Sydney for the Royal Aero Club. He has also acted as A.C.T.A. Shoot Marshal at the National Clay Target Championships).

Alexandra (Vic.) — Three traps were used for the first time and everything went without a hitch or hold-up thanks to Ron Hedger, his father Manse and son Arthur. Night conditions were perfect with C. Dean in top single barrel form and Tup Pedersen providing the thrills for the crowd with some excellent second barrel saves. Over the night events Claude Dean shot 100 straight without use of one second barrel. Newton Thomas was in his usual form and gave advice to young shooters. Visitors from all States except W.A. Frank Morton from Alice Springs was a long way from home. Peter Boyd of Colac was a top class scoreboard attendant. Office team of Jack Boote, Secretary, Russ Stillman and Bill Sheridan. Cartridges earned the praise of Mildura Secretary Ken Peake. The Victorian Double Barrel Championship produced a splendid exhibition of skill in the tie shoot which brought success to Ray Parker of Colac 100/100. Both Ray Parker and Fred Shearer recorded 100 to 150 breaks. Ray is a 24 yarder, deserved great credit for 153 straight. The big event for the station waggon produced records. At half-

way mark, 61 possibles were on the board to share the sweep. Sixty-four shot the possible in the second 15 and a record 25 possibles lined up for the tie shoot. This continued for three and a half hours and a gallery of at least 1000 watched with keen interest and much appreciated silence throughout. Six shooters eventually decided to divide. Final presentation was to High Gun winner Athol Miller of Apsley who was decorated with the club sash for the fine score of 103/105. This score was closely followed by A. Robotham of Sydney and C. Dean of Wangaratta 102/105. Youthful J. Henwood, of Croydon got into the tie shoot for the wagon and ran up over half-century break.

(Editor's Note — Jack Henwood on 25/10/1969 won the 1969 Winchester Tournament in Australia, A Class — 22/27 yards, with the record score of 732. He had previously shot 100 straight in the qualifying round of this tournament).

Hobart (Tas.) — To encourage front-mark shooters, the club sponsored an event, calling it the Club Champion Grand Prix Cup for 12/14 yard shooters shot from 13 yards. The response was pleasing to the committee, and 14 shooters participated. K. Monks shot extremely well in State Tower Championship, not missing a bird, and was outright winner.

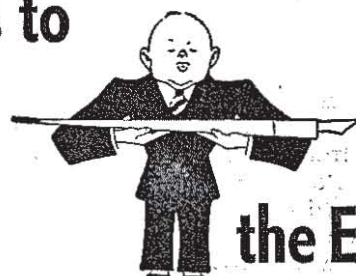
South Australian (S.A.) — Five shooters shot the 40 birds, R. Wainwright, N. Thomas, J. Taylor, E. A. Collins, R. Hutchison; shoot-off: J. Taylor missed his fourth bird to drop out in the first round, E. A. Collins missed six and ten to be out in the second round, Hutchison missed his eighth also to be out in the second round. N. Thomas shot his 31 clays, Wainwright missing his 33rd to let Newton have another chance, but, Newton missed his 41st clay, Wainwright made no mistake in his five clays, to run out the winner with 84/85.

South West (W.A.) — Skeet shooting was becoming more popular all the time and scores are progressively better. In this event we had nine possibles, including handicap, and had a shoot-off with six birds and one quarter of the normal handicap. Yates and Pearce singled out from the rest of the field and each shot 31/36 in the shoot-off. Reg Yates proved too strong and eventually gained first place. Tex Wells was unlucky after starting the day with 19/20. Henry Turner and Les Clarke fought out the competition of 10 pairs Double Rise, and both shooters had obtained a skeet possible; the winner, Henry Turner, became the all-day high gun. Our Vice-President, Noel Wells, is to be congratulated on his recent high gun for the Interstate Teams' Match. He shot 49/50 for both the elimination and the match.

Eastern Goldfields (W.A.) — Twenty members took part under perfect conditions and four members shot 39/40 to contest first place, which was eventually won by Arthur Kilgallon. Both Kilgallon and Montgomery qualified for 50 breaks during the shoot. Another exciting shoot-off took place between Noddy Owens and Peter McBride, to be won by the former. Quite the best shooting yet put up by the club members and a very fitting finale to a wonderful season.

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Letters to



the Editor

DOES YOUR GUN CLUB HAVE AN ADEQUATE PUBLIC RISK/ACCIDENT INSURANCE

On my visits to numerous Queensland Gun Clubs and on speaking to shooters from all States I was amazed to find that the majority of clubs do not have an adequate Public Risk/Accident Policy. In fact, some are not insured at all. There appears to be a general feeling that as there has never been a bad accident in Australia it couldn't happen at their club. I am sure that many clubs do not realise the disastrous effects a bad accident could have on the club and its members.

In this age of high accident awards, especially in motor accidents, an award of \$100,000 or more is a reality. A shooting accident which could easily cause a fatality or maiming could very easily be granted a \$100,000 plus award.

HOW DOES A GUN CLUB PAY SUCH MONEY

e.g.: A club may have a Public Risk/Accident Policy of say \$25,000 and feel secure. In the above possibility the Insurance Company would pay \$25,000 and the club and its members must pay the balance. **Each and every member** of the club is responsible for the balance and can be sued until the balance is paid or the members have no money or assets left. This is a frightening thought that you as a member of a Gun Club could very easily lose everything you own.

HOW CAN THIS DANGER TO OUR PERSONAL INCOME BE ELIMINATED

1. Every Gun Club should have a Public Risk/Accident Policy which insures its members, visiting shooters and every person who is on the ground for an amount of not less than \$100,000.

2. If possible every Gun Club should become an incorporated company with a limited liability clause included, thus further protecting its members. This is the ideal because with the limited liability clause each member of the club is liable only for one year subscription for any amount above the insurance policy amount. However to have this clause included the club must have adequate Public Risk/Accident Insurance cover in the vicinity of \$100,000 and surely a club owes this to its members and visitors in case of accident. The club must also operate as a "non-profit" organisation, i.e., no dividends can be paid to members and in the case of a club closing down all monies realised from sale of assets after all accounts are paid must be distributed to other organisations of a similar nature, i.e., other gun clubs or as may be determined by an Arbitration Court.

It is not practical for the A.C.T.A. or any other body to have one insurance policy sufficient enough to cover all shooters unless all clubs concerned were to sign over all club assets (and liabilities) to the body

holding the insurance policy. You can realise that this would not be suitable for clubs and/or the A.C.T.A. or the body holding the policy.

Gun club managements, I would strongly urge you to take a serious look at your present Public Risk/Policy and take the necessary steps to safeguard your members from financial embarrassment in the case of accidents. Because of our strict safety regulations which I am pleased to say are observed by most clubs and shooters we have not had a bad accident in Australia as yet. However, remember that because of the very nature of the shot gun, any accident on the shooting track will be a very serious one, if not a fatality.

(Signed) W. A. EDWARDS,
Brisbane,
20/11/1969.

EDITOR'S COMMENT

(See pages 5 and 13 of October, 1967).

1. "The attention of club secretaries and shooters is drawn to the brief publication in this issue of the differences between incorporated and unincorporated clubs.

The ANSWER, as received from our solicitors, is presented for the benefit of all concerned.

It will be seen that if a shooter wishes to preserve his liability, then the consideration of a club becoming incorporated would be desirable, and in this case the club must have its own Articles of Association prepared and submitted for the consent of the Attorney General.

For example, a club of, say, 50 members, then each such club member may need to contribute some \$5 to \$10 to cover these costs."

2. Costs have substantially risen since 1967.

AN EXPERIMENT IN HANDICAPPING

For the last twelve months, we at the Brisbane Gun Club have been experimenting with a handicapping system which we think is a fair indication of a shooter's ability and therefore a fairer handicap. Under the present system a shooter is handicapped not on ability but on how much money he is lucky enough to win.

A basic handicap was first worked out on the results produced by shooters in the 1968 Winchester 100 Target Tournament held in Brisbane. This gave an average score (of 100 shooters competing and all trying to kill every target) for each yardage handicap from 12 to 27 yards all shot from a common mark 16 yards. This basic handicap shows an improvement in most marks from 12 yards to 27 yards.

Each month we have held one event at each shoot called the "Performance Handicap" where each shooter shoots from 16 yards with a handicap which, when added to his actual score shot in the event, should produce a possible score. e.g., in a 100 target event a shooter who normally shoots from 20 yards would have four targets added to his score. The par score for a 20 yarder being 96. As it is not possible to shoot 100 target events each day this can be reduced to 25 target events as a point event.

In this points event the 20 yard shooter with a handicap of four targets each 100 or 12 points in 300 points, which, when reduced becomes one target

in 25 or three points in 75 points. In the event if this shooter shoots 72 points or better plus the three points handicap gives a score of 75 points or better, this shooter then continues into the shoot-off.

The shooter enters the shoot-off with the number of points he has left after the event, e.g., shooters with handicap of three shoots 73/75. He then has one point left to be used in the shoot-off. After losing this one point he then retires.

The event is graded into A, B and C grades, each grade being of equal numbers of shooters. One trophy is given for the winner of each grade. The performance handicap can also be successfully shot as a Single Barrel event over 25 targets. This time the shooter's handicap is targets instead of points, e.g., three points in 75 points becomes three targets S/B in 25 targets. Sweepstake events can be shot with this handicap, then there is no shoot-offs but each shooter with a possible or better (after adding handicap) share the pool.

The Performance Event has proved very popular with all shooters who have competed in the event. All handicaps are adjusted after every 100 targets. A shooter's handicap is adjusted inward according to his ability. The outward adjustment is limited to two targets each 100 targets to endeavor to prevent a "rigged handicap." This Performance Handicap is very similar to the new handicapping just introduced in England.

The President of the A.C.T.A., Gordon Hall, has also been working on a similar handicapping method — a percentage handicap for both 16 yard and handicap events. This will appear in a later issue of the A.C.T.A. News.

For any club wanting to try the Performance Handicap the basic handicap is as follows:—

Present Handicap	Par for 16 yards 100 Targets	Handicap to be added to score in 100 Targets	Points to be or S/B 25 Targets added in 75 pts
12	84	16	12
13	86	14	10
14	88	12	9
15	90	10	7
16	92	8	6
17	93	7	5
18	94	6	4
19	95	5	4
20	96	4	3
21	96	4	3
22	96	4	3
23	97	3	2
24	97	3	2
25	97	3	2
26	98	2	1
27	98	2	1

The above is not necessarily the opinion of the A.C.T.A. Executive Committee. It is an experiment to endeavor to find a better method of handicapping.

W. A. EDWARDS,
Old Executive Member,
Brisbane,
18/11/1969.

Open Season for . . .

PROTECTED GAME SHOOTING THROUGHOUT THE COMMONWEALTH DURING 1970

Today, in all civilised countries, the taking of fauna is a controlled privilege, not an inherent right. Native fauna is at all times the property of the Crown and is (a) permanently protected, (b) protected, or (c) pest fauna.

The sale of wild game is forbidden in most States and eggs must not be taken for any purpose.

Complete information is available from the various State departments as listed. Licences may be obtained from these addresses or from the various police stations.

Western Australia

Department of Fisheries and Fauna, 108 Adelaide Terrace, Perth, 6000.

All shooters must present handicap cards, identification papers and firearms at the first police station encountered in Western Australia for the purpose of licensing.

A sporting shooter licence may soon be required by the State laws for the taking of unprotected fauna and fauna unprotected during an open season.

Note: Dates are unconfirmed and will not be set until early 1970.

Wild Ducks — a biological basis determined the 1969 season which opened January 11/12 according to the areas and closed April 30, 1969.

For 1970, a decision has not yet been announced.

Quail—

There are two open seasons for Stubble Quail, but all other species of quail are protected:

(a) in all that part of the State lying north of the 30th parallel the season commences each year on December 1 and closes on March 31.

(b) South of that parallel the season opens on March 1 of each year and closes on June 30.

Because of the dry season throughout Western Australia, an open season has not been declared for the taking of ducks in the Eucla and South-West Land Divisions.

In this State's North-West, Kimberley and Eastern Land Divisions, duck shooting is permitted throughout the year.

A Brown Quail and Stubble Quail open season may be proclaimed for the January to June 30 period.

South Australia

Dept. of Fisheries and Fauna Conservation, Box 901E, G.P.O., Adelaide, 5001.

No person shall—

(a) shoot at animals or birds on any Sunday;

(b) have a gun in his possession on any Sunday for the purpose of shooting at animals or birds on that day;

(c) traps, nets, snares, nooses are prohibited.

Gun licences cost \$2 annually to those over 18 years. A firearms licence for persons under 18 years must be obtained from a Police Station. Gun licences do **not** authorise persons to shoot without the consent of the owner or occupier.

(Editor's Note: The following dates for South Australia are probable and await confirmation):

Proposed dates, subject to confirmation, are:

Ducks — 5 a.m., Saturday, February 21, to 10 p.m., Saturday, February 21. Bag limit 25 by any one person on any day.

Australian (Japanese) Snipe — Proclaimed dates are November 20, 1969 to 5 p.m., Saturday, March 7, 1970, inclusive.

Note: Restrictions exist around Wellington on the Murray River.

Northern Territory

Animal Industry Branch, Northern Territory Administration, P.O. Box 291, Alice Springs, 5750.

All firearms must be declared at the nearest police station **on entry** into Northern Territory for licensing and/or registering.

Ducks and Geese (except Magpie Geese, Burdekin Ducks and Pigmy Geese) — open season in all of Northern Territory, north of the 18th parallel of south latitude, from July 1 till October 30 annually.

Magpie Geese open season in all of Northern Territory north of the 18th parallel of South latitude from August 1 to December 30 each year.

Buffalo are now protected over the entire Northern Territory and may be shot only under licence.

Other partly protected animal species may be taken after procurement of special licences.

Queensland

Dept. of Primary Industries, William Street, Brisbane, 4001.

All islands are sanctuaries. Landholder's permission to shoot is required at all times.

An open season is NEVER declared for Green Pigmy Goose; White-quilled Pigmy Goose (Teal); White-headed Shelduck (Burdekin or Mangrove); Pied Goose (Magpie, Black-White); Black Swan; Blue-winged Shoveller (Spoonbill, Stinker); Chestnut Teal (Chestnut-breasted, Green-headed, Black, Mountain); Grey Teal (Wood, Slender); Musk Duck (Mould Goose).

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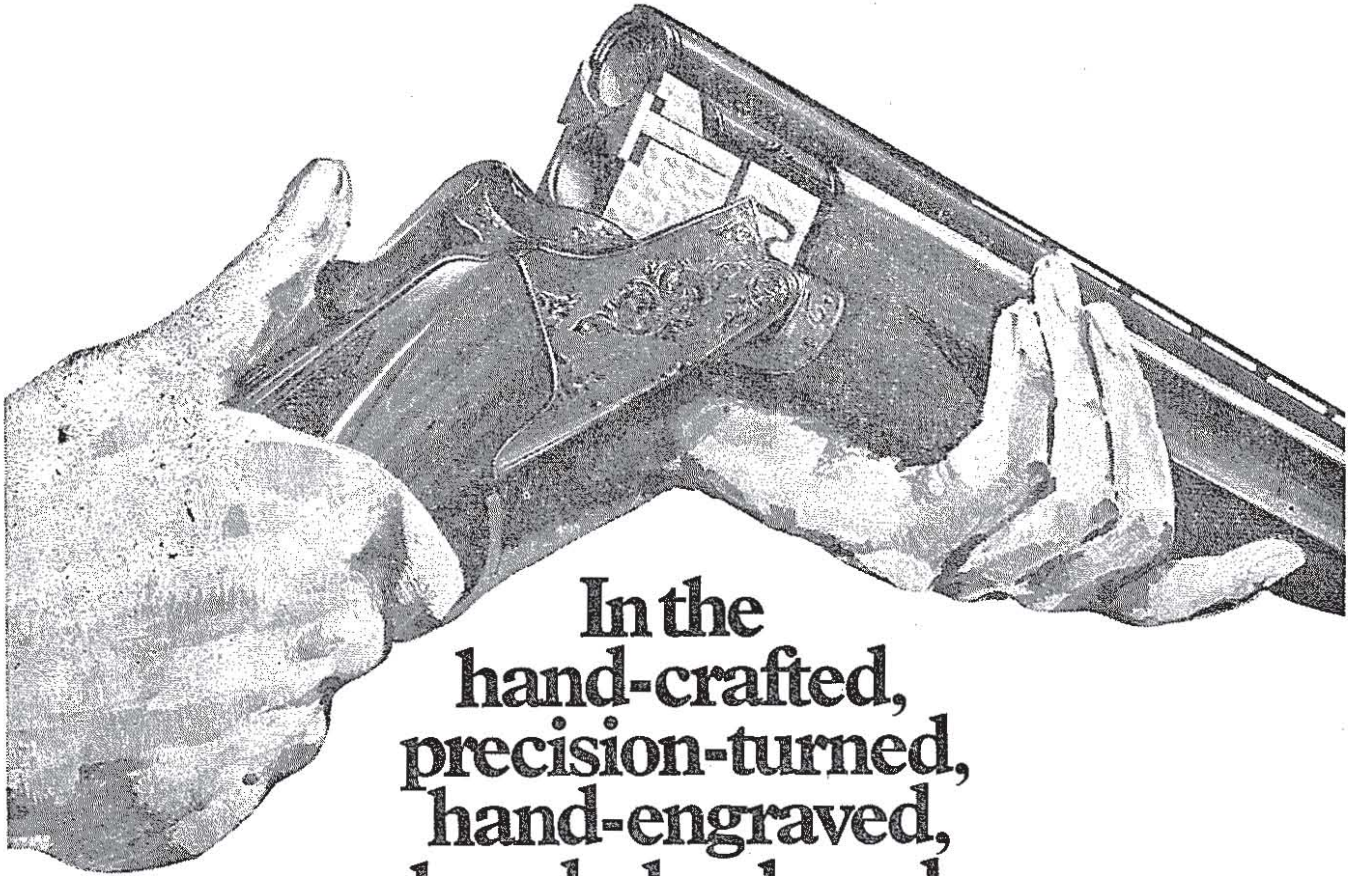
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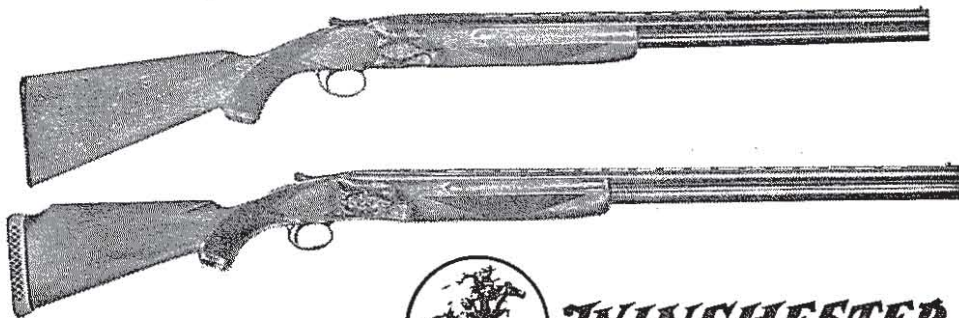
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Open season for Wild Duck and Quail are decided each year for fauna districts 1, 2 and 3. Intending shooters should make enquiries about the middle of the year.

General conditions relating to wild duck shooting in Queensland are detailed in Advisory Leaflet No. 420, i.e., "Know your ducks" (with coloured photographs).

Open seasons are:—

Finches — Various—

July 1 to September 30, in each year, inclusive, in Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.

All introduced birds — including:—

Java Sparrow and some Finches January 1 to December 31, in each year, inclusive, in Districts 1 to 6.

Parrots — King, Rainbow, (Blue Mountain) and Red-winged, May 1 to September 30, in each year, inclusive, in Districts 1 to 6.

Budgerigah, Rosellas, January 1 to December 31, as for Java Sparrows.

Cockatiel or Guarrian, May 1 to November 30, as for Budgerigahs.

Bush or Scrub Turkey, June 1 to September 30, Districts 1 to 6.

Grey Duck (black duck) Maned Goose (wood duck). In Districts 1 to 6 an open season may be declared from time to time.

Australian Snipe, Pin Tailed Snipe, Knots, Sandpipers, Stints, Tattlers, Whimbrels. November 14 in each year to March 15 in the following year. Districts 1 to 6.

Mammals—

Kangaroos — Grey or Red; Wallaroo (Eastern, Dusky, North Queensland); Wallaby — Red-necked, Scrub, Eastern Brush, Black striped, Whiptail, Grey-face, Pretty face, Black tailed, Swamp; Red-legged Pademelon; Water Rat — January 1 to December 31, as for Java Sparrows.

Tasmania

Animals and Birds Protection Board, 127 Bathurst Street, Hobart, 7001.

Notes: Dates subject to confirmation.

The following dates were for year 1969 only and are purely a guide until actual dates are decided:—

Kangaroo and Wallaby (Forester Kangaroo protected) — April 1 to November 30. Licence 50 cents.

Brush Opossum — usually 4 to 6 weeks over July to mid-August. Licence take and sell \$2.

Male Deer with branching antlers — February 28 to March 29. Bag limit one per day, seasonal limit five. Licence \$1.

Mutton Birds — 10 a.m. Saturday, March 28, in the south (south of line between Sandy Cape and Eddystone Point). One hour before sunrise on March 27, north of that line. Only \$1 day licences in south and on Petrel Island, N.W. Coast. Closes April 30. Licence private \$2. Commercial \$10.

Black Swan — April 18 and 19. Limit three per day. Licence \$1.

Wild Duck — Saturday, March 7, to Sunday, May 31. Bag limit 15 per day. Licence \$1.

Cape Barren Geese — season closed.

Brown Quail — May 2 to May 31. Bag limit 24. Licence 50 cents.

Wattle Birds (except Brush) — Usually two weeks in June. Bag limit 15 per day. Licence 50 cents.

Snipe — October 4, 1969, to March 31, 1970. Licence 50 cents.

Male Pheasant (King Island only) — Usually two weeks in June. Bag limit three per day. Seasonal limit 15. Licence \$2.

Water Rats — Not gazetted as yet. Licence to take and sell, 50 cents.

Black Swan (with complete adult plumage) — April 18 and 19. Bag limit three per day. Licence \$1.

Victoria

Fisheries and Wild Life Dept., 605 Flinders Street, Melbourne, 3000.

Game (Duck) Licence \$2.

To carry or discharge a firearm over any property in Victoria without the landholder's consent is an offence.

Wild Duck — 5 a.m. Saturday, February 21, to Saturday, April 25. Twenty birds opening day, 10 birds thereafter.

Quail (Stubble only) — open season in two sections — a.m. Saturday, March 7, to p.m. Saturday, March 28 and a.m. Saturday, May 2, to p.m. Saturday, June 27. Limit 20 birds daily. No licence required.

(Note: No Quail shooting during April).

Snipe (Jack Snipe only) a.m. — July 1, 1969 to p.m. May 31, 1970.

New South Wales

National Parks and Wildlife Service, 189 Kent Street, Sydney, 2000.

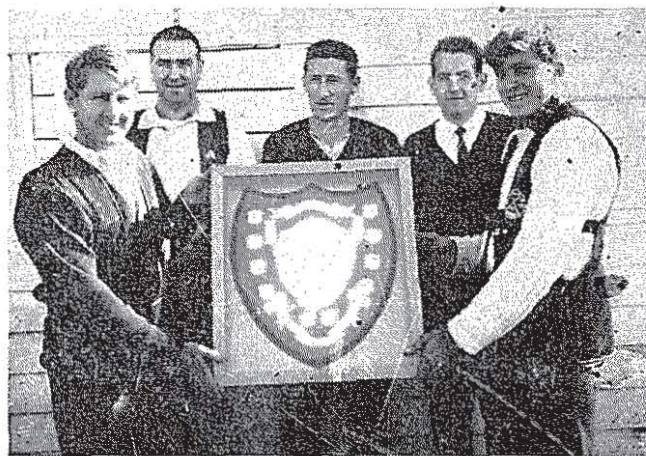
Note: Dates yet to be confirmed.

Wild Ducks — February 21, to April 25, 1970, inclusive.

Quail — First Saturday in May to last Saturday in July.

Written authority necessary from landholder.

Game (Duck) licence \$2.



Chas. Budge Shield Shoot won by Bairnsdale Gun Club (Vic.), 1969. From left to right: N. Elliott, J. Hollonds, S. Collins, L. Byles, D. Young.



Shotgun Wedding

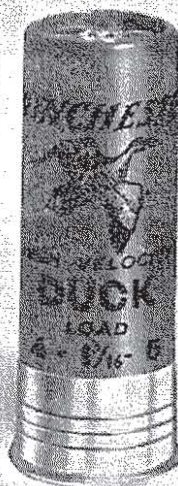
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BURNIE, 6/12/69.—Weather conditions: Gale force winds. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB EO off H'cap: 3 divided. No. 2—5-tgt. DB Novice: J. Lunn, 5/5. No. 3—25-tgt. ICI H'cap: G. Mathews, 25/26; R. Young, 24/26; G. Blaskett, 22/25. FM: M. Roberts, 19/25. No. 4—10-tgt. SB Ladies Shoot: G. Blaskett for K. Blaskett, 10/10. No. 5—10-tgt. DB Xmas Hamper Pts. Decision: W. Blaskett, 30/30.

Under such conditions G. Mathews shot extremely well to take out the ICI H'cap. The Blaskett family had a good day with Graham's 3rd in the ICI H'cap and shooting for his sister Kerry in the ladies' shoot shot the possible. Bill, his father, shot well to take out the Xmas Hamper with a perfect score of 30/30. H. Smith, an experienced shooter, said the targets were the hardest he has ever shot at.

(J. Hall, Hon. Sec.)

BURNIE, 1/11/69.—Weather conditions: Overcast with easterly wind. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1—5-pr. DR EO: 3 divided, 9/10. No. 2—10-pr. Burnie Gun Club DR C'ship: I. Rist, 19/20; J. Hall, 18/22; R. Young, 17/22; FM: M. Roberts, 14/20. No. 3—5-tgt. DB Novice: M. Robert, 5/5. No. 4—15-tgt. DB H'cap: R. Abblitt, 16/16; I. Rist, 15/16; J. Hall, 14/15.

Attendance was disappointing due to Ulverstone Show and Burnie trots.

(J. Hall, Hon. Sec.)

CRESSY, 19/10/69.—Weather conditions: Windy. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: J. Blake, R. Wills, G. Blaskett, B. Frankcombe, K. Littlejohn, 5/5. No. 2, 10-tgt. Novice: (12 yds.), R. G. Freeman, 19/20; (13 yds.), S. Bayles, 9/10; (14 yds.), G. Otley, 9/10. yds.), R. Blake, 50/50; (23 yds. & over), J. Blake, 49/50; G. Otley, 43-50; (15-18 yds.), F. Blake, 48-50; (19-22 yds.), R. Blake, 50/50; (23 yds. & over), J. Blake, 40/59; best overall, R. Blake, 50/50.

The Cressy Gun Club regrets the passing of its former secretary, Rex Powell. Rex was secretary for 23 years and was also an executive member of the association for a period. His passing will be a big loss to the sport in general.

R. Freeman shot brilliantly for his first time over the traps and took the 12 yds. novice. The Winchester shoot had the Blakes well to the fore with veteran Fred Blake taking the 15-18 yds. trophy. Also brilliant shooting by Robert Blake with a perfect score. A good attendance of shooters in the prevailing conditions.

(Ken Gray, Hon. Sec.)

CRESSY, 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 32. Night Shoot. Results: No. 1—EO: 9 divided, 5/5. No. 2—Novice Trophy: 12 yds., B. Tubb, 14/14; 13 yds., R. Green, 10/10; 14 yds., L. Barlow, 10/10. No. 3—Cressy District C'ship: 1st, G. Mathews, 20/20; 2nd, M. Blake, 41/42; 3rd, R. Blake, 40/42. No. 4—DR: 1st, M. Blake, 9/10; eq 2nd, D. Taylor and J. Spinks, 8/10.

Committee was pleased with the number of novice shooters in attendance and showing such good form.

Night C'ship went to Greg Mathews with the only possible with Michael Blake taking second place in shoot-off from Robert Blake.

(Ken Gray, Hon. Sec.)

EAST COAST, 12/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 46. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: G. Richardson, G. Price, J. Hallam, J. Doddridge,

N. Arnol, R. Ward, D. Hallam, P. Thurley, S. Barber, R. Dancey, S. Bagdonas, L. Barlow, B. Castle, K. Pulford, 505. No. 2, 15-tgt. P.D. C'ship: 1st, P. Marshall; 2nd, S. Marshall; 3rd, M. Oakley. No. 3, Ampol Shield: Hobart Gun Club first; Bothwell and Dulventon, tie for second place. No. 4, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, A. Tucker; 2nd, G. Palmer; 3rd, M. Oakley. No. 5, 10-tgt. D.B. Sweep Stake: A. Kean, K. Waddell, G. Palmer, P. Thurley, A. Tucker, 10/10 divided.

The weather was perfect for the Ampol Shield shoot. In spite of keen competition from shooters Hobart Club won the Shield for the second time in succession.

Good to see five teams represented for the Ampol Shield. The shoot over all was a tremendous success. Highlight of day—A. Tucker, 53/53; G. Palmer, 52/53; M. Oakley, 45-46.

P. Marshall won the 15-tgt. Club C'ship after a shoot off. P. Marshall, 32/32; S. Marshall, 31/32; M. Oakley, 21/21.

(Basil G. Castle, Hon. Sec.)

EAST COAST, 9/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and windy. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: D. Hallam, B. Castle, 5/5. No. 2—5-tgt. EO: R. Darcey, 5/5; M. Jones, 5/5; B. Castle, 5/5. No. 3—20-tgt. DB Pts. Decision: D. Hallam, 59/60; L. Barlow, 54/60; R. Williams, 51/60; FM: (12-13 yds.), M. Jones, 52/60. No. 4—6-pr. DD: 1st, R. Williams and B. Castle, 12/12; 2nd, L. Barlow and N. Thorne, 11/12.

D. Hallam was in good form getting 59/60 and winning the 20-tgt. event.

A very enjoyable shoot on Sunday with three new shooters—L. Barlow, M. Jones and D. Hallam. Good to see all the shooters that started with our new club still attending very promptly.

(Basil G. Castle, Hon. Sec.)

HOBART, 11/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and mild. Attendance: 29. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. F.M.: L. Barlow, 10/10; S. Bagdonas, 12/12. No. 2, 50-tgt. Pre-Winchester: (12-14 yds.), 50/50; A. W. Behrens, 49/50; D. Jones, 48/50; (15-19 yds.), B. Chaplin and M. Blake, 49/50 div., 20 yds. and over, J. Blake and P. Marshall, 50/50 div. No. 3, 5-tgt. Tower E.O.: R. V. Conlan, D. Taylor, D. Hallam, A. W. Behrens, E. McRae, D. Hammond, P. Marshall, S. Marshall, T. Newman, G. Richardson, J. Malcolm, L. Witzerman, 5/5 div. No. 4, Tas. Tower C'ship: S. Marshall, 43/43; B. Morgan, 42/43; D. Taylor, 20/21.

(J. Arnol, Hon. Sec.)

MERSEY, 18/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and stiff breeze. Attendance: 30. No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B. Pts. E.O.: Divided—G. Johnson, G. Blaskett, B. Bott, D. Hallam and R. Applitt, 15/15. No. 2, 5-tgt. S.B. Novice: 1st, A. Wescombe, 3/5. No. 3, Mersey Valley D.B. C'ship: 1st, D. R. Taylor, 40/41; 2nd, R. Wills, 39/41; 3rd, G. Blaskett, 32/34; FM: L. Barlow, 27/30. No. 4, 15-tgt. (10 sparrows and 5 clays), H'cap D.B.: Divided—A. Rumble, G. Mathews and D. Taylor, 14/15.

The main event was 30-tgt. Mersey Valley D.B. C'ship which saw three tie with 29/30. After a shoot-off D. Taylor, of Hobart, took the honors from R. G. Wills and G. Blaskett. L. Barlow, of Hobart, took out F/M honors with the score of 27/30.

The final event scores were included in the "Gordon Girdlestone" Memorial Trophy, which is being con-

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EASTER CARNIVAL

***Saturday — Monday
28th and 30th March, 1970***

PROGRAMME

SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 1970

Commencing 9 a.m.

- 1. \$200.00 HANDICAP, 20 TARGET D.B. Nom. \$6.00 C.D.**
- 2. RIVERINA D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP, 20 TARGETS. Nom. \$2.50**

SATURDAY NIGHT

Commencing 7.30 p.m.

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EASTER MONDAY, MARCH 30, 1970

Commencing 9 a.m.

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ducted over six months, with Greg Crosswell maintaining a one point lead over Club President, G. Roberts, to date.

Visitors were welcomed and trophies presented by the Club president at the conclusion of the shoot.

MERSEY, 15/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and windy. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB EO: Four divided, 15/15. No. 2—Tas. DB C'ship: 1st, D. Brett, 29/30; 2nd, G. Crosswell, 30/32; 3rd, G. Roberts, 29/32. FM: B. Smedley, 25/30. No. 3—ICI H'cap Trophy Shoot: 1st, R. Mason, 45/45; 2nd, R. V. Conlan, 42/45; 3rd, G. Johnson, 41/45. No. 4—5-tgt. DR (16 yds.): 1st, G. Roberts, 10/10; 2nd & 3rd divided, D. Brett, R. V. Conlan and B. Smedley, 8/10. No. 5—6-prs. DD (18 yds.): Divided—J. Basso, H. Neville, G. Roberts and G. Mathews, 6/6.

The main event of the day, the Tas. DB C'ship, saw club stalwart Don Brett return to his best form to win outright from Greg Crosswell and Geoff Roberts.

Barry Smedley shot well to take out front marker honors. Brett was also successful in taking out the High Gun award over the full programme with 48/50.

In the ICI handicap Ray Mason, fronting up after a spell, recorded the only clean score to win from R. Conlan, of Huonville, and G. Johnson, of Latrobe.

President G. Roberts presented trophies to the winners, at the same time welcoming visiting shooters. Mrs. Roberts, wife of the President, adorned the championship winner with the sash.

(— Hon. Sec.)

TASMANIAN, 5/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: 11 divided, 5/5. No. 2—15-tgt. Club DB Twilight C'ship: 1st, K. Littlejohn, 26/26; 2nd, D. Von Stieglitz, 25/26; 3rd, D. Cunningham, 19/20; FM: D. Cox, 12/15. No. 3—10-tgt. DB Novelty H'cap S'stake: 1st, K. Littlejohn, 27/30; 2nd, M. Badcock, G. Heywood, 24/30.

Taking advantage of Tasmanian time the Club was able to stage a twilight shoot commencing at 6 p.m.

NORTHERN TERRITORY

ALICE SPRINGS (N.T.), 27/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine, gusty winds. Attendance: 10. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: Pollack, Butcher, 5/5. No. 2—10-tgt. SB: Kittle, 9/10; Evans, 9/10; Pollack, Sutton, 8/10; Robertson, Taylor, 7/10; Skein, 6/10; Fullarton, Butcher, 5/10; Favaro, 3/10. No. 3—20-tgt. DB: Evans, Robertson, 19/20; Taylor, Kittle, Butcher, 18/20; Sutton, 17/20; Skein, 14/20; Fullarton, 12/20; Pollack, 9/20; Favaro, 7/20.

Gusty winds made targets rise sharply and release problems with the traps broke targets and the last event, 5-pr. Double Rise, was cancelled.

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

DARWIN, 19/10/69.—Weather conditions: Hot and hazy. Attendance: 10. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. EO Walk-up: B. Munt, 5/5; F. Celenza, R. Viney, T. Visentin, 4/5. No. 2, 20-tgt. ICIANZ Trophy Walk-up: B. Munt, 20/20; G. Rigoni, R. Viney, 14/20; F. Celenza, V. Pearce, T. Visentin, 13/20.

Barry Munt continued his good form to score a possible in such trying conditions. In a shoot-off, G. Rigoni, gained second place with Ray Viney third. It is good to see our junior member, Ted Visentin, improving with each shoot and today carried off front marker award. Our thanks go to ICIANZ for the donation of the first prize.

(B. Pearce, Hon. Sec.)

DARWIN (N.T.), 2/11/69.—Weather conditions: Hot and calm. Attendance: 10. Results: No. 1—3-tgt. EO DD: Lidden and Munt, Rigoni and Fish, 3/3. No. 2—20-tgt. DD: Wyatt and Charlton, 20/20; Rigoni and Fish, 19/20; Viney and Pearce, 78/20.

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Honors for the evening's shoot went to Ken Littlejohn, who won both events. Ken is shooting very well at present and has been amongst the placings at all the recent shoots. The novelty event proved disastrous for many shooters. Points were awarded "2" for a first barrel and "3" for a second. This wasn't as easy as people anticipated.

The shoot finished with a barbecue and a few "light" refreshments. It was a very pleasant evening and enjoyed by all who participated.

(J. P. Boer, Hon. Sec.)

TASMANIAN, 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Results: No. 1—FM 10-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st, R. Green, 10/10; 2nd, W. Boatwright, 14/14; 3rd, L. Barlow, 15/15. No. 2—N. Dist. DB C'ship: 1st, R. Wighton, 92/92; 2nd, K. Littlejohn, 91/92; 3rd, D. Taylor, 64/65; FM: L. Barlow, 23/24. No. 3—15-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st, G. W. Youl, 25/26; 2nd, D. Von Stieglitz, 24/26; 3rd, F. W. Youl, 19/20. No. 4—10-tgt. SB H'cap: eq. 1st, M. Blake, W. Boatwright, J. Youl, 10/10.

The Northern Districts DB C'ship was won by Ray Wighton. Ray is in good form at present as witnessed by his Commonwealth win in the Skeet section of the Winchester tournament. Ken Littlejohn once again showed his consistency and was runner-up. It was heartening to see the young shooters in the front markers' event and this augurs well for the future.

David Cunningham and Michael Potter have been regular attenders at recent shoots. Our congratulations to R. Green, W. Boatwright and L. Barlow for their success in this event. Warwick and Lance had to survive shoot-offs.

Danny Von Stieglitz prevented the DB H'cap becoming a family affair by separating father and son — Colonel and Bill Youl. The Colonel certainly belied his years and showed his younger adversaries how it should be done.

(J. P. Boer, Hon. Sec.)

The attendance rather disappointing, but the shooting was of a high standard, Kevin and Joe being in fine form to score a possible. Club members would like to offer good wishes to member Barry Munt on taking the plunge and going into double harness. Congratulations Barry and Diane.

(Beryl Pearce, Hon. Sec.)

DARWIN (N.T.), 16/11/69.—Weather conditions: Hot and humid. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO Pts. Score off 16 yds.: 4 divided, 15/15. No. 2—30-tgt. Pts. Score off 16 yds.: J. Wyatt, 86/90; B. Munt, 84/90; R. Viney, 83/93.

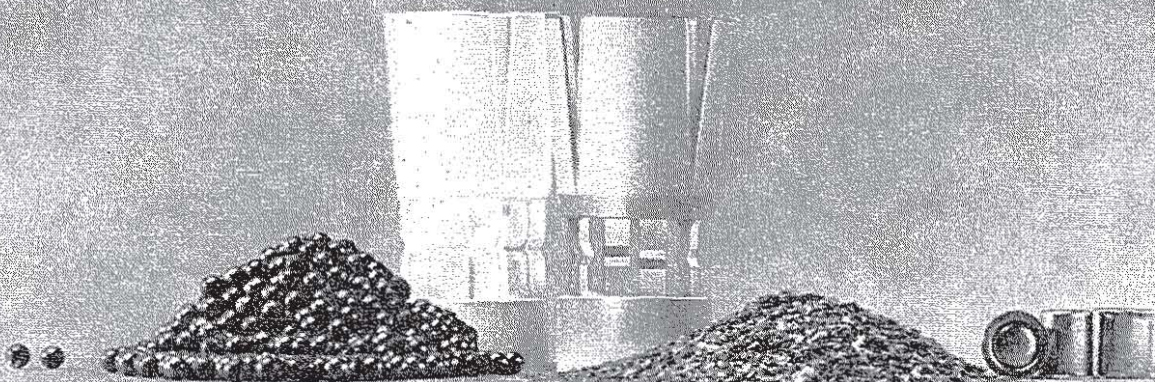
Today's Club shoot was for the Dewar Shield. Our thanks again to Dewars for the donation of today's trophies. First place was taken out by Joe Wyatt, who was in good form. Third place resulted in a tie between R. Viney and K. Charlton, Ray being victorious in the shoot-off.

(Beryl Pearce, Hon. Sec.)

DARWIN (N.T.), 30/11/69.—Weather conditions: Hot and humid. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO SB off 16 yds.: J. Wyatt, 5/5; T. Visentin, B. Munt, 4/5; J. Neale, R. Viney, V. Pearce, G. Rigoni, L. Jessop, 3/5. No. 2—50-tgt. SB off 16 yds.: R. Viney, 47/50; B. Munt, 45/50; G. Rigoni, 42/50.

Ray Viney showed a return to his old form by carrying off the "Bell" Photographers' Trophy, with a good score of 47/50. Barry Munt was second with 45/50, and Gildo Rigoni third with 42/50. Our thanks go to Chris Kloubek for the donation of the first prize.

(Beryl Pearce, Hon. Sec.)



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ALBANY, 21/9/69.—Weather conditions: Summary conditions. Attendance: 7. Results (30 mixed targets): No. 1—5 DB: G. Stone, M. Lubcke, 5/5; D. Webb, R. McCarthy, 4/5. No. 2—5 SB: D. Webb, G. Hall, 4/5; R. McCarthy, J. Thompson, M. Lubcke, J. Downer, 3/5. No. 3—W.U.: G. Stone, D. Webb, 5/5; M. Lubcke, 3/5. No. 4—5 S.P.: G. Stone, 5/5; D. Webb, M. Lubcke, J. Downer, 3/5. No. 5—5-pr. DR: J. Downer, 8/10; G. Stone, G. Hall, M. Lubcke, 7/10. No. 6—1st, G. Stone; 2nd, M. Lubcke, 3rd, D. Webb, R. McCarthy.

Previously to this shoot, two shoots were held. For our Skeet event on the 10th August only five shooters appeared, as it rained and rained, and blew and blew. It was decided to cancel the event, but three farmers and one ex-farmer were just that happy that rain was falling in the drought area, so went out and shot half round of skeet. Our 50 DB Club C'ship was held on August 31 and won by David Webb after a shoot-off with Gail Stone; Jim Cameron was third. Ten shooters attended. Nice to see Charles O'Donnell down from Ongerup also his wife and family.

(Jean M. Lubcke, Hon. Sec.)

ALBANY, 12/10/69.—Weather conditions: Gustly winds and cold. Attendance: 8. Results (60 mixed targets): No. 1—15 DB: P. Humphrey, 15/15; G. Hall, 14/15; D. Webb, A. Holmes, 13/15; J. Downer, 12/15. No. 2—15 SB: P. Humphrey, 15/15; G. Hall, D. Webb, 13/15. No. 3—10 W. UP: P. Humphrey, 9/10; R. McCarthy, 7/10; D. Webb, 6/10. No. 4—10-pr. DR: G. Hall, 15/20; M. Lubcke, D. Webb, 13/20; P. Humphrey 12/20. No. 6—1st, P. Humphrey, 51/60; 2nd, G. Hall, 46/60; 3rd, D. Webb, 45/60.

Shooters shot for the T. Humphrey Perpetual Cup, which the late Mr Humphrey's son, Peter, won in fine style, shooting under difficult wind conditions, 51/60. Second place in the Club Championships went to Graham Hall. Front Markers' trophy went to Roy McCarthy. A disappointing attendance of only eight for our 60 Mixed Targets Club Championship. If attendance doesn't soon improve the secretary will be asking for absentee notes. The excuses had best be good, or club handicaps may suffer!

(Jean M. Lubcke, Hon. Sec.)

ALBANY, 2/11/69.—Weather conditions: Warm and windy. Attendance: 5. Results (Skeet): No. 1—1st Round Skeet: D. Webb (25/25 break) with h'cap 27/25; M. Lubcke, 25/25; J. Downer, J. Thompson, 23/25; R. McCarthy, 19/25. No. 2—2nd Round Skeet: J. Thompson, 26/25; D. Webb, 23/25; J. Downer, R. McCarthy, 21/25; M. Lubcke, 20/25.

Not a large attendance, but an enjoyable afternoon. Congratulations to David on obtaining his 25 skeet break. He shot this break while using a skeet gun he has just purchased. After a cup of tea prepared by Marilyn, a second full round was shot. Scores were not as good in this event, as the wind became stronger.

Subs. are now due for the 1970 year, and it is important that these should be paid immediately so that cards will be back by January for the King George Sound Annual Shoot; also for the nationals in February-March, to be held in Perth.

(Jean M. Lubcke, Hon. Sec.)

BOYUP BROOK, 19/10/69.—Weather conditions: Strong south wind; cold. Attendance: 15. Results: No 1, Mixed tgts.: Club champion was President, Mr W. Hack with 55/63; 2nd, K. Schinzig, 50/63; 3rd, P. Wooding, 45/63.

W. Hack did very well to win with 55/63 and become Club champion for 1969.

K. Schinzig came second with 50-tgts. and P. Wooding was third with 45.

Yardage trophies: E. Chapman winning for 16 yds. and back, 44; T. Chapman winning for 15 yards and forward, 42; and new shooters was taken out by J. Harley, 44.

(F. Schinzig, Hon. Sec.)



Bob Mules (President, South Australian Gun Club), winner of Bolivar Skeet, 30/11/69, Championship being congratulated by Vice-President Lyn Holmes.

BOYUP BROOK, 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Rough and very wet at times. Attendance: 46. Results: No. 1—20-tgt. Boyup Brook District DB C'ship: E. Pedler, 45/45; J. Garvey, 44/45; J. Fry, 36/37. No. 2—30-tgt. ICI Cartridge H'cap: E. Davies, 31/31; C. Bignell, 30/31; W. Garvey, 29/30.

Boyup Brook's first big shoot started in reasonable conditions with rain looking imminent. It was pleasing to see a field of 46 shooters and the scores were generally very good considering the very strong winds and at times very heavy rain, which dampened the shooters, but not their enthusiasm. Eight possibles were shot in the morning. Congratulations to E. Pedler for winning the District Championship in the consequent shoot-off, with J. Garvey and J. Fry taking out 2nd and 3rd.

The ICI Cartridge Handicap in the afternoon was marred by rain and resulted in only two possibles.

D. Ryall won 14-15 yardage trophy, E. Chapman won 16-18, D. Wiese won 19-21 and N. Wells won 22-27. High Gun winner was E. Davies with 49/50.

Barbecue and refreshments finished off an enjoyable day.

(F. Schinzig, Sec.)

EASTERN GOLDFIELDS, 2/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1—30-tgt. DB C'ship: 1st, W. Montgomery; 2nd, L. Nangle; 3rd, J. Stevenson.

Fourteen shooters faced No. 1 to contest the Club DB C'ship. The winner was "Popular Pres." (boat builder) Montgomery, with 67/67; second was "OK Nangle" with 66/67; and third was Jack (I never miss left swingers) Stevenson. The shooters were warmly congratulated on their efforts, for it was the "Pre's" first C'ship, "OK's" first ever shoot-off and Jack's first left swinger missed in 26 years of shooting.

(J. Lithgow, Hon. Sec.)

EASTERN GOLDFIELDS, 16/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and mild. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1—15 DB, 10 DR: T. Jessop.

Shooters again were blessed with fine weather when they contested a 15-tgt. DB and 10-pr. D/Rise for a trophy for the best combined score.

Four shooters were level with 15/15 after the DB section, but the D/Rise soon separated the guns from the boys. Two shooters in J. Lithgow and T. Jessop tied with 30/35 and the shoot-off was won by Ted Jessop. (Well shot, Ted.)

The Sec. is still trying to work out how Ted managed to get all straight aways, including the D/Rise, when he got swingers, then two swingers together.

"Stop Press"—From Clark (Posiedon) Kent in Leonora: Nangle shoots SB as well as Stelling hits his first bird in shoot-offs.

(J. Lithgow, Hon. Sec.)

EASTERN GOLDFIELDS, 30/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine, strong gusts of wind. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1—Club Skeet C'ship: 1st, W. Montgomery; 2nd, J. Lithgow; 3rd, N. Ovens. No. 2: 30 DB off ACTA Yde.: 1st, L. Nangle; 2nd, T. Jessop; 3rd, J. Lithgow. No. 3—Dist. SB C'ship off 16 yds.: 1st, W. Montgomery; 2nd, T. Jessop; 3rd, T. Stelling. No. 4—10-pr. DD: 1st, K. Stores, T. Stelling.

The wind spoilt things a little, especially at barbecue time. The first event was the Club Skeet C'ship. Three shooters tied with 21/21, and the shoot-off was won by W. Montgomery; second was J. Lithgow and third Noddy Ovens. The Sec. has Noddy in the Clinic teaching him how to shoot at two birds in the doubles instead of only one.

The second event, a 30-tgt. DB, was won by Len Nangle with 29/30; second Ted Jessop with 28/30; third J. Lithgow with 27/30.

The District SB was the third event won by Bill Montgomery with 26/26 from Ted Jessop 25/26, with Tom Stelling taking the skinny end of the prize with 19/20.

Ten-pr. DD was the last event. This was won by Ken Stokes and Tom Stelling with the only possible 10/10.

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The shoot was followed by a barbecue, then the presentation of trophies. The President welcomed all and thanked the donors of trophies, meats, etc. He also thanked the members for their efforts during the year and special thanks to the ladies for supplying of afternoon teas and lunches. (Hear, hear from Clark K.) Meanwhile, back at the keg things were going down smoothly, with the exception of our electrician, who was trying (and still at 2 a.m.) to unparrell a closed circuit. The "Mt. Monger" chops were the same as last year (tuff) and because "Kookynie" got top price for wool one day his chops were covered in it.

"Stop Press from Lamington"—Queen Elizabeth 0.00267 holed when being loaded on to the jinker. We didn't think it would float anyway.

(J. Lithgow, Hon. Sec.)

GERALDTON, 5/10/69.—Weather conditions: Windy. Attendance: 22. No. 1, 10-tgt. D.D., E.O. Sweepstake: No. 1, Divided between six pairs of shooters — each 10/10. No. 2, D.D. C'ship: 1st, R. Burton, N. Burton, 20/20. 2nd, A. Wann, E. Daw, 19/20. No. 3, 10-tgt. D/Rise: Tie—W. Garaway, R. Burton, 18/20.

First event, a D.D. 10-tgt. E.O., run as a sweepstake, resulted in a tie between six pairs of shooters, each scoring 10/10, dividing the stake. The main event, the Deauville Doubles C'ship was won by Dick and Noel Burton, scoring the possible 20/20, with Alec Wann and Eddie Daw, 19/20, in second placing.

The final event, a 10-tgt. D/Rise, resulted in a tie between W. Garaway and R. Burton, each scoring 18/20.

GERALDTON, 12/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. 5-pr. D/Rise E.O. S'stake: Tie—S. Minissale, J. Bailey, E. Gartner, S. Zorino, 9/10. No. 2, D/Rise C'ship: 1st, R. G. Burton, 28/34; 2nd, K. Dost, 27/34; Inter. trophy: J. Griffiths, 23/30. No. 3, Novelty Shoot S'stake: 1st, E. Gartner, 23/30; 2nd, S. Minissale, 21/30.

First event, a 5-pair D/Rise E.O. S'stake, resulted in a tie between S. Minissale, J. Bailey, E. Gartner and S. Zorino, each scoring 9/10. The main event, the Double Rise C'ship was won after a shoot-off by R. G. Burton with a total score of 28/34, from K. Dost, 27/34 in second placing; the intermediate trophy going to J. Griffiths scoring 23/30.

The final event, a novelty shoot run as a sweepstake, was won by E. Gartner scoring 23/30 from S. Minissale, 21/30.

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

GERALDTON, 19/10/69.—Weather conditions: Very windy. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1—32-tgt. Novelty Event: Won by back-marker R. Burton, 64/96; Intermediate: W. Garaway, 57/96. Final shoot of the 1969 season.

Geraldton Gun Club final shoot of the 1969 season held on Sunday, 19th October under very windy weather conditions, with 26 shooters contesting the 32-tgt. novelty event. This was won by back-marker Dick Burton with the top score of 64/96, with the Intermediate section going to Wes Garaway, 57/96—very good shooting by both considering the blustery conditions prevailing on the range. The big crowd of members, their families and visitors engendered a very happy atmosphere to wind up the shooting season. Among visitors welcomed was Mr John Hile, a member of the Central Burnett Club of Queensland, who was passing through Geraldton on his way home.

Presentations of trophies followed by refreshments and end-of-season speeches, concluded a very happy afternoon. The Club now goes into recess until next February.

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

KATANNING, 9/11/69.—The 16th annual Cherry Tree Pool Field Championship was conducted with an all-time record field of 159 shooters. The proud man this year was "Scotty" Gibson, Katanning's "Wild Irishman" with a score of 51/56 and this was only the third time since the inception of Cherry Tree that a "local" has made the grade. Second place was filled by Brian Holtfreter, of Northam Club with 50/56. Third place

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went to Tim Catling after a shoot-off with David Anderson, who then filled fourth position. Both these Katanning boys qualified with 48/56.

Six shooters had scores of 47/56 and faced the shoot-off area to decide 5th and 6th places. Newton Thomas being one of the contestants, retired and left the fight to the other five, who were Robin Bailey, of Perth, who gained 5th place; Dinny Holtfreter, of Northam, 6th, and the three unplaced were Fritz Kohout, of Perth; Gary Poller, of Edgehill, and Greg Downer, of Katanning.

The main feature of this year's Cherry Tree was the presentation by ICIANZ (capably handled by Harold Hart, of Perth) of a specially struck sterling silver badge in the form of a tree that each past winner of this "Blue Ribbon" event received. ICI have generously offered to make a badge available to all future winners and it is already obvious that these will be proudly worn and much sought after in the shoots ahead. A record of past winners follows:

1952 N. Beeck, Katanning Club.
1955 D. Holtfreter, Northam Club.
1956 A. Yates, Edgehill Club.
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1965 T. Catling, Katanning Club.
1966 B. Holtfreter, Northam Club.
1967 R. Holtfreter, Northam Club.
1968 A. R. Cusack, Kojonup Club.
1969 "S" Gibson, Katanning Club.

Other trophies this year were presented to:

Best morning round: J. Cooke, Northam Club, 26/28.

Best afternoon round: N. Beeck, Katanning Club, 26/28.

Best lady shooter: Mrs. L. Matheson, of South West Club, who did not really have to shoot to gain the shooter's recognition.

The Yardage Division winners were:

20 yards and beyond: N. Thomas, 47/56, Lilydale Club, (Vic.).

18/19 yards: F. Kohout, 47/56, Perth Club.

16/17 yards: G. Downer, 47/56, Katanning Club.

14/15 yards: T. Shine, 42/56, Bunbury Skeet Club.

12/13 yards: R. Childes, 39/56, Bunbury Skeet Club.

Another popular attraction to Cherry Tree this year was that Graeme Bailey, of Roy Alexander, the Gunsmith Pty. Ltd., has recklessly underwritten to present a Browning Auto for the first possible score returned at this event. There should have been a special trophy for the most disappointed shooter who was Doug Cumming, of Perth Club. Doug's disappointment lay in the fact that he never got a single Perch this year after returning a bag of five big ones in 1968.

On the Saturday preceding Cherry Tree the Katanning Gun Club conducted three events on the club grounds with 80 shooters in attendance, and they produced some of the finest shooting yet seen in this State with Dick Burton, of Geraldton Club, gaining his 350 break badge, and Robin Bailey, of Perth Club, his 300 break badge.

Event 1: 20 Target District DB: 1st, Dick Burton, 337/337, Geraldton Club; 2nd, Robin Bailey, 336/337, Perth Club; 3rd, Geoff Haywood, 119/120, South West Club.

Event 2: 20 Target "Nomination" H'cap: 1st, A. Holmes, 59/59, Katanning Club; 2nd, P. James, 58/59, Katanning Club; 3rd, E. Gardener, 44/45, Perth Club; 4th, L. Lupp, 42/45, Katanning Club; 5th, D. Anderson, 26/27, Katanning Club; 6th, E. Davies, 26/27 Bunbury Skeet Club.

Event 3: 30 Target "Penguin" Boat H'cap: 1st, D. Webb, 73/73, Albany Club; 2nd, M. Fisher, 72/73, Perth Club; 3rd, D. Martin, 66/67, Perth Club; 4th, D. Camp-



South Australian Skeet Section winners in the 1969 Winchester Tournament in Australia—left to right: P. Quire (C Class), 2 break; J. Hollywood (B Class), 2 break; I. Campbell (A Class), 10 break.

bell, 51/52, Narrogin Club; 5th, D. Anderson, 39/40, Katanning Club; 6th, K. Anderson, 32/33, Kojonup Club.

As you can see from the scores in the District Double Barrel the "Sand Gropers" are getting ready to give one and all a hot reception at the 1970 National C'ships in Perth.

(Evan Pedler, Club Captain)

KOJONUP, 12/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and windy. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 25 Skeet: 1st, W. Pedrick, 30/25; 2nd, D. Ryall, 27/25; 3rd, A. R. Cusack, I. Gibson, 26/25. No. 2, 25 Skeet: 1st, D. Ryall, 30/25; 2nd, W. Pedrick, 26/25; 3rd, K. Anderson, R. R. Cusack, T. Ryall, 25/25. No. 3, 25 Skeet: 1st, D. Ryall, 29-25; 2nd, R. R. Cusack, 27/25; 3rd, A. R. Cusack, 26/25. All above include handicap.

I. Gibson became our 1969 Club Skeet Champion with the good score of 46/50; second was a A. R. Cusack, 46/50, with R. Anderson and K. Anderson equal 3rd, 40/50.

Our Club team for the Inter-Club teams match are: (1) A. R. Cusack, 22/25; (2) D. Ryall, 21/25; (3) K. Anderson, 20/25; (4) K. Schinzig, 19/25; (5) R. Manolini, 19/25. Total: 101/125.

Winner morning round was much improved with new gun—W. Pedrick, 30/25. Winner of afternoon round was Dave Ryall, 30/25. Our third round was shot for sweeps and again was won by Dave Ryall, 29/25.

(R. Manolini, Hon. Sec.)

KOJONUP, 16/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1—15 SB: G. Anderson, 14/15. No. 2—15 SB: Dave Ryall, 15/15. Winner overall: 1st, D. Ryall, 66/69; 2nd, W. Pederick, 65/69; 3rd, K. Schinzig, 30/34.

After lengthy shoot-off Dave Ryall won the 30 SB event from W. Pederick and K. Schinzig. Dave Ryall also took second round and was presented with his 25-break badge. He has also earned his 50-break badge.

W. Pederick won the front markers' event and was also presented with his 25-break badge, which had been



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his main target for quite some time. He had to earn it the hard way on single barrel.

G. Anderson won the first round with the good score of 14/15.

(R. Manolini, Hon. Sec.)

NORTHAM AND DISTRICTS, 19/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and gusty. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 50 D.B. Inter-Club Teams Match Trophy Shoot:

Stan Clements proved that he can shoot D.T.L. as well as skeet. On Sunday he won the trophy against stiff competition.

The team score was reasonable, with three 50's and two 49's—total 248/250.

In second place on the day came Aub Badger, followed by K. Morris 3rd, K. Friend 4th, and Charlie Lee, 5th.

Stan's first place earned him five points for the aggregate competition. This makes him and Charlie equal first with 18 points. In equal 2nd place are Colin Smith and Richard Page each with 15 points to their credit. Fourth is Doug Morgan, who has 12 points.

With three events remaining on this year's calendar any one of these five shooters could take off the competition. At this stage interest is keen to see who it will be.

(G. Way, Pub. Officer.)

NORTHAM, 23/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine, warm. Attendance: 28. Results: "Champion of Champions"— Under good conditions the Club's "Champion

of Champions" title was keenly fought out. It was not until the last 5-pr. of double rise that Brian Holtfreter emerged as the winner, 61/65. This is the second year in succession that Brian has won this event.

John Harris and Rob Webb kept the pressure on all the way and ended up equal second with 60/65. They were followed by Peter Humphrey and Roy Holtfreter with 59/65.

Richard Page won the FM's trophy with 49/65.

Congratulations go to Stan Clements on winning the Aggregate for the year competition. His total points were 22—giving him a clear lead over Charlie Lee and Richard Page, who came equal second with 18 points each.

(G. Ruby, Pub. Officer)

PERTH, 28/9/69.—Weather conditions: Fine, light breeze. Attendance: 125. Results: No. 1, 25-tgt. E.O. (18 yds.): 21 divided. 2nd, State D.B. C'ship: 1st, E. Daw, 91/91; 2nd, W. Montgomery, 90/91; 3rd, E. Humphrey, 86/87; (12-15 yds.) S. Rogers, 29/30; (17-19 yds.) T. Lithgow, 52/53; (20 and over) R. Holtfreter and E. Harris, 54/55. No. 3, State D.D. C'ships: 1st, R. Holtfreter and B. Holtfreter, 42/42; 2nd, R. R. McDonald and R. Scott, 41/42; 3rd, G. Hayward and W. Garvey, 30/31. No. 4, 50-tgt. Grand Koogan H'cap: 1st, R. Mordini, 49/50, 38/38; 2nd, W. Garraway, 49/50, 37/38; 3rd, K. Anderson, 49/50, 36/37; 4th, N. Festa, 49/50, 25/26; 5th, E. Humphrey, 49/50, 21/22; 6th, F. Kohout, 49/50, 19/20; 7th, V. Wann, 49/50; 12/13; 8th, E. Harris and W. Shields, 49/50, 11/12.

THREE OF A KIND



Ed Lace (left), daughter-in-law, Judy, and son, Phil, winners of all three major events at a recent Illawarra District meet. Ed shot the only possible in the Points Score. Judy won the ladies event, while Phil—never far away from winning form—won the Double Rise event.

WAGGA GUN CLUB

Affiliated A.C.T.A.

CENTENARY SHOOT

March 21 and 22, 1970

FIRST DAY—Saturday, 21st March, commencing 9 a.m.

EVENT 1— **15 Target Eye-Opener** Nomination \$2.00

EVENT 2— **Commonwealth Double-Barrel Championship** Nomination \$5.00

40 STANDARD TARGETS

Op. Sweeps. — \$0.50 20-tgts. — \$0.50 overall.

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

EVENT 3— **\$150 Handicap (time permitting)** Nomination \$4.00

SECOND DAY—Sunday, 22nd March, commencing 9 a.m.

EVENT 4— **15 Target Points Score** Nomination \$2.00

EVENT 5— **\$2,600 Double-Barrel Handicap** Nomination \$20.00

30 TARGETS

1st, "C" Grade Browning S.T. — 2nd, Franchi Falconet — 3rd, Browning Auto — Best 12-15 yds., 16-19 yds., 20-23 yds., 24-27 yds., Auto Gun—2nd, 12-15 yds., 16-19 yds., 20-23 yds., 24-27 yds., 600 Gun Mech. Reloader—3rd, 12-15 yds., 16-19 yds., 20-23 yds., 24-27 yds., 500 Cartridges or reloading material to same value. By courtesy of Winchester Western.

EVENT 6— **Wagga Wagga Centenary Double Barrel Championship** Nomination \$3.00

20 STD. TARGETS — OP. SWEEPS — \$0.50 10 TGTS — \$0.50 OVERALL.

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

HIGH GUN over whole of programme except events 1 and 4 — .222 Rifle.

INTERMEDIATE HIGH GUN — over whole of programme except events 1 and 4 — Watch donated by ICI.

OTHER EVENTS, TIME PERMITTING — MEALS, REFRESHMENTS, CARTRIDGES AVAILABLE ON GROUND — DAMO ELECTRIC TRAPS

Accommodation available by contacting Secretary or President:

ERIC VINCENT, President,
9 Day Street, Wagga Wagga.
Phone: 4430 (Wagga).

(Miss) PEGGY LYDFORD, Secretary,
3-24 Willow Street, Koorringal.
Box 583, P.O., Wagga.
Phone: 4142 (Wagga), A.H.: 6405.

Koogan High Gun Gold Badge: E. Humphrey, 205/210.
Koogan High Gun Silver Badge (Intermediate): W. Garraway, 204/210.

Best Lady Shooter: Miss V. Anderson (Kojonup), 25/30, in State C'ships.

A record attendance with entries per event up 50 per cent on the last two years. State team score the best ever. Good keen competition.

President Jules Steiner conveys his thanks and appreciation to all shooters and everyone who assisted in making this programme turn out as the best on record in all ways.

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

PERTH, 16/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 45. Results: No. 1—25-tgt. DB Pts. scoring ACTA marks: 1st, N. Festa, 75/75; 2nd, F. Kohout, 74/75; 3rd, W. Shields, 73/75. No. 2—Perth v. Azzurri—Del Caro Cup Team Shoot, 50 tgt. Pts.: Perth—W. Johns, 146; F. Kohout, 139; R. Herz, 140; D. Cumming, 124; W. Shields, 143. Total 692. Azzurri—N. Festa, 142; G. Ioppolo, 131; A. Larini, 130; D. Fracaro, 115; D. Dovidio 131. Total 649. No. 3—25-tgt. Grade Shoot, 16 yds. Pts.: A Grade—1st, R. Burton, 73; 2nd, R. Bailey, 72. B Grade—1st, N. Festa, 75; 2nd, F. Kohout, 73. C Grade—1st, A. Di Lanzo, 72; 2nd, G. Ioppolo, 70.

This, the 4th Friendship Day shoot between our Clubs, saw the score now at two all. The 1970 match will be held at the Azzurri grounds.

Almost 100 shooters and their families stayed for an enjoyable barbecue evening.

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

PERTH, 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Squally winds and some rain. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1—

Club Champion of Champions programme: 25 Skeet, 10 DB, 10 SB, 10 W/U, 5-pr. DR: 1st, J. Boyes, 25, 10, 10, 9, 9—63/65; 2nd, R. Bailey, 24, 10, 8, 10, 7—59/65; eq. 3rd, R. Holtfreter, 24, 9, 9, 9, 7—58/65; R. Farmer, 23, 9, 10, 8, 8—58/65.

Under extremely difficult conditions Jim Boyes gave a great performance in missing only two targets. As one third of the field shot 56 or better there was a close contest for minor placings. Congratulations to Roy Farmer, who is developing into a good all-round shooter.

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

SOUTH WEST, 1/11/69.—Weather conditions: Wind and rain all day. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1—Club C'ship 25 Skeet, 35 Mixed Targets: 1st, C. B. Wells, 55/60; 2nd, J. Garvey, 53/60; 3rd, N. Wells, 52/60; 4th, P. Hough, 51/60. No. 2—President's Trophy, 60-tgt. H'cap: T. Trew, 59/6/ nett; B. Drewitz, 58/60 nett. No. 3—Skeet H'cap: 1st, M. Conran, 22/4/25; 2nd, J. Garvey, 23/4/25. No. 4—35 Mixed Targets H'cap: 1st, F. Ward, 30/6/35.

To spite the weather a very enjoyable picnic day, finished off by a keg, putting every one in good spirits.

(N. Wells, Handicapper)

SOUTH WEST, 15/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine, light wind. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1—20 DB H'cap: Club President, Max Conran, 20/20; B. Nicholls, C. B. Wells, J. Garvey, G. O'Neil, 19/20; M. Clifton, T. Rose, M. Bird, L. Kennett, E. Davies, N. Keddie, N. Wells, J. George, 18/20.

Following the shooting members burnt off the club ground to reduce the summer fire hazard.

(N. Wells, Handicapper)

NEW SOUTH WALES

Down-the-Line Trap Referee Examiners

BIRD, L. F.
COX, E. V.
COX, Harry
EVANS, J. A.
HASTIE, J.
HOLLOW, C.

MOORE, Rae
MORTON, R. G.
O'CONNOR, C. W.
OLDFIELD, K.
ROWE, A.
SCOWCROFT, D.
SULLIVAN, D.
WILLIAMS, D. J.

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53 Bannockburn Rd., Pymble, N.S.W., 2073.
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Brunker Rd., Adamtown Heights, N.S.W., 2289.
4 Fawcett St., Mayfield, N.S.W., 2304.
Box 191, Tamworth, N.S.W., 2340.
100 Temora Rd., Cootamundra, N.S.W., 2590.
154 Barwan St., Narrabri, N.S.W., 2390.
Box 47, Coff's Harbour Jetty, N.S.W., 2451.
16 Gloucester Cres., Dapto, N.S.W., 2530.
Ryanda St., Guyra, N.S.W., 2365.

BARELLAN, 9/11/69.—Weather conditions: Cloudy and warm. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB EO: 16 divided. No. 2—10-tgt. DB: 12 divided—E. Heferon, E. Hatch, J. Harman, M. Weymouth, N. Bretag, M. Stanmore, J. Graham, G. Walker, C. Garofolo, L. Dow, B. Gordon, D. Taylor, 10/10. No. 3—15-tgt. DB: 11 possibles—N. Price, F. Phelan, B. S. Gordon, G. Walker, E. Thomas, J. Hulme, D. Richards, D. Johnson, C. Garofolo, W. Smith, D. Allen. Shoot-off: B. S. Gordon, 72/72, first; J. Hulme, 71/72, second; E. Thomas, 46/47, third. No. 4—5-tgt. Pts. Score: 14 divided—K. Searle, R. Searle, L. Dow, B. S. Gordon, J. Harman, M. Weymouth, M. Stanmore, C. Bradshaw, D. Richards, G. Cook, D. Johnson, F. Casello, W. Smith, D. Allen, 15/15. No. 5—High Gun Shoot-off: G. Walker, 2/2, from B. S. Gordon.

Our last shoot for 1969 proved to be very successful with another record club attendance, shooters participating from Leeton, Rankin Springs, Griffiths, Ganmain and Narrandera Clubs. The targets favored shooting and quite a few possibles resulted; a few new faces were seen and if their exhibition was any indication

these faces will soon become familiar. Congrats to trophy winner President Bruce, and runners-up J. Hulme and E. Thomas. Jack's spell did him good as he came up with his first fifty break.

The Emile Albert Aggregate Trophy, donated by Emile and shot for over best six shoots out of nine, was won by D. Allen, who has been a very consistent shooter during the year. Doug was closely followed by Bruce Gordon.

As our Club now goes into recess till March we thank Mrs. Gordon for the catering of afternoon teas.

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

BATHURST, 18/10/69.—Weather conditions: Overcast, windy. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: Five possibles. No. 2—10-tgt. Sweep: B. Mendes, S. Beasley, P. Ribaux, O. Geddes. No. 3—15-tgt. Trophy: Two possibles—W. Burrow, C. Coles. No. 4—Trophy Shoot-off: C. Coles, 21/21; W. Burrow, 20/21; FM: S. Beasley, 14/15. No. 5—5-tgt. Walk-up: S. Beasley, O. Geddes. No. 6—5-Pr. DR: Two possibles—H. Wright, J. Mendes.

Attendance was down for our October shoot. Owing to a break in the rough weather most shooters were busy doing some late sowing.

Trophy shoot resulted in President and Secretary only two possibles. Only President was in a hurry to get tea this could have been a long shoot-off.

Jack Mendes and Harry Wright showed us how to shoot double rise, but walk-up tried us all out.

Our new electric trap is working beautifully and testing the shooters.

(Clive Cole, Hon. Sec.)

BERRIDALE, 9/11/69.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. SB: Five shooters divided. No. 2—Club SB C'ship: 1st, L. Venables, 2nd, W. Langdon; 3rd, C. Trevanion; FM: C. Hlavaty. No. 3—10-tgt. Pts.: 1st, Scanes; 2nd, M. Lyons; FM: C. Hlavaty. No. 4—Southern Dist. DB C'ship: 1st, C. Spence; 2nd, B. Dunn; 3rd, L. Venables. High Gun: W. Langdon, 59/60.

Congratulations must be extended to Les Venables for his continuous and consistent good shooting. Les would be one of our most enthusiastic members.

Col Spence, shooting his "L" grade Browning, shot very well in the shoot-off from Barry Dunn in the Southern Districts DB C'ship.

We thank the members of the Bombala Club for their continuous and wholehearted support, which, without our small club would cease to exist.

(Ross L. Britt, Hon. Sec.)

BOMBALA, 16/11/69.—Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB EO: Four divided, 10/10. No. 2—5-SB, 5-DB Club Trophy: C. Trevanian, 14/14. No. 3—20-tgt. DB Bedford Shield: B. Caldwell, 27/27. No. 4—25 Mixed Targets—Monaro District C'ship: 1st, A. Feilen, 42/45; 2nd, D. Badewitz, 41/45; 3rd, D. Twigg, 32/35. No. 5—10-tgt. DB: 1st div., A. Povey, C. Trevanian and D. Twigg, 10/10. No. 6—High Gun: A. Feilen.

Congratulations to all winners and thanks for support to all shooters and ladies for afternoon tea.

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

BROKEN HILL, 9/11/69.—Weather conditions: Windy and warm. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. EO: Eight divided. No. 2—Mixed Target C'ship: 1st, P. Harvy, 25/25; 2nd, C. Howe, 41/45; 3rd, R. Lehman, 39/45. No. 3—Night 5-tgt. EO: H. Mellowship, R. Lehman, L. Kocstad, D. Dow, S. Southon. No. 4—Night 15-tgt. Aggregate: 1st, H. Mellowship, 41/41; 2nd, I. Josephs, 40/41; 3rd, R. Lehman, 20/21.

A good roll-up for a pleasant day's shooting. Our Mixed Target C'ship was a popular win; won effortlessly by Peter Harvy, who scored the only clean sheet. An interesting shoot-off resulted in Colin Howe coming to the front, just managing to hold consistent Rick Lehman to third placing.

Our aggregate resulted in a keenly contested and closely followed shoot-off in which the two leaders were defeated by a relentless Harold Mellowship, last year's record breaking winner, when he confidently took the three points. Two points were well earned by Ivan Josephs, which placed him equal with Rick Lehman over the year's results.

(Brian Anderson, Hon. Sec.)

CESSNOCK, 25/10/69.—Weather conditions: Excellent. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 10 D.B. (E.O.): A. Wilkinson, S. Coyle, 10/10. No. 2, 20 D.B. Sweep: C. Bland, K. Pearce, 20/20; H. Bowden, D. Burgess, S. Coyle, I. Clarke, D. Coyle, 19/20. No. 3, 20 D.B. Trophy: 1st, H. Bowden, 20/22; 2nd, A. Peden, 19/22; 3rd, S. Coyle, 18/21; F. M. A. Wilkinson, 17/21. No. 4, 5 D. Rise: H. Bowden, 9/10.

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

COBAR, 2/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB H'cap: Eight divided 10/10. No. 2—30-tgt. DB Billy Manns Cup: 1st, A. Burgess; 2nd, G. Jones; 3rd, G. Manns. No. 3—Quail Drive, 5-tgt.: A. Burgess, M. Burgess, A. Eves, 5/5 divide. No. 4—20-tgt. DB Club C'ship: 1st, A. Burgess; 2nd, D. Webster.

An enjoyable afternoon's shooting was had by all with our Club President scooping the pool in every

February, 1970—24

S.S.A.A. Illawarra Gun Club

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

BONG-BONG ROAD
N.S.W.

DAPTO

Shellharbour Lions Club Benefit Shoot

SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 1970

commencing 11.30 a.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$1.00

10 TARGET D.B. EYE-OPENER (16 YARDS) SWEEP

Event 2— Nom. \$2.50

Illawarra Winchester Shield Teams

20 Target Point-Score — 16 Yards.

Trophies each shooter winning team.

High-Gun in conjunction

Event 3— Nom. \$8.00

20 Target D.B. Handicap

1st, WINCHESTER SHOT GUN

Trophies 2nd-3rd — F.M. 12-13 Yds.

Other Events Time Permitting

Barbecue luncheon — Afternoon Tea — Canteen

Cartridges available on ground.

J. Lowrie, President
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Les Eccles, Secretary

event. Congratulations to Pop Burgess, who shot exceedingly well throughout the programme which was his first since a long spell due to an illness.

(J. M. Morris, Asst. Sec.)

COFFS HARBOUR, 10/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1—A. Fotheringham, G. D. T. Seccombe, 10/28, 1st; B. Daley, J. Forsythe, S. Cox, 10/27, divided 3rd. No. 2—10-tgt. Pts.: 1st, G. D. T. Seccombe, E. Sommon, 10/30; A. Fotheringham, 10/29. No. 3—10-tgt. DB: D. Seccombe, G. D. T. Seccombe, E. Simmon, 10/10. No. 4—10-tgt. SB: S. Simmonds, P. Thompson, 10/10; B. Daley, M. Bailey, 9/10. No. 5—40-tgt. over Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4: S. Simmonds, 37/40; G. D. T. Seccombe, E. Simmon, 36/40. No. 6—(a) 5-Pr. DR: G. Blundell, D. Scowcroft, 9/10; (b) 5Pr. DR: D. Scowcroft, 10/10; Club DR C'ship: D. Scowcroft, 19/20; A. Fotheringham, S. Simmonds, J. Leussink, 17/20. High Gun: S. Simmonds, 54/60.

Don Scowcroft had convincing win in the Club DR C'ship with a display of precision shooting, dropping only one target.

Veteran G. D. T. Seccombe appeared to have the programme well in hand after shooting the first 30 targets, however, Stan Simmonds returned to form and finished with High Gun honors for the day.

The DR C'ship trophy was presented by the donor, J. T. Seccombe.

(J. Forsythe, Hon. Sec.)

COFFS HARBOUR, 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Overcast, gusty south-east winds. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1—Skeet H'cap S'stakes: 1st, E. Simmon, 18/25, J. Leussink, 15/25 (div.); 3rd, J. Forsythe, 18/24. No. 2—Skeet Club C'ship, 1969: 1st, M. Bailey, 29/32; 2nd, J. Williamson, 28/32; 3rd, E. Simmon, 20/25. No. 3—Skeet H'cap Sweep: S. Simmonds, 24/25; E. Simmon, 21/25; D. Scowcroft, 23/25; J. Leussink, 17/25; G. Blundell, 19/25 (divide). No. 4—10-tgt. Pts. Continental: 1st, S. Cox, 9/27; 2nd, M. Bailey, 9/26; 3rd, J. Forsythe, 8/24. No. 5—Skeet High Gun: 1st, D. Scow-

croft, 66/75; 2nd, S. Simmonds, 63/75; 3rd, E. Simmon, 59/75.

The first annual Club Skeet C'ship—members competing for the perpetual trophy donated by Don and Barbara Scowcroft.

Murray Bailey levelled John Williamson's score of 22/25, the shoot-off resulting in a win for Bailey with 29/32. As trophy donor Scowcroft declined to shoot for championship honors, taking out the major sweepstakes for the day and Skeet High Gun.

(J. Forsythe, Hon. Sec.)

COONAMBLE, 18/10/69.—Weather conditions: Windy and dusty. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB: C. Dickson, L. Smith, 9/10; K. Constable. No. 2—20-tgt. District C'ship: 1st, L. Smith, 20/20; 2nd, D. Taylor, 19/20; 3rd, D. McKenzie, 19/20. No. 3—20-tgt. District C'ship SB: L. Smith, 19/20; D. Taylor, C. Dickson, 17/20. No. 4—20-tgt. H'cap: J. Skuthorp, D. Taylor, L. Smith. No. 5—10-Prs. DR: K. Constable, 17/20; D. Taylor, 17/20; L. Smith, 15/20.

The Coonamble Gun Club had a very disappointing attendance at their open shoot.

Congrats. to L. Smith who won both District C'ships, also the ICI High Gun trophy. The Intermediate High Gun was won by J. H. Taylor.

After the Christmas shoot the Club will go into recess until March.

(M. Taylor, Hon. Sec.)

COWRA, 25/10/69.—Weather conditions: Hot (day), cool (night). Attendance: 39. Results: No. 1—Winchester Tournament: "A" Class—R. Ellison; "B" Class—J. Nash; "C" Class: Peter Pappas; "D" Class: Les Brown. No. 2—L/U DB Night C'ship: 1st, R. Toshack, 22/22; 2nd, T. Powell, 21/22; 3rd, K. Turner; FM: N. Barnes.

Shooting under rather humid conditions, some excellent scores were recorded. Both "A" and "B" Class qualifiers shot the full 100 targets, whilst the "C" Class qualifiers shot 99/100. Possibly as good as shooting witnessed was that of the "D" Class qualifiers, who shot 98/100. Strong gusty winds made the shoot-off very difficult as only one of the four qualifiers shot more than 30 targets. R. Ellison, of Forbes, shot 126 targets in the shoot-off, following his 100 straight in the elimination.

With the day's shooting on Saturday taken up with the Winchester Tournament, shooters after enjoying a fine barbecue tea went to shoot for the Lachlan Valley DB C'ship. This was won by one of Cowra's most consistent shooters, Richard Toshack, with Tom Parnell, of Parkes, running second, Keith Turner, of Canberra, 3rd. Winning his first trophy as a FM was N. Barnes, of Condobolin.

(Janice G. Wood, Hon. Sec.)

COWRA, 26/10/69.—Weather conditions: Gusty and wet. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1—Sweep, 15-tgt.: D. Heilman, M. Cass, L. Goodacre, N. Nicholson, K. Heywood and D. Byrne, 15/15. No. 2—Winchester H'cap 20-tgt.: 1st, P. Barnes, 33/33; 2nd, M. Cass, 32/33; 3rd, B. Martens, 25/26; FM: P. Sharpe, 24/24. No. 3—Central Tablelands DR C'ship: 1st, N. Nicholson, 20/20; 2nd, K. Heywood, 19/22; 3rd, K. Reid, 20/24; FM: P. Sharpe, 11/20. No. 4—\$200 Geo. Bell Memorial H'cap: 1st, K. Heywood, 37/37; 2nd, A. Miller, 36/37; 3rd, H. G. Anderson, 28/29; FM: S. Nowlan, 19/20.

Following a brief warm-up with a 15-tgt. Sweep, shooters went on to shoot in the Winchester \$250 H'cap. This was won by up and coming shooter from Condobolin, Pat Barnes. M. Cass came in second and Bert Martens took out the third prize. Peter Sharpe won the Front Markers' trophy in this and the next event was the Central Tablelands D/Rise C'ship. This event was won by N. Nicholson, from Crookwell, and backmarker, K. Heywood 2nd, and K. Reid, from Grenfell, 3rd. The next event proved interesting with a shoot-off between a back-marker, K. Heywood, and newly registered shooter, A. Miller, from Forbes, shooting off to a hard win from Kevin Heywood. Despite the adverse weather conditions, shooters enjoyed the weekend's competition shooting.

(Janice G. Wood, Hon. Sec.)

NARRANDERA

Gun Club

(N.S.W.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 1970

Commencing 10 a.m.

CHAMPIONSHIP AND HUDSON CHALLENGE SIELD

Event No. 1—10-Target D.B. Handicap. Comp. div.

Event No. 2—10-Target D.B. (16 yards). Comp. div.

Event No. 3—

Central Riverina D.B. Championship

20 Targets from 16 yards mark.

Trophies and Sash for 1st, 2nd and 3rd, with trophy for best 12/13 yarder.

Event No. 4—\$60 Handicap with \$1 Op. Sweep 20 Targets Double-Barrel from Handicap, plus HUDSON CHALLENGE SIELD to be shot in conjunction by teams of 5 shooters at 20 Targets per shooter from handicap.

Other Events to follow if time permits.

Luncheon and Cartridges on Ground.

K. POWELL,
President.

R. BUSHBY,
Hon. Secretary.

COWRA, 1/11/69.—Weather conditions: Overcast and warm. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1—Sweeps: Five divided. No. 2—Central Tablelands DD C'ship: 1st, A. Martens and L. Goodacre; 2nd, C. Anderson and K. Reid. No. 3—Sweeps: Thirteen divided. No. 4—Jackpot Trophy: 1st, R. Toshack; 2nd, K. Staines; FM: M. Shaunclark.

After a brief warm-up sweeps, shooters went on to shoot in the Central Tablelands DD C'ship. For the third year in succession A. Martens again showed his true colors by taking out the first place with shooting partner, L. Goodacre, of Cowra. Grenfell shooters, C. Anderson and K. Reid, took out a close second place.

Following another brief sweep, shooters shot in a novelty Jackpot trophy event. This was won by R. Toshack, 2nd K. Staines and M. Shaunclark took the FM trophy.

Some interest was shown in a shooting school held in conjunction with this shoot. It is hoped that this type of school will create more up and coming shooters for surrounding clubs.

(Janice G. Wood, Hon. Sec.)

CROOKWELL, 22/11/69 (at night).—Weather conditions: Cool. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. Sweep: 13 shooters divided, 5/5. No. 2—10-tgt. P/S. Trophy: 1st, D. Nelson, 60/60; 2nd, G. Plumb, 57/60. No. 3—5-tgt. Mini: B. Lambert, G. Plumb, D. Nelson, A. Hall, N. Nicholson.

After a lengthy trap breakdown three events were finalised in very cool but clear conditions.

Goulburn shooter David Nelson won the main trophy event in fine style with club stalwart G. Plumb missing his 20th target.

(Russ Stephenson, Asst. Hon. Sec.)

CROOKWELL, 25/10/69.—Weather conditions: Perfect. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. D.B.: C. Rowe, R. Lambert, B. Lambert, C. Jones, R. Stephenson, K. Buckley, R. Howlett, E. Hurn, H. Hogan, 5/5 div. No. 2, 5-tgt. S.B.: C. Rowe, B. Lambert, F. Willis, E. Hurn, 5/5 div. No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. Trophy: 5 possibles—1st, Russ Stephenson, 21/21; 2nd, Russ Howlett, 20/21. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B.: R. Keith, F. Willis, B. Buckley, G. Plumb, R. Howlett, 10/10 div. No. 5, 5-pr. D Rise: 1st, Ben Churchill, 10/10; eq. 2nd, R. Keith and G. Plumb, 9/10.

A pleasing attendance for our first night shoot with almost every shooter sharing in some event.

The main event, a 10-tgt. trophy event, went to the writer after a brief shoot-off using mini targets.

(Russ Stephenson, Asst. Hon. Sec.)

GLOUCESTER, 16/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and cloudy. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB H'cap: J. Sansom, W. O'May, M. Carson, J. Turner, R. Wagner (Jnr.), 10/10. No. 2—15-tgt. DB Trophy: 1st, L. Wilmen, 22/22; 2nd, B. Harris, 21/22; J. Turner, 20/22. No. 3—10-tgt. SB H'cap: R. Wagner, J. Dunn, J. Sansom, J. Turner, 9/10. No. 4—Ladies' 10-tgt. DB H'cap Trophy: Joy Sansom, 9/10; D. Sansom, 7/10; L. Carson, 6/10.

The day dawned fine but very wet under foot. J. Turner, R. Wagner, J. Sansom and Joy Sansom shot very well. A good time was had by all. The afternoon tea provided by the ladies was very enjoyable. Good to see the visitors still attending.

(Rod E. Sansom, Hon. Sec.)

GRENFELL, 9/11/69.—Weather conditions: Warm, spring weather. Attendance: 23.

As well as many local shooters, visitors were welcomed from as far and near as Gooloongong, Caragabal and Parkes.

10-tgt. H'cap Sweep: 12 divided.

20-tgt. Mid-Western District SB C'ship: H. Anderson (Grenfell), 20/20, 1st; T. Powell (Parkes), 19/20, 2nd; K. Reid (Grenfell), 18/20, 3rd; P. Whyte (Caragabal), Front Marker.

15-tgt. H'cap Trophy: H. Anderson (Grenfell), 61/61, 1st; P. Whyte (Caragabal), 60/61, 2nd; J. McCann (Grenfell), 3rd. G. Pluis (Caragabal), Front Marker.

10-tgt. Pts. Score: A. Munck, 30/30; J. McCann, R. Shaw, B. Witt, T. Black, P. Whyte, 29/30.

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5-Pr. DR: K. Reid, W. Spies, 9/10.

Congratulations to H. Anderson who shot consistently well throughout the afternoon, and to Peter Whyte, who was the most improved shooter on the day.

(Mina Thorn-Clarke, Hon. Sec.)

GRIFFITH, 1/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB: 19 divided. No. 2 — 5-target, DB: Five divided, 10/10—K. Shields, C. Garofalo, E. Hatch, S. Codemo, D. Dunbar. No. 3—15 tgt. DB Trophy: 1st. F. Casella, 52/52; 2nd, R. Kiss, 51/52; 3rd, S. Codemo, 43/44. No. 4—5-Pr. DR: Three divided, 10/10—H. Gibbs, P. Overs, P. McWilliam.

Conditions excellent for shooting and the shooters showed just how good they were—three shooters shooting over fifty straight. Congratulations to these shooters—F. Casella, R. Kiss and S. Codemo.

S. Codemo, only a 12-yarder, shot his first 50 break, and R. Kiss, a 14-yarder, shot his first 50. High Gun for the afternoon went to P. McWilliam. Thanks again go to the ladies for another enjoyable afternoon tea.

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

GRIFFITH, 1/11/69.—Weather conditions: Overcast, cool. Attendance: 33. No. 1—4-Pr. DD: Eight pair divided. No. 2—Central Riverina Night DD C'ship: 1st, P. McWilliam-K. Sim, 31/31 pr.; 2nd, W. Smith-I. Smith, 30/31 pr. No. 3—Central Riverina Night SB C'ship: 1st, P. McWilliam, 28/29; 2nd, C. Taylor, 27/29; 3rd, M. Stanmore, 20/22.

The last of our championships before the New Year Eve shoot, were shot and some reasonable shooting was witnessed.

P. McWilliam and Yours Truly won the night DD C'ship and P. McWilliam made it a double by winning the night SB C'ship.

All shooters voted it a first rate idea to shoot the championships following our usual club shoot in the afternoon.

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

GRIFFITH, 29/11/69. (Night).—Weather conditions: Fine, cool. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB: 15 divided. No. 2—5-tgt. Walk-up: F. Casella, 5/5; seven shooters, 4/5. No. 3—15-tgt. DB H'cap Trophy: N. King, L. Foley, W. Eason, R. Harris, C. Codemo, 14/15; N. King, 19/20; W. Eason, 18/20; L. Foley, 15/17.

Noel King was the star performer, winning the trophy event and also the High Gun.

There was a good contingent of shooters from the newly formed Leeton Club and W. Eason received the second trophy. If he can control those butterflies a little he will certainly do a lot better.

Laurie Foley returned to the winners' circle by taking out third trophy. The Ladies' Trophy was won by Mrs. Eason.

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

GUYRA, 25/10/69.—Weather conditions: Perfect. Attendance: 54. Results: No. 1—New England DR C'ship: 1st, R. Varley; 2nd, C. Bloxsome; 3rd, V. Mackson. FM: W. Bayley. No. 2—15-tgt. Pts. Score Trophy: 1st, J. Sansom; 2nd, B. Duff; 3rd, C. Fennicke. No. 3—15-tgt. SB Trophy: 1st, D. Ellis; 2nd, R. Kermod; 3rd, F. Starr. No. 4—30-tgt. DB Cash H'cap: B. Duff, R. Varley, C. Varley, V. Mackson, D. Lockyer, D. Ellis, Mrs. M. White, C. Bloxsome, J. Tyquin, 30/30. No. 5—15-tgt. DB M: J. Tyquin, S. Kane, D. Hall, 15/15. No. 6—15-tgt. Continental: A. Cregan, G. White, C. Fennicke, V. Mackson, D. Lockyer, A. McClenaghan, D. Curtis, A. George, R. Kermod, D. Hall, C. Bloxsome, M. Thrift, D. Gratton, S. Kane, 15/15.

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

GUYRA, 26/10/69.—Weather conditions: Perfect. Attendance: 63. Results: No. 1—New England SB C'ship: H. Williamson, 50/50; H. Campion, 49/50; J. Forsythe, third. FM: Mrs. P. Moffatt. No. 2—New England DD C'ship: 1st, C. and R. Varley; 2nd, D. Ellis and V. Mackson. No. 3—15-tgt. Pts. Score Trophy: 1st, G. White; 2nd, J. Sansom; 3rd, K. Starr. No. 4—30-tgt. DB Cash H'cap: J. Leussink, K. Starr, G. Wilson, B. Duff, J. Forsythe, D. Reid, C. Varley, P. Rafferty, H. Williamson, V. Mackson, D. Lockyer, R. Belfield, 30/30. High Gun over program: V. Mackson, 143/145.

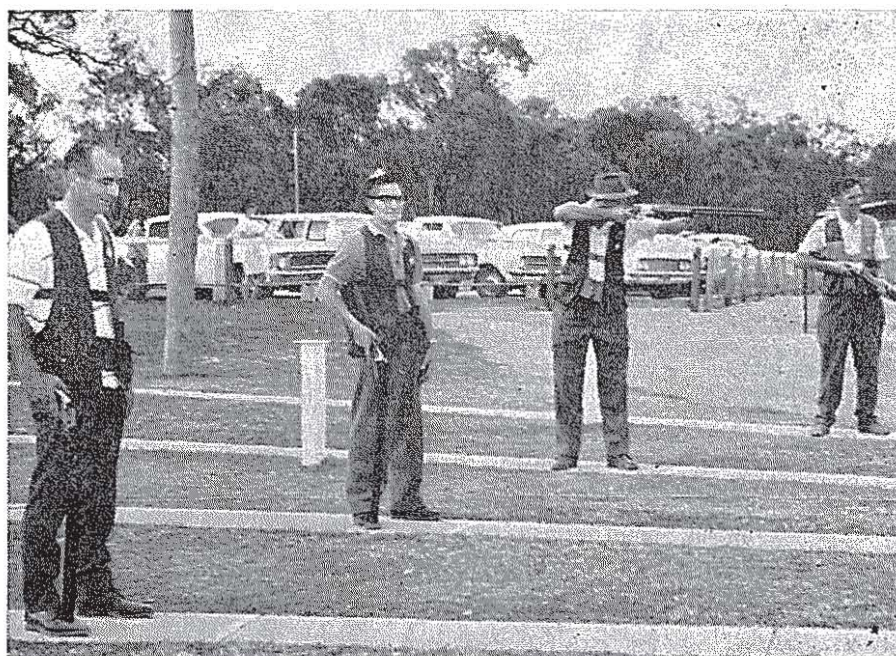
Our sincere thanks to the many visiting shooters who attended and contributed to the success of our two-day shoot.

We congratulate the various trophy winners over the two days—with a special mention to V. Mackson for High Gun.

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

GUYRA, 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Overcast. Attendance: 43. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB Stone Trophy: 18 possibles. No. 2—20-tgt. DB Club Trophy: D. Curtis, 42/42, first. Others in shoot-off with 20/20: D. Yee, J. Paul, D. Macansh, G. Cowen, D. Redman, H.

Winchester Tournament finalists, Mildura G.C. (Vic.), 25/10/69. From left to right: "D" Class, W. Blake, Broken Hill; "C" Class, J. Godkin, Mildura; "B" Class, C. Farnsworth, Mildura; "A" Class, B. Murphy, Broken Hill.



Williamson. No. 3—D. Cunningham, V. Mackson, 19/20; D. Ellis, 18/20. No. 4—10-tgt. Pts Score: Six divided. No. 6—High Gun: V. Mackson; FM: P. Dutton.

The Inter-club match between Guyra, Glen Innes and Inverell and the Macansh "Tray" was the event of interest. Guyra, the host club, nominated DR as the event over which the match would be contested and were successful in taking the tray from Glen Innes with a score of 87/100. Inverell were second. The next match will be held at Inverell and we will be keen to break the sequence of host club victories.

At last David Curtis struck top form to win the club trophy event — a very popular win. Philip Dutton continued to hold his recent good form also and proved a clear winner for the front marker trophy.

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

HAWKESBURY, 15/11/69.—Weather conditions: Showery. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1—25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: W. Clark, E. Hawkins, Col Hawkins, R. Snow, 25/25. No. 2—25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: J. Rawlinson, R. Snow, Col Hawkins, 25/25. No. 3—25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: A. Hayes, W. Hawkins, R. Snow, K. Waters, 25/25. No. 4—Hawk. Dist. Night Skeet C'ship: 1st, J. Worley, 2nd, E. Hawkins; 3rd, K. Soames. No. 5—NSW Night Skeet C'ship: 1st, E. Hawkins; 2nd, J. Worley; 3rd, Col Hawkins.

A small attendance, with rain and flood as a deterrent. John Worley won the Hawkesbury District Night C'ship outright from Ernie Hawkins and Keith Soames.

The State C'ship was won by Ernie Hawkins with the only possible; John Worley was second and Col Hawkins third.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

HAWKESBURY, 18/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: A. Hayes, V. Barovich, J. Lee, E. Hawkins, R. Clarke, 25/25. No. 2, South Pacific Skeet Sparrows C'ship: 1st, A. Hayes, 25/25; 2nd, J. Rawlinson, 22/25; 3rd, E. Hawkins and I. Clisdell, 21/25. No. 3, Les English Trophy: J. Rawlinson.

Adrian Hayes won the C'ship with the only possible; John Rawlinson was second and Ernie Hawkins and Ian Clisdell divided third.

Possibles in other events were shot by Ernie Hawkins and Reg Clarke.

John Rawlinson won the Les English Trophy after a shoot-off with Bill Clark.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

HAWKESBURY, 1/11/69.—Weather conditions: Showery. Results: No. 1—15-tgt. H'cap: J. Rawlinson, A. Fotheringham, E. Chewing, A. Hayes, E. Hawkins, P. Sharp, 15/15. No. 2—South Pacific DB C'ship: 1st, W. Charlton; 2nd, F. Hudson; 3rd, N. Rogley; FM: R. Bell. No. 3—NSW SB C'ship: 1st, A. Fotheringham, 33/33; 2nd, J. Rawlinson, 32/33; 3rd, W. Charlton, N. Rogley. No. 4—15-tgt. DB H'cap: R. Clarke, M. Quirk, R. Faunt, F. Mitchell, 15/15. Night—5-tgt. DB, 16 yds: K. Soames, D. Tatam, M. Quirk, S. Joice, E. Hawkins, A. Fotheringham, 5/5. No. 6—South Pacific DB Night C'ship: 1st, K. Soames, 20/20; 2nd, D. Tatam, 25/26; 3rd, R. Drane, 24/26.

Warren Charlton outshot the rest to win the first C'ship. Fred Hudson and Nick Rogley kept him going for quite a while, finishing in that order. Only two shot possibles in the State SB C'ship; Arthur Fotheringham winning the title from John Rawlinson.

Both Arthur and John shot very consistently over the programme.

Keith Soames was the only possible in the night C'ship Doug Tatam second and new shooter Bob Drane third.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

HAY, 13/10/69.—Weather conditions: Strong north easterly wind, no cloud. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, Club Skeet C'ship: 1st, L. Booth, 20/25; 2nd, M. Callinan, 19/25; 3rd, E. McCullough, 18/25. No. 2, Patron's Trophy, 15 B/Single, 15 B/Double: 1st, E. McCullough, 29/30; 2nd, Max Gibson, 44/47; 3rd, L. McGrath, Jnr., 43/47.

One of the most popular wins on the Hay Gun Club grounds was the win of President Lloyd Booth in winning the Skeet C'ship of the Club. Lloyd was at bolters odds but he came out and defeated a first-class field to win the event.

In the popular Patron's Trophy which is shot at 15-tgt. double and 15-tgt. single barrel, a good win was registered by Eric McCullough from Echuca with 29/30; in a marathon shoot-off for the minor places saw Max Gibson win when Les McGrath, Jnr., lost his 47th tgt.

Visitors from Leeton and Coleambally took advantage of a good day's shooting to get in some practice for Deniliquin.

It was pleasing to have our old friend Dudley Edgerton from Melbourne visiting us. Dud was accompanied by him wife Olive, who both enjoyed the day out.

The progressive score in the Lloyd Booth Shield sees T. Dancy still leading with 129, followed by Jack Headon 126, Murray Valentine 124 and Jim Skene 122. This shield will be decided on the next shoot.

(H. Cox, Hon. Sec.)

HAY, 8/11/69.—Weather conditions: Perfect. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1—Hay Gun Club Cup: 1st, M. Valentine, 44/44; 2nd, F. Headon, 43/44; 3rd, J. Headon, 22/23. No. 2—Hay Gun Club "Mitchell" Cup: 1st, I. Fayle, 35/35; 2nd, T. Dancy, 34/35; 3rd, R. Howitt, 31/32.

Hard working Committeeman Murray Valentine won the Gun Club Cup from novice shooter Frank Headon. Jack Headon's effort in shooting 22/23 off his handicap mark of 27 yards was a very good performance.

At night the "Mitchell" Cup was shot and this saw a new shooter, Ian Fayle, shoot the hot field out. In passing, Ian has only been shooting since July and his effort was a very pleasing result. Tom Dancy was second with Bob Howitt from Deniliquin third.

The history of the two cups is very pleasing to read, as both these cups came into the Club from the old

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Event 2— Nom. \$3.00
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20 ST from 16 yards. Op. Sweep.
First, Badge, Trophy 2nd, 3rd and best F.M.

Event 3— Nom. \$1.00
10 STANDARD TARGETS D.B. SWEEP

Event 4— Nom. \$3.00
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20 ST from 16 yards. Op. Sweep.
First, Badge, Trophy 2nd, 3rd and best F.M.

NIGHT: Event 1— Nom. \$1.00
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live bird days. They were both shot for back in the days before the first world war.

Tom Dancey won the High Gun Shield with a score of 183/220.

(H. Cox, Hon. Sec.)

ILLAWARRA, 19/10/69—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 29. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB EO: Six divided. No. 2—10-tgt. DB P/S: E. Chewing, L. Chodat, A. Webb, K. Perkins. No. 3—20-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st, S. Joice; 2nd, L. Boniface; 3rd, B. Palk; FM: W. Waples. No. 4—Ladies' DB: Mrs. P. Boniface; Novice DB—Mr B. Fleming. No. 5—10-tgt. DB from 16 yds.: T. Muller, R. Smith, A. Zantis, F. Rapley, L. Boniface, L. Chodat, K. Perkins, B. Palk, M. Quirk, A. Palk, 10/10. No. 6—20-tgt. DB Lake Illawarra Police Boys' C'ship: 1st, K. Perkins; 2nd, M. Quirk; 3rd, K. McCloy; FM: D. Maher. No. 7—5-Pr. DR: S. Joice, F. Rapley, D. Maher, M. Lourie, K. Perkins. Night Event: 1st, L. Chodat and A. Webb; 2nd, S. Joice.

Although a small attendance at the Police Boys' Shoot some fine shooting was witnessed, with Stephen Joice once again winning the handicap event and receiving a well earned yard from 19 to 20 yards. Runners-up were Les Boniface second and Brian Palk third, with front marker going to Bill Waples.

Kevin Perkins won the Police Boys' DB C'ship after a break of a 127 from Morrie Quirk second and Keith McCloy third, and Don Maher front marker.

(A. Arkwright, Hon. Sec.)

ILLAWARRA, 26/10/69—Weather conditions: Variable, bad to awful. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB EO: 10 divided. No. 2—ICI Spring H'cap, 30-tgt.: 1st, Les Boniface (Illawarra); 2nd, Bill Fleming (Illawarra); 3rd, Athol Webb (Illawarra); FM: T. Pierce. No. 3—1 D.C.C. DB C'ship, 20tgt.: 1st, Kevin Perkins (Illawarra); 2nd, Brian Palk (Illawarra); 3rd, Phil Lace (Illawarra); FM: H. Gardner. No. 4—20-tgt. Illawarra District Night SB C'ship: 1st, N. Doubleday; 2nd, T. Romanello; 3rd, B. Palk; FM: A. Webb.

There's one thing to be said for South Coast weather: when a shooter wins at the local club he has surely earned his victory! The bad weather greatly reduced our normal field of shooters, but the winners in all events had to work hard for their laurels, small crowd or not. In the Spring H'cap (more aptly called the "Survival Handicap"), Les Boniface and Bill Fleming had a great battle against each other and the elements. Bill missed and it seemed all over—then Les dropped it also and the contest was on again! Some targets later Bill again missed, but this time Les, rather resembling a World War I pilot with cap reversed, wasn't going to be a gentleman a second time and thoroughly clobbered the clay.

A full squad assembled for the shoot-off in the Club C'ship—F. Rapley, R. Smith, P. Lace, B. Palk and K. Perkins—and a hard no-quarter contest it proved, with Kevin and Brian slugging it out in what is becoming to be a familiar personal dual. Phil Lace, having no end of trouble with powder blowback, shot his way to third place with determination and streaming eyes!

(Doug. Brown, Pub. Officer.)

ILLAWARRA, 23/11/69—Weather conditions: Warm and sunny. Attendance: 48. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB EO: Seven divided. No. 2—15-tgt. Pts. Score: 1st, E. Lace (Illawarra); 2nd, L. Johnson, (Sydney); 3rd, D. Sullivan (Illawarra); FM: J. Dean (Sydney). No. 3—10-Pr. DR C'ship: 1st, P. Lace (Illawarra); 2nd, N. Doubleday (NSW); 3rd, L. Boniface, Illawarra; FM: L. Johnson (Sydney). No. 4—Ladies' Event: Judy Lace (Illawarra).

It must surely constitute something of a record when individual members of one family outshoot everybody and take out all the major prizes on the programme. This unusual feat happened at the Illawarra Club when Ed Lace shot the only possible in the Points Score, Phil Lace (after a brief but tense shoot-off) won the Double Rise, while Phil's young wife convincingly walked off with the ladies' event.

It was unfortunate that many counter attractions kept the number of shooters down but if anything the smaller

field made the rivalry all the more keen to win the particularly fine prizes offered. Les Johnson, showing increasingly better form all the year, secured placings in the Points Score and C'ship.

Very pleasing to see Club Captain, Keith McCloy, mobile again after a major appointment with the surgeons.

(Doug. Brown, Pub. Officer.)

LEETON, 26/10/69—Weather conditions: Very windy and cloudy. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB EO H'cap: Nine possibles, 5/5. No. 2—Nine possibles, 10/10. No. 3—15-tgt. DB H'cap Trophy: Two possibles—D. Johnson, D. Allen, 15/15. 1st, D. Johnson, 35/36; 2nd, D. Allen, 34/36; 3rd, B. Simpson, 20/21; Novice Trophy: K. Searle, 15/17. High Gun: D. Allen. No. 4—5-tgt. SB H'cap: J. Monfries, D. Allen, D. Johnson, C. Garofalo, F. Cassella, 5/5 (five possibles).

Weather conditions were very bad for good shooting. Considering the conditions the attendance was pleasing, although down on previous shoots.

D. Johnson, who won the trophy event, shot very well and it was the first time he has won a trophy at Clay Target shooting. Second was D. Allen and third B. Simpson. High Gun was won by D. Allen and the 12 yd. trophy was won by Club President, K. Searle.

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

LEETON, 23/11/69—Weather conditions: Good but hot. Attendance: 34. No. 1—5-tgt. DB H'cap: Fifteen possibles. No. 2—10-tgt. DB H'cap: B. Simpson, N. Price, G. Walker, R. Kiss, K. Sim, T. Salafia, M. Stanmore, D. Johnston, E. Hatch. No. 3—15-tgt. DB H'cap Trophy: M. Weymouth, L. Kiss, L. Dow, K. Searle, B. Simpson, A. Salafia, C. Garafalo; first, M. Weymouth, 52/52; second, L. Kiss, 51/52; third, L. Dow, 44/45; FM Trophy went to N. Price, 14/15.

It was pleasing to see so many shooters in attendance at our monthly shoot. The trophy event saw some good shooting, the event being won by Club Secretary, M. Weymouth, with 52/52 from a young shooter in L. Kiss, 51/52, with L. Dow, 44/45, 3rd. High Gun was won by B. Simpson.

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

LISMORE, 25/10/69—Weather conditions: Fine and cool. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1—5-Pts. EO: Six 10-DB H'cap: L. Roach, John Lee, R. J. Powell, J. Bell, divided. No. 2—10 SB H'cap: B. Wilson, R. J. Powell, R. Shepherd. No. 3—20 DB H'cap: First, J. Bell, 20/20; second, G. Pringle, 19/20; third, B. Wilson, 18/20.

(L. Roach, Hon. Sec.)

LISMORE, 26/10/69—Weather conditions: Fine and humid. Results: No. 1—5-Pts. EO: L. Roach. No. 2—D. Powell. No. 3—10-SB Trophy: John Lee, 23/24. No. 4—20-DB Club C'ship: 1st, J. Bell, 41/41; 2nd, J. Tainsh, 40/41; 3rd, John Lee, 39/40. No. 5—15-Pts. H'cap: John Lee, J. Bell, 45/45.

Jim Bell shot very well over the night and day to win both main events, with young John Lee not far behind. Afternoon tea was appreciated during the humid weather.

(L. Roach, Hon. Sec.)

LISMORE, 22/11/69 (Night)—Weather conditions: Cloudy, windy. Attendance: 10. Results: No. 1—5-Pts. EO H'cap: J. Tainsh, R. Shepherd, 15/15. No. 2—10-Pt. 16 yds.: C. J. Lee, D. Powell, R. J. Powell, 30/30. 20-tgt. Club Club Night C'ship: 1st, R. Shepherd, 20/20; 2nd, John Lee, 30/31; 3rd, R. J. Powell, 29/31.

The night was marred by strong winds, heavy cloud, wet under-foot and long grass. This shoot had to be postponed the week before owing to even worse conditions.

(Roy Shepherd, Hon. Sec.)

LISMORE, 23/11/69—Weather conditions: Very windy. Attendance: 10. Results: No. 1—5-Pts. EO. H'cap: J. Tainsh, D. Powell, W. Wilson, 15/15. No. 2—10-SB Trophy: K. De Saxe. No. 3—20-SB H'cap Trophy: 1st, W. Wilson, 20/20; 2nd, R. J. Powell, 19/20; 3rd, F. Hoskins, 20/22. No. 4—10-DB H'cap: R. J. Powell, 10/10; J. Tainsh, J. Bell, F. Hoskins, L. Frederikson, 9/10. No. 5—5-M Pts.: J. Tainsh, 15/15. No. 6—Box Sweeps: R. Shepherd (M), 24 yds.; Jim Bell (ST), 30 yds.

The wind was even worse than last night. Most shooters had trouble with sighting the very elusive targets, with right swingers nearly going into orbit and left swingers cutting more capers than could be imagined.

(Roy Shepherd, Hon. Sec.)

MANGOPLAH, 30/11/69.—Weather conditions: Sunny, warm, breezy. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 3—Girra-ween DB C'ship, 16 yds, Wolfenden Shield: 1st, B. Rooke, 150/150; 2nd, K. Hodge, 149/150; 3rd, A. Sheather, 61/150. No. 4—DB H'cap, 15-tgt.: Wagga team—A. Baker, J. Podmore, G. Lymbery, E. Vincent, B. Rooke, 74/75.

Ideal weather made shooting conditions excellent, resulting in an afternoon of outstanding performances.

The Girraween Festival Champion for 1969 is Barney Rooke from Wagga with a creditable 150 targets. Barney was pressed all the way by Keith Hidge, of Albury, who only missed one target for the day.

Special congratulations go to third place-getter Allan Sheather, who was having his first shoot following a serious accident.

Before presentation of prizes one minute's silence was observed to honor the memory of the late Lynch Creasy. Lynch left us at the age of 88 years and was an active shooter up until his passing.

Club officials were disappointed some clubs failed to challenge for the Wolfenden Shield, donated by Urana Gun Club. The Wagga team gave a near faultless display to shoot 74/75 to win the shield. The Cootamundra team also shot well, finishing with 70/75.

(C. Blackshaw, Hon. Sec.)

NARRABRI, 26/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 10. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB Cash Div.: J. McCulloch, A. Palmer, G. McPherson, 10/10. No. 2—15-tgt. Pts. Score: 1st, M. Cochrane, 44/55; 2nd, B. McPherson; 3rd, E. Saunders. No. 3—Narrabri District DR C'ship: 1st, B. McPherson, 22/22; 2nd, E. Saunders, 21/22; 3rd, J. McCulloch, 17/20. No. 4—10-tgt. SB: B. McPherson, 10/10. High Gun: B. McPherson.

Attendance was down owing to a number of the regulars visiting other major shoots and with the sewing of cotton which had been delayed on account of the wet weather.

Bruce McPherson, who has been shooting consistently, won the DR C'ship after a short shoot-off with Ernie Saunders, and also eliminated Ernie again in a shoot-off for the High. Congratulations Bruce and keep up the good work.

The Club has advanced another step with the purchase of another 10 acres of land and now have sufficient area to instal four traps if necessary. Plans are under way to erect a new modern club house which is hoped to be completed for our next annual shoot. This means a lot of hard work ahead but the spirit is there among the members, so there is no reason why it cannot be done on time.

(A. Rowe, Pub. Officer.)

NEWCASTLE, 1/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine, windless night. Attendance: 38. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB H'cap: 14 shooters shot the possible. No. 2—5Pr. DR, 16 yds.: D. Taylor and K. Pearce, 10/10. No. 3—Newcastle DR C'ship: 1st, D. Taylor; 2nd, K. Pearce; 3rd, J. Fryer; FM: K. McHue. No. 4—10-tgt. Pts. H'cap: W. Collis, D. Taylor and T. Asquith shot 30/30. No. 5—10-tgt. DB, 27 yds.: A. George only possible, 10/10.

Doug Taylor, shooting with gr at precision, gave a lesson to all present in how to deal with double rise.

Alan George, a regular visitor from Cessnock, clearly proved that he is under-handicapped by easily shooting the possible 10/10 off 27 yards.

On November 15 we began regular skeet shooting on our new skeet layout. All work has been carried out by club members with the lions' share of the work having been done by our secretary, Ray Morton.

(P. J. Jenkin, Vice-President.)

NEWCASTLE, 15/11/69.—Weather conditions: Wet with gusty winds. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1—25 Skeet Cash H'cap Div.: R. Boggis, J. Clarke, A. Whyte, D. Guy, J. Hunt, R. Woolen, W. Collis, A. Tre-

GUYRA GUN CLUB

(N.S.W.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

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Situated 4 miles south of Guyra on New England Highway

Saturday, 21st February, 1970

commencing 9.30 a.m.

Event 1—10 TARGET DOUBLE-BARREL EYE-OPENER — COMP. DIVISION

Shot off 16 yards. Nomination \$1.00

Event 2-

New England D.B. Championship

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Event 3—20 TARGET POINT SCORE H'CAP
Trophies. Nomination \$2.00.

Event 4—30 TARGET DOUBLE-BARREL CASH
HANDICAP — \$300
Nomination \$8.00

Sunday, 22nd February, 1970

commencing 9.30 a.m.

Event 5—10 TARGET SINGLE-BARREL EYE-OPENER — COMP. DIVISION

Shot off 18 yards. Nomination \$1.00.

Event.6 -

N.S.W. S.B. Championship

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main and R. McLennan. No. 2—25 Skeet Cash H'cap Div.: R. Boggis, R. Guy, J. Hunt, K. McHue, R. Woolen, W. Collis, D. Mackay, A. Tremain and R. McLennan. No. 3—25 Skeet Cash H'cap Div.: R. Boggis, R. Mortan, D. Guy, R. Guy, J. Hunt, K. McHue and A. Tremain.

This was the first official shoot over our new Skeet layout. New shooter, J. Hunt, celebrated the occasion by shooting 25 straight, thus becoming the first person to do this at Newcastle. Congratulations to Bob Boggis, who ran second in Class B of the Winchester Skeet tournament.

(P. J. Jenkins, Vice-President.)

NEW ENGLAND, 8/11/69.—Weather conditions: Stormy. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1—10-SB EO, 16 yds.: Nine divided, 10/10. No. 2—20-SB Nth New England Dist. C'ship: 1st, E. Redman, 78/78; 2nd, H. Young, 77/78; 3rd, C. Coldham, 74/75; best 12-14 yds.: B. Weir, 19/20. No. 3—20-DB H'cap \$100.00 Ammo.: C. Coldham, J. Newby, L. Day, H. Williamson, 20/20. No. 4—10 Pts. Score H'cap Sweep: 1st eq., Noel Smith and V. Mackson, 30/30; 3rd eq., W. Keogh, S. Cross, C. Coldham, I. Reid and H. Williamson, 29/30.

The first day of our first two-day shoot ran like clockwork. The competition in all events was keen, particularly in the SB C'ship, where all place-getters shot over 75 straight.

A very successful social for shooters and friends was held at the conclusion of shooting on Saturday.

(Allan H. Lewis, Hon. Sec.)

NEW ENGLAND, 9/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 58. Results: No. 1—10-DB off 16 yds.: 22 shooters, 10/10. No. 2—20-DB Nth New England Dist. C'ship: 1st, H. Williamson, 126/126; 2nd, J. Forsyth, 125/126; 3rd, Don Redman, 103/104; Best 12-14 yds.: A. J. Kempton. No. 3—20-DB Handicap \$275 Ammo.: M. Burgess, H. Young, C. Bloxsome, R. Cruthers, H. Stevenson, J. Durkin, C. Coldham, D. Ellis, E. Redman, B. Weir, C. McLane, D. Redman, C. Evans, T. Simmon, G. White, N. S. Smith, J. Wickham;

Best 12-13 yd.: Nil; Best 14-15 yd.: G. Brazier, P. Rafferty. No. 4—20 Pts. Score H'cap: 1st, S. Cross, 60/60; 2nd eq., G. McGowen, A. Cregan, 59/60; Incorp. Kwong Sing/J. F. Chaffey Club Team Shield—won by New England Club with 282 points from Guyra with 274 points. Incorporated in Event 4, the Kwong Sing/J. F. Chaffey Shield for Club Teams, won by New England from Guyra—High Gun: H. Young, 107/110; Inter. High Gun: W. Keogh, 100/110.

The second day of our open shoot was a great success. The Club was very pleased to have shooters from many clubs. Guyra Club fielded three teams for the Shield, Ballandean two teams and one each from Inverell and Coffs Harbour.

Competition in all events was very keen, with 20 shooters commencing shoot-off for DB C'ship and final winner being Herb Williamson with 126/126 from J. Forsyth.

(Allan H. Lewis, Hon. Sec.)

N.S.W.G.C. (N.S.W.), 8/11/69.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 34. Results: No. 1—15-DB H'cap: L. Lane, N. Rogley, L. Talbot, F. Ward, F. Denza, S. Cavallaro, M. Fuller, Dr. H. Thurlow, 15/15. No. 2—15 Pts. Score x 16 yds.: M. Fuller, J. Bosco, 45/45; H. Edgell, R. Croft, A. Romanello, F. Denza, H. Thurlow, F. Mitchell, 44/45. No. 3—15-DB H'cap Trophy: T. Milligan, 30/30; J. Guberina, 28/29; A. Midgley, 23/24. No. 4—H'cap Skeet: L. Lane, R. Hyatt, L. Talbot, J. Gooley, A. Midgley, A. Romanello, 25.

Good weather lasted for the shoot. In the Trophy 14 shot the possible, but T. Milligan made it too solid. New shooter John Guberina took second place and Arthur Midgley, who is starting to smash things, third. Mal Fuller had a day out, taking High Gun with 58 straight, which is not bad off 24 yds.

(J. Evans, Sec.)

N.S.W.G.C. (N.S.W.), 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 48. Results: No. 1—15-DB H'cap: Eight possibles. No. 2—15-DB H'cap: 13 possibles. No. 3—Graded Shoot, 20 x 16 yds.: (12-15 yds.), J. Guberina; 16-18 yds.), E. Troy; (19-21) yds.), G. Kable; (22-27 yds.), H. W. Thurlow. No. 4—H'cap Skeet: F. Hudson, J. Bosco, L. Talbot, E. Troy, A. Romanello, 25.

The graded shoot was a great success. Four Grades received trophies and R. McAllister won the High Gun with 65 straight.

(J. Evans, Sec.)

PORT MACQUARIE, 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Sunny, strong S.E. wind. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB: 1st, A. Fotheringham, 10/10; div., M. Tull, S. Neill, C. Cross, A. Banting, 9/10. No. 2—10-tgt. SB: A. Fotheringham, K. Miles, divided, 8/10. No. 3—10-tgt. DB Pts.: A. Banting, 28/30; C. Cross, D. Crisp, div. 2nd, 27/30. No. 4—10-tgt. Walk-up: 1st, K. Miles, 8/10; div. 2nd, A. Fotheringham, J. Mumford, 7/10. No. 5—5-Pr. DR: J. Elliott, C. Cross, div. 1st, 8/10; No. 6—10-tgt. DB: M. Buckley, S. Neill, div. 1st, 10/10.

A small attendance but a very enjoyable shoot was had by all. A strong south-east wind made shooting very difficult and scores were lower than usual. It is very pleasing to see shooters attending from other clubs, namely, Max Tull, from Dungog, and A. Fotheringham, from Kempsey.

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

RANKINS SPRINGS, 19/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and sunny. Attendance: 29. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: M. Weymouth, D. Lucas, D. Allen, J. C. Harman, J. W. Harman, A. W. Smith, S. Trembath, G. Schneider, J. Stewart, J. Wood, C. Garofalo, 5/5. No. 2, 5-tgt. E.O. (16 yds.): M. Weymouth, D. Lucas, D. Allen, J. C. Harman, A. W. Smith, S. Trembath, G. Schneider, C. Hill, T. Salafia, B. Simpson, B. K. Brown, F. Casella, F. Phelan, H. Gibbs, 5/5. No. 3, 20-tgt. Club C'ship: D. Lucas, D. Allen, J. W. Harman, C. Garofalo, H. Gibbs, 10/10. Open Div.: 1st, D. Lucas, 131/131; 2nd, H. Gibbs, 130/131, D. Allen, 48/49; Inter Division: 1st, J. W. Harman, 20/20; 2nd, B. Simpson, 29/30; 3rd, N. Bretag, 27/30. No. 4, \$2 H'cap, 10-tgt: D. Allen, R. Kiss, B. K. Brown, N. Bretag, 10/10.

Sutton Forest Gun Club

N.S.W.

Sunday, March 1 — 12 noon sharp

1—10 TARGET D.B., 16 Yards, E.O.

Nomination \$1.00

2—

"Bush Week" D.B. Championship

Nomination \$3.00

3—Bundanoon Honeymooners' Week Handicap

(20 Target D.B. Handicap)

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This shoot will coincide with the Moss Vale "Bush Week" Festival and the Back-to-Bundanoon Honeymooners' Weekend.

Barry Ellsmore, President
Bundanoon 164

Stephen Joice, Secretary,
Bundanoon 93

Visitors from Griffith, Leeton, Lake Cargelligo, Barel-lan, Canberra and Guyra. Congrats. to Doug Allen on winning the High Gun.

(M. Trembath, Hon. Sec.)

RANKINS SPRINGS, 16/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1: 5-tgt. EO: 16 divided, 5/5. No. 2—10-tgt. DB: E. Thomas, D. Allen, J. C. Harman, E. Heffernan, N. Bretag, D. Gibbs, 10/10. No. 3—15-tgt. Trophy: 1st, B. K. Brown, 49/49; 2nd, E. Heffernan, 48/49; 3rd, P. Overs, 44/45.

We had very nice weather for our last shoot for the year with visitors from Griffiths, Leeton, Barel-lan and Canberra. Congratulations to E. Heffernan, who won the High Gun trophy as well as second prize in the trophy shoot. Ean also won the Club's best aggregate score for the year donated by the Vice-President, Mr H. Irvine. We go into recess now until third Sunday in February, 1970, concluding a successful year.

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

ROYAL AERO, 19/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine, light breeze. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap: J. Tyquin, D. Durrant, J. Bosco, 15/15. No. 2, 10-tgt. Pts. H'cap: W. Shelton, L. Talbot, Dr. W. Thurlow, 30/30. No. 3, 15-tgt. D.B. R.A.C. H'cap: 1st, D. Durrant; 2nd, F. Denza; 3rd, Dr. W. Thurlow. No. 4, 10-tgt. S.B. H'cap: D. Durrant, Dr. W. Thurlow, 10/10; L. Talbot, 9/10. No. 5, 5-prs, D/Rise (off 16 yds.): J. Tyquin, 10/10; F. Denza, 9/10; D. Durrant, 8/10. No. 6, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: J. Bosco, 10/10; R. Hepworth, S. Annckiarico, 9/10.

There were six possibles in the R.A.C. Trophy: D. Durrant, W. Shelton, Dr. W. Thurlow, F. Denza, R. Hepworth and A. Freeman, 15/15. In the shoot-off for places, Don Durrant was first, with 27/27, Frank Denza "ran up" with 26/27, and Dr. W. Thurlow won third trophy, with 12/13.

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

ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.), 2/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and calm. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1—15-tgt. DB H'cap: D. Durrant, R. Maso, J. Bosco, 15/15. No. 2—10-tgt. Pts. off 16 yds.: J. Worley, F. Williams, N. Rogley, K. Williams, 30/30. No. 3—Bankstown SB C'ship: 1st, R. Maso; 2nd, L. Crema; 3rd, M. Fuller; FM: D. Durrant. No. 4—15-tgt. DB H'cap: J. Worley, A. Romanello, 15/15; L. Crema, E. Chewing, 14/15. No. 5—5-Prs. DR off 16 yds.: L. Crema, K. Williams, M. Fuller, A. Midgley, F. Denza, 10/10.

Bob Maso shot the only possible to win the Banks-town SB C'ship, 20/20.

There were four with 19/20—Len Crema, Nick Rog-ley, Mal Fuller and Jack Kenny.

In the shoot-off for places, Len Cramer "ran up" with 6/6 and Mal Fuller won third trophy with 5/6.

Don Durrant won the Front Marker trophy with an original score of 17/20.

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

ROYAL AERO, NSW, 16/11/69.—Weather conditions: Rain. No. 1: 15-tgt. DB H'cap: R. Faunt, A. Romanello, R. Clarke, E. Chewing, 15/15. No. 2—5-Prs. DR off 16 yds.: R. Clarke, J. Bosco, 30/30; R. Faunt, W. Every, J. Worley, J. Kenny, F. Denza, 29/30. No. 3—County of Cumberland DR C'ship: 1st, F. Denza; 2nd, R. Faunt; 3rd, E. Hawkins; FM: E. Chewing. No. 4—15-tgt. DB H'cap: R. Clarke, W. Every, A. Midgley, R. Hepworth, 15/15. No. 5—10-tgt. DB H'cap: J. Bosco, W. Every, 10/10; A. Romanello, A. Midgley, 9/10.

There were three with 18/20 in the County of Cum-berland DR C'ship—Rus Faunt, Frank Denza and Ernie Hawkins.

In the shoot-off for places, Frank Denza was first, with 12/14, Rus Faunt "ran up" with 11/14, and Ernie Hawkins took third trophy with 3/4.

Eric Chewing won the front marker trophy with an original score of 16/20.

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

SCONE, 8/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and cold. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB EO CD: Five divided, 10/10. No. 2—5-Pr. DR: A. Pearce, 9/10; C. Page, 9/10; A. Rowe, 8/10; C. Bland, 8/10; R. M. Smith, 8/10; L. Rose, 8/10; G. Martin, 8/10; G. Clen-

dinning, 8/10; D. Taylor, 8/10; F. Clarke, 8/10; R. Jen-ness, 8/10. No. 3—15Pts. State Night DR C'ship: C. Fenwicke, 27/30; D. Finley, 25/30; D. Collis, 25/30; FM: L. Rose. No. 4—10-tgt. DB EO CD: 14 divided, 10/10. No. 5—15-tgt. Pts. Score CD: R. Melville, 45/45; R. Jenness, 45/45; R. Divine, 45/45; P. Street, 43/45; R. Marshall, 42/45. No. 6—20-tgt. Upper Hunter DB C'ship: (1) E. Saunders, 20/20, 56/56; (2) D. Cassin, 20/20, 55/56; (3) R. Marshall, 20/20, 47/48; (4) P. Street, 20/20, 14/15; FM: Ray Divine. No. 7—15-tgt. SB: G. Clendinning, 15/15, 4/4; D. Jones, 15/15, 3/4, E. Saun-ders, 15/15, 1/2.

High Gun, 3, 5, 6, 7—C. Bland, 72/80, 10/10; G. Clen-dinning, 72/80, 9/10.

The Scone Gun Club were blessed with fine mild weather for their annual Gun Shoot on 8th and 9th November, 1969. Many thanks to shooters from New-castle, Cessnock, Walcha, Gloucester and Tamworth for their support, also to Mr Ken Archibald of our own club for donating a beast for the barbecue which was delicious.

Some fine shooting took place over the two days but the visitors were too good for the locals. C. Fenwicke, from Walcha, took out the State 15-pr. DR Night C'ship with a score of 27/30. The Upper Hunter District DB C'ship was won by E. Saunders, 20/20, 76/76, with D. Cassin, 20/20, 75/76, and R. Marshall, 20/20, 47/48, as runners-up. A good two days finished with a boxer event when visitors saw two shooters, J. M. Barke and Archie Rowe, shooting from 39 yards and hitting targets that must have seemed to be as big as turkeys when darkness claimed them. Apparently they didn't have a bar handicap.

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

SUNNY CORNER, 9/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine, mild. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1—5 tgt. EO: Eleven divided, 5/5. No. 2—25 Mixed Tgts.: Ted Mar-tin, A. Blackadder, H. McDiarmid, 22/25. No. 3—10-tgt. DB Trophy: H. McDairmid, 34/34; C. Ferguson, 33/34; Ray Clarke, 15/16. No. 4—Ladies' Trophy: 1st, Mary McDiarmid; 2nd, Julie Martin; 3rd, Dot Martin. No. 5—10-tgt. DB Club Trophy: Jim Martin, 60/60; J. Holland, 59/60; C. Ferguson (FM), 14/15. No. 6—10-tgt. Sweep: A. Blackadder, Jim Martin, 10/10.

The scores of this shoot reflect the value of the ICI school we held on the previous Sunday.

Congrats. to Jim Martin on his break.

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

SUTTON FOREST, 12/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 48. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. D.B. (16 yds.): Eighteen shooters divide. No. 2, Tulip Festival D.B. C'ship: 1st, Morrie Quirk; 2nd, Neville Doubleday; 3rd, Keith McCloy; F/M: Eppie Gardiner. No. 3, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap Trophy: 1st, Brian Palk; 2nd, Tony Roma-nello; 3rd, Bill Jones; F/M: Bill Waples. No. 4, 10-tgt. D.B. H'cap: B. Ellsmore, F. Radley, S. Joice, K. McCloy, R. Shipway, D. Shipway, B. Palk, 10/10. No. 5, 5-pr. D/Rise: K. Williams, F. Rapley, 10/10; M. Quirk, 9/10.

The major event of the day was the Tulip Festival D.B. C'ship.

Visiting shooters came from Illawarra, New South Wales, Hawkesbury, Royal Aero and Queanbeyan Gun Clubs.

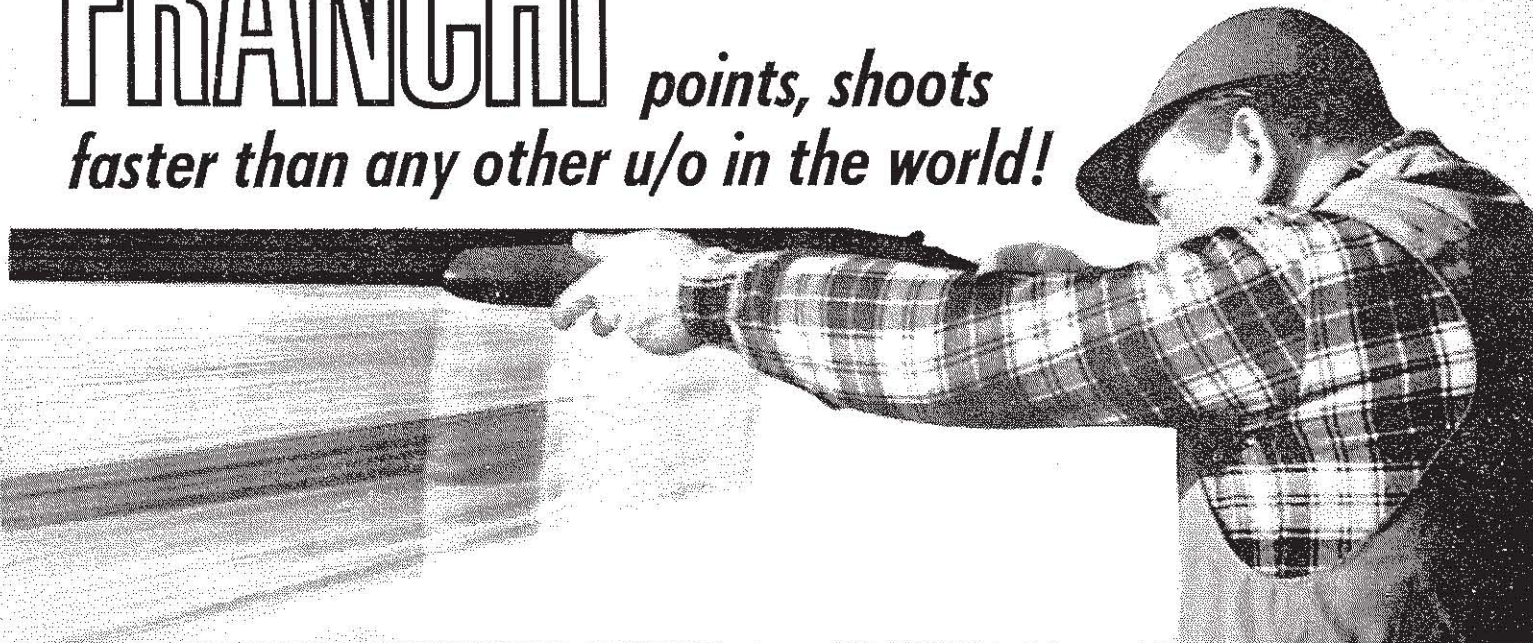
(Stephen P. Joice, Hon. Sec.)

SUTTON FOREST, 9/11/1969.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 64. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB H'cap: Fifteen divided. No. 2—Mick Smith Shield Teams Event: 1st, New South Wales G.C. No. 3 team—J. Edgell, P. Henderson, Mrs. Shelton, W. Shelton, R. Barrett; 2nd, NSW G.C. No. 1 team—J. Lee, B. Ray, D. Durrant, B. Walters, E. Chewing. No. 3—Berrima Dist. SB C'ship: 1st, Bob Ray; 2nd, D. Durrant; 3rd, Tony Romanello; FM: J. Lee. No. 4—20-tgt. DB Trophy H'cap: 1st, Ted McCloy; 2nd, Lionel Chodat; 3rd, H. Gardiner; FM: Jim Feld.

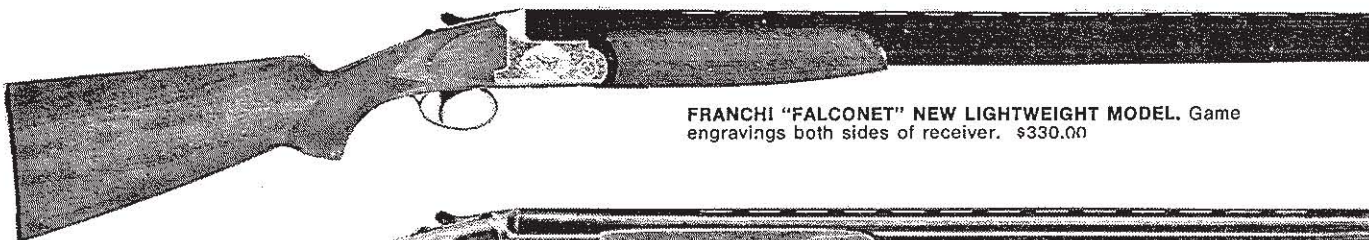
After a week of drenching rain, fine weather pre-vailed. The main event of the day was the Mick Smith Shield teams event. New South Wales Gun Club won the shield very convincingly. A shoot-off was neces-sary between their No. 1 team and No. 3 team to decide the winners. The High Gun trophy for the shield event

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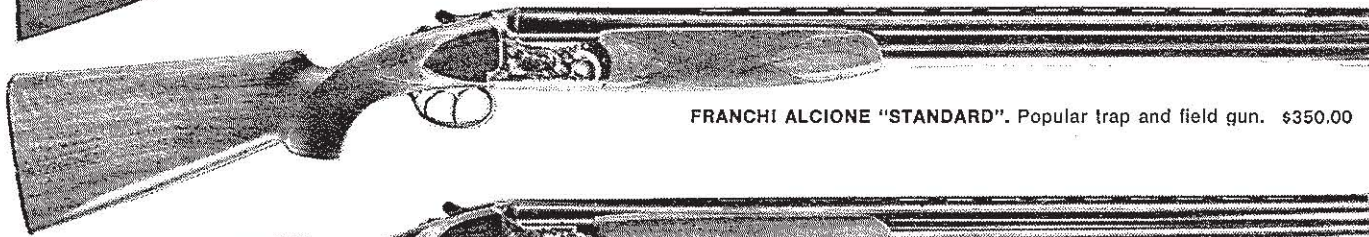
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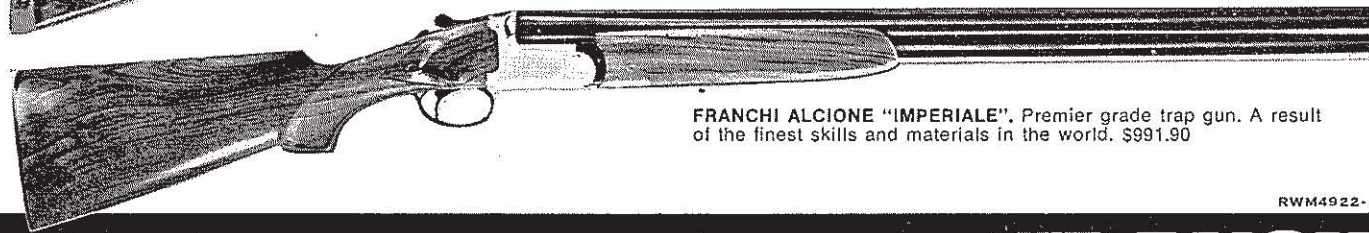
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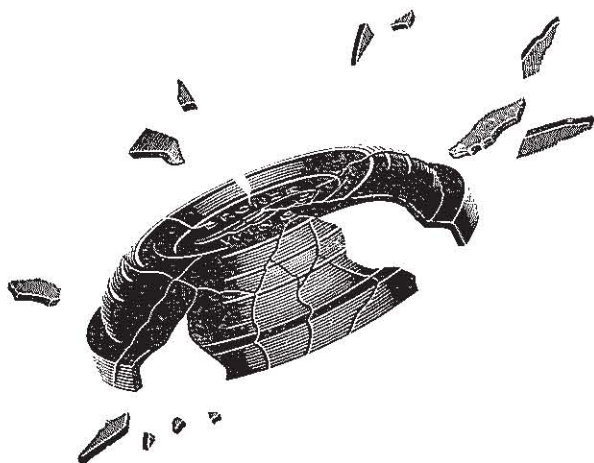
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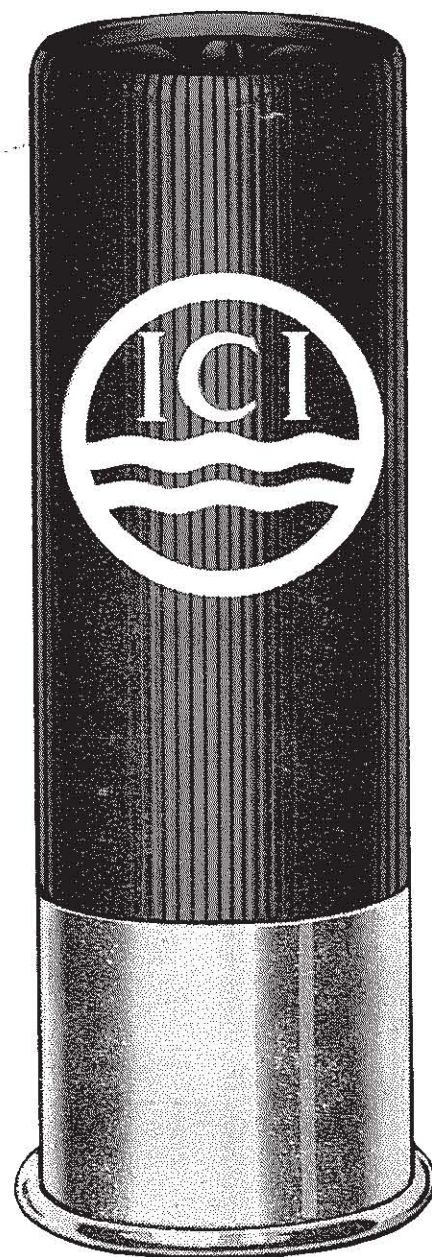
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1963	"	8704/9000	96
1964	"	8763/9000	127
1966	"	7355/7500	107
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1968	"	7355/7500	104
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was won by local shooter, Russell Shipway. Our thanks to Mick Smith for donating the High Gun trophy.

The Berrima District SB C'ship was won outright by Bob Ray. Second was Don Durrant and third Tony Romanello. Front Marker was John Lee.

The final event on the program was a twenty target double barrel trophy event.

Ted McCloy was first with Lionel Chodat second, and E. Gardiner third. The front marker trophy went to Jim Feld.

Our thanks to all the shooters who assisted in running the shoot.

Teams competing in the Mick Smith Shield came from Illawarra, NSW, Hawksbury Gun Clubs, as well as our own shooters.

(Stephen P. Joice, Hon. Sec.)

WALCHA, 5/10/69.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 12. Results: No. 1—10 DB: G. White, R. Kermod, J. Lisle, 10/10. No. 2—10-Pts.: R. Kermod, J. Lisle, R. Belfield, 30/3/. No. 3—10 SB: C. Fenwicke, D. Ireland, J. Gill, M. Ireland. No. 4—10-M. DB: J. Lisle, J. Gill, 10/10. No. 5—10 DB: G. White, C. Fenwicke, R. Kermod, D. Ireland, J. Lisle, W. Bailey, M. Ireland, 10/10.

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

WALCHA, 2/11/69.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 9. Results: No. 1—10 DB: C. Fenwicke, G. Ireland, J. Gill, R. Kermod, G. Little, 10/10. No. 2—10 SB: G. Little, 10/10; R. Kermod, C. Fenwicke, 9/10. No. 3—10-Pr. DR: R. Kermod, J. Lisle, 15/20. No. 4—5-Walk-up DB: G. Little, 4/5.

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

WALLERAWANG, 26/10/69.—Weather conditions: Warm, cloudy, thunderstorms. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O. D/Rise: H. McDiarmid, Jim Martin, 10/10. No. 2, Blue Mts. Dist. D/Rise C'ship, 10-pr.: 1st, Keith Soames, Snr.; 2nd, Ted Martin, 3rd Barney, Rooke. No. 3, Blue Mts. Dist. D.D., 20-pr.: 1st, A. Blackadder and E. Martin, 29 pr.; 2nd, G. Lymberry and B. Rooke, 28 pr. No. 4, 15-tgt. D.B. H'cap Sweep: B. Rooke, H. McDiarmid, N. Angwin, A. Blackadder, W. Burns, 15/15. No. 5, Box Sweep (No. 1): A. Blackadder. No. 6, Box Sweep (No. 2): A. Blackadder.

Our annual doubles championship day was a complete success with shooters from Wagga Wagga, Scone, Musswellbrook, Narrabri, Bathurst, Sunny Corner and Sydney, as well as locals competing. That veteran of clay shooters, Keith Soames, Snr., was just a little too good for newcomer, Ted Martin, in the Blue Mountain Dist. Double Rise Championship, with visitor Barney Rooke from Wagga, third.

The Blue Mountain Dist. D.D. C'ship was won by Ted Martin, partnered by Alex Blackadder. The shoot-off was delayed for some time by a thunder storm, but the rain didn't dampen the spirits of the shooters who carried on afterwards regardless.

(A. Blackadder, Hon. Sec.)

WALLERAWANG, 30/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 25. Results:

No. 1—5 SB EO: Eight div. No. 2—Blue Mountains Dist. SB C'ship: 1st, Terry Thompson, 23/23; 2nd, Les. Alexander, 22/23; 3rd, Ted Martin, 46/47. No. 3—Blue Mountains Dist. DB C'ship: 1st, Arch Rowe, 66/66; 2nd, Phil. Tuckett, 65/66; 3rd, H. Jaques, 41/42. No. 4—10-tgt. DB H'cap Sweep: Six divided.

Perfect weather for our annual open shoot. First honors went to new shooter Terry Thompson in the Blue Mountains District Single Barrel Championship after a shoot-off with Les Alexander, with Ted Martin running third after a long shoot-off with Peter Haymen. Honors in the Blue Mountains District DB C'ship went to Arch Rowe, of Narrabri, with Phil Tuckett second, and Harry Jaques, from Bathurst, third. Ted Martin won the ICI High Gun Trophy outright. Both Terry Thompson and Ted Martin are pupils of Harry McDiarmid, who has been schooling the members of Wallerawang and Sunny Corner Gun Clubs on behalf of ICI. Keep up the good work Harry.

(A. Blackadder, Hon. Sec.)

WYARAMA, 5/10/69.—Weather conditions: Windy. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DR EO: Two possibles—W. Maddocks, I. Josephs. No. 2—Lower West Darling DR C'ship: 1st, I. Wakefield, 19/20; 2nd, J. Caskey, 27/30; 3rd, C. Caon, 26/30; FM: C. Howe. Ladies' Trophy: Mrs. D. Warren. No. 3—5-tgt. H'cap Marks: 16 possibles. No. 4—Myra's Sports Store H'cap: 13 possibles. 1st, I. Josephs, 58/58; 2nd, L. Kolstad, 57/58; 3rd, W. Blake, 32/33. FM: C. Howe. No. 5—10-Prs. DD: 1st, S. Bruni-A. Lambert, 28/28; 2nd, A. E. Wilkinson-M. Smith, 27/28. No. 6: Novelty Skeet: R. Wakefield; miss out: I. Wakefield.

Good attendance at our October Picnic Club Shoot. Although windy some good scores were shot. Our President, Ron. Wakefield, congratulated all place-getters and thanked all of our many visitors and wished them a safe journey home. A very special thanks to our ladies for the very nice afternoon tea which they supplied and served to us all. Thanks again ladies.

After our program was completed we held our annual general meeting and elected our office-bearers for the following year.

(Les. Dunn, Hon. Sec.)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Down-the-Line Trap Referee Examiners

FOSTER, K. A.
MULES, R.

BARMERA, 9/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and dry with strong right wind. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1—EO 5-DB ST, 5-DB Mini, 16 yds. Sweep: Six divided. No. 2—Club DB Mini C/S, 20-tgts. (16 yds.): 1st, I. J. Wakefield, 22/23; 2nd, L. Hollywood, 21/23; 3rd, D. Kimber, 20/21; FM: C. Hollywood, 15/20. No. 3—C/wealth SB Mini C/S, 40-tgt. (20 yds.): 1st, I. J. Wakefield, 33/40; 2nd, D. Kimber, 30/41; 3rd, B. Hollywood, 29/41. FM: L. Hollywood, 23/40. No. 4—Don Fleetwood Trophy, 20-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st, L. Holmes, 20/20; 2nd, P. Caddy, 44/46; 3rd, L. Hollywood, 43/46.

Thanks to having a good roll up of visiting shooters, some travelling up to 200 miles. This has been a very successful shoot. Shoot-offs were short and sharp, making it more interesting for the also rans.

Congratulations must go to Ivan Wakefield on taking out both C'ships. Nice shooting, Ivan, Lin Holmes

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won the Don Fleetwood trophy with the only possible. Good to have Dad Hollywood showing his boys he can collect a trophy sometimes.

(Peter Caddy, Pres.)

BUTE, 2/11/69.—Weather conditions: Warm and sultry. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1—EO: Six div. No. 2—President's Trophy: 1st, R. Hockey, 20/20; 2nd, J. Stratford, 28/29; 3rd, H. Baynes, 27/29. No. 3—Club Trophy, Pts. Score: 1st, R. Hockey, 59/60; 2nd, H. R. Commons, 60/63; 3rd, J. Stratford, 59/63. No. 4—5-tgt. H'cap: H. R. Commons.

(D. J. Johnson, Hon. Sec.)

INTER G.C., 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 21. (Night Shoot). Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO Pts. Score: B. Holliwod, C. Verbis, E. Verbis, 15/15 div. No. 2—15-tgt. DB Sweep H'cap: P. Mar-

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coionni, C. Verbis, E. Verbis, D. Panazzolo, 15/15 div. No. 3—Club DR Night C'ship: 1st, R. Mules, 19/20; 2nd, P. Marcoionni, 18/20; 3rd, R. Kimber, 17/20; Intermediate: S. Churches, 15/20. No. 4—10-tgt. DB Sweep H'cap: A. Dalle Molle, P. Marcoionni, E. Verbis, F. Grey, 10/10 div.

Our first official night shoot in perfect conditions. The attendance a little disappointing but nevertheless a very good shoot. Congratulations to R. Mules for winning the DR C'ship from P. Marcoionni (again second), and R. Kimber.

(E. Verbis, Hon. Sec.)

INTER G.C., 19/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1—20-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st, M. Toniolo, 47/47; 2nd, C. Hollywood, 46/47; 3rd, M. Fontana, 42/43; FM: S. Oliviero, 19/20. No. 2—Club DB Mini C'ship: 1st, R. Alvaro, 20/20; 2nd, P. Marcoionni, 20/21; 3rd, E. Boldrin, 19/21; Intermediate: D. Panazzolo, 17/20.

With a good attendance and a fine day we had a good day's shoot. The handicap was won very well by M. Toniolo, which also gives him a 50 break badge for the day. The Club DB Mini C'ship was won by R. Alvaro with the only possible.

(E. Verbis, Hon. Sec.)

INTER G.C., 9/11/69.—Weather conditions: Very windy. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1—20-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st, A. Dalle Molle, 20/20; 2nd, P. Grilli, 19/20; 3rd, D. Oliviero, 20/22; FM: P. Brazzale, 17/20. No. 2—Club DD C'ship: 1st, E. Boldrin-R. Alvaro, 32/32; 2nd, P. Grilli-P. Marcoionni, 31/32. No. 3—15-tgt. DB 16 yds. Sweeps: E. Boldin, 15/15; J. Oliviero, A. Dalle Molle, E. Verbis, L. Spizzo, J. Churches, E. Canalia—all 14/15.

Some good shooting considering this very windy day. A. Dalle Molle won the handicap with the only possible. Once again top honors went to E. Boldrin and R. Alvaro to win the DD C'ship from P. Grilli and P. Marcoionni. E. Boldrin, continuing his fine form, also came in front in the last event of the day.

(E. Verbis, Hon. Sec.)

MANNUM, 21/9/69.—Weather conditions: Bitterly cold, wet, south wind. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1—Super Elliott Trophy: J. Hollywood, 18/20; R. Janezic, 19/23; D. Humphrey, 18/23; Yardage: C. Thomas, 18/22. No. 2—Lower Murray SB C'ship: R. Alvaro, 20/24; J. Hollywood, 19/24; C. Thomas, 16/20; Intermediate Badge: C. Thomas.

Fourteen shooters braved the cold wet conditions at Mannum. The Clays were very difficult in the strong south wind. Congratulations to J. Hollywood on his fine win in shooting 18/20 in such terrible weather to win the Super Elliott trophy, with R. Janezic second and D. Humphrey third.

Congratulations to R. Alvaro for his win in the C'ship after a shoot-off with J. Hollywood. Third prize went to C. Thomas, and so did the Inter. badge. Congratulations Clem on winning your first badge.

(J. Maczkowiack, President)

MANNUM, 19/10/69.—Weather conditions: Warm with a slight breeze. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1—A. H. Shearer Trophy: C. Hill, 20/20; P. Mangelsdorf, 19/20; E. A. Collins, 18/20. No. 2—Lower Murray Mixed ST C'ship: J. Gerogles, 32/35; E. A. Collins, 31/35; P. Mangelsdorf, 30/35.

Thirteen shooters shot in ideal conditions at Mannum—what a change from last time. Congratulations to C. Hill on winning the A. H. Shearer trophy—the only shooter to shoot 20/20; also to P. Mangelsdorf 19/20 and E. A. Collins 18/20.

J. Gerogles had a fine win in the C'ship after a shoot-off with E. A. Collins, with P. Mangelsdorf in third place. Best of luck John on winning your first C'ship at Mannum.

Our Club secretary has left hospital and is on the mend. Hope to see you soon Ron.

(J. Maczkowiack, President)

MT. GAMBIER, 8/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine, light southerly wind, cooler later. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1—5 ST Pts. Decision EO (18 yds): R. Luff, J. Grove, B. Hetherington, T. Reschke, P. L. Telford, 15/15 (back markers); H. Gaylard, 12/15; C. L. Schwarz, 9/15; R. Jantschitch, 8/15 (front markers). No. 2—5 Triple Rises, 18 yds. (drawn partners): K. Yoannidis-B. Hetherington, 14/15 (60 per cent); R. Hammatt-A. J. McIntyre, H. Gaylard-P. L. Telford, P. C. Lamond-J. Grove, P. G. Yoannidis-T. Reschke, 12/15 (40 per cent). No. 3—\$2 Skeet H'cap: Six divided.

Due to some excellent work by certain Club members, we were able to conduct our first skeet shoot ever, at Mt. Gambier during this programme.

Most shooters found the skeet very interesting and in "some cases" rather more difficult than down-the-line targets.

We look forward now to an influx of interested shooters to try their hand at skeet.

It was found to be considerably slower than DTL events and consequently it is intended, as is customary, to conduct skeet and DTL in conjunction on the same programme in future.

(Ian A. Marks, Hon. Sec.)

MT. GAMBIER, 7/12/69 (Christmas Shoot).—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 41. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. Pts. Decision H'cap EO: Divided by nine, 15/15. No. 2—6-Pr. DD (drawn partners): 1st, K. A. Marks-H. Gaylard, 10/10; 2nd, C. England-L. J. W. Earl, 9/10. No. 3—\$2 Skeet H'cap: Thirteen divided. No. 4—10-tgt. H'cap DB Xmas Trophy Shoot: 1st, L. J. Williams, 31/31; 2nd, J. R. Humphris, 30/31; 3rd, P. G. Yoannidis, 29/30. Hams presented to winners. Three Christmas cakes were provided as ladies' trophies. 12-15 Yards: 1st, A. J. Holmes, 14/15; 2nd, K. Yoannidis, 13/15; 3rd, W. Sinclair, 10/11. 16-17 Yards: 1st, A. L. Cameron, 27/28; 2nd, L. J. W. Earl, 12/13; 3rd, P. Neyland, 9/10. 18-21 Yards: 1st, P. L. Telford, 14/15; 2nd, T. L. Sims, 13/14; 3rd, S. H. Williams, 11/12. 22-27 Yards: 1st, F. F. Kentish, 23/24; 2nd, D. A. Bull, 13/14; 3rd, K. R. Warr, 12/13.

An excellent attendance of shooters and a pleasing number of new competitors enjoyed a pleasant afternoon's shooting, which was hectic at times, to get through the whole program.

Shooters were very pleased with the outstanding Christmas trophies for competition and all shooters left with a trophy of some sort.

At the end of the shoot, the Club invited all present to have a Christmas drink and so bring to a close an enjoyable year's shooting.

(Ian A. Marks, Hon. Sec.)

NARRACOORTE, 19/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, Div. between—D. Wingfield, N. N. Chellew, J. Grove, C. Copping, R. Andrews, B. England, 5/5. No. 2, Winchester Trophy H'cap: Div. between—C. L. Hall, K. Foster, A. Chellew, P. Cleggett, D. Plummer, R. Andrews, 10/10. No. 3, \$50 Cash H'cap: Div. between—N. N. Chellew, A. Chellew, C. McIntosh, E. Hall, D. Plummer, N. McIntyre, R. Luff, P. Seneca, R. Andrews, 10/10. No. 4, 10-tgt. S.B. Sweep: Div. between—1st, K. Foster, J. Hood, 10/10; 2nd (div), C. L. Hall, D. Wingfield, J. Grove, P. Cleggett, E. Hall, D. Plummer, C. Copping, B. England.

Thanks and appreciation to Winchester for their support in providing the trophy.

(I. Grant, Hon. Sec.)

SOUTHERN, 2/11/69.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1—5 ST, Pts. Score, EO: Five divided. No. 2—Sports Goods Trophy, 20 ST DB H'cap: 1st, B. Hender, 33/34; 2nd, F. Roberts, 32/34; 3rd, W. Cowin, 24/25; Yardage, 12/15: C. Hollywood. No. 3—S.G.C. SB H'cap, 20 ST (16 Yds.): 1st, R. Rossiter, 23/23; 2nd, H. Potts, 22/23; 3rd, W. Cowin, 20/21; Yardage, 12/15: C. Hollywood.

Weather conditions for our shoot on 2/11/69 were generally good, although cloudy, there was very little wind. We only had an average attendance of shooters owing to other functions.

The Sports Goods trophy was won by B. Hender, 33/34; 2nd, F. Roberts, 32/34; 3rd, W. Cowin, 24/25; Yardage prize, 12/15, C. Hollywood.

The Southern Gun Club SB C'ship was won by R. Rossiter, 23/23; 2nd, H. Potts, 22/23; 3rd, W. Cowin, 20/21; Yardage, 12/15, C. Hollywood.

We were pleased to see such a good gathering of spectators. It is very encouraging to the Club when visitors take such a keen interest.

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

SOUTHERN, 23/11/69.—Weather conditions: Very hot and windy, unpleasant. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1—10 ST EO: S. Churches, C. Hollywood, I. Campbell (divided). No. 2—Cash H'cap 15 ST: 1st, C. Hollywood, E. Verbis (divided); 2nd, B. Greenshields, C. Churches (divided). No. 3—Festival SB Champ. 20 ST (16 yds.): 1st, I. Campbell, 52/52; 2nd, R. Rossiter, 51/52; 3rd, R. Mules, 38/39; Yardage, 12/15: C. Hill. No. 4—Cash H'cap, 15 ST: W. Cowin, B. Greenshields, S. Churches (divided).

Congratulations to Ian Campbell on his fine performance—also wishing Bob Rossiter better luck next time.

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

S.A.G.C., 22/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine, cool (Night Shoot). Attendance: 43. Results: No. 1—15-tgt. H'cap Sweep: A. Schroeder, R. Alvaro, 15/15; J. O'Keefe, W. Starling, D. Peake (Snr.), D. Peake (Jnr.), S. Churches, I. Campbell, R. Kimber, E. Verbis, D. Kimber, 14/15. No. 2—15-Pr. State Night DR C'ship: 1st, D. Brown, 29/30; 2nd, R. Kimber, 60/64; 3rd, R. Mules, 58/64. Intermediate: 1st, S. Churches, 26/30; 2nd, A. Schroeder, 25/32; 3rd, A. Fry, 23/32.

An excellent shoot with Don Brown shooting 29/30 double rise at night, which is good shooting in anybody's language.

(P. T. Browne, Pub. Officer.)

S.A.G.C., 25/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine, warm, windy. Attendance: 54. Results: Winchester Trap Tournament—No. 1—Division "A": 1st, R. Kimber, 99/289; 2nd, T. Reschke, 99/285; 3rd, D. Kimber, 98/290; 4th, P. Sheridan, 99/101-292/303; 5th, I. Campbell, 99/101-291/303; break: R. Kimber, 191/192. No. 2—Division "B": 1st, F. Kentish, 99/293; 2nd, D. Martin, 99/289; 3rd, B. Glenn, 98/293; 4th, P. Marcionini, 97/289; 5th, W. Cowin, 95/278; break: F. Kentish, 195/196. No. 3—Division "C": 1st, J. Stratford, 96/285; 2nd, L. Holmes, 94/278; 3rd, M. Kerley, 94/273; 4th, C. Verbis, 93/276; 5th, T. Stratford, 92/270; break: J. Stratford, 20/21. No. 4—Division "D": 1st, L. Hollywood, 94/262; 2nd, S. Churches, 91/264; 3rd, D. Peake (Snr.), 90/261; 4th, E. Verbis, 88/253; 5th, D. Caon, 86/252; break: L. Hollywood, 10/11.

(P. T. Browne, Pub. Officer.)

S.A.G.C., 26/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine, cool, windy. Attendance: 35. Results: Winchester Skeet—No. 1—Division "A": 1st, I. Campbell, 57/58; 2nd, R. Mules, 53/58; 3rd, P. Mules, 36/39; break: I. Campbell 10. No. 2—Division "B": 1st, J. Hollywood, 55/64; 2nd, F. Grey, 58/64; 3rd, B. Hollywood, 31/37; break: J. Hollywood 2. No. 3—Division "C": 1st, P. Quire, 55/66; 2nd, P. Grille, 54/66; 3rd, B. Glenn, 47/62; break: P. Quire 2. No. 4—20-tgt. Graded Cash H'cap: 12-20 yds., R. Dini, B. Glenn, 20/20 (div.); 21-27 yds., R. Kimber, D. Kimber, A. R. Jarmyn, F. Grey, 20/20 (div.). No. 5—5-Pr. DR: P. Quire, 10/10; R. Kimber, K. Flaherty, L. Holmes, 9/10 (div.). No. 6—25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: L. Truman, F. Starling, A. R. Jarmyn, P. Macrow, R. Dini, L. Spizzo, C. Hollywood, M. Smith, 25/25 (div.).

(P. T. Browne, Pub. Officer.)

S.A.G.C., 12/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine, cool (Night Shoot). Attendance: 41. Results: No. 1—20-tgt. R. Byrnes & Son H'cap: 1st, D. Panozzolo, 39/39; 2nd,

K. Geurin, 38/39; 3rd, L. Spizzo, 28/29; FM: D. Peake (Snr.), 23/24. No. 2—30-tgt. State SB Night Mini C'ship: 1st, R. Treloar, 24/31; 2nd, E. Boldrin, 23/31; 3rd, P. Marcionini, 24/32. Intermediate: 1st, D. Panozzolo, 20/30; 2nd, A. Schroeder, 17/30; 3rd, M. Kerley, 13/32.

A beautiful night for shooting and we saw six possibilities in the handicap, but the little minis brought most undone.

(P. T. Browne, Pub. Officer.)

S.A.G.C., 16/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine, gusty winds. Attendance: 31. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO Pts.: Seven divided. No. 2—20-tgt. A. H. Shearer H'cap Trophy: 1st, A. Loro, 22/22; 2nd, B. Hollywood, 27/28; 3rd, P. Quire, 26/28; FM: D. Caon, 19/20. No. 3—25-tgt. State Mixed ST C'ship (5-tgt. DB, 5-tgt. SB, 5-tgt. W/U, 5-Pr. DR): 1st, P. Quire, 41/46; 2nd, R. Mules, 40/46; 3rd, A. R. Jarmyn, 39/46. Intermediate: 1st, C. Hollywood, 22/25; 2nd, L. Antonini, 19/25; 3rd, T. Harrison, 18/25.

A quiet shoot with only 30-odd shooters. No doubt every one is waiting for the Christmas Shoot.

(P. T. Browne, Pub. Officer.)

WHYALLA, 31/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and cold. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. SB EO: 1st, Grant Bollen; 2nd, Bill Kerr; 3rd, Dominic Corvino. No. 2—20-tgt. Mixed H'cap Trophy: 1st, Lofty Daw; 2nd, Dominic Corvino; 3rd, Gary Bollen; Best FM: Bruce Foster.

First night shoot of season with average attendance. Scores very ordinary for most shooters, although Lofty Daw, having a week off from his diggings, dropped only two targets in the trophy event, and was a clear winner, also getting a yard as well. Shoot-offs decided the placings and even these didn't last long.

An impromptu sweep "off the fence" saw most shooters hitting a few more. For next month we hope to have our new Club room ready for habitation and will have the Ungarra Club visiting for our first annual Inter-Club shoot.

(Brian G. Killick, Hon. Sec.)

WHYALLA, 28/11/69.—Weather conditions: Cold and windy. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB Pts. EO: 1st, D. Covino, 15/15; 2nd and 3rd, D. Smith and D. Fitzgerald, 13/15 (div.). No. 2—20-tgt. DB Pts. Trophy: 1st, T. Rogers, 51/60; 2nd, S. Harvie, 48/60; 3rd, D. Smith, 45/60; best 12 yarder: A. Lawson; best Whyalla non-trophy winner: B. G. Killick, 47/63; best Ungarra non-trophy winner: J. Averis, 44/60. No. 3—5-Pr. DR: 1st, T. Rogers, 8/10; 2nd, J. Averis, 7/10; 3rd, L. Margetts, 8/12.

Very cold windy evening with reasonable attendance for the first Whyalla v. Ungarra Teams Shoot which was shot in conjunction with the President's trophy event. Clays very hard to catch in the cold gusty conditions and accounted for below average scores. The EO — a clear win for Dominic Covino — with a possible. The Bill Kerr President's trophy developed into a close event with regard to the team shoot, with scores being keenly watched. Terry Rogers turned in an excellent score considering he has been absent of late and cleaned us all up with his trophy, sweeps and a yard..

Sid Harvie was placed second and Dean Smith of Ungarra third.

Highest non-trophy scorer from Ungarra was President Jess Averis; and for Whyalla, Brian Killick pipped Dom Covino in a very brief shoot-off.

Final scores in the Team Shoot were very close, with the Whyalla team scoring 269/420 and the Ungarra team 263/420.

Dean Smith, of Ungarra, very generously donated a perpetual shield to be retained by the winning team for a year, and the host club, Whyalla, donating silver spoons for the winning team.

A thoroughly enjoyable shoot and our thanks to the Ungarra team for their attendance. We look forward to our next visit to them.

(Brian G. Killick, Hon. Sec.)

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ATHERTON (Q.), 2/11/69.—North Queensland DB C'ship: 1st, B. Panigas; 2nd, H. Nasser; 3rd, H. Rankine. George Delai Memorial 10-tgt. DB: 1st, B. Panigas; 2nd, J. Beattie; 3rd, K. Gorton; 4th, G. Forbes. ICIANZ Trophy, 5-tgt. W/U, 5-tgt. SB, 5-tgt. DB: 1st, E. Berno; 2nd, D. Byrnes; 3rd, J. Beattie; 4th, K. Gorton.

Far Northern Lions Clubs' Team Shoot: Atherton No. 1 team (H. Nasser, D. Byrnes, S. Day, K. Gorton, J. Ball), 136/150; Mareeba team (B. Panigas, J. Beattie, R. Kane, J. Millar, J. Wharton), 121/150.

Ladies' Trophy, 5-tgt. SB: 1st, J. Day; 2nd, O. Beattie; 3rd, I. Wharton.

Deauville Doubles: 1st pair, R. Kane and D. Byrnes; 2nd pair, R. Serafin and R. Plant.

N.A.B. High Gun Trophy was won by E. Berno.

Shooter B. Panigas shot well to win the North Queensland DB C'ship and also qualified for a break badge by shooting 111 targets without a miss. Congratulations to Brian.

Excellent weather conditions encouraged approximately 20 shooters to shoot the program which started at 9.30 a.m.

A tasty barbeque rounded off the day and all shooters and friends departed contented.

(G. Cahill, Hon. Sec.)

BALLANDEAN, 16/11/69.—Weather conditions: Changeable. Attendance: 59. Results: No. 1—5-Pts. EO: Fourteen possibles. No. 2—15-Pts. Trophy: 1st, B. Wilson, 45/45; 2nd, R. J. Smith; best 12-14 yds.: J. Patti. No. 3—10-Pr. DD: 1st, C. J. Lee and John Lee; 2nd, D. Macansh and J. Patti. No. 4—ICIANZ Trophy, 15-Pts.: 1st, J. R. Wickham; 2nd, D. Macansh; best 12-14 yds.: M. Patti. No. 5—10-Pts. Teams Match: 1st, F. Torrisi, Noel Smith, Nev. Smith, G. McGowen, Phines D. De Luca, W. Warrick, 144; 2nd, J. Musumeci, J. S. Lynam, F. Wilshire, A. J. Smith, K. Newlands, G. Wickham, M. Patti, 144. No. 6—5 Mini DB: 26 possibles.

This shoot was our Christmas shoot. We now go into recess until March. A very well attended shoot marred only by a short severe wind storm which spoilt the chances of the squads shooting at the time. Bruce Wilson was the only shooter to shoot the possible in the first trophy event.

A. J. Smith, C. J. Lee and D. Cunningham with 44/45 shot-off for second and our President, Chub Smith, gained the trophy after a short shoot-off. The DD event produced 16 pairs with possibles. The shoot-off was decided by going back 2 yds. each shot and was eventually won by that grand old shooter Clarrie Lee and his grandson John—a very popular win.

Neville Smith won the High Gun trophy — very pleased to see Neville shooting well again. Les Day

won the patron's trophy which has been contested for over six shoots.

(Noel Smith, Hon. Sec.)

BRISBANE, 25/10/69.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 57. Results: No. 1—Winchester Tournament: "A" Class—1st, R. D. Slawson, 99/100, 297; 2nd, D. Smith, 99/100, 294; 3rd, W. Stevens, 99/100, 291; 4th, A. Kempt, 99/100, 290; 5th, H. S. Smith, 99/100, 286.

"B" Class: 1st, R. Pennisi, 99/100, 290; 2nd, T. Ferruer, 97/100, 289; 3rd, C. J. C. Gall, 97/100, 286; 4th, R. War-neminde, 97/100, 286; 5th, G. Parker, 97/100, 283.

"C" Class: 1st, N. Goody, 100/100, 295; 2nd, E. Bain, 99/100, 291; 3rd, S. Kentish, 99/100, 290; 4th, M. Gough, 98/100, 287; 5th, F. L. Hunter, 97/100, 288.

"D" Class: 1st, H. M. Crouch, 97/100, 286; 2nd, A. Barnes, 91/100, 264; 3rd, R. Baker, 90/100, 259; 4th, D. Ethell, Jnr., 86/100; 5th, K. Ryan, 86/100, 242.

Breaks: R. Slawson, 48/49; R. Pennisi, 9/10; N. Goody, 40/41; H. Crouch, 30/31.

Sunday, 26/10/69.—Attendance: 38.

25-tgt. DB Pts. Perform. H'cap: Sixteen divided.

20-tgt. DB H'cap Sweeps: S. Kentish, R. Wardell, R. Pennisi, 20/20.

25-tgt. SB Sweeps: Seventeen divided.

\$100 H'cap 20-tgt. DB: R. Britton, G. Nixon, C. J. McIntosh, A. D. Brown, G. Doblo, T. Soames, 20/20.

Comments: Congratulations to Ray Slawson and Noel Goody who for the second time in succession won first prizes in the Winchester tournament. Ray has excelled so much in these events that he could almost set up a shop with his trophies, although he declares that he really does have to work for them.

Other grade winners were Ross Pennisi and Howard Crouch.

Les English presented the trophies to the five winners in the four grades on behalf of his company.

We confined our monthly shoot which was held the following day to sweepstakes and as we got through the program reasonably early, finished up shooting skeet.

Thanks to our "working bees" who fertilised our grounds, after the recent rains—the tracks are looking beautifully green.

(E. Walker, Pub. Officer.)

BUNDABERG, 9/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB EO: Ten divided, 5/5. No. 2—20-tgt. DB Kills—20-tgt. SB Kills: J. Gray, R. Bloxsome, L. Cairns. No. 3—15-tgt. DB Pts.: M. Sankowsky, 45/45; G. Doblo, 43/45; O. Bloxsome, 42/45.

The 1969 Club C'ship was conducted on Events 2 and 3. J. Gray won the C'ship with R. Bloxsome second,

and L. Cairns third after the latter two having a shoot-off for second place with L. Kirby and B. Thiele.

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

BURDEKIN, 25-26 October, 1969.—Weather conditions: Very windy. Attendance: 74. Results: Winchester Western Tournament:

"A" Grade: B. Nasser, 1st; R. Russo, 2nd; J. Casalegno, 3rd; W. Carrington, 4th; R. Casalegno, 5th.

"B" Grade: R. Griffin, 1st; D. Kavanagh, 2nd; K. Knuth, 3rd; R. Quatermaine, 4th; R. Gourley, 5th.

"C" Grade: J. Clowes, 1st; L. Hodder, 2nd; C. Wellington, 3rd; K. Allen, 4th; A. Lenti, 5th.

"D" Grade: R. Derrington, 1st; J. Law, 2nd; B. Horner, 3rd; G. Mathews, 5th.

Saturday Night \$100 20-tgt. DB: Possibles—A. Kelly, K. Knuth, S. Kelly, R. Griffin.

First Event, Sunday: \$250 Burdekin Special 30-tgt. DB: Possibles—B. Tavasci, R. Griffin, S. Kavanagh, A. Kelly and L. Hodder.

Second Event, \$350 30-tgt. DB: Possibles—P. Bonato and D. Boscassi.

Third Event, Q'ld. DB C'ship: K. Knuth, 1st; G. Zanetti, 2nd; N. Massey, 3rd.

The High Tea on Saturday night displayed by our ladies auxiliary was something to be proud of.

Winchester Western rep., John Brodwick, was very surprised at our modern facilities and pleased to learn we have been granted the 1970 teams shoot.

(K. Knuth, Pub. Officer.)

BURDEKIN, 16/11/69.—Weather conditions: Windy. Attendance: 41. Results: No. 1—Nth Q'ld Tower C'ship: 1st, B. Tavasci; 2nd, J. Casalegno; 3rd, R. Hodder. No. 2—ICI Trophy: 1st, K. Miller; nine shooters split 2nd and 3rd. No. 3—D/Doubles: A. Kelly, P. Bonato, W. Phelan and B. Tavasci divided.

Splendid display of shooting by 14-year-old Stephen Olsen in the Deauville Doubles.

(K. Knuth, Pub. Officer.)

CHINCHILLA, 2/11/69.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB EO: Eight shooters shot possibles, 5/5. No. 2—10-tgt. DB S'stakes: R. Britton, J. Stockwell and G. Morgan, 10/10 divided. No. 3—20-tgt. Pts. Trophy: 1st, F. Flegler; 2nd, C. Alexander; 3rd, J. Stockwell. No. 4—15-tgt. SB S'stakes: W. Hughes and H. Morgan divided 1st and 2nd, 15/15; R. Pharaoh and C. Alexander divided 3rd, 14/15.

A very successful shoot under very good shooting conditions. Congratulations to all prize winners. It was pleasing to have visitors present from neighboring Clubs.

(L. B. Moore, Hon. Sec.)

CLONCURRY, 23/11/69.—Weather conditions: Very windy. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1—North-West Q'ld. Night Title, DB: 1st, Harvey Smith, 20/20; 2nd, G. Muller, 19/20; 3rd, C. Selke, 17/20. No. 2—ICI Trophy, 15-tgt. DB Prs.: 1st, Harvey Smith, 45/45; 2nd, H. Koskello; 3rd, C. Buhagiar, 37/45. No. 3—10-tgt. SB H'cap: 1st, Harvey Smith, 9/10; E. A. Lemmon, 8/10; H. Koskello, 8/10.

Congratulations to Mt. Isa shooter, Harvey Smith, in winning the three-event program. This was a very fine effort as the shooting conditions were not good due to the strong wind blowing.

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

IPSWICH, 2/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1—5-EO: W. Stevens, G. Watson, R. Pennisi, B. Mundt, 5/5. No. 2—20-DB Pts. Chesney Shield: Ipswich, 271/300; Brisbane, 260/300; Gold Coast, 236/300. No. 3—20-DB Club C'ship: N. Johnston, 32/32; J. Herman, 31/32; W. Stevens, 29/30. No. 4—10-Pr. D/Rise S'stakes: J. Herman, 20/20; R. Close, 19/20; W. Stevens, G. Stevens, 18/20. No. 5—5-W/U S'stakes: N. Johnston, 5/5; J. Herman, 5/5; D. Banks, 5/5; R. Pennisi, 5/5. No. 6—Skeet S'stakes: G.

Stevens, 25 plus 1; J. Herman, 23 plus 3. No. 7—Skeet S'stakes: W. Stevens, 25; G. Stevens, 25; N. Johnston, 22 plus 3.

Our first event the Chesney Shield was won by our Club in which the first five shooters were W. Stevens, G. Stevens, N. Johnston, J. Herman, B. Mundt with a total of 271/300. The Club DB C'ship was won by Club captain Norm Johnston after a keen shoot-off with J. Herman.

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

MOUNT ISA, 2/11/69.—Weather conditions: Hot, windy. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. Pts. H'cap: F. Thomsen, E. Koskello, G. Guerschler, E. Sebastiani, C. Buhagiar, A. Bernardi, 15/15. No. 2—North-West Q'ld. Walk-up C'ship: 1st, J. Whatmore, 1920; 2nd, P. Stockwell, 22/24; 3rd, C. Buhagiar, 21/24. No. 3—15-tgt. Pts. H'cap: 1st, D. Dingle, 45/45; 2nd equal, L. Cristaudo and A. Bernardi, 44/45.

Congratulations to John Whatmore on his first C'ship win for the North-West Queensland Walk-up. This win was well appreciated by all present.

Congratulations also to Darcy Dingle on winning his second leg in the Club Perpetual Trophy.

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

ROMA, 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Heavy overcast sky, very windy. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: 5/5 divided. No. 2—10-tgt. DB: 10/10, J. Bickers; 9/10, J. Bassett, J. Page, A. Curry, K. Thomas; 8/10, L. Due, K. Walton, W. Carne, E. Denton. No. 3—15-tgt. DB Mini, third round President's Trophy: 15/15, W. Carne; 13/15, J. Bassett; 12/15, A. Hender, J. Page, A. Curry, K. Thomas. Trophy won by J. Page over 3 rounds with score of 37. No. 4—10-tgt. SB: 9/10, K. Thomas; 8/10, T. Ferrier; 7/10, M. Ferrier, A. Hender, L. Due, J. Bickers, J. Bassett, W. Carne. No. 5—10-tgt. DB Pts.: 30/30, R. Morris; 28/30, J. Bickers, G. Bryant; 27/30, A. Page; 26/30, T. Ferrier; 23/30, K. Walton, J. Bassett, W. Carne.

After a hesitant start, due to the threatening weather, the day's shoot turned out to be an excellent one. We welcome our visitors, Miss Ferrier, Messrs. A. Hender, R. Morris, R. Cooper, A. Page and A. Curry and hope to see you step out on to the traps more often as members of our Club.

Our congratulations to Jeff Page on his winning the trophy donated by our President, Mr Eli Denton, and Club's thanks to President for excellent gun case trophy.

A very welcome afternoon tea was provided by Mrs. Denton and Mrs. Page.

(A. B. Camp, Hon. Sec.)

TOOWOOMBA, 12/10/69.—Weather conditions: Poor. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB: J. Searle, 10/10; R. Frost, 10/10; W. Hull, 10/10; R. Hirning, 10/10. No. 2—20-tgt. DB: J. Searle, 20/20; R. Frost, 19/20; G. Fett, 19/20; R. Hirning, 19/20. No. 3—10-tgt. SB: B. Fett, 9/10; P. Weaver, 9/10; G. Fett, 9/10; D. Gibson, 9/10; A. Jaricic, 9/10.

In spite of rain showers and poor conditions sixteen shooters enjoyed shooting. President Alan Jaricik welcomed new member Tom Payne and visitors G. Fett and D. Gibson.

John Searle was in fine form to take out back markers' trophy, while P. Weaver took out front markers' trophy and "earned" a yard in doing so.

Next Club shoot will take the form of a picnic shoot with shooting starting at 11.30 a.m. and a break for lunch from 12.30-1.30 p.m. Barbeque facilities will be available.

(L. Laman, Hon. Sec.)

TOWNSVILLE, 22-23 November, 1969.—Weather conditions: Fine, overcast sky and windy. Attendance: 45 shooters. Results:

Saturday Afternoon: No. 1—12-tgt. Skeet: 1st, R. Plant, 12/12; 2nd and 3rd, divided by D. Murray, C. Sinclair and E. Sinclair. No. 2—Townsville District Skeet C'ship: C. Sinclair, 25/25; J. Hart, 24/25; D.

Murray, 23/25. No. 3—10-tgt. DB: Divided by G. Chapman, L. Olsen, D. Murray, R. McAllister, A. Lenti, E. Beasley, P. Bonato, E. West. No. 4—10-tgt. DB S'takes: Divided by H. Boscacci, D. Boscacci, K. Miskin, E. Beasley, R. McAllister.

Saturday Night—Conditions: Cool with slight wind. Attendance: 45 shooters. Results: No. 1—\$50 H'cap: Divided by T. Lewis, P. Bonato, G. Jaques, A. Kelly, D. Boscacci. No. 2—North Queensland DD C'ships: 1st, D. Murray and D. Ross, 20/20; 2nd, O. Kropp and S. Vitale, 19/20. No. 3—D/Rise: 1st, R. Quartermaine; 2nd, S. Vitale.

Sunday—Conditions: Rain, strong wind blowing. Attendance: 45 shooters. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB S'takes: Divided by G. Jaques, D. Richards, A. Lenti, R. Plant and T. Comerford. No. 2—\$60 H'cap: Divided by G. Jaques, R. Derrington, D. Richards, D. Ross and C. Wellington. No. 3—Fred Blackman Memorial Shield: Won by D. Ross, 16/16. No. 4—\$150 H'cap: 1st and 2nd prizes divided by R. Derrington and K. Miskin, 20/20; eight scored 19/20 and divided 3rd prize. No. 5—Angus Smith Sports Store Trophy: 1st, R. Dunn, 38/38; 2nd, S. Boscacci, 37/38; 3rd, D. Ross, 28/29. No. 6—12-tgt. Skeet: 1st and 2nd divided by D. Murray and E. Sinclair; 3rd divided by J. Hart and T. Comerford. No. 7—12-tgt. Skeet: 1st, T. Comerford, 12/12; 2nd and 3rd, divided by J. Hart and D. Murray, 11/12.

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MT. HAGEN, 1/6/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and windy. Attendance: 30. No. 1—5-tgt. EO: O. Jones, A. Pearce and B. Powell (possible). No. 2—10-tgt. SB ACTA H'cap: A. Pearce, 9/10; N. Camps, O. Jones and J. Rankin, 8/10; J. Lynch and B. Powell, 7/10. No. 3—20-tgt. DB ACTA H'cap: N. Camps, 19/20; B. Powell, 18/20; J. Lynch, 18/20. No. 4—20-tgt. SB off 16 yds.: N. Camps, 19/20; J. Rankin, 19/20; B. Powell, 15/20. No. 5—10-tgt. DR: J. Lynch, 13/20; N. Camps, 12/20; B. Powell, 12/20. No. 6—10-tgt. DD: B. Harrison and A. Heighway, 9/10; A. Pearce and J. Rankin, 7/10; N. Camps and B. Powell, 6/10.

High standard of shooting by Norm Camps to take out the Winchester Trophy for the High Gun. Our thanks go to Winchester for donating the trophy which was a tie tack in solid gold of a flying duck.

Congratulations also go to J. Lynch for winning the Double Rise and A. Heighway and B. Harrison for the Deauville Doubles, and A. Pearce for the 10-tgt. SB.

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

MT. HAGEN, 26/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: 4 divided, 5/5. No. 2—10-tgt. SB: 1st, J. Lynch, 10/10; 2nd, M. Arthur, 8/10; 3rd, J. Rankin, 6/10. No. 3—20-tgt. DB: 1st, J. Rankin, 23/23; 2nd, J. Lynch, 22/23 (shoot off); 3rd, M. Arthur, 18/20. No. 4—6-tgt. DB Pts. Novelty: 1st, J. Rankin, 18/18; 2nd, R. Fuller, 17/18; 3rd, M. Fallow, 13/18. No. 5—10-tgt. Novelty Quail: Tie for 1st

Congratulations to C. Sinclair on winning the Townsville District Skeet Championship with the possible score of 25/25.

Charlie is the third Townsville shooter to have the privilege of scoring the 25 possible at skeet on the Townsville Gun Club ground.

He went on to shoot in other skeet events on Sunday and recorded a continuous skeet break of 51 kills before he dropped a target.

Other prominent shooters were: R. Derrington, D. Murray, from Richmond; David Ross, from Mackay; T. Comerford, K. Miskin, H. Boscacci and D. Boscacci.

The Committee members wish to thank all those visiting shooters who travelled long distances to attend our shoot. Unfortunately we had more visiting shooters than Club members. Perhaps the rain kept some of our own Club members away.

(J. Hart, Pub. Officer.)

WINTON, 15/11/69.—Weather conditions: Bright sunlight, gusty winds. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1—5-tgt.: R. Wright and W. Hilton, 5/5. No. 2—10-tgt. Pts.: W. Hilton, 30/30; H. Coughlin, 27/30. No. 3—15-tgt. SB Trophy H'cap: A. Hardwick, 18; R. Wright, 17. No. 4—20-tgt. DB Club Champion: A. Hardwick, 40; R. Wright, 39. No. 5—5-tgt. DB: H. Coughlin-B. Herschell.

Owing to drought conditions this was the first shoot this season.

(L. Hardwick, Hon. Sec.)

between J. Rankin and M. Fallon, 8/10; 3rd, J. Lynch, 6/10. No. 6—5-pr. tgt. DR: 1st, J. Lynch, 8/10; 2nd, J. Rankin, 7/10; 3rd, A. Heighway, B. Harrison and M. Fallon, 6/10. No. 7—10-pr. DD: Shoot off for first between M. Fallon-J. Rankin and B. Harrison-A. Heighway; winner being B. Harrison-A. Heighway 1st with 15/16; 2nd, M. Fallon-J. Rankin, 14/16; 3rd, J. Lynch-J. Skeddon, 7/10. No. 8—Progressive DB: 1st, J. Rankin; 2nd, J. Lynch; 3rd, M. Fallon.

J. Lynch and J. Rankin shot consistently during whole shoot.

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

MT. HAGEN, 9/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: J. Rankin, 5/5; A. Pearce and A. Heighway, 4/5; R. Fuller, 3/5. No. 2—10-tgt. DB Pts.: J. Rankin, 23/30; A. Heighway, 23/30; O. Jones, 19/30. No. 3—10-tgt. SB: O. Jones, 10/10; A. Heighway, 8/10; R. Fuller, 8/10. No. 4—20-tgt. DB Trophy: J. Rankin, 20/20; J. Lynch, 19/20; N. Camps, 18/20. No. 5—10-tgt. SB: A. Pearce, B. Harrison, J. Schwass, 9/10; W. Camps, 8/10; J. Rankin, 6/10. No. 6—5-Pr. tgt. DD: A. Pearce, A. Beirne, 5/5; B. Harrison and J. Rankin, 3/5.

J. Rankin, congratulations on taking out trophy for 20-tgt. DB event No. 4; also congratulations to O. Jones for his fine effort and also R. Fuller, a new shooter, who shows a lot of promise.

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

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THIRD EASTER CHAMPIONSHIP SHOOT — 29th-30th MARCH, 1970

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME (Main Events):

T.P.N.G. "STATE" DOUBLE-BARREL "DAY" CHAMPIONSHIP
T.P.N.G. "STATE" DOUBLE-BARREL "NIGHT" CHAMPIONSHIP
T.P.N.G. "STATE" SINGLE-BARREL "DAY" CHAMPIONSHIP
RABALNAKIA \$200 HANDICAP
WINCHESTER WESTERN EASTER CUP (PERPETUAL) — HIGH GUN

Detailed Programme later.

Intending visitors should advise Club Secretary at once, so that accommodation (mostly in private homes) can be arranged.

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ARARAT, 1/11/69.—Weather conditions: South wind, gusty drizzles. Attend.: 55. Results: Day—No. 1—Golden Gateway 20-tgt. DB C'ship: 1st, B. Mark, 29/29; 2nd, M. Howell, 28/29; 3rd, A. Bant, 26/27; FM: A. Newell, 15/20. No. 2—\$250 30-tgt. Cash H'cap: 1st, \$125 div.—1st, B. Mark (60%); 2nd, split by eight; 2nd \$125 div.—Split by eight.

Night: No. 1—15-tgt. Golden Gateway SB C'ship: 1st, K. Fisher, 15/15; 2nd, G. Willett, 16/18; 3rd, J. McVitty, 15/18. No. 2—\$250 DB Cash H'cap: Divided by K. Fisher, A. McKenzie, B. Jennings and G. Sottavia, 10/10. High Gun: M. Howell, 70/75.

Our annual Golden Gateway C'ship event was well attended by 55 shooters over the day and night program.

Brian Mark carried on his good shooting by winning the day championship and 1st div. of the \$250 cash handicap.

The weather conditions, although very much against us with strong wind and rain blowing straight down the line towards the shooters, seemed to be well overcome by the more experienced shooters.

Congratulations to Keith Fisher, winner of the Night SB Championship, 15/15.

Our thanks to the ladies who did a good job day and night, and also to those many shooters who travelled a long way to make this shoot the success it was.

(Barry Wigg, Hon. Sec.)

ARARAT, 23/11/69.—Weather conditions: Hot with northerly winds. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB EO: Four divided. No. 2—10-tgt. DB President's H'cap: 1st, M. Hayward; 2nd, G. Willett; 3rd, B. Sheedy; FM: K. Hayes. No. 3—10-tgt. Novelty: 1st and 2nd, G. Cook, K. Fisher; 3rd, G. Sottavia, B. Jennings, S. Di-Guardo, A. Willett, R. Nicholls.

The Club's first President shoot was a great success with shooters travelling from Stawell, Callawadda and Sebastopol.

M. Hayward proved too good for all opposition in the second event to take out the fine trophy donated by the Club President, Stan Cunningham. Second prize, donated by Senior Vice-President, A. J. Jones, was taken out by Club member G. Willett, while the third prize, donated by Junior Vice-President, Keith Hamilton, was won in fine style by B. Sheedy. The front markers' trophy, donated by W. Crouch, was won by K. Hayes.

(A. McDougall, Pub. Officer.)

APSLEY, 21/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1—Five pairs shot 4/4. No. 2—District DD C'ship: 1st, Peter Cleggett and Harry Miller, 46/47; 2nd, Peter Cleggett, Jnr., and Jack Stan-

derwick, 45/47. No. 3—\$50 Cash DR, 10-Prs.: 1st, Don Bull, 18/20; 2nd, Peter Lamond, 17/20; 3rd, Peter Telford and Jack Standerwick, 16/20. No. 4—S'takes, 5-tgt. SB H'cap: Peter Telford, Jack Standerwick and Philip Ross, 15/15, divided.

Congratulations to Peter Cleggett and Harry Miller, also Peter Cleggett, Jnr., and Jack Standerwick—Jack shot very well in every event.

(Athol Miller, Hon. Sec.)

BAIRNSDALE, 8/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 29. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. Pts.: H. Logan, 15; F. Howlett, E. Dowe, J. Hollonds, N. Elliott, 14. No. 2—Gippsland SB Night C'ship: 1st, J. Hollonds, 24/25; 2nd, S. Collins, 23/25; 3rd, L. Byles, 20/22. No. 3—10-tgt. Pts.: 1st, N. Elliott, 42/42; 2nd, L. Byles, 41/42; 3rd, T. Pederson, 29/30.

Good attendance with several visitors from other clubs. Congratulations to J. Hollonds on winning the G.S.B. Night Championship after a shoot-off with S. Collins and L. Byles.

(Mrs. P. C. Kyle, Hon. Sec.)

BAIRNSDALE, 8/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. Pts.: J. Patterson, 30/30; B. Hall, 29/30; P. Hoedl, 29/30. No. 2—10-tgt. SB: S. Collins, Jim Collins, J. Patterson, C. Heath, Jack Collins, 9/10. No. 3—10-tgt. DB: D. Young, C. Heath, 10/10. No. 4—10-tgt. Pts.: S. Collins, 30/30; D. Young, 29/30.

Quite a successful afternoon shoot before the Gippsland SB Night Championship.

(Mrs. P. C. Kyle, Hon. Sec.)

BENDIGO, 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 42. Results: No. 1—4-Pr. DD: Divided by 10 pair, 4/4. No. 2—Club DD C'ship: 1st, G. Ashman; N. Scott, 22/22; 2nd, P. Jamieson, H. Buzza, 21/22. No. 3—10-tgt. DB H'cap S'takes: Divided by K. Bell, A. Bailey, K. Shearer, D. Haoden, J. Whitewood, J. Jamieson, J. Pola, V. Yeaman, 10/10.

With shooters from Kyabram, Echuca, Maryborough and Melbourne attending Bendigo Clay Target Club conducted its night Deauville Doubles C'ship in good conditions, 40 shooters taking part. Only two pair were able to shoot 20/20—G. Ashman-N. Scott and H. Buzza-P. Jamieson. In a short shoot-off of two rounds the local boys were successful and took the trophy and sashes.

The final event at 10-tgt. H'cap was divided by ten shooters who cut the sweepstake.

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

BENDIGO, 1/11/69.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. Pts.: G. Ashman, C. Johnson, T. Voddan, K. Hendry, D. Griffiths, J. White-wood, B. Santon, W. O'Shannessy, K. Bell, N. Scott. No. 2—1st, D. Robinson, Maryborough, 30/30; 2nd, M. Barnes, 44/45; 3rd, W. O'Shannessy, 43/45; FM: J. Coulston, 27/30. No. 3—10-tgt. Novelty S'stokes: 1st, B. Santon, 10/10; 2nd and 3rd, divided by D. Pearce, D. Robinson, G. Crouch, G. Ashman, K. Hendry, O. Dow-ker, M. Barnes.

A good day for shooting; the main event being of 30 targets. Only D. Robinson, of Maryborough Club, was able to return a full score to take first trophy. I. Bell, J. Whitewood, M. Barnes, T. Bailey and W. O'Shannessy with 29/30 shot-off for second and third trophy. M. Barnes, with another 15/15, took second trophy from W. O'Shannessy, 14/15. The last event, a novelty, was won outright by B. Santon, 10/10; seven other shooters sharing second and third prizes.

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

BIRCHIP, 8/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and cool. Results: No. 1—L. Sarce, 49/49; B. Vincent, 48/49; R. Hudson, 47/49. No. 2—10-tgt. trophy shoot divided by R. Hudson, V. Haslan, R. Neville and V. Hennebery on 25th target.

The trophy shoot was really not finished but Club finalised it with shooters left as the time ran out for Club and we cannot shoot on Sunday morning.

A total of 38 shooters and a lovely night and ladies provided supper.

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

BOORT, 15/11/69.—Weather conditions: Good. At- tending: 19. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO Pts.: Divided by B. Vincent and A. Walker, 15/15. No. 2—10-tgt. DB Trophy: 1st, G. Crouch, 27/27; 2nd, G. Turner 26/26; 3rd, N. Nalder, 25/26; Ladies: Mrs. Schifferle.

No. 3—10-tgt. DB S'stroke: Divided by G. Crouch, K. Fanning, G. Turner, M. Tate, G. Taylor, L. Toose, 10/10. No. 4—10-tgt. DB S'stroke: Divided by K. Slatter, R. Fowler, M. Tate, A. Walker, G. Turner, J. Fagan.

Perfect weather conditions didn't aid big scores in the trophy event. George Crouch won first prize from G. Turner on the 27th target.

(J. Piccoli, Hon. Sec.)

COHUNA, 31/10/69.—Weather conditions: Cool and breezy. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO Mini (16 yds.): Sweepstakes cut by—A. James, R. Adamson, R. Fowler, J. McGraw. No. 2—Cohuna DB Mini C'ship (16 yds.): 1st, A. James; 2nd, J. McGraw; 3rd, C. Bowman; Sweepstakes cut by: First 10-tgts—R. Fowler, J. McGraw, K. Hilderbrand; second 10-tgts—C. Bowman, A. James, R. Adamson, G. Elstob. No. 3—10-tgt. H'cap Marks: Sweepstakes cut by—C. Bowman, V. Yeaman, R. Adamson, R. Hipwell, M. McDonald, R. Hayes.

Sixteen shooters shot for the Cohuna DB Mini C'ship, without a shooter scoring the possible. A. James and J. McGraw shot off for first and second after shooting 19/20. A. James shot 24/25 to win from J. McGraw 23/25. Third was won by C. Bowman 28/30 after a shoot-off between three shooters who scored 18/20.

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

COLAC, 30/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine, cool. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. Pts.: Eight shooters, 15/15. No. 2—10-tgt. DB ICI Trophy H'cap: 1st, Chic Allitt, 38/38; 2nd, Ray Wiffin, 37/38; 3rd, Murray Sutherland, 28/29; Yardage, 12-15, F. Dignan; 16-18 yds., L. Worland, 19-21 yds., D. Branach; 22 and over, A. Carroll. No. 3—10-tgt. DB S'stroke: Divided by R. Watson, A. Allitt, F. Dignan, 10/10. No. 4—27-Yds. Special: D. Corstorphane, 4/4.

A good attendance for our annual ICI Trophy Shoot with shooters from Geelong, Inverleigh, Winchelsea, Camperdown, Colace and district, joined by men from the Showmen's Gun Club.

New shooter, Chic Allitt, put up a fine performance to win the main event.

Our thanks to ICI and Don Hobill for the generous donation of trophy and to Don for attending and pre- senting the trophies.

We are very proud of Peter McDonald after his grand effort at Noorat.

(Arthur Neale, Hon. Sec.)

COLAC, 5/12/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Atten- dance: 85. Results: Christmas Shoot. No. 1—5-tgt. Pts.: Divided by 11 shooters. No. 2—10-tgt. DB Christmas H'cap: 12-15 yds., F. Dignan, G. Green, 21/21; 16-18 yds., R. Coombes, N. Wenning, 12/12; 19/21 yds., R. Manifold, 10/10; M. Sutherland, 17/18; 22 and over, M. Holloway, A. Bant, 11/11. No. 3—10-tgt. DB Christmas H'cap for Novices: Three Christmas hampers equal value — B. Higgins, G. Cooper, K. Higgins, 16/16. No. 4—5-tgt. DB Christmas H'cap for 15 years and under: 1st, J. O'Brien, 5/5; 2nd, L. Fisher, 4/15. No. 5—Off the Box: Many events, many winners.

A large crowd, Santa, ice creams, rockets, lollies for the children, refreshments for adults. Christmas ham- pers as trophies for the shooters, all went to make our famous Christmas shoot the success it has been over many years.

Shooters from Geelong, Queenscliff, Inverleigh, Ap- polo Bay, Winchelsea, Birregurra, Cobden, Dundonnell, Noorat, Lorne, Warrnambool joined local and district shooters.

A large attendance of interested new shooters suggest 1970 will be a great year for the Colac Gun Club.

Presentations were made to the ladies who assisted us over 1969; without their help we couldn't carry on.

(Arthur Neale, Hon. Sec.)

DANDENONG, 4/10/69.—Weather conditions: Over- cast and windy. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB Pts.: W. Chisholm, T. McCarthy, G. Morgan, 15/15.

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1100-1200: Practice

1300 1. 5-Target Eye-Opener—Pts. off
Handicap C.D.

2. 20-Target D.B. Handicap

Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd + 4 Yardage.

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No. 2—20-tgt. DB Pts.: N. De Lorenzo, Snr., 60/60; K. Allen, 59/60; R. Allen, 57/60.

(Keith Pretty, Hon. Sec.)

ECHUCA, 8/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. EO: 16 possibles. No. 2—Echuca Dist. DB C'ship: 1st, J. Brewer, 116/116; 2nd, E. McCullough, 115/116; 3rd, C. Bartlett, 67/68; 12/15 yds., R. Adamson, 20/20. No. 3—20-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st, J. Ellis, 43/43; 2nd, C. Johnson, 42/43; 3rd, I. Beattie, 30/31.

Shooting in perfect conditions Jack Brewer won the Echuca District DB C'ship from Eric McCullough with a fine score of 116/116. J. Ellis then took out the main trophy in the H'cap event from Cliff Johnson. Congrats. to Club members E. McCullough and C. Williams who each recently won a Miroku Broadrib at the Grand Prix and Quambatook respectively.

(R. Adamson, Hon. Sec.)

EUROA, 26/10/69.—Weather conditions: Windy. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1—Six divided. No. 2—15-tgt. DB Trophy: Four shot the possible for a shoot-off—1st, L. Shallard; 2nd, K. Newman; 3rd, R. Barns. No. 3—10-tgt. DB: K. Newman, C. McCormack, L. Singleton, R. Barns, W. Gribben, M. Robinson, N. Robinson, J. Reid, B. Reid (divided).

High Gun trophy was won by Mr K. Newman.

On Sunday, the 26th, the Euroa Gun Club conducted their monthly shoot.

Despite the windy conditions 32 shooters from Wangaratta, Mansfield, Seymour, Shepparton, Melbourne had a very enjoyable afternoon's shooting. A visiting shooter, Mr E. Petersen, from New Zealand, won the front markers' trophy. The aggregate for a Kangaroo skin rug which has been keenly contested over the past six shoots—best four out of six—was won outright by R. Barns.

The Ladies' trophy was won by Mrs. Jim Barns.

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

EUROA, 23/11/69.—Weather conditions: Rather warm and sunny. Attendance: 80. Results: No. 1—20-tgt. DB Inter & Back Markers' C'ship: Intermediate—1st, K. Newman, 47/47; 2nd, D. Bruce, 46/47; 3rd, K. McKendrick, 33/34. Back Markers—1st, T. Lorenzo, 148/148; 2nd, N. Robinson, 147/148; 3rd, Robt. Barns, 83/84. No. 2—20-tgt. DB Trophy H'cap: 1st and 2nd div. by K. McKendrick and H. Wademan, 73/73; 3rd, H. Ludbrook, 72/73.

Congratulations to Fred Crawford, who won the Back Markers' trophy, 20/20, off 27 yards.

High Gun, 12-16 yds., was won by K. McKendrick.

High Gun, 17-27 yds., was won by Robt. Barns.

Shooters from Melbourne, Werribee, Shepparton, Benalla, Mansfield, Seymour, Alexandra, Hamilton, Wangaratta, Tatura and Cosgrove competed for two championship and trophy events.

The team shoot between Euroa and Melbourne Gun Clubs was won by Euroa; the team consisting of B. Reid, G. Huff, K. Newman, R. Davenport, N. Robinson, 96/100.

The Ladies' trophy was won by Mrs. H. Ludbrook.

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

FRANKSTON, 9/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 42. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB Silent Rise (16 yds.), C.D.: R. Allen, W. Stone, W. Dalzell and T. Delorenzo divided. No. 2—20-tgt. DB Walk-up C'ship: 1st, N. Fletcher; 2nd, T. Delorenzo; 3rd, D. Milner. No. 3—10-tgt. SB H'cap: I. Evans, D. Donnellan, Ken Paterson and F. Buchan divided.

The championship was won by N. Fletcher from T. Delorenzo and D. Milner. In the Silent Rise event it was noticeable that back markers were well to the fore. Yardage prize winners were R. McHutchinson and L. Cairns. A new program for 1970 has been drawn up by Matt Pescott.

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

FRANKSTON, 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB H'cap Pts., C.D.: R. McHutchinson, R. Allen, M. Pescott divided. No. 2—20-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st, B. Oke; 2nd, T. Delorenzo; 3rd, J. Jenkins. No. 3—10-tgt. DB H'cap: L. Cairns, B. Knight, T. McCarthy, G. Wickes, M. Pescott, G. Ellis, D. Parsell, G. Oke, T. Delorenzo divided.

A good attendance for the handicap events on Saturday, November 22. The main event went to Bruce Oke with 55 straight from Tista Delorenzo and Jack Jenkins (a new shooter). Bruce is rapidly making his presence felt in the club competitions. The program for 1970 is in the hands of the printers and should be ready for distribution at the Christmas shoot on December 13.

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

HOPETOUN, 7/11/69.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB Trophy: 1st, D. Ferrier, 65/65; 2nd, R. Neville, 64/65; 3rd, A. W. Blythman, 37/38. No. 2—10-tgt. DB Trophy: 1st, R. Hudson, 16/16; 2nd, N. Mott, 15/16; 3rd, G. Taylor, 14/16.

The first event was keenly contested with 5 possibles shooting off. After a lengthy shoot-off Douglas Ferrier, of Birchip, won first trophy from R. Neville, of Woome-lang. However, this was an achievement for Royce as he shot his first 50 straight. A. W. (Jim) Blythman was third.

The second event was won by Club Secretary Roy from his assistant Neville, with G. Taylor, of Birchip, third.

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

HORSHAM, 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 34. Results: No. 1—Victorian State Night SB Mini: 1st, M. Sullivan, 27/30; 2nd, R. Jorgenson, 23/30; 3rd, N. Kinneberg, 24/32. No. 2—10-tgt. DB H'cap: I. McLeod, A. Aitken, N. Kinneberg, A. Tucker

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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1970

Portarlington Single-Barrel Championship

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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 15

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Championship

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5 TOWER — Cash — Entry \$1.00

Epping Tower Championship

Trophy and Sash for First. Trophies Second, Third, 12/14 yds, 15/16 yds. Entry \$3.00.

Graded Skeet

0.2, 3-5, 6-10. Entry \$3.00.

Trophy valued \$14.00 in each grade.

Other events time permitting.

Annual Meeting, Tuesday, February 10
After business films and slides will be shown. Supper and refreshments provided. A pleasant night assured.
Make it a date.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 13

10 S.T. POINTS, Cash. Entry \$1.50.

Club D.B. Night Championship

Trophy and Sash to winner. Trophies Second, Third, 12/14 yds., 15/16 yds. Entry \$3.50.

Other events time permitting.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21

For those not going Duck Shooting the grounds will be open for a series of CASH EVENTS both D.T.L. and SKEET.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27

4-PAIR DEAUVILLE DOUBLES. CASH.
Entry \$1.00.

Club Deauville Doubles Night Championship

Trophies and Sashes for winning pair.

Trophies second pair. Entry \$3.50.

20 S.T. D.B. HANDICAP. Cash. Entry \$3.00.
(if time permits)

President, H. BELMORE
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Assistant Secretary, E. COLAUTTI. 35-4823

and B. Robinson, 9/10, divided. No. 3—Miss Out off 27 yds.: W. Oliver, 4/4.

We had near perfect conditions for the State Night SB C'ship, but with the exception of the winner, Maurie Sullivan, the scoring was very disappointing. Thanks to all the visiting shooters for coming along, some travelling very long distances; also to Noel Southey, who came up from Melbourne and helped us considerably during the evening. Our ladies as usual supplied a very tasty supper—our thanks for your very good support.

(Bert Robinson, Hon. Sec.)

KERANG, 10/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and mild. Attendance: 26. Results: 20-tgt. SB C'ship: 1st, D. McGinis, 20/20; 2nd, A. James, 29/30; 3rd, A. Walker, 28/30; FM: J. Fagan, 24/26.

Tonight we shot for the Kerang District DB C'ship in perfect conditions. D. McGuinness, of Benalla, won with the only possible, 20/20. In a good shoot-off we saw Alf. James run out second with 29/30 from A. Walker, 28/30, with Jack Fagan taking out the front marker trophy, 24/26.

(Ian Douglas, Hon. Sec.)

KORUMBURRA, 25/10/69.—Weather conditions: Overcast, muggy with following breeze. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1—30-tgt. H'cap: 1st, C. Hadden, 70/70; 2nd, C. Arnup, 69/70; 3rd, K. Brown, 68/70. No. 2—10-tgt. Pts.: J. Green, J. Hamblin, K. Brown, P. Kuyser, 30/30.

On a rather unpleasant day, as far as weather was concerned, there was only a small gathering. A good day's shooting was had by all and congratulations to all prize winners. The novelty shoot was won by P. Kuyser.

(M. Hamblin, Hon. Sec.)

KORUMBURRA, 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Perfect. Attendance: 36. Results: No. 1—10-Pts. EO C/D.: Ten possibles, 30/30. No. 2—20-tgt. H'cap: 1st, J. Hollands, 71/71; 2nd, J. Bird, 70/71; 3rd, R. Marriott, 65/67. Yardages: 12-13, D. Milner; 14-15, D. Albonese; 16-18, A. Webster; 19-21, R. Whykes; 22-27, G. Biggs. No. 3—Club SB C'ship: 1st, S. Collins, 33/33; 2nd, N. Elliott, 32/33; 3rd, J. Hollands, 23/24.

Our anniversary shoot was held in perfect weather but we had a disappointing roll-up of shooters. We had as official guests, the Shire President, who opened the shoot, and the National President of the ACTA, Mr Gordon Hall, and Mr Berry, the Secretary of the ACTA, who each presented the trophies at the conclusion of our shoot. Good shooting was the order of the day with 12 shooters qualifying in the main event and honors to J. Hollands. Jim had a good day with cuts and trophies in all events and topped it off by winning the High Gun trophy donated by ICI. The novelty shoot was won by G. Williams. Our thanks to all those who participated and congratulations to all trophy winners.

(M. Hamblin, Hon. Sec.)

MACARTHUR, 1/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine but dull. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. (16 yds.): 12 divided, 5/5. No. 2—Dist. DB C'ship: 1st, P. Telford, 23/23; 2nd, J. Vaughan, 22/23; 3rd, C. Plowright, 20/21. Intermediate: 1st, J. Brewis, 20/21; 2nd, R. McInnes, 19/21; 3rd, L. Trigger, 17/20. No. 3—10-tgt. H'cap: T. Davis, P. Neyland, P. Telford, G. Sharrock, 10/10. No. 4—Off Fence (27 yds.): P. Telford.

Attendance was down a little owing to the shoot at Ararat. Shooters came from Mt. Gambier and local district clubs. Peter Telford won the DB C'ship from Jim Vaughan and Clyde Plowright. Hamilton shooter, John Brewis, won the intermediate from Robin McInnes with Les Trigger third. Our traps operated extra well after being overhauled. Many thanks to Wes Thomas and Ian Sieman for a good job. Shooters were sorry to hear of the death of one of the founders of the Club, Mr G. Mitchell.

(R. Trigger, Hon. Sec.)

AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET SHOOTING NEWS

MANSFIELD, 18/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: Div.—G. Saglietti, L. Singleton, L. Shallard, L. Parks, K. McKendrick, K. Newman, B. Hall, S. Singleton. No. 2, 10-tgt. Trophy: 1st, W. Gribbon; 2nd, L. A. Parks; 3rd, G. Saglietti. No. 3, 10-tgt. Sweep: Div.—R. Halsall, L. Parks, N. Pearson, K. Newman, B. Hall, A. Jones, S. Singleton, W. Gribbon, L. Singleton.

Our monthly shoot was again held at Euroa. Many thanks to the Euroa boys for the use of their grounds. We hope to be shooting on our new site next month.

Congrats. to L. Parks for winning our back mark aggregate trophy, also to W. Tremayne, whose constant shooting won for him the front mark aggregate trophy.

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

MANSFIELD, 29/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance 25. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. E.O.: 10 divided. No. 2—10-tgt. Trophy: 1st, B. Hall; 2nd, L. Shallard; 3rd, A. Jones; FM: F. Brack, Snr. No. 3—10-tgt. Sweep: Six divided.

Thanks again to the Euroa Club for the use of their facilities. Mansfield Club are still not settled into their new site.

Congratulations to Bruce Hall on his fine win in the trophy event.

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

MARYBOROUGH, 17/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 5-tgt. E.O.: G. Bollen, K. Walsh, D. Robinson, N. Curnow. No. 2, 5-tgt. D/Rise: 1st, B. Rafferty; 2nd, D. Robinson. No. 3, 10-tgt. Pts.: 1st, K. Flett; 2nd, K. Walsh; 3rd, H. Doran; front marker, L. Williamson.

We were glad to see Brian Rafferty take home a trophy; also Lee Williamson won his first. These two shooters have been very consistent. Keith Flett took off the main event.

(E. M. Robinson, Pub. Officer.)

MELBOURNE, 18/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and mild. Attendance: 40. Results: EO 10-tgt. DB Pts.: Five divided, 30/30. Wonga Park Inter. DB: 1st, S. Neale, 18/20; 2nd, G. J. Jones, 23/27; 3rd, V. De Pretio, 22/27. Wonga Park DB: 1st, R. W. Fox, 76/76; 2nd, J. Henwood, 75/76; 3rd, T. De Lorenzo, 56/56. 15-tgt. DB C/D.: J. Stewart, G. Jones, C. McLoughlin, R. Brown, R. Allen, 15/15 div. Skeet H'cap: 1st, J. Spinks, 25/25; 2nd, W. Williams, 26/27; 3rd, W. Henwood, 25/27. Skeet H'cap: J. Spinks, W. Williams, J. Stewart, 25/25 div.

Congratulations to Syd Neale and Club President, Russell Fox, on winning the DB C'ships. It is good to see Russell up amongst the winners again after a spell out of the limelight.

Jim Spinks has been putting a lot of time and practice into his Skeet lately and its heartening to see him have a successful day.

(Peter Joss, Secretary.)

MELBOURNE, 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 80. Results: EO, 10-tgt. DB, C/D., Pts.: Thirteen divided, 30/30. Donald McCraith Inter. DB C'ship: 1st, H. J. Stevens, 34/34; 2nd, D. Germaine, 33/34; 3rd, H. Ludbrook, 29/30. Donald McCraith DB C'ship: 1st, V. Ryan, 145/145; 2nd, K. Paterson, 144/145; 3rd, W. Stone, 132/133. Donald McCraith "A" Grade Skeet C'ship: 1st, B. Roberts, 59/59; 2nd, W. Delaney, 58/59; 3rd, Newton Thomas, 38/39. Donald McCraith "B" Grade Skeet C'ship: 1st, J. Ousey, 25/25; 2nd, E. Colautti, 24/25; 3rd, W. Henwood, 23/25. Donald McCraith Perpetual High Gun Trophy: R. Lacey, 130/133.

Shooters from all corners of the country today demonstrated to the McCraith family the very high esteem which they held for their late friend Don.

(Peter Joss, Secretary.)

METROPOLITAN (Vic.).—We certainly had a busy time during November. There were seven shoots of our own, one for Winchester, one for the German Short-haired Pointer Club, two committee meetings, one

special meeting and a film night. The outstanding feature was, of course, the 1969 Grand Prix Carnival on the 1st, 3rd and 4th.

The first day saw 80-odd shooters ready to do battle for the Club's SB and DB Championships. The opening event was a 15 standard targets points in which nine possibles cut up a healthy stake.

Andy Tie, a shooter of long experience, gained a popular win in the SB Championship with 51/51, beating Nipper Lacey 50/51, with Don Glover 45/46 third. Don Albanese 19/20 won the 12/14 yds. trophy and Frank Smeaton 23/24 was the best 15/16 yarder.

Our American mate Larry Patterson, scoring 64/64, won the DB Championship. He had a good battle with Geoff Farrar who mis-cued on his 64th release. The redoubtable Jack Henwood was third with 58/59. The 12/14 yds. trophy went to Max Davies 19/20, and Tony Bove 20/21 took the 15/16 yds. prize.

There were a couple of Skeet rounds, and in the first Nipper Lacey, Larry Patterson and Don Nicholls divided. Merv Landers won the second.

On the Monday the attendance was satisfactory, it being a working day, and proceedings commenced with the usual 15 standard targets points warm-up. Eugene Colautti and Garry White, both committeemen, divided with clean scores, with six others sharing what was left.

The 30 standard targets Metropolitan Cup was won by Griffiths shooter Peter Oves 46/46. Anthony Senserrick 45/46 was second and Tony Bove 35/36 third. Frank Barbaro 29/33 took the 12/14 yds. trophy and Tex Tie 30/31 the 15/16 yds.

The Metropolitan District SB Championship followed and in this we saw a very popular win by Elwin Bell, of the Australian Showmen's Guild. Elwin, who visits us each year, shot well to compile 28/28 and thus landed his first championship sash. Peter Oves 27/28 was second, and to show the luck of the game, Stan Collins (Bairnsdale) had to travel on to 52/53 to take third prize. Frank Barbaro again won the 12/14 yds. prize with 16/20, while the 15/16 trophy went to Peter Vipond 23/25.

On Cup Day the 1969 Grand Prix was decided. The attendance was good but just a little below that of the previous year. A start was made with the usual 15 standard targets points, but this year it was somewhat surprising. Usually about a million divide the event, but this year only four shooters returned possibles and this went a long way in defraying their expenses.

The detailed results of the Grand Prix are:

FIRST: Pat Pugliese 47/47. SECOND: Eric McCullough 46/47. THIRD: Lyle Mitchell 33/34. 12/15 yds., Vic Dieptroantonio 45/47. 16/19 yds., Joe Amata 35/38. 20/23 yds., Jack Henwood 44/45. 24/27 yds., Gerry Smith 29/30.

In a 15-ST Handicap, young Peter Vipond scored a very good win with the high score of 88/88 from Tony Zagorc 87/88 and Jack Henwood, 60/60.

We had a very pleasing interlude at trophy presentation time. President Harry Belmore presented the Grand Prix trophies and then called upon Mr George Vipond to make the presentation to his grandson Peter Vipond, winner of the final event. It was unique having three generations of the one family of shooters at our carnival and it was hard to tell who was the proudest—grandfather, son or grandson.

Jack Henwood got the high gun for the day with 69/70, and the ladies' trophy was won by Miss Platten, daughter of Victoria Club's Secretary, John Platten.

With the Grand Prix over for another year we got back to routine shoots on Friday night, November 7. The Broadmeadows Deauville Doubles Championship attracted a nice field of sixteen pairs. This title event was won by a strong combination in Alf James and Bill Attwood with 36/36, the runners-up being Anthony Senserrick and Peter Vipond 35/36. Dick Toner and Tom Spence divided a 20 standard targets handicap.

On November 8 the Winchester Skeet was decided, the results being: A Grade (0-2): Keith Paterson. B Grade (3-5): Alan Wembridge. C Grade (6-10): K. Maurey. High Gun: Alan Wembridge 63/64.

On November 15 we held the Lalor DB Championship in conjunction with the Lalor Intermediate DB Championship. Alan Harrod and Gerry Smith cut the open-

MELBOURNE GUN CLUB

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

VICTORIA ROAD, LILYDALE
Practice Commences 11.30 a.m.

4 AUTO TRAPS AND SKEET
Programme Commences 1.30 p.m.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7 10 TARGET EYE-OPENER D.B. C.D. PTS.

Nomination \$1

CITY OF MELBOURNE D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP—50 TARGETS

Sash and Trophy 1st Place — Donated by R. W. Fox — Mikimota Pearl Necklace.
2nd and 3rd Trophies — Mikimota Pearl Broaches — 12-14 yds, 15-16 yds and 17-18 yds
Wading Suits.

Nomination \$6

CITY OF MELBOURNE SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP—50 TARGETS

Optional Sweeps on each 25. Trophies and Sash 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4-10 Nomination \$6

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14

10 TARGETS EYE-OPENER D.B. C.D. PTS.

Nomination \$1

CITY OF RINGWOOD D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP

Sash and Trophy, 1st place, donated by Mr. E. R. Madden
Trophies 2nd, 3rd, 12-14 yds., 15-16 yds.

Nomination \$3

20 TARGETS D.B. HANDICAP

1st and 2nd Trophies in Grades 12-14yds., 15-17 yds., 18-21 yds., 22-27 yds. Nomination \$4

SKEET HANDICAP—Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd

Nomination \$3

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18 — 2 p.m. (Pre-International)

D.T.L. PRACTICE

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21

DUCK OPENING—CASH EVENTS ONLY

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28

YERING INTER S.B. CHAMPIONSHIP in conjunction YERING S.B. CHAMPIONSHIP

Both Events Sash and Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Nomination \$3

20 TARGETS D.B. HANDICAP C.D.

Nomination \$3

YERING SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

Sash and Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd 4-10

Nomination \$3

DAILY:

Skeet Handicaps C.D.

D. B. O'Callaghan Skeet Aggregate: Feb. 7 and 28.

Wednesday Tuition by arrangement with Mr Geo Biggs

President, R. W. FOX
86-8440

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

ing 15 standard targets points, 45/45, and Eugene Colautti, Daryl Kaufman and John Frisina shared what was left.

Lal Mitchell 39/39 was the winner of the Lalor DB Championship with John Frisina 47/48 second and Tisto Delorenzo 46/48 third. 12/14 yds., Ken Austen 22/23. 15/16 yds., Peter McVicar 19/20. The Intermediate DB was won by Ken Austen 28/28 (his first sash) from John Frisina 27/28 and Dave Bruce 26/28.

Ray Hering, Alan Harrod, Tisto Delorenzo, John Frisina and Barry Finlay divided a 20 standard targets handicap.

Two rounds of Skeet were decided, five dividing the first and six the second.

On Friday, November 21, we shot the Broadmeadows SB Championship. We welcomed two visitors from Tasmania, Jack Blake and Dave Perry. Distance is short these days. The Tassie boys left their State at about a quarter to six and were at the grounds before some of the locals.

Jack Blake got straight into the business by cutting the opening 10 standard targets points with Lal Mitchell both with possibles. Four others shared the remainder.

Frank Waddell was the winner of the Championship, scoring 25/25 to beat John Reitzneiks by one point with Bob O'Donnell 20/22 a creditable third. Vin Mollica 16/20 got the 12/14 yds. trophy, the 15/16 yards going to Dan Junge 21/24.

Dave Perry won the 20 standard targets handicap with 19/20. Vin Mollica and Graham James each scored 17/20.

It was "Mini" day on November 29, the main events being the Northern Suburbs SB Minis and the Northern Suburbs Intermediate SB Minis. These events were shot in conjunction.

As usual, there was a 15 standard targets eye-opener and in this Eugene Colautti and Keith Paterson were the only possibles, with Ray Maybury third with 44/45.

In the Championship, that very hard-working committeeman, Henry Weitzel, scored a most popular victory, returning the only possible score. This was Henry's first championship sash since we commenced at our present grounds. Keith Paterson 29/30 was second and Dave Drinkwater third with 28/30. Dave Bruce took the 15/16 yds. trophy.

The Intermediate section was won by Dave Bruce 19/20. Barry Finlay 18/22 was second and Royce Neville (Hopetoun) 17/22 third.

Frank Smeaton, Vin Nicholas, Graham White, Jim Spinks and Daryl Kaufman divided the first round of Skeet, and the same shooters, with the exception of Daryl Kaufman, cut the second round.

The annual meeting of the Club will be held on Tuesday, February 10, at the clubrooms. After business is completed some interesting films will be shown and supper and refreshments will be provided. Come along and make a night of it.

(C. J. Colledge, Secretary.)

MILDURA, 18/10/69.—Weather conditions: Cool. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. Sweep: 12 divided, 10/10. No. 2—Club Mixed Targets: 1st, J. Doyle, 25/25; 2nd, L. Connors, 44/46; 3rd, C. Barnes, 43/46. No. 3—10-tgt Sweep DB: R. Ashton, W. K. Wakefield, W. Chapman, F. A. Barnes, R. Blake, A. C. Barnes, 10/10 divided. No. 4—10-tgt. Sweep SB: A. E. Wilkinson, 10/10, A. Gates, L. Dunn, W. K. Wakefield, 9/10 divided. No. 5—Murray Valley SB C'ship: 1st, P. Caddy, 21/23; 2nd, A. E. Wilkinson, 20/23; 3rd, C. L. Barnes, 18/21.

A pleasant afternoon for shooting and the beginning of our night shoots for this summer. It was a little cool in the evening but no doubt will warm up from now on.

The Club have installed a skeet layout on their grounds and it is under lights for night shooting. The Club C'ship will be conducted during the day and a H'cap trophy event at night. Shooting will commence at 10 a.m.

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

MILDURA, 15/11/69.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1—North West DB Night C'ship: 1st, H. Moore, 44/44; 2nd, A. E. Wilkinson, 43/44; eq. 3rd, R. Wakefield and W. Perry. No. 2—

15-tgt. Sweep: K. Robinson, 15/15; R. Wells, C. Howe, J. Finis, I. Josephs, J. Headon, A. W. Barnes, C. L. Barnes, H. Moore, 14/15 div. No. 3—15-tgt. Sweep: J. Finis, I. Wakefield, J. Doyle, H. Moore, F. A. Barnes, 15/15 div. No. 4—Laurie Bruce Mem. Trophy: 1st, C. Howe, 73/73; 2nd, K. Robinson, 72/73; 3rd, J. Finis 59/60. No. 5—1st, J. Finis; 2nd, J. Wilkinson; 3rd, E. Smith. No. 6—\$100 H'cap: R. Wells, F. A. Barnes, K. Robinson, M. Whittall and J. Doyle, 15/15 div. No. 7—Murray Valley SB C'ship: 1st, J. Finis, 41/41; 2nd, R. Wakefield, 40/41; 3rd, I. Josephs, 39/40. No. 8—10-tgt. Sweep: D. Smith, I. Josephs, W. Perry, H. Moore, A. E. Wilkinson, W. Chapman, 10/10 div. No. 9—North West SB Night C'ship: 1st, I. Josephs, 19/20; 2nd, W. Perry, 23/25; 3rd, A. W. Barnes, 22/25.

Forty shooters attended the Laurie Bruce Memorial shoot but nominations were down in the individual events.

Pleasing to see K. Robinson, of Geelong Club, travel to the shoot to defend the Mildura Gun Club Cup, which was won and held by him in 1968. C. Howe, from Broken Hill, NSW, won the major trophy valued at \$150 with a score 73/73, 2nd K. Robinson 72/73; 3rd, J. Finis, 59/60. The High Gun was a battle between J. Finis and I. Josephs. They both finished nine down over the programme. In a shoot-off J. Finis won the sash with a score of 109/115. Congratulations also to all other winners and placegetters in all events and our thanks for your support.

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

MORWELL, 15/11/69.—Weather conditions: Warm and humid. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. Pts. C/D off 16 yds.: H. Nieuwburg, S. Collins, T. Beal, all 30/30; No. 2—Latrobe Valley Mixed Target C'ship: 1st, S. Collins, 25/25; 2nd, C. Hadden, 24/25; 3rd, W. Pryde, 50/55. No. 3—10-Pr. DD Mini: A. Webster-G. Taylor, C. Hadden-R. Whykes, G. Williams-J. Collins, all 20/20 div. No. 4—Red Cross Cake: A. Bremner.

With a good attendance of shooters, good weather and our Damo Trap newly installed a successful day was assured by the Morwell Club. The main event the Latrobe Valley Mixed Targets C'ship was keenly contested and won outright by Stan Collins who shot the only possible and took off the excellent trophy kindly donated by ICI and also ended up getting his photograph in the local paper.

Col. Hadden, who has been shooting extremely well recently, came second with 24/25.

Only three pairs shot the possible in DD Minis and A. Bremner ended up winning the Red Cross Cake.

(W. T. Pryde, Hon. Sec.)

MYAMYN, 25/10/69.—Weather conditions: Gusty conditions. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1—EO, 5-tgt.: Divided by eight. No. 2—10-tgt. H'cap: 1st, I. Christie, 22/22; 2nd, C. Crawford, 21/22; 3rd, L. Rundell, 10/11; FM: Ron Plowright, 9/10. No. 3—10-tgt. H'cap: 1st, I. Christie, 22/22; K. Edgar, 21/22; 3rd, C. Crawford, 10/11; FM: J. Rundell, 9/10. No. 4—10-tgt. H'cap: Divided by J. Vaughan, Ron Plowright, C. Plowright and A. Edgar, 10/10. No. 5—5-tgt., off the fence: Divided by J. Vaughan and H. Vaughan, 5/5.

The Myamyn Club conducted a very successful shoot with lower numbers than usual.

Two trophy events were contested. Congratulations go to Ian Christie for taking out the first trophy in each event.

The lucky lady's trophy winner was Mrs. J. Malseed. (Joseph J. Wallis, Hon. Sec.)

NOORAT, 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Perfect. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. SB EO: Five divided, 5/5. No. 2—20-tgt. Western District Night Mixed Target C'ship: 1st, E. Corneby, 23/25; 2nd, A. McSween, 22/25; 3rd, A. Bant, 31/35; FM: J. Twaddle, 30/35. No. 3—10-tgt. S'stakes: I. Grummett and M. Holway, 10/10.

Eric Corneby, from Cobden, shot 23/25 to win narrowly from Angus McSween, from Warrnambool, one point behind. He also won the Western District DR C'ship held at Cobden. The President, Leo. Moloney, presented the trophies on behalf of Club members.

(Ian G. Grummett, Hon. Sec.)

VICTORIAN GUN CLUB (V)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Ground location, 8 miles GPO Cnr. Geelong and
Boundry Roads, Brooklyn

February, 1970

Wednesday Night, February 4, 7.30 p.m.

Pre-Duck Opening Shoot 20 TARGETS DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP

"Cartridges" 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 1st in each yardage
12/15, 16/18, 19/21, 22-

Saturday, February 7, 1.45 p.m.

V.G.C. SCHOOL BOYS' CHAMPIONSHIP

Group 1 up to 13 years—10 Targets D.B.

Group 2, 14 and over—15 Targets D.B.

Sashes to winners, Emblems to 2nd and 3rd in
each group.

All school boys welcome.

Wednesday Night, February 11, 7.30 p.m.

Duck Opening Practice Novelty Shoot

Wednesday Night, February 18, 7.30 p.m.

"PRE-NATIONAL" V.G.C. 40 Targets Double-Barrell Championship, 18 Yds. \$5.00.

Saturday, February 21, 2 p.m.

No Shoot

Wednesday Night, February 25, 7.30 p.m.

V.G.C. DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Drawn Partners

Two Traps operating for all shoots.

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

President, W. ARANDT

Secretary, J. PLATTEN
P.O. Box 11, Nth. Altona, 3025

QUAMBATOOK, 1/11/69.—Weather conditions: Warm and fine. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: 10 shooters, 5/5 divided. No. 2—20-tgt. Mini DB C'ship: D. Moore, 20/20; N. Hinneberg, 26/27; T. Blythman, 25/27 (Wheatlands). No. 3—20-tgt. H'cap DB: C. Williams, 44/44; D. Groat, 43/44; P. O'Loughan, 31/32. No. 4—20-tgt. DB C'ship: R. Peacock, 78/78; R. Fowler, 77/78; R. Hudson, 57/58 (Mallee DB Day). No. 5—20-tgt. SB C'ship: S. Kerr, 20/20; A. James, 28-29; F. James, 27/29 (Mallee SB Night).

Very good shoot day and night; not so many shooters at night. Mr G. Hall, President ACTA, paid us a visit at night and was very impressed with our lay-out. Gun Club ladies did a very good job with meals. Our young trapper boys did an excellent job with the targets.

(A. E. Richmond, Asst. Sec.)

QUAMBATOOK, 20/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and cool. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: 17 shooters, 5/5, divided. No. 2—20-tgt. Mallee DB C'ship: M. Tate, M. Nalder, B. Vincent, N. Nalder, W. McGrath, 20/20—1st, M. Tate, 35/35; 2nd, W. McGrath, 34/35; 3rd, M. Nalder, 33/35. No. 3—10-tgt. Sweep: W. Makeham, G. Turner, N. Nalder, C. Bowman, A. Richmond, W. McGrath, 10/10 divided.

Fine, cool night. Best attendance for our fortnightly shoot this year. Only five shooters shot possibles—quite a few shot 19.

(A. E. Richmond, Asst. Sec.)

RUTHERGLEN, 22/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 31. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: Five divided. No. 2—Ovens and Murray SB C'ship: 1st, R. Cullen, Rutherglen; 2nd, J. Ooms, Myrtleford; 3rd, T. Baldi, Corowa. No. 3—NEGCC Trophy H'cap: 1st, B. North, Myrtleford; 2nd, T. Baldi, Corowa; 3rd, L. Lawson, Walwa.

Under perfect shooting conditions the Rutherglen Club held its last shoot for the year on the above date; top honors going to our assistant secretary, Ray Cullen, who shot well for the whole programme, also winning the Ovens and Murray SB C'ship.

(D. Murray, Hon. Sec.)

SALE, 4/10/69.—Weather conditions: Cold, windy. Attendance: 42. Results: No.1—Gun Warmer, 10-tgt. DB: K. Brown, C. Arnup, Stan Collins, C. Hadden, Q. Ferres, A. Webster and W. Pedersen. No. 2—Chas. Budge Shield Shoot: Main event of the day. This event was contested over the past 12 months and Bairnsdale won the final shoot at Sale, and now hold the Shield for 12 months. The team: N. Elliott, J. Hollonds, Stan Collins, L. Byles and D. Young. Congratulations Bairnsdale. Handsome trophies were won by H. Logan 1st, J. Hollonds, 2nd., Ted Cripps, 3rd.

Best 12-16 yarder: N. Dowell.

No. 3—10-tgt. SB Trophy: Won by R. Whykes; 2nd, L. Byles; 3rd, Jack Collins.

(Isabel C. Robason, Hon. Sec.)

SEBASTOPOL, 5/11/69.—Weather conditions: Usual Ballarat scotch mist. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. Pts.: W. Attwood, L. Bubb, M. Pascoe, No. 2—Ballarat Showmans' Inter. C'ship: 1st, A. Boyd, 20/20; 2nd, J. Corbett, 50/51; 3rd, J. Foster, 49/51. No. 3—Ballarat Showmans' Back Markers' C'ship: 1st, G. Kirkpatrick, 96/96; 2nd, K. Fisher, 95/96; 3rd, G. Willett, 39/40. No. 4—10-tgt. Pts., ICI H'cap: 1st, F. Hill, 30/30; 2nd, L. Butler, 29/30; 3rd, B. Butler, 27/30.

A good attendance for our annual Showmans' C'ships. Ashley Boyd won the Intermediate with only possible, but backmarkers saw a long shoot off between G. Kirk and K. Fisher.

Shooters attended from Ararat, Melbourne, Beaufort and Showmans' Guild.

(Alan Shepherd, Hon. Sec.)

SEBASTOPOL, 3/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and mild. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. Pts.: M. Morris. No. 2—10-tgt. DB H'cap: Three equals—J. Butler, L. Francis, M. Morris, 23/23. No. 3—10-tgt. DB H'cap: Four equals—J. Butler, L. Francis, A. Shepherd, J. Trigg, 10/10.

First night shoot for the Showmen and we saw some fine shooting, Joe Butler and Lionel Francis taking a trophy in both events.

(Alan Shepherd, Hon. Sec.)

SEYMOUR, 1/11/69.—Weather conditions: Windy. Results: No. 1—P. Eaton, L. Singleton, R. McKenzie, B. Hall, R. Barnes, 15/15. No. 2—ICI Trophy and Sash: 1st, L. Singleton, 23/23; 2nd, B. Hall, 22/23; 3rd, J. Summers, 19/20. No. 3—L. Singleton and R. Barnes, 10/10; B. Hall, P. Eaton, J. Summers, div. 3rd, 9/10.

The attendance was not very large at our Club C'ship. A strong wind made conditions very tough and few shooters got into the money. The C'ship saw only two possibles, Lance Singleton and Bruce Hall. The shoot-off was rather short with Bruce missing his third target. Jim Summers took third trophy.

Lance continued his fine shooting by dividing the cash handicap with Rob Barnes. Congratulations Lance, for a fine effort. Our thanks go to the ICIANZ for donating first trophy.

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

SHEPPARTON, 4/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fair. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O. (C.D.): Div. B. Robinson, J. Ellis, B. Dealy. No. 2, 20-tgt. D.B. H'cap: 1st, R. Ruhe; 2nd, F. McMeekin; 3rd, V. Ryan, No. 3, 10-tgt. D.B. Novelty: 1st, J. Cooper; 2nd, A. McIlroy; 3rd, G. Huff.

SWAN HILL-NYAH, 11/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 54. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: Divided by 26 possibles. No. 2, 20-tgt. C'ship, City Swan Hill and Dist.: 1st, G. Smith, 51/51; 2nd, G. Moore, 50/51; 3rd, P. Hunter, 42/43; H. Brown, front marker, 18/20. No. 3, 20-tgt. \$500 H'cap: 1st, M. Vipond, 27/27; 2nd, B. Vincent, 26/27; 3rd, D. Groat, 25/26; yardage prizes (12-15 yds), J. Brereton; (16-18), N. Myer, (19-21), H. Coundon, W. Makeham, div.; 22 and over, R. Hudson.

Excellent attendance for major shoot. Visitors from Victorian Gun Club, Hopetoun, Birchip, Bendigo and Mildura.

Max Vipond had an "easy win" in the \$500 H'cap, taking the gun on a low score of 27/27.

Shield contested between Victoria and Swan Hill-Nyah Gun Clubs; was retained by Swan Hill-Nyah, 91/100.

We thank the Victorian Gun Club for their staunch patronage at our shoots. Without you we would be "light on" for shooters.

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

SWAN HILL-NYAH, 11/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. S.B. E.O.: A. James, N. Myer, A. Blythman, 9/10 div. No. 2, City Swan Hill and Dist., S.B., C'ship: 1st, G. Smith, 24/26; 2nd, W. Attwood, 23/26; 3rd, F. James, 22/25. No. 3, 10-tgt. H'cap: 1st, G. Moore, 14/14; 2nd, S. Maddy, 16/17; 3rd, K. Edmunds, 15/17.

Gerry Smith excelled himself, winning both day and night C'ships.

Geoff Moore now has enough pork to last "a lifetime" after winning the pig in the H'cap event.

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

TATURA, 19/10/69.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 10-tgt. E.O.: Div. by 15 shooters—A. James, J. Piastrri, A. Drake, G. Huff, J. Ellis, R. Hulsall, J. Bartlett, L. Davis, J. Pola, P. Jamison, W. Pearson, B. Hall, C. Johnson, K. Shearer and V. Ryan. No. 2, Northern District D.B. C'ship: 1st, J. Ellis, 224/224; 2nd, A. James, 223/224; 3rd, J. Brewer, 89/90. No. 3, 10-tgt. Sweep: Div. V. Ryan, L. Davis, A. Gardner, A. Drake, B. Hall, F. McMeekin.

Shooters from Shepparton, Yabba North, Girgarre, Stanhope, Seymour, Benalla, Kyabram, Berrigan, Maldon, Coldinabbin and other places, plus locals, made it an excellent day.

(Arthur Moles, Hon. Sec.)

TATURA, 16/11/69.—Weather conditions: Fine and hot. Attendance: 56. Results: No. 1—State DB Mini C'ship: 1st, A. F. Drake-J. Henwood; 2nd, W. Henwood-B. Ireland. No. 2—\$200 H'cap: 1st, J. Henwood, 67/67; 2nd, W. Attwood, 66/67; 3rd, W. Henwood, 57/58.

AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET SHOOTING NEWS

WERRIBEE GUN CLUB

(Vic.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Shooting Grounds: Ballan Road, Werribee

Saturday, 7 February, 1970

Event 1 Nom. \$1.50

E.O. 5 Targets Pts. (Tower) C.D.

Event 2 Nom. \$3.00

**Werribee District Tower
Championship**

Event 3 Nom. \$3.00

**Club Mixed Targets
Championship**

Event 4 Nom. \$2.00

10 Targets Tower (Skeet) C.D.

(Sashes and Trophies for Events 2 and 3)

Refreshments, Afternoon Tea and Cartridges
available on ground.

A REMINDER: Have you arranged a partner for the big Deauville Doubles Shoot on Sunday, April 26? Browning Automatic Ventilated Rib Guns as First Prizes. KEEP THIS DATE CLEAR.

President, W. ABBOTT
4 Griffiths Street, Werribee

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A great day at the Tatura Gun Club's monthly shoot was made possible by shooters from Melbourne, Croydon, Echuca, Shepparton, Berrigan, Cosgrove, Yabba North, Stanhope, Girgarre, Maldon, Rochester, Colindabbin and many more places too numerous to mention, turning up to shoot for the Victorian State Deauville Doubles Mini C'ship and a \$200 H'cap event.

The weather was fine and hot; 56 shooters lined up for the State C'ship. Most shooters were unlucky by dropping a target or two. Only two pair of shooters got their 20 pair—W. Henwood-B. Ireland, A. R. Drake-J. Henwood. These lined up for a shoot-off with A. R. Drake and J. Henwood clinching the sashes and trophies with 24/24. W. Henwood and B. Ireland were second with 23/24. Good shooting chaps and congratulations.

The H'cap event was a scorcher with 11 shooters getting the possible. After 14 targets the field was whittled down to three shooters—W. Attwood, W. Henwood and J. Henwood. They settled down to shoot it out, but J. Henwood proved too good again, winning with 67/67; W. Attwood second, 66/67 and W. Henwood, third, 57/58.

Congratulations to John Henwood sharing the State Deauville Doubles C'ship and winning the H'cap. He has joined the famous few—a 27-yarder now.

I hope you will bear with us until we get our second trap working properly, with a better background.

We congratulate Ron Sutherland, coming back after a bad accident, going out on crutches to shoot and getting his possible in the handicap event, only to miss his second target in the shoot-off.

I'm sure shooters and visitors who had lunch and snacks served up by Mrs. Baldwin and helpers during the shoot was enjoyed by those who saw fit to satisfy the inner man.

(A. Moles, Hon. Sec.)

VICTORIAN, 4/10/69.—Weather conditions: Gusty winds. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1, Altona Dist. D.B. Sparrow C'ship: 1st, W. Abbott, 18/20; 2nd, W.

Copeland; 3rd, M. Dipeitro, 18/20; F.M., C. Neile, 12/20. No. 2, Brooklyn Dist. S.B. H'cap: 1st, L. Reicha, 20/20; 2nd, K. Downs, 19/20; 3rd, F. Buchan, 18/20; F.M., D. McAuslin, 13/21.

Bill Abbott, from Werribee, won the Sparrows C'ship from Bill Copeland and Mario Dipeitro. Front marker went to new Club member, C. Neile.

In the S.B. Noorat shooter, Les Reicha, won with the only possible from Ken Downs. Fred Buchan, who won the handicap on Wednesday night, was third and front marker was D. McAuslin.

(J. Platten, Sec.)

VICTORIAN, 8/10/69.—Weather conditions: Fine night. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1, C'wealth Tower C'ship Night: 1st, W. Arandt, 54/54; 2nd, T. Delorenzo, 53/54; 3rd, J. Muscat, 34/35; F.M., D. Munro, 19/20. No. 2, 10-tgt. Tower S.B.: Seven shooters div., 10/10.

Bill Arandt won the Blue Sash, "his first," but we don't think it will be the last. It was quite an interesting shoot off. Ray Burrill, last year's winner, Joe Muscat, who is a really keen tower shot, and Tista Delorenzo, who is a keen shot at any form of clay target shooting. As can be seen from the above results Bill was the winner from Tista and Joe with Darby Munro, a new Club member, taking front marker's trophy.

(J. Platten, Sec.)

VICTORIAN, 18/10/69.—Weather conditions: Gusty wind. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, Brooklyn Dist. D.D. C'ship: 1st, G. G. Ewen — D. Trembath; 2nd, J. Walls — W. Arandt. No. 2, Footscray Dist. D/Rise C'ship: 1st M. Blanchford, 22/26; 2nd, R. Coombes, 21/26; 3rd, W. Arandt, 19/24; F.M., J. Brereton, 13/20.

(J. Platten, Sec.)

VICTORIAN, 5/11/69.—Weather conditions: Windy night. Attendance: 31. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. H'cap Cash: Eight div. 15/15. No. 2—20-tgt. SB H'cap Cash: 1st, D. Munro, 22/22; 2nd, J. Muscat, 21/22; 3rd, N. Whaley, 20/21; FM: J. Brereton, 20/22.

(J. Platten, Sec.)

ECHUCA GUN CLUB

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(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1970

commencing 7.30 p.m.

Two Night Championships

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Kerang Clay Bird Club (V)

NIGHT SHOOTING

DUCK OPENING WEEKEND

Saturday, February 21, 1970

commencing at 7.45 p.m. sharp

VICTORIAN DUCK OPENING NIGHT D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP

20 Targets from 18 yards. Sash,
First, Second, Third and F.M. Trophies.
Nom. \$3.50. Op. Sweeps \$1 each 10.

In conjunction

JOHN McCRAITH SHIELD

Five shooters per team. Entry 50 cents each
shooter.

Monday, February 23, 1970

commencing 8 o'clock sharp

20 TARGET D.B. HANDICAP \$400—Trophies and Cash—\$400

Nom. \$10. Op. Sweeps \$1 each 10.

1st—LAMBRETTA SUPERSOOTER—Luna
Line Vega 75S; or

"D" GRADE MIROKU U/O GUN AND CASE
2nd—ASTOR AUTOMATIC CLOTHES DRYER
3rd—DINNER SET

\$10 each — Yardage Prizes — \$10 each.
12-16 Yards, 17-20 Yards, 21 Yards and Over.

Excellent Lighting — Damo Trap

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Shooter

Adcock, K., Ipswich	12	Greeneberg, V., Tooloolawah	18	Nicholls, Don, Metropolitan	17
Alanko, O. J., Geraldton	12	Greensill, L. A., Maryborough	21	Oliver, K., Melbourne	16
Ashcroft, J., Metropolitan	17	Grey, W. D., Melbourne	16	Pavan, L. J., Silkwood	16
Ashman, G., Bendigo	13	Griggs, J., Burdekin	23	Payne, T., Toowoomba	12
Banning, A. J. F., McKinlay	15	Grima, F., Victorian	13	Pugliese, P., Metropolitan	12
Beattie, R. G., Silkwood	16	Hailes, W. J. (Jnr.), Australian	24	Reaper, A., Bundella	12
Bratdyke, C. J., Barmora	14	Holmes, W. E., Bundella	13	Ride, D., Tasmanian	15
Briggs, K., Katanning	16	Hush, R., Illawarra	12	Roberts, D., Aust. Showmens*	19
Brown, M., Melbourne	18	Irving, M. J., Blackall	12	Ross, D., Victorian	12
Bruck, E. K., Melbourne	20	Johnson, J. W., Pooncarie	14	Schier, C. F., Illawarra	12
Cameron, C., Chinchilla	16	Johnston, G., Tasmanian	15	Scott, A. J., Charters Towers	16
Capazzi, S., Melbourne	16	Jolly, T., Geelong	15	Sheehan, P., Latrobe	12
Carroll, Dr. G. E., Melbourne	18	Jones, D. M., Hobart	13	Shepherd, F. C., Perth	17
Charlesworth, M., Katanning	16	Jones, W. H., S.S.A.A., Illawarra	12	Silvestroni, D., Metropolitan	12
Clarke, I., Chinchilla	16	Kemp, L. J., Bendigo	18	Simson, F. G., Silkwood	16
Claussen, F. H., Burdekin	16	Lawrence, J. R., Mt. Hagen	12	Skarlatis, M., Wangaratta	14
Cooper, J., Illawarra	12	Lowry, R., Metropolitan	13	Smith, W. A., Wyarama	16
Courtis, K., Bendigo	12	Malcolm, J., Hobart	12	Tennant, W. G., Blackall*	23
Doyle, T. J., Blackall	12	MacMillan, C. R., Blackall	17	Turner, J., Geraldton	12
Dunn, B., Berridale	14	Matthews, G., Charters Towers	15	Wescombe, A., Mersey	16
English, R., Wangaratta	16	Miller, A. E., Cowra	12	Weston, P., Aust. Showmen's	20
Fegan, B. D., McKinlay	14	Morgan, W. R., Hobart	20	Winfield, D., Apsley	15
Fisher, L., Noorat	12	Newman, C., Proserpine	13	Wise, K., Hopetoun	20
Grattan, D., Guyra	14	Nichele, D., Silkwood	16	Wise, T., Bundella	13
				Wynd, W. J., Noorat	12

1970 A.C.T.A. REGISTRATION LIST

As received up to
12th December, 1969

Absolm, W., Warrnambool	16	Badewitz, D. F., Bombala*	20	Bird, L. F., Cowra	24
Ackerie, S., Brisbane	12	Badger, A. V., South-West	14	Black, A. D., Rankins Springs	14
Adams, J. J., Echuca	17	Bailey, B. G., Charleville	12	Blackadder, Alec, Wallerawang	19
Adamson, R., Echuca	15	Bailey, J., Geraldton	16	Blackadder (Mrs.), D. E., Wallerawang	13
Ah Chee, W., Derby	18	Bailey, R. H., Perth*	24	Blackford, M., Victorian	14
Aitken, Alf., Horsham	20	Bain, E., Brisbane	16	Bloxsome, C., New England	18
Akers, Reg., Charleville*	19	Baird, G., Melbourne	16	Bloxsome, O. B., Central Burnett**	22
Akers, T. J., Charleville	23	Baker, G., Charleville	16	Bloxsome, R. B., Central Burnett	21
Alanko, O. J., Geraldton	14	Baker, R. W., Brisbane	15	Bloxsome, Victor, Central Burnett	14
Alexander, R., Perth**	17	Baldi, T., Corowa	14	Blumson, M. J., Brisbane	13
Allen, B. B., Charleville*	21	Baldwin, E. T., Tatura**	18	Bombara, F., Geraldton	13
Allitt, A., Colac	14	Ballagh, J., Colac	14	Bonanno, R. S., Burdekin	16
Allomes, I., Newcastle	12	Ballantine, G. N. T., Cosgrove	13	Bonato, P., Burdekin	18
Andreasen, A. J., Mackay	15	Bamford, W. A. E., Victorian	19	Bono, C., Victorian	12
Anderson, Alan, Kojonup	16	Barber, C. T., Griffith	12	Booth, S. E., Quambatook	18
Anderson, A. J., Barcaldine	19	Banister, W. J., Burdekin	16	Boscacci, H. R., Townsville	14
Anderson, Brian, Broken Hill	20	Barnes, A. W., Mildura**	29	Boschetti, A. B., Geraldton	16
Anderson, D. G., Katanning*	20	Barron, P., Corowa	16	Boschetti, E., Geraldton	19
Anderson, G., Katanning	17	Bartlett, J., Echuca	18	Boschetti, R., Geraldton	14
Anderson, H. A., Grenfell	21	Bartlett, T. A., Geraldton	12	Bottle, D. F., Burnie	13
Anderson, Keith, Kojonup*	21	Basso, J., Burnie	19	Bowden, H., Newcastle	16
Anderson, M. B., Brisbane	12	Barker, K. A., Perth	17	Bowering, K., Millicent	16
Anderson, R. S., Katanning*	20	Barnes, C. L., Mildura	22	Boyd, K. J., Corowa*	18
Anderson (Miss), V. J., Kojonup	14	Battaglia, B., Melbourne	12	Boyd, Owen, Broken Hill	13
Angeloni, F., S.A.G.C.	20	Battersby, K., Katanning	15	Boyle, J., Warrnambool	20
Apted, F., Victorian	20	Beatie, I., Echuca	15	Bradley, T. D., Geraldton	12
Arana, A. T., Burdekin	15	Beeck, N. A., Katanning	17	Bredhauer, K. J., Charleville	13
Arbuthnot, J., Kavieng	14	Begg, T. L., Perth	23	Bredhauer, W. H., Charleville	15
Archer, K. D., Derby	17	Bell (Mrs.), D. M., Derby	12	Bremner, A. A., Morwell*	19
Archibald, D. G., Scone	14	Bell, F., Burdekin*	22	Brennan, P. M.	—
Argyle, I. S., Perth	16	Bell, Jim, Lismore	17	Bretag, N., Griffith	16
Arkwright, M., Illawarra District	13	Bell, Max, Derby	17	Brewis, J., Hamilton	16
Arnold, J. E., Hamilton*	20	Bell, W. E., Charters Towers*	19	Brewis, L., Hamilton	12
Ash, R. A., Echuca	14	Bennett, S., Colac	22	Bridle, J., Ballandean	16
Atwell, J., Colac	13	Berkefeld, L., Rabaul	19	Bright, J., Eastern Goldfields	17
Aubrey, L., Tyrendarra	16	Betts, J. L., Mangoplah	14	Brittain, F. J., Mt. Hagen	14
Ayres, D., Alexandra	21	Biggs, J., Eastern Goldfields	14	Brookes, G. R., Rabaul	18
		Birch, W., Grenfell	13		

Brooks, J. H., Kaniva	14	Corbett, R. V., Brisbane	13	Esler, R., Brisbane	12
Brooks, K. E., Victorian*	19	Corstorphane, Don, Colac**	21	Estens, G., Mendooran	16
Brosso, T., Griffith	21	Cosgrove, D., Warren	23	Evans, Clive, Ballandean	19
Brown, Ian, Barcaldine	20	Coster, W. H., Tyrendarra	12	Evans, D. E., Brisbane*	25
Brown, J. (Jnr.), Warrnambool	14	Counsell, J. C., Barcaldine	17		
Brown, J. R., Warrnambool*	17	Cowin, W., South Australia	19	Faber, R., Wallerawang	12
Brown, K. D., Korumburra*	18	Cox, H. W. F., Ganmain	15	Fagan, J., Kerang	16
Brown, L., Grenfell	14	Cox, J., Eastern Goldfields	14	Fanning, Jim, Australian	14
Brown, L., Bendigo	12	Cramer, J., Bendigo	12	Fanning, K., Boort	18
Brown, R. K., Goulburn Valley	14	Crawford, C. R., Hamilton	19	Featherby, N. J., Perth	16
Brown, T. R., Australian	16	Creighton, Don, Cosgrove	13	Feilen, A. J., Bombala*	17
Bruni, S. M., Broken Hill	18	Cristaldi, J. J., Herbert River	12	Feilen, G. C., Bombala	14
Bryant, R., Goulburn	16	Cristaudo, M. C., Herbert River	16	Feldtmann, E. M., Cosgrove	19
Brown, W. E., S.A.G.C.	17	Crockford, L., Australian	14	Ferreio, A., Geraldton	15
Buckley, B. A., Goulburn	15	Crossley, E. M., Katanning*	18	Ferguson, Colin, Perth*	20
Buckley, K. R., Goulburn	13	Crothers, R. D., New England	18	Ferguson, R. J., Barcaldine	17
Buemi, C., Narrogin	14	Cullen, A. F., Rutherglen	15	Finemore, Stan, Mangoplah	17
Buemi, F., Narrogin	16	Cullen (Mrs.) B. M., Rutherglen	15	Finger, S., Melbourne	12
Bull, N. L., Tamworth	23	Cullen, Dr. E. D., Northam	14	Finlay, H., Geraldton	18
Bull, T., Tamworth	13	Cullen, R. J., Rutherglen	18	Finlay, G. (Master), Geraldton	12
Burling, J., Dalby	19	Cunninghame, D. F., New England*	18	Fleay, G., Kojonup	14
Burton, N. J., Geraldton*	18	Cusack, A. R., Kojonup*	22	Flegler, F., Dalby*	18
Burgess, M. T. S., New England*	17	Cusack, R. R., Kojonup	14	Fletcher, G. I., Charleville	15
Burton, R., Geraldton**	24	Cussons, G., Kojonup	14	Foley, J., Taree-Wingham	14
Butterworth, G., Millicent	12			Foley, L., Griffith*	18
				Foot, S., Ipswich*	17
Cachia, F., Victorian	12	Dalzell, W., Melbourne*	22	Ford, J., Colac	26
Caldwell, B. A., Bombala*	18	D'Aquino, L., Griffith	16	Ford, P., Metropolitan	18
Campbell, W., Corowa	14	Darlington, G., Central Burnett	22	Ford, P. G. W., Charleville	13
Cameron, A. L., Mt. Gambier	17	Davis, T. E., Warrnambool	25	Ford, W. G., Benalla*	18
Cameron, J., Albany*	16	Daw, E. F., Geraldton	19	Formosa, L., Victorian	13
Cameron, S. H., Hamilton	14	Deacon, R. C., Warren	15	Franzke, D., Melbourne	14
Camilleri, C., Ipswich	17	Deignan, B., Brisbane	19	Fredericksen, Lloyd, Lismore	17
Campbell, D. J., Narrogin	19	Delaney, J., Central Burnett	12	Free, E. R., Quambatook	20
Campbell, J. G., Mt. Gambier*	26	Deluca, D., Ballandean	20	Freind, K., Northam	16
Cant, G., Derby	14	Dempsey, C. E., Burdekin	16	Fryer, F. C., Newcastle	12
Carless, L., Burdekin	14	Derrington, R. F., Townsville	17		
Garofalo, C., Griffith	17	De Saxe, K., Lismore	14	Gadsby, C., Hawkesbury	12
Carter, R. D., Perth	16	Devonshire, W. F., Brisbane*	19	Gall, C. J. C., Brisbane*	20
Casella, F., Griffith	17	Debartolo, A. D., Herbert River	22	Gange, W. G., Colac	17
Cassin, D. C., Tamworth*	23	Debartolo, S. D., Herbert River*	24	Gard, V. W., Brisbane	14
Cassin, John, Tamworth	20	Dibartolo, F. D., Herbert River*	22	Gardiner, A., Cosgrove	14
Cavallaro, P., Herbert River	14	Dibartolo, R. D., Herbert River	20	Garraway, W., Geraldton	17
Cecchini, A., Victorian	14	Dibartolo, S. A. D., Herbert River	19	Gartner, E. W., Geraldton	16
Challis, J., Benalla*	16	Dickens, I., Geelong	20	Gauci, J., Victorian	12
Chandler, A. W., Point Cook*	17	Dickson, J. C., Brisbane	12	Gauci, P., Victorian	12
Chandler, W. J. R., Barcaldine	21	Dignan, F., Colac	12	Gehrman, R., Brisbane	24
Chandler, W. R. M., Barcaldine	20	Dobson, K., Echuca	26	Geier, E., Mangoplah	15
Chandler, W. R., Charleville	22	Donald, H. F., Brisbane	16	Gibbs, D., Griffiths	17
Chizzotti, E., Ballandean*	22	Dossetto, J. N., Herbert River**	16	Gibbs, H. G., Griffiths*	22
Christensen, J., Burdekin	14	Dost, K., Geraldton	14	Gibson, H. B., Echuca*	19
Christie, Ian, Hamilton	18	Douglas, R., Ganmain	16	Gibson, L. A., Echuca	21
Clark, B., Warrnambool	14	Dow, D., Broken Hill	16	Gibson, S., Katanning*	23
Clarke, D. R., Ipswich	17	Dowling, A. W., Brisbane	12	Gillespie, Doug, Ganmain	14
Clarke, E. O., Rabaul	17	Downer, J. G., Katanning	17	Girgenti, A., Herbert River	21
Clarke, F. W. T., Newcastle	16	Downer, J. R., Albany	16	Girgenti (Mr.), F. G., Herbert River	17
Clarke, Ian, Newcastle	16	Downer (Mrs.), M., Katanning	14	Girgenti, L. G., Herbert River	20
Claussen, F. C. H., Burdekin	19	Doyle, Mark P., Mildura*	18	Glass, W. J., Geraldton*	21
Clemkey, D. G., Perth	16	Drake, A. F., Melbourne*	20	Glasson, W. M., Barcaldine*	16
Clements, G. S., Northam	14	Drane, R., Hawkesbury	13	Glenn, B., S.A.G.C.	20
Clifton, A. T., Corowa	21	Draper, M., Northam	14	Gooley, J., Australian	21
Clifton, G. M., Corowa	14	Dumesny, M., Warrnambool	15	Gordon, A. D., Hamilton	21
Clive, J. G., Burdekin	13	Du Moulin, H. G., Charleville	20	Goon (Mr.), Doug, Melbourne	16
Close, R., Brisbane	22	Dunn, Les. P., Wyrarna	20	Graham, A. J., Ganmain	17
Clowes, J. R., Burdekin	18	Durbridge, F. W., Perth	22	Graham, D., Eastern Goldfields	17
Codemo, S., Griffith	13	Durbridge, H. C., Warrnambool	17	Graham, G. J., Ganmain	15
Coldham, Chas., New England	20	Earl, Les., Mt. Gambier	17	Graham, J. A., Ganmain	16
Coleman, A., Perth	19	Edwards, W., Brisbane	22	Graham, L. B., Ganmain	15
Coleman, W., Katanning	16	Egerton-Warburton, A. G., Kojonup	15	Grech, T., Victorian	12
Collins, Stan M., Bairnsdale	24	Edgerton, D. W., Australian	17	Green, John F., Korumburra*	22
Colvin, G., Rutherglen	18			Green, R., Tasmanian	13
Colyer, J., Korumburra	13	Ellem, C. J., Barcaldine	19	Greenup, V., Ballandean	15
Comerford, T., Townsville*	20	Ellem, D. C., Barcaldine	16	Gregory, H. E., Perth	16
Commons, E. J., Bute*	20	Ellem, E. J., Barcaldine	18	Gribben, P., Cosgrove	19
Connelly, H. J., Perth	13	Elliott, M., Derby	16	Gribben, W., Cosgrove	13
Connelly, P., Perth	12	Elliott, M. E., Burnie*	15	Griffiths, J. H., Geraldton	14
Connors, A., Kavieng	12	Ellis, J., Finley	21	Griffiths, M. J., Rabaul	16
Cooke, J. B., Northam*	20	England, B. E., Mt. Gambier	26	Grist, C. T., Colac	18
Cooke, E. M., Brisbane	16	England, C., Mt. Gambier	20	Grose, J., Kavieng	14
Cooke, R. C., Northam	17	English (Mrs.), D., Brisbane	12	Grosser (Mrs.), D., Kavieng	12
Coombes, R. J., Geelong	18	English (Mr.), L., Brisbane	23	Gulliver, R., Corowa	17
Cooper, T. J., Rutherglen	13	Enright, J., Albany	16	Guy, B., Tyrendarra	18
Copeland, W., Victorian*	18	Esler, Dr. E. J., Brisbane	12		

Hadden, C., Korumburra	19	Hudson, F. R., N.S.W.G.C.	24	Leslie, Brian, Katanning	15
Hadrill, M. J., Mendooran	13	Huff, G., Benalla	20	Levien, L., Northam	14
Hailes, Chris., Melbourne	16	Humphrey (Mr.), B., Northam	13	Lewis, A. H., New England	13
Halbert, M., Perth	16	Humphrey, E. T., Northam*	18	Lewis, R., Griffith	18
Hall, C. L., Kaniwa	15	Humphrey, P., Northam*	18	Lewis, W. A., Barcaldine	16
Hall, D. W., New England	17	Hunt, D., Warren	25	Linke, T., Hamilton	18
Hall, E. J., Kaniwa	15	Hunter, Alf., Northam*	18	Lee (Master), C. J., Lismore	15
Hall, G. R., Albany	17	Hynes, B. L., Perth	16	Linsket, G., Central Burnett	20
Haller, C., Burdekin	22			Lithgow, D., Eastern Goldfields	14
Hamblin, J., Korumburra*	20	Isley, K. A., Hamilton*	22	Lithgow, F. L., Eastern Goldfields	14
Hammat, R., Millicent	14	Irvine, R., Kavieng	14	Lithgow, J., Eastern Goldfields	18
Hammersley, A. D., Northam	14			Logan, H., Korumburra	17
Hanley, W. J., Hawkesbury	21	Jack, R. D., Burdekin	16	Lovelady, R., Townsville	14
Hanrahan, J. P., Metropolitan	21	Jackson, S. G. E., Brisbane	18	Lubcke, M. J., Albany	15
Hansen, K., Echuca	12	James, F. H., Kerang	23	Lucas, D., Griffith*	27
Harder, V. R., S.A.G.C.	16	James, P. M., Katanning	16	Lucas, D. M., Griffith	12
Hardman, F., Hawkesbury	12	James, T. A., Perth	16	Lupp, L., Katanning*	23
Harker, J., Cosgrove	15	Jamieson, A. R., Corowa	23	Lussick, M., Kavieng	14
Harman, J. C., Rankins Springs*	17	Jamieson (Miss), H. M., Corowa	14	Lussick, W., Kavieng	14
Harmer, R. D., Cosgrove	14	Jamieson, R. A., Corowa	18	Lynam, J., Charleville	16
Harris, R., Griffith	14	Jarvis, R., Ipswich	12	Lynam, P. J., Ballandean*	19
Harris, R., Colac	16	Jennings, R. F. W., Australian	19		
Harris, W., Taree-Wingham	14	Jessop, T. E., Eastern Goldfields	16	McAllister, R., Burdekin**	22
Harrison, J., Echuca	15	Jewell, J. E., Warrnambool*	16	McCarthy, T., Frankston	12
Hartley, H. J., Geraldton	16	Johns, W. H., Perth*	20	McCann, J., Grenfell	16
Harvey, F. B., Rabaul	15	Johnston (Mrs.), D. E., Brisbane	12	McCarthy, Roy, Albany	14
Haseler, Peter, Charleville	13	Johnston, G. L., Perth	16	McCowan, G., New England	19
Hastie, W., Kavieng	14	Johnston, N., Ipswich	24	McCurdy, J. R., Kerang	15
Hatch, M., Geraldton	17	Johnstone, W. D., Ballandean	16	McCullough, E., Echuca*	24
Hathaway, W., Millicent	13	Jones, A. V., Brisbane	16	McDonald, A. M., Kaniwa	14
Heath, W. A., Geraldton	13	Jones (Mrs.), B., Brisbane	16	McDonald, M., Kaniwa	14
Heffernan, E., Rankins Springs	15	Jones, F., Cosgrove	22	McDonald, P., Colac	16
Heilman, D. B., Cowra	16	Josephs, I., Broken Hill	20	McDonald, R., Geraldton	18
Helander, D. T., Burdekin	17			McGrath, W. J., Quambatook	18
Henry, Leo., Warrnambool*	18	Kaufman, D., Australian	16	McGuiness (Snr.), D. S., Benalla	18
Henwood, Jack, Melbourne	27	Kedwell, B., Newcastle	17	McGuiness (Jnr.), D., Benalla	20
Henwood, P., Melbourne	16	Keogh, K. B., Goulburn*	22	McGuiness, H., Kavieng	12
Henwood, W. T., Melbourne	22	Keogh, W., Ballandean*	16	McInnes, R., Macarthur	12
Herbert, M. A., Hamilton	12	Kellow, C., Cosgrove	12	McIntosh, C., New England	16
Herman, J., Ipswich*	18	Kelly, A., Burdekin	22	McIntyre, A., Ballandean	12
Herridge, R., Perth	16	Kelly, Ian, Griffith	12	McIntyre, G., Quambatook	15
Herz, R. E., Perth	17	Kelly, M. A., Northam	13	McIntyre, W. J., Millicent	14
Hettner, J., Katanning	14	Kelly, O., Griffith	16	McKay, P., Victorian	12
Hicks, D. J., Kaniwa	15	Kelly, W., Griffith*	16	McKimmin, E. J., Townsville	17
Hicks, W. H., Kaniwa	14	Kemp, A., Ipswich*	23	McLachlan, C., Dalby	14
Hile, J., Central Burnett	13	Kendall, E., Leeton	12	McLellan, N., Barcaldine	20
Hill, R., Northam	15	Kennedy, H., Bombala	19	McLennan, R., Newcastle	15
Hillery, H., Griffith	15	Kennedy, S. L., Rutherglen	16	McMicking, R. W., Australian	14
Hinkley, C. V., Narrogin	18	Kennedy, T., Bombala	14	McQuade, M. B. C., Derby	18
Hinneberg, J., Horsham	23	Kenny, M., Korumburra	16	McQueen, J. R., Brisbane	17
Hinneberg, N. F., Horsham	26	Kent, K., Derby	14	McSween, A. J., Warrnambool*	20
Hiscox (Rev. Monsignor) R. T. Ballandean	14	Kentish, F. S., Central Burnett*	18	McWilliam, G., Griffith	12
Hite, J., Bombala	14	Kerr, A. C., Kerang	18	McWilliam, P., Griffith	17
Hodder, Len, Burdekin	20	Kerr, S. C., Kerang	19	McCanish, W. D., New England*	20
Hodder, R., Burdekin	21	Kerwin, R., Bendigo	12	MacFarlan, I. S., Derby	15
Hodge, K., Corowa	18	King, H. J., Mendooran	13		
Hodge, T. C., Rabaul	19	King (Mr.), M. H., Burdekin	14	Maddocks, W. S., Wyarama	27
Hodgess, D., Cowra	16	King, N., Griffith	15	Madew, M. T., Northam	16
Hodgeson, J. A. G., Perth	16	Koch, E., Bendigo	12	Makeham, W. J., Kerang	20
Holder, J., S.A.G.C.	16	Kohout, F., Perth*	18	Mackay, D. D., Newcastle	22
Holden, D. G., Ganmain	16	Kohout (Mrs.), U., Perth	14	Maley, M., Grenfell	12
Holden, M. J., Ganmain	13	Kowald, A. S., Katanning	14	Mann, L. W., Ballandean	17
Holloway, M. L., Warrnambool*	23	Kowald, B., Katanning	14	Manolini, R., Kojonup	15
Holman, L. J., Derby	14	Kowald, C. R., Katanning	14	Manual, R. M., Quambatook	17
Holmes, A., Katanning	16	Knapp, K., Perth	16	Marciano, G., Perth	16
Holmes, A. J., Mt. Gambier	13	Knox, L., Ganmain	19	Markham, W., Victoria	18
Holmes, W., Tamworth	14	Kuyer, P., Korumburra	16	Marks, K. A., Mt. Gambier*	20
Holmes, W. E., Tamworth	14	Kyle, Dr. E. W., Perth	16	Martin, C., Frankston	16
Holt, J. T., Perth	16			Martin, J., Colac	14
Holt, T., Perth	16	Laidlaw, T. I., Hamilton	18	Marshall, A. G., Derby	13
Holtfreter, B., Northam	21	Lambert, R. T., Goulburn	12	Marshall, K., Goulburn	16
Holtfreter, D. G., Northam	18	Lambert, S. E., Goulburn	16	Martin, C., Warrnambool	16
Holtfreter, R. M., Northam**	23	Lambert, W. P., Goulburn	15	Martin, D. H., East Goldfields	17
Hood, E. L., Blackall	13	Lamond, P. C., Mt. Gambier	17	Martin, W. A., Warrnambool*	18
Hooker, A. J., Brisbane	18	Lancaster, A. M., Perth	16	Mathieson, I. W., Brisbane	14
Hopkins, K., Mendooran	12	Langford, Geo., Perth	16	Mawer, G., Ipswich	20
Hopper, G., Tamworth	13	Lawrence, L., Cosgrove	14	Medhurst, G., Taree-Wingham	12
Hopper, R. W., Tamworth	15	Leadbeater, D., Lismore	13	Melrose, R. L., Frankston	14
Hoskins, Fred, Lismore	16	Leach, A. W., Katanning	14	Melville, R., Tamworth	18
Hoskins, G., Broken Hill	22	Leach (Master), D., Katanning	14	Metcalf, E. G., Perth*	17
Howe, C., Broken Hill	18	Lee, C. H., Northam	16	Meyer, T. R., Kaniwa	14
Howe, K. C., Kaniwa	12	Lee, C. J., Lismore	18	Meyer, V. A., Kaniwa	12
Howell, R. V., Northam	14			Middleton, J. W., Melbourne	18
				Millard, W. R., Tyrendarra*	24

Miller, A., Apsley	23	Paul, L., Rabaul	17	Ryan, V., Cosgrove	22
Miller, H., Apsley	17	Payne, F. T., Scone	15	Ryan, W., Cosgrove	13
Miller, K., Burdekin	21	Peacock, R., Kerang*	24	Rylands, R. J., Geraldton	14
Mills, N. K., Corowa	23	Peardon, J., Bombala	12		
Minnasale, S., Geraldton	15	Pearson, D., Rabaul	15		
Mitchell, H. M., Metropolitan	17	Pederick, W., Kojonup	12	Salafia, B., Griffith*	15
Moore, D. W., Kerang	18	Pedler, E., Katanning	18	Salafia, T., Griffith*	26
Mohr, H., Mangoplah*	19	Peel, D., R.A.A.F.	12	Saltmarsh, F., Kaniva	14
Monger, R., Perth	12	Pennisi, R., Brisbane	19	Sammur, A., Brisbane	17
Montafia, V., Burdekin	14	Petersen, B. M., Springsure	14	Samuel, G., Northam	14
Montgomery, W. M., East G'fields**	24	Petersen, G. L., Springsure	22	Sanders, M., Bombala	12
Mordue, S. W., Newcastle	14	Petherick, E. D., Bute*	16	Savra, G., South Australia	16
Mordue, W., Newcastle	12	Phelan, W., Burdekin*	24	Sawatsky, N., Colac	12
Morgan, A. D., Northam and Dist.*	17	Piccoli, J., Boort	20	Scaroni, P., Ipswich	16
Morgan, T., Brisbane	18	Picot, K. A., Perth	16	Schifferle, F. J., Australian	16
Morgan, W. J., Northam & Dist.	16	Pietzner, C., Mackay	23	Schifferle, M., Kerang	14
Morley, R. J., Rutherglen	17	Plane, K., Ganmain	13	Schilling, L. L., Frankston	16
Morris, T., Melbourne	17	Plane, T. H., Ganmain	13	Schinzig, K. F., Kojonup	17
Morton, J., Katanning	16	Platten, J. B., Victorian*	19	Schlitz, S. F., Quambatook	16
Morton, R. G., Newcastle**	18	Platten, N., Victorian	12	Schmidt, R. W., Rutherglen	21
Mossopp, H., Bendigo	15	Plummer, C. W., Royal Aero	17	Schroeder, A. G., S.A.G.C.	17
Mott, D. B., Newcastle	20	Pola, J. B., Echuca	18	Scicluna, G., Victorian	12
Moylan, A. J., Cosgrove	12	Porter, J., Brisbane	12	Scott, A. J., East Goldfields	16
Moyse, E. O., Barcaldine	24	Pollard, C., Charleville	13	Scullion, J., Hamilton	12
Moyse, R. H., Barcaldine**	23	Porter, G. J., Brisbane	14	Seal, E., Rabaul	16
Mundt, B., Ipswich	16	Pontifex, M., Bute	14	Searle, K., Leeton*	13
Munro, D., Charleville	14	Porter, G. R., Brisbane	22	Serve, G., Katanning	12
Murphy, B., Broken Hill	24	Pontifex, P. W., Bute	12	Sexton, M., Victorian	12
Murphy, J. D., Mt. Gambier	23	Porter, M., Brisbane	12	Shand, W. E., Dalby*	23
Murray, D., Echuca	17	Powell, J. T., Cowra	17	Sharp, B. W., Perth	16
Murray, D., Rutherglen	19	Porter, R., Brisbane	16	Sharpe, P., Hawkesbury	16
Musumeci, J., Ballandean	15	Powell, P., Lismore	15	Sharrock, G. P., Tyrendarra*	17
		Porter (Miss), R., Brisbane	16	Shaw, R., Grenfell	14
Nalder, M. J., Quambatook	25	Powell, P. M., Kaniva	14	Sheather, R., Ganmain	14
Nalder, N. J., Quambatook*	21	Porter, I., Australian	17	Sheilds, B., Griffith	15
Nalder, P., Quambatook	16	Powell, R. J., Lismore	17	Sheilds, S., Griffith	15
Nangle, L., East Goldfields*	20	Power, S., Echuca	21	Sheilds, W., Griffith	20
Neale, A. R., Colac	14	Puglisi, S., Ballandean	15	Shepherd, R. D., Lismore*	18
Neale, S., Australian	15	Price, E. O., Perth	16	Shields, C., Griffith	18
Nelson, D., Goulburn	13	Price, N., Leeton	13	Shields, K., Griffith	17
Nelson, N., East Goldfields*	21	Price, W. R., Perth	16	Shoesmith, G., Taree-Wingham	14
Nesci, T., Katanning	14	Prideaux, E. J., Townsville	14	Sidebottom, I., Cosgrove	13
Newland, J., Kavieng	12	Pringle, G., Lismore	17	Sim, K. H., Griffith*	26
Newlands, K., Ballandean	15	Pritchard, G., Kojonup	14	Sim, L. S., Cosgrove	20
Newman, T., Hobart	20	Pryde, W. T., Morwell	17	Sim, M. S., Griffith	16
Newton, P. R., Derby	16			Simpson, R., Brisbane	16
Newton, R., Mendooran	12	Quaresimin, L., Derby	14	Sinclair, W., Millicent	14
Neyland, L. P., Tyrendarra	18	Quartermaine, R., Burdekin	19	Skarakis, J., Brisbane	16
Neyland, P., Tyrendarra	17			Skeer, H. E., Millicent	12
Nichols, W. W., Rabaul	14	Radcliffe, C. R., Kerang*	23	Sky, R. M., Taree-Wingham	14
Nicoladies, S., Burdekin*	18	Rae, N. C., Katanning	14	Smith, A., Dalby	17
Nissen, E., Brisbane	14	Ransome, E., Mackay	16	Smith, A. J., Ballandean	23
Nixon, G. C., Brisbane*	19	Reid, B., Taree-Wingham	14	Smith, C. E., Northam	19
Norrish, D. K., Northam	19	Reid, R. W., Dalby	19	Smith, D. S., Northam & Dist.	15
Norris, G., Echuca	16	Renshaw, K. A., Rutherglen	12	Smith, D. F., Central Burnett*	18
Norton, E., Derby	13	Renshaw, R. J., Rutherglen	14	Smith, D. F., Wyarama	24
Nothdurft, R. S., Dalby	19	Reynolds, M. J., Quambatook	13	Smith, D. W., Brisbane	27
Nieburg, H., Morwell	17	Reynolds, N., Derby	12	Smith, E. M., Horsham	18
Nuske, C., Horsham	19	Reynolds, R., Cosgrove	20	Smith, G., Ballandean	12
		Reynolds, G. R., Northam	14	Smith, G., Ballandean	20
Oakes, W., Burdekin	17	Richardson, H., Mildura	16	Smith, G., Ballandean	19
Oborne, E. D., Colac*	23	Richardson, T., Hobart	14	Smith, H., Tyrendarra**	19
O'Brien, D., Grenfell	12	Richmond, A. E., Quambatook*	17	Smith, N., Ballandean	20
O'Connell, D., Victorian	12	Richter, H. A., Morwell	12	Smith, N., Ballandean	22
O'Connor, H., Echuca	15	Rissen, G. R., Rabaul	17	Smith, W., Brisbane	12
O'Donahoo, H. N., Charleville	17	Ritchie, R. L., Katanning	16	Smith, W. D., Brisbane	12
Oliver, W., Horsham*	19	Roach, L., Lismore	18	Smyth, A., Victorian	16
Olsen, L. G., Burdekin	17	Roberts, G., Wallerawang	17	Sonego, R., Ballandean	15
Olsen, S. L., Burdekin	13	Robinson, B., Kavieng	12	Southern, R., Goulburn	14
Ovens, R., East Goldfields	17	Robinson, B. C., Horsham	22	Spangler, C., East Goldfields	20
Owen, M., Kavieng	12	Rodgers, J., Frankston*	17	Spark, J. G., Perth	12
Ozies, T., Derby	14	Rodgers, J. D., Barcaldine	22	Speed, R., Melbourne	13
		Rodgers (Jnr.), J. D., Barcaldine	20	Stanfield (Mrs.), J., Kavieng	12
Page, R. J., Northam	14	Rogers, S. G., Perth	16	Stanfield, J., Kavieng	16
Paget, F., Ballandean	17	Rotondo, I. A., Herbert River	17	Stanley, E. J., Brisbane	13
Paget, D. J., Ballandean	14	Rowe, G., Goulburn	16	Steiner, J., Perth*	20
Pagett, F. M., Derby	14	Ruedin, D., Bendigo	12	Steiner, J. W., Perth	12
Pannekoek, F., Rabaul	16	Ruedin, T., Bendigo	13	Stelling, T., East Goldfields*	21
Parker, G., Brisbane	21	Russell, C., Geraldton	16	Stevens, G., Ipswich	18
Parker, J., Katanning	14	Russo, F. R., Herbert River	16	Stevens, W., Ipswich*	25
Parr, J. R., Central Burnett	12	Russo, R., Herbert River	23	Stevenson, J. L., East Goldfields	14
Parr, R. N., Central Burnett	15	Ryall, D., Kojonup	15	Stewart, A. W., Burdekin	24
Patti, J., Ballandean	15	Ryall, T. K., Narrogin	19	Stiles, L. J., Millicent	14
Paul, J., Frankston	17				

Stiles, N. J., Millicent	15	Trigger, R. W., Macarthur	16	Weymouth, H. M., Leeton	16
Stinchcombe, P. R., Colac	18	Trott, B. J., Central Burnett	16	Wheeler, R., Northam	14
Stoll, L., Mangoplah	16	Tucker, G., Brisbane	16	White, J., Derby	14
Stoll, R., Mangoplah	12	Turner, G. W., Boort	15	White, T. R., Derby	12
Stone, D. G., Albany	17	Turner, H., Melbourne	15	White, W. R., Derby	16
Stone, D. L., Korumburra*	16	Ungerer, B., Mackay	17	Whithan, A., Katanning	16
Stone, W., Australian	26	Venables, J. K., Melbourne	17	Whitson, K., Burdekin	19
Struble, D., Ipswich	12	Vicary, K. D., Central Burnett*	18	Whittle, L., Burnie	14
Struble, H. E., Ipswich	16	Vincent, B., Kerang	17	Whykes, R., Morwell*	20
Sullivan, J. M., Macarthur	27	Vipond, P., Victoria	18	Whyte, P., Grenfell	13
Suraski, J. F., Perth	16	Viveash, R. H., Perth	16	Wicks, G., Frankston*	19
Susmill, K., Derby	14	Vitetta, V., East Goldfields	16	Wickham, G. P., Ballandean	16
Sutherland, G., Cosgrove	17	Wacht, J., Goulburn	14	Wickham, J. R., Ballandean	21
Sutherland, M., Colac*	19	Wakefield, G. T., Mildura	23	Wickham, W. G., Echuca	19
Sutherland, R., Cosgrove	17	Wakefield, I. J., Wyarama*	27	Wiese, D. L., Narrogin*	19
Tainsh, J., Lismore	19	Walker, C., Horsham	18	Wiese, H., Narrogin	12
Tate, M., Kerang	18	Walker, G., Colac	16	Wiffin, R. K., Colac	18
Tavasci, B., Burdekin*	23	Walker, R. A., Kerang**	18	Wild, C. S., Derby	13
Taylor, A. J. W., Barcardine	21	Walker, S., Colac*	22	Wilkinson, A. E., Mildura	20
Taylor, B. C., Kaniva	16	Waller, J. L., Brisbane	12	Willett, S. E., Corowa	15
Taylor, C., Griffith*	21	Wallis, J. T., Quambatook	20	Willey, E. J., Perth	20
Taylor, C. L., Corowa	16	Walters, B., Hawkesbury	12	Williams, C. F., Echuca	18
Taylor, D. D., Central Burnett*	18	Wansborough, R. M., Northam	14	Williams, D. J., Rutherglen	16
Taylor, D. R., Hobart*	23	Wann, H. A., Geraldton	15	Williams, G., Morwell	19
Taylor, I. E., Mt. Gambier	12	Wann, V. R., Geraldton	16	Williams, K., Royal Aero	20
Taylor, W., Kavieng	16	Wardell, J., Melbourne	14	Williams, L. J., Mt. Gambier	22
Telford, P. L., Mt. Gambier	18	Warneminde, R., Brisbane	21	Williams, S. H., Mt. Gambier	19
Terrill, J. F., Rutherglen	17	Warren, B., East Goldfields	17	Williamson, D. H. J., Apsley**	20
Thomas, A., Kavieng	14	Warran, L. P., Ganmain	14	Williamson, J. A., Perth	16
Thomas, J. W., Colac	16	Warren, R., Wyarama	20	Willis, R. J., Perth	16
Thomas, W., Macarthur	18	Watson, G., Brisbane	18	Wilshire, F., Ballandean	17
Thompson, D., Ballandean	16	Watson, R., Colac	12	Wilshire, T., Ballandean	14
Thompson, J. A., Albany	14	Watts, J., Morwell	12	Wilson, B. C., Ballandean	15
Thompson, T., Wallerawang	16	Watts, J. P., Morwell	12	Wilson, B., Lismore	15
Thorn-Clark, M., Grenfell	12	Way, G. J., Northam	17	Wines, L., Warrnambool	16
Thorn-Clark, N., Grenfell*	13	Webb, D. A. B., Albany	19	Witt, B., Grenfell	15
Thornton, A. K., Dalby	19	Webb, R., Northam	20	Wood, V. J., Brisbane	16
Thornton, M. A., Dalby	15	Webster, J. H., Perth	21	Woolford, H. F., Brisbane	14
Tomazos, N., Perth	16	Weir, B., New England	15	Worthington, R., Perth	18
Tomkins, A. J., Barcardine	19	Wellington, C. D., Burdekin	18	Wright, A. R. B., Perth	16
Toner, R. P., Victorian	19	West, D. M., S.A.G.C.	16	Wuchatsch, I. T., Korumburra	18
Tonks, L., Burdekin	14	West, P. G., S.A.G.C.	16	Yannucelli, F. A., Brisbane	16
Toshack, R., Cowra	21	West, R., Bendigo	20	Yeaman, V., Echuca	16
Toshack, G. R., Cowra	14	Westcott, M., Brisbane	12	Young, H. S., New England	18
Trembath, S. W., Rankins Springs	19	Westwood, V., Katanning	16	Zanetti, G., Burdekin**	25
Trigger, I. C., Macarthur	14			Zorino, S. A., Geraldton*	18

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Ashford, L., Wangaratta	16	Bell, I., Bendigo Clay Target	17	Boatwright, W., Tasmanian	14
Ashurst, J., Dalby	14	Blake, R. W., Broken Hill	14	Barnes, P., Tullamore	17
Anderson (Miss), V., Kojonup	14	Banning, A. J. F., McKinlay	16	Brown, L., Lake Cargelligo	17
Ashman, G., Bendigo	13	Black, R., Silkwood	13	Belfield, C. R., Walcha	13
Alexander, C., Proserpine	13	Beasley, N., Townsville	19	Bird, J., Wonthaggi	15
Anderson, E., Warwick	20	Brack (Master), F., Benalla	14	Bailey, W., Walcha, UR	13
Armour, G., Queanbeyan- Canberra*	15	Bruck, E. K., Melbourne	20	Bloksome, C., New England	18
Ah Chee, W., Derby	18	Boldrin, E., Inter*	23	Boscacci, D., Townsville	14
Austin, K., Metropolitan	16	Badewitz, D., Bombala*	20	Blake, M., Tasmanian	21
Albonese, D., Morwell	15	Ballantine, G. N. T., Cosgrove	13	Blake, F., Cressy	16
Attwood, W., Aust. Showmen's	21	Bryant, G., Roma*	19	Brett, D. A., Mersey*	19
Aprato, W., Burdekin	13	Bredhauser, W., Blackall	15	Barnes, F. A., Pooncarie	21
Allen, F. T., Dandenong	17	Brown, I., Barcardine	20	Baldwin, E., Tatura**	18
Amato, G. J., Metropolitan	20	Buckley, C., Yass	13	Brazier, C. S., Guyra	16
Ash, G., Frankston	25	Brown, N., Bourke	19	Burgess, M., New England*	17
Apted, F., Victorian	20	Bye, J., Bourke	24	Blake, R. W., Broken Hill	16
Allan, M., Ganmain	15	Bailey, M., Coffs Harbour	18	Barnes, A. W., Mildura**	20
Andreasen, P. J., Mackay	15	Behrens, A. W., Hobart	15	Bonato, P., Burdekin	18
Anderson, K., Kojonup*	21	Bretag, N., Griffith	16	Bell, F., Burdekin*	22
Argyle, I. S., Perth	16	Brown, A., Brisbane	17	Buselli, G., Metropolitan	16
Ash, R., Echuca	14	Brazzale, A. P., Inter.	13	Bailey, A., Bendigo	13
Alanko, O. J., Geraldton	14	Beattie, J., Atherton	16	Bell, K., Bendigo	14
Bradford, G. R., Warwick	13	Boniface, L., Illawarra Dist.*	18	Barlow, L., Hobart	15
Buddle, C., Horsham	19	Brewis, J., Hamilton	16	Bombara, F., Geraldton	13
Burling, J., Toowoomba	19	Barbaro, F., Victorian	16	Burton, N., Geraldton*	18
Bloksome, V. B., Central Burnett	14	Butler, J., Sebastopol	15	Basso, J., Burnie	19
Buchan, F., Frankston	21	Boyd, A., Sebastopol	16	Broso, T., Griffith	21
Benson, A., Hobart	15	Brown, B., Griffiths	18	Boyd, K. J., Corowa*	18
Bull, D. F., Goroke	19	Brown, D., S.A.G.C.	24	Bright, J., Eastern Goldfields	17
		Bignell, C., Boyup Brook	15	Brooks, J. H., Kaniva	14

Boyle, J., Warrnambool	20
Bell, J., Lismore	17
Buemi, F., Narrogin	16
Buemi, C., Narrogin	14
Ballagh, J., Colac	13
Cleggatt (Jnr.), P., Apsley	18
Crossley, E. M., Katanning*	18
Crothers, J., Warwick	18
Carrington, C. W., Charters Towers	26
Cook, G., Borellan	14
Cunningham, S., Ararat	14
Cullen, R. J., Rutherglen	18
Crisp, D., Port Macquarie	14
Cross, C. J., Kempsey	16
Coyle, S., Cessnock City	15
Corica, C., Azzurri	15
Chewing, E., Sutton Forest	15
Coles, C., Bathurst*	17
Collins, S., Bairnsdale	24
Crawford, C. R., Hamilton	19
Chandler, W. J. R., Barcaldine	21
Cant, G., Derby	14
Clendinning, G., Scone	19
Crouch, R. G., Calivil	17
Codomo, S., Griffith	13
Coldam, C. W., New England	20
Cunninghame, D., New England*	18
Cherry, G., Broken Hill	13
Connors, L., Mildura	19
Charlton, W., Hawkesbury	26
Castle, B., East Coast	14
Catling, T., Katanning*	27
Cross, S., Guyra	19
Clowes, J., Burdekin	18
Clive, J. C., Burdekin	13
Copeland, W., Victorian*	18
Cooke, E., Brisbane	16
Cusack, A. R., Kojonup*	22
Clifton, A. T., Corowa	21
Cavallaro, P., Herbert River	14
Di Bartolo, R., Herbert River	20
Dealy, R. N., Tatura	17
Dickens, I., Geelong	20
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Dickson, L. J., Hawkesbury	19
Di Mauro, M., Silkwood	24
Di Bartolo, F., Herbert River*	22
Di Bartolo, A., Herbert River	22
Davis, F. E., Goroce	20
Davis, F. J., Richmond (Q'ld.)	18
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Durrant, D., Hawkesbury	15
Doyle, J., Blackall	19
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Dinsdale, R., Melbourne†	20
Devine, R., Scone	15
Doblo, G., Bundaberg	17
Daw, A. M., Whyalla	15
Dunn, B., Berridale	16
Davies, E., Edgehill	15
Derrington, R., Townsville	17
Day, L., Ballandean	25
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Dean, J., Sydney	13
Di Bartolo, S., Herbert River*	24
Dalzell, W., Melbourne*	22
Drake, A. F., Melbourne*	20
Dunn, L. P., Wyarama*	20
Edwards, T., Bundella	17
Evans, C., Ballandean	19
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Fester, N., Azzurri	17
Fisher, E. J., Cootamundra*	18
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Flaherty, K. F., S.A.G.C.*	23
Ferguson, G., St. George	19
Frisina, P., Victorian	18
Farmer, R. A., Perth*	16
Fleming, W., Illawarra District	14
Fayle, I., Hay	14
Fraser, S., Birchip	19
Foster, G., Dungog	15
Farnsworth, D., Mildura	14
Farnsworth, C., Mildura	23
Forsythe, J., Coffs Harbour*	21
Feld, J., Sutton Forest	14
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Formosa, L., Victorian	13
Fisher, M., Perth	17
Frederickson, L., Lismore	17
Franzke, D., Melbourne	14
Garraway, W., Geraldton	17
Girgenti, L., Herbert River	20
Grittner, R., Proserpine	15
Gibson, P. I. B., Katanning*	23
Groat, D., Swan Hill-Nyah*	19
Griffin, L., Alexandra	19
Grose, P., Barmera	13
Grose, E. A., Barmera*	20
Gardiner, H., Hawkesbury	15
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Green, R., Tasmanian	13
Greenup, U., Ballandean	15
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Grima, F., Victorian	14
Gall, C., Blackall*	21
Geier, E., Mangoplah	15
Gilbert, L., Maryborough	15
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Haller, C., Burdekin	22
Harker, J., Cosgrove	15
Harrison, D. J., Cloncurry	15
Hardwick, A., Winton	17
Hayden, T., Berridale*	19
Hutchings, J. E., S.A.G.C.	25
Hack, W., Boyup Brook	16
Hallam, D., Hobart	16
Hayes, R., Kerang	16
Harvie, S., Whyalla	17
Hudson, R., Hopetoun	21
Hepworth, R., Hawkesbury	13
Hender, B., Alexandra	19
Hollywood, B. B., Barmera	21
Hollywood, J., Barmera	17
Holland, J., Bathurst	16
Hill, C., Alexandra	14
Hadden, C., Korumburra	19
Herbert, C., Gunnedah*	19
Harman, J. W., Rankins Springs	16
Huff, G., Benalla	20
Hall, B., Bairnsdale	16
Hetherington, R. B., Mt. Gambier*†	21
Henwood, J., Melbourne	27
Hatch, E., Griffith	13
Hockey, R., Port Pirie	16
Hender, B., Southern	20
Hollands, J., Bairnsdale	21
Howell, M., Dundonnell	19
Holmes, L., S.A.G.C.*	19
Hollywood, L., Barmera	16

Howe, C., Broken Hill	18
Hudson, G., Mildura	14
Hall, J., Mersey	15
Holtreter, R. M., Northam**	23
Hodder, L., Burdekin	20
Horner, B., Rockhampton	16
Helander, D., Burdekin	17
Holmes, A. J., Mt. Gambier	13
Hopper, R. W., Tamworth	15
Hanley, W. G., Hawkesbury	21
Henwood, W., Melbourne	22
Henry, L., Warrnambool*	18
Hall, E. J., Kaniva	15
Hall, C. L., Kaniva	15
Holmes, W. E., Tamworth	14
Holtreter, B., Northam	21
Humphrey, E. T., Northam*	17
Humphrey, P., Northam*	18
Hill, R., Northam	15
Holmes, A., Katanning	17
Hinkley, C. V., Narrogin	18
Harvey, E. B., Rabaul	15
Irving, M. M., Blackall	13
Jessup, E., Eastern Goldfields	16
Josephs, I., Broken Hill	20
Johnson, J. W., Pooncarie	14
Janezic, R., S.A.G.C.*	18
Junge, D., Metropolitan	15
Johnson, D., Borellan	14
Jenkins, P., Newcastle*	19
Jones, W., Illawarra	13
Johnson, N., Ipswich	24
Joice, S. P., Sutton Forest*	20
Jones, D., Scone	18
Jenkins, B., Callawadda	16
Jenness, R., Cessnock City	17
Johnson, L., Sydney	15
James, P., Katanning	17
Jewell, J. E., Warrnambool*	16
Knight, T. R., Hamilton†	21
Kennedy, D. J., Horsham	18
King, N., Griffith	15
Kiss, R., Leeton	14
Kingdom, M., Cobarr	18
Knight, B., Frankston	13
Knuth, K., Burdekin*	21
Kelly, S. A., Burdekin	16
Koskelo, H., Mount Isa	23
Kocks, G., Finley	13
Kermode, R., Walcha*	18
Kentish, F., Mt. Gambier	22
Kavanagh, S., Springsure*	20
Kavanagh, D., Clermont*	21
Kempton, A. S., Guyra	15
Kiss, L., Leeton	13
Kelly, A., Burdekin	22
King, H. J., Mendooran	13
Kohout (Mrs.), U., Perth	14
Kowald, C. R., Katanning	14
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Lee (Jnr.), C. J., Lismore	15
Linskett, G., Central Burnett	20
Lee, C., Northam	16
Lithgow, J., Eastern Goldfields	18
Lewis, T. S., Townsville*	20
Lee (Snr.), C. J., Warwick	18
Law, J., Proserpine	16
Lambert, D. W. J., Pooncarie	20
Love, T., Tatura	18
Lloyd, D. J., Blackall*	21
Lane, A., Blackall	19
Long, J., Bourke	18
Loro, A., S.A.G.C.	15
Leussink, J., Coffs Harbour	18
Lockyer, D., Guyra	20
Lee, J., Hawkesbury	14
Littlejohn, K., Tasmanian*	21
Lucas, D., Griffith*	27
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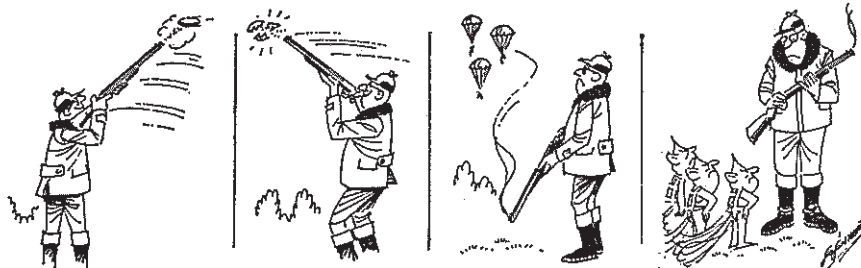
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Leach (Master), D., Katanning	14	North, B., Wangaratta	14	Standerwick, J. W., Bordertown*	17
Linton, H. T., Mount Isa	14	Nicholls, W. W., Rabaul	14	Sussmill, K., Derby	14
Lithgow, F. L., Eastern Goldfields	14	Oakes, W., Burdekin	17	Soames, T., Brisbane	19
Logan, H., Korumburra	17	O'Riley, J., Charters Towers	16	Schroeder, A. G., S.A.G.C.	17
Matherson, E., Finley	17	O'Donnell, R., Victorian*	21	Scaroni, P., Ipswich	16
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Maddy, S., Swan Hill-Nyah	18	O'Loughlin, P., Swan Hill-Nyah	18	Singleton, L., Euroa*	17
Murray, D. E., Richmond*	27	Overs, P., Barellan	19	Stevens, H. J., Melbourne*	17
Mount, D., Gold Coast	19	Oliviero, S., International, UR	13	Smith, H., Mount Isa*	23
Mudford, C. G., Metropolitan*	20	O'May, W., Newcastle	14	Staines, K., Tullamore	13
Moore, G., Swan Hill-Nyah	17	Piastri, R., Shepparton	18	Sharpe, P., Hawkesbury	13
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MacDonald, N., Blackall	14	Peden, A., Cessnock City	14	Sartore, G., Deniliquin	15
Moyse, R. H., Barcaldine**	23	Palmer, K., Bundella	16	Starr, K., Guyra	19
Mangelsdorf, P., Mt. Barker	16	Pharoah, R., Wandoo*	18	Shipway, R., Sutton Forest	15
Manns, J., Cobarr	25	Pannekoek, F., Rabaul	16	Stratford, J., Ungarra	18
Mirow, T., Gunnedah	17	Pescott, M., Frankston	18	Stewart, J., Melbourne	17
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Marshall, R., Scone	14	Potts, H. L., Alexandra	18	Scanes, B. L., Berridale	21
Mark, B., Victorian	15	Palk, B., Illawarra*	19	Shipway, D., Sutton Forest	16
Miller, K., Burdekin	21	Pugliese, P., Metropolitan	17	Steiner, J., Perth*	20
Maloney, D., Geelong	16	Panigas, B., Atherton	17	Stevenson, H., New England	15
Midgley, A., New South Wales	14	Pierce, T., Illawarra	14	Simmon, E. T., Coffs Harbour	18
Mitchell, L. F., Morwell	13	Panazzolo, D., S.A.G.C.	16	Stewart, G., Burdekin	13
Miller, A., Cowra	13	Patti, J., Ballandean	15	Smith, G., Geelong*	26
Miskin, K., Townsville*	20	Peake (Snr.), D., S.A.G.C.	15	Schinzig, K., Kojonup	18
Moffatt (Mrs.), P., Guyra	14	Petersen, E., Melbourne, UR	15	Sharrock, G. P., Tyrendarra*	17
MacKesson, V., Guyra	22	Perry, D., Tasmanian*	20	Sutherland, G., Cosgrove	17
Mark, G., Geelong	18	Paterson, K., Metropolitan	24	Smith, N., Ballandean	22
Milner, D., Korumburra	14	Price, N., Leeton	13	Shepherd, R. D., Lismore*	18
Marriott, R., Morwell	16	Pearson, D., Rabaul	15	Steiner (Master), J. W., Perth	12
Martini, D., International	22	Power, S., Echuca	21	Stewart, A. W., Burdekin	24
Mason, R., Mersey	17	Prideaux, E. J., Townsville	14	Sebastiani, E., Mount Isa	16
MacFarlane, I. S., Derby	15	Pietzner, C., Mackay	23	Spangler, C., Eastern Goldfields	20
Minnisale, S., Geraldton	15	Parker, J., Katanning	16	Stevenson, J., Eastern Goldfields	14
Mitchell, L., Metropolitan	23	Paget, F., Ballandean	17	Scott, A. J., Eastern Goldfields	16
Murphy, B., Mildura	24	Pryde, W. T., Morwell	17	Stevens, W., Ipswich*	25
Morgan, T., Brisbane	18	Reid, R., Dalby	19	Struble, E., Ipswich	16
Mathews, G., Mersey	17	Rowell, Dr. J. E., South Burnett*	19	Stinchcombe, P. R., Colac	18
Munck, A., Grenfell	14	Russell, C., Geraldton	16	Seal, E., Rabaul	16
Miller, A., Apsley	23	Rogers, S., Eastern Goldfields	16	Tucker, A., East Coast	15
Melville, R., Tamworth	18	Rumble, T., Kempsey*	18	Tennant, W. G., Blackall	23
Marney, V., Bunbury	15	Rotondo, I. A., Herbert River	17	Taylor, C., Griffith*	21
Middleton, Dr. J. W., Melbourne	18	Richards, D., Charters Towers	17	Trevelian, C., Bombala	16
Martin, W. A., Warrnambool*	18	Reed (Master), I., Benalla	14	Tucker, A., East Coast	16
Metcalf, E. G., Perth*	17	Ruhe, R., Shepparton	17	Twigg, D., Bombala*	19
McGrath (Jnr.), L., Hay	14	Rossetti, S., Whyalla	14	Turner, J., Dungog	14
McMeekin, F., Shepparton	16	Rapley, F., Hawkesbury	17	Taylor, R., Coonamble	18
McDougall, L., Ararat	15	Rodgers, J. A., Barcaldine	22	Tanner, S., Gunnedah	13
McHue, K., Newcastle	14	Rodgers, J. D., Barcaldine	20	Toner, R. P., Victorian	19
McSween, A. J., Warrnambool*	20	Rafferty, B., Maryborough	14	Tomkins, A. J., Barcaldine	19
McHue, R., Newcastle	14	Romanello, A., New South Wales*	18	Toniolo, M., S.A.G.C.	13
McQuade, M. B. C., Derby	18	Robinson, D., Maryborough*	16	Tyquin, J., N.S.W.	18
McHutchison, R., Australian	14	Renshaw, R., Rutherglen	14	Tavasci, B., Burdekin*	23
McIntosh, J., Roma	18	Ryan, W., Cosgrove	13	Tourian, A., Tasmanian, UR	14
McDonald, P., Colac	16	Ritchie, R. L., Katanning	16	Tuckett, P. A., N.S.W.	17
McGuiness (Snr.), D., Benalla	18	Reid, I., Guyra*	23	Thiele, M., Bundaberg*	17
McGlenaghan, A., Dorrig	22	Rafferty, P., Guyra	16	Torok, P., Geelong	13
McDougall, A., Ararat	16	Ray, R. J., Hawkesbury	16	Taylor, C. L., Corowa	16
McKenzie, A., Ararat	15	Robinson, K., Geelong*	20	Thornton, M. A., Dalby	15
McCloy, E. C., Illawarra	15	Rodgers, T., Whyalla	16	Taylor, B. C., Kaniva	16
McLane, W. C., Inverell	16	Ross, D., Victorian	13	Taylor, D. R., Hobart*	22
McCullough, E., Echuca*	24	Rissen, G. R., Rabaul	17	Ungerer, B., Mackay	17
McKendrick, H., Euroa	17	Ryall, D., Kojonup	15	Varley, W. A., Guyra	14
McDonald, R., Geraldton	18	Robinson, B. C., Horsham	22	Venables, L., Berridale*	20
McAllister, R., Burdekin**	22	Russo, R., Herbert River	23	Vincent, B., Kerang	17
McKimmen, E. J., Townsville	17	Starkey, L., S.Y.P.	16	Valentine, M., Hay	17
McGuiness (Jnr.), D., Benalla	20	Smith, N., Ballandean	20	Vipond, M., Victorian	20
McCann, J., Grenfell	16	Scott, R. W. G., Callawadda	17	Varley, F. R., Guyra	24
McLachlan, C., Dalby	14	Smith, A. T., Dalby	17	Varley, C., Guyra*	23
McInnes, R., Macarthur	17	Simpson, B., Leeton	15	Vonax, E., Urana	16
Nash, T., Geelong	17	Smith, H., Tyrendarra**	19	Vipond, P., Victorian	18
Neville, R., Hopetoun*	15	Stockwell, P., Mount Isa	14	Vitetta, V., Eastern Goldfields	16
Neyland, P., Tyrendarra	17	Searle, K., Leeton*	13	Venables, J. K., Melbourne*	17
Newman, C., Proserpine	13	Sullivan, D., Illawarra**	17	Wickham, J. R., Warwick	21
Newton, L., Bourke	23	Seneca, P., Naracoorte	14	Wise, T., Bundella	13
Neale, S., Melbourne	16	Smith, D. F., Wyarama	24	Willet, G., Wangaratta	15
Neili, C., Victorian, UR	13	Shard, L., Shepparton	16	Wann, V. R., Geraldton	16
Newton, P., Derby	16	Sansom, J., Newcastle	16	Waddell, K., Bothwell	15
Newby, J., Inverell	19	Stevenson, P., Bourke	14	Weidman, V. H., Warwick	17
Nasser, B. R., Clermont*	25	Simmonds, S., Coffs Harbour*	19	Williams, W. F., Metropolitan*	25
Nettlebeck, T., Dandenong	15	Stellato, A., Victorian	15	Wilkinson, A., Cessnock City	13

Winfield, D., Apsley	15	Williams, G., Hay*	18	Walls, J., Metropolitan*	22
Weston, P., Aust. Showmen's	20	Weir, B., New England	15	Wademan, H., Melbourne*	19
Williams, C., Echuca	18	White, G., Guyra	20	Wormwell, R., Condamine	14
Withers, T., Yass	15	Wilson, G., Guyra	20	Wilson, B., Ballandean	15
Webster, J., Cobarr	20	Wigg, B., Ararat	14	Ward, F., Bunbury	16
Wilshire, F., Ballandean	17	Webster, A., Korumburra	17	Webb, D., Albany	31
Waples, W., Illawarra	14	Whykes, R., Morwell*	20	Wilshire, T., Ballandean	14
Williams, L. J., Mt. Gambier	22	White (Mrs.), M., Guyra	17	Wakefield, G. T., Mildura	23
Williamson, L., Maryborough	13	Witzerman, L., Hobart*	18	West, R., Bendigo	20
Wakefield, I. J., Wyarama*	27	Wescombe, A., Mersey	12	Young, H., New England	18
Warneminde, R., Brisbane*	21	Wells, R., Mildura	16	Youl, G. W., Tasmanian	14
Wardell, R., N.S.W.	16	Whittall, M., Mildura	13	Zagorc, T., Victorian	22
Willett, G., Ararat	18	Whitworth, R., Mildura	13	Zaniol, K., Broken Hill	13
Wembridge, B., Geelong*	19	Wilmen, L., Dungog, UR	13	Zorino, A., Geraldton*	18
Wembridge, A. F., Geelong*	21	Willson, W., Lismore	15	Yoannidis, K., Mt. Gambier	13

Skeet Handicap Amendments

As received up to
12th December, 1969

Anderson, W., Geelong, UR	5	Hall, G., Geelong	8	Norrish, D. K., Northam	1
Anderson, A., Kojonup	7	Holmes, D., Geelong	6	Nangle, L., Eastern Goldfields	8
Arnol, N., Bothwell	6	Hehir, J., Geelong	5	Neyland, P., Tyrendarra	10
Boggiss, R., Newcastle	1	Hayes, A., Hawkesbury	1	Overs, R., Eastern Goldfields	3
Beasley, E., Townsville	9	Hill, E., Newcastle	10	Pederick, W., Kojonup	8
Brockman, L., South West	4	Hunt, J., Newcastle	3	Reschke, T., Mt. Gambier	7
Bishop, S., Mt. Gambier, UR	10	Hammatt, R., Millicent	10	Rayner (Jnr.), P., Geelong	10
Bonato, P., Burdekin	6	Harris, F., Cunderdin	9	Ryall, D., Kojonup	4
Bright, J., Eastern Goldfields	10	Holtfreter, B., Northam	1	Ray, R. J., Hawkesbury	3
Biggs, J., Eastern Goldfields	10	Hart, J., Townsville	0	Rawlinson, J., Hawkesbury	2
Bull, D. A., Apsley	10	Humphris, J. R., Mt. Gambier	10	Reeves, R., Townsville	8
Cusack, A. R., Kojonup	1	Jones, D., Hobart	5	Sims, T. L., Mt. Gambier	4
Catling, T., Katanning	3	Jaques, G., Townsville	7	Snow, R., Hawkesbury	1
Clarke, W., Hawkesbury	3	Jenkins, P., Newcastle	4	Simmonds, S., Hawkesbury	3
Charlton, W., Hawkesbury	1	Jantschitch, R., Millicent	10	Sinclair, C., Townsville	0
Crema, L., Hawkesbury	4	Jessop, T., Eastern Goldfields	9	Sharp, P., Hawkesbury	3
Clarke, F. W., Newcastle	7	Kentish, F. F., Mt. Gambier	8	Scott, R. W., Mt. Gambier	7
Collis, W., Newcastle	2	Knuth, K., Townsville	3	Schwarz, C. L., Mt. Gambier	9
Comerford, T., Townsville	2	Kedwell, B., Newcastle	4	Soames, K., Hawkesbury	2
Clifton, M., South West	5	Lamond, P. C., Mt. Gambier	10	Sinclair, E., Townsville	3
Conrau, M., South West	2	Lee, J., Hawkesbury	6	Sansom, J., Newcastle	4
Chapman, F., Townsville	8	Luff, R. J., Naracoorte	10	Smith, B., Cessnock	1
Clarke, R., Hawkesbury	0	Lee, C. H., Northam	3	Stevenson, J., Eastern Goldfields	10
Campbell, T., Townsville	7	Lenti, A., Townsville	6	Stelling, T., Eastern Goldfields	10
Clarke, I., Newcastle	4	Lithgow, J., Eastern Goldfields	3	Spangler, C., Eastern Goldfields	10
Cox, J., Eastern Goldfields	10	Lithgow, F., Eastern Goldfields	10	Scott, J., Eastern Goldfields	10
Cameron, A. L., Mt. Gambier	10	Lithgow, D., Eastern Goldfields	10	Skeer, H., Millicent	10
Collins, S. M., Bairnsdale	3	Lawson, A. K., South Australia	7	Telford, P. L., Mt. Gambier	9
Dickens, I., Geelong	8	Manolini, R., Kojonup	4	Torok, P., Geelong	3
Dunn, J., Newcastle	9	Marks, K. A., Mt. Gambier	9	Tavasci, B., Burdekin	3
Downer, J. R., Albany	7	Morgan, W. R., Hobart	6	Thompson, J. A., Albany	7
Derrington, R., Townsville	3	Malcolm, J., Hobart	10	Taylor, D., Newcastle	4
Earl, L. J. W., Mt. Gambier	7	Mackay, D., Newcastle	4	Tremain, A., Newcastle	4
Edwards, A., Townsville	7	Marks, I. A., Mt. Gambier	10	Tray, E., N.S.W.	0
England, C., Mt. Gambier	10	Miskin, K., Townsville	1	Vitale, S., Townsville	4
Foster, J., Geelong	9	Morton, R., Newcastle	6	Vittetta, V., Eastern Goldfields	10
Fryer, J., Newcastle	5	Mordue, S., Newcastle	10	Wembridge, A., Geelong	5
Foster, G., Dungog	5	Morgan, W. J., Northam	2	Wembridge, B., Geelong	5
Freind, K., Northam	8	Martin, D., Eastern Goldfields	9	Wilson, B., Hawkesbury	3
Ferguson, M., Tyrendarra	10	Montgomery, N., Eastern Goldfields	9	Wagner, R., Newcastle	4
Foster, K., Naracoorte	8	Manning, K., Mt. Gambier	3	Whyte, A., Newcastle	5
Gaylard, H., Mt. Gambier	9	McIntosh, A., Geelong	7	Ward, F., Bunbury	7
Grove, J., Naracoorte	7	McCarthy, R., Albany	10	Woollen, R., Cessnock	4
Guy, D., Newcastle	1	McKue, K., Newcastle	7	Worley, J., N.S.W.	1
Guy, R., Newcastle	3	McIntyre, A. J., Millicent	7	Webb, R., Northam	0
Graham, D., Eastern Goldfields	6	McLennan, R., Newcastle	4	Warren, B., Eastern Goldfields	6
Hetherington, B., Mt. Gambier	8	Nudgely, R., N.S.W.	5	Yoannidis, K., Mt. Gambier	10
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WESTERN AUSTRALIA

FIRST DAY — Saturday, 28th February, 1970

- Event No. 1: **30th Australian National Champion of Champions Cup**
followed by
Event No. 2: **\$300 Value Double-Barrel Handicap** (time permitting)

SECOND DAY — Sunday, 1st March, 1970

- Event No. 3: **18th Australian National Double-Barrel Championship**
and shot in conjunction ...
23rd Australian National Intermediate Double-Barrel Championship
followed by
Event No. 4: **\$300 Value Double-Barrel Handicap** (time permitting)

THIRD DAY — Monday, 2nd March, 1970

- Event No. 5: **16th Australian National Single-Barrel Championship**
and shot in conjunction
1st Australian National Intermediate Single-Barrel Championship
followed by
Event No. 6: **10th Australian National Double-Rise Championship**
and shot in conjunction
1st Australian National Intermediate Double-Rise Championship

FOURTH DAY — Tuesday, 3rd March, 1970

- Event No. 7: **9th Australia/New Zealand Championship**
followed by
Event No. 8: **\$300 Value Double-Barrel Handicap** (time permitting)

FIFTH DAY — Wednesday, 4th March, 1970

- The Twenty-Fourth International Teams' Match**
followed by
Event No. 9: **The Twenty-first Grand Australian Handicap**
and, time permitting
\$300 Value Double-Barrel Handicap (time permitting)

SIXTH DAY — Thursday, 5th March, 1970

- Event No. 10: **1st Australian National Skeet Championship**

To be conducted under A.C.T.A. Rules and Conditions, effective as from January 1, 1970 and within the requirements of the Olympic Federation.

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

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

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

FIRST DAY—SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1970, commencing 8.00 a.m.

Event No. 1

Thirtieth Australian National Champion of Champions Cup

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

The winner of the Champion of Champions Cup event will have won the Mackintosh Perpetual Cup for 12 months (or until the next National Championship series) and will also receive a substitute Champion of Champions Cup (presented by Evans & Balfour Pty. Ltd. of Melbourne), the A.C.T.A. Champion of Champions sash, a special winner's trophy valued at

\$100, and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge. Second trophy is valued at \$50, third trophy valued at \$40. Fourth prize shall be \$20 cash, fifth prize \$10 cash, and for the best 12-16 yarder \$10 cash.

Nomination \$7 (Targets free); Optional Sweepstake overall, \$1; Optional Sweepstake each 25 targets @ \$1 = \$2; Total \$10.

All optional sweepstakes shall be compulsory division. No entries will be accepted for the Australian National Champion of Champions Cup event after 10 a.m. Only Association approved branded cartridges may be used in this event.

Followed by (Time Permitting)

Event No. 2

\$300 Value D.B. Handicap

25 targets, Double-Barrel, both barrels equal value. Targets free — Nomination \$6 — Possibles to Divide.

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SECOND DAY—SUNDAY, MARCH 1, 1970, commencing at 8.00 a.m.

Event No. 3

Eighteenth Australian National Double-Barrel Championship

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

The winner will receive the J. M. Wilson Perpetual Cup for 12 months (or until the next National Championship series), a trophy valued at \$90, a sash and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge. Second trophy is valued at \$50, and third trophy at \$40. The fourth prize will be \$20 cash, after which \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the fifth to 15th inclusive place-getters. Special awards of \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the competitors registering the best performance and whose Association handicap is within the category (not winning any other trophy), 12-16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 yards and over. A trophy will also be awarded to the best

lady shooter in the event. Subject to there being a minimum of three entrants from each of the following States — Queensland, New South Wales, Victoria, Tasmania, South Australia, Northern Territory, Territory of Papua/New Guinea, then the best registered such performance from each State, not having won any other award in this event, will be awarded \$10 cash.

Nominations (this event only) \$7 (Targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstakes overall, \$1; Optional Sweepstakes each 25 targets @ \$1 = \$2; Total \$10;

Optional sweepstakes shall be compulsory division. No entries will be accepted for the Australian National Double-Barrel Championship later than 10 a.m. Only Association approved branded cartridges may be used in this event.

AND SHOT IN CONJUNCTION

Twenty-Third Australian National Intermediate Double-Barrel Championship

The 50 clay targets from 16 yards, in the Australian National Double-Barrel Championship, will be counted for the Australian National Intermediate D.B. Championship and shall be restricted to shooters whose Association Handicap does not exceed 16 yards on March 1, 1970. Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal value, kills only to count. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

The winner will receive a trophy valued at \$40, as donated by A.C.T.A. President, Mr G. H. Hall, a sash and a Winchester Western Australia P/L commemorative badge.

Second trophy is valued at \$30, and third trophy at \$20. Fourth prize will be \$10 cash, and fifth prize will be \$10 cash.

Nominations (this event only) \$7 (Targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstake overall, \$1; Optional Sweepstake each 25 targets @ \$1 = \$2; Total \$10.

Optional sweepstakes will be paid out, compulsory division. No entries will be accepted for the Australian National Intermediate Double-Barrel Championship after 10 a.m.

SECOND DAY (SUNDAY) — SPECIAL NOTE:

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

Additional Nomination \$4; Optional Sweepstake overall, \$1;

Optional Sweepstake each 25 targets @ \$1 = \$2;

Total Nomination if for both events = \$17.

Followed by (Time Permitting)

Event No. 4

\$300 Value D.B. Handicap

25 Targets, Double-Barrel, both barrels equal value, targets free

Nomination \$6, possibles to divide

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THIRD DAY—MONDAY, MARCH 2, 1970, commencing 8.00 a.m.

Event No. 5

Sixteenth Australian National Single-Barrel Championship

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

The winner will receive the W. Rainbird Perpetual Cup for 12 months (or until the next National Championship series), a trophy valued at \$90, a sash and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge. Second trophy is valued at \$50, third trophy is valued at \$40, and fourth prize will be \$20 cash, after which \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the fifth to 15th inclusive place-getters. Special awards of \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the competitors registering the best performance and whose Association handicap is within the category (not win-

ning any other trophy) 12-16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 yards and over. Subject to there being a minimum of three entrants from each of the following states, Queensland, New South Wales, Victoria, Tasmania, South Australia, Northern Territory, Territory of Papua/New Guinea, then the best registered such performance from each State, not having won any other award in this event, will be awarded \$10 cash.

Nomination \$7 (Targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstake overall, \$1; Optional Sweepstake each 25 targets @ \$1 = \$2; Total \$10.

Optional sweepstakes shall be compulsory division. No Entries will be accepted for the Australian National Single-Barrel Championship later than 10 a.m. Only Association approved branded cartridges may be used in this event.

AND SHOT IN CONJUNCTION

First Australian National Intermediate Single-Barrel Championship

The 50 clay targets from 16 yards in the Australian National Single-Barrel Championship will be counted for the Australian National Intermediate S.B. Championship and shall be restricted to shooters whose Association Handicap does not exceed 16 yards on March 2, 1970. Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal value, kills only to count. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

The winner will receive a trophy valued at \$40 as donated by I.C.I.A.N.Z. Ltd., a sash and a Winchester-Western Australia P/L commemorative badge.

Second trophy is valued at \$30 and third trophy at \$20. Fourth prize will be \$10 cash and fifth prize will be \$10 cash.

Nominations (this event only) \$7 (Targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstake overall \$1; Optional Sweepstake each 25 targets @ \$1 = \$2; Total = \$10.

All optional sweepstakes shall be compulsory division.

Special Note:

IF SHOOTER NOMINATES IN BOTH THE NATIONAL SINGLE-BARREL AND INTERMEDIATE SINGLE-BARREL EVENTS—

Additional nomination \$4;
Optional Sweepstake Overall \$1;
Optional Sweepstake each 25 targets @ \$1 = \$2;
Total Nomination if for both events = \$17.

Tenth Australian National Double-Rise Championship

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

The winner will receive the J. M. Tyquin Perpetual Cup for 12 months (or until the next National Championship series), a trophy valued at \$90, a sash and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge. Second trophy is valued at \$50, third trophy at \$40, and fourth prize will be \$20 cash, after which \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the fifth to 15th inclusive place-getters. Special awards of \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the competitors registering the best performance and whose Association handicap is within the category (not winning any other trophy) 12-16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 yards and over. Sub-

ject to there being a minimum of three entrants from each of the following States, Queensland, New South Wales, Victoria, Tasmania, South Australia, Northern Territory, Territory of Papua/New Guinea, then the best registered such performance from each State, not having won any other award in this event, will be awarded \$10 cash.

Nomination \$7 (Targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstake overall, \$1; Total \$8.

All optional sweepstakes shall be compulsory division. No entries will be accepted for the Australian National Double Rise Championship later than 10 a.m.

Only Association approved branded cartridges may be used in this event.

AND SHOT IN CONJUNCTION

First Australian National Intermediate Double-Rise Championship

The 25 pairs double-rise from 16 yards in the Australian National Double Rise Championship will be counted for the Australian National D.R. Championship and shall be restricted to shooters whose Association Handicap does not exceed 16 yards on March 2, 1970. There shall be one visit to the traps and scoring shall be one point for each target. Each competitor will shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

The winner will receive a trophy, as donated by Winchester Western, valued at \$40, a sash and a Winchester Western commemorative badge. Second trophy is valued at \$30 and third trophy at \$20. Fourth prize will be \$10 cash and fifth prize will be \$10 cash.

Nominations (this event only) \$7 (targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstake overall \$1; Total = \$8.

The optional sweepstake shall be compulsory division.

Special Note:

IF SHOOTER NOMINATES IN BOTH THE NATIONAL DOUBLE-RISE AND INTERMEDIATE DOUBLE-RISE EVENTS—

**Additional nomination \$4;
Optional Sweepstake overall \$1;
Total Nomination if for both events = \$13.**

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FOURTH DAY—TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1970, commencing at 8.00 a.m.

Ninth Australia — New Zealand Championship

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

The winner will receive a trophy valued at \$90, and the A.C.T.A. Championship sash. The second trophy is valued at \$50, third trophy is valued at \$40, and fourth prize will be \$20 cash, after which \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the fifth to 15th inclusive place-getters. Special awards of \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the competitors registering the best performance and whose Association handicap is within the category (not winning any other trophy) 12-16, 17, 18, 19 and

20 yards and over. Subject to there being a minimum of three entrants from each of the following States, Queensland, New South Wales, Victoria, Tasmania, South Australia, Northern Territory, Territory of Papua/New Guinea, then the best registered such performance from each State, not having won any other award in this event, will be awarded \$10 cash.

Nominations \$7 (Targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstake overall, \$1; Optional Sweepstake each 25 targets @ \$1 = \$2; Total \$10.

All optional sweepstakes shall be compulsory division. No entries for the Australia-New Zealand Championship will be accepted later than 10 a.m. Only Association approved branded cartridges may be used in this event.

Followed by

\$300 Value D.B. Handicap

25 Targets, Double-Barrel, both barrels equal value, targets free
Nomination \$6, possibles to divide

FIFTH DAY—WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, 1970, commencing at 8.00 a.m.

Twenty-fourth International Teams' Match

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

AUSTRALIAN TEAM

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

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

QUALIFICATIONS

Each team member shall be an Australian resident of at least 12 months standing. In the event of a member being unable to take his place in the team, his place

will be filled by another shooter, agreed upon by the Executive Committee.

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

Highest scorer in the Australian Team will hold the special International High-Gun Cup, valued at \$150 (presented by the late J. M. Bauman, Esq., of Brisbane) for 12 months (or until the next International Match) and will be awarded a special trophy valued at \$10.50, the International High-Gun Sash and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. Sterling Silver Commemoration Badge. Second and third High Guns will also receive trophies valued at \$10.50 each.

Every member of the Australian Team will receive the special "International Badge." Only Association approved branded cartridges may be used in this event.

Followed by

Event No. 9

Twenty-first Grand Australian Handicap of \$550

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

The \$550 allotted to the event will be distributed as follows:— First \$150, Second \$100, Third \$50, with ten yardage awards each of \$25, namely 12-13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20-21, 22-24 and 25-27 yards. The actual win-

ner of the event will also receive a special Grand Australian Handicap Sash and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge.

Nomination \$8 (Targets inclusive): Optional sweepstake each 25 targets @ 1 = \$2; Total \$10.

All optional sweepstakes shall be compulsory division.

Followed by (Time Permitting)

\$300 Value D.B. Handicap

25 Targets, Double-Barrel, both barrels equal value, targets free
Nomination \$6, possibles to divide



SIXTH DAY—THURSDAY, MARCH 5, 1970, commencing at 8.00 a.m.

Event No. 10

First Australian National Skeet Championship

50 targets, kills to count, 25 targets per visit in two visits using the quick round method. In the event of ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

The winner will receive a trophy valued at \$40, the Championship sash and a badge (bronze) by I.C.I.

Second trophy valued at \$30, and third trophy valued at \$20. Special awards of \$10 cash will be made to each of the competitors registering the best performance whose Association Skeet Handicap is within the category (not winning any other trophy) 0-2, 3-5 and 6-10. A trophy will also be awarded to the best lady shooter in the event. Subject to there being a minimum of

three entrants from each of the following States, viz., Queensland, New South Wales, Victoria, Tasmania, South Australia, Territory of Papua/New Guinea, Northern Territory, then the best registered such performance from each State, not having won any other award in this event will be awarded \$10 cash.

**Nominations (this event only) \$7 (targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstakes overall = \$1;
Optional Sweepstakes each 25 targets @ \$1 = \$2; Total = \$10.**

Optional sweepstakes shall be compulsory division.

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PROVISIONS THROUGHOUT THE PROGRAMME

1970 Registration Cards must be produced when lodging entries for all events listed on the programme.

HIGH-GUN: (Conducted over events 1, 3, 5, 6, 7 and 9). If a shoot-off is necessary to determine the high-gun winner, then the shoot-off shall be shot under handicap conditions.

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

CARTRIDGES: Special cartridges will be available to competitors only, at \$2.25 per 25. **ONLY THESE BRANDED CARTRIDGES MAY BE USED THROUGHOUT THE PROGRAMME OTHER THAN FOR THE HANDICAP EVENTS.** All competitors' cartridges will be subject to examination by Association officials at any time.

SHOT GUNS UP TO 12 GAUGE ARE PERMITTED. No shot gun shall have a barrel shorter than 25 inches overall.

CLAY TARGETS — NUMBER ONE SHOOTER OF EACH SQUAD MAY OBSERVE A TARGET AT HIS FIRST VISIT AND ANY SUBSEQUENT VISIT TO ANY LAYOUT.

President:
GORDON H. HALL,
Box 421,
Geelong, 3220.

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

REFRESHMENTS: Meals and light refreshments will be available throughout each day from 7 a.m.

CARS MUST BE PARKED WITHIN DEFINED AREAS.

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

Clay Targets for the Champion of Champions Cup and the International Teams' Match are presented by Imperial Chemical Industries of Australia and New Zealand Ltd.

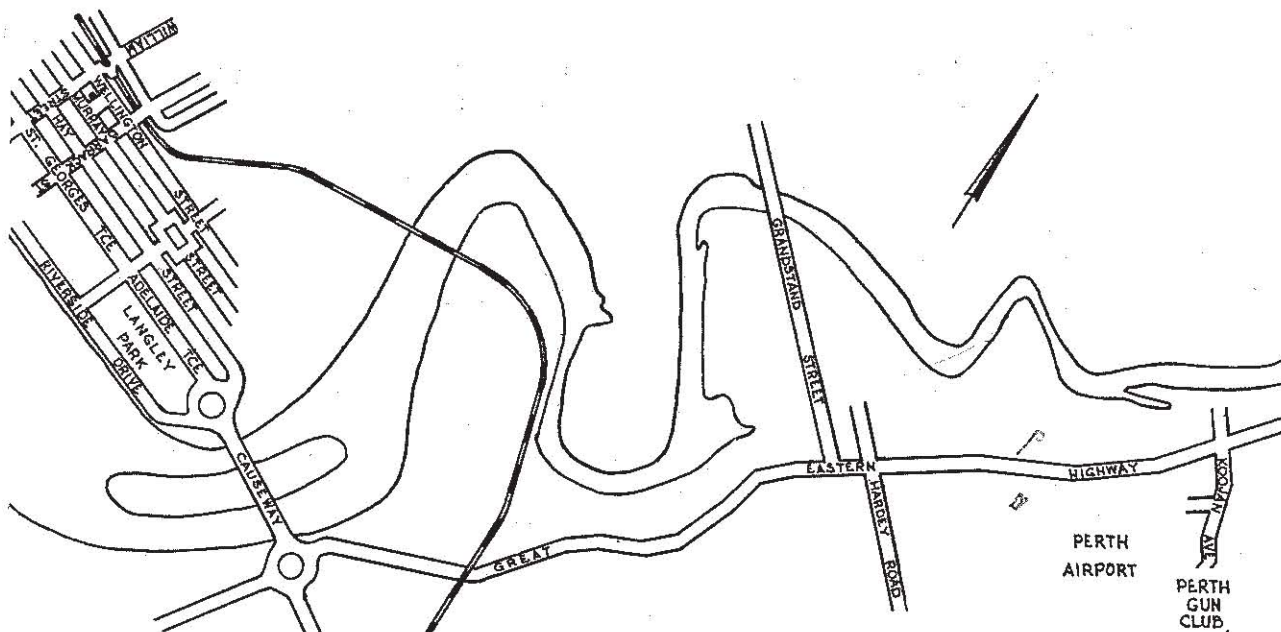
Cartridges as required for the International Teams' Match are presented by the respective makers Imperial Chemical Industries of Australia and New Zealand Ltd. and Winchester Western Australia Pty. Ltd.

ACCOMMODATION AND TRAVEL AGENTS
ARE: James Patrick & Co. Pty. Ltd., 35 William
 Street, Melbourne, 3000.

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

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PERTH GUN CLUB Inc.

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

PRE-NATIONAL PROGRAMME

Wednesday, February 25 — 1 p.m. Practice

Thursday, February 26 — 8 a.m.

No. 1— Nomination \$5.00

25 TARGET GRADE SHOOT FROM 16 YDS.

Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each Grade. Kills to count. Points scoring to be used to settle ties. In the event of ties on points, shoot-off on points system.

No. 2— Nomination \$5.00

25 TARGET CITY OF PERTH D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP

TO BE SHOT FROM 16 YARDS

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

No. 2 A (Time permitting)— Nomination \$5.00

25 TARGET D.B. HANDICAP FROM A.C.T.A. MARKS

Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Friday, February 27 — 8 a.m.

No. 3— Nomination \$5.00

25 TARGET PERTH GUN CLUB OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

TO BE SHOT FROM 16 YARDS

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

No. 4— Nomination \$10.00

25 TARGET PRE-INTERNATIONAL HANDICAP

TO BE SHOT FROM A.C.T.A. MARKS

Trophies valued at \$500—1st to 8th

No. 4 A (Time permitting)— Nomination \$5.00

\$300 25 TARGET S.B. GRADE SHOOT FROM 16 YARDS

Trophies 1st and 2nd in each grade, plus Best Lady Shooter

(This day's programme to be completed by 5.5 p.m.)

Grades for events 1 and 4 (A): A. 22-27; B. 19-21; C. 16-18; D. 12-15

Friday, March 6 — 8.30 a.m.

Nomination \$6.00

"CAPTAIN COOK BI-CENTENARY" SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

50 Targets — 3 Grades: 0-3, 4-6, 7-10 — 1st, Trophy and Sash each Grade; 2nd, Trophy and Sash each Grade

Cartridges and Gunsmith facilities available on the grounds.

Meals, teas, etc., can be obtained from 7 a.m.

Refreshment booth open during licensed hours.

NO SWEEPS

The Committee, whilst exercising every care, do not accept responsibility for damage or injury to any person or property on the grounds.

J. STEINER, President.

J. G. SPARK, Hon. Secretary.

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George Delai Memorial Trophy (left to right):
B. Panigas, G. Forbes,
J. Beattie, K. Gorton.



North Queensland D/B
Championship (left to right):
H. Nasser, B. Panigas,
H. Rankine.



ICIENZ Trophy (left to right): J. Beattie, K. Gorton,
E. Berno, D. Byrnes.



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Choose wisely.**

For the 1970 Australian National Clay Target Championships, to be held in Perth, you get a choice of shotshells for the first time ever.

This year Winchester AA and Ranger target shells specially branded to ACTA requirements have been approved for use.

The choice is yours. But, before you choose, let us tell you a couple of things:

Jack Henwood, of Victoria, shot 732 consecutive clay targets at a recent Melbourne Gun Club tourna-

ment, establishing a new Australian record. He used his second barrel only twelve times, scoring 2184 points out of a possible 2199. He used Winchester AA target shells.

Ray Wighton, of Tasmania, shot 156 consecutive skeet targets at the 1969 Winchester Clay Target Tournament in Hobart, establishing a new Australian skeet record. He used Winchester AA target shells.

The choice is yours. The name is Winchester. See you at the Nationals, February 28th to March 5th.



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