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Some of the "greats" of shooting, taken at a farewell dinner to Keith Veall prior to his departure to compete on the shooting tracks of Mexico, on 26th January, 1966.

From left: Newton Thomas, Horrie James (Duxbac), Keith Veall, Charlie Macfarlane, Jack Sutherland (Calrossie), and Bill Downey.

JULY, 1966

### AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET SHOOTING NEWS

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### The Editor's Notebook



Reports have been lodged that a number of traps at several clubs are not throwing clay targets at correct Flights and Angles, also that Standard Equipment is not being maintained.

The attention of all concerned is drawn to the complete conduct of A.C.T.A. Rules and Championship Conditions and the requirement of Referees to carry out their duties.

Failure to observe these factors limits the allocation of Championships and renders a club liable to suspension. It is an Executive Committee ruling that clubs which do not cooperate with HANDICAPPING RETURNS will not be granted open Championships. No programme will be accepted unless it complies with A.C.T.A. formula.

A.C.T.A. Rules and Championship Conditions are available in brochure form at 50 cents per copy. Skeet Rules are available at 25 cents per copy.

A number of clubs ask the situation concerning New Zealand shooters. An agreement exists whereby:—

- (a) Registered A.C.T.A. shooters visiting New Zealand, shoot two (2) yards IN FRONT of their A.C.T.A. handicaps.
- (b) Registered N.Z.G.C.A. shooters visiting Australia, shoot two (2) yards BACK from their N.Z. handicaps.

As is well known, current Registration Cards are required to be produced to Club Secretaries at ALL shoots.

All programmes consisting of Championships and/or events in excess of \$100 are to be applied for on the prescribed form and A.C.T.A. approval received by the club concerned before advertisements are submitted. Advertisements are to show the nomination for each event, plus any special conditions. It is the duty of the Shoot Marshal (or Club Official concerned for that day) to announce PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT the terms of each and every event, and the terms of sweepstakes and/ or divisions.

A Draft "Standard Rules (or Constitution) for Clubs", as previously advised, is available at \$4.00.

### LILYDALE

### CLAY TARGET CLUB (V.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Location: Travel along MAROONDAH HIGHWAY to within one mile of Lilydale, turn left at sign-post on top of hill for 4 miles along VICTORIA ROAD, travelling north (keep on that road).

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

July 9th:

### **Club Tyro Championship**

20 Birds off 14 yards.

for Shooters who have never won a CHAMPIONSHIP at Clays and are handicapped at no more than 16 yards.

All Trophies kindly donated by MAX CHILTON, Esq.

20 BIRDS D.B. HANDICAP SWEEP

July 23rd:

### 20 BIRDS HANDICAP

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

10 PAIR AUTO AND SKEET (off Handicap Marks) SWEEP

August 6th:

6 PAIR DOUBLE-RISE SWEEP

### **Metropolitan Double-Rise Championship**

10 Pairs off 16 vards.

20 BIRDS POINTS DECISION SWEEP

August 20th:

### **Club Deauville Doubles**

20 Pairs off 18 yards.

(One shooter to be handicapped at no greater than 18 yards.)

### 20 BIRDS POINTS DECISION SWEEP

DON'T FORGET SHOW DAY, SEPTEMBER 22nd — SINGLE and DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIPS.

All Trophies for the day kindly donated by EVANS & BALFOUR PTY, LTD., 269 Little Collins Street, Melbourne. :: STARTS 1 P.M.

Afternoon Tea and Ammunition available on the Ground.

A. D. McCULLOCH, President. 857-7823 (After Hours).

W. R. JOHNS, Hon. Sec., 1 Soudan Street, Malvern. 50-6511 (All Hours).

### "Tips and Tails"



BIRCHIP (V.) will hold the Birchip Gun Club Championship on Saturday, July 30, at 20 birds, followed by \$100 handicap at 15 birds. As it is a Club Championship, all visiting shooters shall be honorary mem-bers for the day, and, as the club

have just installed another new snipe trap, shooters will have plenty of shooting with two traps in action. Shoot is advertised.

CHILDERS (Qld.), owing to the drought, has gone into temporary recess.

DUNDEE (N.S.W.) - Shooters in Inverell/Glen Innes areas will be interested to hear of a club forming in the area. (Acting Sec., Mr. H. J. Alt, P.O. Box 167, Glen Innes.)

WAGGA (N.S.W.) — President and Secretary respectively are now Richard Podmore, "Canton", Clifton mail, via Wagga Wagga, and D. Manton, 12 Broad Street, Wagga Wagga.

WYARAMA (N.S.W.) at its first meeting, 1-5-66, elected the following office-bearers: Les Dunn, President; Warren Maddocks and Richard Warren. Vice-Presidents; Mrs. Heather Walls, Asst. Secretary; Dick Warren, Treasurer; Patrons, Dick Warren, A. C. Hammat; Secretary, Miss Margret Warren, "Whurlie Station", via Wentworth.

HOPETOUN (V.) on May 12 electd President, E. A. Poulton; Senior Vice-President, L. E. Puckle; Junior Vice-Presidents, J. McGee and W. Hallam; Hon. Secretary-Treasurer, R. Hudson; Auditor, N. Haynes; Secretary, R. R. Hudson, and will shoot November 12th, Club (DAY) D.B. Championship, State (NIGHT) D.D. Championship, plus a \$100 Cash Handicap.

SWAN HILL (V.) - Office-bearers for 1966 are: President, Bod Dawson; Snr. Vice-President, Claude Maddy; Jnr. Vice-President, Pat O'Laughlin; Treasurer, Peter Campbell; Secre-tary, Ray Canny, P.O. Box 162.

GUNNEDAH (N.S.W.) advise that severe drought conditions in the area are holding up plans for their October shoot. WATCH AUGUST "NEWS".

KATANNING (W.A.) — Office-bearers for 1966 are: President, D. G. Anderson; Vice-President, E. M. Crossley; Captain, R. S. Anderson; Treasurer, T. S. Young; Committeemen, T. Catling, N. A. Beeck; Secretary, N. C. Rae, Box 276, Katanning, W.A.

ALBANY (W.A.) - Office-bearers for 1966 are: President, Jim Cameron; Vice-President, Jim Thompson; Captain, Mervyn Lubcke; Vice-Capt., Bill Chandler; Secretary - Treasurer, Jean M. Lubcke, Napier, via Albany. Club shoots every third Sunday.

RICHMOND (Qld.) - Office-bearers for 1966 are: President, B. Hatfield; Vice-President, D. Murray; Committee, K. Kelman, B. Kelman, P. Kennedy; Secretary, J. Hatfield, Hansworth, Richmond, Qld.

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Telephone 34-4695 Sanananananananananananana BUNDELLA (N.S.W.) — At its annual meeting Mr. M. Body resigned as President through illhealth. Elected for 1966 were M.

Wilkins, President, and Secretary (re-elected), W. H. Brown, c/- Public School. Bundella.

NEW SOUTH WALES (N.S.W.)-At their 86th Annual General Meeting on 6-5-66 Mr. Geo. West was re-elected President; Messrs. R. J. Pye and F. R. Hudson as Vice-Presidents; L. Talbot, Treasurer; J. Edgell, C. Plummer, P. Sims, L. Hughes, A. Little, W. Rutty, A. Robotham, Committeemen; Secretary, J. Evans, phone 450-1775.

DALBY (Qld.) are re-forming, and on May 20 elected President, W. E. Shand; Vice-President, John Taylor;

Treasurer, N. W. Shand; Captain and Armourer, R. Winton; Committee, W. Moore, N. McGilp, C. E. Flegler, H. C. Taylor, J. Ross, G. Rossner, J. Ferguson, F. Flegler, D. Alexander, D. Price; Secretary, Clinton Condon, Perrinuan, via Dalby.

PUCKAPUNYAL (V.) - Due to the retirement from the Army of J. Summers, at a general meeting Warrant Officer Kevin W. ("Junior") Ramsdale was elected President.

AUSTRALASIAN SHOWMANS-That happy group now touring North Queensland have as Patrons Lionel H. Bibby and Mick Smith. Officebearers for 1966 are: Don Davenport, President - Secretary; Bruce Brown, Treasurer; Bill Howard, Captain; Bill Dwyer, Chairman.

### CLONCURRY CLUB (Qld.)

AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET SHOOTING NEWS

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

DAY and NIGHT SHOOT - -

24th JULY, 1966

Commencing 10.00 a.m. Sharp. Event 1 -

### **Nth. Queensland Double Rise Championship**

10 Pairs from 16 yards. Opt. Sweepstakes each five pairs over-all. Trophies to first three sets of place-getters. Sweeps div. 60%, 30%, 10%.

Event 2-

### \$100 **CLONCURRY 100** \$100

30 BIRDS POINTS SCORING. 1st 60%, 2nd 30%, 3rd 10%.

Nom. \$9.00

NIGHT SHOOT STARTS 7 P.M. SHARP.

Event 1 -

### **North West Qld. Double Barrel Night Title**

20 Birds from 16 yards. Nom. \$3.00 Opt. Sweeps each from 16 yards. 10 Birds over-all. 1.00 Div. 60%, 30%, 10%.

Cartridges and Refreshments available on Grounds.

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SATURDAY, 9th JULY. Promptly at 1.30 p.m.

8 PAIRS DEAUVILLE DOUBLES EYE-OPENER. Compulsory Division.

### **Burwood Deauville Doubles Championship**

20 Pairs from 20 yards.

1st -- SASHES and TRAVELLING BAGS.

Second and Lady's Trophies.

10 BIRDS HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE 25 BIRDS SKEET HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE 12 BIRDS SKEET HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE

SATURDAY, 23rd JULY. Promptly at 1.30 p.m.

10 BIRDS POINTS SWEEPSTAKE. Compulsory Division.

### **Burwood Double-barrel Championship**

20 Birds from 16 yards.

1st -- SASH and TWO TRAVELLING RUGS. :: 2nd and 3rd Trophies; 12-14 yds., 15-16 yds. and Lady's Trophies.

10 BIRDS HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE

25 BIRDS SKEET HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE

12 BIRDS SKEET HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE

SATURDAY, 6th AUGUST:

### Club Walk-up Championship

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JOHN Lucas, Secretary. 1 Spring Street, FERN TREE GULLY.

### **CLUB ADVERTISING SUMMARY**

AUSTRALIAN (V.) shoots promptly at 1.30 p.m. On Saturday, July 9, will be the Burwood D.D. Championship; Saturday, July 23, the Burwood D.B. Championship, and Saturday, August 6, the Club W.U. Championship. Skeet is available as advertised.

BLACKALL (Qld.) — "COME TO THE OUTER BARCOO SAT.-SUN., NOVEMBER 10-11," for the Commonwealth D.B., Central Queensland D.B. and D.R., a \$400 Handicap, plus a Calcutta.

BERRIDALE (N.S.W.) — On Sunday, August 14, will be a migration at 10.00 a.m. to the Central and Southern Gun Club Council D.B., plus the Monaro District D.D. Championship.

BIRCHIP (V.) — Saturday, July 30, commencing 1.00 p.m., will be, for shooters in N.W. Victoria, the Club D.B. Championship, plus a \$100 Handicap. By special request, shot in conjunction with the Championship, team of 5 shooters, will be the J. A. Piccoli Memorial Shield. This shield is given by the Secretary of Boort Gun Club in memory of his father. Shooters are requested to have their teams organised on arrival at the shoot. In 1965 Birchip Gun Club won this shield at Boort. Friendly rivalry but extreme co-operation exist between these two happy groups.

BRISBANE (Qld.) list their THREE-DAY SHOW WEEK SHOOT, scheduled for August 17-20-21, on their new grounds. Commencing 9.00 a.m., Wednesday, 17th, will be the Queensland Intermediate D.B. and Vice-President's Trophy Events. At 7.00 p.m. will be the Brisbane D.B. Night Championship. From 9.00 a.m. Saturday, 20th, shooters will contest the Commonwealth W.U. Sparrows Championship, a \$400 Handicap, and I.C.I. Trophy events. Again from 9.00 a.m., Sunday, 21st, will be for the Brisbane Exhibition Championship, then a \$600 Handicap, with a Calcutta, followed by a D.R. event by a D.R. event.

CLONCURRY (Qld.) are conducting a DAY and NIGHT shoot, commencing 10.00 a.m., on Sunday, July 24. The three main events are North Queensland D.R., followed by the CLONCURRY 100 (a 30-bird Points Scoring event for \$100). The Night Shoot, at 7.00 p.m. sharp, with the N.W. Queensland D.B. Night Championship.

COBAR (Central West N.S.W.) will conduct their CLUB ANNUAL SHOOT over Friday-Saturday-Sunday, August 12-13-14, with their usual full programme.

On Friday night, commencing 6.45 p.m., will be the N.S.W. STATE S.B. Night Championship. On Saturday, commencing 9.30 a.m., will be the N.S.W. State Team Elimination and the Far Western District N.S.W. S.B. Championship, followed by a \$100 Handicap, thence a Buffet Tea at the School of Arts at 7.30 p.m. On Sunday, August 14, will be the N.S.W. STATE TEAMS SHOOT, followed by a \$400 Handicap, the Far Western District N.S.W. D.B. Championship and a 20-bird Points Score event for \$100. Shoot Marshal will be Geo. Henkel.

COFF'S HARBOUR (North Coast N.S.W.) and DORRIGO GUN CLUBS will conduct a joint effort TWO-DAY shoot on the Coff's Harbour grounds over Saturday-Sunday, August 6-7. Events on the Saturday will include the Northern Rivers District (N.S.W.) D.B. and S.B. Championships, followed on the Sunday by the Northern Tablelands District (N.S.W.) D.B. and S.B. Championships.

COWRA (N.S.W.) - SHOOTERS/VISITORS FLYING NEED ONLY TO "BUZZ" THE CLUB for transport from the terminal - club is on the aerodrome. A two-day shoot over Saturday-Sunday, August 6-7, includes the Central Tablelands (N.S.W.) D.B. Championship. A \$100 Remington Trophy Event, Lachlan Valley D.B. Championship, Ampol Shield, and a \$350 Remington Trophy event.

CROYDON (V.) on Saturday, July 2, will conduct the "Tru-Flite" 20-bird D.B. Handicap; on July 16 the Club D.D. Championship, and on July 30 the Yarra Valley District D.B. Sparrows Championship.

FINLEY (South Central N.S.W.) on Sunday, July 10, will conduct the Southern Riverina D.B. Championship, followed by a Handicap Event with valuable trophies.

KEILOR (V.) on Friday NIGHT, July 8, will conduct the Keilor Plains D.B. Night Championship, thence on Saturday, July 23, will be a D.B. Handicap event, with trophies donated by Evans & Balfour of Melbourne.

LILYDALE (V.) on July 9 will conduct a Club Tyro event; July 23, Handicap events and Skeet; August 6, the Metropolitan D.R. Championship; August 20, the Club D.D., and on September 22, Melbourne Show Day events.

METROPOLITAN (V.) announce July 16 for the second elimination of their Club South Australian Team and the Club's D.B. Sparrows Championship. On July 30 will be the final elimination of their S.A. Team and the Whittlesea and District D.R. Championship. Skeet is available from 12 noon each shoot day.

MOUNT GAMBIER (S.A.) give preliminary notice of their CAR SHOOT to be over January 28-29-30, 1967.

NEW SOUTH WALES (N.S.W.) list their Saturday, July 9, Sydney District D.D., and other shoots Wednesday NIGHT, July 20, thence Saturday (DAY), July 23, and August 13.

NEWCASTLE (N.S.W.) give early advice of their MONSTER SHOOT scheduled for September 3, which will include the N.S.W. State Night D.B. Championship.

NORTHAM (W.A.), over Saturday - Sunday, September 3-4, will conduct the W.A. State Elimination and Interstate Teams' Match, the W.A. State Intermediate S.B. and D.R. Championships, thence a District D.B. Championship. Shooters visiting Northam in 1966 will notice considerable changes to the shooting grounds at Island Farm. Over the past few months "working bees" of shooters have been constructing a new club pavilion to be ready for these September Championships, when a third trap and track will be completed.

PUCKAPUNYAL (V.) list their events for Sunday, July 31, including the District S.B. Championship.

ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.) are discontinuing Saturday Shoots to prevent clashing with other local clubs. Their facilities, including availability of meals, children's playgrounds and aircraft activity, provide a popular rendezyous for shooters and their families on Sundays. Practice shoots are on Wednesdays from 3.00 p.m. Sunday shooting every second Sunday, commencing July 3. The Bankstown D.B. Championship and a \$100 Handicap will be held on Sunday, July 17, commencing 11.00 a.m.

SEBASTOPOL (V.), at Ballarat (V.), will conduct a CARAVAN SHOOT on October 8.

VICTORIAN (V.) list their District D.B., D.D. Handicaps and W.U. events over the respective Wednesday nights of July and August 3, with a combined DAY-NIGHT shoot on Saturday, July 16, when a \$300 D.B. Handicap (Day) and the STATE NIGHT SPARROWS CHAMPIONSHIP will be held.

WERRIBEE (V.) list their District D.B. and S.B., plus the Club D.B. Intermediate Championships, for Saturday, July 9, and give preliminary notice of their \$600 GRAND PRIX scheduled for Saturday, August 13.

WYARAMA (South Western N.S.W.) on Sunday, August 7, will conduct the Lower West Darling S.B. and D.B. Championships, plus I.C.I. Trophy Shoot, with the Wyarama Shield (teams of 5 shooters) shot in conjunction.

JULY, 1966

### WERRIBEE

GUN CLUB (V)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Shooting Grounds: Ballan Road, Werribee.

### —— Saturday, 9th July —

STARTING TIME: 1 P.M. Sharp.

### Werribee Plains D.B. Championship

20 Birds from 16 yds. :: Nom. \$2.50.

Sash and Trophies, 1st; 2nd, 3rd and F.M.
First Trophy donated by A. GODING, Bridge Hotel, Werribee — value \$48.

### **Club D.B. Intermediate Championship**

(To be run in conjunction with the above event)
Sash and Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

### Werribee Plains S.B. Championship

20 Birds from 16 yds. :: Nom. \$2.50.

Sash and Trophies, 1st; 2nd, 3rd and F.M. First Trophy donated by A. COLEMAN — value \$48.

OPTIONAL SWEEPSTAKES.

EYE-OPENER — 10 Birds Points from 16 yds. C.D. Nom. \$1.50.

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### WERRIBEE GRAND PRIX - Trophy value \$600

Details next month — Keep this date clear . . .

SATURDAY, 13th AUGUST.

Refreshments, Afternoon Tea and Cartridges available on the Ground.

T. POWELL, President, 10 Tarneit Rd., Werribee. K. P. SHANAHAN, Secretary, 4 Jellicoe St., Werribee. Phone Werr. 346.

### Letters to the Editor . . .

"Budgewah Station", Hay, N.S.W., 27th May, 1966.

The Edi

The Editor "News", Melbourne, Vic.

Sir,

I would appreciate it if you would publish this expression of opinion concerning the opening of a "Testimonial Fund" for W. McCullough, former Editor and Secretary-Treasurer of the A.C.T.A.

As President of the A.C.T.A. before it came to financial maturity, I had an opportunity to know that Bill McCullough not only loved the sport of clay target shooting, but devoted many years of his life to practically carrying it single-handed for a nominal remuneration, his real reward being to see it grow and prosper.

During my term in office I clashed with Secretary McCullough as often or more so than most, but must admit that generally it was because he thought he knew a better way to further the interests of the A.C.T.A.

As a token of appreciation of the early years of struggle to found what was to become the A.C.T.A., and admiration of the fact that Bill, in spite of the disappointments, frustration and—yes—"kicks" that went with the job then, never lost the "vision splendid".

I would therefore be happy to start the testimonial with my cheque for \$20.00.

Yours, etc.,

JOHN HOUSTON.

(A Testimonial Fund Account has been opened accordingly and will close September 30, 1966. Cheques made payable to A.C.T.A. will be acknowledged and details published November "News".—Editor.)

30th May, 1966.

5 Thomas Street, Coogee, N.S.W.,

The Editor, Shooters' "News", Melbourne, Vic.

Dear Mervyn,

On an unexpected visit to Brisbane I had the pleasure of going to the Tingalpa shoot on Sunday, May 28, to the club where I was a former President and renewing many happy thoughts and old friendships.

There were two outstanding factors of the visit which will stay in my memory for a long time, the first being veteran Alf Thurlow's 82nd birthday, the Club President Bill Edwards presenting him with an appropriate birthday cake, with the good wishes of the members. Unknown to me, it was also the last shoot on this pleasant and picturesque ground at Tingalpa, and I had the pleasure and honour of firing the last shot in the dusk after a very pleasant day.

Arthur Griffiths shot extremely well all day, and South Coast retained the Martin Wardrop Shield.

I would congratulate the President and Committee on their choice of their new ground at Belmont; this is one of the most ambitious projects in Australia for any Gun Club, and it will rate with South Australia, Bankstown and the Gold Coast as being one of the best appointed Clubs in Australia.

On behalf of the Executive, I wish them very well with their official opening in June, and their big Brisbane Exhibition Shoot in August.

Yours sincerely,

J. M. TYQUIN.

### Ten Years Ago ———

KATANNING (W.A.) — The first stage of Club Championship was shot in fine weather, although a little cold in the evenings. Lewis Beeck had a good win in the main event with some confident shooting. High gun was Tim Catling, who didn't drop a bird in the afternoon.

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN (S.A.) -Conditions cold and windy. Club Night D.B. Championship. Trophy and badge, J. G. Commons, 50/50, in a shoot-off with R. Mules, 49/50. Best 16 yarder, Roy Bishop, 24/25.

CAMBERWELL (V.) — K. Venables won the I.C.I. Single-barrel Trophy event.

TUMUT (N.S.W.) — In connection with Tumut's Annual Festival of the Falling Leaf, the Tumut Gun Club held an open shoot, attracting visitors from Adelong, Mangoplah, Wagga, The Rock, Walwa, Holbrook and local clubs. Weather conditions perfect and some high scores were seen. J. Ferris (Walwa) shot 82 straight, W. Birkin (Wagga) 61 straight. In the main

trophy event nine scored the possible. Final results: 1st, J. Ferris, 35/35; 2nd, W. Ballard (Tumut), 34/35; 3rd, W. Birkin (Wagga), 33/35. Special Front Marker, C. Angel (The Rock),

HUGHENDEN (Qld.) — A very good day's shooting. The Deauville Doubles Trophy shoot proved the most exciting, with a shoot-off between Mrs. E. Geary and Pat Delahunty on the one hand and Dave Crawford and Bill Wearing on the other. Scores were even at 20 yards, 22 yards and 25 yards, but the winners scored one extra at 27 yards. The 10 pairs Double Rise Handicap tested the shooters and again Bill Doherty narrowly won from D. Crawford Jnr. and Pat Delahunty.

### SEBASTOPOL GUN CLUB BALLARAT (V.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Preliminary Announcement!

• • • CARAVAN SHOOT • • • SATURDAY, 8th OCTOBER, 1966

> WATCH SHOOTERS' "NEWS" FOR FURTHER NOTICE.

Secretary - H. J. GARRETT, 912 Armstrong Street, BALLARAT, VIC. Phone 24081

JULY, 1966

### SHOOTING WITH ONE EYE

The question: What is the left mastereyed shooter to do who mounts his gun on his right shoulder and is right-handed, in order to overcome his handicap and break targets consistently?

### Various Personal Decisions and Beliefs from actual shooters are:

1. I feel qualified to share my ideas on this particular question, since I am a shooter who is right-handed, I mount my gun on my right shoulder and my master eye is my left eye.

First, I believe you must keep your left eye closed (no peeking!) You should have a back and a front sight on your gun and align the two sights on your gun and angn the two sights up so that you see only one. You have to hold a low gun because a high gun will hide the target when it first comes out, and you will not catch it until it is too late. Be sure to keep your head down on the stock. If you raise your head you will shoot over the target.

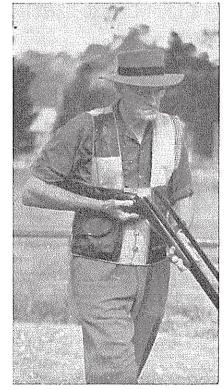
I believe you should hold the gun just below the top of the traphouse. Position No. 1, hold on the left corner; position No. 2, midway from the left corner to the centre of the traphouse; position No. 3, centre of the house; position No. 4, midway from centre to right corner, and position No. 5, on the right corner of the traphouse.

When you call for your target, you should come up under it and just as your sights touch the bottom of the target, pull the trigger. If you wait any longer, you will shoot over or past the target. Don't try to ride the target; shoot it as fast as you can and still be accurate. I don't know any shooter who can consistently break good scores if he lets the target get over the peak of flight.

When I first took up trapshooting five years ago a right-handed shooter with a master left eve has only one choice if he wants to conquer the clay target, and that was to close that left eye and keep it closed. I tried with both eyes open, but I found out my instructor knew what he was talking about. I haven't opened that left eye since.

2. The best thing to do is have your master eye blocked out or learn to shoot from your left shoulder.

- 3. I'd change to shooting lefthanded immediately.
- 4. If a person is fairly ambidextrous, I recommend learning to shoot left-handed. If this is impossible, the left eve has to be closed.
- 5. There are a number of instances of shooters in a number of countries throughout the world who had to switch over to shoot from the left shoulder.
- 6. The most outstanding example in Australia is that of shooter R. E. Scherger of Werrimul (Vic.), runnerup in the New Year Handicap at Croydon G.C. (Vic.) in 1964, shown carrying his Browning gun fitted with a device he built to permit his shooting from the right shoulder, using the left eye. He lost the sight of his sight of his right eye several years ago and devised the "Outrigger" sighting plane instead of trying to revert to the conventional cross-eyed stock.



JULY, 1966

### METROPOLITAN CLAY TARGET CLUB (VICTORIA)

Formerly COBURG GUN CLUB

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

### SATURDAY, JULY 2

FIRST ELIMINATION FOR SOUTH AUST. TEAM CLUB DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

SATURDAY, JULY 16 5 BIRDS PRACTICE till 2 p.m.

### Second Elimination S.A. Team

20 Birds from 18 yards.

Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 12-15 yds. :: ENTRY \$2.50.

### Club Double-barrel Sparrow Championship

Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 12-15 yds. Sash to winner.

Optional Sweep. :: ENTRY \$2.50.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

### SATURDAY, JULY 30 Final Elimination S.A. Team

5 BIRDS PRACTICE till 2 p.m.
20 Birds from 18 yards.
Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 12-15 yds. :: ENTRY \$2.50.

### **Whittlesea and District Double-Rise Championship**

Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 12-15 yds. Sash to winner.
Optional Sweep. :: ENTRY \$2.50.
OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

### SKEET 12 O'CLOCK EACH SHOOT

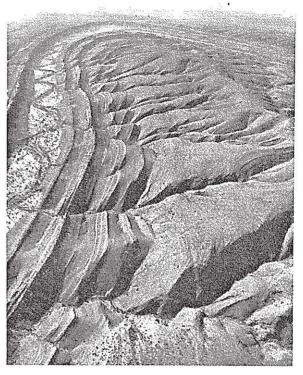
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H. BELMORE, President.

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

### SAFETY RULES

for People Going Bush



In this country of extreme, dehydrating heat, a person should not go into the bush, or anywhere off the beaten track, unless he has first ascertained all available information about the area he intends to visit, and has properly equipped himself with water, food and reliable transport.

At the request of many shooters and with ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS TO THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE (N.T.) and THE NORTHERN TERRITORY TOURIST BUREAU, the following hints will be published progressively in A.C.T.A. "Shooting News" over July to October, 1966.

These SAFETY RULES and hints are intended to assist inexperienced people "going bush" in the Northern Territory and elsewhere throughout the States of Australia—and remember — "you are in the bush very, very soon after leaving any highway or major road".

July "News" describes —
PLAN PROPERLY
OBSERVE AND REMEMBER

August "News" will describe —
RECOGNIZED DISTRESS SIGNALS
DO NOT PANIC

September "News" will describe— STAY WITH YOUR VEHICLE EMERGENCY BUSH FOODS.

(Issued by Authority of the Commissioner of Police in association with the Northern Territory Tourist Bureau)

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### PLAN PROPERLY

Plan your journey thoroughly beforehand.

No doubt you will have a limited time at your disposal, and will have to complete your outward journey, such explorations or other activities as you propose at your destination, and the return journey, within a set

number of hours or days.

Check available maps and all information that can be acquired from people who know the area in which you intend to travel — beware of theorists and guessers. Then work out your time schedule according to the quality and reliability of your vehicle and the nature of the country (particularly the roads) to be traversed.

Allow for forseeable and certain unforseeable delays and set a safety margin covering your estimated time of return to base.

Inform your neighbour, or some other reliable person, of your plans and your estimated latest time of safe return to base. (If you are eventually returning safely, but behind schedule, try to arrange to get word to him from somewhere en route, so as to prevent him raising premature and false alarms.)

Do not be shy about calling at refreshment and other places en route, or of discussing your plans with other people. If you do not arrive back at base on or reasonably near schedule, your neighbour or friend will need to make some enquiries before reporting you as a possible lost person. Contact with people who may have seen you or your vehicle en route can be most useful in helping him decide when or if to report you missing.

Whatever else you leave behind at home, take matches—preferably the waterproof type—not only for the camp fire, but also in case you might have to light a signal. You may be confident about not getting lost, but you cannot foresee or forstall the possibility of serious vehicle breakdown, personal injury, or other forms of misadventure in which you may require outside help.

Take an axe and a shovel. They are easy to carry, take up no room, and are prime necessities in case of bog in either sand or mud, and can be put to other ordinary and emergency uses as well.

Take along some wire and some strong cord. Again, no room or weight is involved, but these small items can be useful in a great many ways, from securing loose vehicle parts to catching or snaring fish or game.

Take a rifle and/or speargun if hunting is your aim. (A rifle can also be used for signalling, in case of emergency.)

Take a shady hat. Even if you do not want to wear it while travelling, it is easy to carry and is essential if you plan or are forced to do any walking or other activity in the sun. (Moving gracefully from cool, shady building to cool, shady building in town may delude people into forgetting the real intensity of the Territory's sun and heat. Be careful not to be thus deluded.)

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Most important of all, take sufficient food and water for all of your party for all of your projected period of absence, plus a reserve supply in case of serious breakdown, unexpectedly slow and heavy going, or other mishap. The same principle applies to fuel and oil for your vehicle. The reserve supply of food could be calculated so as to cover (1) at least one full day extra or (2) sufficient time for a search party to be organised and to reach you.

The latter idea would be by far the safest. It is easy to carry back your unused supplies. It can be fatal to go without them.

Apart from any bulky food and water containers, smaller light containers (plastic, aluminium, etc.) should be taken along where any walking is to be done—or in case walking must be done.

### OBSERVE - AND REMEMBER

Once loaded up and on the way, you should take notice of the country you pass through. The whole party should do so, not only the driver. Very few people have a natural sense of direction or location. The only way most people can find their way around is by careful observation and the orderly memorising of what they observe.

(This should be done even on a bitumen highway, as you can often meet with serious trouble even there, and it is well to know exactly where you are in relation to possible sources

of help, communications, water, food,

You may (and should) be able to go anywhere in your own city, town or station without getting lost. It is all there in front of you every day of the week. If you carefully observe and memorise its various landmarks and physical peculiarities, you get to "know" it, and can go anywhere in it with confidence. If you do not make a practice of such observation and memorising, you will spend most of your life waiting for and depending on help from other people. In the bush there are not many peopleand those that are there, are far apart.

As you get away from familiar areas, pay greater attention to your observations, particularly when approaching your planned destination, and most particularly if you are moving into sparsely inhabited areas with little-used roads and tracks. In emergency, such observations could lead you safely back to an occupied homestead or camp, or to water—or save you from a possibly fatal tramp back to waterholes that are dry.

Upon arrival at your destination, look around carefully and get the lay of the land, because it is easy to get "slewed" in a strange area — even in a built-up township. (This is clearly exemplified in Darwin, where so many unobservant travellers drive up the main street believing they are still travelling north. They may have been travelling north for a couple of thousand miles — but in the last few miles they turn almost full circle, and finish up travelling approximately south-east.)

Study the landscape all around your stopping place, fixing in mind your compass directions, and memorise the position and appearance of all landmarks.

The sun and the time (before noon or after noon) are guides for fixing compass directions. Whether northward or southward of you, according to locality and season, the sun still moves from east to west during daylight hours. On a dull or overcast day a thin, long and fairly broad stick, knife or similarly shaped object will assist in fixing the sun's position. Place the object upright on a patch of clear, level ground. Twist it and watch the shadow move. The shadow

will disappear and appear again. When the shadow is thinnest, the blade or edge of the object will be pointing in the direction of the sun. No matter how poor the visibility, if you know the position of the sun, and know whether the time is before or after noon, you can then locate the north. Early morning or late afternoon is the safest time for using this method. (By night the moon will indicate east and west for you, and the Southern Cross, by the imaginary extension of its long axis 4½ times, will give you south.)

Remember your situation in relation to well-known and well-fixed features and the direction in which they run (e.g., Stuart Highway. You may not be far from the Highway and may have to walk to it to seek urgently needed help. If you cannot remember whether you are east or west of it, this walk could easily be

your last.) Upon reaching your destination you may decide on exploratory, hunting or sightseeing expeditions. You have carefully fixed your directions and landmarks in your mind. It would be foolish, now, just to wander off at random, idly dithering here and there as something catches the eye. Wherever you intend to go, work out your route, out and back, beforehand. Do not head for an imaginary spot in the middle of nowhere - pick out clearly visible and recognisable landmarks along your proposed route and move straight from one to the other. in turn, until you reach the furthest point desired.

At all times try to walk in a straight line between two given points. There is a natural tendency in human beings to favour one side or the other when walking. This causes the person unconsciously to veer to the left or right, as the case may be, and, apart from any other factors, is sufficient to take you dangerously off course and set you on the way to walking around in futile circles. It is thus most important to aim straight from one point to the next prominent point, and from that to the next, and so on. Take note of less prominent features in between. as well, as you move onward.

Check the sun's position as you start off, and keep a check on it and on the time as you go along. If you

start with the sun on your right and suddenly find it on your left or elsewhere, it will pay you to pause and consider the situation. Pick out your original landmark, set your eye and your mind on it and start off again.

As you move forward, the various features have a certain appearance. Coming from the opposite direction, Coming from the opposite direction, they can, and often do, look quite different. So make a practice, on the outward journey, to turn round from time to time and study the view from the opposite direction, because that is the view you will see, and be guided by, on the way back.

Do not just look at features with the eye of an artist looking for beauty or a photographer looking for good landscape shots. Study them and absorb the pictures in your mind.

and absorb the pictures in your mind. They are, essentially, stepping stones for you — the basis and the only real safeguard of your ability to move safely from place to place and back

Never leave a camp, or the party with which you are travelling, without stating your intentions regarding your proposed movements, giving directions and times as accurately as possible, to your companions.

Never move anywhere, on foot or otherwise, without sufficient water

and food to cover your projected time of absence, with something to spare - water, especially, because of the dehydrating effect of all physical effort in the heat.

If you do wander away from camp or from your walking party and cannot find your way back, pause and think calmly and logically over your recent movements and memorised landmarks. Do not panic. You are not lost until you really have no idea which direction you should follow.

The calm and deliberate recalling

to mind of your recent movements and observations should give you a good idea on how to find your way back to camp or party, as the case may be. Unless you have been quite thoughtless, and lost in Walter Mitty daydreams, they should not be far away. A loud shout or two, or a rifle shot, should bring a response from your companions and assist you in heading towards them. Walk steadily in that direction.

If you are genuinely bushed, and have no idea whatsoever which way you should go, it will be wise to give the alarm before your companions get too far away — particularly if they are moving out to a new camp, and not likely to be returning.

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Mr. HARRY G. BURROWS

A recent happening, unnoticed by many of the earlier brigade of clay many of the earlier brigade of clay target shooters, occurred when a former Nobel Club President, in Harry G. Burrows, passed on to the track where the call of "Pull" would doubtless not be recognised.

The late Harry Burrows was a straight shooter in every sense of the word. His long association with the sport of clay target shooting, plus his extensive experience as an official A.C.T.A. Referee, made him a figure well remembered over the past three decades of the sport's existence in Australia.

In the earlier days of the sport and the establishment of the A.C.T.A. Harry Burrows was looked upon as one of the stalwarts. His great one of the stalwarts. His great organisational activities are particularly recalled during the periods when controversial discussions between the live-bird and clay target factions were locked in agitated debate regarding the rights and wrongs of both sections. A conference, held in the long ago, at the Melbourne Commercial Travellers' Association Club, brings to memory the sterling Club, brings to memory the sterling efforts put into the discussions by the late sportsman. At this particular conference a prominent official of the opposing group decreed that any shooter who took part in clay target shooting after the first of January in the following year would be auto-matically disqualified if he was not a member of a live-bird Association.

Harry Burrows was one of the first on his feet with the somewhat acidlike rejoinder that he had not shot at live targets and did not think he ever would and he demanded that the decree mentioned be withdrawn forthwith. Burrows was supported by the late Bert Anquetil, another of early supporters of what was then a new sport. The decree mentioned was withdrawn. Burrows had almost a life-long dedication to the sport. He was the last President of the Nobel Club - the mother club of all clay target shooting clubs in Australia prior to that club's removal from its original site at West Footscray.

A member of the first A.I.F., he saw much service abroad in World War I, and during the 1939-1945 War I, and during the 1939-1945 blow-up he was an active member of the V.D.C. Although well past the youthful stage at this time, he was known to have served on guard duty during winter months at Point Long the Alexander of Point Phillip dale, at the entrance to Port Phillip

When he found targets too hard to pick up with his own gun he offered himself as a regular referee and served in this capacity in the later years of his life — chiefly at the Australian Club grounds at East Burwood.

The sport of clay target shooting will be the loser by his passing.

(W. McCullough)

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### ROYAL AERO CLUB INAUGURATES... SUNDAY SHOOTING

JULY 3rd - 17th - 31st AUGUST 14th - 28th

AND EVERY SECOND SUNDAY

COMMENCING 1.30 P.M. EXCEPT JULY 17th - 11 A.M.

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20 Birds from 16 yards.

1st — I.C.I. TROPHY. :: 2nd, 3rd and 12-14 yard Trophies.

Nomination \$3, and \$1 Optional Sweep.

### 20-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP

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### Coffs Harbour and Dorrigo GUN CLUBS N.S.W. (Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

### ..JOINT TWO-DAY SHOOT ..

6th and 7th AUGUST, 1966

SATURDAY, 6th AUGUST, COFFS HARBOUR COMMENCING 9.30 A.M.

### 20-bird S.B. North'n River Championship 20-bird D.B. North'n River Championship

20-BIRD POINTS TROPHY SHOOT
20-BIRD D.B. CASH HANDICAP. Comp. Div.

HIGH-GUN TROPHY on Programme.

Morning Tea provided. Shooters, bring own Picnic Lunch. Hot water available at conclusion of shoot.

Shooters and families will be guests of the Club at a Barbecue.

J. RALEIGH, President.

G. D. T. SECCOMBE, Secretary. Phone 122.

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**SUNDAY, 7th AUGUST, DORRIGO** – 9.30 a.m. 5-BIRD DOUBLE BARREL, 16 yds. Comp. Div.

### 20-bird D.B. North'n Tablelands Champ'ship 20-bird S.B. North'n Tablelands Champ'ship

20-BIRD D.B. POINTS TROPHY
20-BIRD D.B. CASH HANDICAP. Comp. Div.

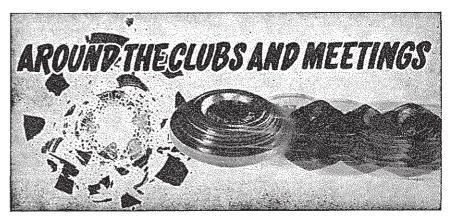
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SPECIAL HIGH-GUN TROPHY over the two days' Shoot.

Luncheon provided.

A. HOSKINS, President.

W. DARLEY, Secretary. Phone 51, Dorrigo 74.



ALEXANDRA (S.A.), 1/5/66. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: good. Results: No. 1, 15 birds: T. Roberts, D. Cameron, R. Mules, R. Kimber, D. Brown, K. Marks, H. Baynes, D. Fleetwood, div. No. 2, 30-bird State D.B. C'ship: H. Baynes, D. Kimber, D. Pringle, div. No. 3, 20-bird Clarkson Trophy H'cap: T. V. Roberts, K. Marks, P. Mules, div.

Following the State shoot, a good afternoon was had by a large gathering of shooters. H. Baynes won the State D.B. C'ship with a score of 120/120 from D. Kimber. The Clarkson Ltd. Handicap Trophy was won by the President of the local club, Terry Roberts, from K. Marks.

Congratulations to all prize winners and our thanks to all those who attended.

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

ALICE SPRINGS (N.T.), 15/5/66.—Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 6. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: J. Jackson, B. Sutton, J. Taylor, G. Favaro, 5/5, dlv.; D. Gerussi, 4/5: G. Dussin, 3/5. No. 2, 20-bird S.B.: B. Sutton, J. Taylor, 15/20, div.; D. Gerussi, 14/20; G. Favaro, 12/20; G. Dussin, 10/20; J. Jackson, 7/20. No. 3, 10-bird Pts.: B. Sutton, J. Taylor, 30/30, div.; G. Gerussi, 29/30; J. Jackson, 24/30; G. Favaro, 23/30; G. Dussin, 17/30. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Sparrows: B. Sutton, J. Taylor, 9/10; G. Favaro, 8/10; J. Jackson, 7/10; D. Gerussi, G. Dussin, 6/10.

An excellent day, during which we saw some quite good shooting, although it was the smallest attendance for some time.

(J. Taylor, Acting Sec.)

ALBANY (W.A.), 15/5/66.—Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 11. Results: 30-bird S.B. (3 visits to track): J. Cameron only one score, 10/10, in first visit; T. Anderson, R. McCarthy, C. O'Donnell, 9/10. C. O'Donnell only possible, second visit, 10/10; P. Russell, D. Webb, J. Downer, 9/10. D. Webb only possible, third visit, 10/10; T. Anderson, J. Downer, C. O'Donnell, 9/10. C. O'Donnell, 1st, 28/30; D. Webb, 2nd, 27/30; J. Downer, T. Anderson, 3rd, 26/30.

Perfect weather conditions were experienced on Sunday for our shoot of 30 birds single barrel. The ducking and diving of clays, usually noticed on this ground, was absent, so returning the best score card at 28 birds. Only three possibles were achieved, however, being Jim Cameron, Charles O'Donnell and David Webb, each with 10/10. Quite a few but after post-mortems everyone knew why shooters returned off the track with 9/10, the vital bird wasn't shot.

The trophy shot for on the 15th was donated by Mr. and Mrs. Leo Blair, this being a lovely table lamp, which these people had made themselves. Thank you.

Winning place was once again taken by our new member, Charles O'Donnell, scoring 28/30, 24 of these kills being shot consecutively. David Webb was second with 27/30, and John Downer and Tom Anderson, 26/30, taking third place. These placings will once again alter the club handicaps. As well as a keen competition for first placings, I believe it has been suggested that there should be a trophy for last placings, as the score board is just as closely watched.

All competitive shooting was completed before the ladies served the welcome afternoon tea. It was then decided that the shoots will in future start at 2 p.m., as things have been finishing early. This later start will also help the shooters and their wiives who have to travel any distance.

(Mrs. Jean M. Lubcke, Sec.)

ARAMAC (Qld.), 17/5/66.—Weather conditions: ideal. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: J. Dickson, O. G. Hill, I. Brown, C. McClymont, W. J. Bailey, 5/5, div. No. 2, 15-bird S.B.: I. Brown, 1st; W. J. Bailey, 2nd. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. Kills: O. G. Hill, 1st; E. Ellem, 2nd; J. Rodgers, 3rd. No. 4, 30-bird D.B. Kills: J. A. Rogers, 1st; W. J. Ferguson, 2nd.
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Pleasant weather made conditions ideal. Feature of the day was the shooting of O. G. Hill, who shot 120 straight.

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

AZZURRI (Perth, W.A.), Sunday, 20/3/66.—25 birds D.B. Down-the-line. Attendance: 13 shooters. Results: N. Scaffidi, shooting in great form, took top honours with 25/25, earning himself a 25 break—good shooting and congratulations from myself and all members of the club go to Nuncio. He had been after that for some time. Second place, T. Yozzi, 24/25; equal 3rd, A. Tatasciori, A. Di Lanzo, 23/25.

Sunday, 3/4/66.—Weather: fine. 13 shooters attended. Programme for the day was 10-bird

D.B. D.T.L., 10-bird S.B., 10 prs. D.R. Results: 1st, T. Yozzi after shoot-off with J. Yozzi, 28 and 27 pts.; equal 3rd, R. Mordini and T. Di Lanzo both scored 25 pts. each.

Sunday, 17/4/66. — 5-bird Walk-up, 30-bird D.B. D.T.L. — Club D.B. C'ship. Weather; mild and sunny. 15 shooters present—visitors 2: T. Colandro from N.S.W. and J. Philiphoff from Perth G.C. Welcome visitors. Results: J. Yozzi took top honours for the day with 40/40 after shoot-off with myself, 39/40, to win the first ever club sash and trophy; 3rd, T. Colandro, 33/55; equal 4th, L. Totino, J. Philiphoff, 31/35.

A very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by everyone. President A. Delcaro made a very nice speech—thanked all shooters and visitors, then made the presentation.

Sunday, 1/5/66.—10-bird D.B. D.T.L., 10 prs. D. Rise Pts. 14 shooters attended. Results: Weather was fine for best part of the day, but deteriorated, with heavy rain falling in late afternoon (lot more to be expected in the coming months). Ist. R. Mordini, 35/26. after shoot-off with A. Di Lanzo, 34/36, in 2nd place; equal 3rd, J. Yozzi and D. Sidari, 24/30.

After the shoot most members enjoyed refreshments at the West Australian Italian Club

(A. Yozzi, Sec.)

BERRIDALE (N.S.W.), 8/3/66. — Weather conditions: fine and warm. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 1st, div. B. Scanes, O. Feilen, L. Bird, L. Venables, G. Chalker, A. Bookallil, R. Sands, D. Twigg, R. Hedger, G. Tilyard, C. Spence, W. Mackay, J. Griffin, W. Ryall, J. Whittaker, T. Hayden, 5/5. No. 2, Southern N.S.W. Dists. D.B. C'ship (20 birds from 16 yds.): 1st, O. Feilen, 115/115; 2nd, W. Mackay, 114/115; 3rd, R. Sands, 85/86; F/M., M. Blackstock, 32/32. No. 3, Monaro Dist. D. Rise C'ship (10 pairs from 16 yds.): 1st, R. Sands, 26/26; 2nd, L. Bird, 24/26; 3rd, D. Rumble, 22/24; F/M., D. Twigg, 18/20. No. 4, 15-bird H'cap: 1st, div. B. Scanes, O. Feilen, L. Venables, G. Tilyard, D. Rumble, J. Inglis, T. Hayden, D. Byrne, R. Mould, 15/15. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, div. B. Scanes, L. Venables, F. Williams, R. Sands, W. Mackay, W. Ryall, 10/10. The High Gun for the day was won by G. Tilyard after shooting off with three other shooters.

Shooting conditions were excellent and a good display of shooting was watched by all in the shoot-off of the D.B. C'ship, where O. Feilen finally out-shot W. Mackay in an "all-out battle". We were all very pleased to see Denis Byrne at the club once again after his accident, which has not discouraged his shooting spirit at all. In the D.B. he shot 20/20 and the handicap sweep 15/15.

Thanks, all, for the support from the visiting club members. We look forward to seeing you all here again one time.

(Patricia Feilen, Hon. Sec.)

BUNDABERG (Qld.), 8/5/66. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: P. Anderson, G. Darlington, J. Brackerman, J. Gray, J. Habermann, B. Smith, M. Thiele, 5/5, div. No. 2, 15-bird D.B. Pts.: 1st, L. Day, 43/45; 2nd; C. Habermann, 42/45; 3rd, E. Neilsen, 41/45. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. Kills: 1st, B. Smith, 20/20; 2nd, J. Neilsen, 19/20; 3rd, T. Jensen, 19/20. No. 4, 15-bird S.B.: 1st, P. Anderson, 14/15;

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2nd, A. Midgley, 14/15; 3rd, G. Darlington, 14/15.

(Mrs. S. G. Horrocks, Hon. Sec.)

BAIRNSDALE (V.), 14/5/66. — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: N. Young, J. Patterson, A. Dyer, E. Jongebloed, div. No. 2, 29-bird D.B. H'cap (Dr. Mitchell Memorial Shoot): 1st, F. Howlett, 34/35; 2nd, E. Dow, 33/34; 3rd, M. Huggins, 20/21. No. 3, 7-bird Skeet: Jack Collins, C. Heath, Jim Collins, div. 12/13 ydr., D. Keith, 17/20.

Perfect day and conditions could not produce a possible in the main event. Three shooters with 19/20 had it on their own. The attendance is still on the increase and the good programmes and trophies in the future should maintain our attendance. A start has been made on our new shooting ground, etc.

Thanks, Les Hirt, for the scones, and ladies for the afternoon tea.

(Stan M. Collins, Hon. Sec.)

BLACKALL (Qld.), 7/5/66.—Weather conditions: fine and mild. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: A. J. Anderson, D. G. Lloyd, C. W. Gall, A. R. Lowe, A. H. Lemmon, R. G. Treasure, G. A. Patterson, C. J. C. Gall, J. P. Doyle, F. T. Steele. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: I. Brown, 1st; W. G. Tennent, A. R. Lane, G. Patterson, R. G. Banks, 2nd. No. 3, 20-bird Pts. (3 and 2): D. G. Lloyd, G. A. Patterson, 1st; W. G. Tennent, C. W. Gall, O. G. Hill, I. Brown, R. G. Banks, 3rd. No. 4, 20-bird D.B.: C. W. Gall, J. A. Rodgers, 1st; R. H. Moyse, W. G. Tennent, A. H. Lemmon, R. G. Banks, B. W. Mackay, D. E. Hudson, 3rd. No. 5, 10-bird Pts. (3 and 2): C. W. Gall, I. Brown, R. G. Banks, 1st. No. 6, 15-bird D.D.: H. A. MacDonald W. G. Tennent, 1st. No. 7, 10-bird D.R.: A. R. Lane, D. Lloyd, 1st; O. G. Hill, G. A. Patterson, B. M. Mackay, 3rd. We had perfect weather and a most enjoy-

We had perfect weather and a most enjoyable day's shooting. Once again we were very pleased to see our regular Barcaldine and Longreach visitors.

Preparations for our championship shoot in September are well under way and members are confident of having the grounds in good condition.

(George Patterson, Hon. Sec.)

BROKEN HILL (N.S.W.), May Shoot, 1966. - Once again our many friends from our sister clubs gathered to enjoy a very pleasant week-end of shooting during our May championships. A very satisfactory surprise for our hard-working committee was the number of shooters attending, and this was repayment for their earnest planning beforehand. We were fortunate to enjoy a visit from Newton Thomas and Don Glover. Newton demonstrated the art of clay pigeon shooting when he won the West Darling D.B. C'ship after a very fine shoot-off with our club stalwart Peter Harvey. Peter made Newton go to 103 birds before the championship was decided — a very fine effort by both shooters. Third place went to Bert Watson, who made no mean effort by reaching 72 birds before leaving the other two to battle on. Bert is also to be congratulated for winning his 75-break badge. One of our promising young shooters, Ivan Wakefield, showed his future in winning the yardage prize.

On Sunday Peter Harvey decided he would really take home a sash when he won the West Darling S.B. C'ship; he was closely followed again by Bert Watson, who shot well to deserve the second trophy. Phil Mules from Adelaide was only just behind Peter and Bert and took a hard-earned third trophy. Another of our new shooters, Richard Warren, showed promise when he took out the yardage prize. To support these two events we had three other handicap events. First of these was the I.C.I. trophy, which went to one of our consistent supporters, Ron Wakefield, who went on to be in most shootoffs throughout the programme. Ron had Lionel Campbell on his heels in the shoot-off, with Lionel taking out the second trophy. Only one bird behind Ron and Lionel was Jack Vigar, who filled the third placing.

For our night event we held the Myra Gift. This was won by one of the district's consistent back-markers in John Caskey. John was hard pressed by Warren Maddocks, who will be another force to be reckoned with if he continues his present form. Ron Wakefield continued to worry the winners by taking out the third placing, despite the extra handicap of a worrying nose-bleed during the afternoon, which required him attending the hospital and prevented him from participating in the shoot-off for the D.B. C'ship. To complete the programme we had a \$11 Handicap, in which it was decided to shoot off to a finish. This proved most satisfactory for Alan Pearson, who finished 60 dollars better off. Following Alan was Rick Lehman with 30 dollars, and Phil Mules kept on the trophy list with 10 dollars.

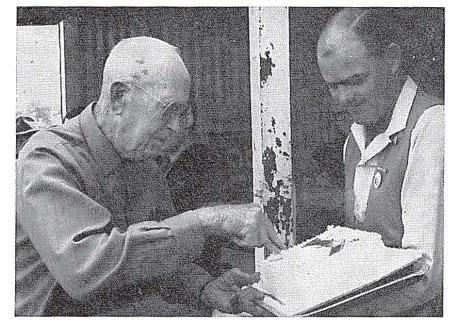
One of the most important trophies on the

programme, the High Gun, went to a shooter who shot consistently throughout the complete programme without winning any of the major trophies. Jack Vigar missed only one bird to eliminate all other shooters and took out a well-earned High Gun trophy.

### RESULTS:

7/5/66. — Weather conditions: fine, windy. Attendance: 52. No. 1, 10 birds: L. Campbell, P. Caddy, A. Pearson, G. Warwick, R. Heuz, S. Barnes, L. Kolstad, J. Trask, W. Wakefield, R. Wakefield, R. Dini. No. 2, L.C.I. Trophy: 13 possibles — 1st, R. Wakefield, 28/28: 2nd, L. Campbell, 40/41; 3rd, J. Vigar, 39/41. No. 3, 10 birds: A. Langsford, M. Sims, E. Owens, G. Warwick, G. Jones, P. Harvey, B. Watson, D. Warren, A. Coombes, R. Lehman, L. Connors, R. Dini. No. 4, 10 birds (16 yds.): N. Thomas, D. Glover, G. Gleeson, G. Wakefield, J. Vigar, H. Commons, P. Harvey, W. A. Commons, B. Murphy, R. Treloar, F. A. Barnes, J. Elston, R. Warren, R. Dini, L. Campbell, L. Pitcher. No. 5, West Darling D.B. C'ship: 14 possibles — 1st, N. Thomas, 104/104; 2nd, P. Harvey, 103/104; 3rd, B. Watson, 72/73; yardage, I. Wakefield, 24/25.

Night. — No. 6, 5 birds: H. Commons, J. Caskey, B. Murphy, N. Drumgold, G. Warwick, H. Mellowship, D. Warren, G. Jones, B. Watson, L. Dunn, R. Treloar, J. Vigar, R. Caskey, C. Johnston, E. Owen, A. Langsford, A. Pearson, L. Kolstad, C. Wakefield, R. Lehman, R. Warren, E. Robertson, I. Wakefield. No. 7, Myra Night Gift: 9 pos-



Mr. ALF. THERLOW, Patron of Brisbane G.C., cutting his birthday cake on 29th May, 1966—his 82nd birthday. Holding the cake, after presenting it, is Bill Edwards, President, Brisbane G.C. (Queensland).

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sibles — 1st, J. Caskey, 37/37; 2nd, W. Maddocks, 36/37; 3rd, R. Wakefield, 24/25.

Sunday, 8/5/66.—No. 8, 10 birds (16 yds.):
N. Thomas, D. Glover, P. Mules, R. Wakefield, W. Maddocks, G. Jones, P. Harvey,
J. Caskey, B. Murphy, J. Vigar, L. Campbell, No. 9, West Darling S.B. C'ship: 6
possibles — 1st, P. Harvey, 42/42; 2nd, B. Watson, 41/42; 3rd, C. Wakefield, 37/38;
yardage, R. Warren, 25/26. No. 10, \$100
H'cap: 15 possibles — 1st, A. Pearson, 43/44;
2nd, R. Lehman, 42/44; 3rd, P. Mules, 41/42.
Team Events: West Darling D.B. C'ship,
Coombah Cup: winners, Menindee (G. Gleeson, J. Vigar, R. Caskey, J. Caskey, L. Kolstad). \$100 H'cap, McKean Shield: winners,
Broken Hill (L. Campbell, P. Harvey, A.
Pearson, N. Drumgold, B. Murphy). High
Gun: J. Vigar, 89/90.

A very pleasant task for our President, George Hoskins, was the presentation of the Coombah Cup to the Menindee team. This very fine cup was donated by Ron Wakefield and his good wife, and each team member receives a replica of the main cup to keep. Our thanks to our donors for their generous presentation. Much interest was taken in both team events, with eight teams being nominated.

Again the success of our shoot was due to our many visitors, to whom we extend our thanks and we trust they all enjoyed the shooting we offered. This year we missed our marshal of old, Cal. Hollow, who unfortunately was not able to attend due to his recent change of cities. Every best wish for your future, Cal. However, Cal's absence gave us the opportunity to seek Rollo Trelonr's services in this capacity. I am most pleased to be able to say that Rollo more than filled our requirements. We ran him off his legs with the office work and trust he has fully recovered by now. My sincere thanks, Rollo, for your untiring effort—without assistance such as this I am sure our shoot would not be the success it was.

Many of our visitors, as well as our club members, worked very hard to ensure the smooth running of the shoot, and there are far too many to thank individually. However, our sincere thanks to each and every person who assisted us over the week-end. Not the least of this assistance was from our excellent ladies' committee. Although not very strong in numbers, the efforts to cope with so many visitors was not wasted, as they received many compliments for their tasty catering. Our sincere thanks to you ladies.

(Brian Anderson, Hon. Sec.)

BALLANDEAN (Qld.), Sat., 14/5/66. — Weather: near perfect. Results: No. 1, 1966 Interstate Teams' Match (Queensland Elimination): The following shooters comprised the Queensland team after a shoot-off of 23 shooters who shot 30/30: A. Arrowsmith, R. Golden, A. Griffiths, I. Nicholson, P. Anderson, S. C. Smith, C. Ferguson, E. Anderson, J. A. Gray, J. Homan, K. Isaacs, A. W. Stewart, K. F. Cameron, D. Whyte, Neville Smith. No. 2, Teams Shoot: High Gun, K. F. Cameron, No. 3, 8400 H'cap: 17 div., G. Darlington, P. Evans, J. Farrow, R. Gehrman, K. Lee, D. Odling, F. Paget, A. M. Puglisi, G. Smith, B. Thiele, G. W. White, D. De Luca, D. Campbell, A. W. Stewart, J. J. O'Donnell, A. Arrowsmith, N. Smith. 30/80; best 12/13 yds., R. Dean.

Sun., 15/5/66. — Weather: near perfect. No. 4, Sth. Qld. Trophy event (30-bird Pts.):

B. Norris, 1st, 93/93; E. Anderson, 2nd, 99/93; M. Blake, 3rd, 134/135; best 12/13 yds., F. Lang Jnr. No. 5, Ballandean Thousand: 1st, 2nd and 3rd, div. C. Evans, L. Day, Neville Smith, G. Stevens, 45/45; best 12 yds., J. K. Gay, C. R. Colley, T. Wilshire, 37/45; best 13 yds., Monsignor Hiscox, 43/45; best 14 yds., G. Goode, G. Smith, A. C. Selke, W. Edwards, 44/45; best 15 yds., P. Thompson, 44/45; best 16 yds., M. Blake, K. Saare, D. De Luca, 44/45; best 17 yds., A. D. James, J. Roa, 44/45; best 18 yds., K. Isaacs, J. A. Gray, J. Homan, J. Farrow, 44/45; best 19 yds., P. Evans, L. Dickson, E. Denton, 44/45; best 20 yds., R. Slawson, Noel Smith, J. McLean, 44/45; best 21 yds., R. Moffatt, 44/45; best 22 yds., R. Moffatt, 44/45; best 23 yds. and over, W. Stevens, C. Ferguson, 43/45.

High Gun: J. Farrow. Intermediate High Gun: G. Goode. Interstate High Gun: R. Moffatt.

This shoot was staged under near-perfect weather and attracted 147 shooters. A record field of 130 perticipated in the Ballandean Thousand. Visitors came from all over the State and a number from interstate.

Our organisation worked very smoothly, as evidenced by the fact that nearly 20,000 targets were thrown over the two days.

We were very pleased to see our local members doing well in competition with the State's best shooters. We were particularly happy to see Stafford Smith, Eddle Anderson and Neville Smith in the Qid. team. Neville Smith in particular had a field day. Not only did he make the team, he shared in both money events.

Our congratulations go to Keith Cameron (Roma) for winning the High Gun trophy for the Qld. team, and to J. Farrow for his winning the High Gun over the whole shoot.

(Noel Smith, Sec.)

BOORT (V.), 21/5/66. — Weather conditions: fine and cold. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.; J. Piccoli, R. Ferrier, R. Peacock, 15/15 pts., div. No. 2, 5-bird S.B., 5-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, R. Peacock, 14/14; 2nd, D. James, 16/17; 3rd, A. Richmond, 15/17; F/M., H. Toose, 9/10; ladies' trophy, Mrs. L. Toose, No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: F. James, D. James, H. Toose, R. Peacock, 10/10, div. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: st. R. Peacock, 41/42; 2nd, C. Radeliffe, 40/42; eq. 3rd, A. Richmond, L. Toose, 9/10.

A very cold day didn't stop 20 shooters competing for the main trophy. A very good performance by young Darrel James placed him second behind Rex Peacock, with Alf Richmond coming in third. Rex Peacock performed consistently all afternoon to cut all sweeps and only miss one bird.

(J. Piccoli, Hon. Sec.)

BENALLA (V.), 14/5/66.—Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: G. Walker, A. Harrington, W. Ford, D. Suter, V. Bussell, V. Walters, cut. No. 2, City of Benalla and Dist. C'ship (shot in conjunction with City of Benalla and Dist. Intermediate C'ship): C'ship: 1st, V. Bussell; 2nd, W. Ford; 3rd, F. Crawford; Intermediate C'ship: 1st, M. Lourie; 2nd, G. Walker; 3rd, A. Harrington, No. 3, \$100 Trophy H'cap: 1st, F. Crawford; 2nd, M. Lourie; 3rd, G. Walker. No. 4, D.B. Novelty: 1st, M. Lourie, G. Huff, D. Suter. High Gun for day to M. Lourie.

Perfect weather, two championships, and a small but experienced muster of shooters

were the perfect foundation for a good day's shooting at Benalla. The Back-markers' C'ship was won in convincing style by Vic. Bussell. Vic again proving his consistency as a top-grade trap shooter. Club Vice-President Wal Ford took second honours, with that gentleman of the tracks Fred Crawford taking third. Mike Lourie proved to be the champion of the day, winning the Intermediate C'ship outright from G. Walker and A. Harrington. Mike went on to take the High Gun Trophy for the day with an excellent display of good trap shooting and sportsmanship.

(John D. Coutts, Hon. Sec.)

BRISBANE (Qld.), 29/5/66.—Weather conditions: excellent. Attendance: 53. Results: No. 1, \$50 H'cap (20 birds D.B.): div. R. Corbett, A. Griffiths, A. Gordon, B. Delgnan, J. Farrow, 20/20. No. 2, Martin-Wardrop Shield (20 birds D.B.): South Coast team (A. Griffiths, R. Hogarth, G. Mawer, J. Smith, J. McQueen); High Gun, A. Griffiths, 47/47. No. 3, Winchester Western Trophy (30 birds D.B.): 1st, A. Griffiths, 35/35; 2nd, R. Hogarth, 34/35; 3rd, B. Hooker, 33/35; best 12/16 yds., J. Bradbury, 32/33. High Gun over day: A. Griffiths.

Our final shoot at the old Tingalpa grounds

was a happy and eventful day, and it was very fitting that John Tyquin, in the role of A.C.T.A. President and Brisbane Past President, should fire the last shot. John is remembered by what he did as a Brisbanite, and we were delighted to see him and his wife.

It also happened to be our Patron Alf Thurlow's \$2nd birthday, which called for a celebration. Alf was not shooting badly, either—18/20 in the first event and 19/20 in the second. Alf has been a tower of strength to the club since it has been formed, and has our gratitude.

Congratulations to Arthur Griffiths, who had a "field day" and literally took everything during the day. Firstly he was one of the five who shared in the \$50 Handicap, then he was High Gun in the Martin-Wardrop Shield, and thirdly, won the Winchester Western trophy, which added up, as well, to winning the club's High Gun silver mug.

The South Coasters had it over us in the Martin-Wardrop Shield again (by one point), and they were so confident that they would win it that they did not even bring it up! Next time they won't be so lucky!

President Bill Edwards welcomed the visitors and thanked F. W. Green for the very nice trophy.

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### —— Saturday, 16th July, 1966 —— Club Deauville Doubles Championship

To be shot off averaged handicap marks.

i.e., an 18 yd. shooter and a 22 yd. shooter teaming together would shoot off the 20 yd. mark.

i.e., a 16 yd. and a 19 yd. team would shoot off 17 yd. mark. Sashes and Trophies for winning pair. Trophies for second pair. Nom. \$2.50.

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### —— Saturday, 30th July, 1966 ——

### Yarra Valley District Double-barrel Sparrow Championship

Sash and Trophy for 1st; Trophies for 2nd, 3rd, 12-14 yds., 15-16 yds., and Lady drawing winner. :: Nom. \$2.50.

FURTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

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

R. F. BUCHAN, President. Phone 87-5459. G. LEAR, Hon. Secretary. Phone 28-5129. Bill concluded our Tingalpa shoot with his thanks to his committee and members for their support, and to the ladies who prepare that welcome "cuppa".

(E. Mackey, Pub. Officer.)

COWRA (N.S.W.), 1/5/66 (Sunday).—Weather conditions: fine and mild, Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 5-target E.O.: K. Oldfield, R. Gittoes, E. Field, L. Alexander, D. Thompson, M. Cass, D. Heilman, J. Nash, F. Chudleigh, J. Forsythe, W. Manning, L. Bird, 5/5, div. No. 2, G. H. Elliott Shield and Trophy: Elliott Shield: L. Goodacre, 15/16; Trophy: 1st, L. Alexander, 39/39; 2nd, B. Martens, 38/39; F/M., M. Cass, 29/30, No. 3, Lachlan Valley D. Rise C'ship: 1st, C. Harries, 19/20; 2nd, J. Nash, 24/26; 3rd, D. Toshack, 23/26; F/M., M. Cass, 6/20, No. 4, S'stake: K. Oldfield, C. Harries, R. Gittoes, M. Cass, L. Alexander, R. Toshack, D. Thompson, J. Forsythe, J. Nash, 10/10, div. No. 5, Pt. Score: R. Toshack, F. Chudleigh, L. Bird, 30/30, div.

A good roll-up of shooters were fortunate in enjoying almost ideal weather conditions. Although shooting commenced on schedule, the day closed in quickly and the final event had to be abandoned. The Elliott Shield, restricted to residents of the Wangoola Shire, resulted in a surprising win for Lloyd Goodacre, a 16 yarder, who nevertheless downed the local champions. The trophy which was run in conjunction with this event, was won by L. Alexander; 2nd, B. Martens, and F/M., M. Cass. C. Harries secured an outright win in the Lachlan Valley D. Rise C'ship; 2nd and 3rd, J. Nash, R. Toshack; F/M., M. Cass.

A vote of thanks to the ladies for providing afternoon tea, which was up to its usual high standard. Thanks also to the volunteers who give so generously of their time to the maintenance of the club house, ground and traps, etc. All using these facilities agree they are in excellent condition and a credit to the club.

Please note dates of our main forthcoming shoots: August 6/7, Lachlan Valley D.B. C'ship, plus \$300.00 H'cap; October 1/2/3, C'wealth D.R. Night C'ship, Lachlan Valley S.B. C'ship, plus \$300.00 H'cap.

(M. Ryan, Hon. Sec.)

CROYDON (V.), 27/4/66. — Weather: cold and foggy. Attendance: 22. No. 1, Yarra Valley Mixed Bird Night C'ship: 1st, M. Hamilton, 24/25: 2nd. J. Walls. 43/45; 3rd. G. Carroll, 41/45; 12/14 yds., Dick Thornton. 28/33; 15/16 yds. G. West, 37/51.

Well, what can I say about this event other than praise the co-operation and sportsmanship of those shooters present on the last night shoot at our grounds until September? It was so foggy at times that every available shooter was out on the ground assisting the referee. Nevertheless some very fine scores were recorded, and congratulations go to Mick, Jim and Graham for their good shooting, which earned them 1st. 2nd and 3rd respectively, also to Dick and Graeme for their wins in their respective yardage groups.

21/5/66. — Weather: fine. Attendance: 27. No. 1, 20-bird D.B. H'cap: 12/14 yds., K. McKay, 20/20; 15/16 yds., J. Quittenton, 20/20; 17/18 yds., S. Thomson, 20/20; 19/21 yds., J. Henwood, 17/20; 22/27 yds., W.

Henwood, 17/20. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: W. Bryan, N. Kneebone, R. Dinsdale, W. Gresselle, K. McKay, 10/10, div.

(G. Lear, Hon. Sec.)

COLAC (V.), 7/5/66 (Night). — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 15-bird D.B. H'cap: A. Bant, S. Bennett, D. Corstorphan, W. Gange, R. Hamill, R. Lestrange, G. Oborne, E. Oborne, R. Parker, P. Stinchcombe, M. Sutherland, D. Vivian, 15/15, div. No. 2, 15-bird S.B. H'cap: 1st, D. Vivian, 22/22; 2nd, P. Stinchcombe, 21/22; 3rd, A. Manifold, 15/16; others: R. Manifold, C. Grist, 14/15. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Pts.; R. Manifold, C. Grist, E. Oborne, 30/30, div.; others: E. Babington, D. Corstorphan, 29/30; M. Sutherland, J. Ford, 28/30.

Cash prizes were well divided at our May shoot. Visitors from Warrnambool, Dundonnell, Cobden, Geelong and Noorat enjoyed good conditions.

Thanks to the ladies for the usual tasty supper.

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

COOTAMUNDRA (N.S.W.), 15/5/66. — Weather conditions: fine and calm. Attendance: 46. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: 18 shooters div. No. 2, 5 pair D. Rise: O. Feilen, B. Scanes, A. Povey, J. Forsyth. No. 3, Cent. and Southern Gun Club Council D. Rise C'ship: 1st, F. Chudleigh: 2nd, M. Lyons; 3rd, Bob Gittoes. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: 17 shooters div. No. 5, \$100 Handicap and Ampol Shield: B. McPherson, T. Johnson, M. Blackstock, J. Whittaker, M. Lyons, R. Edlington, R. Toshack, B. Gittoes, J. Thompson. No. 6, 10-bird Pts.: L. English, R. Sands, W. Langdon, J. Forsyth, B. Martens, H. Jaques, S. Bell.

A good crowd of shooters turned up to enjoy almost perfect shooting conditions. The championship was won by Fred Chudleigh with a perfect score of 20/20, and was hotly pursued by Roger Sands, Albert Povey, Bob Gittoes, Jim Thompson, Sam Bell, Bruce McPherson, Merv. Lyons, all of whom shot 19/20. Merv. Lyons whittled down his opponents to come second and Bob Gittoes third. Robert Edlington won the F/M. trophy. The Ampol Shield was taken by Cowra No. 1 team with 97/100; Queanbeyan, 2nd, 95/100. High Gun for the day was won outright by Bruce McPherson. Congratulations, Bruce!

(Tom Johnson, Hon. Sec.)

CENTRAL BURNETT (Qld.), 15/5/66. — Weather conditions: excellent. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, E.O.: R. Hart, D. O'Dempsey, Bob Parr, S. Kentish, D. Smith, 5/5. No. 2, 20-bird D.B.: 1st, R. Zipf, 20/20; 2nd, N. Zipf, 19/20; 3rd, D. Smith, 19/20. No. 3, 15-bird S.B.: 1st, R. Zipf, 15/15; 2nd, S. Kentish, N. Zipf, G. Ethell, 18/15. No. 4, 5-bird Pts.: R. Zipf, 15/15; W. Alibrand, G. Ethell, K. Vicary.

Six new shooters welcomed R. Zipf establish a precedent at his first attendance by getting possible score in events 2, 3 and 4.

Installations being made ready and arrangements carried out for club's open shoot Sunday, June 19.

(D. Smith, Hon. Sec.)

CUNNAMULLA (Q.), 30/4/66 and 1/5/66.

Weather conditions: gusty and changeable winds. Attendance: 47. Results: No. 1,

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### KEILOR GUN CLUB (V.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

will shoot on the VICTORIAN GUN CLUB GROUNDS, by courtesy of the Victorian Gun Club, until further notice.

Ground Location: Corner Geelong and Boundary Rds., Brooklyn.

### —8th July (Friday Night)———

Event 1 - 5-BIRD DOUBLE BARREL (Comp.)

Event 2 -

### Keilor Plains Double-barrel Night Championship

1st Sash and Trophy; 2nd, 3rd and 12-15 yds. Trophies.

Event 3 — 10 BIRDS (5 Single, 5 Double) (Comp.)

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### -23rd July (Saturday) -----

Event 1 — 10-BIRD DOUBLE BARREL (PTS.)

Event 2 -

### 20-bird Double-barrel Handicap

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Event 3 — 10-BIRD DOUBLE BARREL (Comp.)

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JULY, 1966

10-bird D.B. (comp. div.): 14 shooters div. No. 2. Paroo River S.B. C'ship (20 birds from 16 yds.): G. H. Schmidt, 1st; H. T. Siddins, 2nd; H. B. Wade, 3rd. No. 3, President's Trophy (30 birds D.B. from h'cap marks): 1st, D. McEwan; 2nd, R. McLaren; 3rd, M. Irving; 12 yd. trophy, M. McEwan. No. 4. Bauman's Gun Shop Trophy (30-bird D.B. Pts.): 1st, R. Barden; 2nd, R. Arthur; 3rd, S. Prosser. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. (comp. div.): 13 shooters div. 1st. No. 6, \$400 H'cap (20 birds D.B.); J. Siddins, E. Ecroyd, M. McEwan, B. Allen, D. McEwan, B. Bignell. No. 7, Paroo D.B. C'ship (20 birds from 16 yds.): 1st, B. Moody; 2nd, R. Golden; 3rd, H. T. Siddins, No. 8, I.C.I. Trophy (15 prs. D. Rise): 1st, K. Cameron; 2nd, G. H. Schmidt; 3rd, I. Nicholson.

Keen visitors made up the number for the club's annual May week-end shoot, which turned out a great success. With the district and other surrounding districts still in drought conditions, the spirit was evident after the shoot was cancelled last year, and it was felt that it would be hard to start again.

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

DORRIGO (N.S.W.), 1/5/66. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: K. Smith, A. McClenoghan, 10/10; A. Mammen, W. Darley, D. Whittaker, R. Moffatt, F. Trow, 9/10. No.

2, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: K. Smith, 30/30; R. Moffatt, 29/30; A. Hochkins, 26/30. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: Roy Beaumont, R. Moffatt, 30/30; K. Smith, 29/30. No. 4, 10-bird S.B.: R. Moffatt, A. Hochkins, 9/10; F. Trow, A. Mammen, 8/10. No. 5, 10-bird D. Rise Sparrows: A. McClenoghan, 6/10; D. Whitaker, R. Moffatt, K. Smith, W. Darley, Roy Beaumont, N. Perkins, Ron Beaumont, 5/10. High Gun: R. Moffatt, 43/50. Box Sweep: D. Whittaker.

The sparrows cut everyone down to size.

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

EAST. GOLDFIELDS (Kalgoorlie, W.A.), 24/4/66.—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 10 D.B., 10 S.B. Pts.: D. Baker, 1st. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: D. Baker, E. Harris, W. Montgomery, 10/10.

A good roll-up in perfect conditions to contest a 10-bird D.B. Points Score and a 10-bird S.B. Trophy was for the best aggregate. The shoot was conducted under our club handicaps of yardages, plus birds.

Winner on the day was Denis Baker, who shot 57/60 points off the gun to take the trophy. Best off the gun were Len Nangle and Baker with 57/60 pts.

Following the trophy event, a 10-bird D.B. was held for a sweep, and this was divided by Baker, Ned Harris (C.M.T.) and Bill



Queensland State Team. Interstate Teams' Match, shot at Ballandean Gun Club, 16th May, 1966.

L. to R.—BACK ROW: Don Whyte, A. W. Stewart, Neville Smith, Stafford Smith, Ian Nicholson. MIDDLE ROW: Jack Gray, Keith Cameron, J. Homan, Bob Golden, A. Griffith, A. Arrowsmith. FRONT ROW: Peter Anderson, Edie Anderson, Keith Isaacs and Cyril Furguson.

Montgomery. Nice to see you at our shoot, Ned, even though you took home a little

8/5/66.—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 20-bird D.B. Pts.: J. Bright, 1st. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: L. Nangle, P. McBride, M. Bell, R. Murray,

A small attendance, but nevertheless a very interesting shoot and a close result. Very nice to see our staunch member Jasper Bright take the trophy outright, and also win the best off the gun trophy with 58/60 points. A further 10-bird D.B. for a sweep was divided by Len Nangle, Peter McBride. Max Bell and Bob Murray, who all recorded a possible.

We expect a good roll-up to our next shoot, the club Open and Intermediate S.B. C'ships. (W. Montgomery, P/O.)

ECHUCA (V.), 14/5/66. — Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 31. Results: No. 1, 10 sparrows H'cap: C. Bowman, 10/10; J. Walls, A. James, F. James, L. Gibson, C. Radeliffe, E. McCullough, 9/10. No. 2, State Mixed Sparrow C'ship: R. Lamb, 30/35: A. James, 28/35; E. McCullough, 20/25. No. 3, H'cap Trophy: W. Wickham, 26/26; J. Walls, 25/26; L. Coulston, 22/23. A fine, warm day for shooting, with shooters coming from S. Aust. and Melbourne, Kerang, Huntly, Tatura, Cohuna and Wodonga clubs. The Vict. Mixed Sparrow C'ship was won by Dick Lamb after a shoot-off with Alf James after each had shot 21/25. Dick

Alf James after each had shot 21/25, Dick shot brilliantly in the shoot-off to shoot 9/10 to Alf's 7/10, Eric McCullough filling third place with 20/25.

Ten possibles were shot in the Trophy H'cap, with the honours going to Bill Wickham, 26/26, from Jim Walls, 25/26, and L. Coulston of Wodonga 22/23.

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

FINLEY (N.S.W.), 8/5/66.—Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 31. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 13 possibles—P. Maher, G. Kennedy, D. Edwards, E. Matheson, G. Killeen, F. Crawford, G. Finch, B. Boxshall, R. Poore, R. Reynolds, V. Ryan, W. Hall, G. Daly. No. 2, D.B. C'ship: 7 possibles — G. Kennedy, D. Edwards, F. Crawford, R. Halsall, J. Armstrong, V. Ryan, R. Donaldson, No. 3, N.E.G.C.C. Trophy H'cap: 11 possibles—P. Maher, E. Matheson, F. Crawford, R. Halsall, G. Finch, J. Armstrong, W. Hall, Mrs. G. Daly, K. Mathews, S. Hemphill, R. Donaldson, No. 4, 10-bird S.B. G. A. Edwards Cup: 5 possibles—J. Armstrong, D. Corby, Mrs. Daly, R. Donaldson, J. Hemphill, R. Donaldson, R. Daly, R. Donaldson, J. Hemphill, R. Donaldson, R. Daly, R. Donaldson, J. Hemphill, R. Donaldson, J. Hemphill.

Finley Club has been operating for one year now, and our new D.B. champion is Jack Armstrong, defeating Vin Ryan and Gerry Kennedy, equal second, 51/51. The second event saw the trophy donated by the North Eastern Districts Gun Clubs' Council shot for, with a fine win to Pat Maher of Nathalia, scraping home from Mrs. G. Daly of Deniliquin and Fred Crawford. In the last event of the day Jack Armstrong again came to the front by winning the cup donated by G. A. Edwards. Ten of these cups have now been shot for, and Jack is the only one to have won two.

An excellent afternoon tea was served during the shoot by Marie and Bernadette Kennedy and Heather Smith. Thanks very much, girls, it was very much appreciated.

(D. Edwards, Hon. Sec.)

FOSTER (V.), 14/5/66. — Weather conditions: light wind, very fine and clear. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts.: R. Barlow, P. Barlow, J. Aurisch, 30/30. No. 2, 15-bird D.B.: I. Wushatsch, C. Arnup, J. Green, 15/15; A. McDonald, P. Barlow, J. McMark, J L. Brown, K. Cross, G. Mowat, I. McNaughton, J. Aurisch, H. Pearson, S. Turner. Shoot-off results: J. Green (Korumburra). 40/40, 1st; I. McNaughton (Sale), 39/40. 2nd; L. Brown (Warragul), 33/34, 3rd. No. 3, 15-bird S.B.: T. Pederson, R. Glover. 10/10. Final result: 1st, T. Pederson; 2nd. R. Glover, equal 9/10; C. Arnup, J. Green, K. Patterson, N. Gannon, A. McDonald, P. Barlow, G. Mowat, I. McNaughton, H. Pearson, J. Morris.

A good roll-up, and a fine, warm day. The main event was the second competition for main event was the second competition for the first round for C. Budge Shield. Twelve qualified for this event, with very good shooting by all 25 shooters. Final result was: st. J. Green (Korumburra), 40/40; 2nd, I. McNaughton (Sale), 39/40; 3rd, F. Brown (Warnegul) 20/24 (Warragul), 33/34.

Very pleased to see familiar faces from Yarram, Korumburra, Sale, Warragul and Foster, Many thanks to Mrs. Gleeson and Mrs. Phillips for a delicious afternoon tea. Also thank you to all who helped during the day, including the pullers.

Team result: Korumburra, Yarram and Warragul, 73 points each; Foster, 72 points; Sale, 68 points.

(Mrs. Dorothy Cripps, Hon. Sec.)

FRANKSTON (V.), 21/5/66-Weather con-FRANKSTON (V.), 21/5/66—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 47. Results: No. 1, 5 pair D, Rise H'cap (comp. div.): N. Delorenzo Jnr., T. Delorenzo, M. Pescott, C. Oke. No. 2, D'ville Doubles C'ship (20 yds.): 1st, W. Stone-N. Scaife; 2nd, B. Aylen-T. Delorenzo. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. H'cap Pts.: 1st, M. Pescott, N. Miller, div. 1st and 2nd; 3rd, T. Delorenzo, D. Stone, 21:

The Club D'ville Doubles C'ship, shot on Saturday, May 21, provided some good and at times disappointing shooting. The final result was a win for W. Stone and N. Scaife, with B. Aylen - T. Delorenzo as runners-up.

The club was favoured by the attendance of Merv. Berry, A.C.T.A. Secretary. Mervyn is always a welcome sight at Frankston. The President, Keith Pretty, welcomed another new member in George Inge. The club is still progressing.

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

GERALDTON (W.A.). - On Sunday, May 15, members took part in two events under ideal shooting conditions. Some of our members were visiting Narrogin to compete in the Commonwealth and State titles being conducted at that club, but we managed to gather up a couple of squads. This was due mainly to the return of some of our fisherman friends from the Abrolhos Islands, and we look forward to seeing them on the tracks more often from now on. Jack Keene was back with us after his spell in hospital and we hope he retains his present good health.

The first event was a D'ville Doubles, and we decided partners by the old established method and pulled them out of the President's method and pulled them out of the Freshents hat! Joe Costantino and Sam Zorino were the aces for the day and had a clear win with the only 15/15, with Jack Keene and Ray MacDonald, 14/15, filling second place. Next came Jim Boyes and Taffy White with 13, with Harry Finlay and Bill Heath fourth. In the 20 birder D.B. H'cap, top honours went to Harry Finlay and Jim Boyes, each with 19, with Eddie Daw sharing the money after killing 18/20. Taffy White recorded 17. Sam Zorino 16, Ray MacDonald and Jack Keene 15, Joe Costantino and Frank Bombara

Afternoon teas were prepared and served by Mesdames Heath, Bombara and Keene, and this rounded off a very pleasant afternoon. Many thanks, ladies, we greatly appreciate your efforts.

On Sunday, 22/5/66, members took part in a Handicap Skeet event, with some very good scores resulting. Jim Boyes, Lou Fember and Chris Russell each recorded possibles of 25/25, including handicap, and a shoot-off was necessary to decide the place-getters. A half-round was shot and Jim Boyes killed them all to record a possible, with Lou Pember down two and Chris Russell down one. with their handicaps they both secured possibles as well, and so another half-round was fired, with the same result: Boyes clean, Pember down two, Russell down one. In the third half-round Boyes slipped up, and as he was shorting on a will handion has a second to the same results. he was shooting on a nil handicap, he was unable to equal Russell and Pember with unable to equal kussell and rember with their handicap advantage, and filled third place. A further "miss and out" shoot-off was held, and this was decided in favour of Chris Russell, with Pember second. "Off the gun" honours went to Jim Boyes with a total of 57/61, including a run of 35 straight, followed by Pember with 57/66 and Russell 56/66. In the initial 25 good scores were put up by Dick Burton, Eric Boschetti and Jack Keene.

An impromptu 10-bird D.B. was conducted and shooters participating were Jack Meadows, Lou Pember, Eric Boschetti, Jim Boyes, Dick Burton, Jack Keene, Frank Bombara, Sam Zorino, Joe Costantino, and Chris

Dick Burton presented the trophies and remarked on the high standard of shooting enjoyed during the afternoon.

(Jim Boyes, Pub. Officer.)

GANMAIN (N.S.W.), 14/5/66. — Weather conditions: clear and calm, Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: H. Cox, B. McPherson, A. J. Graham, G. Graham, J. Whittaker, L. Graham, R. Hall, G. Lymberry, D. Taylor, A. Sheather, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: H. Cox, A. J. Graham, G. Graham, L. Graham, R. Hall, div. No. 3, 10-bird Pts.: H. Cox, L. Graham, div. 1st and 2nd; E. Hands, 3rd. No. 4, 15-bird D.B.: B. McPherson, A. J. Graham, J. A. Graham, div. No. 5, 5-bird S.B.: J. A. Graham, L. Graham, R. Hall, div.

A near-perfect day, but attendance a little disappointing, mainly owing to recent rains GANMAIN (N.S.W.), 14/5/66. - Weather

disappointing, mainly owing to recent rains keeping farmers busy. H. Cox, a new shooter, shot very well to get a cut in most events.

Ray Hall of Wagga, perhaps one of our most popular visitors, is retiring and going for a tour of most of Australia, but we hope to see him back and often. A special wel-come for Ernie Hands of Junee, who lost his son in a tragic car accident one week ago. Ernie brought his lovely daughter Julie to her first shoot, and we hope to see them at our next shoot.

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

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Event 1 - 5-BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER from 16 yards.

Event 2 -

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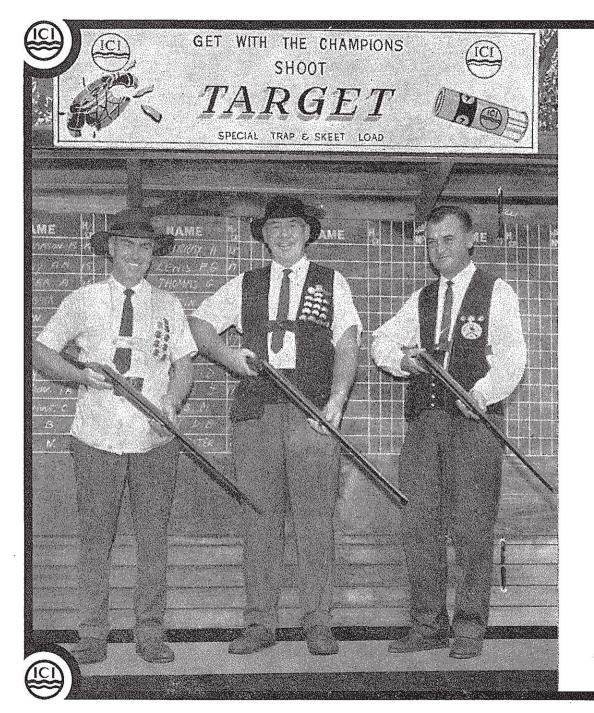
Event 3 - 10-BIRD POINT-SCORE SWEEP

Event 4 —

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GOROKE (V.), 21/5/66. -- Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1. tions: fine. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: div. A. Dumesny, N. Stewart, I. Batson, F. Davis, A. Aitken, W. Oliver, A. Fachin. No. 2, 10-bird \$50 Cash H'cap: div. N. Stewart, I. Batson, F. Davis, J. Stevenson, J. Robinson, A. Aitken, A. Fachin. No. 3, 10 birds: I. Batson, F. Davis, div. 1st and 2nd; 3rd, div. A. Aitken, A. Dumesny, A. Fachin. No. 4, 10 birds: A. Fachin, 1st; N. Stewart, 2nd; A. Aitken, 3rd

A very poor muster for our \$50 Handicap shoot, but everyone enjoyed themselves. Thanks again to the ladies for afternoon tea.

(A. Aitken, Hon. Sec.)

GEELONG (V.), 13/5/66.—Weather conditions: cold. Attendance: 29. Results (Night): No. 1, 10-bird D.B. (16 yds.): 1st, W. Hoath, 30/30; 2nd, B. Mark, 29/30; 3rd, J. Pett. M. McGarigle, 27/30. No. 2, Corio Bay D.B. Night C'ship: 1st, F. Burns, 32/32; 2nd, M. Pascoe, 31/32; 3rd, J. Pett, 24/25. No. 3, 15-bird D.B.: 1st, W. Hoath; 2nd, M. Pascoe, 3rd A. Ullingword. Pascoe: 3rd, A. Illingworth.

Under very cold conditions we conducted our Night D.B. C'ship. Three shooters shot the possible, After a shoot-off that ever-green shooter in Fred Burns won from Max Pascoe, and a local, Jackie Pett, third. The next event was a 15-bird D.B. H'cap; this saw three shooters, W. Hoath, M. Pascoe and A. Illingworth.

We have started to install our skeet layout, which should be a great boost for shooting in our territory and also in the Western District.

A special thanks to the ladies for an excellent supper.

28/5/66. - Weather conditions: cloudy and fine. Attendance: 30. Results (Day): No. fine. Attendance: 30. Results (Day): No. 1, 10-bird Pts. (16 yds.): A. James, R. Harty, 30/30; R. Green, G. Donohue, 29/30. No. 2, Corio Bay Day D.B. C'ship: 1st. B. W. Mark, 25/25; 2nd, R. Harty, 24/25; 3rd, A. James, 20/21. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. H'cap: A. James, P. Wellam, C. Walker, A. Illingworth, J. A. Hawke, 19/20, div.

Under near-perfect conditions we conducted our Corio Bay D.B. Day C'ship, the winner once again being Brian Mark, 25/25, who won in a shoot-off from Bob Harty, 24/25; third was A. James (the winner of our Commonwealth C'ship at our last shoot).

The next event was a 20-bird H'cap; this saw a new shooter in Peter Wellam, who cut the event with four other shooters.

A special thanks to the ladies once again for an excellent afternoon tea.

(W. Branagh, Hon. Sec.)

GUNNEDAH (N.S.W.), 14/5/66.—Weather GUNNEDAH (N.S.W.), 14/5/66.—Weather conditioons: fine and clear. Attendance: 48. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: 11 div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: 1st, B. Gittoes; 2nd, M. White: 3rd, D. Mackay. No. 3, Liverpool Plains Dist. D'ville Doubles C'ship: 1st pair, S. A. Staughton - Ron Brady: 2nd pair, M. White - G. Witts. No. 4, Tally Ho Teams Cup (20-bird D.B. Pts., 16 yds.): 1st team, Tenworth 265 pts. 2nd team, Narrabri and Tamworth, 265 pts.; 2nd team, Narrabri and Gunnedah, 256 pts.; best individual score, T. Holmes; 2nd individual score, G. Martin. No. 5, 10-bird S.B. Sparrows: 1st, M. Fogarty; 2nd, A. McDougall; 3rd, C. O'Connor. No. 6, 10-bird D.B. Sparrows: A. Palmer outright.

We congratulate club President Steve

Staughton and partner Ron Brady for their outright win in D'ville Doubles Dist. C'ship. Gunnedah Club is pleased to announce a new annual event in the Tally Ho Teams Cup. Tamworth team shot well to win the cup, 265/300 pts., with Narrabri and Gunnedah

This shoot entailed a tremendous amount of office work, for which the club is much indebted to our Secretary, Mrs. Ron Brady, and her assistant, Ron Simson.

(Mrs. S. A. Staughton, Pub. Officer.)

GUYRA (N.S.W.), 28/5/66.—Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 42. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: div. 13 shooters. No. 2, Club Monthly Trophy: R. Varley, 55/55; K. Starr, 54/55; W. Charlton, 44/45. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Stone Trophy: G. Cavanagh, D. Curtis, A. McClenaghan, B. Duff, F. Starr, W. Charlton, G. White, H. MacDiarmid, R. Varley, K. Starr, D. Lockyer, D. Macansh, 10/10. No. 4, 5-bird S.B. Sparrows: H. Campion, 5/5; C. Varley, A. Cregan, L. Evans, D. Macansh, G. White, M. Thrift, A. McClenaghan, W. Charlton, N. Campion, 5/5. High Gun: W. Charlton. GUYRA (N.S.W.), 28/5/66.-Weather con-

A very good roll-up to shoot in perfect weather conditions, which was a treat after the recent snow. Shooting was of high standard, with a faultless display by High Gun winner, W. Charlton.

The programme had to be cut short owing to a loss of time caused by a shoot-off for the monthly trophy. The sparrows event was finished in the dark, with the scores for this event not quite up to the standard of the afternoon.

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

HAWKESBURY (N.S.W.), 23/4/66.—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1. 10-bird D.B.: R. Clare, N. Galland, N. Rogley, G. Carr, R. Hayes, L. Massey, C. Catsanis, L. Catsanis, C. Joass, M. Fuller, 10/10, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Sparrows (16 yds.): M. Quirk, N. Galland, L. Massey, M. Fuller, 10/10, div. No. 3, County of Cumberland D.B. Sparrow C'ship: 1st. L. Massey, 20/20: 2nd. M. Fuller, 20/21; D. Tatam. 19/21; best F/M., G. Carr. No. 4, 10-bird Pts.: D. Tatam, L. Massey, D. Suthers, C. Joass, 30/30, div. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. (27 yds.): M. Fuller, 10/10; D. Suthers, D. Tatam, 9/10, div. Len Massey shot the programme. 30 of HAWKESBURY (N.S.W.), 23/4/66.-Wea-

Len Massey shot the programme, 30 of them sparrows, and won the C'ship outright with the only possible. Mal Fuller was second and Doug. Tatam third. Both Mal. and Doug. were in very good form also.

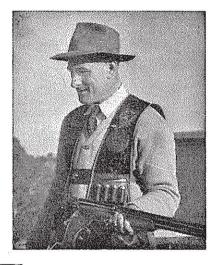
(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

HUNTLY (V.), 7/5/66. — Weather conditions: windy. Attendance: fair. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: G. Ashman, F. Doyle, N. Carboon, O. Dowker, 15/15. No. 2, Club D.B. C'ship: 1st, J. Cumming, 20/20; 2nd, H. Birchall, 38/39; 3rd, T. Baldwin, 37/39; F/M., F. Doyle, 18/20. No. 3, 15-bird D.B.: 1st, W. Makeham, 23/23; 2nd, D. McKay. 22/23; 3rd, G. Ashman, 19/20; 12/14 yds. L. Kemp, 14/16.

Huntly conducted its monthly shoot, with the Club D.B. C'ship the main event, with a northerly wind blowing. Shooters found the targets very elusive, J. Cumming being the only shooter to return the full score 20/20 to take the sash and first trophy. H. Birchall, having his first shoot for a few

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months, took second trophy, with Tatura shooter F. Baldwin taking the third trophy; the 12/15 yds. went to F. Doyle, 18/20.

The 15-bird Trophy event was won by Kerang shooter W. Makeham from D. McKay and Geoff. Ashman; these shooters were the 5 pair D. Rise at sparrows, saw J. Cumming to the fore again with 9/10, 1st; W. Makeham, 8/10, 2nd.

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

HORSHAM (V.), 14/5/66.—Weather conditions: fine, slight wind. Attendance: 29. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: 11 shooters div. No. 2, 15-bird D.B. \$100 H'cap: A. Tucker, W. Oliver, R. Hudson, 15/15, div. No. 3, 19-bird D.B. H'cap: S. Childs, K. Hart, B. Robinson, L. Egginton, W. Drendel, 10/10, div. No. 4, 5-bird S.B.: A. Tucker, R. Krause, B. Schiller, C. Strause, W. Davadd, 5.5. div. ling, G. Strauss, W. Drendel, 5/5, div.

A good muster for our monthly shoot, but the scores were not quite as high as usual; the wind seemed to make the birds play up a bit. Allan Tucker, Wally Oliver and Roy Hudson divided the main event and earned themselves another yard further back for their effort.

Thanks to the ladies for their usual first-class afternoon tea, which was appreciated by all.

(Bert Robinson, Hon. Sec.)

HAMILTON (V.), 21/5/66.-Weather con-HAMILTON (V.), 21/5/66.—Weather conditions: cold and showery. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: 6 shooters div. No. 2, 20-bird S.B. C'ship: 1st, N. Hinneberg (Horsham): 2nd, S. Thompson (Hamilton): 3rd, D. Mayfield (Hamilton). No. 3, 15 birds Mixed Bird Events: No shooter shot possible, 6 shooters with 14/15 div. the event.

Shooting conditions not very favourable for trap shooting. Shooters travelled far for our championship (Hamilton and District S.B.). Three only shot the possible. Hamilton always treats the Hinneberg brothers, John and Norm: this was Norm's turn to take home the sash. Next shoot, June 18 - 5 trap trophy shoot.

Mesdames Arnold and Beaumont turned on Mestames Aribot and Beamont turied of their usual afternoon tea to warm everybody. Thank you, ladies. Our twelve months' shoot programme is available on request. Secretary. K. Ilsley, 210 Rippon Road, Hamilton.

(K. Ilsley, Hon. Sec.)

HAY (N.S.W.), 22/5/66. — Weather conditions: sunny and warm. Attendance: 20. No. 1, Evans & Balfour Novelty (in two divisions of 20 targets): First Div. (off 15 divisions of 20 targets): First Div. (off 15 yds.): J. Houston, 20/20, 1st; J. Skene, 2nd; C. Gibson, 3rd. Second Div. (off 18 yds.): J. Headon, 1st, 34/34; H. Cox. 2nd, 33/34; Maurice Gibson, 3rd, 19/20. 10 targets Pts. (Assoc. h'eap marks): V. Cox, W. Ronald. L. Booth, J. Houston, 30/30, div.

A more perfect autumn day could not be ordered, and seeing it was the start of the club's shoots now to be shot on a Sunday, it appears to be most popular with 98 percent of the club members. Our thanks go out to Messrs. Evans and Balfour in the gift of the six lovely trophies, which were admired by all. The local champ. was far too good off the 18-yard mark in his division; however, popular Marshal Harry Cox took him to the 33rd target before quitting to take second place, with Maurice Gibson third.

Patron of the club, John Houston, collected his division quickly due to him, being the only one to notch up 20/20, with six others

right behind him on 19/20. Final result being that T. Skene took the minor place. with Col. Gibson third after a shoot-off.

(L. McKinney, Hon. Sec.)

INVERELL (N.S.W.), 30/4/66. — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: C. Colley, N. Campbell, D. McCaffrey, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: C. Colley, D. McCaffrey, J. Menzell, div. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Club Trophy: C. Colley, N. Campbell, G. Cavanagh, A. Mitchell, J. Menzell, G. Leach, div. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. Walkup: R. Rolfe, G. Leach, D. McCaffrey, div. Club's first afternoon shoot for 1966 season.

14/5/66. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: A. Mitchell, R. Waldron, G. Cavanagh, J. Ponton, R. Rolfe, N. Pennington, N. Campbell, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird Pts.: G. Cavanagh, A. Mitchell, J. Ponton, 20/20 — shootoff, J. Ponton. No. 3, 15-bird Col. Smith Trophy: N. Campbell, 15/15. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. Walk-up: L. Kennedy, H. Thomas, 5/5.

The conditions were very good, with the new shooters doing very well. In the 10-bird Points they were all 12 yds. in the shoot-off.

Any visitors to Inverell on the third Saturday of every month are very welcome to the club.

(N. Campbell, Hon. Sec.)

KOJONUP (W.A.), 1/5/66.—Weather conditions: cloudy and mild. Attendance: 20. Results: 30-bird D.B. Pts.: T. Cusack, 86/90; D. Webb, 73/90; K. Anderson, N. Beeck. P. H. Crossley, 72/90.

Shooting under almost ideal conditions. Tony Cusack was untroubled to come home an easy winner for the Glen Pritchard Trophy. Good to see Phill Crossley shooting in fine style to win the forward-markers' trophy, which was donated by Fergis Mainwaring, and to take out equal third place. The Albany boys proved that they came for more than just the ride by David Webb shooting into second place.

(Keith Anderson, Hon. Sec.)

KEMPSEY (N.S.W.), 8/5/66. — Weather conditions: fine day, high wind. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. G.W.: J. Smith. B. Smith, G. Harris, T. Dick, W. Harris, J. Haigh, E. Hassal, S. Marsh, 5/5. div. No. 2, 15-bird S.B.: B. Gillett, J. Haigh, 15/15, div.; 8 div. 3rd. No. 3, 15-bird D.B.: J. Goodsell, B. Gillett, B. Smith, G. Harris, Mrs. Gates, W. Darley, 15/15, div. No. 4, 15-bird Pts.: Dr. S. Marsh, H. Kemp, 45/45; T. Dick, J. Haigh, W. Darley, 44/45. No. 5, 15-bird D.B. Trophy: J. Haigh, 58/58; J. Goodsell, 57/58; G. Harris, 48/49. No. 6, 20-bird Pts.: J. Haigh, H. Kemp, 60/60; T. Dick, A. Neill, 59/60.

This open shoot was organised too quickly to put in the "News". It was the first open day on our new ground and was very successday on our new ground and was very successful, and very good shooting was witnessed. Four breaks were made: J. Goodsell 114, J. Haigh 95, W. Darley 71, and G. Harris 59. Shooters from Bourke, Sydney. Newcastle, Tarce, Dorrigo and Lismore attending. Several trophies did not arrive in time to be included in the programme. The R.S.L. trophy was won by J. Haigh, 58/58; J. Goodsell, 57/58; G. Harris, 48/49, from seven other shooters who cot the possible. other shooters who got the possible.

About five hundred people attended the shoot and all commented how well our ground looked.

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

KEILOR (V.), Friday Night, 13/5/66. -No. 1, 10-bird D.B. (pts. comp), off 16 yds.: 5 shooters 30/30, div., R. Hunter, A. Gibbons, 5 shooters 30/30, div., R. Hunter, A. Gibbons, J. Gooley, W. Bamford, H. Barnes. No. 2, Club D.B. Night C'ship: 1st, H. Weitzel, 28/28; 2nd, F. Reade, 27/28; 3rd, A. James, 41/42; 12/15 yds., L. Phillips, 40/42. No. 3. 5-bird S.B.: 4 shooters 5/5, div., F. Reade, A. Gibbons, H. Weitzel, J. Walls.

Weather very pleasant, attendance 30 shooters. A very good night's shooting. The club's D.B. C'ship saw a good number taking part in this event, which went to Henry Weitzel with 28/28 — good shooting. Henry: second place went to Fred Rende, the President, 27/28, who is very unlucky in championships, Third to Alf James (Bendigo), 41/42; 12/15 yds., L. Phiillips, 40/42.

28/5/66. — No. 1, 10-bird Pts.: 1st, W. Copeland, 54/54; 2nd, H. Weitzel, 50/53; 3rd, R. Hunter, 32/33. No. 2, Keilor Plains S.B. C'ship: 1st, L. Hendra, 20/20; 2nd, F. Burns.

36/37; 3rd, C. Northey, 35/35; 12/15 yds., L. Phillips, 17/20. No. 3, Mildura Shield Teams Shoot (run in conjunction with a 20-bird D.B. H'cap): 1st, T. Spence, 30/30: 2nd. J. Platten, 29/30: 3rd, D. McSparron, 26/27; 12/15 yds., G. Baker, 19/20.

Weather perfect, attendance very good. First event went to Bill Copeland from H. Weitzel, and Bob Hunter 3rd. The Keilor Plains S.B. C'ship was won by Les Hendra Plains S.B. C'ship was won by Les Hendra (Werribee) with a clean score 20/20; 2nd. F. Burns, 36/37; 3rd, C. Northey, 35/37; 12/15 yds., L. Phillips, 17/20. The Teams event was a keen contest, with seven teams competing, which was won by the Victorian Gun Club. Les Beer, the President, was very happy with the result. The Handicap in this event was won by T. Spence, 1st, 30/30; 2nd, J. Platten, 29/30; 3rd, D. McSparron, 26/27; 12/15 yds., G. Baker, 19/20.

A wonderful day's shooting and enjoyed

(G. Hunter, Hon. Sec.)

LAE (T.P.N.G.), 24/4/66. — Weather conditions: gusty wind towards trap. Attendditions: gusty wind towards trap. Attendance: 12. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Kills: H. Dunstan, 5/5; MacFarlan, Osborn, Welsh. 4/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird S.B. H'cap: H. Dunstan, 12/12; N. Osborn, 11/12; G. Welsh. 9/10. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. Pts.: "Snow" MacFarlan, 13/15; T. O'Bryan, 12/15; Osborn, Kramer, Dunstan, 11/15. No. 4, 10-bird S.B. H'cap: "Snow" MacFarlan, 9/10; W. Hall, 20/20-20; 7.4/10 H'cap: "Snow" MacFarlan, 9/10; W. man, 8/10; T. O'Bryan, 7/10.
Only a practice shoot and our first for

six weeks because of extensive flood damage to the club's access road. Considering our recent weather conditions, this was a good recent weather conditions, this was a good roll-up, and we are very pleased to welcome a new member in "Snow" MacFarlan. "Snow" shot extremely well for a new-comer and we predict that in the not too distant future he will be able to whisper "pull" for release of targets. Tony Harrington and Col. Benton also acquitted themselves very well.

Sincere thanks to the un-named members who made the day possible and to those who have co-operated towards making 1st May

our official opening day) one of our most anticipated programmes. We look forward to welcoming visitors from Port Moresby, Rabaul and Mt. Hagen for the I.C.I. Trophy and Morebs S.P. Colin. and Morobe S.B. C'ship.

11/5/66. - Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. H'cap: V. Sandr, J. Ruge, T. Hammersley. tendance: 32. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. H'cap: V. Sandr. J. Ruge, T. Hammersley. G. Zoghaib, A. Hall, G. Boulter, N. Camps. 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird S.B. H'cap: E. Kennedy. 10/10; V. Sandr. D. Wright, J. Ruge, G. Boulter, div. 2nd and 3rd, 9/10. No. 3, 20-bird S.B. H'cap for I.C.I. Trophy: 4 shooters tied with 18/20—shoot-off: G. Zoghaib, 23/25; J. Ruge, 22/25; T. Hammersley, 21/25. No. 4. Morobe Dist. S.B. C'ship: 1st. E. Kennedy, 20/20; 2nd. G. Zoghaib. 18/20; shoot-off for 3rd between A. Hall and N. Osborn went to A. Hall. 18/21. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. H'cap Pts.: 1st. J. Ruge, 30/30; 2nd, V. Sandr, 32/33; 3rd. H. Dunstan, 31/33. High Gun Trophy went to E. Kennedy (Port Moresby). A very good attendance for our opening day at Markham Point, with visitors from Mt. Hagen, Port Moresby. Rabaul and Goroka. Our Patron, Dr. Bryan Todd, very creditably despatched the first clay and declared the club open. With the exceptions of Gary Owen, Boulter and Harry Dunstan, the visitors swept all events before them.

the visitors swept all events before them. Congratulations to all for an excellent day's shooting, and we hope to see you at the T.P.N.G. D.B. C'ship on June 12.

Thanks go to all who assisted in making the day a success by assisting with refereing scoring etc. Thanks to the ladies who assisted with the presentation barbecue at Tomike Blantation in the caracity and to Tamiloa Plantation in the evening, and to our President, Norm Osborn, for making his home available for a very enjoyable conclusion to the day.

The \$600.00 Lottery was won by J. Lowein of Mt. Hagen.

(G. F. Welsh, Hon. Sec.)

LILYDALE (V.), 14/5/66. - 50 shooters. No. 1, 10-bird Pts.: R. Dinsdale, Bill Gresselle, 30/30 pts., div. with the possible from 5 with 29/30. No. 2, Metropolitan D.B. C'ship 5 with 29/30. No. 2, Metropolitan D.B. C'ship (20 birds off 16 yds.): 1st, N. J. Thomas, 75/75; 2nd. N. Kneebone, 74/75; 3rd, G. Robinson, 68/69; 12/14 yds., K. McKay, 19/20; 15/16 yds., D. Clay, 38/39; 17/18 yds., W. R. Johns, 48/49. No. 3, 6 pair D. Rise (off 16 yds.); N. Thomas, T. Delorenzo, A. D. McGulloch, N. Kneebone, 5/6 pairs, div.

The Australian champ., Newton J. Thomas, again paid us a visit and duly took off the main event, the Metropolitan D.B. C'ship, with a fine break of 75, unfinished - a fine performance under the trying conditions of a very strong cross wind and dull light; also sharing in the D. Rise event. Nice to see first event with the only possibles from five shooters with 29/30. Doug. Clay, after a spell away from shooting, demonstrated that the rest did not impair his ability at all by putting up a break of 50 odd all told. Norm Kneebone was another, after a long spell, to shoot over 80 straight and run the Australian champ, to a close finish in the main

The ladies put on a fine afternoon ten which was much appreciated.

28/5/66. — No. 1, 10-bird S.B.: div. B. Douglas, V. Nicholas, W. Carlon, G. Robinson, R. Henwood, 10/10. No. 2, Club S.B. C'ship: 1st, G. Robinson, 20/20; 2nd, R. Henwood, 24/26; 3rd, B. Douglas, 23/26; 12/14 yds., L. Dingley, 18/20; 15/16 yds., R. Greenwood, 24/27; 17/18 yds., Bill Carlon, 22/25; ladies' trophy, Mrs. W. Gresselle. No. 3, 20-bird H'cap: div. G. Robinson, K. McKay, A. Ferguson, 20/20. Merv. Landers won the Special Event for a case of Blue won the Special Event for a case of Blue Stars with a possible (the only one).

As usual, the ladies put on a fine after-noon tea, which was really very much appreciated by all.

Geo. Robinson is really shooting extremely well. He never missed a bird all day. It was very nice to see a few of the new shooters partake of some of the prize money. Both A. Ferguson and his pal L. Dingley are now really showing very much improved form over the last few weeks, and I am sure will in future keep all the other shooters on their toes in any of the events. Keith McKay also is now a vastly improved shooter. Merv. Landers was the lucky shooter for the case of Plus Steven. of Blue Stars.

The club has now three traps installed and soon hope to erect more shelter and do up the roadway into the club grounds.

(W. R. Johns, Hon, Sec.)

LISMORE (N.S.W.), 22/5/66. — Weather conditions: fine, brisk southerly. Attendance: conditions: fine, brisk southerly. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: F. Hoskins. Bill Anderson. Dick Powell, Darcy Powell. D. Worrall, 15/15, div. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: F. Hoskins. Bill Anderson, H. Roberts. D. Mount. R. Shepherd, Darcy Powell. D. Worrall, 5/5, div. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: C. J. Lee, Darcy Powell, D. Worrall, 5/5, div. No. 3, 5-bird S.B.: C. J. No. 4, 5-bird Pts.: F. Hoskins, Dick Powell. D. Mount, R. Shepherd, D. Worrall, 15/15, div. No. 5, 10-bird Pts. H'cap Trophy: 1st. Bill Anderson, 30/30; 2nd, D. Worrall, 30/30; 3rd, Dick Powell, 50/51; 4th. L. Sharpe, 49/51. No. 6, 5-bird S.B.: F. Hoskins. Dick Powell, S. Anderson, D. Mount. L. Sharpe, R. Shepherd, D. Worrall, 5/5. No. 7, 5 pair D. Rise: Darcy Powell, 10/10; Dick Powell, D. Worrall, 9/10. No. 8. Box Sweep: R. J. D. Worrall, 9/10. No. 8. Box Sweep: R. J.

A small roll-up and windy conditions, but A small roll-up and windy collabors, but scores were good and competition keen. "Yours truly" had a field day, using no second barrels until Event 7, when our worthy President, Darcy Powell, proved to he the expert. Bill Anderson took first prize in the trophy event. As there were only two possibles, and 1st and 2nd trophies were similar travelling rugs - no shoot-off neces-

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

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

### AMPOL SHIELD CHAMPIONSHIP \$400 "REMINGTON" TROPHY SHOOT

SATURDAY, 6th AUG., and SUNDAY, 7th AUG., 1966

Saturday, commencing 1.30 p.m.:

Four events, including the . . .

### CENTRAL TABLELANDS DOUBLE-BARREL CH'SHIP and a TROPHY EVENT.

Sunday, commencing at 10 a.m.:

No. 1 --- GUN WARMER.

Nom. \$1.00

No. 2 - \$100 "REMINGTON" TROPHY

1st - 500 REMINGTON Shells. 2nd - 150 REMINGTON Shells. 3rd - 100 REMINGTON Shells.

No. 3 —

### LACHLAN VALLEY D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP

Optional 50c each. \$2
1st Sash and Trophy; 2nd, 3rd and F.M. Trophies. 10 50c overall.

No. 4 - AMPOL SHIELD (20 target), plus \$350 "REMINGTON" TROPHY \$10,00

1st — "REMINGTON" Model 1100 gas-operated Auto Gun — Monte Carlo trap model. :: 2nd and 3rd Trophies.

PROGRAMME GUARANTEED. :: HIGH GUN and Intermediate High Gun. Shooters: The Club is situated on the aerodrome. If you are flying, please 'buzz" the Club and we'll meet you at the terminal.

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### LISMORE

Grounds at Three Chain Road, South Lismore. (Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

### SHOOTING PROGRAMME

Shoots are to be conducted on the fourth Saturday of each month, with the proviso that, if and when the relevant Legislation is passed to permit Sunday shooting, shoots will be conducted on the fourth Sunday of every month,

23rd July:

### 25 MIXED BIRDS HANDICAP TROPHY

5 D.B., 5 S.B., 5 Walk-up, 5 Pairs Double Rise. Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

27th August:

### North Coast of N.S.W. D.B. Champ'ship

20 TARGETS from 16 vards. :: Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

24th September:

### 10 PAIRS DOUBLE-RISE HANDICAP TROPHY

22nd October:

Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

### 10 TARGETS WALK-UP TROPHY

26th November:

### Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd. **Club Single-barrel Championship**

20 TARGETS from 16 yards. :: Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

17th December:

### CHRISTMAS SHOOT, featuring a variety of events with Seasonal Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each.

All shooters will be made honorary club members for the day of the shoot.

### - NOTE -

SHOOTS-OFF: All shoots-off, whether in Club events or in Championships, will be shot miss-and-out in squad-system until finality.

HANDICAPPING: The New Handicapping Formula, as published in the A.C.T.A. "News", Vol. 18, No. 3 (December, 1964), will apply to ALL shooters at ALL shoots.

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JULY, 1966

sary for these very welcome trophies. Dick Powell, Len Sharpe, Harley Roberts and Don Mount all scored 29/30 and entered into a spirited shoot-off for third place, and Dick spirited shoot-off for third place, and Dick took the "money" after only 7 targets. Aggregates for the day were: David Worrall, 44/45; Dick Powell, 42/45; Roy Shepherd and Darcy Powell, 41/45.

All were delighted to see Andy Chapman along for the first time in 12 months—hope

you come along next month, too, Andy, and can fire a few shots. Stephen Anderson, home from University, was also a welcome visitor and "held his end up" well. Pleased, too, to welcome Keith De Saxe of Ballina as a new member - hope to see you regularly now, Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Lee made the long trip from Urbenville again, and Clarrie gave us the pleasure of his competition, while Mrs. Lee scored and helped Mrs. Darcy Powell and Mrs. Dick Powell prepare the usual fine afternoon tea — our thanks to you as ever,

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

MANSFIELD (V.), 21/5/66.—Weather conditions: cold, cloudy. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: div. C. McCormack, C. Harrison, V. Walters, R. Smith, L. Parks, R. Yeates, A. Le Poidevin, G. Cumming, C. Leatham. No. 2, 10-bird Trophy: 1st, C. Leatham, 15/15; 2nd, C. Harrison, 14/15; 3rd, V. Walters, 13/14; F/M., R. Yeates. No. 3, 10 birds: div. R. Smith, L. Parks, A. Le Poidevin A. Le Poidevin.

The weather was cold and cloudy, but we had good attendance at our monthly shoot,

visitors coming from Benalla, Euroa and Wangaratta.

Special thanks to the ladies for a very nice afternoon tea.

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

MENDOORAN (N.S.W.), 2/4/66.-Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 10. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. J. Nott, H. Blaauw, No. 1, 5-bird D.B.; div. J. Nott, H. Blaauw, G. Blackman, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.; div. R. Marchant, B. Collins, J. Ellery, J. Nott, 5/5. No. 3, 10-bird Pts. Trophy: R. Marchant, 33/33. No. 4, 15-bird D.B. event for .22 rifle: R. Marchant, 15/15. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: J. Ellery, 10/10. No. 6, 5 pair D. Rise: D. Smith, 9/10.

Mr. Marchant shot very well to win the event for the rifle, also the point-score and the High Gun trophies. The 12/15 yd. trophy

the High Gun trophies. The 12/15 yd. trophy was won by John Ellery.

9/4/66. — Weather conditions: fine, warm.

Attendance: 29. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.:
G. Blackman, J. Kelly, E. Saunders, D. Smith, J. Ellery, H. Blaauw, J. Doherty, B. Collins, G. Hall, F. Hudspeth, R. Yeo, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird Pts.: J. Scott, R. Marchant, N. Smith, G. Blackman, 30/30, div. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Trophy: R. Yeo, 41/41, 1st; G. Rich, 40/41, 2nd; P. Brook, 35/36, 3rd. No. 4, 10 pair D. Rise Teams (16 yds.): Dubbo (J. Scott, J. Baxter, K. Heywood, G. Rich, W. Rae), 77/100, div. No. 5, 20-bird D.B. Teams and \$60 Cash: Gilgandra (D. Patrick, B. Walton, P. Brook, F. Brook, J. Kelly), 97/100. \$60 Cash H'Caprun with above: J. Scott, J. Nott, R. Brown, J. Baxter, G. Rich, B. Walton, D. Patrick, 20/20.

# The second attendance at our monthly shoot. Solvant S

### WYARAMA GUN CLUB (N.S.W.) • •

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

(90 miles north of Wentworth, on Darling River)

### **All-Day Championship Shoot**

— Sunday, 7th August —

Commencing 10 a.m. :: 2 AUTOMATIC TRAPS.

Event 1-10-BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER (Point Score) off 16 yards. Comp. Div. :: Nom. \$2.00.

Event 2-

### Lower West Darling S.B. Championship

20 BIRDS off 16 yards. :: Nom. \$2.50.

Sash, 1st, 2nd, 3rd Trophies. Front Markers' Trophy. Ladies' Trophy. :: Op. Sweep 50c each 10 birds, 50c over-all.

Event 3 --

### Lower West Darling D.B. Championship

20 BIRDS off 16 yards. :: Nom. \$2.50.

Sash, 1st, 2nd, 3rd Trophies. Front Markers' Trophy. Ladies' Trophy. :: Op. Sweep 50c each 10 birds, 50c over-all.

Event 4-

### 20-Bird D.B. I.C.I. Trophy Shoot

2nd and 3rd Trophies. Front Markers' Trophy. Nom. \$3.50.

WYARAMA SHIELD shot in conjunction with this Event. Teams of 5 shooters. \$2.50 per team. Shield to be returned to Wyarama Gun Club, to be shot for on the first Sunday in February each year.

### HIGH GUN on Events 2, 3 and 4.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

The Committee reserves the right to make any necessary alteration to advertised Programme.

LUNCHEON, AFTERNOON TEA, CARTRIDGES AVAILABLE ON GROUND.

LES DUNN, President, Box 61, P.O., Wentworth, N.S.W.

Miss MARG. WARREN, Hon. Sec., "Whurlie" Station, via Wentworth, N.S.W.

Our first Easter shoot was a financial and social success, with shooters competing from social success, with shooters competing from Dubbo, Narromine, Gilgandra, Boggabri. Our congratulations go to Mr. Reg Yeo of Mendooran Club on his well-deserved win in the main trophy event, and Mr. G. Rich of Dubbo, who came second.

Dubbo also won back the D. Rise Shield with a score of 77/100. Gilgandra won the 20-bird D.B. Permewan Shield with the record score on this particular shield of 97/100.

High Gun, donated by I.C.I., was won by J. Scott with 61/65, and the 12/15 yds. was won by J. Baxter, 59/55, and 12 yd. trophy, donated by Whitney and Son of Dubbo, was won by G. Hall, 56/65.

We would like to thank all those shooters who helped through the day, with scores, refereeing, pulling, etc. Thanks also to the ladies who provided the morning cup of ten which was much appreciated by everyoone.

7/5/66.—Weather conditions: fine. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: B. Collins, H. McDiarmid, D. Smith, 5/5, div. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: H. McDiarmid, 5/5, 1st. No. 3, 10-bird Pts.: B. Collins, H. Blaauw, 29/30, div. No. 4, 15-bird D.B.: B. Collins, 1st. 31/32; J. Nott, 2nd, 30/32. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: B. Collins, D. Smith, 10/10, div.

A very small attendance of members this A very small attendance of members this month. Owing to a very brief fall of rain, most members were busy sowing whent. Barney Collins shot very well to win the round for the .222 rifle for this month, with a score of 31/32, from J. Nott, who was very unlucky, with a score of 30/32. Barney also shared in three other events.

Hope to see more shooters next month, when our Club C'ship will be contested, for which Mr. R. Marchant has donated a very nice trophy.

(D. Smith, Hon. Sec.)

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MARYBOROUGH (Qld.), 26/4/66.—Weather conditions: no wind, rain all day. Attendance: 34. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: M. Shelley, T. Lewis, D. Smith, G. Horrocks, 5/5, div.; D. Gull, C. Culley, B. Parr, C. Kassulke, W. Hughes, S. Jackson, N. Christensen, 4/5. No. 2, Maryborough and Dist. S.B. C'ship: W. Hughes (Toogoolawah), 1st, 20/20; D. Gull (Maryborough), 2nd, 19/20; C. Culley (Brisbane), 3rd, 15/20, from shoot-off with J. Sommerville (Toogoolawah). No. 3, 20-bird D.B. Trophy H'cap: N. Massey (Clermont), 1st, 20/20; G. Darlington (Central Burnett), 2nd, 19/20; S. Jackson (Lakes End), 3rd, 19/20—7 in shoot-off, No. 4, 20-bird D.B. Cash H'cap: P. Porter (Brisbane), N. Massey (Clermont), M. Rackerman (Bundaberg), 20/20, equal 1st, div. No. 5, I.C.I.A.N.Z. Trophy H'cap (15-bird Pts.); C. Culley (Brisbane), 43/45, 1st; L. Ivins (South Burnett), 42/45, 3rd; also in shoot-off, L. Cairns (Maryborough), 42/45. High Gun: Bill Hughes (Toogoolawah, 69/75; R. Porter (Brisbane) and N. Massey (Clermont), 68/75. Ducks weather once again for our open short-but but sheeten and the short where the short was considered.

(Brisbane) and N. Massey (Clermont), 68/75. Ducks weather once again for our open shoot, but shooters are becoming used to it (well, almost). The response to our advertising was the best yet, in that we had the most successful shoot since the club began. The shoot went very smoothly all day, not stopping for lunch, but darkness fell before the shoot ended. The last two squads had night conditions, lights on and white clays.

The club management wishes to thank all shooters for the sportsmanship they showed at the closing stages of the day. Thanks to

Alan Guli for his untiring work on the tracks most of the day in the rain.

Congratulations to all winners and place-getters, especially to Bill Hughes, winner of District S.B. C'ship and High Gun.

PS.— Thanks to Noel Massey for driving 500 miles down to attend the shoot. Readers: beware of ttraffic police here. Ask Noel.

(Les Cairns, Hon, Sec.)

MANNUM (S.A.), 8/5/66. - Weather con-MANNUM (S.A.), 8/5/66. — Weather conditions: not bad. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1, 10 birds: J. Maczkowiack, F. Grey, L. Beatty, J. Warnes, W. Faehrmann, J. Hutchings, R. Mules, 10/10. No. 2, State Walk-up C'ship: 1st, J. Maczkowiack, 19/20; 2nd, F. Grey, 18/20; 3rd, C. Chiantore, 20/23. No. 3, 15-bird H'cap: F. Grey, E. Boldrin. 15/15. drin, 15/15.

No one shot the possible 20 targets in the State Walk-up C'ship. John Maczkowiack "took off" first trophy and his first badge, too, with 19/20. Congratulations, John.

Thanks to the ladies for the lovely hot lunch and the very welcome afternoon tea.

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

MANGOPLAH (N.S.W.), 8/5/66.—Wenther conditions: fine, overeast. Attendance: 38. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: S. Finemore, L. Stoll, R. Hall, W. Manning, L. Knox, J. Thompson, K. Oldfield, I. McRorie, G. Rodham, 10/10, div. No. 2, 10-bird D. Rise: H. Mohr, 1st, 19/20; E. Geier, D. Taylor, D. Gittings, B. McPherson, 17/20. No. 3, N.S.W. D. Rise C'ship: D. Gittings, 1st, 28/30; D. Taylor, 2nd, 24/30; R. Baz, 3rd, 24/30; No. 4, 860 H'cap: R. Baz, H. Mohr, G. Lieschke, L. Knox, K. Oldfield, B. McPherson, K. Hodge, H. Cox, G. Lymbery, S. Bell, J. Graham, G. Graham, G. Rodham, D. Gittings, 15/15, div. No. 5, \$50 H'cap: 1. McRorie, J. Graham, T. Leirsch, A. Graham, 14/15, div. No. 6, 10-bird D.B.: D. Thompson, W. Manning, H. Mohr, G. Lieschke, H. Cox, B. Leirsch, B. McPherson, A. Graham, 10/10, div. No. 7, 6 prs. D'ville Doubles: J. McZousland -D. Ratcliffe, Lynch Creasy - Johno Cox, L. Knox - B. McPherson, K. Hodge, G. Eddarm I. Corbe. Creasy - Johno Cox, L. Knox - B. McPherson, K. Hodge - G. Rodham, L. Graham - A. Graham, G. Lieschke - J. Pumpa, 6/6, div.

The C'ship was won by Albury shooter Dave Gittings with 28/30 from D. Taylor and R. Baz, 24/30.

The shooters and friends enjoyed an excellent lunch and afternoon tea provided by the ladies of the hall committee. The proceeds from this shoot being donated to the local hall fund.

(A. P. Millwood, Hon. Sec.)

MERSEY (Tns.), 21/5/66.—Weather conditions: overcast. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Pts.: A. Bowering, D. Brett, J. Tubb. 15/15, div. No. 2, 5-bird S.B. Novice: H. Brett, B. Bott, 3/5, div. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. Club C'ship: 1st, D. Brett, 21/21; 2nd, G. Pinner, 20/21; 3rd, A. Bowering, 37/38; F/M., B. Lee, 17/20. No. 4, 15-bird D.B. H'cap (yardage groups): 17/18 yds.: div. D. Brett, G. Pinner, R. Blake, A. Bowering, E. Sharman, 15/15. 15/16 yds.: 1st, G. Roberts, 15/15; 2nd, S. Bott, 16 yds.: 1st. G. Roberts, 15/15: 2nd, S. Bott, 11/15. 12/14 yds.: div. D. Vonsteiglitz, B. Bott, B. Richardson, B. Lee, L. Whittle,

Don Brett and George Pinner, having both tied in the Club D.B. C'ship, very quickly decided the winner with one bird each; George

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Mt. Petrie Road, Belmont. (Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

THREE-DAY SHOW WEEK SHOOT — 17th, 20th and 21st AUGUST to be held on the new four-track lay-out. :: Clubhouse and amenities available.  — 4 DAMO ELECTRIC TRAPS OPERATING —	14111211111111111111111111111111111111
DAY — WEDNESDAY, 17th AUGUST — 9.0 a.m.  No. 1—5-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL EYE-OPENER — Division	
No. 3—  QUEENSLAND INTERMEDIATE DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP  20 Birds — 16 yards. :: Sash and Trophy, 1st; Trophies 2nd and 3rd 2.50	
Restricted to shooters whose handicap does not exceed 16 yards SWEEPSTAKES —	2011011011
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BRISBANE DOUBLE-BARREL NIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP 20 Birds — 16 yards. Badge and Trophy, 1st; Trophies 2nd and 3rd. Op. Sweep 50c each 10 birds. 2.50	
DAY - SATURDAY, 20th AUGUST - 9.0 a.m.  No. 1—5-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL EXE-OPENER — Division 50	
25-Bird	
No. 3—  \$400 Handicap - \$400  30-Bird Double Barrel. Association Handicaps. Dividend 60%, 30%, 10%.	
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DAY — SUNDAY, 21st AUGUST — 9.0 a.m.  No. 1—5-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL EYE-OPENER — Division	
20-Bird	
No. 3— <b>5600 Handicap - 5600</b> 40-Bird Double Barrel. Association Handicaps. Dividend — 1st \$300, 2nd \$140, 3rd \$60 15.00  Yardages — 12-14 \$20, 15-17 \$20, 18-19 \$20, 20-22 \$20, 23-27 \$20.  Shooters sharing 1st, 2nd and 3rd not eligible for yardages. :: CALCUTTA on this event.	
No. 4—10 PAIRS DOUBLE RISE. :: Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd HIGH-GUN TROPHY — Kills to count over entire Programme.  ALL EVENTS UNDER A.C.T.A. CONDITIONS PRIZE MONEY GUARANTEEL LUNCH, REFRESHMENTS, GUNSMITH AND CARTRIDGES ON GROUND.	
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missed his first bird and took the second placing. The third trophy was much harder to decide; E. Sharman, G. Roberts and A. Bowering went to the 18th bird before Allan was declared the winner. Front-marker troby went to B. Lee with a score of 17/20. Brian shot well all day and also scored his possible in the Handicap. Some excellent shooting was seen in the Handicap and no fewer than 11 shooters came up with the possible. Among the top scores was young shooter Byron Bott; Byron scored well for his maiden shoot, this being his first outing; he looks like going places.

The President, Mr. S. Roberts, welcomed visiting shooters and presented the trophies. An excellent afternoon tea was served by the ladies' committee. Thank you, ladies.

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

METROPOLITAN (V.). - Splendid attendances during May and shooting of a high

7/5/66. - This day preceded Mothers' Day and on this occasion trophies for the main 30 birds Handicap were all suitable for ladies. It provided keen competition and high scores.

Graham White, 55/55 (shooting very weil at present), was flat out to beat Arch Gosling, 54/55, while Max Day (76/77) had a long grind to take third prize. The frontmark trophy was won by D. Mooney with a well-compiled 52/55.

In the preliminary 10 birds Points, Tony Buskauskas and Ray Lacey were the dividers with 30/30. Graham White and Arch Gos-

ling, each 29/30, split the remaining cash.
The Skeet was operating, and six shooters divided.

21/5/66.—This programme commenced with a 6 pair Deauville Doubles, and in this 12 pair finished with a clean score and divided. Then followed the Metropolitan Deauville Doubles Championship, in which 28 pairs took the field. Shooting was not too easy and performances were highly creditable. The winning pair were Alan Harrod and Eugene Colautti with 45/45. This pair combine well and have enjoyed good wins in this type of

Second place went to the brothers Sam and Rupert Henwood, 44/45. They took a

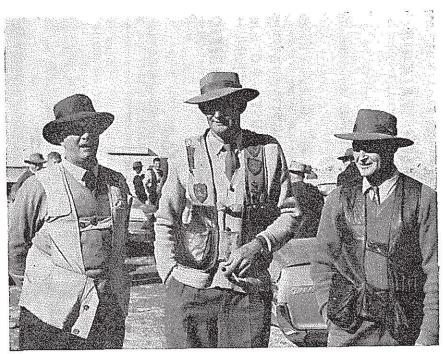
lot of shaking off.
A 15 birds D.B. Handicap concluded the programme and attracted a large field. Tom Spence, Vin Nicholas, Ray Maybury, Anthony Tie, Arthur Giddons, Lin Phillips and Sam Henwood each scored the possible and div. Nine shooters divided the first Skeet and

seven the second.

Incidentally, Skeet operates EVERY shooting day, starting at 12 o'clock.

The eliminations for the team to go to South Australia starts July 2. This is confined to members only. You've just got time

(C. J. Colledge, Sec.)



KEITH CAMERON, winner of Queensland State Double-barrel Sparrow Championship at Roma G.C. Annual Two-day Shoot, 23rd May, 1966. With him are Bob Golden (Second), and Don Whyte (Third).

MILDURA (V.), 14/5/66.—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 30. John Doyle proved too good once again to win yet another C'ship. John won the North West S.B. at the club's monthly shoot with a score of 23/23; R. Erhardt, 2nd, 22/23, and S. Scherger 3rd, 23/24.

The monthly shoots are being well attended by members and we hope will continue. Thanks to ladies for a splendid afternoon

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

MOREE (N.S.W.), 7/5/66 (Day)—Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 16 possibles, div. No. 2, 5 pair D. Rise: B. Dillon, 10/10. No. 3, 10 pair D. Rise N. and N.W. C'ship: 1st, P. Webb; 2nd, G. Riordan; 3rd, G. Ritter; A. Clyne, best 12 ydr. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. \$50 H'cap: J. Thompson, A. Clyne, 20/20, div. 1st and 2nd; C. Clyne, R. Marshall, 19/20, div. 3rd. No. 5, 20-bird Pts. Trophy: 1st, L. Kee; 2nd, E. Brown; 3rd, C. Clyne, No. 6, 10-bird S.B. Trophy: 1st, J. Thompson. No. 7, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, F. Thompson. 1st, F. Thompson.

Very enjoyable day's shooting. Attendance very poor due to seasonal conditions, no

7/5/66 (Night).—Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: F. Thompson, R. Marshall, J. Thompson, E. Saunders, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. N. and N.W. C'ship: 1st, E. Brown; 2nd, F. Thompson; 3rd, J. Thompson; best ydr., A. Clyne. No. 3, 20-bird S.B. N. and N.W. C'ship: 1st, J. Thompson; 2nd, P. Webb; 3rd, G. Ritter. 7/5/66 (Night) - Weather conditions: per-

Shooting under perfect conditions. Congratulations to J. Thompson and Ted Brown on winning the championships.

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

MT. GAMBIER (S.A.), 15/5/66.—Weather conditions: good, but cold. Attendance: 34. No. 1, 5-bird H'eap (comp. div.): 20 shooters shot 5/5. No. 2, Club 15-bird D.B. H'cap Trophy: 8 shooters shot 15/15, and after a further 5 targets S. Thompson, M. Cleland, A. McIntyre, J. Hoop, F. F. Kentish, T. Reschke had shot 20/20 and decided to divide the trophies namely 650 cartridges. Frontthe trophies, namely 650 cartridges. Frontmarker trophies were divided between P. G. Yoannidis and R. W. Wilson, 14/15. No. 3, 10 pair D'ville Doubles, from 20 yds. (drawn partners): 5 pairs of shooters shot 10/10 pair. and after a shoot-off, S. L. Durbidge - A. L. Cameron, 18/18 pair; A. McSween - B. J. Clements, 17/18 pair, Off the Fence D. Rise: P. D. Pringle, 3/3 pair.

An excellent attendance of shooters were present to compete for the cartridges which were offered by the club as trophies. Although the afternoon was rather cold, conditions for shooting were very good and some excellent scores were returned. Congratulations to all prize winners. Good to see George Yoannidis break 12 yards at last, even though it wasn't very profitable.

The President, Ken Marks, presented the trophies after afternoon tea, which had been excellently prepared by the ladies' catering

Farewell and best wishes were also extended to Dan Felton, who is returning to the U.S.A. this week, and who in the past has been an ardent supporter of our club.

(Ian A. Marks, Sec.)

NARACOORTE (S.A.), 22/5/66.—Weather conditions: cool and cloudy. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, E.O.: 19 shooters 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird Pts. H'cap: G. Squire, 1st. 48/48; F. Kentish, 2nd, 47/48; D. Small. 3rd, 33/36; F/M., R. Hetherington, 28/30. No. 3, 10 pairs D.D.: G. Squire - A. Cooper, 1st, 18/19 pairs; K. Marks - P. Cleggett, 2nd, 17/19 pairs. 17/19 pairs.

We had quite a good day's shooting. The weather was a little chilly, but otherwise conditions were good. Geoff. Squire won the shoot-off in the points match—good shooting Geoff. This shoots also was in the wind. ing, Geoff. This shooter also was in the winning pair in the D'ville Doubles match, which was a case of shells divided between the 1st and 2nd pairs.

Our Patron, Mr. Henry Wilkins, was with us again today; he enjoys watching the shoot. The ladies again provided a lovely afternoon tea; many thanks to the ladies.

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

NEWCASTLE (N.S.W.), 7/5/66. — Attendance: 32. No. 1: div. P. Tracey, B. Cook, J. Vernon, B. Smith, F. Baldwin, W. Collis, I. Marshall, J. Fryer, R. Morton, F. Searles, R. Watt, R. Boggiss, M. Tull, D. Hardes, T. Holmes, B. Kedwell, 10/10. No. 2. Newcastle Dist. D'ville Doubles C'ship: 1st, T. Asquirth - D. Mackay, 51/51; 2nd, F. Baldwin - M. Barlow, 50/51. No. 3, 10 pair D. Risse: 1st, F. Baldwin, 10/10; 2nd and 3rd, div. D. Hardes, B. Kedwell, 9/10. No. 4. 10-bird Pts. H'cap: div. J. Fryer, B. Ross, D. Mashburn, 30/30. D. Mashburn, 30/30. (R. G. Morton, Sec.)

N.S.W.G.C. (Terrey Hills), 30/4/66. — 42 shooters, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: B. Chapman, shooters. 10-bird J.B. H'cap: B. Chapman, L. Lane, D. Suthers, L. Talbot, R. Gent, R. Clare, W. Rutty, 16/10. 10-bird Pts.: G. West, R. Watts, 30/30. Sydney District D.B. Sparrows: N. Rogley, 1st, 20/20: L. English, 2nd, 19/20; M. Fuller, 3rd, 19/20. High Gun went to Bill Rutty with 38/40 for the december of the dece

Sat., 14/5/66. — 40 shooters. 10-bird Pts.: A. Palk, L. Talbot, R. Holcombe, G. Tosilini, D. Hunt, 30/30. N.S.W. State Skeet title: F. Hudson was the only possible, taking the 1966 title for N.S.W. In a shoot-off M. Fuller, 24, won from N. Galland, 3rd. N. Galland taking the High Gun trophy for the State Skeet Teams Match.

Sat., 28/5/66. — 38 shooters. 15-bird D.B. H'cap: D. Tatam, L. Alexander, W. Rutty. F. Mitchell, N. Galland, R. Jamieson, J. Worley, 16/10. 10-bird Pts.: G. Papageorgeou, W. Rutty, J. Kenny, 44/45. Faithfull Trophy (15-bird D.B. H'cap): R. Suthers, F. Hudson, A. Robotham, A. Palk, G. Papageorgeou, R. Watts, F. Mitchell, N. Galland, R. Jamieson, G. Kable, J. Worley, 15/15. In a shoot-off, which went to 56 birds, S. Zantis was the winner; N. Galland second, with F. Hudson taking third place. with F. Hudson taking third place.

At the 86th Annual General Meeting held on 6/5/66 Mr. Geo. West was re-elected President of the N.S.W. Gun Club; Mr. R. J. Pye and Mr. F. R. Hudson, Vice-Presidents: Mr. L. Talbot, Treasurer: Committee, J. Edgell, C. Plummer, P. Sims, L. Hughes, A. Little, W. Rutty, A. Robotham.

(Jim Evans, Mgr.)

PERTH (W.A.), Sun., 3/5/66. — A good attendance of members and visitors competed in the I.C.I. Cartridge H'cap of 30 birds

### NEW SOUTH WALES (Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

N.S.W. Teams' Shoot - Club Annual Shoot AUGUST 12, 13th and 14th @ @

- THREE ELECTRIC TRAPS -

FRIDAY NIGHT, 12th August, commencing 6.45 p.m. Event 1-5-BIRD S.B. EYE-OPENER, 18 yards. Nom. \$1.00.

N.S.W. State S.B. Night Championship

30 Birds, 18 yds. Nom. \$3.50. \$1.00 Opt. Sweep over-all. SATURDAY, 13th August, commencing 9.30 a.m. Event 3-10-BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER, 18 yards. Nom. \$1.00. Event 4-

N.S.W. STATE TEAM ELIMINATION

30 Birds, 18 yds. Nom. \$3.00. \$1.00 Opt. Sweep over-all.

### Far West, District N.S.W. S.B. Championship

20 Birds, 16 yds. Nom. \$2.50. \$1.00 Opt. Sweep over-all. 1st Trophy and Sash; 2nd, 3rd and F.M. (12-14 yds.) Trophies. Event 6 -

\$100 HANDICAP — 20 Birds. Nom. \$4.00. . . . BUFFET TEA AT SCHOOL OF ARTS, 7.30 p.m. . . . SUNDAY, 14th August, commencing 9.30 a.m.

Event 7 —

### N.S.W. State Teams' Shoot

\$400 HANDICAP — 40 Birds Double Barrel.

Nom. \$12.00.

Trophies: 1st, value \$250.00; 2nd, \$90.00; 3rd, \$60.00.

Event 9 -

### Far West, District N.S.W. D.B. Championship

20 Birds, 16 yds. Nom. \$2.50. Opt. Sweep \$1.00 over-all. 1st Trophy and Sash; 2nd, 3rd and F.M. (12-14 yds.) Trophies.

Event 10 - 20-BIRD PT. SCORE - \$100.00 Cash. Nom. \$4.00. 1st \$60.00, 2nd \$30.00; 3rd \$10.00.

HIGH GUN donated by Patron, Mrs. W. UPTON. INTERMEDIATE HIGH GUN donated by I.C.I. LTD.

EVENT 5 FIRST PRIZE donated by Potron, Miss MEG KELLY.

Mr. GEORGE HENKEL, Shoot Marshal.

THE COMMITTEE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO VARY THE PROGRAMME.

A. BURGESS, President, Box 3, P.O., Cobar. Phone 345.

Mrs. F. E. SINGLETON, Sec., Box 216, P.O., Cobar. Phone 46.

D.B. Conditions were ideal and there were many good scores. 1st, R. Bailey, 30/30, after a shoot-off with K. Barker, 30/30. A marathon shoot-off for third place saw F. Durbridge take the honours from Jules Steiner: both these shooters, who have figured Steiner; both these shooters, who have agured in interesting tussles before, were perhaps unlucky in scoring breaks of 73, but Jules is happy with his brand-new "50" badge. Others scoring 29/30: D. Secker, G. Bailey, R. Witcombe, T. Di Lanzo, J. Philiphoff, A. Anderson.

Sun., 29/5/66.—Stormy conditions detracted from attendances. The value of practice was shown in good scores under the difficult conditions in a 25-bird Skeet H'cap, nine shooters ditions in a 25-bird Skeet H'cap, nine shooters reaching or exceeding 25 with their handicaps. Best scores off the gun were 24/25 from E. Metcalf and R. Bailey. After shootoffs, placings resulted: 1st, B. Sharp, 20 plus 9 h'cap (23/24 in shoot-off); 2nd, J. Steiner. 21 plus 5 (also 23/24); 3rd, W. Shields, 20 plus 9. F. Durbridge and M. Taylor also recorded good scores, but their lower handicap marks kept them out of the money. 10-bird D.B. (comp. div.): G. Larsen, W. Shields, J. Philiphoff, R. Bailey, 10/10.

Our ladies provided a welcome afternoon tea in their usual good style.

Our membership continues to increase, with some 20 new and enthusiastic shooters joining up this year. Attendances at practice on Saturdays is also attracting good attendances, generally 18-20, but on one Saturday recently we had 30.

(J. G. Spark, Sec.)

POONCARIE (N.S.W.), 30/4/66,-Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 51. conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 51. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. (off h'caps): 8 possibles — M. Sims, R. Warren, R. Wakefield, F. Barnes, K. Wakefield, R. Scherger, G. Wakefield, D. Gates. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Trophy (off h'caps): 1st, N. Wakefield; 2nd, S. Scherger; 3rd, G. Wilkinson. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. \$100 H'cap: 6 div. — M. Sims, W. Maddocks, J. Doyle, R. Garraway, F. Barnes, S. Barnes. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. Pooncarie Dist. C'ship: 1st, J. Doyle; 2nd, C. Barnes; 3rd, F. Barnes.

This was our first shoot for the year and was a very pleasing success, with shooters coming from a long way to attend. Congratulations to John Doyle on his winning of the District C'ship with the good score of 41/41. The minor placings were keenly fought out by Clarrie and Frank Barnes, with finally Clarrie taking off second and Frank third, 50/51 and 49/51. The front-Frank third, 50/51 and 49/51. The front-markers' trophy for this event was won in fine style by N. Wakefield. The Peppora trophy was won with excellent shooting by Neville Wakefield with a good score of 33/33. Second trophy went to Stuart Scherger, and third was Graeme Wilkinson.

### BRCH P GUN CLUB (VIC.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

SATURDAY, JULY 30th, 1966, at 1.00 p.m.

### Birchip Gun Club — CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

at 20 Birds off 16 yards.

Shot in conjunction with

### PICCOLI MEMORIAL

Team of 5 shooters :: ENTRY, \$2.50 per Team. (Holders of Shield: Birchip)

Followed by:

### HANDICAP \$100

at 15 Birds.

All shooters made Honorary Members for the day.

. . . PRELIMINARY NOTICE . . . SATURDAY, 29th OCTOBER, 1966 **Birchip and District Day and Night Double-Barrel Championships** 

M. CONNELLY, President. H. G. TAYLOR, S. FRASER, Secs.

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Congratulations to the following six shoot-Congratulations to the following six almost ers who divided the \$100 H'cap: Mick Sims, Warren Maddocks, Bob Garraway, John Doyle, Stuart Scherger and Steven Barnes. In conjunction with the \$100 Handicap, teams In conjunction with the \$100 Handicap, teams from six clubs keenly contested for the McKeen Shield. The winning team was from the Wyarama Club with the very good score of 97/100. Congratulations to the following team members: M. Sims, R. Warren, Dick Warren, W. Maddocks and R. Wakefield.

The High Gun was won in fine style by Graeme Wilkinson; congratulations, Graeme.

On behalf of the club I would like to thank all those who attended to make this shoot a great success.

Last, but by no means least, I would like to thank the ladies for their excellent catering on the day.

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

PUCKAPUNYAL (V.), 29/5/66. — Sunday, May 29, was an extremely pleasant day at Pucka., with a good attendance of 64 shooters, a large number of wives and children, and a pleasant sunsul day. Shooting started ers, a large number of wives and children, and a pleasant, sunny day. Shooting started punctually at 12.45 with the D'ville Doubles E.O.: 13 pair shot the 8 pair and cut the spoils. Pucka. Club retained its reputation spois, Pucka. Giub retained its reputation for the unexpected, as against the 100 pair shot at the last D'ville Doubles C'ship by Colautti - Harrod, 24 pair took it out this time. Only three combinations weathered the combinations weathered the combinations. time. Only three combinations weathered the 20 releases, namely Gooly - Stone, Wilkinson - Dixon, Delorenzo - Franklin. The third pair in the shoot-off proved too much for Gooly Stone, the scratch pair. Delorenzo - Franklin dropped the fourth, leaving Wilkinson - Dixon

the winners.

The five-trophy handicap event proved very popular and was keenly contested, with shooters off all handicaps from 12 to 26. Fourteen shooters stayed the distance with 20; the shoot-off was completed in very poor light. Max Day (Pucka's keen supporter) took home the dinner set, with 51/51; second with 50/51 was Fred Reade, who now owns a Sporteorifle; third was Terry Wilkinson with 49/50; fourth, Jim Birch, 44/45, and fifth, Trista Delorenzo with 37/38.

Ladies' trophy was won by Mrs. Edmunds. High Gun; Max Day.

Our thanks go out to all the clubs that our thanks go out to an the clubs that were represented; we saw shooters from Ballarat. Wangaratta, Benalla, Euroa, Seymour, Metro., Australian, Victorian, Harcourt, Huntly, Kerang, Lilydale and Keilor, to name some; also lovely to see Mr. Bill Chescelle, whether the state of the see Mr. Bill Chescelle, whether the state of the see Mr. Bill Gresselle, who turned in a very commendable

At the conclusion of the trophy presentation the Patron of the Pucka. Gun Club, Major T. J. Poole, installed the new President, Warrant Officer Kevin "Junior" Ramsdale, who now replaces the very popular Jim Summers, who has retired from the Army. Summers, who has retired from the Army, Major Poole went on to wish Jim a long and prosperous future in his ventures in "Givvy Street", and in recognition to the remendous assistance given the Puckapunyal Gun Club over his seven years of membership, where the force which he remaid a Partial but a provider of the proof which he remaid a Partial but a provider of the proof of the provider of the proof of th almost five of which he served as President, Jim was bestowed as an Honorary Life Member to the club. Good luck, Jim.

(K. W. Ramsdale, Pres.)

QUEANBEYAN (N.S.W.), 24/4/66.—Weather conditions: fine and cool. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: R. Sands.

G. Chalker, A. Koorey, A. Povey, J. Bink, 10/10, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Pts. (Fred Morton Memorial Trophy): 1st, J. Bink, Morton Memorial Trophy): 1st, J. Bink, 81/81; 2nd, A. Povey, 80/81. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, G. Tilyard, 43/43; 2nd, J. Bink, 42/43; F/M., R. Edlington, 38/39. No. 4, 10-bird S.B. Trophy: 1st, A. Povey, 13/13; 2nd, O. Feilen, 12/18. No. 5, 6 pair D'ville Doubles: 1st, A. Povey - O. Feilen, 17/18 pair; 2nd, B. Hall - D. Turbit, 16/18 pair.

Good shooting and some exciting shoot-offs were the order of the day. The last event (D'ville Doubles), ater going back to 26 yds.. found 6 pairs of shooters still competing, shot for shot. The final shots of this fine shoot were made after dusk in the rapidly failing twilight.

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

ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.), 1/5/66 (Sunday). -Weather conditions: strong, cold southerly. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: F. Denza, K. Willman, K. Williams, 10/10, div. No. 2, 10-bird Pts. H'cap: K. Willman, R. Watts, G. Buckley, J. O'Connor, 30/30, div. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. H'cap: K. Willman, K. Williams, G. Buckley, 15/15, div. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: K. Willman, R. Watts, G. Buckley, R. Maso, 10/10, div. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. Walk-up: R. Watts, 8/10; K. Willman, F. Denza, J. O'Connor, 6/10, div. (fp. failing light) 6/10, div. (in failing light).

7/5/66 .- Weather conditions: fine and calm. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: only 2 possibles in this event — P. Naylor, R. Watts. 10/10, div. No. 2, 5-bird Walk-up: J. White, B. Kable, V. Banovich, I. Clisdell, 5/5, div. No. 3, County of Cumberland Walk-up C'ship: B. Kable, 1st, 18/20; V. Banovich, 2nd, 16/22; R. Watts, 3rd, 15/22. No. 4, 10-bird Pts. H'cap: P. Naylor, F. Denza, 29/30, div.; J. White, C. Tickel, 27/30. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: J. White, F. Denza, A. Reed, W. Craig, 10/10, div. 10/10, div.

Barry Kable easily won the County of Cumberland Walk-up C'ship, with Val Bano-vich and Ray Watts in second and third

15/5/66 (Sunday). — Weather conditions: fine and mild. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: 7 shooters div. No. 2, 10-bird Pts. H'cap: R. Watts, K. Willman, 30/30; G. Buckley, G. West, R. Wilson, K. Williams, 29/30. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. H'cap Trophy: K. Williams, 1st, 21/21; R. Clarke, 2nd, 20/21; J. Tyquin, R. Wilson, 3rd, 17/18. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: 10 shooters div. No. 5, 5 pairs D. Rise (off 16 yds.): G. Kable, D. Tatam, 10/10; W. West, W. Graig, R. Maso, 9/10.

21/5/66. — Weather conditions: very cold southerly. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. H'cap: R. Clare, F. Thompson, P. Harvey, G. Kable, P. Solodkiy, 5/5. No. 2, 15-bird Pts. H'cap: G. Moore, 43/45; G. Kable, 42/45; R. Clare, 41/45. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. H'cap Trophy: D. Worme, 1st. 16/16; J. Mawby, 2nd, 19/20; R. Clare, G. West, 3rd, 18/20. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. H'cap (white targets): D. Worme, K. Williams, 10/10. 21/5/66. - Weather conditions: very cold

The very cold southerly gale made conditions very difficult and uncomfortable, and by the end of the fourth event the shooters had had enough.

(C. W. Plummer, Pres.)

ROCKHAMPTON (Qld.), 15/5/66.—Weather conditions: fine and cool. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: C. Horan, C. Pietzner, E. Ransom, R. Bussey, F. George. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: C. Horan, C. Pietzner, E. Ransom, R. Bussey, F. George, C. Allan, C. Warnock, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: C. Horan, C. Pietzner, R. Bussey, B. Horner, R. Meldrum, 30/30. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Pts.: C. Horan, R. Bussey, R. Meldrum, 45/45. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: C. Warnock, B. Horner, F. George, R. Meldrum, 30/30. No. 5, 10-bird S.B.: C. Pietzner, B. Ungerer, L. Smith, C. Warnock, R. Meldrum, B. Horner, C. Bloxsom, 9/10. No. 6, 20-bird S.B.: C. Horan, C. Warnock, 20/20; C. Pietzner, B. Horner, 19/20. No. 7, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: C. Horan, C. Pietzner, G. Allan, C. Warnock, 30/30 — shoot-off: C. Pietzner, 1st; C. Allan, 2nd; C. Warnock, 30/30; C. Bloxsom, 29/30; H. Milner, 28/30. (H. Milner, Hon. Sec.) (H. Milner, Hon. Sec.)

SOUTH BURNETT (Qld.), 4/5/66.— Conditions: good. Attendance: 29. No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, T. Hauritz: 2nd, G. Jessen. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: 1st, L. Vidler; 2nd, T. Hauritz. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: 1st, S. Horn; 2nd, C. Taylor.

Two down-the-line events were held: the first was won by Sel Horn and the second by Merv. Champney.

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

SHEPPARTON (V.), 7/5/66. - Weather SHEPPARTON (V.), 7/5/66. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 41. Results: No. 1, 10 birds: 21 div. No. 2, Goulburn Valley D.B. C'ship: 1st, A. Kriss; 2nd, M. Nalder; 3rd, J. Henwood. No. 3, Northern Dist. S.B. C'ship: 1st, V. Ryan; 2nd, R. Lamb; 3rd, M. Lourie. No. 4, 20-bird H'cap D.B. Trophy: 1st, C. Bowman; 2nd, V. Ryan; 3rd, M. Lourie.

Conditions good, with visitors coming from Melbourne, Seymour, Euroa, Benalla, Wan-garatta, Yarrawonga, Finley, Echuca, Cohuna, Kerang and Bendigo. A. Kriss showed a welcome return to form by defeating M. Nalder for the D.B. C'ship, with J. Henwood (Croydon) 3rd. The S.B. C'ship was taken out by National champ., Vin Ryan, with R. Lamb (Rochester) 2nd and M. Lourie 3rd. The Handicap was won by C. Bowman of Coluna, with V. Ryan 2nd. Both these shooters missed their 56th bird. However, C. Bowman dug his toes in to take it out on the 60th bird; 3rd, M. Lourie.

The afternoon tea was again enjoyed by one and all.

(V. Lawford, Hon. Sec.)

SEBASTOPOL (V.), 14/5/66. — Weather: fine, with light wind. Attendance: 33. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts.: div. W. Doblie, A. Illingworth, 30/30. No. 2, 20-bird Trophy: 1st, R. Harty, 20/20; 2nd, B. Mark, 26/27; 3rd, L. Paulden, 25/27; 12/15 yds., K.

### UCKAPUN ARMY GUN CLUB

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Patron: Major T. J. POOLE

### -Programme 31st July, 1966-

Commencing 1 p.m. Sharp.

Event 1-10 BIRDS POINTS from 16 yds. C.D. Noms. \$1.00. Event 2-

### Puckapunyal District S.B. Championship

20 Birds S.B. from 16 yards. Sash and Trophy for 1st; 2nd and 3rd Trophies. :: Noms. \$2.50.
Optional Sweepstakes 50c over-all.

Event 3 -

TROPHY HANDICAP — 20 Birds D.B. Handicap Marks. Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd. :: Noms. \$2.50.
Ontional Sweenstakes 50c over-all.

\$2 NOVELTY SWEEPSTAKES \$2 — 10 Birds Novelty Aggregate HIGH GUN over-all (kills to count)

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### VICTORIAN GUN CLUB (V)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Saturday, 2nd July - 2.15:

Event 1 - 5-BIRD EYE-OPENER

Event 2 ----

### **Sunshine Dist. Double-barrel Championship**

20-BIRD D.B. HANDICAP. Cash. Comp. Div.

Wednesday Night, 6th July:

### **Footscray Dist. Double-barrel Championship**

10-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL 16 yds. EYE-OPENER

Wednesday Night, 13th July:

10-BIRD POINTS HANDICAP. Cash Div.

20-BIRD D.B. HANDICAP. Trophies

Saturday, 16th July: SEE ADVERT. OPPOSITE PAGE.

Wednesday Night, 20th July:

4 PAIR DEAUVILLE DOUBLES EYE-OPENER

### Footscray Dist. Deauville Doubles Champ.

DRAWN PARTNERS.

Wednesday Night, 27th July:

10-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP. Cash Div. 20-BIRD D.B. HANDICAP. Trophies

Wednesday Night, 3rd August: 4-BIRD WALK-UP EYE-OPENER

### **Altona District Walk-up Championship**

Committee reserves the right to alter Programme.

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J. PLATTEN, Secretary, 23 Valerian Ave., Nth. Altona. Phone: 391 3168.

### VICTORIAN GUN CLUB (V)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Day and Night Shoot, SATURDAY, JULY 16th \$300.00 HANDICAP and STATE NIGHT SPARROW CHAMPIONSHIP

1 p.m.: 5-BIRD POINTS. Nom. \$1.

 $\star$   $\star$  \$300 Handicap \$300  $\star$   $\star$ 

20 Birds Double Barrel. Nom. \$7.00.

1st - REMINGTON 1100 AUTO.

2nd - DINNER SET

3rd — CANTEEN OF CUTLERY

F.M. - LEATHER CARTRIDGE CASE

SWAN HILL TEAM SHOOT in conjunction.

7 p.m.:

### **State Sparrow Night Championship**

30 Birds Single Barrel. 18 yards.

BARBECUE TEA and REFRESHMENTS available. EVERYTHING FOR AN ENJOYABLE DAY AND NIGHT.

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bett, 10/10; M. Pascoe, 13/14.

A very successful shoot; although no high scores, some very good shooting was witnessed. Visitors from Beaufort, Terang and

(Mrs. R. Dickensen, Hon. Sec.)

S.A.G.C. (S.A.), 22/5/66.—Weather conditions: dull, but calm. Attendance: 52. Results: No. 1, First Telethon H'cap (20 birds D.B.): L. S. Ridge, 34/34; L. Tessiere, 33/34; D. Brown, 31/32; K. F. Flaherty, 19/20; novice, A. Shearer, 23/24, yardage. No. 2, Second Telethon H'cap (20 birds D.B.): B. Glenn, 40/40; R. Dini, 39/40; E. A. Collins, 20/21; E. Momesso, 19/20; novice, K. Marquardt 10/20, vardage Hipt Gun; D. Brown quardt, 19/20, yardage, High Gun; D. Brown,

Weather dull and calm, otherwise a very good shoot, with 51 shooters in attendance. The results of the Telethon shoot, from a financial point, was quite a success — \$250.00 nett, not a bad effort.

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

SOUTHERN (S.A.), 29/5/66. — Weather conditions: sunny, slight breeze. Attendance: 45. Results: No. 1, 5-target H'cap, 5-target 16 yds.: 12 shooters div. No. 2, S.G.C. D.B. C'ship: 1st, P. Mules, 66/66; 2nd, R. Kimber, 65/66; 3rd, N. Blakely, 61/62. S.G.C. Intermediate C'ship (shot in conjunction with No. 2). 1st I. Klaining 20/20. 2nd D. Martin. 2): 1st, L. Kleinig, 20/20; 2nd, D. Martini, 21/22; 3rd, K. Flaherty, 20/22. No. 3, \$50 Cash H'cap: div. E. Collins, E. Baldrin, W. Starling, J. Dowdell, S. Dawe, R. Dini, B. Glenn, L. Tessiere, G. Ash, C. Scott.

With near-perfect conditions and a very good attendance, some very fine shooting was witnessed. Nine guns decided the C'ship. Congrats. to Philip Mules and Les Kleinig on emerging victors.

Thanks to all who helped. With Sec. Ric away shooting 'roos up north, the rest of the committee had a busy day.

(R. J. Rossiter, Pres.)

SWAN HILL (V.), 28/5/66. Weather conditions: brilliant sunshine. Attendance: 39. Results: No. 1, E.O.: 18 shooters div. No. 2, Trophy: R. Dawson, 1st; D. Groat, 2nd; K. Sarre, 3rd; S. Maddy, 1st F/M.; B. Maddy, 2nd F/M. No. 3, 10 birds: 10 shoot-

This shoot, being the Poole Cup event, brought teams from Hopetoun, Kerang, Kyalite and Birchip. In the face of strong competition, the cup was retained by Swan Hill's No. 1 team.

Very nice to see so many visitors who made the day a great success.

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

SYDNEY (N.S.W.), 7/5/66.-Weather con-SYDNEY (N.S.W.), 7/5/66.—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: L. Chodat, Dr. Whittaker, G. Harwood, A. Buckley, H. Townsend, R. Abrahams, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird D.B.: K. Moxey, W. Every, H. Townsend, B/M.'s, 20/20: P. Solodkiy, 20/20; A. Palk, T. Dixon, L. Chodat, G. Harwood, Dr. Whittaker, A. Buckley, F/M.'s, 19/20. No. 3, 15-bird Pts. (Rutty Shield): B. Chapman, T. Dixon, R. Abrahams, 45/45. Abrahams, 45/45.

The shooting was very good in the 20-bird Sweep, with K. Moxey, W. Every and H. Townsend winning the back-markers' sweep. P. Solodkiy won the front-markers', and several shooters on 19/20 sharing the rest of sween

(A. Vidler, Hon. Sec.)

S.Y.P.G.C. (Minlaton, S.A.), 22/5/66. -Weather: fine and calm. Attendance: 15. No. 1, 5 sparrows D.B.: only 2 divs., W. Braithwaite, H. Commons. No. 2, 20 sparrows Pts. (for H. R. Commons Trophy): 1st, E. Commons, 58/60; 2nd, P. Nash, 53/60; 3rd, A. Wright, 52/60,

Congratulations to the winners and our thanks to the helpers who made the day a The committee were very disappointed with the attendance on such a good day and look forward to seeing many more for the President's trophy on 3/7/66.

(David R. Haves, Hon. Sec.)

TASMANIAN (Tas.), 14/5/66. — Weather conditions: windy. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 3 pair D. Rise: div. R. Ward, V. Mitchell, 6/6. No. 2, N. Dist. D. Rise (Ship: 1st, R. Ward, 21/32: 2nd, A. Bowering, 20/32: 3rd, S. Marshall, 17/19: F/M. K. Blazey, 10/20. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: div. J. R. Tubb, D. Bruce, 10/10. No. 4, Half Skeet: div. J. R. Tubb, D. Bruce, 12/12.

Congratulations to all place-getters, All these were visitors and were well rewarded for their long travelling.

7/6/66. - Weather conditions: gusty winds. 7/b/bb. — Weather conditions: gusty winds. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, Half Skeet: div. D. Taylor, S. Marshall, J. R. Tubb, 12/12. No. 2, Teams Skeet Elimination: P. Marshall, 24/25; D. Taylor, 23/25; G. Piinner, D. Perry, 22/25; R. Ward, 24/25 (Tas. team). No. 3, Teams Shoot (scores sealed). No. 4, 25 Skeet H'cap: div. 22 plus 5; V. Miitchell, 21 plus 7; E. Johnson, 21 plus 7; G. Pinner, 20 plus 5; D. Pross, 19 plus 10; R. Blake, 23 plus 5; N. Thorne, 19 plus 8; J. R. Tubb, 23 plus 5; A. Taurin, 23 plus 5; P. Thurley, 20 plus 5.

The main event of the day brought forward some excellent shooting by the Tasmanian team. The actual team's score (being sealed) was well below Tasmania's effort last year. The team is to be congratulated for handling such shocking conditions for skeet shooting as they did.

Luck was not with us, as the gusty winds played havoc with the targets. The weather improved shortly after the teams shoot, and we saw some excellent shooting by all.

(George Pinner, Hon. Sec.)

JULY, 1966

TAMWORTH (N.S.W.), 30/4/66.-Weather conditions: cool and fine. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. 11 shooters, Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. 11 shooters, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird Pts. H'cap: div. J. Doherty, D. Cassin, T. King, J. Cassin, V. Eather, 30/30. No. 3, Club S.B. C'ship: 1st, S. Staughton (Gunnedah), 20/20; 2nd, J. Doherty, 19/20; 3rd, J. Cassin, 21/23. No. 4, Eather Shield: The shield was won by Gunnedah team, 60/90 pts.; Boggabri, 54/90 in shoot-off. J. Cassin also won the High Gun trophy for the day with the excellent score of 47/50.

21/5/66 .- Weather conditions: overcast and cold. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1, 10 birds: R. Simson, J. Doherty, R. Kelly, S. McMasters, L. McNall, 10/10, div. No. 2, 10-bird Pts. Trophy: G. Martin, 30/30, 1st; H. Williamson, 107/108, 2nd; R. Beaumont, 106/108, 3rd. No. 3, Northern Dist. S.B. C'ship: C. O'Connor, 20/20, 1st; M. Wilkins, 25/26, 2nd; D. Cassin, 28/30, 3rd. No. 4,

30-bird D.B. Trophy: R. Kelly, 30/30, 1st; J. Hawkins, 43/44, 2nd; S. McMaster, 42/44, J. Hawkins, 43/44, 2nd; S. McMaster, 42/44, 3rd. No. 5, Night 5 birds: R. Kelly, G. Martin, J. Cassin, J. Doherty, 5/5, div. No. 6, 15-bird D.B. Cash H'cap: B. Cable, A. Reed, G. Martin, J. Doherty, 10/10, div. R. Kelly won High Gun for the day (trophy donated by I.C.I.) with a score of 84/90.

Although weather conditions were unfavourable, with several inches of snow in most of the surrounding highlands, shooters came or the surrounding nightands, shooters came from Sydney, Dorrigo, Glen Innes, Barraba, Boggabri, Gunnedah, Walcha, Armidale, and other localities. In spite of the weather, everyone seemed to enjoy themselves.

Lunch and a barbecue tea were served by the ladies. Congratulations to R. Kelly on winning the T.V., and to all other shooters who won trophies.

(T. R. Thompson, Hon. Sec.)

TATURA (V.), 21/5/66. - Weather conditions: cool, cloudy. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: div. A. James, R. Lamb, F. Crawford, J. Cumming, P. Maher, J. Standerwick, J. Brewer, T. Baldwin. No. 2, Club D.B. C'ship: 1st, R. Halsali; 2nd. R. Lamb; 3rd, F. Grawford, No. 3, 10 birds; div. R. Dealy, P. Maher.

Cool but good shooting weather prevailed at the club's monthly shoot. Nineteen shooters were in attendance from Shepparton, Undera, Bendigo, Colbinabbin, Nathalia, and locals, also a visitor from Bordertown. Eight shooters divided the E.O. In the club's D.B.

C'ship three got the possible after a good shoot-off. R. Halsall took out the sash and trophy, 30/30; R. Lamb, 2nd, 29/30; F. Crawford, 3rd, 19/20. In the last event, a 10-bird Sweep, R. Dealy and P. Maher divided, 10/10

Shooters enjoyed the afternoon shooting and the tea served by Mrs. E. Baldwin and Mrs. Shand, and their small helpers. Thanks to all who attended, and wish all the best for the future.

(A. Moles, Hon, Sec.)

TULLAMORE (N.S.W.), 21/5/66-Weather TULLAMORE (N.S.W.), 21/5/66—Weather conditions: cold, windy: Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 10-bird S.B.: L. Amor, W. Corcoran, G. Wilson, 10/10, div. No. 2, 15-bird D.B.: B. McAneney, 15/15; F. J. Williams, P. Williams, L. Amor, T. Golding, G. Wilson, T. Lawler, N. Kennedy, M. Tilley, 14/15. No. 3, 5 pair D. Rise: G. Wilson, 9/10; F. J. Williams, T. Golding, 8/10.

Weather cold and windy. Despite the weather, visitors were in attendance from Parkes and Condobolin Gun Clubs. The highgun trophy for the day was won by G. Wilson (Parkes). W. Corcoran now leade P. Williams and F. J. Williams for the 1966 high-gun trophy,
(B. N. McAneney, Hon. Sec.)

TUMUT (N.S.W.), 17/4/66.—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: H. Wellham, T. Harris, W. Langdon, 5/5; M. Twoomey, L. Sim, B. Mayo, 4/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: H. Wellham,

### KINLEY

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Ground Location: 2 miles south of town on Tocumwal Road.

### SUNDAY, 10th JULY, 1966

11 A.M. SHARP.

Event 1 — 10-BIRD D.B. off 16 yds. C.D. Nom. \$2.00 Event 2 -

Southern Riverina **Double Barrel Championship** 

Nom. \$2.50

1st Sash and Trophy; 2nd and 3rd Trophies. Op. \$1.00.

Event 3 — 10-BIRD D.B. HANDICAP

Nom. \$6.00

1st --- PRESIDENT'S TROPHY .... Value \$112 2nd—CASH \$50 3rd - CASH \$30 ..... 4th - CASH \$10 ....

Optional \$1.00.

Cartridges available on Ground. J. HEMPHILL. President.

D. EDWARDS, Secretary.

G. Percival, W. Langdon, L. Sim, A. Baker,
 5/5. No. 3, 5-bird S.B.: S. Gaul, T. Harris,
 H. Wellham, B. Mayo, L. Sim, A. Baker,
 4/5. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: B. Mayo, W. Langdon, H. Wellham, B. Grady, 10/10.

In most enjoyable conditions a good squad was present for the first shoot over the new trap. Unfortunately the trap did not function as well as it should have and the shooting was very slow. Too many broken birds made shooting more difficult. Congratulations to B. Grady, who won the shoot-off in the D.B. event from the consistent W. Langdon. H. Wellham also shot well.

14/5/66. — Weather conuditions: cool. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: B. Mayo, G. Percival, A. Baker, W. Langdon, L. Sim, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: B. Mayo, G. Percival, R. Hargraves, T. Harris, A. Baker, W. Langdon, L. Sim, 10/10. No. 3, 5-bird S.B.: W. Langdon, L. Sim, 5/5, div: G. Percival, A. Baker, K. French, D. Horner, 4/5. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: B. Mayo, V. Rees, W. Langdon, D. Horner, 5/5, div. No. 5, 10-bird S.B.: G. Percival, W. Langdon, 10/10, div.: B. Mayo, M. Twoomey, V. Rees, K. French, L. Sim, D. Horner, 9/10.

Good shooting in good conditions, with the trap functioning a little better than the previous shoot. G. Percival won the shootoff in the single-barrel event, and it's good to see this shooter "killing" them again. L. Sim and W. Langdon had a great day, with W. Langdon shooting 39/40 for the best shot of the day.

(H. Wellham, Hon. Sec.)

VICTORIAN (V.), 4/5/66. — Weather conditions: rain. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 15-bird D.B. H'eap (cash div.): 1st, div. R. Evans, J. Willis, 15/15; 3rd, div. F. Spinosa, F. Buchan, 14/15. No. 2, 15-bird D.B. H'eap Trophies: 1st, C. McCormack, 15/15; 2nd, F. Buchan, 19/20; 3rd, L. Kaye, 18/20; F/M., N. Mitchell, 15/17.

7/5/66. — Weather conditions: cloudy and windy. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 20-bird D.B. H'cap: 1st, F. Spinosa, 20/20: 2nd, A. McCullough, 20/21: 3rd, I. Farren, 19/21: F/M., A. Coleman, 16/20. No. 2, Brooklyn D.B. C'ship: 1st, W. Hoath, 38/38: 2nd, G. Hall, 37/38; 3rd, W. Barnford, 34/35; F/M., A. Coleman, 15/20.

11/5/66. — Weather conditions: fine night. Attendance: 34. Results: No. 1, 4-bird Walkup: W. Stone, 4/4, 1st; 9 shooters div. 2nd and 3rd. No. 2, V.G.C. Walk-up C'ship (15 birds): 1st, R. Morrison, 17/20; 2nd, R. Evans, 16/20; 3rd, T. Rosewarne, 16/20; F/M., U. Giannini.

Thirty-four shooters turned out for this C'ship, even though it was a cold night. Ray Morrison shot well to win the sash from Ron Evans. Third went to Tom Rosewarne, and front-markers' to Ugo Giannini.

A good night's shooting was enjoyed by all, and the old kero, heater was keenly sought, after a visit to the traps.

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The hot dogs seemed popular with the usual cup of tea, and the ladies must be thanked once again for their efforts in serving same.

18/5/66. — Weather conditions: fine night. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. H'cap (cash div.): 8 div., 10/10. No. 2,

20-bird D.B. H'cap Trophies: 1st, H. Weitzel. 20/20; 2nd, H. Mitchell, 22/23; 3rd, F. Spinosa, 34/36; F/M., H. Williamson, 22/25.

Henry Weitzel shot the only possible to win the main event from H. Mitchell and Frank Spinosa. Hugh Williamson has been trying for a while and has now shown he is capable of winning a good event soon. Nice shooting for the front-markers' trophy, Hugh.

Thanks again to the ladies for their efforts.

21/5/66. — Weather conditions: cloudy and fine. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: R. Evans, W. Attwood, L. Beer, R. Patterson, 15/15 pts., div. No. 2, V.G.C. Inter. C'ship: 1st, K. Howkins, 20/20; 2nd, K. Downs, 29/30; 3rd, G. Carroll, 28/30; B/M. trophy, R. Evans, 34/35. No. 3, Altona Dist. D.B. Sparrow C'ship: 1st, F. Burns, 27/27; 2nd, D. Glover, 26/27; 3rd, L. Coombes, 19/20; F/M., K. Morrison, 17/20.

The first event was divided by R. Evans, W. Attwood, L. Beer and R. Patterson, 15/15 pts. The Intermediate C'ship was won in fine style by Keith Howkins of Point Cook with the only possible; congratulations, Keith, on winning your second sash. Second place went to Ken Downs, 29/30, with G. Carroll, 28/30, third, and the back-markers' trophy was won by Ron Evans with a score of 34/35. The Sparrow title was won by Fred Burns with a score of 27/27 from Don Glover, 26/27, second, and Len oombes, 19/20, third. Front-markers' went to K. Morrison, 17/20.

Thanks to the ladies for the fine afternoon tea.

25/5/66.—Attendance: 45. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts. (16 yds., cash): 1st, div. K. Downs, T. Delorenzo, A. Giddons, F. Spinosa, 30/30 pts. No. 2, V.G.C. D.B. C'ship: 1st, A. James, 31/31; 2nd, T. Delorenzo, 30/31; 3rd, R. Evans, 28/29; F/M., D. Thornton, 19/21.

Once again Alf James made the long trip from Bendigo to shoot with us. Not in vain, either, as he out-shot five others to take the sash. Congratulations, Alf. Another visitor. T. Delorenzo, gained second from Ron Evans, third. Front-marker, D. Thornton, another visitor who is coming regularly.

A very good night's shooting was enjoyed by all and we are pleased at the popularity of the club, as shown by the excellent attendances.

Thanks to the trap boys, as they had a hard night and did a wonderful job. Thanks also to the ladies for the hot dogs and cup of tea, and my special thanks for their thoughtfulness on my behalf.

(J. Platten, Sec.)

WARRNAMBOOL (V.), 14/5/66.—Weather conditions; good. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1, E.O.: 9 shooters div. No. 2, A. & H. McSween Shield Shoot: 1st, Hamilton team, 50/50 (S. Thompson, S. Rentsch, J. Arnold, A. Gordon, V. Thompson), No. 3, Les Jacobs Memorial: 1st, H. Vaughan, 37/37; 2nd, V. Thompson, 36/37; 3rd, M. Sullivan, 35/36; F/M., L. Wines; M/M., D. Felton; B/M., R. Millard.

The Warrnambool Gun Club conducted its monthly shoot on Saturday, 14th. Shooters from Portland, Hamilton, Myamyn, Cavendish, Noorat, Dartmoor. The second stage of the A. & H. McSween Shield was shot for and six teams competed. They were Myamyn, Hamilton, Tyrendarra, Warrnambool No. 1, No. 2 and No. 3. After the first round of

five birds there were three teams level with 25 birds; they were Hamilton, Warrnambool No. 2, and Warrnambool No. 3. A further round of five birds was shot; this left Hamilton with a score of 50/50, and the two Warrnambool teams with 47/50 each.

The second event on the programme was the Les Jacobs Memorial Shoot. Thirty-two shooters took part. The shooters to shoot the possible were D. Felton, M. Sullivan, L. Wines, V. Thompson, H. Vaughan. After a lengthy shoot-off H. Vaughan ran out winner; second, V. Thompson, and third, M. Sullivan.

No. 1, 5-bird E.O., 9 shooters div. No. 2, A. & H. McSween Shield: Hamilton, 50/50 (S. Thompson, S. Rentsch, J. Arnold, A. Gordon, V. Thompson, No. 3, Les Jacobs Memorial: 1st, H. Vaughan (Hamilton), 37/37: 2nd, V. Thompson (Hamilton), 36/37; 3rd, M. Sullivan (MacArthur), 35/36; F/M., L. Wines (Warrnambool), 30/31; M/M. D. Felton (Portland), 25/26; B/M., R. Millard (Portland), 23/24. No. 4, On the Box: A. McSween, H. Vaughan, R. Millard, div.

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

WERRIBEE (V.), 14/5/66.—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 5 pairs D. Rise (comp. div.): D. Preston, B. Batey, D. Glover, 9/10, equal 1st. No. 2, Club D. Rise C'ship (15 pairs): 1st, L. Hendra, 26/30; 2nd, D. Glover, 27/32; 3rd, T. H. Powell, 26/32: F/M., K. Laird, 20/30. No. 3, 10 birds Tower (comp. div.): F. Burns, A. Coleman, T. Rosewarne, 10/10, equal 1st, No. 4, 10 birds Tower (comp. div.): 1st, D. Preston, 10/10; equal 2nd, M. Rushford, K. Laird, D. Glover, S. Power, C. Rettig, 8/10,

This shoot, which was a novelty afternoon, was held in fine conditions and attracted 30 shooters. A feature of the afternoon was the number of local members who featured in the prize list. The D. Rise C'ship is always an attractive event and draws the really good shooter—and this event was no exception. The last two events were put on as a prelude to the Commonwealth Tower next month—and results indicated that we can expect some very high scores in that event.

Once again many thanks to the visitors who helped to make this afternoon such a pleasant occasion,

(Kevin P. Shanahan, Hon. Sec.)

WINGADEE (N.S.W.), 1/5/65. — Weather conditions: fine and cool. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1. 5-bird D.B.: R. Stewart, J. Denison, C. Dickson, T. Boyland, D. Mc-Kenzie, 5/5. No. 2. 10-bird S.B.: C. Dickson, J. Fisher, A. Ramage, T. Boyland, B. Fagan, D. McKenzie, 9/10. No. 3, 20-bird D.B.: P. Stewart, J. Fisher, 19/20. No. 4, 10-bird Pts.: C. Dickson, T. Boyland, 30/30. No. 5, 5 pairs D. Rise: D. Barton, 9/10.

We advise that we have reverted back to the first Sunday of the month for the winter months. Quite a good attendance.

(M. Taylor, Hon. Sec.)

WANGARATTA (V.), 21/5/66. — Weather conditions: windy. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, E.O.: D. Suter, R. McDonald, C. Dean, J. Bourke, N. Burns, G. Walker, I. Reith, G. Colvin, N. Bridges, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10 birds: T. Clifton, G. Colvin, G. Walker, 10/10, div. No. 3, 15-bird Trophy:

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1st. G. Colvin, 29/29; 2nd, C. Dean, 28/29; 3rd, R. McDonald, 19/20. No. 4, 10 birds: J. Bourke, G. Colvin, G. Huf, N. Burns, 10/16. div.

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

WYARAMA (N.S.W.), 22/5/66. — Weather conditions: cold and windy. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: 6 possibles — R. M. Warwick, D. Warren, A. Halls, L. Dunn, W. Maddocks, R. Warren, div. No. 2, 20-bird Wyarama Trophy: 1 possible — L. Kolstad, 20/20, 1st; M. Sims, 30/31, 2nd; D. Warren, 29/31, 3rd. No. 3, 5-bird Walk-up: 2 possibles — G. Packer, M. Sims, div. No. 4, 5-bird Skeet: 1 possible — A. Halls, No. 5, 5-bird S.B. (12 yds.), 5-bird D.B. (27 yds.); 1 possible — A. Halls, No. 6, 5 pairs D. Rise: 1 possible — L. Dunn. No. 7, Missout: M. Sims.

Full attendance of members for our first official club shoot. Although no big scores were shot because of very windy conditions, all shooters enjoyed the afternoon's shooting. Congratulations to our visiting shooter from Menindee, Len Kolstad, for his only possible in the trophy shoot. Thanks for coming down, Len, with your mate. Next time we hope to give you more opposition.

We also had the pleasure to welcome two new members to our club and to the A.C.T.A. in George Packer and Richard Warwick, who shot very well for a first try.

We would like to remind shooters of our big shoot in August, as advertised in "News". Accommodation arranged for visiting shooters. Enquiries to Secretary or L. Dunn, Box 61. Wentworth, N.S.W.

(Miss Marg. Warren, Hon. Sec.)

YASS (N.S.W.), 2/4/66. — Weather conditions: pleasant. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 10 shooters div., 5/5. No. 2, 12-bird Accumulative: 6 shooters shot possible — D. Rumble winner in shoot-off. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. C'ship: T. Frost, only possible: D. Rumble, 2nd. No. 4, 10-bird S.B. C'ship: Again T. Frost was the winner after a shoot-off with Jim Medway. No. 5, 5 pairs D. Rise: T. Frost, 1st; G. Catt, 2nd. No. 6, 0'ville Doubles: T. Frost L. Pateman, G. Catt - Jim Medway div. 1st.

It was perfect conditions for shooting, with some good shooting to be witnessed. In both C'ships the President, Mr. Tom Frost, proved too strong for the rest of the field, taking out both events.

14/5/66.—Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 5 shooters div. 1st. No. 2, 12-bird Accumulative: 5 shooters again shot possible — A. Morris won shoot-off from J. Westhorp with 51/51. No. 3, 10 pairs D. Rise C'ship: A. Morris, 1st, 19/20; D. Rumble, 2nd, 18/20. No. 4, 12 pairs D'ville Doubles C'ship: T. Frost - J. Binks were the winners after shoot-off with A. Morris - J. Westhorp. No. 5, 5-bird Pts.: 4 shooters div. 1st.

With only a small attendance, we saw some good shooting in very pleasant conditions, with most shooters sharing in the prize

(Ray Smith, Hon. Sec.)

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