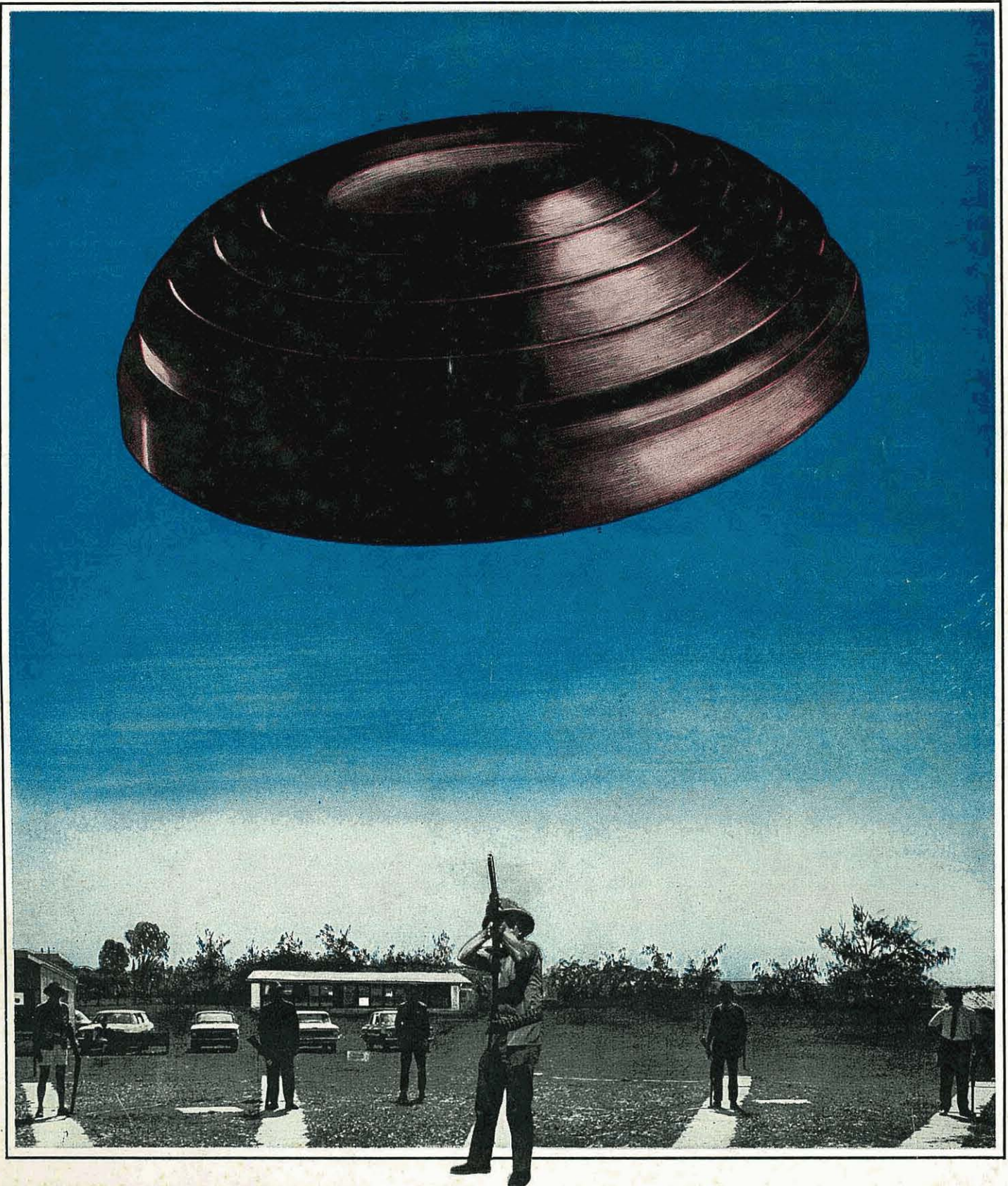


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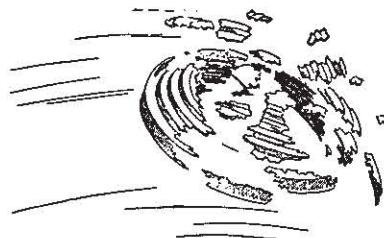
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Editor's Notes



The A.C.T.A. 34th Annual General Meeting of affiliated club delegates and representatives was held at the Rivervale Hotel, Perth, Western Australia from 8.29 p.m. on Monday, March 2, 1970.

In attendance were 54 shooters as delegates/representatives plus a number of observers. Messrs W. Edwards (Q), D. R. Taylor (Tas.) and A. Pedersen (V) checked the registers.

The Chairman (President, Mr Gordon Hall)—
1. congratulated the four shooters of the 23rd International Team who each shot 300/300 points on March 12, 1969, at Geelong. They were Vin Ryan, J. Newton Thomas, D. McCraith of Victoria and M. Burgess of NSW.

2. put on record our regret of Don McCraith who was lost to us by death on 17/6/69 and of Don Glover similarly on 2/2/70.

3. congratulated the 1969 Australian International Team for its eighth win over a nine year period with the score of 7414/7500 points.

4. congratulated the three teams (V., WA, Tas.) with the common score of 495/500 in the 1969 Interstate Teams' Match.

Note: (See Rule 150 dated 1/1/70 which should overcome and break future ties by then using a countback for the whole 15 team member scores).

5. congratulated the New South Wales Skeet Team for its winning score of 122/125 in the 1969 Interstate Skeet Teams' Match.

6. congratulated the Perth Gun Club for the state of their grounds, facilities and for the co-operation of their Executive for the condition of the shoot.

7. stated "weather conditions are excellent, the targets the best as humanly possible and the hospitality of Western Australia is outstanding — our very grateful thanks for a job well done."

8. explained the increase for publication of A.C.T.A. News in that after a take-over the printers had increased their charges excessively by the time other quotations had been obtained and a change made.

Appointment of Auditor — Mr R. W. Fox of R. W. Fox, C.A. Gregory and Associates of Moorabbin (V) was re-appointed as Auditor.

The **elections** for the Executive Committee were then conducted and for the Victorian ballot, Messrs D. R. Taylor (Tas.) and N. Wells (WA) were the scrutineers.

Chairman/President — Mr Gordon Hall, was re-elected unopposed.

State of Queensland — Mr L. S. R. Stewart was re-elected unopposed.

State of New South Wales — Messrs A. E. Cregan and K. S. Soames were re-elected unopposed. (Both were absent through illnesses).

State of Tasmania — Mr W. E. H. Rainbird was re-elected unopposed.

State of South Australia — Mr R. C. Mules was re-elected unopposed.

State of Western Australia — Mr N. Wells was re-elected unopposed.

State of Victoria — Messrs A. Pedersen and H. Smith were re-elected.

Perth Gun Club President, Mr Jules Steiner was elected an **Honorary Vice-President** until the next Annual Meeting, under our articles.

The meeting decided that annual shooter registration fees be increased to \$5 as from January 1, 1970.

MEETINGS OF THE A.C.T.A. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

1. considered the report that the Royal Aero Club of NSW were unable to host the 1971 National Championships and, after receiving the decisions of the New South Wales Executive Committee decided that the Brisbane Gun Club shall be the host Club during June 1971, to include the Queen's Birthday (holiday in Queensland) weekend.

2. approved the allocation of additional 1970 championships—

Standard Targets — Commonwealth Intermediate DB (Day) to Echuca (V). Commonwealth Tower (Night) to Victorian (V). Victorian State Intermediate SB (Night) to Bendigo (V).

Mini Targets — Victorian State SB (Night) to Hopetoun (V).

3. decided that, effective immediately, State Skeet Championships be a minimum 25 targets, nominations \$4 per 25, then if 50 targets are used, that the maximum nomination be \$5. (See Skeet Rule 103).

4. Trap Rule 201 — amended to read Commonwealth = \$50, State = \$40.

OUT OF THE PAST

THIRTY YEARS AGO

At Coburg (V) the Commonwealth Double Rise Title was won by Athol Love.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Queensland Atherton—a number of Cairns shooters were halted by floodwaters over the Collins Bridge on the Kuranda Highway — some 5½ inches had fallen overnight — they drove 100 miles around via Gilles Highway. North Queensland Single Barrel Championship 20 targets E. Kilpatrick age 17 years 1st 20/20, from D. Nasser 19/20 in a tie shoot-off from H. Nasser 23/24.

New South Wales

Jerilderie — NSW State Deauville Doubles Championship G. Biggs and R. Johns (Melbourne) 1st, F. Robertson and "Red"? (Deniliquin) 2nd, 12-14 yards trophy to P. and J. Duchatel (Griffith).

Victoria

Foster — Deauville Doubles winners C. Steele and C. Arnup four pairs. Colac — Western District Double Barrel Champion — D. Corstorphane 1st, 40/40, George Simpson (Pirron Yallock) 2nd, 39/40, George Crosse (Colac) 3rd, 34/35.

Tasmania

Bothwell — P. Marshall 38/40, R. Eyles and S. Marshall 35/40. Cressy — Northern District Single Barrel Championship H. James 20/20, R. Redpath 24/25, F. Blake 33/35.

England

SKUT shooting commenced in England — (now called SKEET).

TEN YEARS AGO

Queensland

Oondooroo — Team Shoot Kelly's Creek Gun Club 1st. 123 points, Oondooroo Gun Club, 2nd 108 points, Banyall Gun Club, 3rd 103 point.

New South Wales

Moree 10 target points L. Kee, C. Clyne, T. Tattam 27/30, L. Jones 26/30, G. Ritter, W. Williams 25/30.

Victoria

Portarlington — Bellarine Mixed Targets — R. Jorgensen 1st 32/34, E. G. Biggs 2nd 30/34, M. Anderson 3rd 17/20.

Tasmania

Dulverton first shoot — Central Districts Double Barrel Championship — T. Cannon 10/10, 14/15, C. Thomas 13/15, P. Marshall 34/35.

South Australia

Lacapede Bay — £50 Handicap — L. Truman 20/20, A. Hamilton, T. Resche, W. Hetherington 19/20, divided 2nd and 3rd.

Western Australia

Perth 10 pairs Deauville Doubles, comp. div., F. Bailey, D. Holtfreter, R. Berglund.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Kar Kar Island Gun Club,
Kar Kar Island,
via Madang.
1/4/70.

M. Berry Esq.,
The Secretary,
A.C.T.A.,
P.O. Box 2038 S.
Melbourne.

Dear Mervyn,

I have just returned from the Rabaul Easter Shoot which included three State Titles. Attending this shoot were G. Goodacre, NSW Gun Club; Frank Apted, Victorian Gun Club; Don White, St. George Gun Club; and Arch Rowe, Narrabri Gun Club.

These shooters gave the programme a tremendous boost by their very presence. Arch Rowe did some excellent work with regards to refereeing and five territory shooters sat for their official referee's badges.

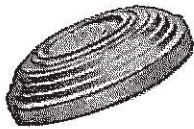
This was the first championship shoot where we have been lucky enough to have two referees and one official referee examiner in attendance. It is without doubt that all the shooters who attended this championship learnt a good deal regarding the finer details of this sport.

It is hoped that we will see more Australian shooters attending our championship shoots in future.

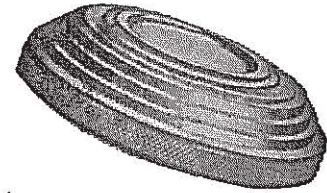
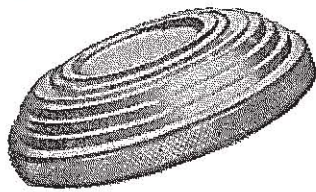
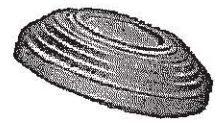
Yours faithfully,

FRED RIMMER,
President, Kar Kar Island Gun Club.

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TIPS AND TALES



Azzurri (WA) — office bearers elected at 15/1/70 meeting were President, A. Yozzi; Vice-President, A. Tatasciore; Secretary, D. Fracaro; Treasurer, M. Pelaccia; Committee, A. Di Lanzo, G. Di Labio, C. Corica, D. Sidari.

Sebastopol (V) — Secretary now is I. R. Sells.

Gunnedah (NSW) — elected 12/2/70 as office bearers were President, S. McMaster; Vice-Presidents, R. J. Brady, J. McCulloch; Secretary, Mrs R. J. Brady; Assistant Secretary, S. Tanner; Patrons, S. A. Staughton, C. A. Smithurst.

Barellan (NSW) — 13/2/70 annual meeting elected office bearers of President, B. B. Gordon; Secretary, Mrs D. M. Smith; Treasurer, A. W. Smith; Vice-Presidents, D. Allen, J. Simmler.

Griffith (NSW) — at 28/2/70 annual meeting, office bearers elected were President, L. Foley; Snr. Vice-President, M. King; Jnr. Vice-President, O. Kelly; Secretary, K. H. Sim; Treasurer, H. Hillery; Committee, H. Gibbs, D. Lucas, S. Codemo, L. D'Aquino, T. Salafia, F. Casilla, C. Garofalo, R. Harris, K. Gaffey.

Coffs Harbour (NSW) — office bearers appointed for 1970 are President, Sandy Cox; Secretary, John Forsythe; Treasurer, Ted Simmon.

Ungarra (SA) — at the recent annual meeting office bearers re-appointed were President, J. Averis (popular long distance member); Secretary, W. J. Stafford; Treasurer, D. Liddicoate.

Far West Gun Club, Ceduna (SA) — a new Club is forming. President, D. Kachne; Vice-President, S. Shipard; Secretary, D. Sheep; Assistant Secretary, G. W. Burnett.

Bairnsdale (V) — office bearers elected 28/1/70 were President, Stan Collins; Vice-President, L. Byles; Secretary-Treasurer, (re-elected) Mrs A. R. Kyle. Mr Roy Walker, Past-President has served his Club in his capacity for 14 years. The Club shoots every month on the second Saturday.

Kar Kar Island (TPNG) — office bearers elected for 1970 at annual meeting were President, F. L. Rimmer; Vice-Presidents, W. Lloyd, R. Middleton; Secretary, G. Butler.

Townsville GC (Q) — office bearers elected for 1970 at annual meeting were Patron, E. McKimmin; President, K. Miskin; Vice-President, J. Hart; Sec-

retary, R. Lovelady; Treasurer, T. Lewis; Committee, A. Lénti, C. Ray, S. Horwood, H. Harris, N. Krabbenhoft, R. Derrington.

Inverell (NSW) — office bearers as of 21/3/70 are President, H. Thomas; Vice-President, R. Aitchison; Secretary, B. Allan; Treasurer, M. Peck.

Luina (Tas.) — Secretary now is E. T. Meehan.

Bordertown (SA) — now have a snipe automatic trap with electric release. Shooters are reported as enjoying the shady Red Gum shooting ground with the sky background with gentle uphill slope away from the trap. Four days of March were spent shifting railway pumping shed (previously used for steam trains water supply) — this is now the 24 ft. x 13 ft. 9 in. Gun Club rooms.

Rockhampton (Q) — at 16/3/70 annual meeting elected as office bearers President, B. Horner; Treasurer, Mrs Olive Horrocks; Secretary, H. Milner.

Advise with regret of the death of one of the oldest members of the Rockhampton Gun Club, Mr Charlie Allan on 11/11/69, aged 83. He was Club Treasurer for many years and a keen shooter until mid 1969.

Illawarra (NSW) — 24/2/70 annual meeting elected as office bearers Patrons, R. Youll, J. Youll, J. Smith, W. Perkins; President, W. McCloy; Vice-President, A. Webb; Secretary, A. Arkwright; Assistant Secretary, Mrs N. Fleming; Treasurer, Mrs J. Chodat; Publicity, K. Perkins; Club Captain, R. Smith; Vice-Captain, F. Rapley; Committee, T. McCloy, L. Chodat, W. Perkins, J. Stephenson, K. Fleming, B. Ellesmore, S. Joice. The meeting accepted the retirement of 1969 President, Don Sullivan who leaves the district to take up ownership of the Highway Inn at Hay, NSW, on 15/4/70.

Robert Watchorn, age 17, of Illawarra, NSW, completed his final Trap Referee Examination on 15/3/70 under Trap Referee Examiner Don Sullivan who recorded the candidates knowledge of **both** down-the-line Trapshooting Rules and Championship Conditions as excellent. This rating is very rare and also reflects the confidence of his nearby fellow shooters in their own acceptance during his probationary period.

Donald (V) — Secretary now is A. J. Tyson.

Burdekin (Q) — see Club March 8, shoot report has a young shooter member who is a selectee to swim in the Commonwealth Games.

Perth (WA) — 19/3/70 annual meeting changed the Club name to Perth Clay Target Club Incorporated. Office bearers appointed were President, R. H. Bailey; Vice-President, W. Johns; Captain, F. C. Shepherd; Vice-Captains, R. A. Farmer and E. C. Gardiner; Hon. Secretary-Treasurer, J. G. Spark; Committeemen, K. A. Barker, B. P. Brady, T. Holt, E. Metcalf, R. D. Scott, W. Shields, J. Webster. Immediate Past President, Jules Steiner and his family are about to depart for a European tour and shall probably visit the English section of the Mackintosh Trophy International Teams' Match on July 17 at Leamington Spa, Warwickshire.

Perth GC on clay target shipments received "the new wooden case packing and container cargo saved many dollars for the Club as before we used to have an unpacking charge at the Club." The Club also proudly announces that "all traps are now paid for and their satisfactory function has removed any fear of trap troubles in open competition."

Melbourne GC (V) — Aircraft bringing shooters to the Legacy shoot on June 15 may buzz the Gun Club for transport before landing at the Lilydale airport 1½ miles away. Advisable to contact Club Secretary beforehand — see advertisement.

Clermont (Q) — office bearers appointed at 14/2/70 annual meeting were President, N. W. Massey; Secretary, Mrs E. Wood; Treasurer, D. Bennett; Club Captain, A. Henn.

Oondooroo (Q) — Secretary now is R. R. Davidson.

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VICTORIAN STATE TEAMS MATCH

SATURDAY, 9th MAY, 1970

Commencing 8.30 a.m.

Event 1— Nomination \$2.50
15 Target E.O., PTS., C.D. 18 yds.

Event 2— Nomination \$5.00
VICTORIAN STATE TEAM ELIMINATION
30 Targets from 18 yds. — \$1.00 Compulsory
Division Top 15 Shooters to Victorian Team

Event 3— Nomination Free
VICTORIAN STATE TEAM SHOOT
50 Targets from 18 yds — 15 badges — 15
Memento Sashes. Hi-Gun Trophy \$59 Sanyo Radio
SHELLS DONATED by ICI and WINCHESTER
Targets donated by ICI
Hi-Gun Trophy donated by Winchester Aust.

Event 4— Nomination \$3.00
CORIO BAY SINGLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP
1st: Sash and Trophy; 2nd, 3rd, 12/16 and 17/21
Trophies

NIGHT PROGRAMME

Commencing 7.30 p.m.

Event 5— Nomination \$1.50
10 Targets E.O., PTS., C.D. 16 yds.

Event 6— Nomination \$3.50
CORIO BAY NIGHT D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP
1st: Sash and Trophy; 2nd and 3rd: 12/16-17/21
Trophies

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Report on 1970 National Championship

The 1970 Australian National Clay Target Trapshooting Championships were conducted in warm to hot and gusty conditions at the Perth Gun Club over the six successive days of Saturday, February 28 through to Thursday, March 6.

The grounds of the Perth Gun Club are rated as one of the tops for clay target shooting in Australia.

The attendance was most satisfactory throughout the programme despite the drought conditions which restricted participants from SW Western Australia and from Queensland. Consequently the moat in front of the five Perth G.C. traps was dry and this caused some eddies and some irregularity in the flight of the targets — this was particularly noticeable on day five when the 24th International Teams' Match was shot. Shooters enjoyed a choice of specially branded cart-ridges from two makers for the first time.

Participants included shooters from the farthestmost points of Western Australia, Queensland and all other States of the Commonwealth, whilst from New Zealand were three shooters Tom Taylor of O.H.I.N. Gun Club, E. G. Amyes of Mead Tepirti and T. Begg.

The throwing of the targets throughout the programme was first class and the local Perth Gun Club were loud in their praise of Referee Alan Wembridge who acted also as trap mechanic. Winchester Traps were used throughout the programme and with no breakdowns or target breakages they were faultless. The traps were removed at the end of day five and placed into the Skeet Houses where they behaved perfectly after having their settings adjusted.

Shooters with their wives and friends enjoyed full meals by the caterers within the Club pavilion and were then able to shelter from the bright sunlight under ample verandah coverage. Despite the dryness, the lawns for spectators and shooters alike made conditions quite enjoyable.

A new scoreboard to accommodate some 400 shooter participants at any one time had been established under complete cover, within a shooter rest area with the compliments of I.C.I.A.N.Z. Limited. This is undoubtedly the finest scoreboard in the Commonwealth.

The Thirtieth Champion of Champions Cup event off 20 yards for the Mackintosh Perpetual Cup commenced the programme on day one (Saturday, February 28) and from a field of 202, D. W. Smith of Brisbane G.C. emerged the winner with a score of 115/115 from E. T. Humphrey of Northam, Western Australia 114/115 and A. R. Cusack of Kojonup, Western Australia 89/90.

On day two the Eighteenth National Double Barrel Championship for the J. M. Wilson Perpetual Cup (239 entries from 16 yards) saw 20-year-old J. Ellis of Finley, New South Wales, lead the field to a brilliant and record win of 370/370. This appears to establish a new record for this event. Second place-getter was John Harris of Cunderdin, (WA) 369/370, from D. W. Smith of Brisbane 250/251. Mrs V. Jones of Melbourne was the top lady shooter in this event with the excellent score of 47/50.

In conjunction was the Twenty-Third National Intermediate Double Barrel Championship also off 16 yards, 48 entries. This was won by J. Bailey of Geraldton, (WA) with the only possible score of 50/50. Second was C. H. Lee of Northam, (WA) 60/62, from D. D'Ovidio of Azzurri G.C. (WA) 59/62. The winner received a trophy from A.C.T.A. President Mr Gordon Hall.

The Sixteenth National Single Barrel Championship off 16 yards for the W. Rainbird Perpetual Cup commenced day three with 210 entries and again the young double barrel winner J. Ellis of Finley, (NSW) outshot the field with the only possible score of 50/50 targets. Two shooters E. McCullough of Echuca (V) and J. Newton Thomas shot-on to a score of 84/85 when Newton Thomas conceded second placing to E. McCullough.

In conjunction was the First National Intermediate Single Barrel Championship with 33 entries. Shooter C. F. Russell of Geraldton, (WA) dominated the field with his 49/50 score. Next was D. Ryall of Kojonup, (WA) 46/50, from A. J. Hudson, Tasmanian G.C. (Tas.) 45/50. Messrs I.C.I.A.N.Z. Ltd., kindly donated the winning trophy for this event.

Also on this day was the Tenth National Double Rise Championship (181 contestants) for the J. M. Tyquin Perpetual Cup. This was won by N. Johnston of Ipswich (Queensland) with a score of 48/50 from Warren Maddocks of Wyarama G.C. (NSW) 59/62 and D. Cosgrove of Warren G.C. (NSW) 58/62 double rise targets.

In conjunction was the First National Intermediate Double Rise Championship. From 23 contestants R. Ritchie of Katanning, (WA) with his score of 54/60 won the trophy kindly donated by Winchester Western Australia Pty. Ltd. Second placegetter was C. Walker of Perth G.C., (WA) 53/60, from W. R. White of Derby, (WA) 42/52.

With two major events plus two intermediate championships all on the same day, the five-day trap programme was stretched to the limit.

Day four saw J. Newton Thomas of Melbourne (V) win the Ninth Australia-New Zealand Championship off 16 yards. Scoring 180/180 points from M. Lyons of Queanbeyan (NSW) 179/180, and R. A. Andrews, Bordertown (SA) third, 152/153. The field was of 172 shooters.

This event was followed by the 24th International Teams' Match in which the three highest scorers were J. H. Harris of Cunderdin (WA) 302/306, who won the coveted International Team High Gun Sash from B. England, Mt. Gambier (SA) 301/306, and R. H. Bailey Perth (WA) third with a score of 402/408. The actual scores of this team event are sealed until the final section is shot in England in July, 1970.

On the fifth day of the programme the last down-the-line trap event was the Twenty-first Grand Australian Handicap with 123 contestants and B. Rooke of Wagga G.C. (NSW) proudly wore his sash after the announcement of his 56/56 winning score. Second

was E. A. Pedler of Katanning (WA) 55/56, from V. Ryan of Cosgrove (V) 51/52.

During the five days of down-the-line trap shooting time permitted only one handicap event and one sweepstake event.

The magnificent Browning under and over shotgun Serial No. 92294/S8 donated for the overall high gun by the makers Messrs Fabrique Nationale of Belgium in conjunction with their agents Messrs Commercial Marketing Co. Pty. Ltd. of Sydney, was won by the 20-year-old Jim Ellis of Finley (NSW) with his 298/306 score. All present gave him a standing ovation. The shoot-off had commenced from the progressive score of 292/300 over the principal events.

Commencing from 1970 there shall be an Australian National Clay Target Championships Overall High Gun Trophy donated in perpetuity by Mr J. Newton Thomas. This shall be inscribed with the names of the actual such winners since 1966. These proud high gun winners were:—

1966 C. Hartley — NZ — 192/200.

(Conducted over five main events).

1967 M. Burgess — NSW — 300/300.

1968 Mr. Burgess — NSW — 312/325.

1969 S. Marshall — Tas. — 292/300.

1970 J. Ellis — NSW — 298/306.

(Conducted over six main events).

These shooter winners differ from the Browning gun trophy winners in that the Browning may only be won once by a shooter but the perpetual cup is to be inscribed with the names of the highest actual scorers over main events.

Day six saw the final event of the programme when the First Australian National Skeet Championship was conducted before a battery of television cameras from the National Television Station and all shooters migrated to their television sets at 7.30 p.m. to watch the first such televised skeet shoot. The winner of this First National Skeet Championship from 100 contestants was J. Newton Thomas of Melbourne (V) with his score of 60/61 from T. Taylor of (NZ) with a score of 66/68 and W. Stevens of Ipswich (Q), third with 64/67.

Shooter J. Newton Thomas in his own words "doesn't know how or why, but it just happens." He has now won every down-the-line national clay target championship in addition to this First National Skeet Championship.

This was the first occasion that the Australian National Clay Target Championships had been conducted in Western Australia and judging by the standard of the host Club and the overall attendance, the nationals shall in all probability return to Perth again.

The Association appreciates and records the excellent co-operation from (a) the host Club and its willing members.

(b) I.C.I.A.N.Z. Ltd., for its continued unflinching assistance, for the generous donation of clay targets for the Champion of Champions event, the International Team event, the First National Skeet event, cartridges as selected by team members within the International Team, a trophy for the First Australian National Intermediate Single Barrel Championship, a com-

memorative Sterling Silver Badge (map of Australia) for each of the National Championship events, the Grand Handicap and a commemorative bronze badge for the First National Skeet Championship.

(c) Winchester Western Australia Pty. Ltd., for their kind donation of cartridges as selected by team members within the International Team, the trophy for the first Australian National Intermediate Double Rise Championship and also for the commemorative (map of Australia) gold badges for the National Intermediate DB, SB and DR Championships.

Shoot Marshals were Angus McSween of Warnambool (V) and Harry Williamson of Apsley (V). Referees throughout the programme were Wally Oliver of Horsham (V), Maurice Sutherland of Colac (V), Bill Abbott of Werribee (V), J. J. (Mick) Hehir of Geelong (V), Alan Wembridge of Geelong (V), Brian Williams of Metropolitan (V), Lieutenant W. H. (Spud) Murphy of H.M.A.S. Cerberus, Roy Farmer and B. P. Brady both of Perth (WA), Gordon Nixon of Brisbane (Q).

Of the photographs submitted many were unsuitable for reproduction.

General opinions amongst capable shooters is that "being at the Nationals is a wealth of experience in that the competition helps a shooter's temperament." However, the most important thing is not to win but to participate.

Shooters with their wives and friends came from near and far by road, sea and air. Attendances were WA 165, SA 9, Vic. 51, NSW 33, Qld. 21, Tas. 12, NZ 3. The grand overall attendance figure of 294 for the 1970 Nationals in Western Australia was most gratifying with a maximum attendance in the DB event of 239 shooters.

Some humorous incidents occurred over early morning cups of tea and the most discussed car journey was that of Referee Alan Wembridge of Geelong who travelled the 2380 miles to Perth thence the 2380 return miles in the same time of 36½ hours. He had had a 30 gallon petrol tank specially fitted for refuelling only after each 800 miles. His average speed overall was over 65 but time was lost in having showers en route, buying boomerangs and "losing one nut off the gearbox which I replaced from the front end — this cost me twenty minutes." His overall fuel consumption averaged 23 mpg.

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1970 National Championships Results

Complete results of the 1970 Australian National Clay Target Trapshooting Championships conducted at the Perth Gun Club, Western Australia over the six successive days of Saturday, February 28 through to Thursday, March 5 are:—

Event No. 1 1st Day — February 28

30th CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS

CUP EVENT

(50 targets off 20 yards)

1st, D. Smith (Brisbane, Q)	115/115
2nd, E. T. Humphrey (Northam, WA)	114/115
3rd, A. R. Cusack (Kojonup, WA)	89/90
4th, W. T. Henwood (Melbourne, V)	76/77
5th, D. Montgomery (Eastern Goldfields, WA)	70/71

Event No. 2 1st Day — February 28

\$300 VALUE DOUBLE BARREL HANDICAP

(25 targets from handicap marks)

(Compulsorily Divided by 20 Shooters)

Event No. 3 2nd Day — March 1

18th NATIONAL DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

(50 targets off 16 yards)

1st, J. Ellis (Finley, NSW)	370/370
2nd, J. Harris (C.M.T., WA)	369/370
3rd, D. W. Smith (Brisbane, Q)	250/251
4th, G. T. Wakefield (Mildura, V)	133/134
5th, R. H. Bailey (Perth, WA)	124/125
6th, T. Catling (Katanning, WA)	101/102
7th, A. R. Cusack (Kojonup, WA)	97/98
8th, R. M. Holtfreter (Northam, WA)	79/80
9th, V. Ryan (Cosgrove, V)	76/77
10th, E. Daw (Geraldton, WA)	75/76
11th, G. Crosswell (Mersey, Tas.)	67/68
12th, C. B. Ellies (Perth, WA)	65/66
13th, W. A. Stevens (Ipswich, Q)	63/64
14th, N. Thorne (Hobart, Tas.)	61/62
15th, N. Davis (Noorat, V)	61/62

YARDAGE AWARDS

20 yards and over:

I. P. Campbell (S.A.G.C., SA)	59/60
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19 yards (Divided):

M. J. Sutherland (Colac, V)	49/50
J. G. Boyes (Perth, WA)	49/50
A. E. Wilkinson (Mildura, V)	49/50
J. Tainsh (Lismore, NSW)	49/50

18 yards (Divided):

B. Rooke (Wagga, NSW)	49/50
R. McDonald (Geraldton, WA)	49/50
G. Hayward (Edgehill, WA)	49/50
D. Hallam (Hobart, Tas.)	49/50

17 yards (Divided):

G. R. Hall (Albany, WA)	49/50
H. C. Durbidge (Warrnambool, V)	49/50
N. Hatch (Geraldton, WA)	49/50
J. G. Downer (Katanning, WA)	49/50

STATE AWARDS

Queensland (Divided):

G. Porter (Brisbane)	48/50
N. Johnston (Ipswich)	48/50
R. Warneminde (Brisbane)	48/50
M. Champney (South Burnett)	48/50

New South Wales:

W. Jordan (Queanbeyan)	56/57
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Victoria:

J. Newton Thomas (Melbourne)	57/58
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Tasmania (Divided):

L. Barlow (Hobart)	47/50
W. R. Morgan (Hobart)	47/50

South Australia:

H. Baynes (S.A.G.C.)	53/54
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Best Lady Shooter:

Mrs V. Jones (Metropolitan, V)	47/50
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and shot in conjunction was the

23rd NATIONAL INTERMEDIATE DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

(50 targets off 16 yards)

Event No. 4 2nd Day — March 1

1st, J. Bailey (Geraldton, WA)	50/50
2nd, C. H. Lee (Northam, WA)	60/62
3rd, D. D'Ovidio (Azzurri, WA)	59/62
4th, I. MacFarlane (Derby, WA)	56/59
5th, C. F. Russell (Geraldton, WA)	51/54

Event No. 5 3rd Day — March 2

16th NATIONAL SINGLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

(50 targets off 16 yards)

1st, J. Ellis (Finley, NSW)	50/50
2nd, E. McCullough (Echuca, V)	84/85
3rd, J. Newton Thomas (Melbourne, V)	84/85
4th, R. McDonald (Geraldton, WA)	71/72
5th, R. Burton (Geraldton, WA)	57/59
6th, R. A. Dean (Roma, Q)	55/57
7th, C. Russell (Geraldton, WA)	53/55
8th, K. Dobson (Echuca, V)	53/55
9th, H. Durbidge (Warrnambool, V)	50/51
10th to 15th placegetters plus Yardage	

Awards 20 yards and over, 19, 18, 17, 12-16 plus State Awards.

As 22 shooters each shot 48/50 and five shooters ranked for placings and Yardage or State Awards \$6 per shooter was awarded to:—

D. Perry (Hobart, Tas.)	48/50
D. E. Evans (Brisbane, Q)	48/50
I. Halbert (C.M.T., WA)	48/50
D. Watts (C.M.T., WA)	48/50
M. Howell (Dundonnell, V)	48/50
D. W. Smith (Brisbane, Q)	48/50
E. A. Pedler (Katanning, WA)	48/50
N. Davis (Noorat, V)	48/50
W. Stevens (Ipswich, Q)	48/50
D. Cosgrove (Warren, NSW)	48/50
E. Hawkins (Hawkesbury, NSW)	48/50
J. Mott (Brisbane, Q)	48/50
W. Garroway (Geraldton, WA)	48/50
J. Henwood (Melbourne, V)	48/50
B. Duff (Perth, WA)	48/50

V. Ryan (Cosgrove, V)	48/50
W. T. Henwood (Melbourne, V)	48/50
K. Hewitt (Perth, WA)	48/50
D. W. Cummings (Perth, WA)	48/50
G. T. Wakefield (Mildura, V)	48/50
K. Lowry (Melbourne, V)	48/50
A. E. Wilkinson (Mildura, V)	48/50
D. Hallam (Hobart, Tas.)	47/50
R. Mules (S.A.G.C., SA)	47/50
J. Brewis (Tamworth, NSW)	46/50
L. Booth (Hay, NSW)	46/50
D. Ryall (Kojonup, WA)	46/50

and shot in conjunction was the

1st NATIONAL INTERMEDIATE SINGLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

(50 targets off 16 yards)

1st, C. F. Russell (Geraldton, WA)	49/50
2nd, D. Ryall (Kojonup, WA)	46/50
3rd, A. J. Hudson (Tasmania, Tas.)	45/50
4th and 5th—	
A. Atkins (Narrogin, WA)	44/50
L. Barlow (Hobart, Tas.)	44/50
C. Walker (Perth, WA)	44/50

Event No. 6a 3rd Day — March 2

10th NATIONAL DOUBLE RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

(25 pairs off 16 yards)

1st, N. Johnston (Ipswich, Q)	48/50
2nd, W. Maddocks (Wyarama, NSW)	59/62
3rd, D. Cosgrove (Warren, NSW)	58/62
4th, D. E. Evans (Brisbane, Q)	56/60
5th, R. Dean (Roma, Q)	54/58
6th, D. Hunt (Warren, NSW)	48/52
7th to 12th Divided—	

M. Lyons (Queanbeyan, NSW)	46/50
E. McCullough (Echuca, V)	46/50
D. H. Williamson (Apsley, V)	46/50
D. W. Smith (Brisbane, Q)	46/50
P. M. James (Katanning, WA)	46/50
W. T. Henwood (Melbourne, V)	46/50
13th to 15th Divided—	
F. James (Kerang, V)	45/50
G. T. Wakefield (Mildura, V)	45/50
A. Koorey (Queanbeyan, NSW)	45/50
D. R. Taylor (Hobart, Tas.)	45/50
W. Garroway (Geraldton, WA)	45/50
B. England (Mt. Gambier, SA)	45/50
N. Davis (Noorat, V)	45/50
R. W. Holtfreter (Northam, WA)	45/50
C. J. C. Gall (Brisbane, Q)	45/50
J. Newton Thomas (Melbourne, V)	45/50
B. Murphy (Broken Hill, NSW)	45/50
J. Ellis (Finley, NSW)	45/50

YARDAGE AWARDS

20 yards and over (Divided):

W. Stevens (Ipswich, Q)	44/50
L. Reicha (Noorat, V)	44/50
T. Catling (Katanning, WA)	44/50
G. Wilson (Guyra, NSW)	44/50
B. Holtfreter (Northam, WA)	44/50
S. Rentsch (Hamilton, V)	44/50

19 yards (Divided):

L. Crema (Hawkesbury, NSW)	43/50
J. G. Boyes (Perth, WA)	43/50
F. A. Ward (N.S.W.G.C., NSW)	43/50

18 yards:

E. T. Humphrey (Northam, WA)	43/50
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17 yards:

A. D. Morgan (Northam, WA)	43/50
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12-16 yards:

C. Wallen (Perth, WA)	44/50
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STATE AWARDS

Queensland:

I. J. Galletta (Silkwood)	42/50
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New South Wales:

M. J. Fuller (N.S.W.G.C.)	43/50
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Victoria (Divided):

A. C. Tie (Australian)	43/50
S. Power (Echuca)	43/50
W. Abbott (Werribee)	43/50
W. Arandt (Victorian)	43/50
V. Ryan (Cosgrove)	43/50

South Australia:

R. Mules (S.A.G.C.)	42/50
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Tasmania:

R. Wighton (Hobart)	41/50
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and shot in conjunction was the

1st NATIONAL INTERMEDIATE DOUBLE RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

(25 pairs off 16 yards)

1st, R. Ritchie (Katanning, WA)	54/60
2nd, C. Walker (Perth, WA)	53/60
3rd, W. R. White (Derby, WA)	42/52
4th, S. G. Rogers (Perth, WA)	40/52
5th, A. Larini (Azzurri, WA)	39/50

Event No. 7 4th Day — March 3

9th AUSTRALIA-NEW ZEALAND CHAMPIONSHIP

(50 targets off 16 yards — points scoring)

1st, J. Newton Thomas (Melbourne, V)	180/180
2nd, M. Lyons (Queanbeyan, NSW)	179/180
3rd, R. A. Andrews (Bordertown, SA)	152/153

4th to 8th Divided—

W. T. Henwood (Melbourne, V)	149/150
R. H. Bailey (Perth, WA)	149/150
T. Salafia (Griffith, NSW)	149/150
M. Howell (Dundonnell, NSW)	149/150
V. Ryan (Cosgrove, V)	149/150

9th to 13th Divided—

D. W. Smith (Brisbane, Q)	148/150
I. J. Halbert (C.M.T., WA)	148/150
C. Russell (Geraldton, WA)	148/150
A. Kemp (Brisbane, Q)	148/150
G. Bailey (Perth, WA)	148/150

14th and 15th Divided—

J. H. Harris (C.M.T., WA)	147/150
D. G. Watts (C.M.T., WA)	147/150
R. A. Dean (Roma, Q)	147/150
B. England (Mt. Gambier, SA)	147/150
F. James (Kerang, V)	147/150
T. K. Ryall (Kojonup, WA)	147/150
D. Cosgrove (Warren, NSW)	147/150
B. Rooke (Wagga, NSW)	147/150
R. McDonald (Geraldton, WA)	147/150
R. Mules (S.A.G.C., SA)	147/150
J. Henwood (Melbourne, V)	147/150

YARDAGE AWARDS

20 yards and over (Divided):

T. Gibson (Katanning, WA)	146/150
J. Steiner (Perth, WA)	146/150

R. Burton (Geraldton, WA)	146/150
W. Montgomery (E. Goldfields, WA)	146/150
W. Dalzell (Melbourne, V)	146/150
R. Warneminde (Brisbane, Q)	146/150
K. Anderson (Kojonup, WA)	146/150
M. Champney (South Burnett, Q)	146/150
W. Arandt (Victorian, V)	146/150

19 yards:

A. E. Wilkinson (Mildura, V)	145/150
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18 yards:

B. E. Maley (Northam, WA)	146/150
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17 yards (Divided):

J. Bailey (Geraldton, WA)	141/150
E. J. Davies (South West, WA)	141/150
M. Hatch (Geraldton, WA)	141/150

12-16 yards:

L. Barlow (Hobart, Tas.)	144/150
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STATE AWARDS

Queensland:

N. Johnston (Ipswich)	145/150
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New South Wales (Divided):

E. Hawkins (Hawkesbury)	145/150
J. Ellis (Finley)	145/150

Victoria (Divided):

F. Reade (Metropolitan)	145/150
E. McCullough (Echuca)	145/150

South Australia (Divided):

D. Plummer (Alexandria)	144/150
I. P. Campbell (S.A.G.C.)	144/150

Tasmania:

D. Perry (Tasmanian)	146/150
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The 1970 Australian International (30 man) Team for the Mackintosh Trophy was then squadded in the order of qualification from the highest scorers in the DB, SB and ANZ events as follows:—

J. N. Thomas (Melbourne, V); V. Ryan (Cosgrove, V); D. W. Smith (Brisbane, Q); R. H. Bailey (Perth, WA); T. Salafia (Griffith, NSW); C. Russell (Geraldton, WA); R. McDonald (Geraldton, WA); J. Ellis (Finley, NSW); D. G. Watts (C.M.T., WA); M. Lyons (Queanbeyan, NSW); W. T. Henwood (Melbourne, V); M. Howell (Dundonnell, V); J. Harris (C.M.T., WA); D. Cosgrove (Warren, NSW); R. Burton (Geraldton, WA); E. McCullough (Echuca, V); R. A. Dean (Roma, Q); B. England (Mt. Gambier, SA); B. Rooke (Wagga, NSW); I. J. Halbert (C.M.T., WA); G. Bailey (Perth, WA); J. Henwood (Melbourne, V); A. R. Cusack (Kojonup, WA); T. Catling (Katanning, WA); W. Dalzell (Melbourne, V); E. Hawkins (Hawkesbury, NSW); A. E. Wilkinson (Mildura, V); D. W. Cummings (Perth, WA); F. Reade (Metropolitan, V); R. Warneminde (Brisbane, Q).

Event No. 8a 4th Day — March 3

\$300 VALUE DOUBLE BARREL HANDICAP

(25 targets off handicap marks)
(17 Shooters Divided Compulsorily)

Event No. 8b 4th Day — March 3

\$3 sweepstake was also conducted and
6 shooters each 15/15 divided.

Event No. 9 5th Day — March 4

21st GRAND AUSTRALIAN HANDICAP

(50 targets from handicap marks)

1st, B. Rooke (Wagga, NSW)	56/56
2nd, E. A. Pedler (Katanning, WA)	55/56
3rd, V. Ryan (Cosgrove, V)	51/52

YARDAGE AWARDS

25-27 yards (Divided):

W. Rae (Warren, NSW)	48/50
D. W. Smith (Brisbane, Q)	48/50
D. Hunt (Warren, NSW)	48/50

22-24 yards (Divided):

J. Ellis, (Finley, NSW)	48/50
W. Dalzell (Melbourne, V)	48/50
A. Kemp (Brisbane, Q)	48/50

20-21 yards:

P. M. Humphrey (Northam, WA)	49/50
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19 yards:

G. McCowen (New England, NSW)	48/50
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18 yards (Divided):

G. Crosswell (Mersey, Tas.)	47/50
A. Holmes (Katanning, WA)	47/50
W. Garvie (South West, WA)	47/50
R. E. Herz (Perth, WA)	47/50
B. Maley (Northam, WA)	47/50
P. M. James (Katanning, WA)	47/50

17 yards (Divided):

H. Durbidge (Warrnambool, V)	49/50
A. J. Hudson (Tasmanian, Tas.)	49/50
J. Bailey (Geraldton, WA)	49/50
C. H. Lee (Northam, WA)	49/50

16 yards:

L. Barlow (Hobart, Tas.)	49/50
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15 yards:

R. Hill (Northam, WA)	48/50
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14 yards:

Mrs F. Harris (C.M.T., WA)	42/50
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12-13 yards:

Nil.

The overall high gun winner J. Ellis of Finley, NSW 298/306, was then presented with his trophy. Next highest scorer was D. W. Smith of Brisbane, Q 297/306.

Event No. 10

6th Day — March 5

1st NATIONAL SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

(50 targets being 2 rounds of 25 using
quick round method)

1st, J. Newton Thomas (Melbourne, V)	60/61
2nd, T. Taylor (O.H.I.N., NZ)	66/68
3rd, W. Stevens (Ipswich, Q)	64/67

YARDAGE AWARDS

0-2 yards:

D. R. Taylor (Hobart, Tas.)	57/61
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3-5 yards (Divided):

S. Gibson (Katanning, WA)	48/50
H. Baynes (S.A.G.C., SA)	48/50
B. W. Sharp (Perth, WA)	48/50

6-10 yards:

W. Ahchee (Derby, WA)	47/50
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STATE AWARDS

Queensland:

D. Smith (Brisbane)	47/50
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New South Wales:

E. Hawkins (Hawkesbury)	48/50
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Victoria:

K. Lowry (Melbourne)	48/50
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South Australia:

I. P. Campbell (S.A.G.C.)	48/50
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Tasmania:

R. Wighton (Hobart)	48/50
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Best Lady Shooter:

Mrs F. Harris (C.M.T., WA)	29/50
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CENTRAL BURNETT GUN CLUB—Mundubbera, Queensland

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ANNUAL TWO DAY SHOOT

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, 13th and 14th JUNE, 1970

THE COUNTRY SHOOT OF THE YEAR

SATURDAY, 10 a.m.

Event 1—

5 TARGETS DOUBLE BARREL EYE OPENER 16 yards

Nomination 50c

Event 2—

Nomination \$3.00

Central Burnett Double Barrel Championship

20 targets from 16 yds. 50c optional sweeps each 10 targets

Badge, Sash and Trophy — 1st, Trophies 2nd and 3rd

Event 3—

Nomination \$6.00

Central Burnett Double Barrel Medley

20 targets and 20 mini targets from 16 yds.

70% of nominations to go to shooters equally in four yardage divisions—

12-15, 16-19, 20-23, 24-27. Comp. div.

SUNDAY, 8.30 a.m.

Event 1—

5 TARGETS SINGLE BARREL EYE OPENER 18 yards

Nomination 50c

Event 2—

Nomination \$4.00

Queensland State Single Barrel Championship

30 targets from 18 yds. 50c optional sweeps, each 10 targets.

Badge, Sash and Trophy 1st, Trophies 2nd and 3rd.

Trophy best 12-16 yds.

Event 3—

\$500 HANDICAP

Nomination \$10.00

40 targets Double Barrel Handicap. Equipment of Shooter's choice.

\$300 to be divided 60%, 30%, 10%. Comp. div.

Five yardage prizes next best of \$40 value each.

12-14, 15-17, 18-20, 21-23, 24-27. Calcutta on this Event.

Event 4—

20 TARGETS DOUBLE BARREL POINTS HANDICAP

Nomination \$6.00

Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

Golden Mile Shield to be shot in conjunction.

Teams of five shooters, all scores to count.

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CLUBS AND MEETINGS

VICTORIA

APSLEY, 27/2/70.—Weather conditions: Fine and cool. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1—Thirteen divided. No. 2—Kowree & Border District's DB C'ship: 1st, Joe Murphy, 26/26; 2nd, Peter Cleggett, 25/26; 3rd, Ray Morris, 23/24. No. 3—Kowree & Border District's SB C'ship: 1st, Athol Miller, 19/20; 2nd, Merv Grigg, 20/22; 3rd, Norm Hinneberg, 21/24.

(Athol Miller, Hon. Sec.)

APSLEY, 14/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 52. Results: No. 1—Inter-District ICI Shield Teams Shoot: South-East of SA, 297/300; Western District of Vict., 294/300; Wimmera, 294/300. No. 2—\$150 Cash H'cap, 15-tgt.: J. Vaughan, C. Crawford, S. Rentsch, J. Linke, L. Rundel, N. Hinneberg, I. McLeod, L. Gibson, J. Humphris, P. Telford, A. McIntyre, L. Williams, K. Manning, P. Cleggett, Jnr., R. Batson, 15/15 divided. No. 3—\$50 Cartridge H'cap, 10-tgts.: S. Rentsch, T. Linke, A. Tucker, A. Aitken, R. Morris, B. Robinson, L. Gibson, J. Humphris, A. McIntyre, L. Williams, T. Reschke, P. Cleggett, Jnr., P. Cleggett, 10/10 divided.

Perfect weather conditions and some very good shooting. The South-East compiled a record score to win easily from the Western District and Wimmera.

(Athol Miller, Hon. Sec.)

ARARAT, 6/3/70.—Weather conditions: Cold with misty rain. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: H. Cook, B. Wigg. No. 2—10-tgt. SB: 1st, B. Pickering; 2nd, A. Cunningham; 3rd, R. Lees; F/M: S. Hamilton. No. 3—Deauville Doubles: 1st, G. Kirk and A. MacKenzie; 2nd, H. Cook and A. McDougall; 3rd, S. Cunningham and B. Wigg. No. 4—5 Pair D/R: 1st, A. McDougall; 2nd, G. Kirk; 3rd, S. Hamilton.

There was some excellent shooting in our March shoot, especially seeing that the weather was far from perfect.

(A. McDougall, Pub. Officer)

BAIRNSDALE, 14/3/70.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1—10-tgts. Pts. C/D: Rex White, 30/30; L. Byles and M. Huggins, 29/30. No. 2—10-tgts. DB, C/D: Divided E. Dowe, Jim Collins, A. White and C. Heath. No. 3—7-tgts. American Skeet, C/D: Divided F. Howlett, J. Patterson and N. Elliott. No. 4—5-Pr. D/R, C/D: C. Heath, 9/10; F. Howlett, N. Elliott and N. Stewart, 8/10. No. 5—5-Pr. D/R, C/D: F. Howlett, Jim Collins and J. Patterson 9/10.

Quite a number of our members and visitors still out after ducks—so a day of sweeps was in order.

(Stan Collins, Act. Sec.)

BENDIGO, 7/3/70.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1—K. Bell, A. Holland, L. Hamilton, K. Bell, W. Coulson, I. Bell, O. Dowker, K. Hendry, F. Kirby, 10/10. No. 2—Club DD C'ship: 1st, D. Mountjoy, A. Holland, 24/25 pair; 2nd, A. James, H. James, 23/25 pair. No. 3—10-tgt. DB H'cap: K. Bell, E. Kirby, 10/10.

A good sunny day with a fair attendance of shooters, the main event being the Club Deauville Doubles with drawn partners. No possibles were carded—19 pair being the best scored by A. James, who drew his son out of the hat as a partner, and D. Mountjoy, who was having his first shoot for nearly three years, and A. Holland, a new shooter having his first shoot. In the shoot-off Mountjoy and Holland were the winners with 5/5 pair. Alf and his son missed a target on their 5th pair.

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It was good to see a shooter making a comeback and a new shooter being decorated with the sashes.

The final event—a 10-tgt. h'cap—saw only two shooters, K. Bell and E. Kirby, with a full score.

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

COLAC, 6/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. Pts.: Divided by H. Walker, R. Manifold, B. Clark, P. McDonald, S. Walker, A. Neale, 15/15. No. 2—Divided by M. Holloway, D. Corstorphane, H. Walker, R. Wiffin, R. Hamill, B. Higgins, B. Tate, 10/10. No. 3—10-tgt. DB Trophy H'cap: 1st, Ernie Osborne, 19/19; 2nd, Chas Grist, 18/19; 3rd, A. Neale, 16/17.

The smallest attendance for a long time attended our March shoot. Quail opening next morning got the blame.

After the first two events, which were divided, the President arrived late and took off the main event. Congrats. Ern Osborne. Chas Grist, one of our most consistent shooters, took second trophy, with the Secretary taking third.

Our thanks to the ladies for the hot drinks and supper. At presentation of trophies time our President made a presentation of a travelling rug to Jeannie Flowers. Jean was our assistant secretary for many years and is leaving us to live in Darwin. Our loss is Darwin's gain.

(Arthur Neale, Hon. Sec.)

ECHUCA, 14/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. EO: C. Bartlett, A. Feilan, K. Pearce, P. Jamison, H. Hawking, L. Gibson, W. Wickham and C. Johnson. No. 2—Club DB C'ship: 1st, W. Wickham, 28/28; 2nd, A. Feilan, 27/28; 3rd, K. Dobson, 38/39; F/M: N. Northausen, 17/20. No. 3—20-tgt. H'cap: 1st, C. Williams, 28/28; 2nd, P. Jamieson, 27/28; 3rd, H. Gibson, 31/33.

(R. Adamson, Hon. Sec.)

EUROA, 27/2/70.—Weather conditions: Fine and mild. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB Pts.: Seven divided. No. 2—15-tgt. DB Trophy: 1st, K. McKendrick, 19/19; 2nd, P. Eaton, 18/19; 3rd, J. McDonough, 14/15. No. 3—6-Pr. D/D: 1st, divided by K. Newman and G. Huff, 13/13; 2nd, divided by R. Barns and K. McKendrick, 12/13.

At our monthly shoot on Friday night under fine and mild conditions, 20 shooters coming from NSW, Benalla, Shepparton, Mansfield and Seymour, competed in trophy and novelty events.

The main trophy was won by local shooter Keith McKendrick in a shoot-off with young Seymour shooter, Pat Eaton, who took out second place. Another local, Jim McDonough, won third place.

High Gun was won by K. McKendrick, 20/20, and the lady's trophy by Mrs. J. Barns.

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

FRANKSTON, 8/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 37. Results: No. 1—20-tgt. DB Club C'ship: T. Delorenzo, 1st; W. Stone, 2nd; L. Baxter, 3rd. No. 2—20-tgt. DB H'cap: H. Retallick, 1st; I. Murray, 2nd; G. Ellis, 3rd. Yardage: 12-13, E. Lloyd; 14-15, D. Milner.

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

FRANKSTON, 21/3/70.—Weather conditions: Wet and unpleasant. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB H'cap Pts. C/D: 1st, J. Hamblin; 2nd, R. Miller; 3rd (div.) M. Kenney, Jnr., R. Allen, D. Parsell, I. Murray, T. Minton, G. Farrar. No. 2—20-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st, G.

VICTORIAN GUN CLUB (V)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

PROGRAMME FOR MAY, 1970

SATURDAY, 2nd — 1.45 p.m.

**FOOTSCRAY DISTRICT SB C'SHIP
ALTONA DISTRICT TOWER C'SHIP**

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, 6th — 7.30 p.m.

**ALTONA DISTRICT DB C'SHIP
15 TGT. PTS. H'CAP CASH DIV.**

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, 13th — 7.30 p.m.

**20 TGT. DB H'CAP TROPHIES
15 TGT. PTS. H'CAP CASH**

SATURDAY, 16th—1.45 p.m.

VICTORIAN STATE INTERMEDIATE DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

(in conjunction with)

SOUTHERN DISTRICT DB C'SHIP

Cash Events Time Permitting

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, 20th — 7.30 p.m.

WESTERN SUBURBS TOWER C'SHIP

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, 27th — 7.30 p.m.

Novelty Night

10 TGT. WALK-UP

5 PR. DR

10 TGT. TOWER

One Overall Trophy

Cash div. on each 10 tgts.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, JUNE 3rd — 7.30 p.m.

ALTONA DISTRICT WALK-UP C'SHIP

Cash Events to Follow

Two Traps operating at all shoots.

The Committee reserves the right to alter
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Farrar; 2nd, C. Oke; 3rd, I. Murray. No. 3—10-tgt. DB 16 yds. Silent Rise: 1st, N. Miller; 2nd, G. Farrar; 3rd, D. Parsell.

The club will make an inter-club visit to Korumburra on Sunday, May 3, where, in addition to the program, an inter-club teams shoot will be held.

Frank Spicer won the first aggregate High Gun trophy for 1970.

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

FOSTER, 14/3/1970.—Weather conditions: Excellent. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. P/D: Five div. No. 2—10-tgt. SB: R. Wykes, 10/10; A. Cripps, R. Barlow, J. Hamblin, T. McGaw, K. Brown, C. Arnup, W. Pryde, M. Kenny, 9/10. No. 3—10-tgt. Walk-up: T. McGaw, K. Brown, M. Kenny, 9/10.

Winner High Gun over first three events: M. Kenny, 28/30; T. McGaw, K. Brown, R. Barlow, J. Hamblin, 27/30. Results: 2nd, R. Barlow; 3rd, K. Brown.

No. 4—10-tgt. D/R: H. Logan, R. Barlow, J. Hamblin, M. Cripps, 10/10.

Maurice Kenny won the High Gun.

(D. Cripps, Hon. Sec.)

GEELONG, 13/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO Pts.: B. Wembridge, R. Bath, R. Wiffin, H. Walker, J. Hehir, N. Wenning, 15/15. No. 2—Western District Mixed Targets C'ship: A. Wembridge, 23/25; W. Attwood, 22/25; R. Bath, 29/35. No. 3—10-tgt. S/S H'cap: I. Dickens, W. Attwood, 10/10, N. Wenning, 10/10.

(J. Nash, Asst. Sec.)

GEELONG, 21/3/70.—Weather conditions: Cold, wet and windy. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1—Half-round S/S Skeet H'cap: J. Hehir, M. Sutherland, I. Dickens, K. Lowry, A. Wembridge, B. Wembridge, D. Hehir and N. Wenning, 12/12 (eq. first). No. 2—S/S Skeet H'cap: M. Sutherland, 52/65, 1st; I. Dickens, 49/65, 2nd; A. Wembridge, 59/62, 3rd. No. 3—Limeburner's Point Skeet C'ship: B. Wembridge, 29/31, 1st; K. Lowry, 31/34, 2nd; R. Falshaw, 29/34, 3rd. No. 4—S/S Skeet H'cap: K. Lowry, J. Hehir, 25/25, eq. 1st.

The scores do not give a true indication as the c'ship was held in driving rain and wind. Geelong shooters, M. Sutherland and I. Dickens, showed improvement in Skeet shooting when they finished 1st and 2nd respectively in the handicap.

(J. Nash, Asst. Sec.)

GEELONG, 28/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 36. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. EO H'cap: D. Hehir, J. Hehir, M. Barnes, B. Wembridge, K. Rankin, R. Evans, T. Stevens, M. McGarigle, 10/10. No. 2—30-tgt. H'cap for a Reload: J. Watts, 31/31, 1st; N. Delorenzo, 30/31, 2nd; R. Bath, 62/63, 3rd.

(J. Nash, Asst. Sec.)

HAMILTON, 21/3/70.—Weather conditions: Wet and windy. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. H'cap C/D: Six divided. No. 2—15-tgt. H'cap Yardage Trophies, DB: 12-16—1st, A. Edgar, G. Night, J. Scullion; 17-19—1st, T. Laidlaw, L. Rundell, I. Christie; 20 and over—1st, J. Arnold; 2nd, K. Ilsley; 3rd, H. Vaughan. No. 3—10-tgt. H'cap, DB: Five divided. No. 4—10-tgt. H'cap, DB: Four divided.

Office-bearers elected at our annual meeting: H. Vaughan, President; J. Arnold, Senior Vice-President; A. Gordon, Junior Vice-President; K. Ilsley, Honorary Secretary; J. Laidlaw, Treasurer.

(K. Ilsley, Hon. Sec.)

HORSHAM, 21/3/70. Weather conditions: Cold and windy and unfavourable. Attendance: 31. Results: No. 1—Wimmera Night DB C'ship: 1st, Maurie Sullivan (Macarthur), 48/48; 2nd, Norm Hinneberg (Horsham), 47/48; 3rd, Charlie England (Bordertown), 37/48. No. 2—10-tgt. DB H'cap: Divided by J. Hinneberg, B. Robinson, A. Shepherd, R. Newell, R. Andrews, I. McLeod and A. Miller, 10/10. No. 3—Miss-Out off 27 Yds.: Rob Scott, 7/7.

(Bert Robinson, Hon. Sec.)

KERANG, 23/2/70.—Weather conditions: Cool and windy. Attendance: 34. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB EO: Sixteen shooters, 5/5, divided. No. 2—20-tgt. DB

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\$400 Duck Opening H'cap: 1st, J. McLean, 24/25; 2nd, R. Fowler, 23/25; 3rd, G. Hayes, 38/39. 12/16 yds., S. Schlitz; 17/20 yds., M. Tate; 21 and over, R. Peacock. No. 3—10-tgt.: W. Makeham, R. Fowler, N. Nalder, W. Doyle, G. Taylor, 10/10, divided.

The wind made things a bit difficult and only two shooters turned in possibles—J. McLean and R. Fowler. In the shoot-off Johnny came in ahead of Bob, with G. Hayes third.

J. McLean chose the U. & O. Gun in preference to the motor scooter. R. Fowler got the clothes dryer and G. Hayes a dinner set.

In the final event—10-tgt. DB—W. Makeham, R. Fowler, N. Nalder, W. Doyle, G. Taylor, 10/10, divided.

(Ian Douglas, Hon. Sec.)

KERANG, 2/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine and mild. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1—20-tgt. SB Northern District C'ship: 1st, A. Kerr; 2nd, S. Kerr; 3rd, W. McGrath; F/M: M. Schifferle. No. 2—20-tgt. DB New Holland Shield Teams: Kerang No. 2—1st, R. Fowler, S. Kerr, W. Makeham, R. Peacock, C. Radcliffe, 97/100. High Gun: 1st, M. Tate; 2nd, R. Fowler; 3rd, W. McGrath. No. 3—5 SB, 5 DB: A. Walker, D. Moore, W. McGrath, M. Tate, R. Fowler, S. Kerr, 10/10 div.

In the first event, the Northern District SB C'ship, A. Kerr won from his son S. Kerr, with W. McGrath, from Quambatook, third. The front marker trophy went to M. Schifferle.

The second event — 20-tgt. DB New Holland Shield Team Shoot — was won by Kerang No. 2 team, made up of R. Fowler, S. Kerr, W. Makeham, R. Peacock, C. Radcliffe, 97/100. High Gun: 1st, M. Tate; 2nd, R. Fowler; 3rd, W. McGrath.

Third event — 5 SB, 5 DB — divided by A. Walker, D. Moore, W. McGrath, M. Tate, R. Fowler, S. Kerr, 10/10.

(Ian Douglas, Hon. Sec.)

KERANG, 21/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB EO: Sixteen divided, 5/5. No. 2—10-tgt. DB Duck Opening C'ship in conjunction with McCraith Shield: 1st, M. Tate, 39/39; 2nd, N. Smart, 38/39; 3rd, G. Shepherd, 28/29; F/M: A. Shepherd, 18/20. 1st, Kerang No. 1 team—C. Radcliffe, R. Peacock, F. James, S. Kerr, W. Makeham, 97/100; 2nd, Kerang No. 2 and Sebastapol, 95/100. No. 3—5 DB, 5 SB: D. Moore, B. Vincent, N. Nalder, 10/10, divided.

(Ian Douglas, Hon. Sec.)

KORUMBURRA, 28/2/70.—Weather conditions: Fine, but strong head wind. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB C/D: G. Hoyer, A. White, C. Hadden, J. Colyer, H. Logan, P. Kuyser, J. Green, 10/10. No. 2—15-tgt. Pts. H'cap: 1st, Morris Kenny, 45/45; 2nd, J. Green, 42/45; 3rd, F. Buchan, 47/51. No. 3—15-tgt. SB H'cap: 1st, J. Colyer, 23/23; 2nd, A. White, 22/23; 3rd, J. Green, 18/19.

New shooter, Rex White, from Sale showed many of the old hands how it was done. It was also good to see John Green back among the prize winners after a long run of outs. One of our regular trappers, Gus Schaaper, is at present in hospital and we hope to see him back very soon. The novelty shoot was won by R. Whykes.

(M. Hamblin, Hon. Sec.)

MELBOURNE, 28/2/70.—Results: 10-tgt. Pts. DB EO: Seven divided, 30/30. Yering Inter SB C'ship: 1st, G. J. Jones, 16/20; 2nd, G. Morgan, 15/20; 3rd, K. Olver, 14/20. Yering SB C'ship: 1st, L. Patterson, 26/26; 2nd, K. Coridas, 25/26; 3rd, D. Drinkwater, 24/25. Yering Skeet C'ship: 1st, F. Smeaton, 29/29; 2nd, R. Fallshaw, 28/29; 3rd, N. White, 26/27; 4-10, S. Stamell, 21/25. 20-tgt. H'cap, C/D: R. Brown, T. McCarthy, 20/20 div. Skeet H'cap, C/D: F. Smeaton, D. Brown, 25/25 div.

9/3/70.—10-tgt. Pts. DB EO: Six divided. Club Tyro C'ship: 1st, P. Kuyser, 20/20; 2nd, M. Kenny, 22/22; 3rd, Mrs. S. Lowry, 21/23. Labour Day DB C'ship: 1st, L. Mitchell, 98/100; 2nd, F. Thatcher, 97/100; 3rd, J. Stewart, 51/52. Labour Day SB C'ship: 1st, H. Wademan, 31/31; 2nd, L. Mitchell, 30/31; 3rd, F. Smeaton, 26/27; 12-14 yds., E. Lloyd, 16/20. Labour Day Skeet C'ship: High Gun, L. Mitchell, 25/25. 0-2—1st, L.

Mildura Clay Target Gun Club

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ANNUAL QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY SHOOT OLYMPIC PARK, MILDURA, VICTORIA

Friday, June 12, 1970, at 9.30 a.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$2.50

15 TARGET D.B. SWEEP OFF HANDICAP

Event 2— Nom. \$3.00

MILDURA GUN CLUB CUP AND SASH

20 Targets D.B. off Handicap. 1st Prize: Cup and Sash; 2nd Prize: \$18.00; 3rd Prize: \$12.00.

Event 3— Nom. \$3.00

NORTH-WEST DB CHAMPIONSHIP

20 Targets off 16 yards (\$1.00 op. sweep each 10 targets, \$1.00 overall)

Event 4— Nom. \$4.00

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15 Targets D.B. off Handicap

FRIDAY NIGHT COMMENCING at 7 p.m.

Event 5— Nom. \$2.00

10 TARGET D.B. SWEEP OFF 16 YARDS

Event 6— Nom. \$3.50

NORTH-WEST DB NIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

20 Targets off 16 yards (\$1.00 op sweep each 10 targets, \$1.00 overall)

Saturday, June 13, 1970, at 9.30 a.m.

Event 7— Nom. \$5.00

COMMONWEALTH WALK-UP CHAMPIONSHIP

25 Targets, Walk up conditions. (\$1.00 op sweep overall)

Event 8— Nom. \$2.50

15 TARGETS D.B. SWEEP OFF HANDICAP

Event 9— Nom. \$10.00

MILDURA GUN CLUB HANDICAP

20 Targets off Handicap D.B. (\$1.00 op. sweep each 10 targets, \$1.00 overall)

1st Prize: Complete dining room table setting, value \$200. 2nd Prize: Trophy, value \$100. 3rd Prize: Trophy value \$50.

One case cartridges to following yardage groups, 12-15; 16-19; 20-23; 24-27.

SATURDAY NIGHT COMMENCING at 7 p.m.

Event 10— Nom. \$2.00

10 TARGETS S.B. SWEEP OFF HANDICAP

Event 11— Nom. \$3.50

NORTH-WEST SB NIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

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9.30 a.m. SHARP

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Mitchell, 25/25; 2nd, R. Buchan, 96/97. 3-10—1st, G. White, 26/27; 2nd, N. White, 25/27.

(P. Joss, Secretary)

MELBOURNE, 7/3/70.—Weather conditions: Cloudy and cool. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. EO Pts. C/D: Six divided. No. 2—Lilydale DB C'ship: 1st, B. Lowrey, 60/60; 2nd, J. Stewart, 59/60; 3rd, W. Dalzell, 57/58; 12-14 yds., A. Burns, 18/20; 15-16 yds., T. Bove, 18/20. No. 3—20-tgt. DB H'cap: 15-17 yds—1st, G. J. Jones, K. Venables, 20/20; 18-21 yds—1st, R. Toner, H. Somers, 19/20; 22-27 yds—1st, R. Fox, B. Lowry, 18/20.

(P. Joss, Secretary)

MELBOURNE, 14/3/70.—Weather conditions: Mild and sunny. Attendance: 90. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. EO Pts.: Eight divided. No. 2—Victorian State SB C'ship: 1st, C. Mudford, 35/35; 2nd, G. Boswell, 34/35; 3rd, A. James, 44/45. No. 3—State Inter SB C'ship: 1st, C. Formosa, 27/30; 2nd, S. Teboneras, 26/30; 3rd, P. Kuyser, 26/39. No. 4—20-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st, T. Grech, 49/49; 12-14 yds, S. Teboneras, 22/23; 15-16 yds., T. Bove, 32/32; H. Ludbrook, 32/32; 17-19 yds., W. Copeland, 38/49; 20-23 yds., R. W. Fox, D. Brown, 48/49; 24-27 yds., W. Henwood, 19/20. No. 5—Skeet 1, C/D: G. Clarke, P. Bruck, R. Fallshaw, G. Carroll, G. Boswell, S. Teboneras, L. Patterson, K. Paterson. No. 6—Skeet 2 C/D: B. Knight, G. Carroll, G. Biggs, W. Lonie, W. Delaney, G. Clarke, D. Drinkwater, K. Patterson, W. Dalzell, P. Bruck, K. Bruck, R. Ferris.

(P. Joss, Secretary)

MELBOURNE, 21/3/70.—Results: 10-tgt. Pts. EO, DB, C/D: W. Lonie, R. Ferris, J. Stewart, 30/30 div. Metropolitan SB C'ship: 1st, B. Williams, 20/20; 2nd, H. Wademan, 36/37; 3rd, L. Mitchell, 35/37; 12-14 yds., S. Teboneras, 18/20. Metropolitan DB C'ship: 1st, L. Mitchell, 66/66; 2nd, D. Drinkwater, 65/66; 3rd, W. Delaney, 52/53; 12-14 yds., J. Spinks, 19/20. Metropolitan Skeet C'ship: 1st, G. Boswell, 43/42; 2nd, F. Ferris, 42/43; 3rd, W. Delaney, 28/29; 3-10, C. Hadden, 22/25. Skeet H'cap C/D: S. Teboneras, J. Spinks, 25/25.

Comments: Lyle Mitchell and Dave Drinkwater received a drenching in the heavy rain whilst deciding the winner of the DB sash.

(P. Joss, Secretary)

METROPOLITAN (V.), 7/2/70.—Epping Tower C'ship: Ray Burrill, 57/57; M. Landers, 56/57; K. Paterson, 34/35. Phil Fergus, 14/20, the yardage prize.

Graded Skeet: G. White, 25/25 (0-2); Frank Apted, 23/25 (3-5); L. Mitchell, 21/25 (6-10).

20-tgt. H'cap: Six divided. High Gun: Rus Kilkenny, 45/45.

13/2/70.—Club DB Night C'ship: G. Smith, 57/57; Bob O'Donnell, 56/57; Bill Attwood, 55/57.

10/2/70.—Annual meeting elected President, H. Belmore; Vice-Presidents, R. Hering, N. McKenzie, A. Harrod; Committee: H. Mitchell, G. Spence, G. James, J. McVicar, A. Long, H. Williamson, G. White, D. Scantlebury, M. Wilson; Assistant Secretary, E. Colautti; Secretary, C. Colledge.

7/3/70.—Broadmeadows Tyro C'ship: Darby Munro, 25/25, collected his first sash; Arch Kenny, 24/25, second, Don Roberts, 22/23, third.

Broadmeadows DB C'ship: John Green, 94/94; Clem Mudford, 93/94; Mick Logan, 44/45; Brian Bottoms, 12/14, and Arch Kenny, 15/16 yd. trophies.

20-tgts. H'cap: John Green, Brian Bottoms, 20/20, div. from Arch Kenny, 19/20. High Gun: J. Green, 55/55.

Skeet Round div. by Dave Drinkwater and Lyle Mitchell.

13/3/70.—Northern Suburbs DB Night C'ship: Thirty divided, thence Tom Spence, 50/50; Reg McGlone, 49/50; E. Colautti, 41/42; B. Ferguson, 12/14; F. Malaspina, 15/16.

20-tgt. H'cap: Dick Toner, 20/20; B. Ferguson, E. Colautti, R. McGlone, G. White, B. Williams, 19/20, shared.

21/3/70.—Rain just poured. J. Senserrick, M. Rushford, 15/15, divided the 15-tgts. pts. with Ray Sadler, 43/45, third.

A 20-tgt. h'cap was won by Mrs. Tim Jones, 38/38, to complete a 50 break. G. Gardiner, 37/38; E. Colautti, 29/30.

In conjunction was the Laurie Kennedy Memorial Shield shoot won by Metropolitan No. 1 team, 94/100, from Werribee, 92/100.

Whittlesea SB C'ship: J. McVigar, 44/45; L. Mitchell, 43/45; G. White, 38/30; L. Mitchell also high gun, 54/55. (C. Colledge, Secretary)

MILDURA, 21/3/70.—Weather conditions: Overcast and wet. Attendance: 29. Results: No. 1—25 Mini Target Skeet H'cap: I. Wakefield, 25/25; G. T. Wakefield, A. E. Poulton, W. Perry, 24/25 div. No. 2—25 Mini Target Trophy Shoot: 1st, G. Moore; 2nd, L. Dunn; 3rd, A. E. Poulton. No. 3—Half Round Mini Target Skeet: H. Moore and R. Canny, 10/12; J. Wilkinson and L. Dunn, 9/12. No. 4—Club Mini Target C'ship: 1st, V. Dichiera; 2nd, J. Wilkinson; 3rd, G. T. Wakefield.

An excellent attendance of shooters at our Skeet shoot with visiting shooters from Broken Hill, Barmera and Swan Hill. Scores were not high but weather conditions were not favorable for shooting either.

Vince Dichiera won the Club Mini Target Night C'ship in a shoot-off with J. Wilkinson, who seems to take a liking to Skeet c'ships. G. T. Wakefield was third without any opposition.

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

MYAMYN, 28/2/70.—Weather conditions: Cool and windy. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1—Eye-Opener: Five divided, 5/5.

A good attendance of shooters competed. The first 10-tgt. trophy \$20 handicap saw seven possibles — first placing going to L. Aubrey, Tyrendarra, from L. Trigger, of Macarthur; with Club President, Les Rundell, third. Front Marker went to J. Rundell, Myamyn.

Second trophy, \$20 Handicap, saw John Rundell, Myamyn, winning his first open trophy event from O. Mayfield, Myamyn, second, and C. McIntosh, Hamilton, third. L. Trigger won the front markers.

The Myamyn Progress ladies supplied a delicious afternoon tea which was enjoyed by all.

(Joseph J. Wallis, Hon. Sec.)

QUAMBATOOK, 9/3/70.—Weather conditions: Very good. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: Fourteen shooters divided, 5/5. No. 2—Labor Day C'ship, 20-tgts.: 1st, M. Nalder, 130/130; 2nd, H. Coundon, 129/130; 3rd, S. Fraser, 116/117. No. 3—10-tgt. Sweep: J. Wallis, W. McGrath, W. Makeham, N. Nalder, S. Schlitz, S. Fraser, G. Taylor, S. Kerr, 10/10, divided.

Very fine day for our Labor Day Championship. Ten shooters shot 20/20. In shoot-off six shooters shot over 60 targets each.

(A. E. Richmond, Asst. Sec.)

QUAMBATOOK, 12/3/70.—Weather conditions: Perfect. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB EO: J. Wallis, W. McGrath, P. Nalder, M. Nalder, N. Nalder, R. Hipwell, B. Vincent, D. Ferrier, D. Moore, S. Fraser, G. Taylor, S. Kerr, 5/5, divided. No. 2—15-tgt. DB ICI Trophy: 1st, Reg Hipwell (Cohuna), 48/48; 2nd, Douglas Ferrier (Birchip), 47/48; 3rd, Barry Vincent (Kerang), 32/33. No. 3—10-tgt. DB Sweeps: W. McGrath, R. Manuel, M. Nalder, R. Hipwell, H. Coundon, W. Makeham, D. Ferrier, R. Ferrier, J. Saville, S. Fraser, F. James, J. Thomson (New Zealand), divided.

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Very good attendance so soon after our Labor Day shoot. John Thomson, from New Zealand, who is visiting Rex Peacock (Kerang) paid us a visit.

Reg Hipwell and Doug Ferrier had a good tussle for the ICI trophy. (A. E. Richmond, Asst. Sec.)

RUTHERGLEN, 7/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine, calm, clear and warm. Attendance: 44. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. EO Pts., 16 yds.: R. Cullen, G. Smith, J. Senserrick, V. Bussell, K. Hodge. No. 2—Third Wine Festival C'ship: 1st, D. McGuiness, Jnr., 145/145; 2nd, F. Crawford, 144/145; 3rd, G. Smith, 121/122; FM trophy: K. Gittings, 19/20. No. 3—15-tgt. H'cap Trophy: 1st, R. Cullen; 2nd, K. Hodge; 3rd, G. Cullen.

A chip off the old block, young K. Gittings, from Albury, taking off the front markers' trophy. (D. Murray, Hon. Sec.)

SALE, 7/2/70.—Weather conditions: Cold. Results: No. 1—Gun Warmer: H. Logan, 30/30, divided with R. Barlow, E. Dowe, 29/30. No. 2—Club DB Title: 1st, Tup Pedersen; 2nd, R. Brown; 3rd, H. Logan. Best 12-15 yarder: J. Watts, Morwell. No. 3—10-tgt. SB S'stake: Four divided. (Isabel C. Robinson, Hon. Sec.)

SEBASTOPOL, 14/2/70.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 33. Results: No. 1—Ballarat and District SB C'ship: 1st, N. Paterson, 26/27; 2nd, L. Francis, 25/27; 3rd, G. Kirkpatrick, 21/23. No. 2—15-tgt. DB H'cap: B. Butler, L. Francis, 30/30 (eq. 1st.).

Fine night which reflects good attendance figures. Shooting was excellent with good scores recorded all round. (Alan Shepherd, Hon. Sec.)

SEBASTOPOL, 9/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO Pts.: Ten possibles shared. No. 2—Begonia Festival SB C'ship: 1st, A. James, 77/78; 2nd, G. Robinson, 76/78; 3rd, B. Mark, 50/51. No. 3—Begonia Festival DB C'ship: 1st, D. Toner, 110/110; 2nd, F. Read, 109/110; 3rd, I. Hinneberg, 78/79.

Excellent shooting in wonderful conditions, reflecting high scores. All were treated to a most interesting shoot. (Alan Shepherd, Hon. Sec.)

SEYMOUR, 7/3/70.—Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB: Four divided. No. 2—10-tgt. DB: Five divided. No. 3—10 Pts.: 1st, B. Hall, 30/30; L. Shallard, K. Newman, 29/30. No. 4—5-tgt. SB: Three divided. No. 5—Novelty: Six possibles. No. 6—Miss-Out; 1st, N. Pearson, 10/10.

A perfect day but very small attendance. Bruce Hall took out High Gun trophy with score of 34/35. We are pleased to hear that our neighbouring club, Puckapunyal, is ready to open again. (A. H. Jones, Hon. Sec.)

TATURA, 15/3/70.—Weather conditions: Cool and cloudy. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: Thirteen shooters divided. No. 2—Club DB C'ship: 1st, R. Rule; 2nd, R. Dealy; 3rd, R. Hipwell. No. 3—15-tgt. Sweep: J. Pola, K. Hayes (Div. 90%); P. Jamieson, B. Hall, L. Sim, R. Madill, L. Davis (Div. 10%).

(A. Moles, Hon. Sec.)

VICTORIAN, 25/2/70.—Results: No. 1—10-tgt. Pts., 18 yds., C/D: Div. D. Munro, L. Formosa, R. Morrison, 30/30. VGC Pre-International C'ship, 40-tgt. DB: 1st, D. Toner, 40/40; 2nd, D. Munro, 39/40; 3rd, F. Apted, 56/57; FM: T. Grech, 37/40. (J. Platten, Sec.)

VICTORIAN, 26/2/70.—Weather conditions: Fine night. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1—6 Pr. DR Cash Div.: 1st, C. Formosa, 11/12; M. Dipeitro, W. Attwood, 10/12, div. placings. No. 2—VGC DD Drawn Partners C'ship: 1st, H. Barnes-M. Dipeitro, 32/32; 2nd, J. Frisina-U. Dipeitro, 31/32. No. 3—15-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st, D. Ross, 15/15; placings divided—D. Munro, W. Attwood, C. Formosa, M. Vipond, 14/15. (J. Platten, Sec.)

VICTORIAN, 8/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine night. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. Pts., 16 yds., C/D: 1st, D. Toner, 30/30; placings div. by K. Stuart, L. Patterson, W. Attwood, 29/30. No. 2—VGC SB C'ship: 1st, R. Batey, 20/20; 2nd, R. O'Donnell, 19/20; 3rd, C. Formosa, 21/23; FM: K. Stuart, 15/20. No. 3—Southern District DB C'ship: 1st, M. Dipeitro, 34/35; 2nd, D. Munro, 33/35; 3rd R. O'Donnell, 23/24; FM: K. Stuart, 18/20. (J. Platten, Sec.)

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VICTORIA ROAD, LILYDALE

Saturday, May 2nd

Club Winter A Grade (19-27) D.B.

Championship

Nom. \$3.00

in conjunction

Club Winter B Grade (12-18) D.B.

Championship

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Skeet Handicap C.D.

Saturday, May 9th

Club Single Barrel Championship

Club Aggregate

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30 Targets D.B. Handicap C.D.

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Trophies, 1st and 2nd in Grades 0-2 and 3-10

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Saturday, May 16th

Wonga Park D.B. Championship

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in conjunction

Wonga Park Inter. D.B. Championship

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Skeet Handicaps C.D.

Saturday, May 23rd

CLUB TEAMS SHOOT

20 Targets D.B. Handicap

Trophies, 1st, 2nd and 3rd

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Skeet Handicap C.D.

Nom. \$3.00

D.T.L. and Skeet teams drawn from nominations
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W. R. Johns Memorial D.B. Championship

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10 Mini Points — Cash — Entry \$1.50

WHITTLESEA MINI CHAMPIONSHIP

Sash and Trophy to winner. Trophies Second, Third, 12/14, 15/16 yds. Entry \$3.50.

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SATURDAY, MAY 16

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FRIDAY, MAY 22

10 ST Points — Cash — Entry \$1.50

CLUB S.B. NIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

Sash and Trophy to winner. Trophies Second, Third, 12/14 and 15/16 yds. Entry \$3.50.

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SATURDAY, MAY 30

5 Pair Double Rise — Cash — Entry \$1.50

CLUB DOUBLE RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

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CLUB DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

20 Pair from 18 yds.

Sashes and Trophies First Pair. Trophies Second Pair. Entry \$3.00.

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VICTORIAN, 11/3/70.—Weather conditions: Light wind, misty showers. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB, 16 yds., Mini T, C/D: Divided—R. Morrison, K. Stuart, W. Attwood, 10/10. No. 2—Altona Dist. DB Mini T. C'ship: 1st, R. Toner, 19/20; 2nd, W. Attwood, 20/22; 3rd, F. Apted, 22/25; FM: R. Hayes, 17/20.

Dick Toner is still showing fine form as he takes another sash for his collection. Bill Attwood, as always, puts in a good effort and second was the result of a shoot-off against Frank Apted and Brian Kilpatrick. Sorry there is no placing for fourth Brian.

Front Marker went to Ron Hayes, who is returning after 12 months' spell.
(J. Platten, Sec.)

VICTORIAN, 21/3/70.—Weather conditions: Heavy rain. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1—15-tgt. Pts., 16 yds., Cash: 1st div. B. Scanes, F. Apted, R. Batey, 44/45. No. 2—Captain Cook Bi-Centennial DB C'ship, 30-tgt., 16 yds.: 1st, W. Hailes, Jnr., 129/129; 2nd, A. Senserrick, 128/129; 3rd, W. Arandt, 116/117; FM: B. Bottoms, 30/31.

The Captain Cook Bi-Centennial Championship, with a Browning Auto for first prize, was shot under continual heavy rain and gusty winds.

Bill Hails, Jnr., had to borrow a gun during the shoot-off.
(J. Platten, Sec.)

WANGARATTA, 17/2/70.—Weather conditions: Cool and calm. Attendance: 61. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB EO: Nineteen divided. No. 2—10-tgt. Trophy Event: 1st, G. Willett, 32/32; 2nd, B. Reid, 31/32; 3rd, R. Dean, 25/26. Other possibles were J. Stamp, P. Gorman, R. English, R. Stamp, A. Nesbitt, R. Vance, D. Dent, L. Coulston, V. Bussell. No. 3—10-tgt. S'stake: Six div.

A very large crowd of shooters came to our shoot prior to duck opening. The Fisheries and Wildlife Inspector was at the shoot with a lot of information as to where the ducks were.

G. Willett shot very well to win the trophy event before he leaves for the university. Another young shooter in B. Reid was second, whilst R. Dean took away third prize.
(Keith Frankling, Hon. Sec.)

WANGARATTA, 18/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine and mild, with wind rising late in the night. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. EO DB, 16 yds.: Divided by eighteen. No. 2—North-Eastern DB Night C'ship: 1st, L. Ashford, 36/36; 2nd, N. Henry, 35/36; 3rd, B. Reid, 32/33. No. 3—15-tgt. DB Trophy Event: 1st, I. Reith, 34/34; 2nd, K. Maurey, 33/34; 3rd, V. Bussell, 18/19.

It was the first time Wangaratta has had two traps illuminated and it got the shoot through much quicker. The Committee has done a lot of work around the grounds lately in improving the shooting facilities.

(Keith Frankling, Hon. Sec.)

WARRENAMBOOL, 14/3/70.—Weather conditions: Cold, calm. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO Pts.: Six shooters divided. No. 2—Club DB Night C'ship: 1st, G. Willett, 90/90; 2nd, A. McSween, 89/90; 3rd, M. Sullivan, 24/25. No. 3—10-tgt. Sweep: 1st, B. Martin; 2nd, div. A. Blain, B. Clark, P. Neyland, J. R. Brown.
(R. C. Kenneally, Hon. Sec.)

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Saturday-Sunday, May, 16-17, 1970

FIRST DAY

Saturday, May 16

Commencing 9.30 a.m.

Event 1 Nom. \$3

MARANOA SINGLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

20 Tgts. 16 yds. plus one EO

Optional Sweeps of 50c on each of 10 tgts.

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SECOND DAY

Sunday, May 17

Commencing 9.30 a.m.

Event 1 Nom. \$3

MARANOA DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

20 tgts. 16 yds.

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Event 3 Nom. \$4

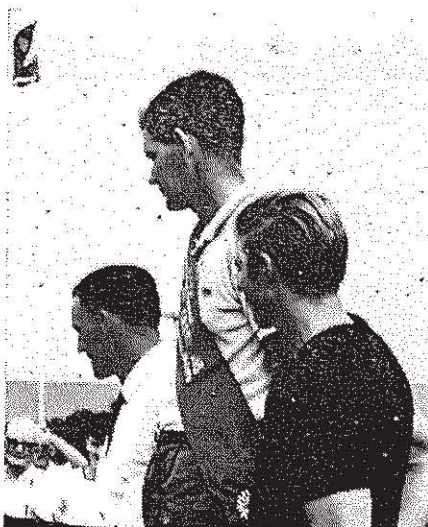
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Top centre: 1970 National Champion of Champions D. Smith (Brisbane, Q'land) with second placegetter E. T. Humphrey (Northern, WA) and A. R. Cusack (Kojonup, WA), third.

Top right: 24th International Team High Gun scorer J. Harris of Cunderdin, Western Australia.

At left is J. Newton Thomas (Melbourne, Vic.) winner of the first Australian National Skeet Championship with T. Taylor of O.H.I.N. Gun Club, New Zealand, second, and W. Stevens of Ipswich, Queensland, third. Congratulating the third placegetter is ACTA President, Mr Gordon Hall of Geelong, Victoria.



J. Newton Thomas (Melbourne, V.) winner of the ninth Australia-New Zealand Championship with other placegetters, M. Lyons (Queanbeyan, NSW) and R. A. Andrews (Bordertown, SA).



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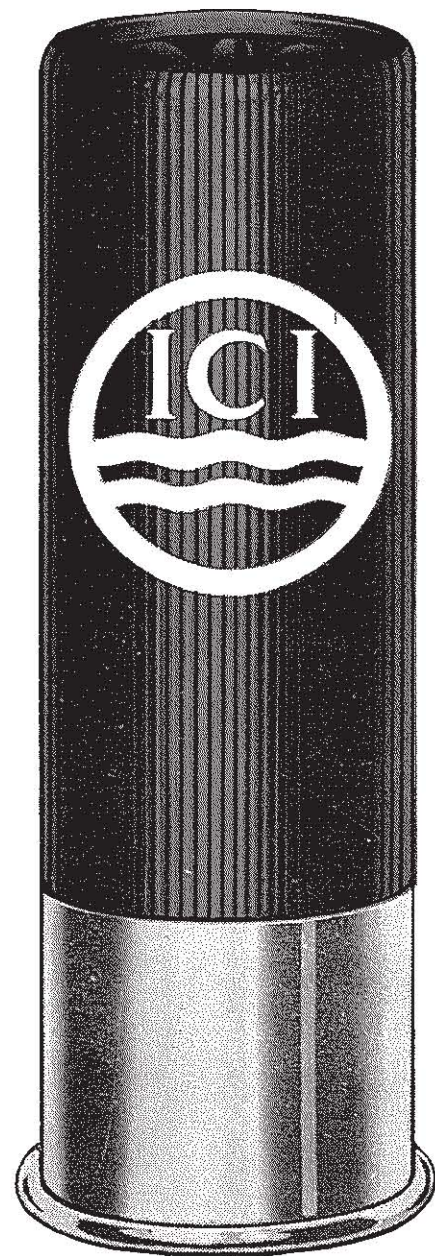
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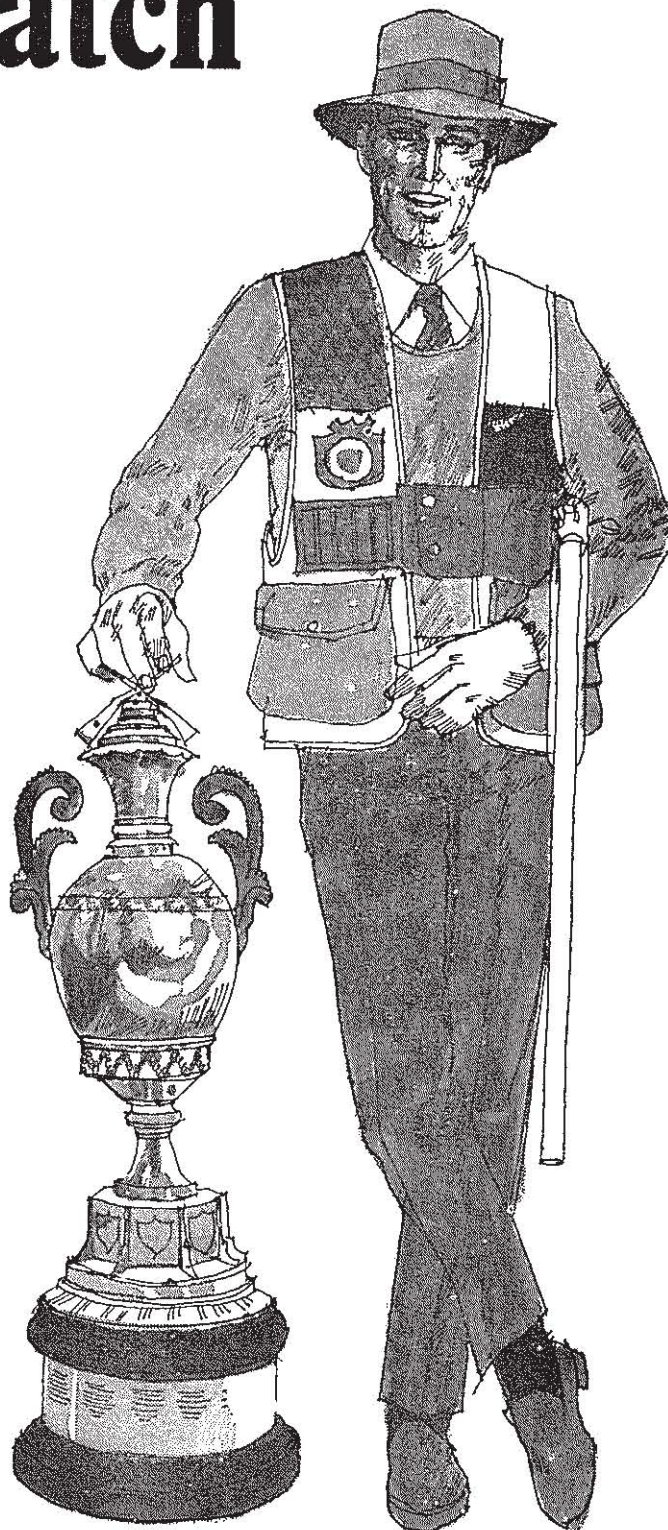


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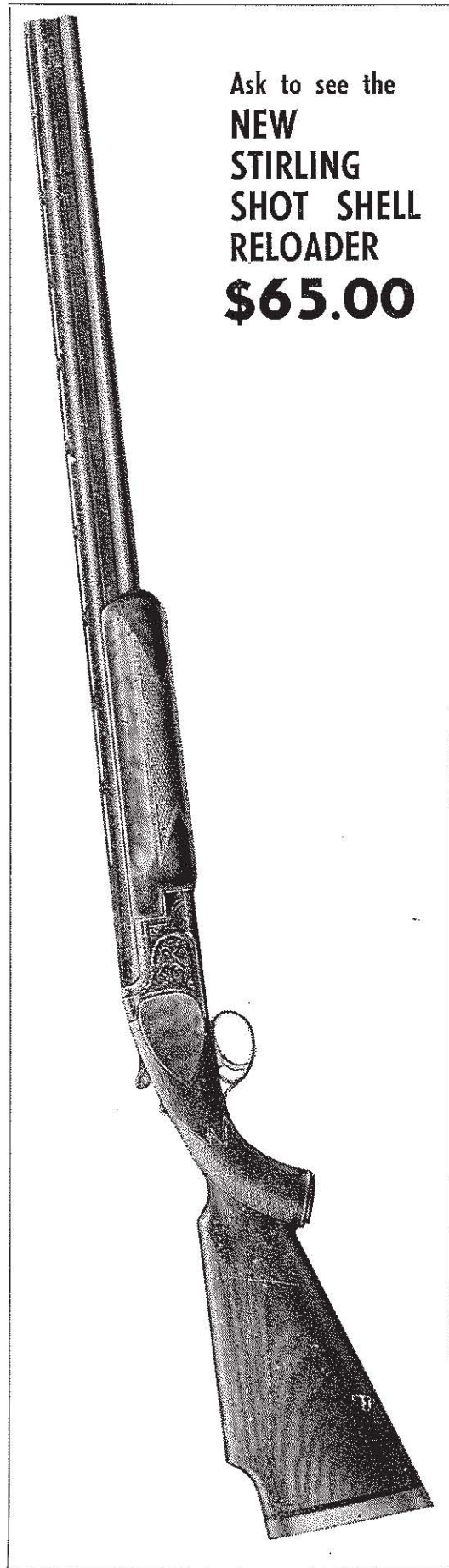
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AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET SHOOTING NEWS

QUEENSLAND

BOLLON, 28/2/70—Fine, hot. Attendance 13. Results: No. 1—10-tgt EO: J. Steel 10/10; C. Kennedy, R. Knights, J. Arthur, B. Steel 9/10; S. Allen 8/10. No. 2—10-tgt SB: B. Steel 10/10; R. Arthur 9/10; J. Steel 9/10; J. Steel R. Arthur shoot off for 3 birds. No. 3—10-tgt Pt. Score: J. Arthur 30/30; B. Steel 30/30, R. Arthur 27/30. J. Arthur, B. Steel shoot off for 6 tgts. No. 4—10-tgt DR: J. Arthur 18/20; B. Steel 16/20; C. Kennedy 15/20.

A good day despite the heat. Jack Arthur, who has not shot for at least 20 years, came and almost scooped the pool despite a late arrival. (B. Steel, Hon. Sec.)

BUNDABERG, 8/3/70—Fine and warm. Attendance 16. Results: No. 1—5-tgt EO: 4 Divided. No. 2—20-tgt DB Points: W. Schoch 58/60; M. Sankowsky 55/60; shoot off 3rd J. Gray. No. 3—15-tgt DB Kills: L. Cairns 15/15; D. Moller 15/15; shoot off L. Cairns, D. Moller; shoot off L. Kirby. No. 4—10-tgt SB Kills: G. Doblo 9/10; L. Cairns, L. Kirby, B. Thiele, D. Moller, M. Thiele, G. Johnson, M. Sankowsky 8/10. No. 5—5-tgt Walk up: G. Doblo, G. Hunt, E. Drinnen, M. Sankowsky 5/5. (J. L. Cayley, Hon. Sec.)

BURDEKIN, 8/3/70—Good. Attendance 37. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB SS: Eight possibles. No. 2—15-tgt. \$50 H'cap DB: M. Hartwell, J. Hart, R. Derrington, R. Knuth, A. Stewart, possibles. No. 3—10-tgt. Tower SS: M. Hartwell, W. Phelan, K. Knuth, A. Kelly, V. Montafia, L. Olsen.

Congratulations went to club member, young Max Tavasci, for being selected in the Commonwealth Games at Scotland for swimming; also for fine display of shooting for Murray Hartwell, after a long absence from the club, he never missed a target all day.

(K. Knuth, Pub. Officer)

CENTRAL BURNETT, 14/3/70—Perfect. Attendance 29. Results: No. 1—10-tgt DB H'cap SS: 6 Divided. No. 2—20-tgt DB Points H'cap: Noel Goody 58/60; Bob Parr 59/63; J. Delaney 58/63. No. 3—12 Pr. DD: B. Rowsell, S. Marks 16/16; R. B. Bloxsome, B. Parr 15/16. No. 4—20-tgt Central Burnett DB Night C'ships: G. Darlington 26/26; B. Rowsell 25/26; G. Linskett 24/25. No. 5—20-tgt DB Points H'cap: G. Doblo 59/60; K. Vicary 57/60; G. Linskett, A. Williams 52/60.

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

CHINCHILLA, 1/3/70—Stormy. Attendance 20. Results: No. 1—15-tgt DB SS H'cap: F. Brooks, J. Stockwell 14/15; six shooters shared 3rd. No. 2—20-tgt DB Points H'cap Trophy: P. Ellem, D. James, C. Alexander. No. 3—10-tgt SB SS H'cap: W. Hughes, D. James 10/10; Five shooters shared third. High Gun won by C. Alexander after shoot off with F. Brooks.

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

CONDAMINE, 14/2/70—Fair. Attendance 24. Results: No. 1—20-tgt DB: B. Moore; D. Mundell; J. Homan. No. 2—10-tgt Points: B. Rogers; P. Ellem; B. Moore. No. 3—25-tgt SB Performance Shooting: V. Morgan 25; R. Britton 24; W. Hughes 24; E. Jenkins 24; B. Moore 24.

(I. D. Mundell, Hon. Sec.)

IPSWICH, 1/3/70—Fine. Attendance 28. Results: No. 1—5-tgt EO: 8 shared. No. 2—15-tgt DB Points: N. O'Donohoo, D. Clarke 45/45; J. Herman 43/45. No. 3—Club Ch. of Ch.: C. Webber 29/30; J. Smith 45/48. No. 4—10 SB, 10 DB, 5 DR: N. O'Donohoo 52/58. No. 5—20 DB H'cap N. Dullimore 46/46; H. Crouch 45/46; A. Philp 35/36.

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

GOLD COAST, 8/3/70—Fine. Attendance 22. Results: No. 1—15-tgt DB SS: A. Marstella 15/15; 4 Divided. No. 2—20-tgt DB Trophy: T. Lewis 20/20; K. Whitson 25/26; N. Pittaway 24/26; 12-14 yds T. W. Robinson 18/20. No. 3—15-tgt. DB SS: A. Hicks, N. Pittaway 15/15; 6 Divided. No. 4—15-tgt SB SS: 3 Divided. No. 5—10 Pairs DR SS: A. Hicks 19/20; L. Tapper, F. Lang 18/20. High Gun D. Banks.

(—Secretary)

MOUNT ISA, 1/2/70—Fine, hot. Attendance 20. Results: No. 1—5 Divided. No. 2—20-tgt Points H'cap: H. T. Linton 61/63; C. Buhagiar 60/63; G. R. Smith 56/60.

Congratulations to Harrild Linton on his win in the club perpetual trophy. Harrild's win was a very popular one and well deserved in view of his shooting in recent months.

MOUNT ISA, 1/3/70—Attendance 18. Results: No. 1—5-tgt Points H'cap: 5 Divided. No. 2—20-tgt DB Points H'cap: E. Sebastiani 60/60; M. Donald 59/60; J. Grech, H. T. Linton 57/60. No. 3—10 mini tgt DB H'cap: E. Sebastiani, C. Buhagiar 10/10; P. Stockwell, H. J. Smith 9/10. No. 4—10-tgt DB H'cap: 9 Divided.

Elio Sebastiani shot possibles in all events except the eye opener and used only one second barrel. Welcome to new member, Les Hinds.

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

SPRINGSURE, 22/2/70—Cloudy and fine. Attendance 11. Results: No. 1—5 DB EO: 5 Divided. No. 2—20 DB Kills H'cap: S. Kavanagh, N. Kavanagh 20/20. No. 3—20 DB Points H'cap: S. Kavanagh 59/60; P. Bousgas 58/60; D. Kavanagh 58/60. No. 4—20 SB H'cap: S. Coaker 20/20; N. Kavanagh 20/20; P. Maguire 19/20. No. 5—10 Pair DR off 16 yds: K. Brown 19/20; N. Massey 16/20; S. Coaker 16/20.

Though only a small number of shooters were present, competition was keen. Event No. 2 saw a shoot off for first and second placings and event No. 3 was a shoot off for second and third. Event No. 4 was a shoot off for first and second, whilst event No. 5 was a shoot off for second and third. S. Kavanagh must be congratulated as the most successful shooter on the day, taking two trophies for 1st, whilst N. Kavanagh received two trophies for 2nd. It was pleasing to see some of our friends from Clermont in attendance and that they enjoyed the day's events.

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

Mount Isa Gun Club

(QUEENSLAND)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Location:

On Barkly Highway, $\frac{1}{4}$ mile north of Airport

SATURDAY, JUNE 27

Commencing 1.30 p.m.

SUNDAY, JUNE 28

Commencing 8.30 a.m.

**Queensland Single Barrel Mini Target
Championship**

**Queensland Intermediate D.B.
Championship**

\$200 Cartridge Handicap

President,
L. CRISTAUO.
P.O. Box 899 Mount Isa.

Secretary,
H. J. SMITH.
P.O. Box 1090 Mount Isa.

Charleville Gun Club

(Queensland)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Saturday, 20th June — 9.30 a.m.

Event 1— Nomination \$3.00

Warrego District D.B. Championship

20 Targets 16 yds. — Badge and Trophy 1st
Trophies — 2nd, 3rd, 12/14 yds.
Op. Sweep 50c each 10

Event 2— Nomination \$6.00

TROPHY SHOOT

30 Targets Double Barrel
Trophies — 1st, 2nd, 3rd. Op. Sweeps 50c each 10

Event 3— Nomination \$4.00

PRESIDENT'S TROPHY

20 Targets Single Barrel
Trophies — 1st, 2nd, 3rd. Op Sweep 50c each 10

Sunday, 21st June — 9.30 a.m.

Event 1— Nomination \$5.00

Commonwealth Mini Target D.R. Championship

20 Pr. — 16 yds. — Badge and Trophy 1st
Trophies — 2nd, 3rd, 12/14 yds.
Op. Sweep 50c each 5 pr.

Event 2— Nomination \$3.00

Warrego District S.B. Championship

20 Targets — 16 yds. Badge and Trophy 1st
Trophies 2nd, 3rd, 12/14 yds.
Op. Sweep 50c each 10

Event 3— Nomination \$12.00

\$325 HANDICAP

40 Target Double Barrel
1st 20, \$90, \$45, \$15 — 2nd 20, \$90 \$45, \$15
Overall Aggregate, \$25

Eye-openers both days. Committee reserves right to alter programme if necessary. Trophies: High Gun, Intermediate High Gun, 100 Break

Barbecue Calcutta on grounds Saturday night

Cartridges and Refreshments available

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WEST AUSTRALIA

EASTERN GOLDFIELDS, 22/2/70—Fine and Mild. Attendance 12. Results: No. 1—15-tgt DB: D. Baker 14/15 off club handicap.

As shooting numbers were small mainly due to the holiday season, it was decided that our next shoot be changed to a day event.

EASTERN GOLDFIELDS, 8/3/70—Fine and Mild. Attendance 12. Results: No. 1—20-tgt DB: L. Nangle. No. 2—10-tgt DB: W. Montgomery.

(J. Lithgow, Hon. Sec.)

GERALDTON, 22/2/70—Good. Attendance 23. Mixed series of events run in three grades. Results: A grade: R. Burton 78/80; A. McDonald 75/80. B grade: J. Bailey 75/80; M. Hatch 73/80. C grade S. Minissole 72/80; J. Griffiths 71/80. High gun R. Burton 78/80.

President Jim Bailey opening shoot of the 1970 season, thanked our old esteemed club member, Bill Heath for his nice address on several items of interest to the club. A new affiliate member, Mr Gale Stone, from Albany club, was also welcomed to Geraldton club by the president.

GERALDTON, 22/3/70—Very good. Attendance 11. Results: 50-skeet: J. H. Griffiths 76/76; M. Hatch 75/76.

High Gun was Dick Burton, scoring 59/60. The fishing season having just commenced and a lot of the club members being away accounted for the small number of shooters available. Presentation of trophies by our vice-president, Milton Hatch assisted by Mrs Jim Bailey. (H. L. Bailey, Hon. Sec.)

PERTH, 11/2/70—Mild, no breeze. Attendance 44. Result: Metropolitan Night DB Championship: R. Bailey 76/76; D. Cumming 75/76; R. Mordini 42/43.

A very pleasant evening. Thirteen competitors took part in the shoot off for championship honours. The winner was decorated with his sash by Mrs L. Barlow of Hobart Gun Club; Len Barlow being one of the "possibles." Interested shooters should note that a competitive DTL event, of one kind or another, is conducted at Perth each Saturday. Competitive skeet is also conducted. Charges are as for practice rounds plus an additional 50c DTL and 25c skeet.

PERTH, 26/2/70—Ideal. Results: No. 1—25-tgt DB Grade: A. J. N. Thomas 144/144; J. Henwood 143/144; W. Henwood 113/114; B. W. Johns 75/75; D. G. Watts 74/75; T. Steiner, 101/105; C. D. Hallam 75/75; R. Herg 74/75; W. Garraway 71/75; D. R. Rylands 60/75; Mrs. Fay Harris 35. No. 2—25-tgt City of Perth DB Champ.: R. Dean 217/217; T. Catling 216/217; J. Henwood 208/209. No. 3—25-tgt. DB H'cap: 8 divided.

PERTH, 27/2/70—Ideal. Results: No. 1—25-tgt RGC Open Championship: D. W. Smith 139/139; W. Dalzell 138/139; R. Dean 93/94. No. 2—15-tgt Pre-International H'cap: W. Jordan 38/38; W. Ah Chee 37/38; W. Garraway 40/41; T. Begg 39/1; R. Rylands 29/30; D. H. Williamson 24/25, 34/35; A. Koorey 24/35, 33/35; E. Davies 24/25, 39/41. No. 3—25-tgt SB Grade: A—D. Cosgrove 27/27; A. R. Cusack 26/27; E. Hawkins 25/26. B—D. H. Williamson 29/29; W. T. Glass 28/29; E. F. Daw 31/32. C—W. Garraway 31/31; R. McDonald 30/31; W. Ah Chee 28/29. D—I. Macfarlan 19/25; F. Bombarce 17/25; M. Bird 17/27; Mrs F. Harris 16/27.

PERTH, 6/3/70—Results: No. 1—25-tgt Skeet EO: 7 possibles divided. No. 2—Captain Cook Bi-Centenary Skeet Championship: A—J. N. Thomas 50/50; K. Lowry 49/50, 10/10. B—J. Mathieson 46/50, 12/12; L. Barlow 46/50, 11/12. C—L. Dunn 43/50; A. E. Wilkinson 41/50.

A big "thank you" to all our visitors for helping to make the 1970 Nationals and Pre-Nationals such an enjoyable and successful occasion. We look forward to seeing you again at the 1971 Nationals in Brisbane.

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

AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET SHOOTING NEWS

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

ALEXANDRA, 15/3/70—Results: No. 1—5-tgt EO: 23 shoot the possible. Novice, G. Flaherty. No. 2—15-tgt 6th Legacy DB H'cap: P. Macrow; S. Churches; D. Peek jnr. 12-16 yds C. Hill; 17-20 yds P. Manglesdorf; 21 yards and over R. Treloar. Novice: J. Fairley; G. Flaherty; H. Case. No. 3—15-tgt Winchester SB H'cap: P. Manglesdorf; W. Starling; A. Chelley; 12-14 yds Virgo; 15-17 yds C. Hill. Novice: P. Manglesdorf Jnr; P. Hender. No. 4—DR 10 pairs of 16 yds: I. Campbell; J. Byrnes; D. Plummer. No. 5—10-tgt Lady Shoot: J. Roberts; R. Fowler.

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

BORDERTOWN, 21/2/70—Fine. Attendance 20. Results: No. 1—Nine out of seventeen shot the five tgt EO. No. 2—15-tgt DB Winchester AA Cartridge Trophy: 5 packets of AA cartridges each to W. King, T. Mock, M. O'Connor, B. Andrews. No. 3—5-tgt DB, 5-tgt SB, \$30 cash H'cap: \$30 cash divided; J. Stand-erwick, P. Seneca, B. Andrews.

Being the opening of the duck season was probably the reason for the rather small attendance as the weather was good. The Winchester representative, Mr J. O'Keefe, presented a case of AA's to the four finalists in the Winchester trophy shoot. Very good shooting by our front marker, M. O'Connor.

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

BUTE, 1/3/70—Fine and windy. Attendance 14. Results: No. 1—EO Divided: 8 Divided. No. 2—Club DD Champ.: E. Commons, L. Starkey 19/20; K. McWabe, W. Starling 20/22. No. 3—Winchester Trophy SB: M. Pontifex 19/20; D. Lane, E. Commons, W. Starling 18/20.

The Bute club would like to say thank you to Winchester for their generous trophy and congratulations to M. Pontifex for his good shooting, 19/20, as it was windy.

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

INTER, 28/2/70—Fine and warm. Attendance 21. Results: No. 1—P. Marcaionni H'cap Trophy: P. Grilli 35/35; E. Verbis 34/35; L. Antonini 24/25; F. M. Oliviero 18/20. No. 2—Club Mixed Clay Championship: E. Boldrin 23/25; P. Quire 32/35; P. Marcaionni 30/35; Interm. Div. J. Churches 36/45.

INTER, 28/2/70—Fine and cool. Attendance 21. Results: No. 1—Bel Madelyn H'cap Trophy: D. Panazzolo 20/20; E. Boldrin 27/28; A. Brazzale 26/28; FM: D. Caon 17/20. No. 2—State Night SB Champ.: T. Bruce 28/30; D. Martini 28/31; D. Caon 27/31; Intermediate Div. D. Caon 27/30. High Gun of Day and Night, E. Boldrin 86/95.

INTER 11/3/70—Fine cold night. Attendance 16. Results: No. 1—15-tgt H'cap C/Div.: P. Marcaionni, G. Savva 15/15; L. Antonini, D. Panazzolo 14/15. No. 2—Club D/Rise Night Champ.: R. Mules 19/20; F. Grey 17/20; L. Holmes 17/22; Intermediate Div. G. Savva 16/20.

(E. Verbis, Hon. Sec.)

MANNUM, 15/2/70—Cool and very windy. Attendance 12. Results: 5-tgt EO: 4 Divided. No. 2—15-tgt Point Score H'cap: J. Maczkowiack 42/45; L. Fendler 40/45; D. Plummer 38/45. No. 3—10 Pair LM DR Championship: B. Mules 19/22; C. Maczkowiack 18/22; I. Gamble 14/20.

(—Secretary)

MT. GAMBIER, 7/3/70—Weather conditions: Moderate southerly wind but fine. Attendance: 29. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. Pts. Decision EO, 16 yds, C/D: S. H. Williams, L. J. Williams, A. R. Hutchesson, A. J. McIntyre, J. R. Humphris, 15/15. No. 2—Mt. Gambier GC DB Clay C'ship: 1st, J. R. Humphris, 29/29; 2nd, S. H. Williams, 28/29; 3rd, P. G. Yoannidis 39/40. No. 3—\$2.00 Skeet H'cap S'stake: C. England, P. C. Lamond, F. F. Kentish, P. G. Yoannidis, H. Gayland, 25/25.

A good attendance of shooters were present on this the opening day of the quail season in Victoria and in-

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WAGGA GUN CLUB

Situated 3 miles east of Wagga on Sturt Highway (N.S.W.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Sunday, 7th June, 1970

Commencing 10 a.m.

Event 1— Nomination \$1.20

10 TARGET EYE-OPENER

5 off Handicap — 3 Pr. Double Rise

Event 2— Nomination \$3.00

Wagga & District D.R. Championship

10 Pr Targets (Std) O/sweep \$1.00 overall

Sash and Trophy 1st, Trophy 2nd, 3rd, and front marker

Event 3— Nomination \$4.00

RAY HALL CHALLENGE SHIELD

In conjunction with \$100 HANDICAP. Teams of 5. Trophy each member of winning team.

50c each team member.

Event 4— Nomination \$4.00

\$100 HANDICAP

In conjunction with HUDSON CHALLENGE SHIELD. Teams of 5. Trophy each member of winning team. 50c each team member.

Event 5— Nomination \$3.00

Wagga & District D.B. Championship

20 Targets from 16 yds. \$1.00 O/sweep. Sash and Trophies.

HIGH GUN TROPHY EVENTS — 2, 3, 4, 5

LADIES' TROPHIES EVENTS — 2 and 5

RIVERINA SPORTS STORE HIGH GUN FINAL SERIES

CARTRIDGES — BARBECUE LUNCH AFTERNOON TEA

President,
ERIC VINCENT,
4 Day St., Wagga Wagga
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Miss PEGGY LYDFORD,
c/o Riverina Sports Store,
32 Fitzmaurice St., Wagga Wagga
Tel. Wagga 4-142, AH. 6-405.
Secretary,

cidentally some good bags were spoken of by some of our members who did some travelling in the morning prior to the shoot.

In the championship only two shooters were able to master the change to 16 yards and prevailing weather conditions. A reasonably short shoot-off saw local member Jim Humphris win the event from Syd Williams, of Narracoorte.

The skeet event again drew interest and George Yoanidis shot very well with a total of 24/25 before adding handicaps and ended up getting the handicap of three.

(Ian Marks, Hon. Sec.)

NARACOORTE, 6/2/70.—Weather conditions: Mild, windy. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1—E/O 5-tgt. DB: Seven divided, 5/5. No. 2—Mixed 25-tgts.: 1st, P. Telford, 22/25; 2nd, I. Grant, 21/25; 3rd, K. Mules, 29/35. No. 3—D. Downs \$2.00 O/S.—Divided: K. Mules, C. Copping, C. England, J. Murphy H. Williamson, A. Miller, 15/15.

NARACOORTE, 6/3/70.—Weather conditions: Cool, clear and windy. Attendance: 9. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st, J. Grove, 10/10; 2nd, div. W. King, J. Hood, J. Murphy, T. Mock, 9/10. No. 2—\$2 Sweep: 1st, C. England, 10/10; 2nd, J. Murphy, 9/10; 3rd, W. King 8/10.

Congratulations must go to J. Grove for his good shooting during the evening. It is bad luck, however, that you lost another yard.

(P. Bradley, Hon. Sec.)

S.A.G.C., 18/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine, sultry. Attendance: 32. Results (Night Shoot): No. 1—15-tgt. R. Franks H'cap Trophy: 1st, L. Margett, 22/22; 2nd, R. Kimber, 21/22; 3rd, D. Kimber, 19/20; F/M: J. J. O'Keefe, 18/19. No. 2—30-tgt. State Night DB C'ship: 1st, D. Kimber, 40/40; 2nd, R. Alvaro, 39/40; 3rd, P. Quire, 36/37. Intermediate Division: 1st, D. Peake (Snr.), 29/30; 2nd L. Margetts, 40/42; 3rd, S. Churches, 39/42. Super Elliott High Gun: D. Kimber, 45/45.

(P. T. Browne, Pub. Officer)

S.A.G.C., 22/3/70.—Weather conditions: Windy, cold. Attendance: 45. Results: No. 1—25-tgt. Skeet: T. Gamen, E. A. Collins, A. Schroder, J. Hutchings, 25/25 divide. No. 2—5-tgt. EO Pts.: A. Brazzale, D. Kimber, R. Alvaro, D. Caon, T. Bruce, 15/15 divide. No. 3—20-tgt. Super Elliott H'cap: 1st, D. O'Livero, 20/20; 2nd, D. Kimber, 39/40; 3rd R. Johncock, 38/40. F/M: A. Brazzale, 26/28. No. 4—30-tgt. State SB Mini Targets: 1st, D. Brown, 25/31; 2nd, R. Mules, 24/31; 3rd, P. Mules, 23/30. Intermediate: 1st, B. Hill, 22/30; 2nd, P. Macrow, 21/32; 3rd, A. H. Shearer, 20/32. No. 5—Super Elliott High Gun: E. J. Commons, 51/61.

(P. T. Browne, Pub. Officer)

ARARAT G.C. (Vic.)

Saturday, May 9

Commencing 12 noon

Event 1

5 Tgt. EO CD HANDICAP

Event 2

CITY OF ARARAT D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP

Event 3

10 Tgt. DB HANDICAP

Secretary,
B. WIGG.

SOUTHERN, 1/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine, north east breeze. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. EO: Six divided. No. 2—Cash H'cap 30-tgt.: 1st, P. Mangelsdorf, 30/30; 2nd and 3rd divided—R. Rossiter, A. Schroeder, W. Cowin, all 29/30; 12/15 yds., D. Peek, Jnr.; 16/19 yds, S. Churches; 20/27, A. Ralston. No. 3—Cash H'cap 20-tgt.: 1st, B. Hill, 20/20; 2nd and 3rd divided—R. Rossiter, M. Jaeger, V. Kelly, C. Hill, W. Cowin, S. Dawe, all 19/20. Lady's prize: Mrs. W. Cowin.

With the Internationals on in WA and a previous day and night shoot in Adelaide, we had a poor attendance for our Anniversary Shoot, resulting in cancelling our annual gun shoot and replacing it with a cash handicap after only receiving 18 noms. for the Gun. Bad luck Perc it should have been the Browning —with the only 30/30 you were a sitter.

(R. Rossiter, President.)

S.Y.P.GUN CLUB, 8/3/70.—Under pleasant but tricky conditions. Winner of main event P. Quire, 20/20, and second, E. Commons, 19/20. Intermediate Championship in a shoot-off went to A. Wright, followed by L. Stankey. Best junior shooter, J. Thoup.

(—Secretary)

UNGARRA, 1/3/70.—Weather conditions: Windy. Attendance: 9. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB EO: M. Boundy, D. Fitzgerald (eq. 4). No. 2—20-tgt. DB H'cap: J. Averis, 16/20; J. Schramm, 17/22; D. Liddicoat, 16/22; F/M: M. Boundy, 15/20. No. 3—15-tgt. Mini: W. J. Stratford, 13/15; J. Averis, 11/15; K. Calderwood, 10/15.

The weather conditions again proved the master of the day as indicated by the scores—no shooter making the full score on the divided events.

It was a day out for the office staff. Congrats. to our President on taking out the Handicap. Secretary, President and Treasurer filled the places in the Mini event.

It was pleasing to have Max Cornwell back with us from his second world trip. The ladies provided another lovely tea. I think we must be better eaters than shooters!

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

WHYALLA, 27/2/70.—Weather conditions: Warm and mild. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1—20-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st, Ken Watkins, 19/20; 2nd, Lyall Margetts, 18/20; 3rd, Stan Rossetti, 20/23; F/M: John Smith, 19/23; No. 2—10-tgt. SB H'cap: 1st, Syd Harvie, 10/10; 2nd, Lyall Margetts, 9/10; 3rd, Gary Bollen, 12/14.

Not a very good attendance for the Cox Foys Trophy event and owing to the continuing series of breakdowns with our nearly new "Damo," a revised program had to be shot.

Gary Bollen recorded the only possible in the Eye-Opener, with Stan Rossetti and a visitor from Port Pirie, John Smith third.

In Event 2, Ken Watkins finally won a trophy and a yard with 19/20, with Lyall Margetts second and Stan Rossetti third. After shooting off, John Smith took the F/M trophy.

Our thanks to Grant Bollen for the Cox Foys trophy.
(Brian G. Killick, Hon. Sec.)

WHYALLA, 27/3/70.—Weather conditions: Cold and windy. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. SB EO, 16 yds.: 1st, D. Covino; 2nd, H. Harvie; 3rd, L. Margetts; No. 2—Eyre Peninsula SB (Night) C'ship: 1st, G. Bollen, 16/20 and 3/3; 2nd, G. Rossetti, 16/20 and 2/3; 3rd, B. Foster, 16/20 and 1/2; F/M: W. Kerr, 14/20. No. 3—15-tgt. DB Pts. H'cap: 1st, B. Foster, 38/45 and 2/3; 2nd, J. Coloruotolo 38/48; 3rd, L. Margetts, 37/45 and 12/12.

Many thanks to Club stalwart Sid Harvie for the excellent presentation of his shield.

(Brian G. Killick, Hon. Sec.)

AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET SHOOTING NEWS

TASMANIA

CRESSY, 22/2/70—Windy. Attendance 28. Results: No. 1—5-tgt Eye-opener: 4 Div.: No. 2—10-tgt Novice Trophy: 12 yds J. Spinks 12/13; 13 yds D. Cunningham 10/10; 14 yds K. Blazely 8/10. No. 3—50-tgt Pre-National Sectional: 12-14 yds W. Williams; 15-18 yds H. Bye; 19-22 yds M. Blake; 22 yds and over J. Blake. No. 4—10-tgt Handicap: R. Gangell 30/30; F. Blake 29/30; W. Tubb 18/19.

(K. Gray, Hon. Sec.)

EAST COAST, 8/2/70—Windy. Attendance: 8 Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: 1 Poss. B. G. Castle 5/5. No. 2—20-tgt. DB: R. Williams 18/20; A. Tucker 17/20; R. Castle 16/20. No. 3—5-tgt WU: S. Bagdona 3/5; G. Richardson 3/5; A. Tucker 3/5. No. 4—5 pr. DR: G. Richardson, 8/10; 4 Div.

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

HOBART, 22/2/70—Fine and Warm. Attendance 18. Results: No. 1—10-tgt DB SS: 4 Divided. No. 2—Club F. Marker Champ: G. Blaber 20/20; K. Waddell 19/20; Robert Conlan 17/18. No. 3—Club DB Champ.: S. Marshall 62/62; T. Newman 61/62; D. Taylor 47/48; Best F. Marker B. Higgins 18/20. No. 4—10-tgt DD: B. Higgins, T. Newman 19/19; T. Richardson, D. White 18/19.

Congratulations to G. Blaber on taking out the Front Marker Champ. in fine style. Geoff has now left the front markers owing to a couple of fine efforts over the past. Brian Higgins again struck it lucky or perhaps his partner Trevor Newman struck it lucky, anyway congrats. to both of you. Brian also took home the best front marker in the Club C'ship. Sperry added yet another title to his fine collection.

HOBART, 22/3/70—Cold and wet with squally winds. Attendance 22. Results: No. 1—10-tgt DB SS: 8 Div. No. 2—Tas. DB Champ.: M. Blake 30/30; S. Marshall 38/38; D. Hallam 37/38. No. 3—10-tgt. Cash H'cap DB: L. Witzerman 10/10; M. Blake, L. Richardson 9/10. No. 4—10-tgt DD: L. Witzerman, D. Taylor 18/19; M. Burgess, R. Wighton 17/19.

Michael Blake made first major down the line in the Tasmanian Double Barrel Champ.

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

LUINA, 15/3/70—Fine, light clouds, slight cross winds. Attendance 15. Results: No. 1—5-tgt EO: E. Meehan 5/5. No. 2—5-tgt DR: D. Anderson 8/10; B. Lacey 9/14 shoot off. No. 3—5-tgt DD: D. Anderson, K. Kelly shoot off. No. 4—20-tgt DB: G. Rapkins 20/21; B. Lacey 19/21 shoot off. No. 5—5-tgt. SS: D. Anderson 6/7.

A good afternoon was had by all with near perfect weather conditions. This was our first organised shoot this year and it was very pleasing to have fifteen shooters. D. Anderson has been re-handicapped, under-handicapped. It is hoped that our club will grow to bigger and better shoots in the near future.

(—Secretary)

MERSEY, 21/2/70—Fine and windy. Attendance 22. Results: No. 1—5-tgt DB EO: 3 Divided. No. 2—5-tgt DB Novice: R. Sanden 5/5; 2 Divided 2nd and 3rd. No. 3—Club SB Champ.: R. Abblitt 29/31; G. Richardson 28/31; D. Brett 22/26; R. Green 13/20. No. 4—15-tgt. H'cap SS: 5 Divided. No. 5—15-tgt DR 16 yds: 4 Divided. No. 6—5-tgt Off fence DB: 1st and 2nd Divided; 3rd Divided.

Despite a strong cross wind some good shooting was seen with keen competition in all events. The main event was the club SB championship which required a shoot off to decide all placings with veteran A. Abblitt winning from G. Richardson and Don Brett. New shooter, R. Green, shot well to take front marker honours. Many comparative new shooters showed promise including Sanden, R. and L. Green and P. Crosswell.

AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET SHOOTING NEWS

MERSEY, 21/3/70—Gale force winds, worst ever experienced. Attendance 23. Results: No. 1—5-tgt DB EO: B. Smedley 14/15; 2nd and 3rd Divided. No. 2—5-tgt SB Novice: 2 Divided. No. 3—Club mixed tgt champ.: J. Basso 15/25; R. Abblitt 13/25; G. Roberts 19/35; Front maker R. Green 17/35. No. 4—15-tgt DB H'cap SS: B. Smedley, J. Basso 13/15; L. Green 12/15.

The gale force winds made it nearly impossible for shooters to keep on their feet let alone shoot. J. Basso scored a popular win prior to returning to Minnesota, USA. Runners-up in the Club mixed target championships were R. Abblitt of Redpa from G. Roberts and R. Green of Cressy taking front marker honours. Local shooter Barry Smedley, showed excellent form under the adverse conditions. Trophies were presented to the winners by club president G. Roberts, who also presented J. Basso with a book on Tasmania to remind him of his visit.

(—Secretary)

TASMANIAN, 14/3/70—Fine and sunny. Attendance 19. Results: No. 1—5-tgt DB EO Pts: 5 Divided. No. 2—10-tgt FM DB Pts: D. Hallam 22; D. Cunningham 29. No. 3—20-tgt Club DB Pts Champ.: G. Richardson 59; D. Hallam 57; D. Whitley 56; F/M F. Youl 53. No. 4—8 Pr. DD: A. Hudson, C. Young 18/18; W. Youl, B. Chaplin 17/18. No. 5—5 Pr. DR: D. Whitely 18/20; D. Burton 17/20; D. Hallam 10/12.

Congratulations to Mrs David Hallam and David Cunningham who scored decisive victories in their respective divisions of the front markers' event.

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

WERRIBEE GUN CLUB

(Vic.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Shooting Grounds—Ballan Rd., Werribee

NOTE

The normal shoot to be held on May 9, has been cancelled owing to the Vic. State Teams' Match to be held at Geelong on that date.

Sunday, 24th May, 1970

Starting Time: 12 o'clock

Event 1— Nomination \$1.50

5 PRS. DR CD

Event 2— Nomination \$3.00

Werribee District Double Rise Championship

Event 3— Nomination \$3.00

CLUB C'SHIP PTS 20-tgts. from 16 yds.

Bar-B-Q facilities and hot water available for lunch parties. Cartridges, Afternoon tea and Refreshments available on the ground.

President,
W. ABBOTT,
4 Griffiths Street,
Werribee

Secretary,
K. P. SHANAHAN,
4 Jellicoe Street, Werribee
Phone Werribee 346

NORTHERN TERRITORY — PAPUA NEW GUINEA

K.K.I.G.C., 28/2/70.—Sunny, nil wind. Attendance: 10. Results: No. 1 — Eye-opener 10-tgt 16 yds D/B.: 2 Div. No. 2—Rabaul Postal Team Shoot. 25-tgt 16 yds DB: F. L. Rimmer 25/25; G. R. Johncock 25/25; J. Palmer 23/25; G. Butler 21/25; John Middleton 20/25. No. 3—25-tgt 16 yds DB: F. Rimmer 25/25; G. R. Johncock 25/25; J. Middleton 21/25. No. 4—25-tgt 18 yds DB: 2 Div.

Both Gary Johncock and Freddie Rimmer missed very few targets. They shot 50 straight and Gary went on to 82 before a straight away bird kept on flying. (Congratulations to Gary for his 75 break.) The annual Rabaul shoot turned in some good scores. New shooter Jim Palmer shot a cool 23 all first barrels from behind his H/C. Team score of 114 points beat Rabaul by one point, who returned 113. A good effort by Kar Kar. (—Secretary)

DARWIN, 22/2/70.—Hot and humid. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1—5-tgt EO DB OH: 4 Div. No. 2—30-tgt DB OH: A Dowling 30/30; B. Munt, G. Rigoni 29/30.

The club shot for the Parap Hotel trophy which was kindly donated by Mr Jim Dowling. It was very pleasing to see one of our younger members, Mr Alan Dowling, carry off the trophy, Mr G. Rigoni gaining second place.

DARWIN, 8/3/70.—Hot. Attendance 14. Results: No. 1—3-tgt DD EO: 5 pr Div.; No. 2—20-tgt DD: Shoot off Charlton-Viney 22/23; Camerelli-A. Dowling 21/23. No. 3—10-tgt DR Sweepstake: J. Dowling 19/20; Shoot off B. Munt 19/22; F. Selenza 18/22.

Our thanks to Darwin Sheet Metal for donation of today's trophies. Congratulations to Kevin and Ray (just back from leave) on consistent shooting. Good to see the Dowling family (father and son) in the prize list.

MANGOPLAH GUN CLUB (N.S.W.)

J. F. COX'S PROPERTY

SUNDAY, 31st MAY — 10 a.m.

State D.D. Mini Championship
\$200 HANDICAP

Chris Blackshaw, Sec.

DARWIN, 22/3/70—Fine and hot. Attendance 14. Results: No. 1—5-tgt EO SB off 16 yds: Four possible 5/5; No. 2—30-tgt SB Club Championship off 16 yds: A. Hall 30/30; B. Munt 36/38; T. Fish 35/38; Front marker J. Dowling 26/30. No. 3—15-tgt DB sweepstake: Alan Dowling 36/36; Gildo Rigoni 35/36; Ray Viney 32/33; No. 4—15-tgt DB sweepstake: Alan Dowling 15/15; J. Dowling 14/15; J. Wyatt 14/15; R. Viney 14/15.

Good shooting by Alf Hall to take out the Club Single Barrel Championships. Alan Dowling, after not starting so well, found form and succeeded in making a 50 break.

(B. Pearce, Hon. Sec.)

Mendooran Gun Club (N.S.W.)

SUNDAY, 17th MAY, 1970

Commencing 10 a.m.

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| Event 1 | 5 Tgt. DB EO | Nom. 50c |
| Event 2 | 10 Tgt. PTS. TROPHY | Nom. \$2 |
| Event 3 | 5 Tgt. DB from 16 yds. Sweep | Nom. \$1 |
| Event 4 | | Nom. \$3.50 |

WARRUMBUNGLE DISTRICT DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

1st Sash and Trophy also 2nd and 3rd
50c sweep on first 10 tgts.

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| Event 5 | 20 Tgt. \$100 HANDICAP | Nom. \$7 |
| | Compulsory Division | |

High Gun on Events 2, 3, 4 and 5

Lunch, Refreshments and Cartridges

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"Wongalee,"
Merrygoen.
Phone: 2D.

President,
G. BLACKMAN,
Gilgandra Road,
Mendooran.
Phone: 55R.

Hawkesbury Gun Club

Fairey Road, South Windsor, N.S.W.

SATURDAY, MAY 16, 1970—1.30 p.m.

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| Event 1— | 10 TARGET D.B. HANDICAP | \$1.00 |
| Event 2— | 20 TARGET D.B. HANDICAP | \$2.00 |
| Event 3— | | \$3.00 |

HAWKESBURY DISTRICT DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Optional Sweep, 50c

BARBECUE TEA

— NIGHT —

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| Event 4— | 4 PAIR DEAUVILLE DOUBLES — 24 yds
(Targets only) | 20c |
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| Event 5— | | \$5.00 |
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COMMONWEALTH NIGHT DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Optional Sweep 50c

Badges to winners — Trophies to first and second
— Total value, \$80

Cartridges — Afternoon Teas — Soft Drinks

President,
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Hon. Secretary,
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Windsor 3542 (Night)

NEW SOUTH WALES

BARELLAN, 8/3/70.—Weather conditions: Hot and little breeze. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB EO: Twelve divided, 5/5. No. 2—10-tgt. DB: Ten divided—I. Whytcross, B. S. Gordon, D. Allen, E. Hefferman, G. Walker, M. Stanmore, B. Slater, D. Johnson, M. Weymouth, N. Bretag, 10/10. No. 3—15-tgt. DB Trophy: Nine possibles—I. Whytcross, G. Walker, M. Stanmore, W. Smith, G. Cook, D. Johnson, C. Spencer, N. Bretag, B. Simpson; shoot-off: D. Johnson, 64/64; B. Simpson, 63/64. G. Walker, 55/56. No. 4—5-tgt. Pr. D/R: G. Walker, 10/10; P. Whyte, F. Casella, N. Bretag, 9/10.

A good attendance and good shooting for the first of our 1970 shoots; D. Johnson accrediting himself with a 75 break and B. Simpson also with a 50 break. G. Walker won the High Gun outright and also gained himself a yard, as did D. Johnson. The double rise event tested the shooters as G. Walker was the only one to shoot the possible.

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

BERRIDALE, 14/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB EO: Div. by Les Venables, Wally Woodhouse, Mike Fraser. No. 2—5 single, 5 double: Carl Trevanion. No. 3—10-tgt. Pts. Score: 1st, Barry Caldwell; 2nd, Wally Woodhouse. No. 4—10 Pr. D/R: 1st, Barry Scanes; 2nd, Albert Povey; 3rd, Rob Maiden; FM: G. Feilen. No. 5—10-tgt. DB Continental: Ten divided. No. 6—High Gun: Robert Maiden.

((Mrs.) Barbara Scanes, Hon. Sec.)

BOMBALA, 21/2/70.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB: Six div. No. 2—15-tgt. SB: 1st, Jim Peadon, 21/21; 2nd, Herb Kennedy, 20/21; FM: Gordon Feilen, 17/19. No. 3—5 Single, 5 Double: Club trophy won by Des Twigg, 20/20. No. 4—10 Pr. D/R: 1st, D. Twigg, 22/24; 2nd, D. Badewitz, 21/24; FM: N. Parker, 16/20. No. 5—6 Pr. Deauville Triples: 1st div.—A. Povey and N. Parker, 16/18; H. Kennedy and J. Peadon, 16/18. No. 6—High Gun: Des. Twigg.

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

BUNGENDORE, 15/3/70.—Weather conditions: Overcast. Attendance: 48. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB EO: Eleven divided. No. 2—5-tgt. Pts. Score: Eight shared sweep. No. 3—5 SB, 5 DB Trophy: 1st, B. Smith, 20/20; 2nd, B. Jordon, 19/20; FM: J. Reynolds, 11/12.

An excellent attendance for the first shoot at our newly-formed club and shooting was of a particularly high standard, mainly due to a background of experience in field shooting which resulted in good scores from novice shooters. Bungendore will most certainly continue to be a challenge to future visiting shooters.

Many thanks to all busy-bees whose combined efforts resulted in a most satisfying and successful opening day.

Our good wishes to visiting shooters from Queanbeyan, Canberra, Tarago and Braidwood. A special thanks to Merv Lyons and Peter Papps for tips one way or another which were appreciated. Thanks Bill Collett and Hans Knees for your assistance in making clay shooting possible for the day.

Congratulations to prize winners—Brendon Smith, who shot confidently to take first prize from visiting Bill Jordon. J. Reynolds went well to score 11/12 in the FM, and a very excited novice winner Alan Smith will be back to collect more.

(H. Blackstock, Hon. Sec.)

COBAR, 8/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine and pleasant. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB H'cap: Six divided, 10/10. No. 2—10-tgt. Pts. Score H'cap: R. Morris, R. Webster, J. McNammara, Bob Pike, 30/30. No. 3—5 Pr. D/R: A. Burgess, 10/10; R. Morris, N. Singleton, J. Manns, M. Burgess, R. Webster,

9/10. No. 4—10 Pr. D/R Night Club C'ship: Won by N. Singleton, 16/20; Intermediate won by R. Grant, 11/20.

The men were hosts for a barbeque tea. They did an excellent job.

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

COFFS HARBOUR, 14/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1—Six divided. No. 2—10-tgt. Pts.: J. Leussink, B. Siddins, M. Thrift, 30/30. No. 3—10-tgt. BD: A. Fotheringham, P. Thompson, J. Leussink, E. Simmon, 10/10. No. 4—10-tgt. SB: G. Olde, 10/10; J. Cunningham, N. Spinks, E. Simmon, M. Thrift, 9/10. No. 5—40-tgts. over Nos. 1 to 4: A. Fotheringham, E. Simmon, M. Thrift, 37/40. No. 6—5 Pr. D/R: P. Thompson, J. Williamson, E. Simmon, B. Daley, S. Simmonds, 9/10. No. 7—10-tgt. DB Continental: G. D. T. Seccombe, M. Bailey, B. Siddins, M. Thrift, S. Simmonds, 10/10; High Gun: E. Simmon, 55/60 (from 20 yards).

(J. Forsythe, Hon. Sec.)

COONAMBLE, 1/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO DB: 1st, C. Dickson, 5/5; 2nd, L. Smith, 5/5. No. 2—10-tgt. Pts.: 1st, L. McKenzie, 30/30; L. Smith, 30/30. No. 3—1st, L. Smith, 30/30; 2nd, L. McKenzie, 29/30; 3rd, K. Constable, 28/30. No. 4—20-tgt. SB: B. Fagan, 19/20. No. 5—5-tgt. DB: 1st, K. Constable; 2nd, L. Smith; 3rd, L. McKenzie, 4/5.

High Gun: L. Smith.

Owing to a poor attendance the Club has decided to shoot every three months until such times that we get a good attendance.

(Mary Taylor, Secretary)

COOTAMUNDRA, 21/2/70.—Weather conditions: Fine and mild. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB H'cap: E. Vincent, B. Rooke, N. Thorn-Clark, 5/5. No. 2—10-tgt. DB H'cap: J. Forsyth, F. Chudleigh, N. Thorn-Clark, 10/10. No. 3—15-tgt. DB H'cap: T. Whytcross, E. Hurn, 15/15; B. Rooke, F. Chudleigh, G. Lymbery, 14/15. No. 4—10-tgt. Pts. Score: J. Forsyth, 30/30; T. Whytcross, G. Lymbery, 27/30. No. 5—5 Pr. D/R: E. Fisher, 8/10; K. Oldfield, B. Rooke, 7/10. No. 65 Pr. D/R: K. Oldfield, T. Whytcross, 9/10; E. Fisher, E. Hurn, 8/10.

Our last night shoot for the summer saw the usual numbers with duck opening keeping a few away. Possibles were few a far between with consequent additional rewards for those that were up to the task. Old reliable Barney Rooke, of Wagga, emerged as High Gun winner once again.

(F. Chudleigh, Hon. Sec.)

COOTAMUNDRA, 15/3/70.—Weather conditions: Warm and overcast. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB H'cap: Nine possibles. No. 2—10 Pts. Score, 16 yds.: Seven scored possible, 30/30. No. 3—South-West Slopes DB C'ship: K. Oldfield, 154/154; G. Lymbery, 153/154; B. Rooke, 137/138. No. 4—15-tgt. Sweep: A. Martens, E. Fisher, J. Thompson, K. Oldfield, B. Rooke, F. Chudleigh, J. Medway, 15/15. No. 5—5 Pr. D/R: B. Rooke, G. Lymbery, 9/10.

A good shoot for our first day shoot with most shooters getting a cut in some events. With nine possibles in the championship a good shoot-off was assured and Keith Oldfield ran out the eventual winner after a hot contest with George Lymbery and Barney Rooke in that order. The ever consistent Barney Rooke took out the High Gun once more and Barbara Oldfield was the lucky winner of a side of bacon in our competition.

(F. Chudleigh, Hon. Sec.)

COWRA, 7/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine and sunny. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1—Welcome H'cap: Ten divided, 10/10. No. 2—Jackpot Trophy.

BALLANDEAN GUN CLUB

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

SOUTH-EAST QUEENSLAND

SATURDAY, 9th MAY, 1970, commencing at 9 a.m.

Event 1—

Nomination \$3.00

Granite Belt Single-Barrel Championship

20 targets off 16 yds. — Badge and Trophy 1st

Trophies — 2nd, 3rd and best 12/14 yds.

Optional Sweeps — 50 cents on each 10

Event 2—

Nomination \$3.00

Granite Belt Double-Barrel Championship

20 targets off 16 yds. — Badge and Trophy 1st

Trophies — 2nd, 3rd and best 12/14 yds.

Optional Sweeps — 50 cents on each 10

Event 3—

Nomination \$11.00

\$500 HANDICAP

30 targets Double Barrel Divided 60%, 30%, 10%

SUNDAY, 10th MAY, 1970, commencing at 9 a.m.

Ballandean Teams Match

Queensland v. New South Wales

Shooters will shoot for the State in which they reside

Event 1—

Nomination \$8.00

ELIMINATION EVENT—30 Targets Points off 18 yds.

500 rounds of ammunition for the top shooter in each of the following grades — 12/14, 15/16, 17/18, 19/20, 21/27

The ten (10) top shooters from each State will represent the two States

Optional Sweeps — 50 cents on each 10

Event 2—

Nomination Free

Ballandean Teams Match

20 target points off 18 yds.

Badge for each member of the winning team High Gun trophy Donated by I.C.I.A.N.Z.

Targets provided by I.C.I.A.N.Z.

Event 3—

Nomination \$11.00

\$500 HANDICAP

20 target points \$200 divided 60%, 30%, 10%

20 targets DB \$200 divided 60%, 30%, 10%

Over the 40 tgts. on kill \$100 div. 60%, 30%, 10%

High Gun — 1000 rounds ammunition

Inter. High Gun donated by Mr and Mrs W. Keogh

Cash Prizes Guaranteed

The Committee reserves the right to alter the number of targets except the Championship events.

Shooters and their wives are invited to be present at a banquet at the International Club on Saturday at 6.30 p.m. where a Calcutta will be drawn.

The Club has reserved accommodation for shooters. For reservations contact E. CHIZZOTTI, Phone: 194

Stanthorpe — After Hours: 905.

LUNCH — REFRESHMENTS — CARTRIDGES AVAILABLE

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Secretary,
NOEL SMITH,
Phone: Ballandean 39

1st, P. Barnes, 63/63; 2nd, I. Lang, 62/63; FM: N. Thornclark. No. 3—Lachlan Valley D/R C'ship: 1st, M. Barr; 2nd, T. Powell; 3rd, J. Nash; FM: I. Lang. No. 4—5-tgt. EO: A. Martens, J. Nash, R. Stone, N. Thornclark, N. Barnes and D. Byrne, 5/5. No. 5—20-tgt. Trophy: 1st, D. Heilman; 2nd, R. Toshack; FM: K. Staines. No. 6—10-tgt. Sweep: K. Staines, D. Heilman, L. Bird, 10/10.

(Jan Wood, Club Sec.)

CROOKWELL, 27/2/70.—Weather conditions: Fine and cool. Attendance: 13. Results (at night): No. 1—5-tgt. DB: Six divided. No. 2—5-tgt. SB: J. Broadhurst, 5/5. No. 3—5-tgt. Pts. Score: J. Broadhurst, 15/15. No. 4—5-tgt. Walk-up Trophy: J. Picker, 6/6. No. 5—5 Pr. D/R Trophy: 1st, R. Stephenson, 9/10; 2nd, N. Nicholson, 9/14. No. 6—6 Pr. DD Minis: R. Howlett-J. Broadhurst and N. Nicholson-B. Churchill, 10/12, divided. No. 7—5 Mini Tgts. Trophy: R. Stephenson, 11/11.

Local Russ Stephenson was in top form, taking two trophies home, being for Double Rise and Mini Targets events.

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

FINLEY, 8/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine and warm. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB EO: Eight divided. No. 2—20-tgt. DB H'cap Trophy: Five possibles—G. Kocks, G. Edwards, G. Huff, J. McGraw, D. Edwards. 1st, G. Huff, 27/27; 2nd, G. Edwards, 25/27; 3rd, D. Edwards, 25/26. No. 3—10-tgt. SB G. A. Edwards' Cup: Four possibles—G. Kennedy, Xavier Kennedy, N. Hausler, J. Daly. 1st, G. Kennedy, 22/22. No. 4—Cup winners of previous 12 months shot off for G. A. Edwards' tray. Won by Xavier Kennedy.

It was good to see our regular supporter from Benalla, G. Huff, win the trophy event, with G. A. Edwards second, leaving his son David to take third place.

Our Club President, G. Kennedy, proved to be the best SB shot to take out the G. A. Edwards Cup.

(D. Poore, Hon. Sec.)

GLOUCESTER, 15/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine and cloudy. Attendance: 25. Results: 10-tgt. DB H'cap Sweep: Nine divided. No. 2—15-tgt. DB H'cap Trophy: 1st, Joe Sansom, 38/38; 2nd, T. Rumble, 37/38; 3rd, B. Boggis, 31/38. No. 3—10-tgt. SB H'cap Sweep: B. Boggis, L. Wilmen, David Sansom, R. Sky, 10/10. No. 4—10-tgt. Pts., 16 yds. Trophy: 1st, D. Guy, 33/33; 2nd, L. Wilmen, 30/33; 3rd, T. Rumble, 38/38. No. 5—5-tgt. DB Ladies' Trophy: 1st, Joy Sansom, 8/8; 2nd, Dorothy Sansom, 7/8; 3rd, Joyce Penfold, 4/5.

(D. D. Sansom, Hon. Sec.)

GOULBURN, 8/3/70.—Weather conditions: Ideal, warm and sunny. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO Sweep: Five divided. No. 2—10-tgt. DB Sweep: J. Watch, K. Keogh, W. Lambert, N. Lambert. No. 3—10-tgt. DB Trophy: 1st, K. Keogh; 2nd, W. Lambert; 3rd, R. Stephenson. No. 4—5 Pr. D/R Sweep: N. Lambert, G. South. No. 5—Box Sweeps: J. Watch, S. Lambert.

Bill Lambert shared in most of the prize money and was only beaten in the trophy event by the consistent Kevin Keogh. Bill sot 66 staight for the day and was unlucky to miss out on the coveted 75 badge by only a few targets.

To finish the day a box sweep was put and time permitted a box sweep walk-up. These vents were won by J. Watch and S. Lambert.

(K. Buckley, Asst. Sec.)

GRIFFITH, 28/2/70.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB: Six divided—C. Garofalo, M. Stanmore, O. Kelly, L. Foley, T. Hill. No. 2—15-tgt. DB Trophy: 1st, C. Garofalo, 25/26; 2nd, F. Casella, 24/26; 3rd, H. Gibbs, 15/16.

This was our last shoot under lights for the summer. We now revert to daylight shoots again. The general meeting was held during the evening; this being the reason for only two events.

H. Gibbs won the High Gun, 28/29, from C. Garofalo, 27/29.

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

GUYRA, 21/2/70.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 85. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB off 16 yds.: 36 shared. No. 2—New England DB C'ship: 1st, C. Varley, 106/106; 2nd, H. Williamson, 105/106; 3rd, D. Colwell, 83/84. FM Trophy: J. Hoskin. No. 3—20-tgt. Pts. Score: 1st, W. E. Holmes; 2nd, J. Lisle; 3rd, C. Burt. No. 4—20-tgt. Cash H'cap: 22 shared.

GUYRA, 22/2/70.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 93. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. SB, 18 yds.: Eighteen shared. No. 2—NSW SB C'ship: 1st, D. Scowcroft, 46/46; 2nd, C. Bloxsome, 45/46; 3rd, J. Lisle, 42/43. FM: J. Benham. Other shooters who shot 30/30 were W. Holmes, D. Macansh, P. Moffatt, R. Varley, V. Eather, H. Campion. No. 3—20-tgt. Pts. Score Trophy: 1st, A. Sceresini; 2nd, D. Cunningham; 3rd, P. Rafferty. No. 4—30-tgt. \$500 Cash H'cap: V. Mackson, N. Campion, P. Moffatt, L. Bull, R. Varley, A. Fotheringham, E. Simmonds, D. Cassin, J. Phillip, B. Thompson, M. Bailey, C. Bloxsome, J. Leussink, D. Colwell, G. Wilson, F. Dutton, D. Grills. Inter High Gun: W. Holmes; High Gun: H. Campion, 159/160.

Despite a cold change in the weather and trouble with one trap throughout, the shoot was well attended and all events keenly contested.

We were all pleased to see Don Scowcroft hit top form to take out the NSW SB C'ship. Heartiest congratulations Don.

The DB C'ship resulted in a win for Col Varley from Herb Williamson after an extended shoot-off.

Intermediate High Gun was won by a new shooter—Bill Holmes, while the Open High Gun went to our veteran shooter Bert Campion, who missed one target over the two-day programme.

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

HAWKESBURY, 7/2/70.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1—25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: M. Quirk, 23-2; A. Stubbs, 23-3; W. Charlton, 25-1; K. Waters, 23-2; E. Hawkins, 25-0; Clyde Hawkins, 22-3. No. 2—25-tgt. Skeet H'cap (Les English Award on "kills"): Col Hawkins, 25-1; M. Quirk, 25-2; R. MacQuire, 20-7.

Prior to commencement of shooting last Saturday the Hawkesbury Gun Club held its 15th Annual Meeting and the following officers were elected:

Patrons: Ald. Cec. Sullivan (Mayor of Windsor); Mr Marsh Rose.

President: Ernie Hawkins.

Vice-Presidents: Keith Soames, Steve, Simmonds, Cec Tickle, John Rawlinson.

Secretary: Adrian Hayes.

Treasurer: Bill Clark.

Committeemen: John Rawlinson, Steve Simmonds, Bryce Wilson, Warren Charlton.

Publicity Officer: Clyde Hawkins.

The chief item of interest decided upon at the meeting was that later in the year the Club will stage a further "Firearms Safe Handling" demonstration for the general public.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

HAWKESBURY, 21/2/70.—Weather conditions: ver-cast. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB H'cap: Eight divided, 10/10. No. 2—20-tgt. DB H'cap: J. Rawlinson, L. Crema, W. Charlton, R. Faber, T. Thompson, R. Elvy, 20/20. No. 3—10-tgt. Pts. Score, 16 yds.: J. Rawlinson, J. Worley, A. Hayes, W. Charlton, G. Kable, R. Clare, R. Elvy, 30/30. No. 4—20-tgt. Hawkesbury Dist. DB C'ship: 1st, L. Crema, 71/71; 2nd, R. McAllister, 70/71; 3rd, W. Charlton, 53/54. No. 5—10 Pr. D/R: W. Charlton, 19/20; S. Joice, 18/20; J. Rawlinson, L. Croma, A. Hayes, 17/20.

W. Charlton had better luck when he won the High Gun Trophy from R. Elvy and T. Thompson with the score of 72/72 — 42 of these targets being shot from the maximum handicap of 27 yds.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

HAWKESBURY, 7/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine, sunny. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1—25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: R. Clarke, 24-1; C. Tickle, 24-3; P. Hayman, 21-3; R. MacQuire, 17-7. No. 2—County of Cumberland Skeet C'ship: 1st, E. Hawkins, 26/26; 2nd, R. Clarke, 25/26; 3rd, A. Hayes, 24-25. No. 3—25-tgt. Skeet H'cap (Les English Award on "kills"): C. Hawkins, 22-3; C. Tickle, 22-3; R. Clarke, 23-1; E. Hawkins, 24/0.

Ernie Hawkins won the Les English Monthly Award. Members of Hawkesbury Gun Club have had a very good week in shooting.

Other members from Hawkesbury had a day out last Saturday, 28th February, when Hawkesbury won the Mick Smith Shield Teams Event at the New South Wales Gun Club, Terry Hills, with the score of 283/300 points. The team consisted of A. Hayes, R. Clarke, J. Rawlinson, R. McAllister, A. Neill.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

HAY, 7/3/70.—Weather conditions: Calm and fine. Attendance: 32. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: Thirteen divided. No. 2—DB Night C'ship: 1st, Jack Headon, 42/42; 2nd, R. Williams, 41/42; 3rd, Abb Headon, 40/41; FM: I. Fayle, 39/40. No. 3—Club Mug 10-tgt. SB: 1st, Cass Hanna, 11/11.

The Club Double Night Championship was won on Saturday night by Jack Headon with a score of 42/42 after a shoot-off with R. Williams, Abb Headon and I. Fayle. They were the only ones to get the possible score of 20/20 from a strong field of 28 shooters. Ian Fayle was successful in the front markers' trophy.

Les McGrath, Jnr., Cass Hanna and Ian Fayle shot the possible in the Club Mug event and after a very brief shoot-off Cass came out the winner.

Progressive scores in the Lloyd Booth Shield shows Ian Fayle leading with 64/70, Abb Headon 60/70 and M. Valentine, 58/70.

(G. M. Hanna, Hon. Sec.)

ILLAWARRA, 15/2/70.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB EO: 13 divided. No. 2—15-tgt. Pts. Score Trophy: 1st, D. Maher, 59/60; 2nd, P. Birdsall, 56/60; 3rd, N. Doubleday, 44/47; FM: J. Cooper, 41/45. No. 3—20-tgt. Club Pts. Score C'ship: 1st, K. Perkins, 75/75; 2nd, K. McCloy, 72/75; 3rd, B. Palk, 69/72; FM: L. Johnson, 58/60. No. 4—15-tgt. DB: B. Ellsmore, R. Shipway, P. Birdsall, K. Perkins, K. McCloy, F. Denza, B. Palk, A. Zantis, 15/15. No. 5—10-tgt. DB from 27 yds.: A. Webb, 10/10; K. Perkins, K. McCloy, N. Doubleday, L. Boniface, 9/10. No. 6—Ladies' 5-tgt. DB: 1st, Mrs. Pam Boniface, 4/5.

(A. Arkwright, Hon. Sec.)

ILLAWARRA, 15/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1—15-tgt. DB Trophy: 1st, A. Palk, 61; 2nd, B. Palk, 60; 3rd, S. Joice; FM: Mrs. J. Webb, 52. No. 2—20 Pr. Club DD C'ship: 1st, N. Doubleday-T. Romanello; 2nd, D. Tatam-L. Massey. No. 3—15-tgt. DB: S. Joice, B. Palk, A. Webb, M. Quirk, T. Romanello, R. Albert. No. 4—20-tgt. District Night SB C'ship: 1st, K. McCloy; 2nd, L. Johnson; 3rd, J. Albert; FM: D. Tomkinson.

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Mrs. J. Webb shot well to win Front Markers with a break of 52, thus receiving her "50" break badge.

The Club DD was contested with six pair shooting the possible. T. Romanello-N. Doubleday ran out winners from D. Tatam-L. Massey after Doug had a malfunction, thus taking second place.

The night shoot saw a field of 22 contest the Illawarra District Night SB C'ship with K. McCloy ("Ginger Meggs") winning from L. Johnson and J. Albert third. Front marker went to D. Tomkinson.

(K. Perkins, Pub. Officer.)

INVERELL, 21/3/70.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB EO: Seven possibles. No. 2—20-tgt. DB Pts. Score: D. Redman, 60; R. Loy, 59; B. Walker, 56; C. Colley, 56; C. Campagner, 55; J. Dyrkin, 54; C. McLane, 52; H. Thomas, 50. No. 3—10-tgt. SB: H. Thomas, 10; R. Loy, 9; C. Colley 9; D. Redman, 9; R. Hobday, 8; J. Durkin, 8; J. Hawkins, 8. No. 4—5 Pr. D/R: H. Thomas, 9; E. Redman, 9; R. Loy, 8; C. McLane, 8; D. Redman, 8; J. Hawkins, 8; C. Campagner, 7; R. Hobday, 7; J. Durkin, 7; C. Burt, 7; K. Redman, 7.

Good to see our President, H. Thomas, strike form and take all the money and receive another yard.

(B. Allan, Hon. Sec.)

LAKE CARGELLIGO, 1/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine and windy. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: Seven divided. No. 2—10-tgt. DB Trophy: 1st, L. Brown, 17/17; 2nd, P. Spry, 16/17; 3rd, N. Barnes, 10/11. No. 3—5-tgt. EO, 16 yds.: K. Sim, P. Spry, K. Staines. No. 4—20-tgt. DB Lower Lachlan C'ship: 1st, S. Trembath, 23/25; 2nd, K. Sim, 22/25; 3rd, C. Hill, 19/22. No. 5—\$60 H'cap 20-tgt. DB: 1st, S. Trembath, 20/20; 2nd, K. Staines, 19/20; 3rd, M. Shea, 18/20. No. 6—5-tgt. D/R: 1st, E. Heffernan, 9/10; 2nd, N. Barnes, 8/10; 3rd, A. Naughton, 7/10. No. 7—10-tgt. DB Sweep: D. Phelps, L. Brown, P. Spry, N. Barnes—all 10/10.

The main event of the day was the \$60 Handicap, which was shot in conjunction with the Tyack Shield. Tullamore team went home with the shield. Congratulations, Tullamore, and also to S. Trembath, who won the High Gun trophy and the Lower Lachlan C'ship. Welcome to new member, M. Shea.

(Janet Phelps, Hon. Sec.)

LEETON, 22/3/70.—Weather conditions: Windy and cloudy. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB EO: Five possibles—B. Simpson, M. Weymouth, R. Searle, N. Price, G. Petts. No. 2—10-tgt. DB: Two possibles—R. Searle, K. Searle. No. 3—Six possibles—A. Heckman, G. Guymer, E. Hatch, B. Simpson, K. Searle, F. Cassella; 1st, A. Heckman, 24/24; 2nd, G. Guymer, 23/24; 3rd, E. Hatch, 22/23. No. 4—10-tgt. DB: Two possibles—G. Cook, F. Casella. No. 5—8-tgt. Quail Drive: Three possibles—G. Petts, G. Guymer, D. Johnson.

President K. S. Searle won the High Gun.

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

LISMORE, 22/2/70.—Weather conditions: Cloudy, variable SE wind. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. Pts. Score H'cap EO: R. J. Powell, D. Powell, J. Tainsh, G. Pringle, F. Hoskin, 15/15. No. 2—10-tgt. SB Trophy H'cap: W. Wilson, 10/10. No. 3—5-tgt. Pts. H'cap: J. Tainsh, L. Frederiksen, 15/15. No. 4—20-tgt. H'cap Trophy: 1st, J. Tainsh, 66/66; 2nd, L. Frederiksen, 65/66; 3rd, R. J. Powell, 45/46. No. 5—Box Sweep: J. Tainsh, J. Bell shared from 36 yds.

Some good shooting with two shooters breaking 75, which was all the better for the trouble with the trap breaking targets was most upsetting.

(R. D. Shepherd, Hon. Sec.)

LISMORE, 21/3/70.—Weather conditions: Overcast. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1—20-tgt. DB Pts. Trophy: 1st, J. Tomkins; 2nd, W. Wilson; 3rd, R. Shepherd. No. 2—10 Pr. D/R: W. Anderson, 20/20; R. J. Powell, 19/20; G. Pringle, 18/20.

Attendance was disappointing and the weather much the same. Shooting had to be abandoned after those present enjoyed a barbecue tea.

(R. D. Shepherd, Hon. Sec.)

LISMORE, 22/3/70.—Weather conditions: Clear and fine. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1—20-tgt. DB Cash H'cap: R. J. Powell, 20/20; W. Wilson, 20/20; J. Lee, E. Simmon, L. Fredricksen, D. Powell, J. Bell, 19/20. No. 2—20-tgt. DB North Coast C'ship: R. L. Powell, 78/78; R. J. Powell, 77/78; G. Pringle, 58/59. No. 3—20-tgt. DB Cash H'cap: J. Lee, 20/20; P. Thompson, 20/20; and 9 shooters with 19/20. No. 4—15-tgt. DB Pts. H'cap: 1st, J. Bell, 45/45; 2nd, W. Wilson, 55/57; 3rd, S. Simmon, 52/57. High Gun: R. J. Powell; FM: R. L. Powell.

Humidity was quite high after a wet night. It was pleasant to welcome shooters from Kingaroy, Warwick and Coffs Harbour. This was our first major two-day shoot for many years.

(R. D. Shepherd, Hon. Sec.)

MENDOORAN, 7/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB: Six shooters divided. No. 2—5-tgt. SB: B. Walton, G. Blackman, G. Estens, M. Hadrill, R. Marchant, W. Leeson, 5/5. No. 3—10-tgt. Pts.: 1st, T. Monk, 60/60; 2nd, B. Walton, 57/60. No. 4—15-tgt. DB: B. Walton, G. Blackman, G. Estens, M. Hadrill, T. Monk, D. Clout, W. Leeson, D. Smith, 15/15. No. 5—10-tgt. DB: G. Estens, T. Monk, W. Leeson, 10/10. No. 6—5-tgt. DB: T. Monk, G. Estens, W. Leeson, 5/5.

High Gun: G. Estens; 12-16 High Gun: W. Leeson.

(Michael Yeo, Hon. Sec.)

NEWCASTLE, 22/2/70.—Weather conditions: Fine, windy night. Attendance: 31. Results: No. 1—5 Pr. D/R, 16 yds.: P. Jenkin, C. Bentley, 9/10. No. 2—District D/R C'ship: 1st, D. Taylor, 20/24; 2nd, W. Collis, 21/26; 3rd, C. Bentley, 20/26. No. 3—District DD C'ship: 1st, D. Gay and R. Wagner, 33/33; 2nd, A. Whyte and E. Hill, 32/33. No. 4—10-tgt. DB H'cap: P. Jenkin, B. Johnson, R. McLennan, W. Collis, A. George, G. Foster, 10/10.

(P. J. Jenkin, Vice-President)

NEWCASTLE, 22/2/70.—Weather conditions: Fine windy day. Attendance: 24. Results: The Ray Morton Perpetual Shield for the Newcastle Gun Club Skeet Championship was won outright by Bob Boggis, 49/50. Sweep Divisions: 1st round—12 divided. 2nd round—10 divided.

Ray and Hazel Morton presented the club with this magnificent shield and this is the first time it has been shot for. The event is over two rounds of Skeet, off the gun, but with a sweep on each round on handicap.

Despite the presence of several fine Skeet exponents from Hawkesbury, the event was won by a Newcastle shooter. Shooting with rare brilliance, Bob Boggis won the coveted shield with 49/50. This shooter's great mastery of the gun, whether it be skeet, trap or field, is matched only by his unassuming, sportsmanlike nature.

(P. J. Jenkin, Vice-President)

NEWCASTLE, 7/3/70.—Weather conditions: Perfect windless day. Attendance: 38. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB, 16 yds.: Fourteen divided. No. 2—50-tgt. DB Club C'ship, 16 yds.: 1st, W. Collis, 163/164; 2nd, C. Bland, 162/164; 3rd, B. Boggis, 133/135; FM: K. McHue.

Nine shot 49/50 in the C'ship. After 50 more targets in the shoot-off only three were left, but these three went on to shoot over 100 breaks. Col Bland, of Cessnock, winner of this event in 1968 and 1969, shot 150 straight, but came second to Bill Collis, who looked quite unbeatable, rarely using a second barrel.

Both shooters broke the existing club break record and should be very satisfied with their excellent performances.

(P. J. Jenkin, Vice-President)

NEWCASTLE, 21/3/70.—Weather conditions: Gusty SW winds. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB H'cap: A. Whyte, K. McHue, D. Guy, T. Asquith, 10/10. No. 2—15-tgt. Pts. H'cap: D. Mackay, 45/45; E. Hill, K.

McHue and B. Johnson, 42/45. No. 3—20-tgt. DB Trophy H'cap: 1st, D. Mackay, 20/20 (off 22 yds); 2nd, K. McHue, 39/40; 3rd, C. Bentley, 38/40. No. 4—5 Pr. D/R, 16 yds.: W. Collis and T. Asquith, 9/10; A. Whyte, J. Fryer, D. Mackay, D. Guy, I. Clarke and B. Boggis, 8/10.

We had a visitor, T. Keogh, from Lismore, and seven new shooters who were ably advised by experienced members.

(P. J. Jenkin, Vice-President)

NEW ENGLAND, 8/3/70.—Weather conditions: Stormy, hot. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB H'cap: R. Loy, B. Wilson, H. Young, A. Sceresini, C. McLane, 5/5. No. 2—20-tgt. DB H'cap: R. Loy, H. Thomas, H. Young, 19/20. No. 3—10 DB Mini Tgts; 10 SB Tgs. H'cap: A. Sceresini, 10/10; B. Wilson, H. Thomas, B. Weir, C. McLane, 10/10; B. Weir, 10/10; E. Keoch, H. Young, A. Sceresini, C. McLane, 9/10. No. 4—10 Pts. H'cap: H. Thomas, 30/30; C. Coldham, 28/30; R. Loy, B. Wilson, A. Sceresini, B. Hall, 27/30. No. 5—5 Pr. D/R: H. Young, 10/1; R. Aitcheson; A. Sceresini, C. Coldham, 9/10.

An enjoyable day for those attending, with the competition made keen by the team of Inverell shooters.

(Allan H. Lewis, Hon. Sec.)

N.S.W.G.C. (N.S.W.), 28/2/70.—Weather conditions: Rain early, and at night. Attendance: 93. Results: No. 1—20-tgt. DB H'cap: Sixteen divided, 20/20. No. 2—20 Pts. Score H'cap: J. Worley, W. Collis, T. McCoy, R. Andrew, T. Walters, F. Denza, R. Orr, 60/60. No. 3—Mick Smith Shield: Hawkesbury No. 1, 283/300; Illawarra No. 3, 279/300. No. 4—Sydney SB C'ship: B. Kable, 38/38; R. Payne, 37/38; W. Hanley, 25/26; FM: A. Midgley, 20/21. No. 5—Sydney Night DD: H. Thurlow and B. Kable, 71/71; A. Boggis and O. May, 70/71.

Dick Andrew, with 75 points, took home the High Gun presented by Mick Smith in the SB. Five shot the possible but Barry Kable shooting 38 SB was too good, with Peter Payne 37 and W. Hanley 25. Arthur Midgley shot the 20 to take the front marker.

(J. Evans, Sec.)

N.S.W.G.C. (N.S.W.), 14/3/70.—Weather conditions: Good. Attendance: 37. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB H'cap: Fifteen divided. No. 2—10 Pts. Score, 16 yds.: Sixteen divided. No. 3—10-tgt. DB, 18 yds.: Sixteen divided. No. 4—NSW GC D/R: 1st, M. Fuller, 19/20; 2nd, W. Hanley, 18/20; 3rd, F. Denza, 17/20; FM: J. Bowerman. No. 5—H'cap Skeet: S. Cavallaro, R. Hyatt.

Bill Hanley's consistent shooting took home the High Gun with 48/50 in a shoot-off with Mal Fuller.

(J. Evans, Sec.)

PORT MACQUARIE, 22/2/70.—Weather conditions: Perfect. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB: Four divided. No. 2—10-tgt. DB Pts.: J. Ferguson, J. Cross, 30/30 (div. 1st). No. 3—10-tgt. SB: R. C. Doak, R. Thompson, A. Banting, J. Ferguson, J. Cross (div. 9/10. No. 4—5 Pr. D/R: D. Crisp, 9/10; 1st, J. Ferguson, K. Miles, 8/10 (div. 2nd). No. 5—5 Pr. DD: J. Cross, D. Crisp, J. Elliott, J. Ferguson, 5/5 (div. 1st). No. 6—10-tgt. DB: D. W. Doak, J. Ferguson, J. Cross, 10/10 (div. 1st). No. 7—10-tgt. SB: J. Cross, C. Cross, D. Elliott, 10/10 (div. 1st).

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

RANKINS SPRINGS, 15/3/70.—Weather conditions: Light rain, cool. Attendance: 33. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. EO: Eleven divided. No. 2—20-tgt. \$100 H'cap: G. Walker, I. Fayle, P. Barnes, B. K. Brown, J. C. Harman, J. W. Harman, B. Simpson, 20/20. No. 3—5-tgt. EO, off 16 yds.: Sixteen divided. No. 4—20-tgt. Northern Riverina DB C'ship: 1st, K. Sim, 20/20; 2nd, D. Lucas, 89/90; 3rd, D. Allen, 88/90. No. 5—10-tgt. \$2 Sweep: Five divided.

Bevin Brown was High Gun winner. Jack Wood and John Irvine equalled for the 12/14-yard trophy.

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

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ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.), 8/2/70.—Results: No. 1—15-tgt. DB H'cap: Fifteen shooters divided. No. 2—10-tgt. DB off 16 yds.: J. Bosco, B. Johnson, S. Phillips, B. Kable, D. Taylor, 10/10. No. 3—Bankstown Mini DB C'ship: 1st, A. Romanello; 2nd, R. Elvy (both 20/20); 3rd, J. Worley; FM: R. Pryke. No. 4—15-tgt. DB H'cap: A. Midgley, 15/15; L. Crema, J. Bosco, F. Denza, 14/15.

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

ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.), 22/2/70.—Results: No. 1—10-tgt. Pts. off 16/20 yds.: A. Romanello, B. Kable, F. Ward, D. Durrant, 30/30. No. 2—15-tgt. DB H'cap: J. Worley, A. Midgley, J. Bush, 15/15. No. 3—10-tgt. SB H'cap: J. Worley, J. Bush, 10/10; J. Bosco, 9/10.

There were five possibles in the R.A.C. Deauville Doubles Championship (20/20). Tony Romanello and Neville Doubleday, Fred Horton and Arthur Midgley, Dr. Bill Thurlow and Barry Kable, B. Waters and Don Durrant, John Worley and Len Cramer. In the long shoot-off for places, Tony Romanello and Neville Doubleday won the event with a total score of 198. Dr. Bill Thurlow and Barry Kable won second trophies with 197.

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

ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.), 8/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine and windy. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1—15-tgt. DB H'cap: L. Crema, 15/15; L. Johnson, B. Walters, A. Romanello, J. Worley, D. Durrant, 14/15. No. 2—15-tgt. Pts. H'cap: L. Johnson, J. Worley, 45/45; L. Crema, 44/45. No. 3—R.A.C. Trophy, 15-tgt. DB H'cap: J. Bosco, L. Johnson, 15/15; B. Walters, J. Worley, D. Durrant, M. Watt, 14/15. No. 4—10-tgt. Prs. D/R off 16 yds: K. Williams, 20/20; L. Crema, J. Festa, 19/20.

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

SCONE, 8/3/70.—Weather conditions: Cloudy and hot. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB EO: Five divided. No. 2—10-tgt. Pts. Score: G. Clendinning, 30/30; C. Pay, 29/30; D. Jones, 29/30; B. Kennedy, 28/30. No. 3—5-tgt. SB EO: G. Clendinning, 5/5; C. Pay, 4/5; B. Kennedy, 4/5; C. McInnes, 4/5. No. 4—20-tgt. Upper Hunter District SB C'ship: G. Clendinning, 19/20; C. Pay, 19/20; A. McDougal, 19/20; FM: B. Kennedy, 17/20. No. 5—10-tgt. DB (Minis): G. Clendinning, 10/10; B. Kennedy, 10/10; A. McDougal, 9/10. No. 6—5 Prs D/R (Minis): G. Clendinning, 10/10; D. Taylor, 9/10; R. Marshall, 10/10; L. Allen, 9/10.

(J. Carmody, Hon. Sec.)

SHOALHAVEN, 7/2/70.—Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB EO: Sixteen divided. No. 2—15-tgt. Pts. Score Mick Smith Event: 1st, W. Jones, 45/45; 2nd, S. Joice; 3rd, B. Palk. No. 3—1st, K. Keogh, 61/61; 2nd, K. Edwards, 60/61; 3rd, T. Muller, 58/59. No. 4—Showmen's C'ship: 1st, M. Laurie, 23/23; 2nd, E. Bell, 22/22.

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

S.S.A.A. ILLAWARRA, 8/3/70.—Shellharbour Lions' Club Benefit Shoot. Weather conditions cloudy. Attendance 52. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. EO (16 yds): 26 possibles. No. 2—Illawarra Winchester Shield Teams: Ten teams took part; Hawkesbury team was the winners (M. Quirk, A. Hayes, S. Joice, J. Rawlinson, C. Clark); 2nd, Illawarra District Gun Club; 3rd, S.S.A.A. Illawarra High Gun run in conjunction—winner Doug Watchorn. No. 3—20-tgt. DB H'cap: First prize a Winchester under and over (11 possibles). After a lengthy shoot-off—1st, R. Albert; 2nd, L. Boniface; 3rd, D. Watchorn; FM: F. Bradwell. No. 4—15-tgt. SB H'cap: 1st, R. Albert; 2nd, K. Hyde; 3rd, B. McPaul.

Night Shoot. Thirteen in attendance. First event: 5-tgt. DB EO: Four possibles. No. 2—10-tgt. Pts. Score: 1st, K. Edwards; 2nd, K. Hyde; 3rd, L. Boniface. No. 3—10-tgt. SB: 1st, L. Chodat; 2nd, P. Lace; 3rd, A. Keeling.

Breaks recorded were: R. Albert 125, D. Watchorn 116, L. Boniface 95, B. Waples 78, A. Palk 68, K. Edwards 65, B. Palk 52.

(Kevin Hyde, Shoot Organiser)

AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET SHOOTING NEWS

SUNNY CORNER, 12/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine, mild. Attendance: 31. No. 1—5-tgt. EO: Seven divided. No. 2—10-tgt. SB Sweep: R. Hansen, O. Geddes, 10/10. No. 3—Deauville Doubles: Six pairs divided, 12/12. No. 4—5 Pr. D/R: H. Jaques, 10/10; T. Francis, T. Thompson, L. Alexander, G. Roberts, 9/10. No. 5—10-tgt. DB Trophy: N. Angwin, 37/37; C. Ferguson, 36/37; FM: R. Hansen. No. 6—5 Pr. D/R: H. McDiarmid, 10/10; R. Hansen, A. Blackadder, 9/10. No. 7—Ladies' 10-tgt. DB: K. Martin, 9/10; J. Blackadder, 6/10; M. McDiarmid, 5/10; D. Martin, 4/10. No. 8—Deauville Doubles: A. Blackadder-H. Jaques, 24/24; Ted Martin-Kath Martin, 23/24.

(C. Ferguson, Hon. Sec.)

SUTTON FOREST, 1/3/70.—Weather conditions: Wet. Attendance: 34. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB, 16 yds.: Seven divided, 10/10. No. 2—"Bush Week" DB C'ship: 1st, K. Keogh; 2nd, P. Lace; 3rd, K. Perkins; FM: W. Perkins. No. 3—10-tgt. DB H'cap: Nine divided, 10/10. No. 4—20-tgt. DB H'cap Trophy: 1st, P. Lace; 2nd, K. Perkins; 3rd, S. Joice; FM: W. Perkins. No. 5—R. Smith, A. Webb, K. Perkins, D. Shipway, J. Worley, G. Cullen, 10/10.

Kevin Keogh shot extremely well to win the "Bush Week" DB C'ship. Second placegetter was Phil Lace, who pushed Kevin to over one hundred targets in the

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24th AUSTRALIAN INTERNATIONAL TRAP TEAM (not in order of photograph)

J. A. Harris (Cunderdin, WA), B. England (Mt. Gambier, SA), R. A. Dean (Roma, Q), M. Lyons (Queanbeyan, NSW), R. H. Bailey (Perth, WA), V. Ryan (Cosgrove, V), D. Cosgrove (Warren, NSW), J. Henwood (Melbourne, V), D. Smith (Brisbane, Q), W. T. Henwood (Melbourne, V), E. Hawkins (Hawkesbury, NSW), G. Bailey (Perth, WA), T. Salafia (Griffith, NSW), J. Newton Thomas (Melbourne, V), B. Rooke (Wagga, NSW), W. Dalzell (Melbourne, V), C. Russell (Geraldton, WA), R. McDonald (Geraldton, WA), E. McCullough (Echuca, V), T. Catling (Katanning, WA), J. Ellis (Finley, NSW), F. Reade (Metropolitan, V), A. R. Cusack (Kojonup, WA), I. J. Halbert (Cunderdin, WA), A. E. Wilkinson (Mildura, V), D. G. Watts (Cunderdin, WA), M. Howell (Dundonnell, V), R. Burton (Geraldton, WA), R. Warneminde (Brisbane, Q), D. W. Cummings (Perth, WA).

LOST—1970 Australian International Teams' Badge

By R. Dean of Roma, Queensland

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ILLAWARRA DISTRICT GUN CLUB

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)
CROOME ROAD, ALBION PARK, NSW

Queen's Birthday Grand Prix

Saturday and Sunday, 13th-14th June, 1970

Saturday, June 13, 1970, commencing at 12 noon

Event 1—

15 TARGET HANDICAP

Nomination \$2.00

Event 2—

Nomination \$4.00

State Intermediate D.B. Championship

in conjunction

Club D.B. Championship

(30 Targets from 18 yards)

Optional Sweep \$1 ea. 15 pr. \$1 O/A

Shooter entering both events—\$6.00.

Event 3—

\$200 HANDICAP (20 Targets)

Nomination \$6.00

NIGHT

Event 4—

10 TARGET EYE OPENER, from 16 Yds.

Nomination \$2.00

Event 5—

CLUB DOUBLE RISE CHAMPIONSHIP (10 Pair)

Optional Sweep \$1 ea. 5 pr. \$1 O/A

Nomination \$3.50

Sunday, June 14, 1970, commencing at 9 a.m.

Event 6—

Nomination \$30.00

Illawarra District Gun Club Grand Prix

Optional Sweep \$1 ea. 10 pr. \$1 O/A

(20 Targets D.B. Handicap)

1st, Ford Falcon Sedan

2nd, Television Set

3rd, Canteen of Cutlery

Yardage Prize \$30 ea. Yd.



Event 7—

Nomination \$3.00

Illawarra District S.B. Championship

(20 Targets)

Optional Sweep \$1 ea. 10 pr. \$1 O/A

High Gun Trophy over Events 2, 3, 5, 6 and 7

Barbecue luncheon, afternoon tea, canteen and cartridges available. Gunsmith on the grounds

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Shooter

Alexander, R., Springsure	12	Butt, W. P., Eton	16	Fisher, G., Tullamore	13
Allan, I., Kavieng	14	Byers, F., RAAF, Point Cook	16	Fisher, G. W., Mildura	17
Allen, J., Bendigo	12	Caddy, R. E., Barmera	18	Francis, I., Sydney	12
Andrews, R., Hobart*	14	Callaghan, P. J., Kavieng	14	Fulloon, R., Guyra	15
Annicchiorico, S., NSWGC	14	Campbell, A. W., Cowra	17	Gale, D. M., Brewarrina	12
Arbuthnot, Mrs. D., Kavieng	12	Canny, R. J., Swan Hill/Nyah	17	Gannon, W. W., St. George	18
Archer, G., Charters Towers	18	Carboon, N., Bendigo	21	Geddes, Mrs M., Brisbane	12
Arthur, J., St. George	12	Carrington, C. W., Charters Towers	26	Geddes, R., St. George	16
Arthur, J., Bollon	16	Carrington, G., Charters Towers	13	Gesler, N., Oondooroo	12
Ashman, G., Bendigo*	23	Casey, P. K., Eton	16	Gibbs, W. C., Boyup Brook	16
Attard, C., Eton	16	Chandler, C. J. R., St. George	17	Gibson, W., Echuca	17
Attard, F., Eton	16	Chapman, F., Boyup Brook	14	Giese, B., Shoalhaven	12
Aurisch, J., West Gippsland	20	Cheung, J., Madang	14	Godfrey, P., Madang	12
Bacher, W. A., Sth Yorke Pen.	14	Chewyng, G., Braidwood	16	Gourley, R., Charters Towers	20
Bailey, A., Bendigo	13	Cornwell, M. D., Ungarra	14	Grant, I. L., Naracoorte	18
Bailey, G., Dorriggo	12	Churchill, R. H., Crookwell	20	Grills, D., Guyra	16
Balcombe, J., Sale	20	Clarke, G., Frankston	13	Groat, A. R., Swan Hill/Nyah*	19
Ballard, C., Cohuna	17	Clarke, I., Chinchilla	12	Grose, E. A., Barmera*	20
Banks, R. B., St. George	15	Clarke, K., Braidwood	19	Grose, P., Barmera	13
Bannear, D. J., Barmera	17	Clout, D., Guyra	14	Guymer, G. E., Narrandera	14
Baretta, L., Eton	16	Coaker, D., Dubbo*	20	Hagarty, M. F., Brewarrina	12
Barr, M. J., Cowra	21	Cobbin, K. R., Barmera	14	Haggett, B., Naracoorte	17
Barry, Reg, Brewarrina	16	Cole, J., Sydney	12	Hailes, W. J. Jnr, Metropolitan	23
Batey, R. V., Victorian	19	Collett, J. C., Braidwood	14	Hall, T., Mallala	15
Beattie, R. G., Silkwood	12	Collinson, A., Burdekin*	19	Hamill, S., Colac	14
Beaumont, R. J., Dorriggo	16	Conlan, R. Jnr, Hobart	14	Hamilton, D. R., Gold Coast	20
Beaumont, R. R., Dorriggo	17	Corbould, R. H., St. George	18	Hamilton, J., Warren	13
Behrens, A. W., Hobart	16	Cramer, R., Bendigo	12	Hamilton, R., Hay	14
Bell, C., Dubbo	17	Crooke, J. D., Wangaratta	18	Hammond, M'ter P., S. Hill/Nyah	12
Bell, C. C., Hawkesbury*	17	Crouch, E. L., Hawkesbury	14	Hammond, R. J., Swan Hill/Nyah	23
Bell, E. T., Shoalhaven	19	Cunial, A. P., Mackay	16	Hanslow, M., Kavieng	14
Bell, R. M., Hawkesbury	14	Cunial, S. P., Eton	16	Harding, F. J., Whyalla	17
Bell, S., Shoalhaven	12	Cunningham, N., RAAF, Pt Cook	13	Hartnell, W. F., St. George	16
Benham, J., Guyra	15	Dalton, M., Bathurst	16	Hartwell, M., Burdekin	18
Bennett, G., Cohuna	17	Dancey, T. R., Hay	17	Hatti, C., Dubbo	12
Bennett, J., Bendigo	20	Darley, W. E., Dorriggo*	16	Hayes, R., Victorian	14
Betts, M., Brewarrina	21	Dart, E. R., RAAF, Point Cook	12	Headon, Master W., Hay	13
Betts, R., Brewarrina*	21	Davis, J., Cessnock	14	Hegarty, T., Brewarrina	22
Beverage, J. W., NSWGC	15	Davis, K., NSWGC	16	Heley, R., Mildura	16
Bezzina, J., Eton	16	Davis, V., Korumburra	15	Hemsley, R. P., Shoalhaven	12
Binns, H., Illawarra	12	Day, F., Cohuna	18	Heritage, J., Brewarrina	14
Birch, J. A., WO2, Hawkesbury*	21	Dean, R., Wangaratta	16	Herring, N., Royal Aero*	12
Bird, J., Korumburra	15	Degelsegger, F., Naracoorte	14	Hill, C. J., Lake Cargelligo	14
Black, R., Silkwood	13	Dempsey, P. J., Foster	16	Hinge, R. G., Bordertown	16
Blackman, G. S., Mendooran	23	Denza, F., Hawkesbury	16	Hipwell, G., Cohuna	15
Blakoe, A., Burdekin	14	Dipietrantonio, U., Victorian	17	Hipwell, R., Cohuna	17
Blackshaw, C. J., Mangoplah	12	Dipietrantonio, V., Victorian	16	Hockey, G. W., Braidwood	15
Blanch, D., Gloucester	12	Dixon, N. F., Melbourne	16	Holland, A., Bendigo	13
Blewett, C. L., Shoalhaven	16	Dobson, Master G., Echuca	16	Hollow, H. C., Royal Aero**	25
Blomfield, A. B., Guyra	20	Donohoe, E., Hay*	15	Hosking, J., Guyra	15
Blomfield, Mrs S., Guyra	14	Dooley, T., Winton	13	Howard, J. F., Sale	12
Bolger, Master J., Hay	12	Duncey, R. A., Bordertown	14	Hoyle, G., Korumburra	13
Bott, S. H., Mersey	17	Dunn, P., Bathurst	16	Humphreys, C., Sydney	12
Boulton, R., Swan Hill	17	Durack, C. P., Brewarrina	14	Humphries, G., Korumburra	13
Bradford, W. J., Hay	14	Dutton, F. J., Guyra	15	Humphris, J. R., Mt. Gambier	18
Braithwaite, G., Eton	14	Dyer, E., Brewarrina	12	Hunter, F. L., Brisbane	16
Brazier, B. J., Guyra	16	Eadie, M., Silkwood	15	Ingram, R., Kavieng	14
Breed, D. J., Brisbane	14	Edwards, Dr R. P., NSWGC	12	Irish, P., Mallala	12
Brennan, M. L., Narrandera	17	Elliott, J. L., Dubbo	16	Irish, T. R., Mallala	17
Brown, A. O., Brisbane	17	Ellis, I., Swan Hill/Nyah	12	Jakins, J. B., St. George	13
Brown, C. C., Oondooroo	16	Ellis, J., Swan Hill/Nyah	17	Jamieson, J. E., Echuca	19
Brown, E. C., Brisbane	12	Ellison, R., Cowra	27	Jamieson, P., Echuca	17
Brown, G., Eton	13	Ely, J., Nyah	13	Johns, L., Bathurst	16
Brown, L. D., Swan Hill/Nyah	19	Everett, T. A., Guyra	19	Johnson, J., Echuca	12
Brown, N. Jnr, Brisbane	12	Ewen, G. G., Victorian	19	Johnston, R. W., Brewarrina	15
Brown, T., Melbourne	12	Ewert, W., Sale	19	Kable, G. R., NSWGC	22
Brown, V. A. Snr, Brisbane**	16	Fairbairn, B., Sunny Corner	14	Kallin, J., Mallala	17
Brown, V. Jnr, Brisbane	13	Farlow, B., Hay	13	Kavanagh, J. M., Oondooroo	16
Bruck, E. K., Melbourne	20	Fendler, L. A., Mannum	15	Kearney, L., Wandooan	13
Bruck, Mrs K., Melbourne	14	Ferguson, G. A., St. George	17		
Buchan, R. F., Melbourne*	22	Fickling, W., Charters Towers	13		

Keeling, A., Illawarra	18	McDonald, M. E., Cohuna	14	Sheather, A. J., Cootamundra	21
Keith, R., Crookwell	16	McDonnell, S. M., St. George	12	Sheather, J., Hawkesbury	13
Kelly, C., Guyra	14	McEwan, F., St. George	13	Siddins, C. C., St. George	16
Kelly, T., Dubbo	20	McGrath, L. Snr, Hay	13	Siddins, H. T., Jnr, St. George*	20
Kennedy, R. S., Braidwood	15	McGrath, L. Hay	14	Siddins, J. W., St. George*	19
Kennedy, X., Finley	15	McIntyre, L. J., St. George	12	Simkin, A., Hamilton	18
Kenny, M., Korumburra	13	McLean, J., Kerang	14	Simms, W. R., Ungarra*	16
Kentish, F. F., Mt. Gambier	23	McLenahan, A., Dorriggo	22	Simpson, R., Silkwood	16
Kernot, G., Hawkesbury	16	McLeod, E. J., Frankston	14	Sims, T. L., Mt. Gambier	20
Keune, B., Central Burnett	12	McNally, R. J., Mildura	13	Simson, F. G., Silkwood	16
King, W. A., Naracoorte	17	McNaughton, I., Sale	19	Small, J., Brewarrina	12
Kingdom, M., Cobar	17	Nash, J. G., Cowra	21	Smith, D., Mendooran	23
Kingsley, N., Sth Yorke Pen.	14	Nastasi, A., Darwin	16	Smith, E., Warren	17
Kirby, E., Bendigo	13	Neale, A. R., Colac	14	Smith, G., Sth Yorke Penn	15
Kirkham, G. H., Frankston	20	Nicholson, I. A., St. George	23	Smith, K. A., Dorriggo	17
Knight, G., South Burnett	14	Noble, B. J., Tamworth	12	Soames, T., Brisbane	19
Knuth, E. R., Eton	16	Norris, R., Winton	14	Spry, P., Lake Cargelligo	14
		Nott, J., Mendooran	15	Spry, R. H., Lake Cargelligo	13
				Sorrell, J., Naracoorte	12
Laffin, J. L., Metropolitan	13	O'Brien, L., Frankston	14	Staniforth-Smith, J.R., Boyup Br.	16
Landrigan, R. D., Burdekin*	19	O'Connor, B. J., Brewarrina	17	Steel, R., Guyra	13
Laurie, M., Shoalhaven	16	O'Connor, P. K., Cobar	12	Stefanko, W., Sydney	12
Lavery, H. T., Charters Towers	25	Olde, G., Coff's Harbour	12	Stellato, A., Victorian	16
Lawler, M. J., Burchip	15	Oliver, E. H., Finley	16	Stewart, C. D., St. George*	17
Lawler, T. J., Tullamore	19	Olver, K., Melbourne	16	Stewart, J., Melbourne	17
Lawson, K. W., Pt. Pirie	14	O'Loughlan, P., Swan Hill/Nyah	18	Stewart, J., Borellan	15
Leeson, W., Mendooran	14	Orr, R., Illawarra	12	Szalkay, B., Hawkesbury	12
Lewis, G. M., Snr., Sth Burnett*	14	Orr, R. W. D., Lake Cargelligo	14		
Lewis, G. Jnr, Sth Bathurst	16	O'Shannessy, W., Bendigo*	17	Tanner, S., Gunnedah	13
Levingston, D., Boyup Brook	14			Thatcher, F. J., Melbourne	19
Lloyd, E., Frankston	13	Palk, B. E.,* Illawarra District	19	Thomas, I., St. George	12
Lonesborough, J. E., Shoalhaven	13	Peel, R., Mansfield	14	Thompson, M., St. George	12
Love, T., Tatura	18	Perkins, W. D., Dorriggo	13	Thomson, R., Port Macquarie	14
Lowry, K. B., Metropolitan	26	Phelan, J., Burdekin	16	Townsend, H., Illawarra	19
Lowry, S., Melbourne	13	Philp, B. A., Ipswich	14	Traill, R., Sale	17
Lucas, T. Snr, Frankston	13	Piastri, J. T., Shepparton	19	Troy, Mrs. S., New South Wales	12
Lucas, T., Aust.	18	Piastri, R. J., Shepparton	18	Tubb, W. A., Cressy	21
Ludwig, C., Naracoorte	12	Pierce, T., Illawarra	14	Turnball, R., Dorriggo	14
Lukey, C. W., Burchip	12	Pike, R. J., Cobar	13	Turner, L., Metropolitan	19
Lumb, R., Hawkesbury	12	Plumb, G. R., Crookwell	14	Twigg, H. L., Corowa	13
Lungeveldt, J., Barwon Heads	16	Powell, K. M., Narrandera	18		
Luton, D., Bungendore	16	Press, B. A., Narrandera	13	Vardy, B., Bendigo	12
Lydon, T., Sydney	12	Priestley, K., Melbourne	15	Vost, F., Shoalhaven	16
Mace, W., St. George	13	Reschke, T. S., Mt Gambier*	23	Wade, H. B., St. George	20
Maddy, S. W., Swan Hill/Nyah	18	Rich, G., Dubbo	15	Wales, C., Eton	14
Maguire, D., Chinchilla	14	Richardson, R. L., Warren	13	Walker, G., Eton	13
Malouf, J., NSWGC	16	Roach, G. W., Guyra	16	Walker, J. E., Eton	13
Malouf, R., NSWGC	12	Roach, J. A., Guyra	16	Walton, G., Mendooran	12
Manns, H. W., Cobar	16	Roberts, A. P., SSAA Illawarra	13	Waples, W. H., Illawarra	14
Manns, J. E., Cobar	23	Roberts, D. L., Metropolitan	15	Watchorn, Master R. D., SSAA	
Mariner, D., Sydney	13	Roberts, I., Apsley	18	Illawarra	12
Martini, D., Inter Gun Club	22	Roberts, V. P., SSAA Illawarra	12	Webb, J. R., Central Burnett	13
Mason, C. J., Dubbo	17	Robson, F., Ararat	16	Weeks, A., Hay	16
Matthews, G., Charters Towers	15	Rodda, W. N., Pt Cook	21	Wells, C. B., South West	21
Matthews, K., Charters Towers	13	Rodgers, B., Chinchilla	15	Weston, P., Shoalhaven	20
Mayfield, O. T., Myamyn	19	Rohan, H. C., Oondooroo	16	White, J. J., Goulburn	14
Mende, E. C., St. George	23	Rollinson, L. G., Charters Towers	12	White, W., Brewarrina	12
Mendes, R., Bathurst	14	Ross, C., Silkwood	12	Whitehead, C. E., Millicent	19
Mian, G., Sydney	12	Ross, D., Victorian	15	Whitehead, D., Brisbane	16
Miles, K., Naracoorte	24	Ross, Dr D. L., Eton	20	Whitehead, W. D., Oondooroo	17
Mirow, T., Gunnedah	17	Rover, A., Eton	16	Whitson, N., Eton	16
Molloy, J., Tumut	16	Rowe, D. J., South West	16	Whittaker, D. A., Dorriggo*	20
Monk, Master T., Mendooran	12	Ryan, G. S., Bungendore	12	Whyte, D. W., St. George*	27
Moore, G., Swan Hill/Nyah	17	Ryan, J. M., Brewarrina*	18	Wiggins, Master G., Cobar	12
Moran, L. W., Braidwood	16	Ryan, M. B., Brewarrina	14	Wiggins, K., Cobar	14
Moroni, Master A., Bendigo	12	Ryan, P., Swan Hill/Nyah	12	Williams, A. H., Guyra	13
Morris, K., Gunnedah	19	Ryan, P. J., Brewarrina	13	Williams, M., Cohuna*	17
Morris, M., Sebastopol	16	Ryan, W., Bungendore	12	Winter, L., Barwon Heads	15
Morris, R., Apsley	15			Winter, M., Barwon Heads	18
Mountjoy, D., Bendigo	18	Salter, J. A., Dubbo	16	Winter, P., Barwon Heads	20
Muller, F., Dorriggo	12	Saltmarsh, K. R., Pt Pirie	16	Woodhouse, W., Swan Hill/Nyah	12
Muller, F. D., Dorriggo	13	Sanden, R., Mersey	16	Wooding, L., Boyup Brook	14
Muller, W/Cdr F. K., Pt Cook*	15	Schirmer, A., Hay	13	Worth, T., Dorriggo	12
Muller, K. E., RAAF Pt Cook	16	Scott, B. T., Charters	14	Wright, A. D., South Yorke Penn.	16
Murphy, F., St. George	16	Sermon, A. M., Northam	14	Wright, E., Dorriggo	12
Muscat, C., Eton	16	Shafer, W. L., Silkwood	12	Wright, G., Cowra	17
Muscat, J., Eton	16	Schnieder, A., Brewarrina	17		
Muscat, P., Eton	16	Shanahan, P., South Burnett	12	Yeo, M. B., Mendooran	14
Myer, N., Swan Hill/Nyah	16	Shard, R. J., Shepparton	13	Yoannidis, K., Mt. Gambier	13
		Shea, M., Lake Cargelligo	13	Yoannidis, P. G., Mt. Gambier*	16
McDiarmid, H. A., Sunny Corner*	25			Yosri, G., NSWGC	17
McDonald, C., Frankston	18				

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Aitchison, R., Bingara	14	Elvy, R., Royal Aero	19	Loy, R., Inverell	15
Averis, J., Ungarra	16	Edwards, K., SSAA Illawarra*	14	Lucas, T., Australian	18
Andrew, R., NSW*	17	Fotheringham, A., Kempsey	20	Lowry, Mrs S., Melbourne	13
Anderson, D., Luina	15	Fowler, R., Kerang	21	Lee, J., Hawkesbury	15
Albert, J. G., Illawarra District	18	Faber, R., Wallerawang	14	Lee Master C. J., Lismore	17
Adams, S. H., Donald	16	Fickling, W., Charters Towers	13	Mollica, V., Victorian	14
Byles, L., Bairnsdale	17	Fayle, I., Hay	16	Mirow, T., Gunnedah	16
Bailey, M., Coffs Harbour	20	Ferguson, B., Bendigo	13	Muller, F. K., Point Cook*	15
Bull, N. L., Tamworth	25	Farlow, B., Hay	13	Monk, T., Mendooran	14
Bloxsome, C., New England	19	Ferguson, G. A., St. George	17	Murray, B., Coonamble	13
Brazier, C. S., Guyra	17	Foster, B., Whyalla	15	Murray, N., Coonamble	13
Burt, C., Inverell	16	Flegler, F., Daiby*	17	Mundell, I. D., Condamine	14
Brown, L., Lake Cargelligo	18	Grills, D., Guyra	16	Morgan, G. E., Condamine	17
Barnes, N., Tullamore	15	Guy, D., Newcastle	22	Munro, D., Victorian	16
Bain, E., Brisbane	18	Gourley, R., Charters Towers	20	Moffat, P., Guyra*	22
Bounty, M., Ungarra	13	Groves, A., Mallala	20	Mackson, V., Guyra	23
Brazzale, A., Inter	14	Grove, J., Naracoorte*	20	Martin, J., Sunny Corner	15
Brooks, F., Chinchilla	15	Gooley, J., Australian	19	Mangelsdorf, P., Mount Barker	19
Boscacci, D., Townsville	15	Geldard, N., Condamine	13	Margetts, L., Whyalla	17
Ball, S., Charters Towers	20	Hoye, G., Korumburra	13	Midgley, A., NSW	15
Buchan, R. F., Melbourne*	22	Hipwell, R., Cohuna	18	Murray, I., Frankston	13
Brown, B. K., Q'bevan/C'berra	19	Heritage, J., Brewarrina	14	Moore, B., Chinchilla	15
Bush, J., Royal Aero	14	Hoskins, J., Guyra	16	Moller, D., Bundaberg	14
Bottams, B., Metropolitan	15	Hill, C., Lake Cargelligo	15	Myer, N., Swan Hill/Nyah	16
Boggis, R., Newcastle	22	Hayes, G., Kerang	21	Mariner, D., Sydney	13
Brookes, G., Rabaul	19	Huff, G., Benalla (DC)	21	Mende, E. C., St. George	23
Banning, A. J. F., McKinlay	16	Hamilton, R., Hay	14	Martin, E. M., Sunny Corner	17
Bolderas, R. C., NEGGC	14	Hill, C. J., Lake Cargelligo	14	Mudford, C., Metropolitan	19
Cross, J., Port Macquarie	15	Hansen, R. F., Bathurst*	15	Morgan, G., Dandenong	14
Colyer, J., Korumburra	14	Harman, J. C., Rankins Springs*	18	Macrow, P., SAGC	16
Cheung, J., Madang	14	Harman, J. W., Rankins Springs	17	McLean, J., Kerang	17
Clarke, G., Frankston	13	Hedgers, R., Bungendore (UR)	13	McCormack, C., Mansfield	17
Cassin, D., Tamworth*	24	Holmes, W. E., Tamworth	17	McEwan, F., St. George	23
Colwell, D., Tamworth	17	Hicks, A., Gold Coast	19	McIntosh, D., Geelong	14
Campion, N., Guyra	22	Hayes, K., Tatura	13	McLeod, I. S., Callawadda*	17
Cunningham, D., Cressy	14	Hallam, Mrs D., Hobart	13	Nash, J. G., Cowra	21
Cunningham, D., New England	19	Heckman, A., Leeton	13	O'Connor, M., Naracoorte	13
Clarke, F., Hawkesbury	17	Hatch, E., Leeton	14	O'Keefe, J., SAGC*	15
Coates, V. H., Myamyn	19	Hamond, R. J., Swan Hill/Nyah	23	O'Brien, L., Frankston	14
Caon, D., SAGC	15	Harvey, B., Rabaul	18	Orr, R., Lake Cargelligo	14
Coaker, D., Dubbo	20	Hayward, M. P., Callawadda	14	O'Riley, J., Charters Towers	17
Curry, G., Newcastle (UR)	14	Hodder, A., Callawadda	13	O'Liviera, A. D., Inter	15
Cunial, A., Eton	16	Hunter, F. L., Brisbane	17	Pike, R., Cobarr	13
Campbell, D. J., Narragin*	19	Hyde, K. J., SSAA Illawarra*	14	Parker, R., Bathurst	17
Campbell, L., Broken Hill	23	Irvine, J. R., Rankins Springs	14	Peardon, J., Bombala	13
Clarke, D., Brisbane	18	Innes, G., Point Cook	17	Payne, R., NSW	16
Dempsey, D. J., Foster	16	Johnson, D., Leeton	15	Phillips, J., Guyra	16
Drake, A. F., Melbourne	20	Jakins, J. B., St. George	13	Pontifex, M., Bute	15
Davies, J., Cessnock City	14	James, F., Kerang*	23	Panazzolo, D., Inter	17
Dunn, P., Bathurst	16	Johnson, J., Kar Kar Island	18	Perkins, W., Illawarra	15
Dalton, M., Bathurst	16	Johncock, G., Kar Kar Island	16	Perkins, W. D., Dorriggo	13
Dutton, F. J., Guyra	15	Jenkins, E. L., Condamine	20	Palk, A., Illawarra District*	18
Donald, H., Brisbane	14	Kirby, W. A., Moree	15	Peake, D. Jnr, SAGC	14
Doblo, G., Bundaberg	18	Knuth, R., Townsville*	17	Pearson, R., Rabaul	16
Drinnen, D., Bundaberg	14	King, W., Naracoorte	17	Powell, R. J., Lismore	18
Dean, J., Sydney	14	Keeling, A., Illawarra District	18	Powell, R. L., Lismore	16
Dancey, T. R., Hay	17	Kuyer, P., Korumburra	17	Pember, C., Geraldton*	17
Degelsegger, F., Naracoorte	14	Kenny, M., Korumburra	17	Rafferty, P., Guyra	17
Darley, W. E., Dorriggo*	16	Knight, G., Hamilton	13	Rundell, L. J., Myamyn	16
Durrant, D., Hawkesbury	15	Kentish, F., Mount Gambier	23	Retallick, H., Frankston	18
Doyle, J. M., Mildura*	26	Lowry, K., Metropolitan	26	Rodgers, B., Chinchilla	15
De Lorenzo, N. Snr, Dandenong	18	Leussink, J., Coffs Harbour	18	Rescke, T. S., Mount Gambier*	24
Detez, W. D., NEGGC	14	Lisle, J., Walcha	19	Rich, G., Dubbo	15
Everett, T. A., Guyra	19	Leeson, W., Mendooran	14	Richards, D., Charters Towers	18
Ellis, G., Frankston	13	Ludbrook, H., Melbourne	16	Ross, D., Victorian	15
Edwards, G. A., Finley	15	Lace, P., Illawarra	19	Reynolds, J., Bungendore (UR)	13
Edwards, H., Barwon Heads	20	Lloyd, E., Frankston	13	Rapkins, G., Luina	15
Eather, S., Gunnedah	16	Lonesborough, J. E., Shoalhaven	13	Reznicks, Mrs V., Melbourne	13
Edgar, A., Hamilton	16	Lumb, E., Geelong	16	Rossetti, S., Whyalla	15
Evans, C., Ballandean	19	Laing, I., Tullamore	15	Rumbel, T., Kempsey*	19
Ellem, P., Chinchilla	15	Lyons, M., Bungendore (UR)	13	Ryan, G. C., Bungendore	12
Ellison, R., Cowra	27	Little, G. B., Walcha	16	Rohan, H. C., Oondooroo	16

Rickard, G., Callawadda	13	Sansom, D., Gloucester	14	White, A., Sale	13
Scott, P. J., Callawadda	16	Sansom, Miss J., Gloucester	14	Wiggins, K., Cobar	14
Simmon, E., Coffs Harbour	20	Stanes, G., Callawadda	16	Willett, G., Wangaratta	17
Sceresini, A., Inverell	14	Sky, R., Taree Wingham	15	Wilson, G., Guyra	21
Sansom, J., Newcastle	17	Stokes, K. P., NEGGC	15	Watkins, K., Whyalla	15
Sheather, J., Hawkesbury	13	Stevens, T., Geelong (UR)	13	Watchorn, D. A., SSAA Illawarra*	16
Spry, P., Lake Cargelligo	14	Simpson, J. R., Brisbane	13	Williams, G., Hay*	18
Staines, K., Tullamore	15	Thompson, B., Boggabri	19	Walker, G., Borellan	16
Schneider, G., Lake Cargelligo	17	Trembath, S., Rankins Springs	20	Watkins, T. A., Gloucester	12
Smith, J., Port Pirie	14	Trigger, L., Macarthur	15	Webb, Mrs J., Illawarra District	13
Stockwell, J., Chinchilla	15	Toll, M., Newcastle (UR)	15	Wilson, P., Lismore	17
Savra, G., SAGC	14	Taylor, D. R., Hobart*	23	Whyte, P., Grenfell	15
Stanmore, M., Griffith	18	Thomas, H., Inverell	16	Wembridge, A., Geelong*	21
Stuart, K., Victorian	14	Tomkins, A. J., Barcaldine	20	Watts, J. P., Morwell	14
Schirmen, A., Hay	13	Townsing, C., Maryborough	13	White, G., Geraldton	14
Simpson, B., Leeton	17	Thompson, P., Coffs Harbour	18	Walter, A. R., Callawadda	16
Smith, B., Queanbeyan/Canberra	14	Taylor, Mrs B. E., Callawadda	13	Winter, K. J., NEGGC	16
Stewart, L. S. R., Cunnamulla**	20	Varley, R., Guyra	25	Watchorn, R. D., SSAA Illawarra*	12
Scullion, J., Hamilton	13	Venables, L., Berridale	20	Yeo, M. B., Mendooran	14
Smith, I. G., Borellan	17	Verbis, E., Inter	15	Ziesemer, R., Condamine	16

Skeet Handicap Amendments

† Denotes Referee

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As received to
1st April, 1970

Bentley, C., Newcastle	9	Hood, J. E., Naracoorte	10	Omay, W., Newcastle	6
Crouch, E. L., Hawkesbury	10	Houlihan, J., Australian	5	Rawlinson, J., Hawkesbury	0
Clark, W., Hawkesbury	2	Kentish, F. F., Mt. Gambier	5	Ralston, A., SAGC	3
Copping, C. F., Naracoorte	8	Kimber, R., SAGC	0	Roberts, B., Melbourne†	0
England, C., Mt. Gambier	8	Lamond, P., Mt. Gambier	9	Schroeder, A., SAGC	4
Edgerton, D., Australian†	1	Murphy, J. D., Mt. Gambier	3	Thornton, R., Melbourne†	1
Gayland, H., Mt. Gambier	4	Macrow, P., SAGC	2	Williams, L. J., Mt. Gambier	5
Grey, F., SAGC	3	Neyland, P., Tyrendarra	9	Yoannidis, P. G., Mt. Gambier	3
Hayes, A., Hawkesbury	2				

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shoot-off. Kevin Perkins ran third with Bill Perkins, taking the front marker trophy.

Phil Lace continued his good form to win the handicap event from Kevin Perkins. S. Joice was third and Bill Perkins taking another front marker trophy.

As well as our usual shooters we were pleased to see Cec. Bartimote, from Cobar, and Brian Dunn, from Berridale.

(Stephen Joice, Hon. Sec.)

SYDNEY, 7/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine. Attendance: 49. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. DB EO: Twelve divided. No. 2—15-tgt. DB H'cap Rutty Shield: 1st, J. Dean; 2nd, F. Denza; 3rd, R. Hyatt; FM: T. Lydon. No. 3—Club Mixed Targets C'ship: 1st, R. Faunt; 2nd, H. Knight; 3rd, J. Bosco; FM: J. Sharples. No. 4—10-tgt. DB H'cap: Four divided.

We welcomed six new members to the club.

(John Dean, Hon. Sec.)

TAMWORTH, 8/3/70.—Weather conditions: Fine, but windy. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1—10-tgt. DB EO: Eight divided, 10/10. No. 2—20-tgt. DB Pts. Score: 20/60, G. Little, W. Holmes; 20/59, J. Lisle, R. Lamont. No. 3—20-tgt. SB: 19/20, K. Morris, W. Holmes; 18/20, S. McMaster, D. Cassin, B. Noble, R. Lamont. No. 4—5 Prs. D/R: 10/10, R. Melville; 9/10, S. McMaster, M. Cockran. No. 5—10 Prs. DD: 10/10, L. Bull/K. Richards; D. Colwell/K. Morris, M. Cockran/M. Ireland; P. Proudfoot/G. Little.

High Gun for the first four events was Bill Holmes on 56/60.

(W. Holmes, Hon. Sec.)

TAREE-WINGHAM, 22/2/70.—Weather conditions: Fine with south easterly breeze. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1—5-tgt. EO: Nine possibles. No. 2—10-tgt. SB S'takes: J. Goodsell and D. Blanch divided 1st and

2nd with 10/10; T. Rumbel, W. Harris, D. Samson divided 3rd with 9/10. No. 3—10-tgt. DB S'takes: J. Goodsell, W. Harris, D. Sansom, J. Sansom, D. Blanch each scored 10/10. No. 4—5-tgt. Ladies: J. Sansom, 3/5. No. 5—15-tgt. Mixed Event (5 SB, 5 DB, 5 Pts.): Three possible—J. Goodsell, T. Rumbel, B. Reid, 45/45. No. 6—5 Pr. D/R: T. Rumbel, D. Sansom shared 1st and 2nd place with 10/10; J. Goodsell 3rd, 9/10. No. 7—Novelty Event (Quail): J. Goodsell, T. Rumbel, J. Foley divided with 5/5. No. 8—5-tgt. Walk-up: R. Sky, 1st, 5/5; J. Goodsell, T. Rumbel, D. Blanch divided 2nd and 3rd, 4/5.

Although only a small number of shooters, which included three visitors from Gloucester Club, everyone had a lot of fun with a very relaxed shoot and all seemed to enjoy the novelty events. Mr Jack Goodsell was the best shooter of the day, closely followed by Terry Rumbel. Joe Foley and Ron Sky were very pleased with themselves when they actually shot a possible.

(R. M. Sky, Hon. Sec.)

WAGGA.—Weather conditions: Hot, no wind. Attendance: 34. Results: No. 1—5-Std. Tgts, DB H'cap EO: Nine possibles. No. 2—5-Std. Tgts off 20 yds.: Nine possibles. No. 3—H'cap Trophy Event, 15-tgts.: 1st, B. Rooke; 2nd, D. Dunbar; 3rd, A. Sheather; FM: B. Dowdell. No. 4—15-Std. Tgts. H'cap: Possibles shot by B. Rooke, M. Meigel, C. Lord, D. Dunbar. No. 5 10-Std. Tgts. H'cap: Possibles shot by J. Rodham, E. Vincent, A. J. Baker, R. Kiss.

This was the first shoot on the Club's new ground. A few minor "snags," but in general a very successful shoot, and a good opportunity to try out our equipment before the Commonwealth Double Barrel Championships later this month. Shooters from clubs such as Leeton, Cootamundra, Ganmain and Tumut attended. This is very encouraging, as also is the fact that there were ten new young "up and coming shooters."

(Miss P. Lydford, Hon. Sec.)



Keith Barker a Vice-President of the Perth Gun Club with the Club cat



Jules Steiner President of Perth Gun Club



View of the Perth Gun Club clubhouse and administration block (the new scoreboard is entirely under cover with the administration block).



A regular shooter at National Championships, Frank James of Kerang, Vic., shows his many club badges.



Winchester wins both Championship and Handicap events at the Nationals

For the first time ever Winchester were available at the Nationals and were used to win:

Australian National Double Rise Championship (N. Johnson, Ipswich, Qld.)
Grand Australian Handicap (B. Rooke, Wagga Wagga, N.S.W.)

Australian National Intermediate Double Barrel Championship (J. Bailey W.A.) *plus many other Championship places.*

Not bad for the first year. And we're proud that these winners were regular A.C.T.A. Members.

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