

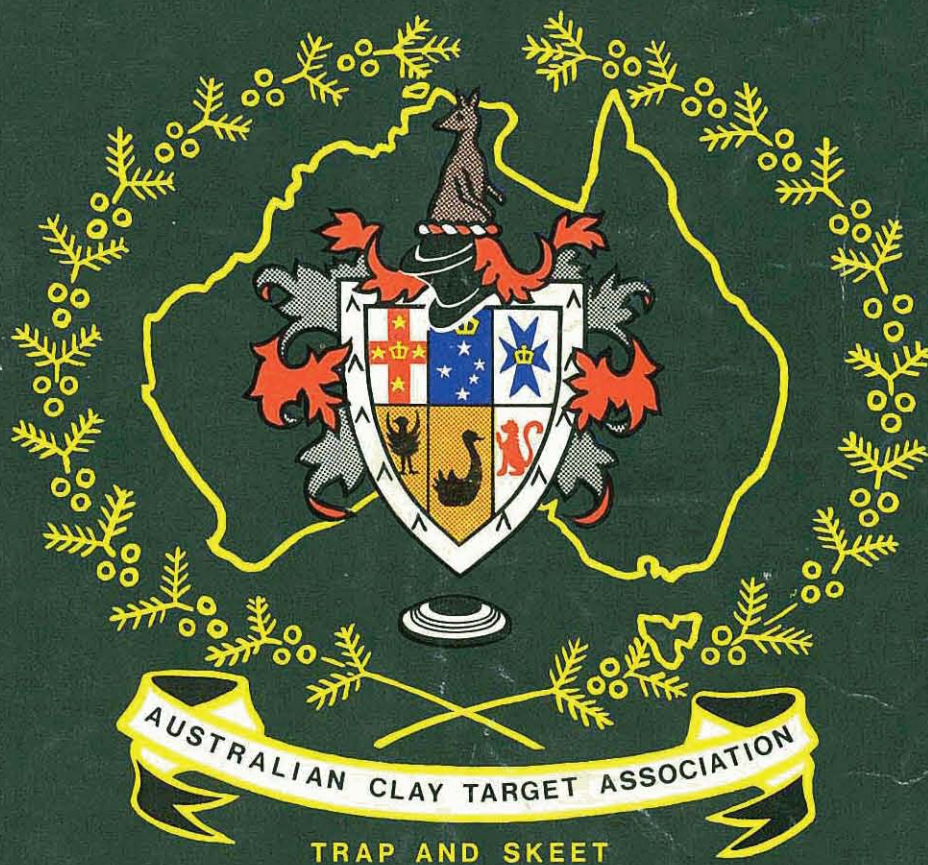
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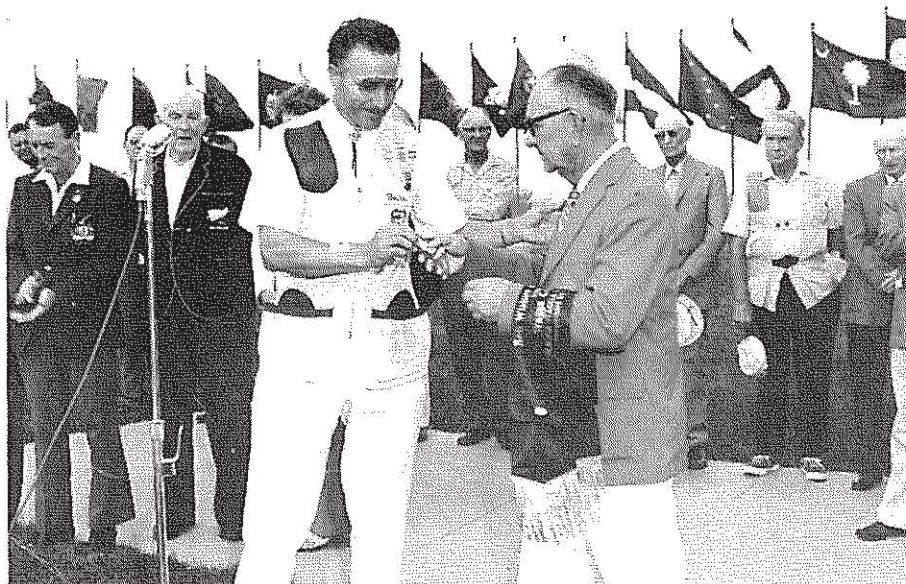
Right: Wagga Gun Club (NSW) Secretary, Gordon Allan (at right) presenting a commemorative sash from the Wagga Gun Club to Club President Mr Barney Rooke (at left) for safe transit to USA thence to be handed to the A.T.A. President during the A.T.A. 1973 Open Championships — which he did.



"Smoke gets in your eyes" and blurs the photo but from left to right at a barbecue at the Ontario tent at Vandalia — left to right — "Anonymous" Chef, Barney Rooke, Vin Ryan, Roy Foxworthy, Kathleen Rooke, John Bradbury (of Winchester/Australia; "Anonymous" USA shooter.



Scene at a get-together at Vandalia — from left to right — Australian Barney Rooke thence Americans Ray Jenner, Kathleen Rooke, Elgin Gates, Australian Vin Ryan, Americans Ruby Jenner (and seated) Dave Bolander (in real life is Indian Chief (NO-PEE) and his wife Matilda with their black dachshund — which incidentally plays a mouth organ!



A.T.A. President, Mr Marvin Driver (at right) having received the commemorative sash (seen over his left arm) from Wagga G.C. President, Mr Barney Rooke is seen receiving an especially produced sterling silver map-of-Australia commemorative badge, complete with small boomerang attached, from USA shooter Mr Elgin T. Gates, who himself has attended the 1971, 1972, 1973 Australian National Championships and has won the 1973 Australian National Double Rise Championship.

More pictures inside back cover.

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Our Cover

Depicts the newly adopted motif for the A.C.T.A. green reefer jacket. The motif shows our native golden Cootamundra wattle surrounding a map of Australia which contains the coats of arms of each Australian State. The coats of arms from left to right are those of New South Wales, Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, Western Australia and Tasmania.

Shown also for artistic purposes, is an Australian Aboriginal "Didgeridoo." A didgeridoo, an ancient aboriginal musical instrument is a hollow tube of wood some four or five feet long and about three inches in diameter. It is extended from the mouthpiece, held close against the mouth, with the lips inside it, to the toes which keep the other end raised just clear of the ground. It is a formidable-looking instrument and only few natives master the art of playing it properly.

Editor's Notes



REGISTERED SHOOTERS

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

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

FEES

Club secretaries are reminded that club 1974 affiliation fee of \$10 is due and payable on January 1, 1974.

All club shooter members are reminded that their 1974 Association fees are due and payable through their club secretaries on January 1, 1974.

These shooter registration fees are \$10 for the 1974 calendar year, whilst juniors are registered for \$1 for the year. Juniors receive a handicap card but do not receive any publications of ACTA Shooting News. Registered juniors seeking the publication must register for the full \$10. Irrespective of the class of registration fee, juniors are included in the ACTA Public Liability Insurance Policy as recently published — coverage is to \$200,000 — whilst the premium is borne by the A.C.T.A.

However, where registered A.C.T.A. persons have a common address, and are related, then on request only one copy of Shooting News is to be sent and a reduction of \$2 is permitted for the additional registered shooter at the time of registration.

As from 1974, no plastic sleeves will be available for A.C.T.A. handicap cards.

Only subscribers to A.C.T.A. "Shooting News" may send \$5 direct to the Secretary for "Shooting News" publications.

No pro rata rates are accepted and all fees are for the calendar year concerned.

April 1974 "Shooting News" will be mailed only to those financial — that is, those whose fees are actually received by the Secretary as of February 14, 1974.

As from Sept. 1973, all shooters not having paid the full \$10 annual registration fee are not being mailed further copies of the 1973 publications of A.C.T.A. "Shooting News." (See May, 1973, page 5).

In view of production costs and space content, apropos the recent scheduled increases in Australian postal rates, all further publications of the A.C.T.A. "Shooting News" will not contain lists of shooter registrations or handicap amendments but a full list of registrations will be published in the July publication each year.

Shooters who have not marked their cards with their progressive common mark scores throughout 1973 are to be classed by club secretaries as "A" Class shooters in the 1974 registration lists to be forwarded by club secretaries for A.C.T.A. processing.

Some shooters still tend to think in terms of money values and not in the terms or spirit of the competition. A number of shooters have found a wide divergence of their respective handicap rating and their common mark class. This may be so, as the two forms of shooting are quite different in their methods of action and also in their methods of calculation.

NOMINATIONS FOR 1974 OFFICES IN A.C.T.A.

All interested shooters are hereby notified that nominations for all offices in the Association close at 5 p.m. on Monday, December 31, 1973. Nominations must be lodged on the prescribed form with the Secretary, A.C.T.A., G.P.O. Box 2038S, Melbourne, 3001, Victoria. Any nominations received after this hour or date will not be accepted. Nomination forms are available from the Secretary, A.C.T.A. Nomination forms are only available on application.

Those lodging nominations are reminded that such nominations must be lodged in accordance with Article 27 of the Association Constitution, which reads: "Nominations for all offices in the Association and members of the Executive Committee must be in writing signed by the Secretary of the member Club or by the DELEGATE member of an unincorporated club making the nomination, and must reach the Secretary of the Association on or before December 31, in each year prior to the Annual General Meeting."

It is advised that private nominations will be rejected. Nominations received must have the official backing of the club and be approved by the Committee of the member club concerned.

These nominations will be published in February 1974, A.C.T.A. "Shooting News."

The 1973 Interstate Trap Teams' Match was won by the Tasmanian Team with the combined team score of 1457:1500 points, and elsewhere in this publication are the full details.

The 1973 Interstate Skeet Teams' Match was won by the Victorian State Team with the combined score of 470:500 broken targets. Full details are listed elsewhere within this publication.

Apropos Australia's preparations for the 1973 World Shooting Championships scheduled this month, as hereunder, at the Melbourne Gun Club, near Lilydale, Victoria, all States conducted their area eliminations seeking their top shooters in Olympic style shooting and it is an A.C.T.A. requirement that all shooters contesting the elimination events for the 1973 World Shooting Championships and the 1974 Commonwealth Games, ensure that they have each complied with the provisions of amateur status.

As most such host area clubs do not have the required 15-fixed-trap "Olympic Trench" system, almost all clubs used special single oscillating traps to throw targets to the required distances. One (Mildura) used a five-fixed traps system, two used 15-trap trench systems (Melbourne and Hobart).

Many of our top shooters gathered at Melbourne G.C. from 24 to 27 September to have further practice or to seek satisfactory scores to be eligible for the final eliminations in either Trench or Skeet at the Melbourne G.C. over October 5/6/7.

Over October 5/6/7:—

(a) some 64 shooters contested the final I.S.U. Trench elimination of 300 targets and these shooters hailed from: Victoria: 36, New South Wales: 16, Queensland: 3, Western Australia: 2, Tasmania: 7, South Australia: Nil.

(b) some 18 shooters contested the final I.S.U. Skeet elimination of 300 targets and these shooters hailed from: Victoria: 10, New South Wales: 4, Western Australia: 3, Tasmania: 1, Queensland: Nil, South Australia: Nil.

From this final elimination programme, two sets of Australian shotgun shooters were required;

(1) For the Xth British Commonwealth Games at Christchurch, New Zealand with the clay target, shotgun shooting section being conducted at Yaldhurst between January 25 and February 1—

Two "trap" shooters and two "skeet" shooters are required and those selected are:

TRAP

1. Douglas Smith of Brisbane G.C. (Qld).
2. Warren Charlton of Wagga Wagga (NSW).

SKEET

1. Mark Little (age 17 years) of Melbourne G.C. (Vic).
2. Robin Bailey of Perth G.C. (WA).

NOTE: That the Commonwealth Games Trapshooting is to be conducted over a single electric trap of I.S.U. specifications.

(2) For the 1973 World Moving Target Championships (Clay Target Section) Friday/Saturday/Sunday of November 16/17/18 in the Trench Championships thence Tuesday/Wednesday/Thursday of November 20/21/22 in the Skeet Championships.

The Australian Selectees are:

TRENCH: 4 plus 1 reserve.

Douglas Smith of Brisbane G.C. (Q), Warren Charlton of Wagga Wagga G.C. (NSW), Peter Wray of Melbourne G.C. (V), Ken Lowry of Metropolitan G.C. (V) and Jim Ellis of South West G.C. (WA).

SKEET: 4 plus 1 reserve.

Mark Little (age 17) of Melbourne G.C. (V), Robin Bailey of Perth G.C. (WA), Christopher Carroll (age 21) of Melbourne G.C. (V), Maurice Quirk of Hawkesbury G.C. (NSW), Doctor Graham Carroll of Melbourne G.C. (V).

Teams Captain/Manager: R. (Bob) Buchan.

These shooters selectees continue to practice Trench shooting till Thursday November 15 when each team of 4 is selected and nominated to the A.C.T.A./Melbourne Gun Club Administrative Committee which will act with and for the International Shooting Union officials who will be present from the European headquarters.

The names and scores of the individual leaders at the October 5, 6 and 7 I.S.U. Trench and I.S.U. Skeet eliminations were:—



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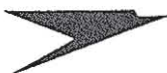
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TRENCH

1. Douglas Smith of Brisbane G.C. (Q) 282:300.
2. Warren Charlton of Wagga Wagga G.C. (NSW) 274.
3. Peter Wray of Melbourne G.C. (V) 273.
4. Ken Lowry of Metropolitan G.C. (V) 271.
5. Jim Ellis of South West G.C. (WA) 270.
6. Paul Marshall of Hobart G.C. (Tas) 267.
7. Rob Whykes of Morwell G.C. (V) 266.
8. John Green of Korumburra G.C. (V) 265.
9. Brian Mark of Sebastopol G.C. (V) 264.
10. Doug Colwell of Tamworth G.C. (NSW) 264.
11. Kevin Heywood of Warren G.C. (NSW) 264.
12. Fred Heinze of Horsham G.C. (V) 263.
13. Sperry Marshall of Hobart G.C. (Tas) 262.
14. Max Howell of Dundonnell G.C. (V) 261.
15. M. (Pud) Burgess of Cobar G.C. (NSW) 261.
16. Peter Bortolin of NSWGC (NSW) 261.
17. W. (Bill) Hailes of Melbourne G.C. (V) 261.
18. A. (Tony) Romanello of NSWGC (NSW) 261.
19. Lyle Mitchell of Metropolitan G.C. (V) 259.
20. R. (Bob) Morgan of Hobart G.C. (Tas) 259.

SKEET

1. Mark Little of Melbourne G.C. (V) 273:300.
2. Robin Bailey of Perth G.C. (WA) 271.
3. Christopher Carroll of Melbourne G.C. (V) 261.
4. Maurice Quirk of Sutton Forest G.C. (NSW) 260.
5. Doctor Graham Carroll of Melbourne G.C. (V) 259.
6. Ernest Hawkins of Hawkesbury G.C. (NSW) 258.
7. Don Jones of Hobart G.C. (Tas.) 257.
8. John (Jnr) Summers (age 15 years) Melbourne G.C. (V) 257.
9. R. (Bob) Wilson of Victorian G.C. (V) 256.
10. Richard Aquilina of NSWGC (NSW) 250.
11. Neville Moore of Melbourne G.C. (V) 248.
12. Steve Bell of Melbourne G.C. (V) 247.
13. Larry Teague of Melbourne G.C. (V) 239.
14. John Nelson of Melbourne G.C. (V) 230.
15. Richard Carroll of Melbourne G.C. (V) 216.

Several outstanding instances clamour to be recorded — some of these shooters had actually travelled thousands of miles merely to enter the qualifying rounds seeking a possible entry into these final eliminations — Mark Little is a 17-year-old salesman who started trapshooting in December 1972 thence took to skeet shooting in April 1973 — Doctor Graham Carroll was shooting with his two student sons, Christopher age 21 and Richard age 15. It is believed an Australian record of note that father and son—Graham the 44 year old extremely popular medical practitioner and his 21 year old student son Christopher achieved final selection from Australia's top skeet shooters. Christopher started shooting in 1964 and has achieved a first in Australia's National Double Rise Championship which he followed up by being runner-up in the Australian National Double Barrel Championship.

For other than contestants and officials at the 1973 World Shooting Championships:—

1. There will be an official programme available on sale at 50 cents per copy.

2. (a) There will be an admittance charge to the shotgun/clay target section of the championships of \$1.00 per person or \$7.00 for a season ticket over the series.

(b) There will be an admittance charge of \$20 to the "Running Boar" section of the World Moving Target Championships at Springvale.

(c) Neither of these two admittances for either clay target or running boar are interchangeable.

The following alphabetically listed nominations for the 1973 World Shooting Championships (Clay Target Section) have been lodged as at October 1st:

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|------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. Australia. | 13. Mexico (doubtful). |
| 2. Belgium (doubtful). | 14. New Zealand. |
| 3. Canada. | 15. Pakistan. |
| 4. Eastern Germany. | 16. Papua New Guinea. |
| 5. Eire. | 17. Phillipines. |
| 6. England. | 18. Singapore. |
| 7. France. | 19. South Korea. |
| 8. Holland. | 20. Spain. |
| 9. Hong Kong. | 21. Sweden. |
| 10. India. | 22. Thailand. |
| 11. Italy. | 23. USSR. |
| 12. Malaysia. | 24. USA. |
| | 25. Western Germany. |

Australia may select (1) a team of four trench shotgunners plus one reserve, totalling five trench shooters.

(2) A team of four skeet shotgunners plus one reserve totalling five skeet shooters.

Each team member shoots in the World Championships, at 150 targets being two rounds each of 75 targets per team member over two days. Thus, each nation has a team score which will decide the winning nation. However, additionally there is an individual champion and to achieve this, from the teams best scorers, the top individual scorers then shoot at a further 50 targets and the highest individual scorer of these — now 200 targets — becomes the 1973 World Champion Trench or Skeet Shooter, winning his appropriate Trench or Skeet gold medal. There are also silver and bronze medals for the second and third placegetters respectively.

The programme(s) for the 1973 World Championships (Moving Targets is/are being conducted, with ISU approval, by the respective Associations:

TRAP AND SKEET

Combined Opening Ceremony	Monday	Nov. 12
Practice	Tuesday	Nov. 13
Practice	Wednesday	Nov. 14
Practice	Thursday	Nov. 15
Teams and individual Events	Friday and Saturday	Nov. 16 Nov. 17

Individual Events	Sunday	Nov. 18
Free Day	Monday	Nov. 19
Skeet Teams and Individual Events	Tuesday	Nov. 20
Skeet Teams and Individual Events	Wednesday	Nov. 21
Skeet Teams and Individual Events	Thursday	Nov. 22
Combined Closing Ceremony	P.M. Thursday	Nov. 22

Venue — Melbourne Gun Club, some 30m (48.3km) east of Melbourne in the Shire of Lilydale — travel Maroondah Highway (Highway 34) from Melbourne, thence at top of Albert Hill, just before Lilydale, turn left (north) into Victoria Road and proceed 5m (8.05km) into the club grounds.

RUNNING BOAR

Combined Opening Ceremony	Monday	Nov. 12
Practice	Tuesday	Nov. 13
Practice	Wednesday	Nov. 14
Practice	Thursday	Nov. 15
Teams and Individual Events	Friday	Nov. 16
Teams and Individual Events	Saturday	Nov. 17
Free Day	Sunday	Nov. 18
Mixed Runs	Monday	Nov. 19
Mixed Runs	Tuesday	Nov. 20
Free Day	Wednesday	Nov. 21

Venue — Sporting Shooters' Association at Springvale, Victoria, some 15m (24km) south-east of Melbourne along Princes Highway (Highway 1)—known also as Dandenong Road. Grounds then on left, opposite Sandown racecourse.

(NOTE: As of July 1974 all Australian road signs will be expressed in kilometres.)

In general competition shooting there are basically two different types of shooting, and, irrespective of the types of firearms (either pistol, rifle or shotgun), the targets used are either "fixed position" or "moving" targets.

The Moving Target Section of Olympic or International Shooting Union embraces:

(a) Clay Pigeon shooting, where the target size simulates the body structure of a pigeon in flight — minus the wings and feathers. Firearms used are 12 gauge shotguns.

(b) Running Boar shooting — this is simulated field shooting at a paper target sized 51 inches × 29 inches, being a coloured replica of a full-sized European Wild Boar, with scoring rings superimposed over the heart/lung area. The target travels back and

forward, on an open run, over a 10 metre opening and each shooter at a range of 50 metres has to fire a shot on each run, using a special running boar .22 Rimfire rifle. The match is of 30 slow and 30 fast runs per shooter.

Slow = boar covers 10 metres (30 feet) in 5 seconds.

Fast = boar covers 10 metres (30 feet) in 2½ seconds.

The aiming point is approximately 27 inches ahead of the bullseye, depending on the ammunition used.

Both of these types of shooting were included in the 1973 Moving Target allocations to the Australian Shooting Association, two of whose members are the Australian Clay Target Association and the Sporting Shooters' Association of Australia.

The Clay Target Section will be conducted by the Australian Clay Target Association at its member club, the Melbourne Gun Club situated some 30 road miles (48.3 kilometres) east of Melbourne in the Shire of Lilydale and more specifically described as — travel from Maroondah Highway (Highway 34) from Melbourne, thence when reaching the top of Albert Hill, just before the township of Lilydale, turn left at Victoria Road and proceed five miles (some 8 kilometres) due north where the road terminates in the gun club property.

The Running Boar section will be conducted at Springvale which is 15 road miles (24 kilometres) south-east of Melbourne along Princes Highway (Highway 1). The complex is situated on the north side of the highway immediately east of the overpass to Sandown Racecourse — this section is conducted by the Sporting Shooters' Association.

Each of such Moving Target Championships are being conducted by the Associations concerned as separate ventures within the combined programme as submitted to, and agreed by the International Shooting Union.

NOTE: from Mildura Gun Club (Vic) — "Our club members have shown tremendous interest in the shooting of five traps trench and there is evidence of this interest continuing for some time to come."

"It is no doubt a little expensive when being shot over one hundred and also fifty target rounds, but I feel this will even out after the completion of World Championships and twenty-five target events are organised making it more acceptable to the general run of shooters."

At Melbourne Gun Club — visitors Doug Smith and others "I like this 'phono-pull' as it eliminates all slow or fast pull problems and is instantaneous."

Melbourne G.C. President Mr Bob Buchan announced during the I.S.U. preliminary eliminations that the Federal Government had indicated a cash donation, with more to follow to assist the Melbourne Gun Club preparations for the 1973 World Championships. A like amount is to be donated to the Sporting Shooters Association for the Running Boar section of the World Championships.

The Opening Ceremony for the 1973 World Shooting Championships will be at Melbourne Gun Club from 10.30 a.m. on Monday November 12, and on the dais for this ceremony will be the State Governor of Victoria Sir Rohan Delacombe with his A.D.C., the Victorian Premier, Mr R. Hamer, members of Parliament Messrs. Brian Dixon and Sam Luxford, the Lilydale Shire President, I.S.U. President Dr. Haseler, A.S.A. President Mr Armstrong, A.O.F. President Sir Edgar Tanner (maybe), A.C.T.A. President Mr G. H. Hall.

The Closing Ceremony for the 1973 World Championships will be at the grounds of the Sporting Shooters' Association at Springvale during the afternoon of Thursday, November 22 — at a time to be decided.

English is the official language of the International Shooting Union.

The A.C.T.A. Executive Committee met in Melbourne over September 10, 11, 12 of 1973, to discuss all matters of clay target shooting in Australia.

The following items are motions, or extracts of motions, as described by the Executive Committee.

1. An A.C.T.A. fund has been established to support the 1973 World Shooting Championships and Commonwealth Games shotgun teams and the fund is to be used for uniforms/badges (gold, silver, bronze), master awards, etc., to be won by the Australian and International Shooters.

(Note: Some cheques and some cash have been lodged with A.C.T.A. to commence this fund and the respective donors seek no personal recognition but merely that the fund be an "A.C.T.A. fund" for the above purpose.) Further donations would be appreciated. Figure at this stage is \$139.50. Donations to the Secretary, A.C.T.A., G.P.O. Box 2038S, Melbourne marked "for Australian Teams Fund."

2. The 1975 Australian National Clay Target Championships will be conducted at the Tasmanian Gun Club at Launceston, Tasmania, during March, 1975. The actual dates will be decided and made public during the 1974 National Championships at Melbourne, Victoria.

3. The 1974 Australian National Clay Target Championships both trap and skeet will be conducted at the Melbourne Gun Club, near Lilydale, Victoria within the period Wednesday March 6 to Wednesday, March 13, with one national event daily excepting Sunday which will be a free day. The daily sequence of events will be Skeet, Double Rise, Grand Handicap, Double Barrel, Free Day, Single Barrel; ANZ Points Decision; thence on the last day will be the International Trap Teams' Match and the Champion of Champions event. The grounds will have 7 x DTL trap layouts of which one will be retained as a spare and for practice shooting. Four of these layouts are superimposed with skeet layouts. \$300 value compulsory division handicap events will be conducted if time is available during the programme.

4. The further arrangements for the 1974 National Championships are:—

Host Club	Saturday	March 2
No Shooting	Sunday	March 3
Host Club	Monday	March 4
Practice	Tuesday	March 5
Skeet	Wednesday	March 6
Double Rise	Thursday	March 7
Grand H'cap	Friday	March 8
Double Barrel	Saturday	March 9
Free Day	Sunday	March 10
ANZ DB Pts.	Monday	March 11
Single Barrel	Tuesday	March 12
Inter. Teams' Match followed by Ch. of Champions Event		
	Wednesday	March 13

5. Within the 1974 National programme there will be an Allan Brown Club Trap Teams' Match — open to teams of five from any one club; \$5 nomination per team of 5; special nomination form to be lodged the day prior to the event; scores to be taken from the ANZ Points Scoring Championship; winning team to receive an open order for \$15.00 for sporting goods; that the Allan Brown Perpetual Trophy, as donated, be used for this event and winning club names to be inscribed on the trophy which is to be held by A.C.T.A.

6. National Programme Trophy values will be credited to the shooters concerned by a sliding scale within each event as for 1973 — each class will receive the same amounts in each of the A, B, C Classes with appropriate amounts to the first five class places only, or to the first fifteen places in the Champion of Champions — or as listed within the Grand Handicap or skeet events.

7. The 1974 Grand Australian Handicap will be of \$1000 value overall, divided: 1st \$400, 2nd \$200, 3rd \$100, thence to those not having won any other award, \$30 to the best of 12-13, 14-15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21-23, 24-27 yarders and \$30 to the best lady shooter providing that a minimum of three lady competitors contest the event.

8. Melbourne Gun Club as the host venue is permitted to conduct events, yet to be decided, on Saturday March 2, Monday March 4 thence skeet practice may be conducted on Tuesday March 5 till 3 p.m. No shooting on Sunday March 3.

9. Meetings during the National Championship period—

9.1 The Executive Committee will meet from 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. on Tuesday March 5 at the Croydon Hotel, Maroondah Highway, Croydon. Phone: 870-9344.

9.2 National Marshals and Referees are required to meet at the Melbourne Gun Club at 4.30 p.m. Tuesday March 5 for rules interpretations/instructions with Executive Committeemen Messrs. Biggs, Holtfreter, Hawkins, Rowe, Mules and Smith present. Trap referees will be

rostered as line referees for the skeet event. (Shoot Marshals throughout the programme will be as for 1973.)

9.3 A "Get-together Buffet Dinner" will be held on Tuesday night, March 5 from 7.30 p.m. to 10.00 p.m. at the Croydon Hotel, Maroondah Highway, Croydon. Admission only by entree ticket available from A.C.T.A. office at the Melbourne Gun Club before 5 p.m. — price \$3.50 per head. Beverages to be paid for by those concerned C.O.D.

9.4 An open referee discussion meeting may be held at 5 p.m. on Thursday, March 7 at the Melbourne Gun Club after the National Double Rise Championship — to be chaired by Executive Committeeman Mr Noel Massey, with Messrs. Hawkins, Burgess, Bobson, Holtfreter present. Entrance charge: NIL.

9.5 The 38th Association Annual General Meeting will be held at the Croydon Hotel, Maroondah Highway, Croydon on Friday night, March 8, from 8.00 p.m. or as advised.

9.6 A "Trophy Presentation Night" will be held at the Croydon Hotel, Maroondah H'way, Croydon, Wednesday March 13 from 8 p.m. Trophies to be presented will be the High Gun Trophies and Cup plus the Champion of Champions Cup. These presentations will be followed by a "Buffet Supper" at 9 p.m. for which admission will only be by entrance ticket purchased from A.C.T.A. office at the Melbourne Gun Club price \$2.50 per head. Beverages to be paid for by those concerned C.O.D.

Within these 1974 National Championships the following amendments or clarifying descriptions have been described —

10. National Double Rise Championship to be class shooting and to be shot 5 pairs from each trap successively over a 5 trap layout.

11. National Champion of Champions event to be shot as an open event with trophies 1st to 15th placegetters. (i.e. not as a graded event).

12. That there be no shoot-offs for 4th/5th, or further placings throughout the national events.

13. All National Championship Sweepstakes to be compulsory entry but distribution as in Rule 96 = 60 per cent to 1st; 30 per cent to 2nd; 10 per cent to 3rd. The nomination for each event will include the sweepstake entries.

14. That throughout the national programme that there be a \$30 trophy value to the best lady shooter providing that a minimum of three lady competitors contest the event.

15. All trap squads to be of six shooters, with each shooter moving one lane with every target.

16. Clay Targets will be colour BLACK.

17. Trophies will be presented daily at the conclusion of each event thence on the last day that all high gun trophies plus the Champion of Champions Cup be presented at the trophy presentation meeting prior to supper.

18. A.C.T.A. office will be open 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Tuesday March 4 being the day prior to the nationals programme commencement, to accept signed shooter nominations for the first day's event and also for successive daily events. All nominations will be shuffled before being squadded for each event. Nomination forms will be provided for shooter completion and lodging.

19. A.C.T.A. will permit daily trap practice shooting — subject to trap availability — limited to 20 targets per shooter at the time of the ticket sale. Practice targets being 10 cents each.

20. Gunsmithing facilities will be provided by Evans and Balfour Pty. Ltd., of Melbourne who are accredited Olympic gunsmiths.

21. Shooters missing a squad will be placed only in the final squad(s) and subsequently, having missed that squad, the shooter missing the first re-allocation forfeits his nomination.

22. Event shoot-offs to be conducted, over traps to be specified, in the order of—

(a) best overall of the event who is also best in his class;

(b) best in each of classes A, B, C to achieve 1st, 2nd, 3rd placings in each class but no shoot-offs for 4th or 5th placings.

23. Cartridges will be sold at \$3.00 per packet of 25, and case lots will be available at \$58.00 per carton of 500 — by the ticket method as for the 1973 nationals.

24. Cartridges of 1½ ounce (32 grams) loading to be branded by manufacturers "A.C.T.A. National Championships/Melbourne/1974" and in any national championship only such especially branded cartridges of that current year and venue are permitted.

25. Referee, scorer and each contestant of each squad sign as to the recording of the respective scores as they are completed and before anyone leaves the layout.

26. A daily Jury of three Executive Committeemen will be appointed the day previous and listed on the notice board accordingly.

27. Empty shotshells on the ground are the property of the A.C.T.A. and may be consequently purchased from the marshals by means of tickets purchased from A.C.T.A. office at \$2.00 per cartridge carton or \$4 per small clay target carton.

28. Daytime use caravans are permitted on the grounds only on application by manufacturers and A.C.T.A. Caravan parks exist at Lilydale, Croydon and Healesville.

29. A light aircraft field is adjacent to the east of the Melbourne Gun Club — distant one mile direct or three miles by road.

30. Official travel agents are Ansett Airlines of Australia.

31. New Zealand shooter entrants be accepted for class shooting as: 11-12 yarders and beginners within 12 months: shoot C Class; 13-15 yarders: shoot B Class; 16 yarders and back: shoot A Class.

32. Skeet—that every shooter when approaching for the first time, be allowed to look at, or to shoot at, both a high and a low target from station one without endangering any “break” score. He must then commence his part of the competition and may subsequently similarly sight a high and a low target from number one station of the second layout.

33.1 1974 National Championship High Gun Trophies will be:—

A “Browning” U/O shotgun to the best overall programme high gun scorer (i.e. trap events plus skeet event).

33.2 A Winchester U/O shotgun to the best overall scorer in the trap events.

33.3 An SKB U/O shotgun to the higher scorer in the remaining two grades of trap.

33.4 A Beretta U/O shotgun to the highest scorer in the third remaining class of the trap events.

33.5 A Luigi-Franchi U/O (skeet) shotgun to the highest scorer in the skeet event.

34. The 1973 National Championship programme will be advertised as such in the December 1973 and February 1974 publications of A.C.T.A. “Shooting News.”

35. On the foreseeable size of our national programmes the optimum layout is to be a minimum of six down-the-line trap layouts, with a further one as spare, plus a minimum of three but preferably four skeet layouts.

GENERAL

36. Any further considerations for the possible appointment of Referee Examiners are withheld pending research into the matter.

37. Within the Official I.S.U. rules as printed there will be—

(a) National and State Title Championships over a single International Trap.

(b) National and State Title Championships over Olympic Trench layouts.

38. Plastic sleeves for handicap cards will not be available from 1-1-1974.

39. All registrations and handicap/class amendments have now ceased being published monthly and they will appear as an up-to-date listing in the July publications in future.

40. Within Rule 27 — No dates are to be granted by A.C.T.A. to any member club prior to October 31, for the following years' programmes.

41.1 Annual registration fee of junior shooters remains unchanged at \$1.00 per calendar year for which a handicap card is issued but no copies of the monthly publication will be issued.

41.2 Annual registration for senior shooters is \$10.00 per calendar year.

41.3 For the 1974 calendar year — “where registered A.C.T.A. shooters have a common address

and are related that, on request, only one copy of the “Shooting News” be sent and a reduction of \$2.00 be permitted for the additional shooter at the time of registration.”

41.4 As from September 1973, all shooters not having paid the full \$10 annual registration fee are not being mailed further copies of the 1973 publications of ACTA Shooting News (see May 1973, page 5).

TRAP RULES

42. Rule 11(b) — amend to read “no release trigger guns are henceforth permitted on any registered member-club ground within the A.C.T.A.”

43. Existing Rule 15 be called 15(a) and a new section be added as 15(b) — “A competitor may appeal against the decision of the referee in regard to interpretation and application of these rules. The competitor shall advise the referee before he leaves the shooting tracks that he intends to appeal, and, immediately upon completing his run over the traps the competitor shall lodge a written appeal and \$2 forfeit with the management. The management shall enlist the aid of at least three, including any Executive Committee Members, Referee Examiners or Official Referees on the grounds, to examine the matter, and, should the competitor's appeal be upheld, his forfeit shall be returned and the correct ruling shall be applied to the target appealed against. Should the appeal be disallowed the forfeit shall be paid to the club concerned. There shall be no appeal against a referee's decision in regard to whether a target is legal or whether it has been missed.”

44. Rule 27(a)(i) — Last sentence should read “. . . and Interstate Teams' Matches host clubs must advertise this and the date of holding.”

45. Rule 96(b) — First sentence to be amended to read: “In all events for prizes or trophies advertised as other than cash distribution, the places shall be decided by shoot-off, unless the shoot-off contestants unanimously agree to divide.”

46. Rule 100(h) — Existing wording to be cancelled and replaced with: “Shooters may compete in one grade only. At the time of re-registration, or after 500 appropriate targets have been shot at during the year, a shooter may elect to be graded in a class higher than his performance indicates. He must then retain this class until he shoots a further 500 targets or until he re-registers.”

47. Rule 100(h)—It is NOTED for information that concerning this rule sub-section that no free clay targets are available to host clubs in future but that free cartridges for the match team members may be made available on the shooting grounds by the respective cartridge manufacturers.

48. Rule 100(j) — Add additional sentence: “In any event in which any competitor is shooting for a sweepstake or prize the scores of these competitors in the event who are shooting for ‘targets only’ shall be used for handicapping purposes.”

49. A.C.T.A. down-the-line and skeet rules to be converted to the metric system of weights and measurements as from January 1, 1975.

50. Under the metric system, the handicap marks will be in one metre intervals from 11 to 25 metres inclusive on shooting lanes one metre wide radiating out from the trap at the same angles as existing shooting lanes.

51. Rule 114 — Delete "Browning" and replace with "National" and that the rule commence as: "National Trap High Gun trophies shall be determined from the highest overall scorers in each grade in the six major trap event . . ." etc., to the end of the existing rule.

SKEET RULES

53. Rule 11 becomes 11(a) and a new Rule 11(b) added: "11(b) — no release trigger guns are henceforth permitted on any registered member-club ground within the A.C.T.A."

54. Rule 16 becomes 16(a) and a new rule 16(b) added: "16(b) — a competitor may appeal against the decision of the referee in regard to interpretation and application of these rules. The competitor shall advise the referee before he leaves the shooting tracks that he intends to appeal, and, immediately upon completing his run over the traps the competitor shall lodge a written appeal and \$2 forfeit with the management. The management shall enlist the aid of at least three, including any Executive Committee Members, Referee Examiners or Official Referees on the grounds to examine the matter and should the competitor's appeal be upheld his forfeit shall be returned and the correct ruling shall be applied to the target appealed against. Should the appeal be disallowed the forfeit shall be paid to the club concerned. There shall be no appeal against a referee's decision in regard to whether a target is legal or whether it has been missed."

55. Rule 28 — add additional sentence: "In any event in which any competitor is shooting for a sweepstake or prize the scores of these competitors in the event who are shooting for 'targets only' shall be used for handicapping purposes."

56. Rule 62 — delete the words "misfire or".

57. Rule 105(j)—It is NOTED for information that concerning this rule sub-section that no free clay targets are available to host clubs in future but that free cartridges for the match team members may be made available on the shooting grounds by the respective cartridge manufacturers.

58. Rule 110(j) — The full stop at the end of Rule 110(j) is to be replaced with a comma and the words "calculated to the nearest whole number" are to be added.

59. Rule 110(k) — Add new sentence "See Rule 28 concerning 'targets only' scores to be used for handicapping."

(Editor's comment concerning Pages 11/12 "A Visit to the Grand American.")

Shooter Barney Rooke of 55 Murray Street, Wagga Wagga 2650, is keen to promote a 1974 Pacific and North American Safari for Australian trapshooters taking in the ATA National Championships at Vandalia, Ohio in August 1974, departing Sydney early August for a 25-day sightseeing and shooting safari.

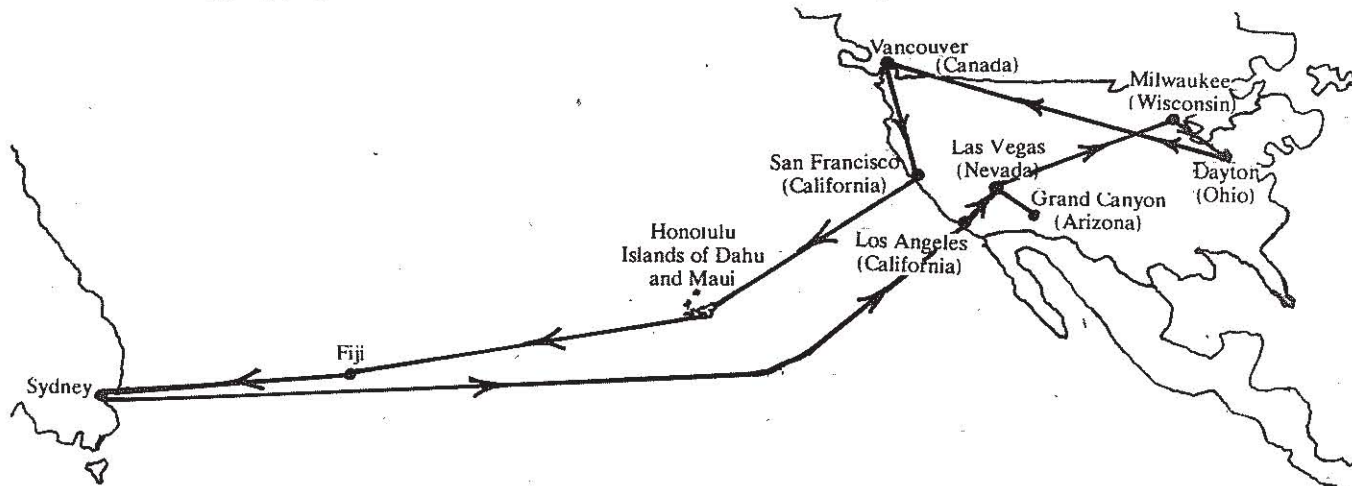
The cost of the above proposed tour based on 15 persons would cost each such person about \$1,000. However, if say 30 go, then the cost would be reduced slightly.

Included in these estimates are: all air transport, all ground transport to and from airports to motels, listed sightseeing tours and accommodation.

Not included are shooting expenses estimated at \$350 per person which would cover both nominations and ammunition.

All interested shooters should consider contacting shooter Barney Rooke direct, as soon as possible, as more definite details must then be obtained and finalised.

Proposed route of the considered 25-day all inclusive 1974 Pacific and North American Safari for Australian trapshooters.



A visit to the Grand American

After travelling some 20,000 miles by air, bus and car over some five weeks we arrived home with a great deal of experience behind us and many memories that we will never forget.

Our first experience to their shooting was in Vancouver, Canada. Here we were met by Deb Oliver and his wife, Alma and taken to the Vancouver Gun Club. This Club has 12 trap layouts plus skeet. Here we shot some 150 practice targets. On the Sunday Deb took us to the North Shore Skeet Club for a registered shoot. This Gun Club has the worst background of any club you would find in the world. It is cut out of the Pine Forest. The trees are some 60 feet high and grow from approximately the 60 yds mark from the trap and they are so thick they have to use white clays all the time. Vin Ryan shot a 97:100 which was a good score remembering that all events are shot single barrel. Although Vin's score was beaten by 2×99:100's and 1×98's was a creditable performance. The Canadian rules are the same as the American except for one rule — If a broken target comes out and you fire at it you abide by the result.

It was a sad day when we had to leave Vancouver. We could not have been treated better had we been royalty. Deb and Alma Oliver, Wilf and Carol Bing we will never forget for their hospitality.

From Vancouver we travelled some 2,200 miles to Milwaukee where we were met by Vic and Tommy Reinders. All Australian shooters will remember Vic for his Double Rise shooting at Adelaide and using a pump gun and also registering his 500,000th registered target through the gun. Vic and Tommy immediately took us to the Waukesha Gun Club which is Vic's pride and joy. This club has 29 trap and 5 skeet layouts. During their State shoot 273 5-man teams competed. We were unable to shoot at this club as it was late evening and Vic was leaving early the next morning for Dayton, some 400 miles to drive. We had business all the next day.

We arrived at Dayton Airport at approximately 4.30 on the Thursday afternoon and here we were met by Roy and Betty-Ann Foxworthy, only to find Betty-Ann on crutches. (She had torn a tendon in her ankle). We were taken straight to the Gun Club and this was the greatest sight a shooter could see. 1½ miles of traps including 10 practice traps (as a matter of interest these 10 practice traps took in \$36,000 over the program). Roy and Betty-Ann showed us the Hall of Fame, nomination procedures, etc. Friday morning saw us going through the procedure membership of the A.T.A., being graded and squadded for the first event and this took no more than 20 minutes. Both Vin and myself were graded A Class and 25 yds for Handicap. No new shooter is allowed to shoot at the Grand less than A Class and 25 yds for Handicap. Our

first squad was No. 42 for 100 targets on 16 yds and followed by 100 International Targets. All events shot in the USA are of 100 targets shot over 4 traps straight through. When each shooter nominates he draws the number squad he wants and also the position he wishes to start, 1-5. No. 1 shooter is the leader of the squad and before starting he asks the squad if everyone is ready and he also acts as a check scorer. A girl, usually a college student, does the pulling, scoring and refereeing and they leave nothing to be desired in their efficiency. If you receive a slow or fast pull providing you do not shoot you receive another target, but if you shoot you abide by the result. No baulks or targets are given except in extreme circumstances. Their traps are much closer together than ours and quite often there are two targets travelling close together. Although this is a distraction you soon get used to it. During one of the Double Rise events I shot 2 targets with the one shot, the other target was from the next layout.

Their target size, the height and distance are near enough to the same as ours. The main difference being the angles. They shoot 22 degrees using all Winchester Traps and set in the No. 3 hole. You may think this is an easy target, certainly it is not as great an angle as ours but next time you are at your club try No. 3 hole and use Single Barrel over 100 targets. The average Australian shooter would be lucky to break 90 per cent at his first try.

All cartridges used at the Grand are factory brands but are not branded with the Championship marks like ours are. You have the choice of 3 different brands and the heaviest load allowed is 1½ oz. shot and 3 drams powder. The cost per box is \$2.80 USA (Aust. about \$2). Clays cost about 1.3 cents each so their shooting is much cheaper than ours hence probably the reason for 100 target events. Nominations are \$10 plus \$11 for cartridges plus the options you wish to enter. Converted to our money it is about \$7 and \$8. Their shoot-offs become a long event as they shoot full rounds of 25 targets. This to me does not build up to a climax like our first miss and out. I was told that they are trying first miss and out at some clubs. In one event during the Grand of 100×16 yd. targets some 40 shooters shot the 100. They often use the next day's event as a shoot-off. Their rules are that no shooter has to fire at more than 100 shoot-off targets per day hence the reason for carrying the shoot on in the next event. Their long run breaks are only on registered targets and can be shot at different clubs over any period. Shooting Handicap or Double Rise in between does not interfere with their 16 yd. breaks. Handicap shooting is very popular and they have dozens of 27 yarders. Shooters' yardages are earned by ability and not values like ours. When a shooter first registers he is

put on 22 yds if over 15 years of age, 20 yds for under 15 years and 18 yds for women. Each shooter remains on these marks until he has shot 1500 registered targets and is then given a permanent handicap. No shooter can shoot forward of 18 yds in handicap events. Yardages are earned by ability such as if you are the High scorer with 60 to 124 shooters you are moved back 1 yd. 15 to 59 shooters you receive ½ yd. even 5th place in a big shoot can earn you yardage.

Because of a permanent centrally located office and national ground, with shooters having pre-stamped plastic cards for use in machine processing — thus, their office procedure has to be seen to be believed. When you see 3,500 shooters go through in one day with no long queues to nominate it gives some idea of their administrative staffs efficiency. Each shooter pays a \$2 ground fee at all registered shoots. \$1 of this goes to the State Association and \$1 to the National Association. All records are kept at the Central Control at Vandalia on computer cards. On this basis, no wonder they have good systems as all shooters agree this is a wonderful thing and they don't mind paying for what they get. However, this 57 trap National Ground lies idle for eleven months of the year but the office remains constant.

Although Vin Ryan and my score did not win any first places we did not disgrace ourselves. Vin shot scores above 97:100, my best being 99 and 98 in the 200 target event. Vins best was a 99 in the 100 target 16 yds. In all I shot 1,500 targets and 300 in one day.

This has become a longer story than I intended, my enthusiasm seems to have run away with me. It was a wonderful experience and the people the greatest. As a matter of fact it was so great that I intend with some help to arrange a tour for next year. I would like to see some 30 odd Australians make the trip. The approximate cost for 3 weeks would be around \$1,000 for air fares and accommodation. Quite good for modern prices but more about this when all details are worked out. (The more making the trip the cheaper it works out).

To all the people in Canada and the USA that may read this our very sincere thanks for a wonderful time.

Kindest regards

(Signed)

Barney and Kathleen Rooke
and Vin Ryan.

August, 1973.

EDITOR'S MAILBOX (2)

NSW Minister for
Mines and Power

Dear Mr Hawkins,

I refer to letter of 7th June, 1973, addressed to you by my colleague, the Hon. J. L. Waddy, M.L.A., then Acting Minister for Mines and Power, in reply to your letter of 5th June, 1973 in connection with proposed amendment to the Explosives Act, 1905.

Your representations and other aspects of the matter have received the fullest consideration and, on my recommendation, Cabinet has given approval for a Bill to be prepared to —

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(2) to require a permit issued by the police to purchase explosive not exceeding 5 kg and 110 detonators, providing that the holder of a pistol licence or a shooter's licence may purchase gunpowder or nitrocellulose propellant powder not exceeding 10 kg on production of his pistol licence or shooter's licence. (The permits will be granted for periods not exceeding three months).

(3) increase from 13 years to 18 years the age of persons to whom explosives may be sold.

(4) make certain other amendments which are not pertinent to the matters raised by your Association.

Yours faithfully,

WAL FIFE,

Minister for Mines and Power.

1974 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Applications are invited to complete the respective panels of Referees, Scorers, Trappers, Recorders during the period a.m. Wednesday, March 6 to p.m. Wednesday, March 13, omitting Sunday, which is to be a free day with no shooting. Applications in writing — for the full period only — to be lodged by 30th November and addressed:

THE SECRETARY, A.C.T.A., G.P.O. BOX 2038S, MELBOURNE, 3001.

News and Views

Orange (NSW)—New club formed, shoots fourth Sunday monthly, distant one mile on Cargo Road from town. Office-bearers appointed are: Chairman, G. Gregory; Vice-Chairmen, R. Stanford, G. Hunt; Secretary, J. Gibson; Treasurer, R. Parker; Ground Captain, M. Williams; Conservation Officer, M. Gregory; Publicity Officer, M. Laughton; Legal Officer, L. Butt; Committeemen, G. Floyd, C. Morrissey, F. Johns, N. Williams, S. Beasley and G. Griffiths.

Goodooga (NSW) — New club formed and ground location is 1½ miles out on Brenda Road.

Hidden Valley (Qld) — (near Rockhampton) New club may soon be formed.

Geraldton (WA) — VALE Jim Griffith early September who won the 1972 National Intermediate High Gun Trophy at Griffith. Jim had survived a severe heart attack several years ago but this time he took ill on the Saturday. He is missed by many.

Metropolitan (V) — VALE Ray Hering a regular delegate to the National Championships, a club life-member and ex-vice-president died 2-10-73. Club and friends are full of grief.

Open Season for Japanese ("Jack") Snipe

Tasmania — 6-10-73 till 31-1-74, licence fee \$2.00; Bag Limit: 15 birds per day.

The Japanese Snipe is a member of the family which includes Curlews, Godwits, Greenshanks, Knots and Sandpipers. Its breeding grounds are in the highland Japan and each year it migrates south to Eastern Australia, Tasmania and New Zealand. In Tasmania it frequents swamps and marshes and is usually encountered singly, in twos or small parties. When flushed from cover it gives a harsh call note as it rises, flying off with zig-zag flight. The long straight bill is used for probing soft mud where the Snipe obtains its food of worms, snails, crustaceans and insects.

South Australia — no season declared last year.

Cunnamulla (Q) — Secretary now is Mrs Jenny Webster who has advanced to that position after being assistant for several years. Retiring Secretary A. Ecroyd has moved to domicile at Yelarbon.

Competing recently at the New South Wales Gun Club in the Beretta Shield Teams Shoot were two teams from the Royal Aero Gun Society. Neither team took out the Shield, but one team was an all ladies' team.

The Ladies' Team was the brain child of Margaret Miller, wife of the Society's Vice-Chairman, and after 6 weeks preparation their combined score at NSWGC

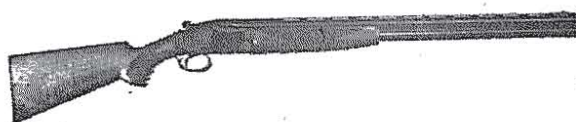
on 8-9-73 was 80:100. Their Captain, Margaret, in a recent main event shoot-off at Royal Aero, defeated five other shooters, all men.

Could any other shooters let us know, via "Shooting News," if this Ladies' Team is a first, or if not, any available history of other ladies' teams that may have competed in the past?



Left to Right: Susan Heath, Carmen Grima, Carole Kulmar, Margaret Miller (Capt.) and Margaret Miller (not related).

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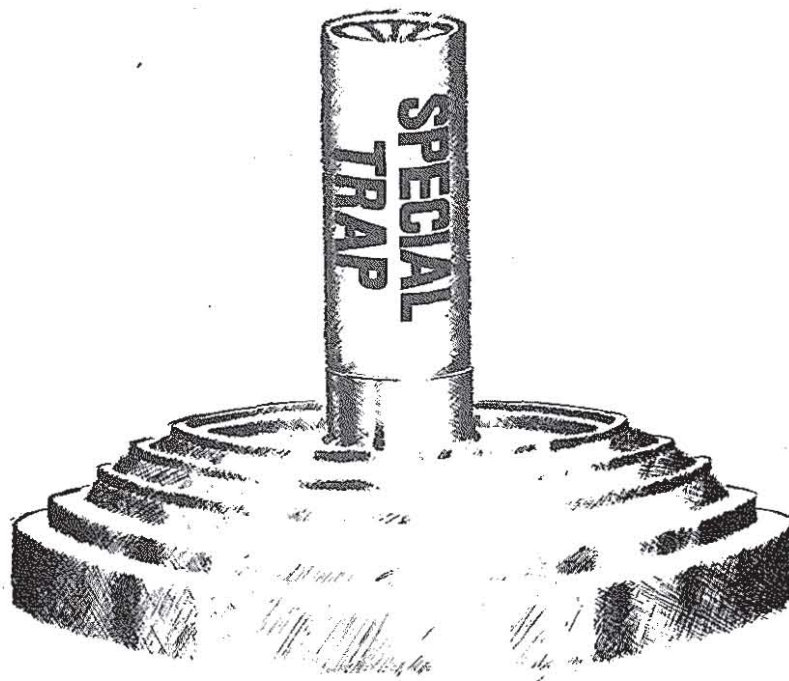
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7. High Gun Overall D.T.L. Event/A.C.T.A. Championships/Adelaide 1973.
8. Outright Winner D.B. Championship/A.C.T.A. Championships Adelaide 1973.
9. Outright Winner S.B. Championship/A.C.T.A. Championships/Adelaide 1973 /Only possible.
10. Outright Winner/International Australian/American Hawkesbury Gun Club March 1973.

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1973 Aust. interstate D.T.L. trap teams' match

The 1973 Australian Interstate Down-the-line Teams' Match for the "Great Britain and Ireland Trophy" has been won by Tasmania with 1457:1500 points.

Teams were of 15 shooters of whom only the highest 10 scores were to count. 50 targets per

member from 18 yards, double barrel, points scoring. Five track, squad system, shot in two stages of 25 targets per visit over one or two traps but two traps where possible. Five targets from each track per member before changing tracks. Team members with common scores were finally recorded for placing in the team after using the count-back system.

Results since the inception of this Interstate D.T.L. Trap Teams' Match have been: —
(Years 1952 to 1971 were scored broken targets to count — year 1972 commenced points scoring)

1952	New South Wales	478:500	1964	Queensland	493:500
1953	Queensland	471:500	1965	New South Wales	493:500
1954	Queensland	483:500	1966	Queensland	493:500
1955	New South Wales	496:500	1967	Victoria.....	495:500
1956	Victoria.....	981:1000	1968	South Australia	495:500
1957	Tasmania	486:500	1969	Tasmania, Victoria, Western Aus- tralia, all tied	495:500
1958	Tasmania	487:500	1970	New South Wales	495:500
1959	New South Wales	495:500	1971	South Australia	500:500
1960	Queensland	495:500	1972	New South Wales	1463:1500
1961	Tasmania	729:750	1973	Tasmania	1457:1500
1962	Victoria.....	492:500			
1963	New South Wales	498:500			

NEW SOUTH WALES Shot at Narrabri, 20-7-73

Romanello, A.	147
Charlton, W.	147
Burgess, M.	144
Colwell, D.	141
Melville, R.	141
Manns, J.	141
Alvaro, A.	140
Alexander, L.	139
Hunt, D.	138
Noll, B.	137
—1415:1500	
Rumbel, T.	137
Walton, B.	133
Shelton, W.	130
Graham, L.	126
Whyte, A.	119

SOUTH AUSTRALIA Shot at S.A.G.C., 29-4-73

Hill, B.	147
Byrnes, J.	147
Brown, D.	146
Lowry, K.	145
Campbell, I.	145
Kimber, R.	145
Sparron, D.	143
England, B.	143
Marshall, L.	142
Glenn, B.	141
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Forbes, J.	138
Mules, P.	137
Jarmyn, R.	135
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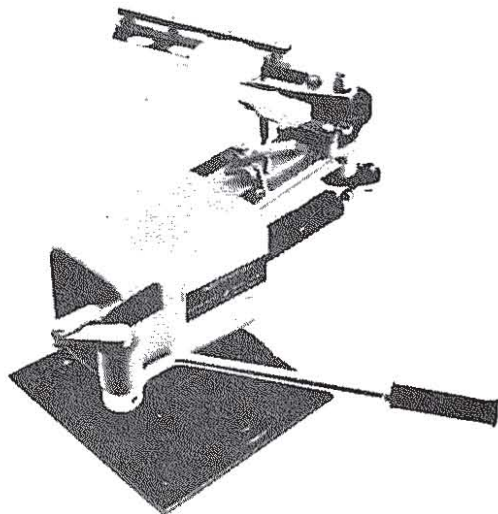
QUEENSLAND Shot at Burdekin, 10-6-73

Kelly, A.	147
Lowry, B.	147
Di Mauro, M.	147
Porter, J.	146
Hodder, L.	145
Moyse, E.	145
Nasser, B.	145
Tavasci, B.	144
Goodrich, B.	143
Casalegno	143
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Webster, G.	143
Collinson, R.	142
Krabbenhoft, N.	141
Smith, J.	140
Stewart, A.	138

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Anderson, L.	144
Williams, I.	143
Lewin, C.	138
Johnson, J.	136
Kelly, J.	136
Mah, J.	134
Collins, W.	134
Boulter, J.	133
Beier, H.	132
Schleebbs, I.	131
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Bonnett, K.	127
Cotterill, R.	125
Berkefeld, L.	124
Harris, I.	124
Clarke, D.	117

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Thomas, N.	150
Cartledge, R.	148
James, A.	148
Perry, W.	145
Jorgensen, R.	144
Dickens, I.	144
Green, J.	144
Williams, G.	143
Fowler, C.	141
Leech, G.	140
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Toner, D.	138
Henwood, W.	138
Heinze, F.	137
Garth, R.	135
Pedersen, T.	127

NORTHERN TERRITORY Shot at Alice Springs, 23-4-73

Butcher, J. R.	145
Taylor, J. E.	143
Evans, J. D.	142
Skien, R. E.	141
Pagett, P.	138
Robertson, J.	137
Evans, T.	136
Pollach, B.	133
Bertrand, R.	132
Mills, H.	127
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Picker, D.	126
Evans, J. F.	118
Rodd, P.	113
Padman, J.	103
Kippen, G.	102

TASMANIA Shot at Mersey, 24-3-73

Marshall, S.	149
Whiteley, D.	148
Elmer, R.	148
Blake, R.	147
Barlow, L.	146
Taylor, D.	145
Green, R.	145
Thorn, M.	145
Ward, R.	143
Blake, J.	141

WESTERN AUSTRALIA Shot at Perth, 22-9-73

Wiese, D. L.	149
Glass, W. J.	146
Ellis, C. B.	145
Russell, C. F.	144
Bailey, R. H.	140
Boyes, J.	140
Bailey, F. G.	138
Smith, B.	135
Williamson, K.	134
Stelling, T.	132
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Gibson, S.	131
Crossley, M.	130
Beumi, F.	127
Schinzig, K.	126
Cumming, D. W.	125

1973 Aust. interstate skeet teams' match

Results since the inception of this Interstate Skeet Teams' Match have been:—

1965	Victoria.....	121:125
1966	Victoria.....	123:125
1967	Victoria.....	120:125
1968	Western Australia.....	119:125
1969	New South Wales.....	122:125
1970	Queensland.....	470:500
1971	Victoria.....	477:500
1972	South Australia.....	475:500
1973	Victoria.....	470:500

VICTORIA

Shot at Melbourne, 7-8-73

Thomas, J. N.....	50
Summers, J.	48
Carroll, G.	48
Paterson, K.	48
Tough, A.	48
Teague, L.	47
Delaney, W.	46
Stamell, S.	46
Purdue, C.	45
Howe, B.	44
	—470:500

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Shot at S.A.G.C., 29-4-73

Hollywood, J.....	50
Lowry, K.	49
Kimber, R.	49
Sparron, D.	47
Mules, R.	46
Flaherty, G.	46
Flaherty, K.	46
Killick, K.	45
Hutchings, J.	45
Holder, J.	42
	—465:500

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Shot at Northam, 19-8-73

Marney, V.	49
Shine, T.	48
Ellis, J.	48
Weise, D.	48
Holtfreter, B.	47
Catling, T.	46
Gibson, S.	46
Childs, K.	45
Ferris, L.	45
Holtfreter, R.	43
	—465:500

NEW SOUTH WALES

Shot at Hawkesbury, 15-9-73

Hawkins, Col.....	48
Rawlinson, J.	48
Aquilina, R.	47
Hayes, A.	47
Patterson, E.	46
Crooks, J.	46
Alvaro, R.	44
Durrant, D.	43
Hawkins, Clyde	43
Clarke, R.	42
	—454:500

TASMANIA

Shot at Tasmanian, 11-2-73

Wighton, R.	48
Thurley, P.	46
Chaplin, B.	45
Perry, D.	45
Elmer, R.	45
Hutchinson, J.	45
Marshall, S.	45
Woods, J.	44
Morgan, R.	42
Higgins, B.	37
	—442:500

QUEENSLAND

Shot at Townsville, 21-4-73

Miskin, K.	48
Benson, M.	47
Peace, K.	45
Comerford, T.	45
Haller, C.	44
Smith, J.	44
Carrington, W.	43
Hodder, L.	43
Bell, W.	39
Lovelady, R.	38
	—436:500

PAPUA NEW GUINEA

Shot at Madang, 15-9-73

Rimmer, F.	48
Camps, N.	46
Devlin, D.	46
Beier, H.	45
Kelly, J.	44
Harris, I.	42
Mah, J.	42
Muller, H.	42
Collins, W.	40
MacKenzie, M.	38
	—433:500

1974 A.C.T.A. Championship Allocations

The official allocations of Australian National Clay Target Championships to be conducted during 1974 within the Australian Clay Target Association are as follows and are to be acted upon by all concerned.

Applications must be lodged on the prescribed form number 16, for consideration and approval of shooting dates.

If no club advertising copy has arrived two months before a Commonwealth Title, then the Secretary/Editor is empowered to insert an appropriate advertisement and to charge the club concerned.

Clubs allocated State Title events are expected to advertise these State Events in A.C.T.A. "Shooting News."

Clubs not advertising Interstate Teams and similar major events, will not receive such consideration in future allocations.

The host clubs of the Interstate Teams' Matches both Trap and Skeet should give two months notice to all shooters within their advertisements in A.C.T.A. "Shooting News" and such matches should be completed by September.

A.C.T.A. National Championships and the International Trap Teams' Match will be conducted at the Melbourne Gun Club, Lilydale, Victoria, over the period March 6 to March 13, Wednesday to Wednesday, excluding Sunday, March 10, this is to be a Free Day. The Executive Committee is grateful to Messrs I.M.I. Australia Ltd.; Winchester Australia Pty. Ltd.; Michaelis Bayley Trading and Guthrie & Company (Australia) Pty. Ltd. for their offers of assistance.

1974 INTERSTATE TEAMS' MATCH (D.T.L.)

(Standard Targets)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA	NORTHAM
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	S.A.G.C.
TASMANIA	CRESSY
VICTORIA	BENDIGO, 28-1-74
NEW SOUTH WALES	WAGGA, October 5, 6, 7.
QUEENSLAND	BARCALDINE
NORTHERN TERRITORY	ALICE SPRINGS, 15-4-74
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	LAE

1974 INTERSTATE SKEET TEAMS' MATCH

(Standard Targets)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA	PERTH
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	S.A.G.C.
TASMANIA	HOBART
VICTORIA	MELBOURNE
NEW SOUTH WALES	GRIFFITH
QUEENSLAND	IPSWICH, 23-6-74
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	MADANG

COMMONWEALTH DAY STANDARD TARGETS CHAMPIONSHIPS

DOUBLE BARREL	METROPOLITAN (V), 3-11-74
POINTS SCORE DB	HAY (NSW)
SINGLE BARREL	DALBY (WA)
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES	SOUTH BURNETT (Q)
DOUBLE RISE	ESPERANCE (WA)
MIXED TARGETS	CRESSY (T)
WALK-UP	ILLAWARRA (NSW)
SKEET	S.A.G.C. (SA)
TOWER	SWAN HILL-NYAH (V)
TOWER POINTS SCORE	NARRABRI (NSW), 23-2-74
TOWER SB	MILDURA (V)
TOWER DR	MADANG (PNG)
CONTINENTAL DB	S.A.G.C. (SA)
CONTINENTAL SB	ST. GEORGE (NSW)
I.S.U. SINGLE TRAP	PERTH (WA)
I.S.U. SKEET	HOBART (T)
VETERANS DB	GOLD COAST (Q)

COMMONWEALTH NIGHT STANDARD TARGETS CHAMPIONSHIPS

DOUBLE BARREL	CRESSY (T)
POINTS SCORE DB.....	S.A.G.C. (SA)
SINGLE BARREL	NORTHAM (WA)
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES.....	NORTHAM (WA)
DOUBLE RISE	GOLD COAST (Q)
MIXED TARGETS	WANGARATTA (V), 18-10-74
WALK-UP	ECHUCA (V)
SKEET	GRIFFITH (NSW)
TOWER	WHYALLA (SA)
TOWER DR.....	MADANG (PNG)
CONTINENTAL DB	QUEANBEYAN-CANBERRA (NSW)

COMMONWEALTH DAY MINI TARGET CHAMPIONSHIPS

DOUBLE BARREL	SOUTH WEST (WA)
POINTS SCORE DB.....	BENDIGO (V), 5-10-74
SINGLE BARREL	WAGGA (NSW)
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES.....	COWRA (NSW)
DOUBLE RISE	TATURA (V)
MIXED TARGETS	BURDEKIN (Q)
WALK-UP	GEE LONG (V)
SKEET	GEE LONG (V)
TOWER	PERTH (WA)
CONTINENTAL DB	MORWELL (V)

COMMONWEALTH NIGHT MINI TARGET CHAMPIONSHIPS

DOUBLE BARREL	BRISBANE (Q)
POINTS SCORE DB.....	WARRNAMBOOL (V)
SINGLE BARREL	COHUNA (V)
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES.....	GEE LONG (V), 1-1-74
DOUBLE RISE	BROKEN HILL (NSW)
MIXED TARGETS	NOT ALLOCATED
WALK-UP	MARYBOROUGH (V)
SKEET	NOT ALLOCATED
TOWER	CHARTERS TOWERS (Q)
CONTINENTAL DB	NOT ALLOCATED

Queensland Championships

STATE — DAY — STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—MT. ISA
POINTS SCORE DB—ROMA
SINGLE BARREL—BALLANDEAN
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—CUNNAMULLA, 4-5-74
DOUBLE RISE—CHARLEVILLE
MIXED TARGETS—GOLD COAST
WALK-UP—BLACKALL
SKEET—BRISBANE
TOWER—BURDEKIN
CONTINENTAL DB—BURDEKIN
CONTINENTAL SB—DALBY, 29-9-74

STATE — NIGHT — STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—IPSWICH, 5-10-74
POINTS SCORE DB—GOLD COAST
SINGLE BARREL—TOOGOO LAHWAH
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—BURDEKIN
DOUBLE RISE—CHARTERS TOWERS

CONTINENTAL DB—BURDEKIN
CONTINENTAL SB—BURDEKIN

STATE — DAY — MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—ROCKHAMPTON
POINTS SCORE DB—BRISBANE
SINGLE BARREL—DAWSON VALLEY
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—GOLD COAST
DOUBLE RISE—SPRINGSURE
MIXED TARGETS—SPRINGSURE

STATE — NIGHT — MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—TOWNSVILLE

DISTRICT — DAY — STANDARD TARGETS

Ballandean Club Teams' Match—Ballandean
Capricorn DB, SB—Rockhampton
Dalby SB—Dalby

Darling Downs All Titles—Toowoomba
 Granite Belt DB, SB—Ballandean
 North Qld. DB, SB—Charters Towers
 North QLD. DR, DD—Richmond
 N.W. QLD. All Titles—Mt. Isa
 Northern Downs DB—Dalby
 Pacific Coast All Titles—Gold Coast
 Paroo River DB, SB—Cunnamulla
 South Burnett DB, SB—South Burnett
 Southern QLD. DB, SB—St. George

Warego DB, SB—Charleville
 West Moreton All Titles—Ipswich

DISTRICT — NIGHT — STANDARD TARGETS

Capricorn DB, SB—Rockhampton
 North Qld. DB, SB—Richmond
 N.W. Qld. DB, DR—Mt. Isa
 Pacific Coast All Titles—Gold Coast

DISTRICT — DAY — MINI TARGETS

Darling Downs DB—Toowoomba

Victorian Championships

STATE — DAY — STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—MELBOURNE
 POINTS SCORE DB—APSLEY, 24-3-74
 SINGLE BARREL—KYNETON
 DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—ECHUCA
 DOUBLE RISE—TATURA, 19-5-74
 MIXED TARGETS—SHEPPARTON, 1-9-74
 WALK-UP—HOPETOUN
 SKEET—AUSTRALIAN
 TOWER—MORWELL
 CONTINENTAL DB—GEELONG
 I.S.U. TRENCH—MELBOURNE
 I.S.U. UNIVERSAL TRENCH—MILDURA
 I.S.U. CONTINENTAL TRAP—GEELONG
 I.S.U. SKEET—MELBOURNE

SKEET—GEELONG
 TOWER—MILDURA
 CONTINENTAL DB—GEELONG

STATE — NIGHT — MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—NOORAT
 POINTS SCORE DB—BAIRNSDALE
 SINGLE BARREL—MARYBOROUGH, 26-10-74
 DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—VICTORIAN
 DOUBLE RISE—COHUNA
 WALK-UP—COHUNA
 TOWER—VICTORIAN

STATE — NIGHT — STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—COLAC, 3-5-74
 POINTS SCORE DB—SHEPPARTON, 1-11-74
 SINGLE BARREL—BIRCHIP
 DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—HORSHAM
 DOUBLE RISE—SEBASTOPOL, 14-9-74
 MIXED TARGETS—ECHUCA
 WALK-UP—BAIRNSDALE
 SKEET—GEELONG
 TOWER—MORWELL
 CONTINENTAL DB—GEELONG
 I.S.U. CONTINENTAL TRAP—GEELONG
 I.S.U. SKEET—GEELONG

STATE — DAY — MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—TYRENDARRA
 POINTS SCORE DB—BOORT
 SINGLE BARREL—KORUMBURRA, 25-5-74
 DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—VICTORIAN
 DOUBLE RISE—KERANG
 MIXED TARGETS—AUSTRALIAN
 WALK-UP—METROPOLITAN

DISTRICT — DAY — STANDARD TARGETS

Anzac Day All Titles—Melbourne
 Australia Day All Titles—Melbourne
 Ballarat and Dist. All Titles—Sebastopol
 Begonia All Titles—Sebastopol
 Bellerine All Titles—Portarlington
 Benalla and Dist. All Titles—Benalla
 Birchip and Dist. DB, SB—Birchip
 Blackburn All Titles—Australian
 Broadmeadows All Titles—Metropolitan
 Burwood All Titles—Australian
 Campaspe Valley DB, DD—Bendigo
 Central Wimmera DB—Goroke
 City of Geelong All Titles—Geelong
 City of Melbourne All Titles—Melbourne
 City of Ringwood All Titles—Melbourne
 City of Swan Hill All Titles—Swan Hill-Nyah
 Coldstream All Titles—Melbourne
 Corio Bay All Titles—Geelong
 Croydon All Titles—Melbourne
 Donnybrook All Titles—Metropolitan
 Epping All Titles—Metropolitan
 Geelong and Dist. All Titles—Geelong
 Gippsland DB, 50 and over—Morwell
 Gippsland SB—Bairnsdale

Gippsland Tower, Skeet, DR—Korumburra
 Goulburn Valley DB, DB Pts., MT—Tatura
 Goulburn Valley SB—Cosgrove
 Goulburn Valley DR, DD—Shepparton
 Gunbower Island DB, SB—Cohuna
 Healesville All Titles—Melbourne
 Hopetoun and Dist. DB, SB—Hopetoun
 Kinglake All Titles—Melbourne
 Kowree and Border All Titles—Apsley
 Labour Day All Titles—Melbourne
 Lake Mokoan DB—Benalla
 Lalor All Titles—Metropolitan
 Latrobe Valley All Titles—Morwell
 Lilydale All Titles—Melbourne
 Lysterfield All Titles—Australian
 Major Mitchell DB—Cohuna
 Maryborough All Titles—Maryborough
 Metropolitan All Titles—Metropolitan
 Midland DB—Tatura
 Mernda All Titles—Metropolitan
 Mildura Universal Trench—Mildura
 Moomba All Titles—Australian
 Mooroolbark and Dist. All Titles—Melbourne
 Mountain Dist. All Titles—Melbourne
 Murray Valley DB—Mildura
 Nobel All Titles—Australian
 Northcote All Titles—Metropolitan
 North Eastern All Titles—Wangaratta
 North West DB, SB—Mildura
 Northern Suburbs All Titles—Metropolitan
 Northern Wimmera DB—Birchip
 Preston All Titles—Metropolitan
 Reservoir All Titles—Metropolitan
 Sherbrooke All Titles—Australian
 Show Day All Titles—Melbourne
 South Gippsland MT, DB—Korumburra
 Southern Mallee DB—Hopetoun
 Warrandyte and Dist. All Titles—Melbourne
 Western Dist. DB—Noorat
 Western Dist. SB—Dundonnell
 Western Dist. DD—Colac
 Western Dist. DR—Noorat
 Western Dist. MT—Colac
 Western Dist. WU—Warrnambool
 Western Dist. Tower—Noorat
 Western Dist. DB Pts.—Cobden
 Whittlesea and Dist. All Titles—Metropolitan
 Wimmera DB—Horsham
 Wonga Park All Titles—Melbourne
 Woodstock All Titles—Metropolitan
 Yan Yean All Titles—Metropolitan
 Yarra Glen All Titles—Melbourne
 Yarra Valley All Titles—Melbourne
 Yering All Titles—Melbourne

DISTRICT — NIGHT — STANDARD TARGETS

Benalla and Dist. DB—Benalla
 Birchip and Dist. DB—Birchip
 Broadmeadows All Titles—Metropolitan
 City of Geelong All Titles—Geelong
 City of Swan Hill All Titles—Swan Hill-Nyah
 Corio Bay All Titles—Geelong

Donnybrook All Titles—Metropolitan
 Epping All Titles—Metropolitan
 Geelong and Dist. All Titles—Geelong
 Gippsland DB, SB—Morwell
 Gippsland MT—Bairnsdale
 Gippsland Lakes DB, SB—Bairnsdale
 Goulburn Valley DB—Shepparton
 Goulburn Valley SB—Cosgrove
 Ibis Festival DB—Kerang
 Kerang All Titles—Kerang
 Kowree and Border All Titles—Apsley
 Loddon Valley DB—Kerang
 Lalor All Titles—Metropolitan
 Mernda All Titles—Metropolitan
 Midland DB, DD, MT—Bendigo
 Northcote All Titles—Metropolitan
 North Eastern All Titles—Wangaratta
 Northern Victoria DB—Cohuna
 Northern All Titles—Kerang
 Northern Wimmera DB—Birchip
 Northern Suburbs All Titles—Metropolitan
 Preston All Titles—Metropolitan
 Reservoir All Titles—Metropolitan
 Victorian Duck Opening DB—Kerang
 Western Dist. DB—Warrnambool
 Western Dist. SB—Geelong
 Western Dist. DD—Colac
 Western Dist. DR—Noorat
 Western Dist. MT—Warrnambool
 Western Dist. WU—Cobden
 Western Dist. DB Pts.—Colac
 Wimmera DB, SB—Horsham
 Whittlesea All Titles—Metropolitan
 Wandella SB—Kerang
 Woodstock All Titles—Metropolitan
 Yan Yean All Titles—Metropolitan

DISTRICT — DAY — MINI TARGETS

City of Geelong All Titles—Geelong
 Corio Bay All Titles—Geelong
 Geelong and Dist. All Titles—Geelong
 Goulburn Valley DB—Shepparton
 Maryborough DB—Maryborough
 Western Dist. DB—Colac
 Western Dist. SB—Geelong
 Western Dist. DD—Dundonnell
 Western Dist. MT—Noorat
 Western Dist. DR—Warrnambool
 Western Dist. WU—Geelong
 Western Dist. DB Pts.—Colac

DISTRICT — NIGHT — MINI TARGETS

City of Geelong All Titles—Geelong
 Corio Bay All Titles—Geelong
 Geelong and Dist. All Titles—Geelong
 Western Dist. DB—Dundonnell
 Western Dist. SB—Colac
 Western Dist. DD—Warrnambool
 Western Dist. DR—Noorat
 Western Dist. MT—Cobden
 Western Dist. WU—Geelong
 Western Dist. DB Pts.—Warrnambool

Tasmanian Championships

STATE — DAY — STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL — HOBART
POINTS SCORE DB — CRESSY
SINGLE BARREL — MERSEY
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES — TASMANIAN
DOUBLE RISE — BURNIE
MIXED TARGETS — BOTHWELL
WALK-UP — NOT ALLOCATED
SKEET — HOBART
TOWER — HOBART
I.S.U. SINGLE TRAP — CRESSY
I.S.U. SKEET — HOBART

STATE — NIGHT — STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL — CRESSY
SINGLE BARREL — HOBART
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES — CRESSY

DISTRICT — DAY — STANDARD TARGETS

Central Dist. DB, SB — Cressy
North Dist. All Titles — Tasmanian
North West DB — Mersey
North West SB — Burnie
South Dist. DB, Skeet — Hobart
South Dist. SB — Bothwell
West Coast DB, SB — Roseberry

Western Australian Championships

STATE — DAY — STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL — GERALDTON
POINTS SCORE DB — NORTHAM
SINGLE BARREL — NARROGIN
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES — GERALDTON
DOUBLE RISE — SOUTH WEST
MIXED TARGETS — NARROGIN
WALK-UP — NORTHAM
SKEET — PERTH

TOWER — NOT ALLOCATED
CONTINENTAL DB — NARROGIN
I.S.U. SINGLE TRAP — PERTH
I.S.U. SKEET — PERTH

STATE — DAY — MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL — ESPERANCE
SINGLE BARREL — NOT ALLOCATED
SKEET — BUNBURY

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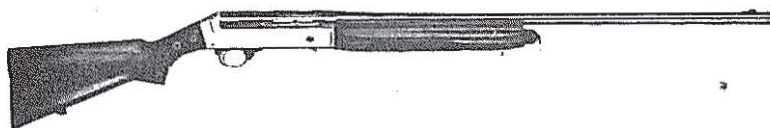
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STATE — DAY — STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—BROKEN HILL
POINTS SCORE DB—COBAR
SINGLE BARREL—FINLEY
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—RANKINS SPRINGS,
15-9-74
DOUBLE RISE—SYDNEY
MIXED TARGETS—GLOUCESTER
WALK-UP—KEMPSEY
SKEET—GUYRA
TOWER—NARRABRI, 23-2-74
CONTINENTAL DB—GANMAIN
CONTINENTAL SB—INVERELL, 13-4-74
CONTINENTAL POINTS SCORE—N.S.W.G.C.

STATE — NIGHT — STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—TAREE-WINGHAM, 26-1-74
POINTS SCORE DB—UPPER HUNTER
SINGLE BARREL—LISMORE, 26-10-74
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—DENILQUIN, 18-10-74
DOUBLE RISE—ILLAWARRA
MIXED TARGETS—COBAR
WALK-UP—DENILQUIN, 18-10-74
SKEET—BATHURST

STATE — DAY — MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—MENINDEE
POINTS SCORE DB—MOREE
SINGLE BARREL—BOMBALA
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—LAKE CARGELLIGO,
6-10-74
DOUBLE RISE—TAMWORTH
MIXED TARGETS—BATHURST
WALK-UP—GRIFFITH
SKEET—NARRABRI, 22-9-74

DISTRICT — DAY — STANDARD TARGETS

Bankstown All Titles—Royal Aero
Barwon All Titles—Brewarrina
Berrima All Titles—Sutton Forest
Big River DB, SB, DR—Yamba
Bourke and Wills DB, SB—Menindee
Central Coast All Titles—Wyang
Central Riverina All Titles—Griffith
Central Tablelands All Titles—Cowra
Central West All Titles—Bathurst
City of Newcastle All Titles—Newcastle
City of Sydney All Titles—Sydney
City of Wagga All Titles—Wagga
Conapaira Range DB, SB—Rankins Springs
County of Cumberland All Titles—Royal Aero
Far Western All Titles—Cobar
Festival of Lakes DB, SB—Lake Cargelligo
Finley All Titles—Finley
Illawarra All Titles—Illawarra

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Indian Pacific Railway DB, SB—Menindee
Lachlan Valley All Titles—Cowra
Lower Lachlan All Titles—Lake Cargelligo
Lower West Darling All Titles—Wyarama
MacIntyre All Titles—Inverell
Macleay Valley DB, SB—Kempsey
Manning All Titles—Taree-Wingham
Menindee Lakes DD—Menindee
Metropolitan All Titles—N.S.W.G.C.
Mid Western All Titles—Grenfell
Monaro DB—Bombala
Narrabri All Titles—Narrabri
Newcastle All Titles—Newcastle
New England All Titles—Guyra
North Coast of NSW DB, DD, SB—Lismore
North NSW DB, SB—Moree
North Western NSW DB, SB—Moree
Northern Riverina DB, SB—Rankins Springs
Queanbeyan-Canberra All Titles
—Queanbeyan-Canberra
Riverina DB, DD—Griffith
Riverina Skeet, I.S.U. Skeet—Wagga
Silver City DB, SB—Broken Hill
Southern All Titles—Bombala
Southern Highlands All Titles—Sutton Forest
Southern Riverina DB, SB—Finley
Southern St. George All Titles—Sydney
South West All Titles—Cootamundra

DISTRICT — DAY — STANDARD TARGETS

Sydney All Titles—N.S.W.G.C.
Tamworth and Dist. All Titles—Tamworth
Upper Hunter All Titles—Upper Hunter
Weddin All Titles—Grenfell
West Darling DB, SB—Broken Hill

DISTRICT — NIGHT — STANDARD TARGETS

Central Riverina All Titles—Griffith
Central West All Titles—Bathurst
City of Wagga All Titles—Wagga
Central Tablelands All Titles—Cowra
Far Western All Titles—Cobar
Illawarra All Titles—Illawarra
Lachlan Valley All Titles—Cowra
MacIntyre All Titles—Inverell
Metropolitan All Titles—N.S.W.G.C.
Narrabri All Titles—Narrabri
Newcastle All Titles—Newcastle
North Coast NSW SB—Lismore
Sydney All Titles—N.S.W.G.C.

DISTRICT — DAY — MINI TARGETS

City of Wagga All Titles—Wagga
Queanbeyan-Canberra All Titles—
Queanbeyan-Canberra

DISTRICT — NIGHT — MINI TARGETS

City of Wagga All Titles—Wagga

Mildura Clay Target Gun Club

TWO-DAY SHOOT

September 1-2, 1973

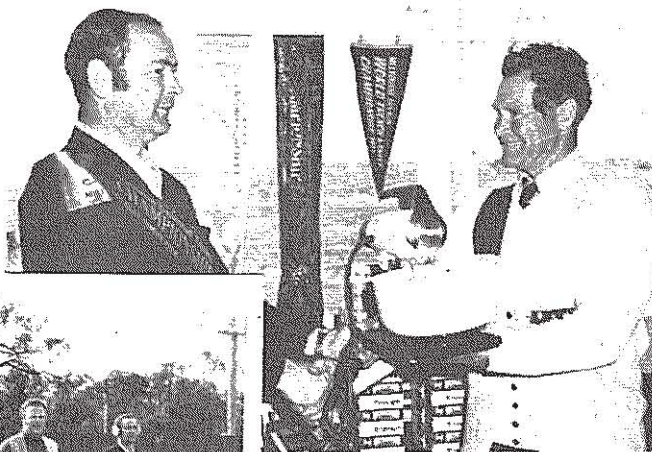


Centre: Robert Wilson of Melbourne, winner of Club 100 Target C'ship 114:116 being congratulated by runner-up Ken Lowry of Adelaide. Jim Blythman 3rd, waits to be presented with his trophy.



Ron Wakefield, Mildura, proudly displays his trophy and sash after winning Commonwealth Night Skeet Championship.

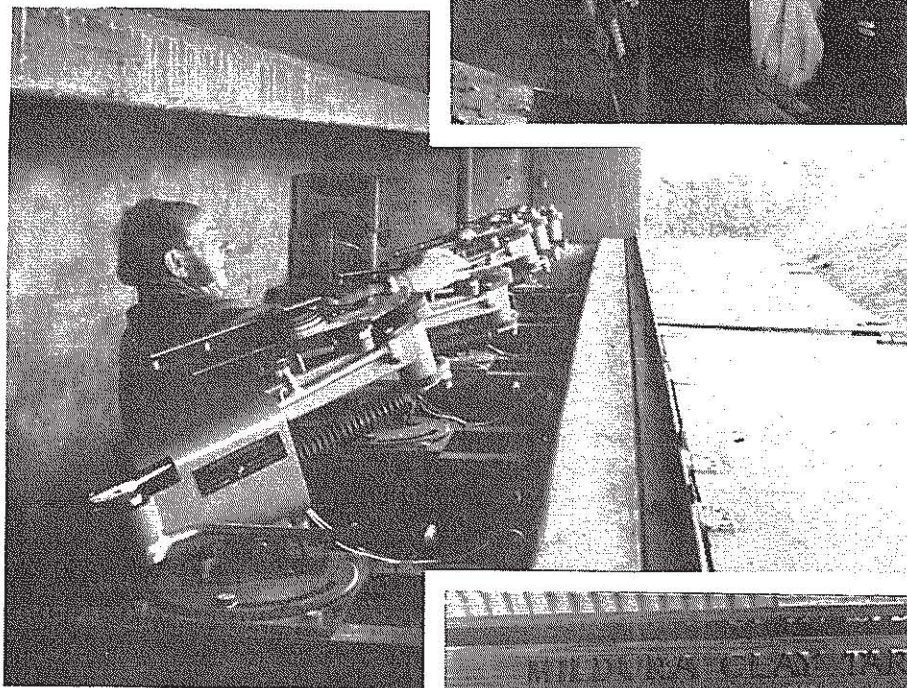
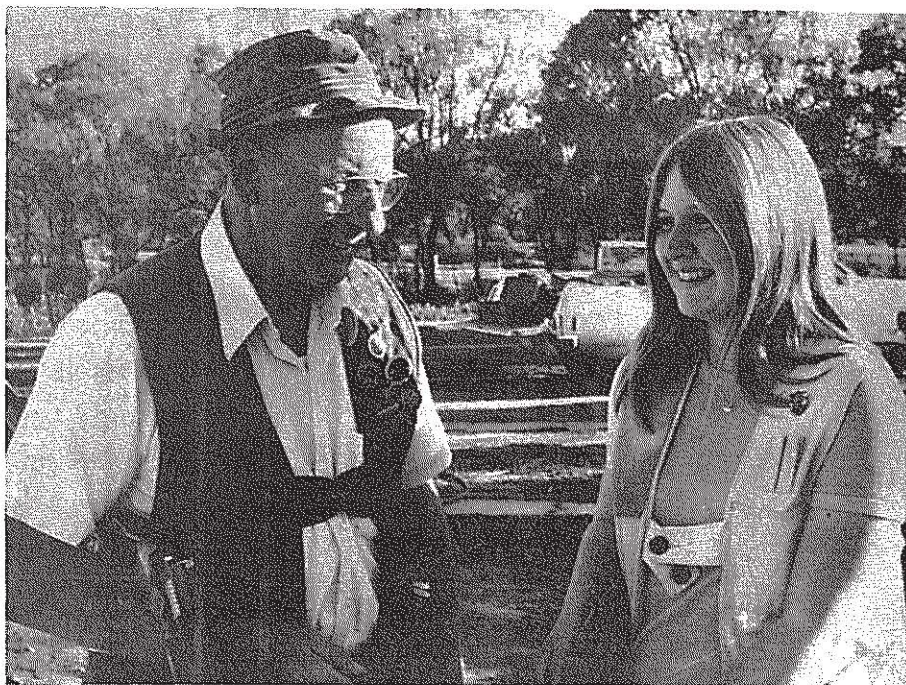
Right: Club President Gordon Wakefield, presents Peter Wray (Melb.) with sash and trophy after winning the Victorian Five Trap Universal Trench Championship with a score of 92:100.



A squad of well-known shooters competing in Victorian State Universal Trench Championship at Mildura Gun Club.

From right to left: Station 1, Peter Wray (Melb.), Brian Mark (Ballarat), Jack Henwood (Melb.), John Mollica (Melb.), Robert Wilson (Melb.). Backing up on Station 1, Norm Mollica (Melb.). At rear of squad on right — Gordon Wakefield, Club President, on left — referee Jack Wilkinson, Club Vice-President, official scorer.

Right: A. E. (Ted) Wilkinson, 71, congratulating his 12-year-old grand-daughter Deserie Wakefield, on winning the Ladies Trophy in Club Trench Graded Opening Trophy Shoot. Both were competitors in the same event. Ted in the B Grade and Deserie in the C Grade section.



Left: Club Secretary Laurie Connors, making final adjustments to Beretta-Fiocchi traps prior to commencing Victorian State Universal Trap Championship.

Right: Becoming acquainted at Mildura Gun Club, from left — Valerie Wakefield (Host Club President's wife), Sue Lowry (Adelaide), Agnes Connors (Mildura), Laurelle Wilson (Melbourne), Gwen Wilkinson (Mildura), Jean Wray (Melbourne).



Northern Territory Championships

STATE — DAY — STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL — DARWIN
SINGLE BARREL — ALICE SPRINGS, 13-4-74
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES — ALICE SPRINGS,
13-4-74
DOUBLE RISE — DARWIN
MIXED TARGETS — ALICE SPRINGS, 14-4-74
WALK-UP — DARWIN

STATE — NIGHT — STANDARD TARGET

DOUBLE BARREL — ALICE SPRINGS
SINGLE BARREL — ALICE SPRINGS

STATE — DAY — MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL — DARWIN
SINGLE BARREL — ALICE SPRINGS, 14-4-74
DOUBLE RISE — DARWIN
MIXED TARGETS — DARWIN
WALK-UP — DARWIN

DISTRICT — DAY — STANDARD TARGETS

Alice Springs DB, SB — Alice Springs

DISTRICT — DAY — MINI TARGETS

Alice Springs DB — Alice Springs

Papua New Guinea Championships

STATE — DAY — STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL — MT. HAGEN
POINTS SCORE DB — RABAU, Easter 74
SINGLE BARREL — LAE
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES — RABAU —
Easter 74
DOUBLE RISE — MADANG
MIXED TARGETS — KAR KAR ISLAND
WALK-UP — PORT MORESBY
SKEET — MADANG
TOWER — MT. HAGEN
TOWER POINTS DB — RABAU —
Easter 74

STATE — NIGHT — STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL — MADANG
POINTS SCORE DB — MADANG
SINGLE BARREL — RABAU
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES — PORT MORESBY
DOUBLE RISE — RABAU

MIXED TARGETS — PORT MORESBY
WALK-UP — MADANG

STATE — DAY — MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL — LAE

DISTRICT — DAY — STANDARD TARGETS

Madang All Titles — Madang
Morobe All Titles — Lae
Papuan All Titles — Port Moresby
P.N.G. Highlands All Titles — Mt. Hagen
New Britain All Titles — Rabaul
New Ireland All Titles — Kavieng
Western Highlands All Titles — Port Moresby

DISTRICT — NIGHT — STANDARD TARGETS

Madang All Titles — Madang
New Britain DB, DD — Rabaul
Papuan All Titles — Port Moresby

South Australian Championships

STATE — DAY — STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL — S.A.G.C.
POINTS SCORE DB — MANNUM
SINGLE BARREL — S.A.G.C.
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES — MT. GAMBIER
DOUBLE RISE — MANNUM
MIXED TARGETS — S.A.G.C.
WALK-UP — INTERNATIONAL
SKEET — S.A.G.C.
TOWER — S.A.G.C.
CONTINENTAL DB — S.A.G.C.
I.S.U. SKEET — S.A.G.C.

STATE — NIGHT — STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL — S.A.G.C.
POINTS SCORE DB — MT. GAMBIER
SINGLE BARREL — MT. GAMBIER
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES — S.A.G.C.

DOUBLE RISE — S.A.G.C.
TOWER — WHYALLA
MIXED TARGETS — S.A.G.C.

STATE — DAY — MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL — INTERNATIONAL
SINGLE BARREL — INTERNATIONAL
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES — SOUTHERN
DOUBLE RISE — S.A.G.C.

STATE — NIGHT — MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL — S.A.G.C.
SINGLE BARREL — S.A.G.C.
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES — S.A.G.C.
TOWER — WHYALLA

DISTRICT — DAY — STANDARD TARGETS

Bordertown DB, SB — Bordertown



CLUB SHOOT RESULTS



VICTORIA

AUSTRALIAN, 9-8-73.—Fine and windy. Attendance: 64. Results: 15-tgt. DB Pts. CD 18 yds: J. Hollands 30:30; D. Meldrum 30:30; 2nd W. Henwood 29:30. Vic. State DB Pts. 30-tgt. 18 yds: 1st A Grade: L. Teague 85:90; 2nd R. Toner 84:90. 1st B Grade: R. Allen 87:90; 2nd D. Parsell 86:90. 1st C Grade: D. Meldrum 82:90; 2nd N. Mollica 80:90. 20-tgt. DB H'cap CD: 5 div. 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap CD: 7 div.

AUSTRALIAN, 23-9-73.—Overcast. Attendance: 34. Results: 15-tgt. Pts. CD 18 yds: 1st A. Ramsdale 45:45; 4 div. 2nd. Sherbrooke Novelty Graded C'ship: 1st A Grade: B. Howe 26:30; 2nd W. Finningan 23:30. 1st B Grade: D. Parsell 46:50; 2nd T. Delorenzo 45:50. 1st C Grade: L. Godfrey 28:30; M. Little 27:30. 10-tgt. H'cap, 10-tgt. Cont. 16 yds: L. Godfrey and T. Delorenzo 20:20. Sherbrooke ISU Skeet C'ship: 1st M. Little 25:28; 2nd W. Blythe 24:28; 3rd R. Kruger 23:26.

BAIRNSDALE, 8-9-73.—Good. Attendance: 21. Results: Half Round Skeet: S. Hardy, J. Collins 13. Gippsland Skeet C'ship: 1st C. Ellis 25:25; 2nd D. Young 24:25; 3rd J. Croucher 23:25. 15-tgt. H'cap: 5 possibles. Cake Shoot: G. Howard.

BENALLA, 8-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 38. Results: EO: 10 div. Trophy: 1st N. Hore 57:57; 2nd H. Shilg 56:57; 3rd C. Tingay 47:57. 10-tgt. SS Pts.: 5 div. FM: G. Goldsworth. Mr N. Hore won his 50 break badge.

BENDIGO, 1-9-73.—Poor. Attendance: 53. Results: Midlands Dist. DD C'ship: 1st R. Cartledge and L. Francis (Ballarat) 58:58; 2nd L. Jobling and J. Landry (Bendigo) 57:58. 15-tgt. Mini H'cap: 1st N. Wallace (Shepparton); 2nd G. McGuire (Shepparton); 3rd D. Howden (Maryborough). FM: M. Little (Melbourne).

BENDIGO, 15-9-73.—Good night. Attendance: 81. 10 pr. DD Mini EO: A. James and N. Berry 8:8; F. Hienze and G. Smith 8:8; C. Alderson and G. Leech 8:8. Victorian State Mini DD Night C'ship: N. Scott and J. Landry 1st 22:25; F. Hienze and G. Smith 2nd 21:25. \$100 value 15-tgt. H'cap: 4 div.

COBDEN, 20-9-73.—Results: Winchester Schoolboy Championships — 100 schoolboys from surrounding schools competed for Schoolboy Championships.

The trophies were donated by Winchester Arms Co. Australia, who also donated the ammunition.

The snoot was conducted by Mr S. Mitchell of Cobden Gun Club who was ably assisted by Mr J. Code, Mr G. Taylor and Mr M. Howard of Cobden Technical School. Referee was Mr Peter Boyd.

Results of shoot:

Senior Team — 1st Cobden Tech No. 1 40:50; 2nd Warrnambool High 38:50. Junior Team — 1st Terang High No. 2 47:50; 2nd Cobden Tech No. 3 46:50. Senior High Gun — Peter Bishop, Warrnambool High 11:12. Junior High Gun — David Hirth, Camperdown 12:12. Overall High Gun — David Hirth, Camperdown 12:12.

COLAC, 31-8-73.—Fine. Attendance: 35. Results: 10-tgt. Pts. 16 yds: 8 possibles. 40-tgt. DB C'ship: 1st D. Toner 55:55. A Class: J. Muscat 54:55. B Class: J. Elliott 41:42. C Class: B. Higgins 52:53. 10-tgt. DB H'cap: 7 div. 10:10. 27 yds: Special: 1st E. Osborne.

ECHUCA, 8-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 51. Results: E.G.C. DB Pts. C'ship: C Grade and overall: J. Hamblin 93:93. A Grade: W. Coulson 92:93. B Grade: J. Piastrri 83:84. 20-tgt. H'cap: J. Green 76:76; F. Burgess 75:76; P. Gallagher 51:52. Yardage: 12-16: G. Shawcross. 17-21: N. Berry. 22-27: W. Coulson. State Mixed Tgt. C'ship Night: B Grade and Overall: S. Power 23:25. C Grade: L. McGrath 38:45. A Grade: G. Smith 32:36. 20-tgt. H'cap: B. Treloar 26:26; L. McGrath 24:25; G. Shawcross 23:24.

The shield shoot shot between Korumburra G.C. and Echuca G.C. resulted in a win to Echuca the first time since the shield's inception four years ago.

EUROA, 30-8-73.—Fine. Attendance: 54. Results: 10-tgt. DB EO: 12 div. 20-tgt. DB Trophy Gordon Cummins 1st R. Stackhouse 68:68; 2nd K. McKendrick 67:68; 3rd A. Jones 57:68. 5 SB, 5 DB: 6 div.

BAIRNSDALE GUN CLUB

(VIC.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

WINCHESTER DAY

Saturday, 10th November, 1973

At 10 a.m.

Club Champion of Champions

100 Mixed Targets

Trophies donated by Winchester
and Sash

NIGHT

Gippsland Double Barrel Night Championship

Trophies and Sash

BARBECUE FACILITIES AVAILABLE

President:
N. STEWART,

Secretary:
Mrs. A. R. KYLE,
Box 354—Phone: 52-4483.

MELBOURNE GUN CLUB

VICTORIA
(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Shooting Grounds:
VICTORIA ROAD, LILYDALE
Phone: 735-4331

4 Auto Trap Grounds
2 Auto Skeet Grounds
2 Olympic Trenches

Saturday, 3rd November, 1973

Commencing at 1.00 p.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$3.00

Upper Yarra SB Graded Championship

20 Targets from 16 yards. Grades A, B and C.
Club Badge and Trophy for 1st; Trophy for 2nd in each Grade.

Event 2— Nom. \$3.00

Upper Yarra D/Rise Graded C'ship

10 Pairs from 16 yards. Grades A, B and C.
Club Badge and Trophy for 1st; Trophy for 2nd in each Grade.

Event 3— Nom. \$6.00

Upper Yarra Skeet Championship

50 TARGETS
Club Badge and Trophy for 1st; Trophies for 2nd and 3rd.

Saturday, 10th November

and

Saturday, 17th November

Ground will be used for World Moving Target Championships. There will be no program on these Saturdays.

November 12 to November 22 1973 WORLD MOVING TARGET CHAMPIONSHIPS

Trap and Skeet Section

Saturday, 24th November, 1973

Commencing at 10.30 a.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$7.50

Melbourne Gun Club Olympic Trench Graded Championship

50 Targets from 15 Metres. ACTA Grades: A, B, C.
Club Badge and Trophy for 1st in each grade.
Gold Badge for Overall Winner. (Gold Badge may only be won by a Full Member of the Club, otherwise a Gold Sash will be provided.)

Event 2— Nom. \$6.00

Bull Lagoon DB Graded C'ship

50 Targets from 16 yards. Grades: A, B, C.
Tri-Color Sash and Trophy for 1st; Trophy for 2nd in each grade.

Event 3— Nom. \$6.00

Bull Lagoon Skeet Championship

50 Targets. Grades: Open, Restricted (for shooters who have won TWO or fewer Championships).
Tri-Color Sash and Trophy for 1st; Trophy for 2nd in each grade.

President:
R. F. BUCHAN,
Phone: 870-5459.

Sunday, 25th November, 1973

Commencing at 12.30 p.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$6.00

B. & T. Lucas Triangular Skeet Teams' Match

(for 5-man teams from Australian, Metropolitan and Melbourne Gun Clubs)
in conjunction with

50 Target Skeet Trophy

Sash and Trophy for 1st; Trophies for 2nd and 3rd.

Event 2— Nom. \$4.00

IMI Triangular Trap Teams' Match

(for 5-man teams from Australian, Metropolitan and Melbourne Gun Clubs)
in conjunction with

30 Target DB Graded Trophy

Trophies for 1st and 2nd in each grade.
Sash for Overall Winner.

B-B-Q facilities will be available—however, please bring own food.

Saturday, 1st December, 1973

Commencing at 1.00 p.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$2.50

15 Target DB Points, C/D (from 16 yards)

Event 2— Nom. \$4.00

Warrandyte & Dist. DB Graded C'ship

30 Targets from 16 yards. Grades: A, B, C.
Club Badge and Trophy for 1st; Trophy for 2nd in each grade.

Event 3— Nom. \$4.00

Warrandyte & Dist. Olympic Trench Graded Championship

25 Targets from 15 Metres. ACTA Grades: A, B, C.
Club Badge and Trophy for 1st in each grade.

Event 4— Nom. \$6.00

Warrandyte & Dist. Skeet Championship

50 Targets. Grades: Open and Restricted (for shooters who have won two or fewer Championships).
Club Badge and Trophy for 1st; Trophy for 2nd in each grade.

Forthcoming Major Events:

CLUB CHRISTMAS SHOOT: December 15, 1973.

NEW YEAR'S DAY: Major program.

Optional Sweeps on all Major Events

Lunch and afternoon teas are available on the ground. We extend to all shooters and their families a cordial welcome to attend the World Moving Target Championships which will be conducted at our Lilydale Shooting Grounds between November 12-22, 1973.

Secretary:
NOEL J. SOUTHEY,
29 Ashmore Rd., Forest Hill, 3131.
Phone: 878-1081.

FOSTER, 8-9-73.—Perfect. Attendance: 18. Results: 10-tgt. Pts.: 3 possibles. 15-tgt. SB: R. Whykes 1st 15:15; 2nd S. Turner; 3rd M. Cripps after shoot-off. 15-tgt. DB: Shoot-off: 1st W. Green; 2nd N. Olsen; 3rd G. Cripps. 10-tgt. DB SS: 9 possibles.

IMI Trophy to be shot for next month and its a beauty. W. Green earned his 50 straight break badge.

FRANKSTON, 2-9-73.—Windy. Attendance: 40. Results: 20-tgt. Club SB Graded C'ship: A Grade: D. Parsell 19:20. B Grade: I. Murray 19:20. C Grade: G. Shaw 19:20. 20-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st J. Glanville 38:38; 2nd M. Edgar 37:38; 3rd A. Ramsdale 26:27. 20-tgt. DB H'cap: G. Morgan, T. McCarthy, D. Parsell, R. Allen, I. Murray 20:20 div.

FRANKSTON, 23-9-73.—Fine. Results: 10 pr. Frankston and Dist. DR C'ship 16 yds: A Grade and High Gun: R. Garth 20:22. B Grade: J. Rodgers 19:22. C Grade: P. Avison 15:20. 20-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st J. Glanville 54:54; 2nd P. Avison 53:54; 3rd C. Carrol 36:37. Novelty Event: 1st A. Glanville; 2nd G. Scown; 3rd L. Box.

GEELONG, 25-8-73.—Fine. Attendance: 33. Results: Club DB Pts. Tower C'ship: R. Schwarz 60:60 1st; P. Torok 101:105 2nd; K. Fisher 100:105 3rd. Trophy Skeet H'cap: K. Fisher 1st; R. Standeven 2nd; N. Patterson 3rd. Trophy Tower H'cap: 1st R. Lane 2nd J. Hawke 3rd R. Standeven 3rd.

GEELONG, 2-9-73.—Windy. Attendance: 40. Results: 10-tgt. Pts.: T. Stevens, R. Toner, R. Evans 30:30 1st. Geelong and Dist. SB C'ship: 1st R. Green 19:20; 2nd V. Bernardi 20:22; 3rd B. White 19:22. Club DB Pts. C'ship: 1st M. Italia 59:60; 2nd R. Green 70:75; 3rd T. Stevens 69:75. Barwon Hotel Winchelsea ISU C'ship: 1st I. Dickens 28:30; 2nd J. Elliot 26:29; 3rd R. Toner 23:25. 20-tgt. DTL H'cap: 1st P. Avison and T. Manchec 20:20. 10-tgt. 20 yds. ISU: 1st P. Torok 9:10.

GEELONG, 8-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 58. Results: 15-tgt. EO H'cap: 8 possibles. 65th Club Jubilee H'cap: 1st K. Wright 77:77; 2nd B. Rafferty 76:77; 3rd D. Munro 34:35. Yardage: 12-15: P. Wright 24:25. 16-17: R. Lane 25:26. 18-24: R. Green 30:31. Club Jubilee DB C'ship: 1st H. Eldridge 50:50; 2nd R. Toner 43:44; 3rd V. Mollica 42:43. 10-tgt. 16 yds. DD: 4 div. Club Night Jubilee DB

ECHUCA GUN CLUB (VIC.)

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Reminder Advert. for . . .

Saturday, 10th November, 1973

**COMMONWEALTH DB
CONTINENTAL NIGHT C'SHIP
20 TARGET HANDICAP**

**W. Petty Cup and Permewan & Wright
Shield**

SHOT IN CONJUNCTION

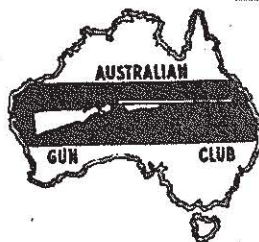
Preliminary Notice for . . .

**BOXING DAY SHOOT
Wednesday, 26th December, 1973**

Full details December Shooting "News."

President:
J. POLA,
P.O. Box 244,
Kyabram, 3620

Secretary:
G. SHAWCROSS,
Barnawm Extension 3561,
R.S.D., Echuca, 3625



AUSTRALIAN GUN CLUB

(Vic.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

(Incorporating Blackburn and Nobel Clubs)

Logan Park Road, Lysterfield, Victoria, 3156.

Sunday, 4th November, 1973

Commencing at 12.00 noon

As Metropolitan Clay Target Club are holding their Grand Prix Carnival, today's Shoot will be of a restricted nature.

Event 1— Nom. \$5.00

NOBEL 50 TARGET SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

(25 American — 25 I.S.U.)

First: Sash and Trophy. Trophies for 2nd, 3rd and 6-10.

DTL — ALL CASH DAY

Sunday, 18th November, 1973

No shooting because of World
Shooting Championships at
Melbourne Gun Club.

Sunday, 2nd December, 1973

Commencing at 12.00 noon

Event 1— Nom. \$1.50

10 Targets DB Points Sweepstakes CASH DIVIDE

Event 2— Nom. \$3.00

Club DB Championship

20 Targets from 16 yards. Graded A, B and C.

A.G.C. Gold Badge for High Gun.

Trophies for first in each Grade.

Event 3— Nom. \$3.00

Club Skeet Championship

First—A.G.C. Gold Badge and Trophy.

Trophies for 2nd, 3rd and Yardage.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING

Gas Barbeque — Hot Water — Refreshments
Cartridges Available.

Directions to ground: Travel along Wellington Road in easterly direction from Stud Road (Stamford Hotel corner) 4.8 miles, turn right into Logan Park Road then approximately 1 mile to second gate on left.

President:
DUDLEY EDGERTON,
93-6773.

Secretary:
R. TAYLOR,
40 Grey St., Belgrave, 3160.
Phone: 60-0341.

KORUMBURRA GUN CLUB

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

in conjunction with
KORUMBURRA LIONS' CLUB

Sunday, 4th November, 1973

Commencing 12 noon sharp

\$600 Worth of Trophies

Event 1— Nom. \$3.00

10 Targets 16 Yards

First — Second — Third

Event 2— Nom. \$3.00

Lions Points Championship

A, B, C Grade — Overall Sash
IN CONJUNCTION LIONS' TEAM SHIELD

Event 3— Nom. \$6.00

15 Targets D.B. H'cap

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

HIGH GUN ON DAY

BARBEQUE AND AFTERNOON TEA

M. HAMBLINE, Secretary,
Poowong.
Phone: 056275-531.

Geelong Clay Target Club

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

December Preliminary Notice

Saturday, 1st

Victorian State Mini Continental DB
Championship

Victorian State I.S.U. Continental DB
Championship

Friday, 7th

Commonwealth Night Continental Points
Score Championship

Victorian State Night Mini Tower
Championship

Saturday, 22nd

Victorian State Day Mini Tower
Championship

T. NASH, Program Committee.

Frankston Gun Club

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

Sunday, 11th November, 1973

Commencing 12 p.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$4.00
Victorian State Double Rise Championship

Event 2— Nom. \$3.00
20 Target Double Barrel Handicap

Wednesday, 21st November, 1973

Commences 7.30 p.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$1.00
5 Target SB, 16 Yards, C/D.

Event 2— Nom. \$3.00
20 Target Frankston and Peninsula District
SB Championship

Sunday, 2nd December, 1973

Commencing 12 p.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$1.20
10 Target E/O (5 Tower, 5 Handicap)

Event 2— Nom. \$4.00
20 Target Commonwealth Mini Tower C'ship

Event 3— Nom. \$3.00
20 Target Double Barrel Handicap

Event 4—
(In conjunction with Event 3)
5-Man Team Shoot for IMI Shield

O. W. FERGUSON, Secretary,
131 Kananook Avenue,
Seaford South, 3201.
Phone: 786-6546.

C'ship: 1st R. Cartledge 26:26; 2nd D. Milojevic 25:26; 3rd G. Clarke 21:22. Club Night Jubilee SB C'ship: 1st D. Milojevic 22:22; 2nd R. Morrison 27:28; 3rd A. Bradshaw 26:28.

GEELONG, 15-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 18. Results: Skeet Half Round EO: 4 div. Club Mixed Tgt. Tower C'ship: 1st P. Torok 19:20; 2nd J. Elliot 32:36; 3rd J. Hawke 30:36. Skeet Trophy H'cap: 1st A. Wembridge 99:104; 2nd I. Varley 95:104; 3rd I. Bell 51:60. 10-tgt. Tower Pts.: 1st J. Elliot and D. Mills 30:30; 2nd R. Schwarz and R. Mills 29:30.

GEELONG, 22-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 30. Results: 10-tgt. Pts. 16 yds: 1st V. Mollica, T. Zagore 30:30. J. J. Hehir DB C'ship: 1st C. Allitt 60:60; 2nd N. Wenning 59:60; 3rd I. Dickins 52:53. IMI Trophy H'cap: 1st J. Elliot 119:119; 2nd R. McDonald 118:119; 3rd J. Long 35:36. 25-tgt. ISU SS: 1st R. Parker 24:25; 2nd V. Mollica, G. Ewen 23:25 2nd.

GEELONG, 29-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 30. Results: 10-tgt. ISU Pts.: 1st L. Gibson 26:30; 2nd T. Nash 25:30; 3rd R. Toner 24:30. 10-tgt. DTL Pts.: D. Snell, R. Evans, J. Russell 30:30. Eastern Gardens DB C'ship: 1st I. Dickins 28:28; 2nd J. Russell 27:28; 3rd D. Yean 26:28. FM: J. O'Keefe. Eastern Gardens ISU DB C'ship: 1st I. Dickins 23:25; 2nd R. Coombes 22:25; 3rd J. Elliott 21:25. Eastern Gardens SB C'ship: 1st I. Dickins 20:20; 2nd R. Schwarz 20:21; 3rd R. Green 19:21. 15-tgt. H'cap: J. Russell, M. Mollica 15:15.

Ian Dickins turned in one of his best performances to win all three championships.

HAMILTON, 22-9-73.—Windy. Attendance: 52. Results: IMI Shield Teams Shoot: Wimmera 289:300; Western District 284:300; South-East South Australia 284:300. 15-tgt. H'cap Cash: 17 div. 15-tgt. H'cap Cash: 6 div.

F. Taylor congratulated on obtaining his 50 break badge.

HORSHAM, 8-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 49. Results: \$60 value H'cap: 13 div. 15:15. IMI Trophy H'cap: 1st Dennis Jones 38:38; 2nd Harry Miller 37:38; 3rd Ron Newell 30:31. Miss-Out on 27 yds.: R. Gould.

D. Jones earned his 50 break badge.

KORUMBURRA GUN CLUB

(Victoria)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Saturday, 24th November, 1973

Commencing 12 noon

Event 1—

**10 Targets Points, Cash Divide
16 Yards**

Event 2—

**CLUB DOUBLE BARREL
CHAMPIONSHIP**

Event 3—

**15 TARGETS DOUBLE BARREL
HANDICAP**

First: Trophy worth \$120
Second and third.

High Gun on day

President:
P. KUYER,
Kongwak.

Secretary:
M. HAMBLIN,
Poowong.

GEELONG CLAY TARGET CLUB

(VIC.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

NOVEMBER PROGRAMME

Friday, 2nd—7.30 p.m.

(PRACTICE TILL DARK)

Event 1— Nom. \$5.50
**COMMONWEALTH NIGHT MINI MIXED
TARGETS CHAMPIONSHIP**

Event 2— Nom. \$4.50
**VICTORIAN STATE NIGHT MINI MIXED
TARGETS CHAMPIONSHIP**

Sunday, 11th—12 noon

Event 1— Nom. \$2.00
1-Round Skeet, E/O.

Event 2— Nom. \$3.00
City of Geelong Graded Skeet Championship

Event 3— Nom. \$3.00
Geelong and District Skeet Championship

Event 4— Nom. \$1.00
5 Targets, ISU Points Score, 15 Metres

Event 5— Nom. \$3.00
**Club Jubilee ISU Championship
(20 Targets from 15 Metres)**

Event 6— Nom. \$3.00
**Limeburner's Point ISU Championship
(20 Targets from 15 Metres)**

Friday, 16th—7.30 p.m.

(PRACTICE TILL DARK)

Event 1— Nom. \$5.50
**COMMONWEALTH NIGHT WALK-UP
CHAMPIONSHIP
(25 TARGETS)**

Event 2— Nom. \$4.50
**VICTORIAN STATE NIGHT CONTINENTAL
DB CHAMPIONSHIP
(30 Targets from 18 yards)**

Saturday, 24th 1 p.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$1.00
5 Targets, Points Score, Tower

*Event 2— Nom. \$3.00
Club Jubilee DB Tower Championship

Event 3— Nom. \$4.50
TROPHY TOWER HANDICAP
1st—12-Gauge Single Barrel Shotgun.
2nd—"Big Jim" Battery Lantern.
3rd—Transistor Radio.

Event 4— Nom. \$3.00
20 Target DTL Sweepstakes Handicap

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING

* Club Aggregate Event

President:
J. J. HEHIR,
49 Lonsdale Street,
South Geelong, 3220.

Secretary:
N. WENNING,
11 Hering Crt.,
East Geelong, 3219.

VICTORIAN GUN CLUB

(VIC.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Ground Location: Cnr. Geelong & Boundary
Roads, Brooklyn

NOVEMBER PROGRAMME

Wednesday, 7th—7.30 p.m.

- 1.—VGC Twilight SB Championship
- 2.—Vice-President's Night DB C'ship

Wednesday, 14th—7.30 p.m.

- 1.—20 Tgts. DB Twilight Handicap
- 2.—Sunshine District DB Championship

Wednesday, 21st—7.30 p.m.

- 1.—10 Tgts. Points Twilight Tower
- 2.—Vic. State DB Night Tower C'ship

Wednesday, 28th—7.30 p.m.

- 1.—20 Tgts. Twilight DB Handicap
- 2.—Vice-President's Night SB C'ship

DECEMBER

Saturday, 1st—12.30 p.m.

- 1.—15 Tgts. DB Handicap
Nom. \$5.00. Cash Trophies.

Including MERSEY v. VICTORIAN GUN CLUB
ICI SHIELD SHOOT

- 2.—Mersey & Victorian G.C. DB C'ship

Wednesday, 5th—7.30 p.m.

- 1.—20 Tgts. Twilight DB Handicap
- 2.—V.G.C. Christmas D/D Championship

The Committee reserves the right to alter the
programme.

Two Traps operating at all shoots.

President:
R. MITCHELL,
18-Keswick Street,
Bentleigh.
Phone: 57-1997

Secretary:
Miss J. PLATTEN,
P.O. Box 11,
Altona North, 3025.

Maryborough & District Gun Club

(Vic.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Saturday, 24th November, 1973

EVENT 1—

5 Target Eye-Opener Points

EVENT 2—

**VICTORIAN STATE WALK-UP
CHAMPIONSHIP**

Event 3—

(Time Permitting)

20 Target DB Handicap

Shooting Ground located on Carisbrook
Racecourse.

Refreshments and Cartridges available.

President:
DON ROBINSON,
Carisbrook.

Secretary:
PHILIP HURSE,
Carisbrook.
Phone: 64-2222

MILDURA CLAY TARGET GUN CLUB

(Victoria)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Saturday, 24th November, 1973

At 1.30 p.m.

EVENT 1—

20 Target DB S/S, 16 Yards

EVENT 2—

Club Mixed Target Championship
5 Targets DB — 5 Targets SB — 5 Walk-up
5 Pair Double Rise

EVENT 3—

25 Target Skeet S/S Handicap

Saturday, 8th December, 1973

At 1.30 p.m.

EVENT 1—

10 Target S/S Handicap

EVENT 2—

ICI Trophy Shoot

First: Trophy donated by ICI

EVENT 3—

Skeet S/S Handicap

Secretary:
L. C. CONNORS,
P.O. Box 19, Mildura, 3500.
Phone: 232567.

KORUMBURRA, 22-9-73.—Good. Attendance: 27. Results: 5 pr. DR off 16 yds: 4 div. 9:10. Club DR C'ship: 1st M. Green 20:22; 2nd A. Cripps 19:22; 3rd J. Green 19:24. 10 SB H'cap: 1st B. Cripps 17:17; 2nd J. Green 16:17; 3rd N. Olsen 14:15. 10-tgt. Tower CD: 5 div. 10:10. Novelty Shoot: T. Wilkinson. Three Monthly Aggregate Trophy: M. Green.

KYNETON, 9-9-73.—Good. Attendance: 51. Results: 10-tgt. EO 16 yds: 3 possibles. Novice, D. Paterson with 28 pts. 20-tgt. SB Daffodil C'ship: A Grade: N. Paterson (Sebastopol) 20:21. B Grade: N. Guy (Kyneton) 19:20. C Grade: J. Hamblin (Korumburra) 21:21 overall. 10-tgt. Novelty: 6 div.

MACARTHUR, 4-9-73.—Windy. Attendance: 41. Results: McSween Shield won by Tyrendarra 69 pts. out of 75. Club DB C'ship won by B. Jennings 32:32; 2nd D. Mayfield 31:32; 3rd R. Millard 29:30. FM: W. McPherson 23:24, his first trophy. 10-tgt. H'cap: 10 div.

MANSFIELD, 19-8-73.—Overcast. Attendance: 20. Results: 10-tgt. DB EO: 7 possibles. 15-tgt. DB H'cap: J. Gardner 20:20 1st; G. Hall 19:20 2nd; S. Le Poidevin 32:33 3rd. 10-tgt. DB CD: 1st R. Stackhouse; 2nd G. Hall; 3rd K. Newman.

MANSFIELD, 16-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 25. Results: 10-tgt. DB EO: 6 possibles. 20-tgt. DB H'cap: S. Le Poidevin, Mansfield 1st; R. Davenport, Wangaratta 2nd; R. Stackhouse, Benalla 3rd. Novelty 10-tgt.: 3 shot possible. 6 pr. DD: 6 pr. shot possible.

MARYBOROUGH, 24-9-73.—Good. Attendance: 30. Results: \$100 value H'cap: 1st G. Buchanan 153:153; 2nd D. Howden 152:153; 3rd D. Yean. DR Mini Tgt. C'ship: 1st G. Solomano 17:20; 2nd J. Corbett; 3rd D. Howden.

G. Buchanan and D. Howden shared 500 cartridges for breaking the club handicap record of 141. Shells are donated by Leech's Sports Store. The new record is now 153.

MELBOURNE, 8-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 77. Results: Coldstream and Dist. Olympic Trench C'ship: 1st W. Hailes 50:50; 2nd P. Wray 48:50. Yarra Valley DB C'ship: A Grade: 1st W. Dalzell 73:73; 2nd T. Salafia 72:73. B Grade: 1st R. Henwood 33:33; 2nd T. Rowe 30:31. C Grade: 1st G. Spagnolo 30:31; 2nd B. Pyke 29:31. Overall winner: W. Dalzell 73:73. Yarra Dist. Skeet C'ship: Open: 1st G. Biggs 50:50; 2nd N. Moore 59:60. Rest.: 1st H. Sawatzky 47:50; 2nd D. Fisher 45:50.

The Club was pleased to welcome members of the A.C.T.A. Executive Committee, who were interested to see the progress being made with preparations for the Trap and Skeet Section of the W.M.T.C.'s.

MELBOURNE, 15-9-73.—Mild. Attendance: 45. Results: City of Melb. Olympic Trench C'ship: A Grade: 1st S. Teboneras 87:100; 2nd J. Henwood 85:100. B Grade: 1st P. Ford 85:100; 2nd N. DeLorenzo 79:100. C Grade: No Placings. Overall winner: S. Teboneras. City of Melb. ISU Skeet C'ship: 1st M. Quirk 85:100; 2nd M. Little 82:100.

MELBOURNE, 22-9-73.—Mild. Attendance: 111. Results: Winchester Trap Tournament: A Grade: 1st R. Toner 103.103; 2nd A. James 102.103; 3rd N. Berry 101.102. B Grade: 1st T. Spence 50:50; 2nd G. Leech 49:50; 3rd R. DeVries 48:51. C Grade: 1st G. Spagnolo 53:55; 2nd E. Cavendon 52:55; 3rd R. O'Day 50:53. Overall winner: R. Toner — "Long Run" Break 124:124. Lilydale and Dist. DR C'ship: A Grade: 1st J. Henwood 20:22; 2nd A. James 19:22. B Grade: 1st J. Mollica 20:23; 2nd T. Spence 19:23. C Grade: 1st G. McClure 19:20; 2nd R. McClure 17:20. M.G.C.

Geelong Clay Target Club (Vic.)

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

NEW YEAR'S DAY

TUESDAY, JANUARY 1, 1974

\$1800 Grand Handicap for 4 Guns

3 Championship Events

Shot over 4 Traps

Day and Night Events

METROPOLITAN CLAY TARGET CLUB (VIC.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Location: O'Hern's Road, Epping (Vic.)

New White Flyer Traps—D.T.L. and Skeet

November 3, 4, 6—Grand Prix Carnival

(See September and October adverts.)

Saturday, November 10

15 Targets Points Eye-Opener, C/D.
Nom. \$2.00

THOMASTOWN DB CHAMPIONSHIP
A, B, C Grades. 20 Targets from 16 yards.
Sash and Trophy each Grade.

20 TARGETS TROPHY HANDICAP
Top Class Trophies. Nom. \$3.00.

THOMASTOWN SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP
Nom. \$3.00.

Friday, November 16

(Starting 7 p.m. sharp)

THOMASTOWN TWILIGHT POINTS NIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

Graded A, B, C. Nom. \$3.50.

20 TARGETS HANDICAP—Nom. \$8.50
First, Gun; second, Primus Stove. Yardages:
Primus Lamps for 12/16, 17/20, 21/27.

Sunday, November 18

(Starting 12 noon)

15 Targets Points, C/D.
Nom. \$2.00

DON GLOVER MEMORIAL CHAMPIONSHIP
20 Targets from 18 yards. Sash and top trophies.
Nom. \$4.00.

Handicap time permitting.

DON GLOVER MEMORIAL SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP
Nom. \$3.00

Saturday, November 24

15 Points Eye-Opener, C/D
Nom. \$2.00

CLUB WALK-UP CHAMPIONSHIP
Sash and Trophy to winner. Trophies Second, Third and Yardages. Nom. \$3.00.

CLUB MINI DB CHAMPIONSHIP—A, B, C.
Sashes and Trophies for first in each Grade.
Nom. \$3.00.

CRAIGIEBURN SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP
Sash donated by A. Harvey. Nom. \$3.00.

Friday, November 30

10 Points Eye-Opener
CRAIGIEBURN TWILIGHT DB C'SHIP
20 Targets from 16 yards. A, B, C. Nom. \$3.50.

20 TARGET HANDICAP
Nom. \$3.50. All trophies donated by
Don Churchill.

CRAIGIEBURN SKEET NIGHT C'SHIP
Nom. \$3.50.

President: H. BELMORE
Phone: 305-4084.

Secretary: C. J. COLLEDGE,
12 Adler Grove, Merlynston,
Phone: 35-4835.

Morwell Gun Club

(Vic.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

VIC. STATE MINI CHAMPIONSHIP

Saturday, 17th November, 1973

Commencing 12.30 p.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$1.50

10 Tgts. Mini DB Pts. Eye-Opener
18 YARDS

Event 2— Nom. \$4.00

30 Tgts. Victorian State Mini D.B.
Points Championship

Op. Sweeps \$2.00

Event 3— Nom. \$1.50

10 Targets Points Handicap

Event 4— Nom. \$3.00

15 Targets H'cap Budge Shield

Op. Sweeps \$1.00

SASH AND TROPHIES

The Committee reserve the right to alter the programme.

N. LAPHAM, Secretary.

Wangaratta Gun Club

(VICTORIA)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Ground Location: Rear Vine Hotel, North
Wangaratta

Saturday, November 17, 1973

Starting 10 a.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$1.50

10 Targets Double Barrel
Eye-Opener

16 YARDS

Event 2— Nom. \$3.00

Wangaratta Gun Club DB
Championship

Op. Sweeps \$1.00

Event 3— Nom. \$10.00

15 TARGET DB HANDICAP

Op. Sweeps \$1.00

First: Choice of — Deep Free, Miroku ORE Gun or 12 ft.
Aluminium Punt.

Second: Choice of — Mec. Loader or Kenwood Chef Mixer

Third: Choice of — Deep Fry or Vertical Grill

Four Yardage Prizes — 12-15, 16-19, 20-23, 24-27.

\$10.00 or Steak Knives.

HIGH GUN OVER EVENTS 1, 2 and 3.

President: A. PENNEY,
Avon Court,
Wangaratta, 3677.
Phone: 21-5706.

Secretary: K. LAW,
24 Younger Street,
Wangaratta, 3677.
Phone: 21-3529.

Spring Skeet C'ship: Open: 1st J. Allen 50:50; 2nd J. Summers 59:60. Rest.: 1st D. Fisher 47:60; 2nd R. Lane 46:60. Overall winner: J. Allen 50:50.

MELBOURNE, 23-9-73.—Overcast. Attendance: 71. Results: C'wealth SB C'ship: A Grade: 1st A. James 39:40; 2nd W. Dalzell 40:43. B Grade: 1st S. Henwood 42:46; 2nd J. Jenkins 41:46. C Grade: 1st R. Henwood 39:43; 2nd E. Jackson 38:43. Overall winner: A. James 39:40. 15-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st R. Toner 81:81; 2nd J. Nelson 80:81; 3rd J. Hollonds 70:71. 10-tgt. DB Pts.: 9 div. 30:30.

METROPOLITAN.—We had plenty to occupy our minds during September. On Saturday 1st, we commenced with a 6 pair DR EO. This was won outright by Tom Spence 12:12. Then followed the Lalor DR C'ship. Bill Attwood was best with 18:22. Don Fisher 16:22 was second and Ray Lane third with 17:23. Dan Meldrum and Merv Landers took the yardage prizes.

Don Fisher and Lyle Mitchell combined well to win the Lalor DD C'ship 17:20. The second pair were Ted Lobley and Brian Williams scoring 34:38.

A 50 round Skeet was divided by Don Fisher and Keith Paterson 48:50. Dan Meldrum and Ray Lane cut a 15 targets Handicap with clean scores.

On September 15 and 16 we entertained the South Australian Gun Club in the annual teams match. On the first day we shot the Whittlesea DB C'ship which was in Grades. The results were: A Grade, Dick Toner 47:47; Graham White 37:38. B Grade, Ted Lobley 46:47; Bob Dupuy 24:25. C Grade, Phil Fergus 20:20, Les Godfrey 22:23. The outright sash winner was Dick Toner.

A 15 targets Handicap saw Dan Meldrum first 24:24 from Ray Lane 28:29 and Des Kimber 27:28.

Merv Landers won the Kal Kallo Skeet C'ship 25:25; second was Jeff Hollywood 32:33 and Ian Campbell 30:33 third.

Merv Landers with 62:65 won the High Gun for the day and the 12:14 High Gun went to D. Wills.

On Sunday, September 16 the usual eye-opener of 15 points was divided by Dave Sparron and Kev Flaherty (both South Australians) 45:45. Five others cut the remainder each one point down.

Then came the Teams Matches. At Skeet, South Australia beat us by one point, the scores being SA 119, Metro 118. We looked to have this won, but our visitors stuck it out with the foregoing result. Bob Wilson (Metro) scored the Skeet High Gun 33:33.

In the down-the-line match we were done like a good dinner, South Australia scoring 143 to our 134. Our only success in this match was that Bob Dupuy took the high gun with 51:52. The perpetual trophy was taken back to South Australia, but that will be only for one year, we hope.

The Reservoir Pts. C'ship was graded. In A Grade Des Kimber 78:78 beat his cousin Ray Kimber 77:78. B Grade, Dave Sparron 58:60, Merv Landers second. C Grade, John Spagnolo 58:60 and Dan Meldrum second.

The Wollert Skeet C'ship was won by Bob Mules (SA President) 30:30 from Barney Rooke (Wagga) 29:30 and Peter Torok (Geelong) 28:29. The Restricted Skeet held in conjunction went to Les Godfrey 36:38 from Geoff Featherstone 35:38 and Tom Spence 31:34.

High Gun for the day was won by Bob Wilson 64:67 and the 12-14 High Gun by D. Rolfe 41:50.

The South Australian visitors were entertained at a dinner at Salzburg Lodge on the Saturday night and it was a very pleasant evening.

MILDURA, 4-8-73.—Sunny. Attendance: 35. Results: Olympic Park Skeet C'ship 50 targets: 1st G. T. Wakefield 50:50; 2nd J. Wakefield 47:50; 3rd A. Metcalf 46:50.

MILDURA, 26-8-73.—Good. Attendance: 37. Results: Club ISU Trench C'ship 50 targets: 1st J. Hall 47:55; 2nd I. Wakefield 46:55; 3rd J. Finis 41:50.

MILDURA, 1, 2-9-73.—Wet and windy. Attendance: 50. Results: Vic. Universal Trench C'ship: 1st P. Wray 92:100; 2nd K. Lowry 91:100; 3rd J. Henwood 88:100. Club 100 Target C'ship: 1st R. Wilson 114:116; 2nd K. Lowry 113:116; 3rd J. Blythman 104:106. C'wealth Night Skeet C'ship: 1st R. Wakefield 41:50; 2nd B. Marks 40:50; 3rd J. Wakefield 39:50. 50-tgt. Graded Trench Trophy Shoot: A Grade: K. Lowry. B Grade: F. Heinze 41:50. C Grade: G. Finis 37:50. Best Lady Shooter: Miss Deserie Wakefield. Graded Skeet Trophy Shoot: 0-1: R. Wilson, G. T. Wakefield div. 2-3: R. Matson, J. Ietto, J. Finis div. 4-10: F. Heinze, G. Mills div.

MORWELL, 15-9-73.—Cold. Attendance: 21. Results: 25-tgt. EO Cont. DB CD: 4 div. 24:25. 50-tgt. Trophy Cont. DB: 1st J. Green 50:50; 2nd R. Thatcher 52:55; 3rd A. Cripps 51:55. 25-tgt. Cont. CD DB: 5 div. 24:25.

NOORAT, 15-9-73.—Excellent. Attendance: 26. Results: 25-tgt. ISU: 1st J. Twaddle 23:25; 2nd D. Grummett 23:25; 3rd L. Reicha 22:25. 25-tgt. ISU H'cap A, B, C: 1st A. McSween 24:25; 2nd I. Grummett 21:25; 3rd L. Reicha 20:25. High Gun: A. McSween 1st 43:50.

SEBASTOPOL, 7-9-73.—Excellent. Attendance: 59. Results: Club DB Pts. C'ship: A: R. Parker 65:66; D. Milojevic 64:66. B: G. Solamano 69:69; C. Townsing 65:66. C: R. Potter 66:69; D. Howden 59:60. Overall: G. Solamano 69:69. Dist. DD C'ship: 1st H. Eldridge and A. Allitt 47:47; 2nd G. Leech and C. Alderson 46:47. FM: B. Nunn and D. Paterson 43:44.

The highlight of the shoot was the excellent score of 43:44 pair shot by frontmarkers in the DD. Both are 12 yarders and it wasn't until they moved from 20 to 22 yds. that the experienced shooters could snake them off.

SHEPPARTON, 2-9-73.—Cold. Attendance: 49. Results: 10-tgt. DB 16 yds: 13 div. Shepparton and Dist. DB C'ship: 1st Overall and C Grade: R. Piasiri 33:33. 1st A Grade: N. Berry 32:33; 2nd E. Williams 25:26. 1st B Grade: J. Cooper 21:22; 2nd B. Gribben 20:21. C Grade: G. Shawcross 27:28. 20-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st C. Tingay 40:40; 2nd P. McFadyen 39:40; 3rd G. Shawcross 23:24. Yardage: 20-23 yds: K. Maurey. FM: K. Corry.

A home team was successful in retaining the Damian Doncon Memorial Trophy, shot in conjunction with the C'ship. Young Colin Tingay from Seymour, shot brilliantly to win the gun, under difficult conditions.

TATURA, 16-9-73.—Perfect. Attendance: 39. Results: Goulburn Valley Mixed Tgt. C'ship: A Class winner: V. Ryan 32:35. B Class winner, also overall: W. Wickham 23:25. C Class winner: E. Cavedon 22:25. IMI Trophy H'cap: 1st P. McFadyen 63:63; 2nd J. Cooper 62:63; 3rd N. Hore 28:29. Shepparton Sports Depot SB Cup: Winner, G. Bequire 18:18. High Gun winner E. Cavedon 54:57. Ladies Trophy won by Mrs Lois Gribben.

VICTORIAN, 22-8-73.—Cold. Attendance: 75. Results: Footscray Dist. SB Graded C'ship: A Grade: J. Muscat and R. Morrison 20:20. B Grade and overall first: K. Edmunds 28:28. C Grade: M. Italia and A. Howden 19:20. Footscray Dist. DD Tower C'ship: 1st J. Muscat and R. Burrill 25:25; 2nd M. Landers and A. Torr 24:25.

VICTORIAN, 26-8-73.—Fine. Attendance: 77. Results: 10-tgt. 16 yds. Pts.: 10 possibles. 20-tgt. DB Graded C'ship: A: 1st R. Evans; 2nd T. Zagorc. B: 1st T. Spence; 2nd D. Donnellan. C: 1st F. Dignan.

VICTORIAN, 29-8-73.—Wet. Attendance: 60. Results: Southern Dist. DR C'ship: 1st K. Edmunds 19:20; 2nd P. Avison 18:20; 3rd D. Milojevic 19:22. FM: T. Guchi 17:20. Southern Dist. DD C'ship: 1st T. Bradshaw and D. Milojevic 76:76; 2nd R. Morrison and R. Evans 75:76.

VICTORIAN, 5-9-73.—Wet and windy. Attendance: 65. Results: 20-tgt. DB H'cap: 5 div. Fred Bree Memorial DB C'ship: 1st G. Ewen 30:30; 2nd K. Edmunds 29:30; 3rd J. Muscat. FM: V. Bernardi 18:20.

KYNETON GUN CLUB (Vic.)

SUNDAY, 11th NOVEMBER, 1973
from 12 noon sharp

\$500 VALUE PRIZES TO BE WON

10 Pr. D/Rise Club Championship off 16 yards.
20 Target DB Handicap.

B. FLEMING, Secretary.

Phone: 22-1059

Bendigo Clay Target Club (Vic.)

VIC. STATE TEAMS' ELIMINATION
AND INTERSTATE TEAMS' MATCH
AUSTRALIA DAY, JANUARY 28, 1974

Full details December "News."

WERRIBEE GUN CLUB

(VIC.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Shooting Grounds: Leakes Road, Truganina

Sunday, 4th November, 1973

Starting Time: 1 p.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$1.50
Eye-Opener. — 5 Prs. D/Rise, C/D.

Event 2— Nom. \$3.00
Club D/Rise Championship

Event 3— Nom. \$3.00
Club Deauville Doubles C'ship
(Select own partners)

OTHER EVENTS — TIME PERMITTING

Cartridges, Afternoon Tea and Refreshments
available on ground.

President:
W. ABBOTT,
4 Griffiths Street,
Werribee.

Secretary:
K. SHANAHAN,
4 Jellicoe Street,
Werribee.
Phone: 741-1197

Warrnambool Gun Club (Vic.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Saturday, 10th November, 1973

Commencing 1.30 p.m. sharp

Western District Clay Target Association Teams Match

Mount Warrnambool DB ST
Championship

Victorian State Deauville Doubles
Mini Target Championship

TWO TRAPS

Ground 3 miles east of Warrnambool on
right of Highway.

Enquiries: Warrnambool 3823 or 2517.

R. C. KENNEALLY, Secretary,
8 Anderson St., Warrnambool, Vic., 3280.

VICTORIAN, 12-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 55. Results: 20-tgt. DB H'cap: 10 div.

VICTORIAN, 19-9-73.—Wet. Attendance: 45. Results: V.G.C. SB Winter C'ship: 1st D. Trembath 20:20; 2nd R. Morrison 34:36; 3rd R. Evans 33:36. FM: J. Cameron. Western Subs. Tower Pts. C'ship: 1st R. Burrill 74:75; 2nd R. Morrison 71:75; 3rd V. Mollica 70:75. FM: M. Mollica 44:60. Footscray Dist. DB Mini C'ship: A and 1st: K. Fisher 32:33. B: P. Ford 31:33. C: M. Italia. 28:30.

VICTORIAN, 23-9-73.—Overcast. Attendance: 45. Results: Southern Dist. DB Mini Tgt. C'ship: 1st and A Grade: R. Morrison 26:26. B Grade: S. Stamell 25:26. C Grade: M. Italia 21:22. 20 pr. DD: 1st R. Evans and R. Morrison 62:62; 2nd K. Edmunds and G. Ewen 61:62. 20-tgt. H'cap: 1st F. Spinosa 61:61; 2nd S. Teboneras 60:61; 3rd M. Beaton 56:57.

WANGARATTA, 14-9-73.—Cool night. Attendance: 41. Results: 5 DB, 5 SB EO: 5 div. N.E. Dist. Mixed Tgt. C'ship: Overall and A Grade: R. Lowry 23:25. B Grade: J. Stamp 27:35. C Grade: J. Cobbe 22:25. 20-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st A. Smith 42:42; 2nd P. Trabant 41:42; 3rd R. English 29:30. High Gun: R. English 51:55. Ladies Trophy: Mrs N. Hore.

WARRNAMBOOL, 8-9-73.—Good. Attendance: 22. Results: 20-tgt. H'cap six trophies: 1st P. Vaughan 20:20; 2nd B. Jennings 42:43; 3rd B. Rundle 41:43; 4th D. Steff 34:35; 5th L. Simms 32:33; 6th B. Coverdale 24:25. 10-tgt. Mini H'cap: 1st B. Jennings 10:10; 2nd P. Vaughan, D. Burger, B. Coverdale, L. Simms, A. Gordon 9:10.

WOODS POINT, 23-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 28. Results: 10-tgt. DB Pts. H'cap: 1st I. Wales 33:33; 2nd G. Matchan 32:33; 3rd R. Lane 32:36. 20-tgt. Upper Goulburn C'ship: 1st R. Lane 20:20; 2nd I. Wales 22:23; 3rd P. Poole 21:23. Yardage prizes: 12-13: A. Powell 16:23. 14-15: T. McShane 23:25. Novelty: 1st G. Matchan.

Noorat Gun Club

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NIGHT SHOOT

Saturday, 24th November, 1973

Starts 7.30 p.m. (D.S. Time)

Event 1— Nom. \$2.00

Twilight Eye-Opener

10 MINI TARGETS, SB
Sweepstakes, C/D.

Event 2— Nom. \$4.50

STATE SB NIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP MINI TARGETS

30 TARGETS — 18 YARDS
Op. Sweeps 50c. each 15

Event 3— Nom. \$3.50

Lake Lollie Deauville Double Championship—Mini Targets

BAR-B-Q TEA AVAILABLE

G. DAVY, Secretary,
12 Austin Ave., Terang, 3264.



WEST AUSTRALIA

AZZURRI, 26-8-73.—Fine. Attendance: 30. Results: 30-tgt. DB DTL Winchester H'cap: 1st B. G. Smith 30:30; 2nd J. King 29:30; 3rd A. E. Geddes 29:30. 20-tgt. DB DTL CD: 6 div. 19:20.

AZZURRI, 9-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 25. Results: 20-tgt. DB DTL Pts.: 1st J. Yozzi 58:60, S.O. 24:24; 2nd J. Marinelli 58:60, S.O. 21:24; 3rd G. Rigoni 57:60, S.O. 21:21. 25-tgt. Skeet Practice: 3 div. 24:25.

BOYUP BROOK, 9-9-73.—Windy. Attendance: 31. Results: The third round of the triangle competition between Edgehill, Darkin and Boyup Brook clubs was contested today with each shooter shooting at 50 mixed targets.

Competition was keen and Edgehill with 219 broken targets won by one target from Boyup Brook with 218 broken targets. Darkin followed with 201 broken targets.

High gun trophy for the day was won by L. Ferris with a score of 47:50. The BM's trophy was won by E. Atkinson 45:50 and the FM's trophy was won by C. Horley 43:50.

EASTERN GOLDFIELDS, 19-8-73.—Fine. Attendance: 10. Results: 15-tgt. DB, 15-tgt. SB: 1st P. Graham.

Peter Graham and Geoff Bagley tied with 28:30 each. Peter winning the shoot-off with 37:40.

EASTERN GOLDFIELDS, 2-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 15. Results: Club DR C'ship: Outright and A Grade: W. Montgomery 26:30. B Grade: L. Naylor 31:40. C Grade: J. Hocking 25:30.

Bill Montgomery won well considering the trouble he had with his double jointed trigger finger. Lyn Ash and Laurie Naylor shot-off for the B Grade Section — "Lucky" Jack Hocking winning the C Grade outright.

EASTERN GOLDFIELDS, 16-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 13. Results: 50-tgt. DB Inter Club Team Shoot: A Grade: W. Montgomery. B Grade: L. Naylor. C Grade: M. Paget.

GERALDTON, 12-8-73.—Mild. Attendance: 18. Results: 50-tgt. Skeet Club C'ship and Interclub Skeet Match: A Grade: V. Bunter 46:50; M. Hatch 45:50. B Grade: G. McDonald 45:50; A. Zorino 44:50. Team Selected — M. Hatch, G. McDonald, G. Finlay, V. Bunter, A. Zorino.

GERALDTON, 2-9-73.—Showers. Attendance: 15. Results: 15-tgt. SB Grade 16 yds: A Grade: 1st D. Scowcroft 15:15; 2nd W. Johns and A. Ferreo 14:15. B Grade: S. Clements 14:15 and A. Webb 14:15. 15-tgt. DB Pts. H'cap: 1st S. Clements 44:45; 2nd V. Bunter 43:45; 3rd J. Griffiths and D. Scowcroft 41:45. 10 pr. DR 16 yds: 1st V. Bunter 19:20; 2nd A. Ferreo 18:20; 3rd 4 div. 15:20.

Club welcomed S. Clements from Northam G.C.

KOJONUP, 9-9-73.—Showers. Attendance: 12. Results: 50-tgt. Skeet: High Gun: Ross Anderson 47:50. The Wallace Hope Perpetual Cup and Replica H'cap Trophy: R. Manolini 50:50. SS: R. Anderson, D. Ryall, S. Gibson. Visitors: Colin Ball. Kojonup G.C. Team (ICTM): D. Ryall 22; R. Manolini 23; K. Anderson 17; R. L. Ryall 17; M. Ballard 18 — Total 97:125.

NORTHAM, 9-9-73.—Cold, wet and windy. Attendance: 18. Results: 50-tgt. DB: Kevin Friend had a win on Sunday. His score after handicap adjustment was 53.5 after a 49 off the gun. Bruce Smart and Max Draper came equal 2nd with 52.5 points, followed by Jim Morgan and Don Watts scoring 52 each.

Peter Humphry and Don Watts scored 50:50 off the gun, and in the resultant shoot-off Don Watts came out the winner.

Those who were successful in making the Northam team for the Interclub Teams Match were — P. Humphry 50, D. Holtfreter 49, K. Friend 49, B. Smart 49, G. Way 49.

Kevin Friend has now moved to the front in the Aggregate Competition, he has 15.5 points to his credit, followed by Don Watts 12.5 and C. Lee 9.36.

PERTH, 1-9-73.—Wet and cold. Attendance: 28. Results: 100-tgt. ISU Trap: D. L. Wiese 96:100; B. Nicholls 90:100; J. Steiner 88:100. D. G. Watts 86; D. W. Cumming 86. Jnr. 20-tgt.: S. Stenton Jnr. 19:20; T. Bailey 16:20; J. Steiner Jnr. 9:20. 50-tgt. I.S.U. Trap: 1st D. L. Wiese 47:50; 2nd R. Bailey 46:50; 3rd D. G. Watts 45:50.

A disappointing roll-up, only nine contesting the main event which was completed before lunch. Wet weather and school holidays no doubt responsible.

PERTH, 2-9-73.—Showery. Attendance: 16. Results: 100-tgt. ISU Skeet: 1st Robin Bailey 88:100; 2nd Tony Yozzi 77:100; 3rd Vince Marney 76:100.

Our appreciations to IMI and Winchester for donating the 1st prize for trap and skeet events respectively.

A display and demonstration conducted by the WA Field and Game Association drew a large and enthusiastic attendance of members of other types of shooting clubs. Practice was held at DTL, Tower and Standard Skeet; cartridges being donated by IMI and Winchester.

PERTH, 8-9-73.—Cool. Attendance: 29. Results: Club DB C'ship: 1st D. W. Cumming 55:55; 2nd J. W. Eddy 54:55; 3rd R. H. Bailey 49:50, 65:65. Interclub DTL Team: D. Cumming, J. Eddy, R. Bailey, G. Bailey, C. Ellies — scores subjudice. Junior C'ship: 1st Stanley Stenton 19:21; 2nd Paul Collins 20:21; 3rd John Bailey 15:20. Inter. Club DB Champion: Ian Cargeeg 48:50.

PERTH, 21-9-73.—Fine and mild. Attendance: 35. Results: 30-tgt. Grade from 18 yds: A: R. Wann, C. Russell, S. Gibson, J. Ellis, W. Johns 30:30. B: V. Bunter, W. J. Glass 28:30. C: S. Stenton, R. Bessen 29:30. 20-tgt. DB 18 yds. CD: 5 div.

PERTH, 22-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 100. Results: 20-tgt. DB CD 18 yds: 17 div. 50-tgt. State Team Elim: R. Bailey and G. Bailey 50:50; S. Gibson, W. J. Glass, K. Williamson, D. W. Cumming, D. Wiese, C. Ellies, J. Boyes, C. Russell, B. Smith, T. Stelling, K. Schinzig, M. Crossley, F. Buemi. High Gun State Team: D. L. Wiese 50:50 (149:150 pts.). 20-tgt. DB Cartridge H'cap: 1st R. Bessen 49:50; 2nd S. Stenton 48:50; 3rd C. Lee 45:46. Katanning Shield Interclub Teams: Shot in conjunction with State Team Elim. — won by Perth — G. Bailey, R. Bailey 50, D. Cumming 49, R. Wann 48, J. Eddy 45 — 242:250. Rob Bessen and Brian Smith recorded breaks of 50.

PERTH, 23-9-73.—Wet. Attendance: 98. Results: City of Perth DB C'ship: A: J. Ellis 84:84; R. Holtfreter 83:84. B: V. Bunter 74:75; D. Morgan 73:75. C: J. Bright 43:44; G. Green 42:44. State Pts. C'ship: A: J. Ellis 90:90; D. Cumming 88:90. B: K. Williamson 88:90; D. Morgan 87:90. C: M. Liptrot 86:90; R. Bush 83:90. 10-tgt. DB H'cap CD: 24 div. 30-tgt. Grand Koojan H'cap: 1st John Bailey 38:38; 2nd A. Geddes 37:38; 3rd M. Liptrot 30:31; 4th to 9th T. Shine, B. Smith, M. Cubic, V. Bunter 29:30. High Gun Gold Badge: Jim Ellis 222:230. High Gun Silver Badge: Terry Shine 207:230 after shoot-off with Ken Holman (16 yds. and forward).

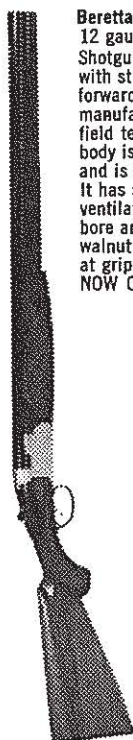
The bright features of the day were the excellent performance by Jim Ellis, followed by an equally creditable effort by John Bailey, aged 12 plus, in winning himself a mini motor bike in the final event. The three placegetters were the only ones in a shoot-off, under shocking conditions.

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SUNDAY, 9th DECEMBER, 1973
DUCK SHOOTERS' SPECIAL

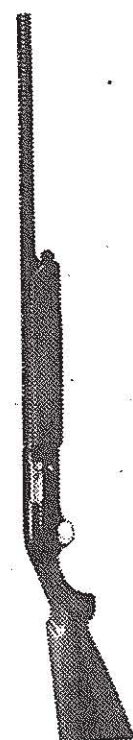
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TWO DAY SHOOT

**Saturday & Sunday, November 24-25
1973**

**GUN, MINI BIKE, JACK BRAHAM
SHIELD**

Saturday, November 24—9.00 a.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$1.00

10 Target DB Handicap

Sweeps 50 cents

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Royal Aero President's Trophy

20 TARGET DB HANDICAP

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to be held in conjunction with the

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Teams of five.

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Overall Badge and Trophy — A, B and C Grade
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Sweeps \$1.00

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MT. PANORAMA

(N.S.W.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Saturday, 17th November, 1973

DAY

Event 1— Nom. \$1.50

15 Target DB Eye-Opener

Optional Sweeps \$1.00

Event 2— Nom. \$2.00

Harry Jaques Memorial Trophy

20 TARGETS — ACTA HANDICAPS

Optional Sweeps \$1.00

Trophy 1st, 2nd, 3rd; best 12/14 yarder.

Event 3— Nom. \$1.50

10 Pair Double Rise Sweep

Optional Sweeps \$1.00

Event 4— Nom. \$3.00

Club Double Rise Championship

20 PAIR — 16 YARDS

Optional Sweeps \$1.00

1st—Trophy and Badge, 2nd, 3rd and
best 12-14 Yarder.

Event 5— Nom. \$1.00

20 Target School Boys' C'ship

1st, 2nd and 3rd.

NIGHT

Event 1— Nom. \$1.00

10 Target DB Mini Target Sweep

Optional Sweeps \$1.00

Event 2— Nom. \$3.50

NSW State Night DB Mini Target Championship

30 TARGETS — 18 YARDS

Optional Sweeps \$1.00

1st—Badge and Trophy, 2nd, 3rd and
best 12-14 Yarder.

Event 3— Nom. \$2.00

10 Target Club DB Trophy

Optional Sweeps \$1.00

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING

Three Electric Traps — Barbeque Tea

Afternoon Tea — Cartridges Available

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R. TAYLOR,
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Bathurst, 2795.



NEW SOUTH WALES

BARELLAN, 9-9-73.—Mild. Attendance: 45. Results: 10-tgt. DB EO 16 yds: 9 div. 20-tgt. DB Club C'ship 16 yds: 2 possibles. Shoot-off, 1st L. Graham 26:26; 2nd P. Stevens 25:26; ten shot 19:20, shoot-off for 3rd L. Ashford 40:41. 10-tgt. Pts. H'cap: 6 div. High Gun: L. Graham.

BOMBALA, 15-9-73.—Attendance: 22. Results: 10-tgt. DB EO: 5 div. 5 SB, 5 DB: Club Trophy, D. Badewitz. 15-tgt. Pts.: 1st T. Kennedy; 2nd K. Woodhouse; 3rd W. Sercombe. 10-tgt. SB: 1st I. Niven; 2nd H. Kennedy. FM: W. Sercombe. 5 pr. DR: 1st D. Twigg; 2nd div. D. Badewitz and K. Woodhouse. High Gun: Don Badewitz.

COBAR, 31-8-73.—Fine. Attendance: 72. Results: C'wealth Night Std. Tgt. SB C'ship 40-tgt. 20 yds.: A Grade and overall: B. Hall 36:40 — 2:3. B Grade: D. Sullivan 34:40 — 1:1. C Grade: Rob Webster 36:40 — 1:3.

COBAR, 1-9-73.—Cold, wet and windy. Attendance: 97. Results: Far West Dist. DB C'ship 20-tgt. 16 yds.: A Grade and overall: M. Burgess 20:20 — 16:16. B Grade: W. Shelton 20:20 — 12:13. C Grade: W. O'Brien 19:20 — 7:7. \$150 H'cap 20-tgt. DB: 3 div. Mafeesh Grand H'cap 20-tgt. DB: T. Budd overall winner; 10 others div. 1000 cartridges. Far West Dist. DD C'ship 20 pr. 20 yds.: 1st R. Snow and B. Hall 20:20 — 35:35; 2nd Ron Webster and J. Webster 20:20 — 34:35.

COBAR, 2-9-73.—Mild. Attendance: 97. Results: Far West Dist. SB C'ship 20-tgt. 16 yds.: B Grade and overall: R. Webb 20:20 — 37:37. A Grade: B. Noll 20:20 — 36:37. C Grade: A. Howison 19:20 — 1:1. \$500 value Copper City H'cap 40-tgt.: 1st B. Noll 20:20 — 7:7; 2nd W. Shelton 20:20 — 6:7; 3rd F. Honeymen 20:20 — 4:5. Farewell Cash H'cap 20-tgt. Pts.: B. Noll 60:60; M. Williams 60:60; R. Whiteman 60:60 div.

A record attendance for Cobar. A total amount of \$64 was donated to our scoreboard fund, by visiting shooters, for which we are very grateful. We feel that the successful attendance was mainly due to recommendation from previous years visiting shooters.

COOTAMUNDRA, 16-9-73.—Fine and mild. Attendance: 12. Results: 5 pr. DR: 3 possibles. South West DR C'ship: E. Vincent A Grade and overall, 20:22. L. Goodacre B Grade, 19:22. A. Aske C Grade. 15-tgt. H'cap: 3 possibles. 10-tgt. Novelty: J. Thompson 10:10. High Gun: L. Goodacre.

COWRA, 8-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 97. Results: 15-tgt. SS: 33 div. Central Tablelands DB C'ship: A Grade: 1st B. Kable 100:100; 2nd A. Alvaro 99:100. B Grade: 1st J. McCann 62:62; 2nd R. Duncan 50:51. C Grade: 1st G. Salmon 46:47; 2nd R. Shaw 30:31. 10-tgt. SS: 33 div.

COWRA, 8-9-73.—Fine and warm. Attendance: 85. Results: Central Tablelands DB Night C'ship: A Grade: 1st Pat Barnes 20:20; 2nd after shoot-off T. Rumbel 36:37. B Grade: 1st L. Chodat 30:30; 2nd J. McCann 22:23. C Grade: 1st B. Beasley 29:30; 2nd H. Jones 22:23. Badge winner for C'ship was L. Chodat 30:30.

COWRA, 9-9-73.—Fine and sunny. Attendance: 108. Results: 5 pr. DR SS: 6 div. Lachlan Valley DR C'ship: A Grade: 1st W. Jones 22:24; 2nd L. Crema 20:22. B Grade: 1st L. Venables 28:32; 2nd R. Parker 27:32. C Grade: 1st A. Lucchese 23:24; 2nd M. Laughton 19:22. \$100 cash H'cap: 26 div. 15-tgt. Pts. Trophy: 1st R. Webb 81:81; 2nd J. Harman 78:81; 3rd S. Smith 77:81. FM: N. Banko 62:63. ICI Perpetual Trophy: Condobolin Club 97:100; Marconi No. 1 97:100; after shoot-off in point score Marconi 138:150 defeated Condobolin 134:150.

Badge winner for Lachlan Valley DR C'ship was A. Lucchese. ICI Perpetual Trophy 20 teams nominated from the following clubs — Illawarra (4 teams), Cowra (2), Sydney (1), Taree-Wingham (2), Bombala (1), Condobolin (1), Marconi (2), Orange (2), Bungendore (2), Rankins Springs (1), Queanbeyan (1), Berridale (1). High Gun was won by P. Bortolin.

FINLEY, 23-9-73.—Cold. Attendance: 24. Results: Southern Riverina SB C'ship: A Grade and overall: B. Rooke 20:20. B: P. Ashford 18:20. C: N. Wallace 18:20. 15-tgt. Boomerang H'cap: 1st G. Beqir 28:28; 2nd P. MacFadyen 27:28; 3rd D. Edwards 23:24. 10-tgt. SB G. A. Edwards Cup: G. Beqir 10:10.

GANMAIN, 8-9-73.—Cool. Attendance: 26. Results: 10-tgt. DB: 7 div. 15-tgt. Trophy: D. Inch 25:25; L. Rutzou 24:25; J. Wilson 31:33. 10-tgt. Pts.: 4 div. 10-pr. DR: E. Vincent 18:20; L. Rutzou, D. Inch 16:20. FM: R. Black. Ladies Trophy: Mrs H. Plane.

GOODDOGA, 15-9-73.—Windy. Attendance: 45. Results: 10-tgt. EO: 1st G. Ferguson, W. Hill 10:10; 1F shared 3rd. 20-tgt. Pts.: 1st P. Noble 20:57; 2nd J. Farrell 19:56; 3rd I. Woodcock 19:54. 10-tgt. SB: 1st R. Parker; 2nd B. Urquart; 3rd B. Holcombe. 20-tgt. DB: 1st W. Loughnan; 2nd J. Farrell; 3rd R. Moore. 20-tgt. Pts.: 1st S. McMaster 18:54; 2nd P. Williams; 3rd W. O'Brien. 10 pr. DR: 1st J. Farrell; 2nd M. Williams; 3rd S. McMaster and R. Barry.

GRIFFITH, 7-9-73.—Showers. Attendance: 39. Results: 10-tgt. DB EO: R. Hillam and J. Branton div. 1st and 2nd: 7 shared 3rd. 15-tgt. DB Trophy: 1st M. Weymouth; 2nd R. Hillam; 3rd C. Strike. FM: A. Pauling. 5 pr. DR: There were no possibles and only one 9 and three 8, who shared the sweepstakes.

GRIFFITH, 15-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 21. Results: Full Round Skeet EO: 4 div. Central Riverina C'ship: 1st B. K. Brown; 2nd K. Gaffey; 3rd P. McWilliam. High Gun: K. Gaffey. Club Trophy Event: 1st D. Osborne; 2nd N. Crooks; 3rd E. Heiferman.

HAY GUN CLUB (NSW)

will hold their next

**EASTER PROGRAMME ON SATURDAY 13,
SUNDAY 14, AND MONDAY 15, APRIL, 1974.**

L. McGRATH, Hon. Sec.
P.O. Box 342, Hay, 2711.

COBAR GUN CLUB

(N.S.W.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Saturday, 24th November, 1973

Starting 9.30 a.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$2.00

Half Round Skeet—off the Gun
COMPULSORY DIVISION

Event 2— Nom. \$4.00

N.S.W. State Skeet Championship
of 25 Targets

Op. Sweepstakes overall \$2.00

Event 3— Nom. \$3.50

District SB (Night) Championship
of 20 Targets

Overall Sweepstakes \$1.00

Event 4— Nom. \$4.00

20 Target DB Handicap, C/D

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GRIFFITH GUN CLUB

(N.S.W.)
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FISHERAMA HANDICAP SHOOT

Saturday, 17th November, 1973

Commencing at 4 p.m.

Event 1—

15 TARGET D.B. HANDICAP E.O.

Nomination \$2.00

Event 2—

FISHERAMA \$100 HANDICAP

Nomination \$5.00

1st—\$50.00 Trophy and Sash

2nd—\$25.00 Trophy

3rd—\$15.00 Trophy

4th—\$10.00 Trophy

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NIGHT

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MARCONI Gun Club

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OPEN SHOOT

Sunday, 9th December, 1973

9 a.m. start

At the grounds of Hawkesbury Gun Club, Fairy
Road, South Windsor

Event 1— Nom. \$3.00

20 Target Club Marconi Single Barrel Championship

S/S 1 x 10 = 50c — 2 x 10 = 50c — 3 x 10 = 50c

1st and 2nd each grade.
Badge to Overall Winner.

Event 2— Nom. \$8.00

15 TARGET DB TROPHY EVENT HANDICAP

1st—Winchester U/O Trap 101 10mm. Broadrib.

Trophies 2nd and 3rd, 12-15 yds., 16-20 yds.
and 21-27 yds.

Optional Sweeps \$1.00

Event 3— Nom. \$3.00

20 Target Marconi Southern Districts DB Mini Target Championship

S/S 1 x 10 = .50c — 2 x 10 = 50c — 3 x 10 = 50c

Trophies 1st and 2nd each Grade.
Badge to Overall Winner.

Event 4— Nom. \$3.00

20 Target Marconi Southern Districts DB Std. Target Championship

Op. Sweeps \$1.00

Trophies 1st and 2nd each Grade.
Badge to Overall Winner.

High Gun over Events 1-4—donated by
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Refreshments — B-B-Q Lunch — Afternoon Tea
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Special Note

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Floor Show, Supper Provided. \$5.00 per ticket.
Everyone welcome.

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HAWKESBURY, 18-8-73.—Good. Attendance: 32. Results: 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: P. Stone, P. Naylor, Col Hawkins, D. Durrant 25:25. 25-tgt. Graded Skeet Trophy: Col Hawkins 25:25, 0-1; C. Hlavaty 25:27, 2-4; P. Naylor 22:25, 5-10.

HAWKESBURY, 2-9-73.—Good. Attendance: 44. Results: 10-tgt. DB H'cap: J. Allotta, J. Nascamben, R. Northcott, C. Shaw, R. Lucre 10:10. 15-tgt. DB Thompson Ford Trophy: 1st J. Ploceani 19:19; 2nd T. Stubbs 18:19; 3rd C. Tickle 17:18. Hawkesbury G.C. Mini Mixed Tgt. C'ship: 1st P. Bortolin; 2nd T. Alvaro; 3rd R. McAllister.

HAWKESBURY, 15-9-73.—Showers. Attendance: 36. Results: 50-tgt. Skeet State Team Elim.: R. Aquilina 49:50; Col Hawkins 49:50; R. Alvaro 48:50; J. Rawlinson 48:50; A. Hayes 48:50; D. Durrant 47:50; E. Patterson 45:50; J. Crooks 45:50; R. Clarke 45:50; Clyde Hawkins 45:50. 25-tgt. Skeet Hawkesbury Valley Skeet C'ship: 1st G. Salmon; 2nd E. Patterson; 3rd R. Aquilina.

J. Rawlinson won the State Team High Gun kindly donated by IMI. G. Salmon shot his first 25 break at skeet and went on to win the Skeet C'ship.

HAY, 23-9-73.—Cloudy and wet. Attendance: 15. Results: Patron's Trophy H'cap 15 SB, 15 DB: John Headon, Max Gibson, F. Martinelli. 10-tgt. SB Club Mug: Max Gibson.

HILLSTON, 2-9-73.—Cloudy and windy. Attendance: 16. Results: 20-tgt. Trophy 1st, 2nd, 12-13 yds. trophy: 1st E. Hynds; 2nd B. Brittle. FM: M. Brettschneider. 10 pr. DD: 1st P. Storrier and M. Payne.

LEEETON, 23-9-73.—Windy. Attendance: 51. Results: 10-tgt. DB 16 yds: 11 possibles. Club C'ship A and B Grade: A Grade: 1st F. Casella 20:20; 2nd D. Allen 49:50; 3rd A. Paonne 48:50. B Grade: 1st B. Coraci 25:25; 2nd J. Wilson 24:25; 3rd H. M. Weymouth 29:30. 20-tgt. DB H'cap: D. Lucas and E. Hatch 20:20. 10-tgt. SB Webster Trophy: 1st B. Brown; 2nd J. Simpson; 3rd J. Wilson. 10-tgt. DB H'cap: 6 div.

FM Trophy in Club C'ship went to C. Crooks. B Grade High Gun was won by D. Johnson and Overall High Gun donated by IMI went to J. Wilson 68:70.

LISMORE, 26-8-73.—Fine. Attendance: 20. Results: 10-tgt. SB: H. Threlfo, P. Drew 10:10. 10-tgt. DB Pts.: W. Durheim, J. Bell 30:30; W. Robinson, J. Knight 29:30. 10-tgt. SB "Mug" Trophy: P. Drew. 20-tgt. SB Club C'ship: 1st Jim Bell 20:20; 2nd G. S. Ethell 33:34; 3rd W. Durheim 32:34. 12-13 yds: G. W. Ethell. 10-tgt. DB SR: T. Shelton, K. Gibbon, P. Drew, B. A. Ethell, J. Tainsh, J. Bell, R. Shepherd 10:10.

NARRANDERA, 19-8-73.—Cold and windy. Attendance: 59. Results: 10-tgt. SB: 2 possibles. Central Dist. SB C'ship: A Grade and overall: L. Graham. B Grade: A. Balogh. C Grade: R. Parker. Hudson Shield Barellan No. 1: M. Stanmore, K. Whytcross, P. Stevens, B. Smill, L. Bandy. \$100 Value H'cap: 9 div. 15-tgt. DB H'cap: 13 div. High Gun was donated by IMI won by Max Stanmore.

NARRANDERA, 16-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 31. Results: 10-tgt. EO: 5 div. 15-tgt. Trophy: 1st M. Stanmore; 2nd G. Guymmer; 3rd J. Simpson. FM: T. Roben. BM: D. Allen. 10 pr. DD: M. Weymouth and M. Brennan 9:10. High Gun: G. Guymmer. Ladies Trophy: Miss Weymouth.

NEWCASTLE, 2-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 18. Results: 10-tgt. DB H'cap SS: 12 div. 10:10. 20-tgt. DB Trophy H'cap: 1st K. Winning 54:54; 2nd A. Whyte 53:54; 3rd R. MacAulay 25:26. 10-tgt. DB Pts. H'cap SS: K. Winning, A. Whyte, N. McClung 30:30. 15-tgt. DB H'cap SS: 6 div. 10-tgt. DB H'cap SS: 4 div. High Gun: K. Winning 65:65.

Excellent shooting by Ken Winning gaining his 100 break badge.

NEWCASTLE, 15-9-73.—Wet and windy. Attendance: 18. Results: 10-tgt. DB H'cap SS: 7 div. 10:10. 20-tgt. DB Pts. Dist. C'ship: 1st outright and A Grade: A. Whyte. B Grade: K. Winning. C Grade: A. Mackay. 20-tgt. DB H'cap SS: A. Whyte 20:20; 6 div. 19:20. High Gun: A. Whyte 50:50.

High Gun and Dist. Pts. C'ship won by Mick Whyte.

NEW ENGLAND, 9-9-73.—Good. Attendance: 15. Results: 10-tgt. SB H'cap: 3 possibles. 20-tgt. Club DB Cont. C'ship: N. Campion, Guyra 29:29, A Grade and overall; H. Young 28:29, B Grade; R. Rowe 17:20, C Grade. 10 pr. DR: 3 div.

High Gun H. Young 52:55. D. F. and D. F. Cuninghame Tray to G. Murray, Inverell, for third time and now outright winner.

N.S.W.G.C., 8-9-73.—Good. Attendance: 87. Results: 10-tgt. EO: 26 div. Breda Shield: Hawkesbury No. 2 — J. Sheather 20; B. Jackson 20; A. McAllister 19; L. Tosolini 20; L. Lane 17 — total 96:100. Marconi No. 1 — P. Santarosa 18; A. Dotto 20; Z. Del Ben 19; S. Scioto 19; J. Allotta 19 — 95. Breda H'cap: Gun — D. Silveri 38. Wireless — L. Tosolini 37. Dinner Set — L. Talbot 36. J. Guberina 34, A. Dotto 34, B. Jackson 33. Ladies Trophy: L. Shelton 20:20; Mrs D. Miller 18:20; Miss Romanello 17:20.

N.S.W.G.C., 22-9-73.—Cross winds. Attendance: 66. Results: 15-tgt. DB H'cap: D. Miller, L. Talbot, M. Fuller, T. Alvaro, A. Dotto 15:15. 15-tgt. Pts.: A. Baxter, D. Miller, R. Alvaro, L. Crema 45:45. Metropolitan Cont. C'ship: R. Alvaro 44:44. A Grade: L. Crema 43:44. B Grade: N. Rogley 32:33. C Grade: J. Francis 18:20. ISU 100 Qualifying: Clyde Hawkins 90; J. Crooks 88. High Gun: Don Miller 59:60.

Due to crosswind, clays were very tricky. Don Miller mastered it to take out High Gun with a very good 59:60.

RANKINS SPRINGS, 16-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 50. Results: 10-tgt. EO 16 yds: 8 possibles. 20-tgt. Conapaira Range DB C'ship: Overall and A Grade: L. Graham 22:22. B Grade: D. Sullivan 23:24. C Grade: J. Kelland 21:22. 10-tgt. Mini Trophy DB 18 yds: 1st B. K. Brown 40:40; 2nd D. Sullivan 39:40; 3rd B. Noll 36:37. 30-tgt. NSW Mini Pts. C'ship 18 yds: Overall and A Grade: K. Sim 83:90. B Grade: D. Osborne 77:90. C Grade: P. Beazley 78:90. 20-tgt. \$100 H'cap: 1st J. Irvine and I. Evans 20:20; 2nd 4 div 19:20. Bruce Noll won the IMI High Gun Trophy.

ROYAL AERO, 2-9-73.—Results: 15-tgt. DB H'cap: 3 possibles. 10-tgt. Pts. off 16 yds: 4 possibles. County of Cumberland DR C'ship: 1st C. Spence; 2nd A. Banko; 3rd F. Marcellino. FM: M. Saliba. 10-tgt. DB H'cap: 7 div.

ROYAL AERO, 16-9-73.—Results: 15-tgt. DB H'cap: 3 possibles. 10-tgt. Pts.: T. Higgins, C. Farrugia 30:30; 4 div. 3rd 29:30. R.A.C. Trophy 15-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st A. Smith; 2nd S. Toson; 3rd Mrs M. Miller. 5 pr. DR off 16 yds: L. Trew, C. Farrugia 9:10; R. Jarmyn 8:10.

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Fairy Road, South Windsor, NSW

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Sunday, 2nd December, 1973

Commencing 9.00 a.m.

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November 18—Full Day Shoot
Starts 9.30 a.m.

- Event 1— **EYE-OPENER** Nom. \$1.50
Event 2— **Bucketts Way DB Championship** Nom. \$3.00
Sweepstakes \$1.00
Event 3— **Bucketts Way Mixed Targets C'ship** Nom. \$3.00
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DB TROPHY EVENT
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Sunday, 16th December, 1973

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Saturday, 3rd November, 1973
Start 3.00 p.m.

- Event 1— **10 TARGET DB HANDICAP SWEEP** Nom. \$1.20
Event 2— **HUNTER SPORTS STORE PERPETUAL TROPHY** Nom. \$2.50
**FOR COMPETITION BETWEEN MID-NORTH
COAST ASSOCIATION MEMBERS**
30 TARGET DB HANDICAP
First: Perpetual Trophy and \$30 Open Order
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2nd and 3rd place trophies.
Op. Sweeps 50 cents each 15 targets.
Event 3— **20 TARGET DB CASH HANDICAP** Nom. \$3.00
OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING
NIGHT
Event 4— **CITY OF NEWCASTLE DB NIGHT C'SHIP** Nom. \$3.00
Op. Sweeps 50 cents
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First Fish Sunday Morning

HMV Capri Radio

Six Secret Weigh-in Times

One dozen each Riccadonna Spumante

VENUE: Lake Wyangan, Griffith, NSW

SUNNY CORNER, 12-8-73.—Fine. Attendance: 21. Results: 10-tgt. DB EO: 6 possibles. 20-tgt. SB Club C'ship: A Grade: R. Taylor. B Grade: G. Floyd. C Grade: C. Ferguson. 15-tgt. Pts. Trophy: 1st N. Angwin 45:45; 2nd Ted Martin 44:45; 3rd R. Parker 43:45. 10-tgt. DB Ladies Trophy: 1st Bev Thompson 9:10; 2nd Kath Martin 7:10. 10-tgt. DB SS: 5 possibles.

SUTTON FOREST, 9-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 22. Results: 10-tgt. SS: 8 possibles. 15-tgt. Trophy: 1st D. Miller; 2nd T. Dotto; 3rd J. Feld. FM: D. Smart. BM: T. Romanello. 10-pr. DR C'ship: 1st T. Romanello; 2nd T. Muller; 3rd D. Miller. FM: D. Fiore.

SYDNEY, 1-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 54. Results: 10-tgt. EO: 12 possibles out of 48 shooters. 15-tgt. Pts. H'cap: T. Alvaro 44:45; S. Toson 44:45. 20-tgt. S.G.C. Trophy DB H'cap: 7 possibles. Shoot-off results: 1st P. Bortolin; 2nd R. Lucre; 3rd F. Hooper. FM: B. Casey. Congratulations to Mr and Mrs Goody who each lost a yard in compulsory division.

SYDNEY, 15-9-73.—Cold and windy. Attendance: 50. Results: 10-tgt. EO CD: 11 possibles out of 47 shooters. 15-tgt. DB H'cap: 3 possibles. Shoot-off results: 1st G. Campbell; 2nd A. Alvaro; 3rd J. Torrisi. 20-tgt. Pts. Mini C'ship: Overall winner: A. Alvaro 55:60, also A Grade. B Grade: R. Lucre 53:60. C Grade: W. Elliston 48:60. FM: B. Casey.



SOUTH AUSTRALIA

ALEXANDRA, 19-8-73.—Good. Attendance: 63. Results: Winchester Graded Gift: A Grade: 1st P. Browne 20:20; 2nd I. Campbell 20:20. Yardage: S. Williams. B Grade: 1st B. Hutchinson; 2nd W. Forbes. Yardage: M. Clarke. C Grade: 1st R. Ashby; 2nd T. Lyall. Yardage: M. Jaeger. Point Start Graded DB: Overall: 1st B. Brown; 2nd M. Clark. A Grade: 1st P. Manglesdorfe; 2nd R. Jarmyn. B Grade: 1st B. R. Browne; 2nd M. Clark. C Grade: 1st S. Bow; 2nd E. Kleinig. \$100 value H'cap: 9 possibles. High Gun: B. Hutchinson 60:60. Novice: J. Longbottom.

BARMERA, 2-9-73.—Cold and windy. Attendance: 17. Results: 10-tgt. DB H'cap: 4 div. 10:10. Clarks Foodstores 20-tgt. DB H'cap Trophy: 1st Syd Churches 29:29; 2nd Peter Caddy 28:29; 3rd David Sparnon 20:21. 12-16 yds: Ron McNamee 12:20. 17-19 yds: C. Bradtke 19:20. 20-27 yds: A. Grose 18:20. Club DB C'ship 20-tgt. 16 yds: 1st Overall and B Grade: Syd Churches 40:40; 2nd Overall Dave Sparnon 39:40. A Grade: P. Caddy 29:30. C Grade: Rom Barratt 25:26. Taipan Projectiles High Gun: David Sparnon after a long shoot-off with a score of 90:90.

BUTE, 15-9-73.—Fine and warm. Attendance: 23. Results: T. J. Burke Mem. Birthday Shoot: 1st B. Thomas 34:34; 2nd O. Perks 35:36; 3rd D. Lane 34:36. Elliot Trophy: 1st P. Taubert 37:37; 2nd G. Muscio 36:37; 3rd A. Picicella 23:24. High Gun over EO 2nd and 3rd events: Won by P. Taubert 45:45. Mid North Night C'ship: 1st D. Lane C; 2nd H. Baynes A; 3rd S. Rossetti B.

FAR WEST, 16-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 5. Results: 20-tgt. DB Pts. Finn Trophy: T. Heard 54:60; G. Burnett 53:60; B. Burnett 52:60; G. McGuinness 45:60; J. Heard 34:60. 20-tgt. SB Goodyear Trophy: T. Heard and G. Burnett 16:20; G. McGuinness and B. Burnett 14:20.

INTERNATIONAL, 16-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 58. Results: 10-tgt. EO H'cap: 14 div. Sparnon H'cap: 1st M. Goss 29:29; 2nd J. Reeves 28:29; 3rd J. Ellis 24:25. FM: T. Gameoui 20:21. 5 DB H'cap: P. Marcoloni, R. Sanyogni, E. Verbis 40:40. FM: R. Mozzocca 26:27. I.G.C. Grand H'cap: 1st S. Churches 44:44; 2nd B. Churches 43:44; 3rd I. Sparnon 37:38. FM: F. Jerone 34:35.

A record of attendance of 58 shooters. Mr S. Churches did some fine shooting and winning a Winchester Trap Gun.

MALLALA, 12-8-73.—Windy. Attendance: 35. Results: 15-tgt. H'cap Trophy: S. Williams 17:18; F. Wintulich 16:18; D. Phelps 15:16; J. Reeves 15:16; V. Kelly 15:16. 10-tgt. H'cap SS: D. Brakenridge, C. Grigg, A. Groves 10:10. Many thanks to Elliott Bros. for a very appropriate trophy.

MALLALA, 2-9-73.—Windy. Attendance: 32. Results: 15-tgt. H'cap Trophy: H. Lawson, C. Grigg, P. Jarmyn, G. Ash 15:15. 10-tgt. H'cap SS: V. Kelly, R. Johncock, J. Reeves, C. Grigg 10:10.

WARREN, 8-9-73.—Calm. Attendance: 18. Results: 10-tgt. DB: 8 div. 10-tgt. DB: 6 div. 10-tgt. DB Pts.: P. Brook 36:36; K. Robards 35:36. Club DR C'ship: D. McMillan 19:20. 12 pr. DD: A. Montgomery and R. Kinsey; D. Cosgrove and R. Deacon 12:12. 5 DB 12 yds, 5 DB 27 yds.: R. Kinsey 10:10.

WYONG, 11-8-73.—Rain. Attendance: 18. Results: 10-tgt. EO: T. Turner, B. Frankel, R. Clifton 10:10. 50-tgt. DB H'cap: L. Watsford 50:50; R. Britton, I. Cogle, J. Curtis 48:50.

WYONG, 25-8-73.—Fine. Attendance: 23. Results: W.G.C. SB C'ship: G. Britton 20:20. A: J. Fryer 19:20. B: L. Watsford 18:20. C: R. Britton 17:20. 20-tgt. Cash H'cap: N. Jackson, J. Fryer, J. Paul 20:20. 5 pr. DR: L. Britton 9:10; N. Jackson, N. McClung, E. Hill, R. Britton 8:10.

WYONG, 8-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 24. Results: 10-tgt. EO: 14 possibles. 30-tgt. Club DB C'ship: Overall: L. Watsford 68:68. A: E. Hill 51:52. B: J. Dunn 29:30. C: I. Cogle 67:68. 20-tgt. DB Cash H'cap: 8 div. 10-tgt. DB H'cap SS: 9 possibles. 5 pr. DR Mini Drive: 6 shooters shot 7:10.

Congratulations to Les Watsford on winning the Club DB C'ship and also the Lou Gardiner Memorial Trophy held in conjunction.

5-tgt. 27 yds: C. Grigg 4:5. 5 pr. DR: G. Ash, J. Boon 9:10. Many thanks to Winchester Western for their trophy of a case of cartridges.

MANNUM, 16-9-73.—Fine and warm. Attendance: 31. Results: Goodwins Newsagency Trophy: 1st S. Bow; 2nd E. Kleinig; 3rd C. Hill. Club DB C'ship: A Class: P. Mules. B Class: C. Hill. C Class: E. Kleinig. Overall winner: P. Mules. High Gun Cup: E. Kleinig.

MT. GAMBIER, 2-9-73.—Showery. Attendance: 21. Results: SA DD Mini C'ship: Winners P. Cleggett Jr., R. Morris 21:22 (Apsley members). Runners-up: P. Telford, P. Lamond 20:22 (M.G. members). 3 other cash handicap events followed.

NARACOORTE.—Fine and warm. Attendance: 35. Results: Naracoorte and Dist. DB C'ship: 1st R. Lanson 75:75; 2nd T. Reschke 74:75; 3rd P. Telford 55:56. 5 pr. DR: 1st L. Simms 10:10; 2nd 3 div. 9:10.

S.A.G.C., 25-8-73.—Fine. Attendance: 31. Results: D. Brown H'cap: 1st S. Churches 26:26; 2nd K. Flaherty 25:26; 3rd D. Kimber 22:23. FM: B. Churches 19:20. Adelaide Plains DB C'ship: Overall 1st R. Jarmyn 60:60; 2nd J. Hutchings 59:60. A: 1st R. Jarmyn 60:60; 2nd J. Hutchings 59:60. B: 1st L. Holmes 29:30; 2nd D. Sparnon 21:22. C: 1st P. Stocking 33:34; 2nd J. Holder 24:25. High Gun: S. Churches 44:45.

S.A.G.C., 26-8-73.—Wet. Attendance: 40. Results: Anniversary \$200 H'cap: 1st J. Murphy 29:30; 2nd (J. Boon, S. Keen, J. Holder, B. Hill 28:30) div. 12-14 yds: P. Stocking. 15-17 yds: B. Churches and S. Fontanelli. 18-20 yds: F. Grey and D. Plummer. 21-23 yds: B. Hollywood, A. Ralston, D. Brown. 24-27 yds: P. Mules. Anniversary DB C'ship: Overall: B. Hill 40:40. A: B. Hill 40:40; D. Brown 31:32. B: S. Churches 20:20; D. Sparnon 20:21. C: R. Ashby 24:25; A. Carbone 21:22. High Gun: F. Grey 71:75. High Gun Overall 25th and 26th: S. Churches 112:120.

UNGARRA, 9-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 17. Results: 15-tgt. DB H'cap: 3 possibles. 15-tgt. DB H'cap Pts.: J. Swincer 44:45; J. Stratford 42:45; J. Baldissera 41:45. High Gun Trophy: J. Stratford. Good to see Bernie and Gerald back at a shoot after working in WA for a time. Thanks to F. Lodge of the Sea Breeze Hotel for the High Gun Trophy.

WHYALLA, 2-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 13. Results: 25-tgt. Skeet H'cap: 4 div. 25:25. 20-tgt. DTL H'cap SS: 1st T. Picicella 23:23; 2nd S. Rosetti 22:23; 3rd G. Worden 26:27. 10 pr. DD CD SS: 1st L. Moia and R. Sanzogni 10:10.



QUEENSLAND

BALLANDEAN, 16-9-73.—Good. Attendance: 34. Results: 30-tgt. Mini 18 yds: 1st K. Harding 81:90. A Grade: J. Lee. B Grade: Gary Smith. C Grade: T. Shelton. Best 12-14 yds: C. Hayward. 20-tgt. SB Teams Match v. Lismore: 1st E. Andersen 21:22. Best 12-14 yds: 18:20. Visitors Trophy: 1st C. Hayward 18:20. 10-tgt. DB: 11 div. 10:10.

The teams match v. Lismore was won by Lismore by one point with a score of 86:100. The Lismore team consisted of J. Lee, K. Harding, T. Shelton, J. Wickham and Mrs P. Harding. The High Gun was won by Kevin Harding.

BUNDABERG, 1/2-9-73.—Good. Attendance: Good. Results: 20-tgt. DB Pts. Winchester H'cap Trophy: 1st A. Hicks; 2nd R. Weeden; 3rd K. Lorberg. 20-tgt. SB Wide-Bay SB C'ship: A Grade: R. Pennisi. B Grade: A. Hicks. C Grade: A. Mikkelsen. Overall winner: A. Mikkelsen. 20-tgt. DB Pts. IMI H'cap Trophy: 1st D. Barber; 2nd F. Casella; 3rd E. Ransom. 20-tgt. DB Kills Wide-Bay DB C'ship: A Grade: E. Jensen. B Grade: K. Vicary. C Grade: E. Cooper. Overall winner: E. Cooper. 40-tgt. DB Kills \$400 Calcutta H'cap: Overall winners: K. Lorberg and A. Mikkelsen. 16 shared in 1st 20-tgt. 11 shared in 2nd 20 tgt. 30-tgt. DB Kills Merv Thiele Mem. H'cap: 5 div.

High Gun was won by D. Barber 145:150 and A. Hicks 145:150.

CENTRAL BURNETT, 16-9-73.—Perfect. Attendance: 18. Results: 10-tgt. DB SS H'cap: 5 div. 10-tgt. 18 yds: G. Darlington and G. Bryant 10:10. 20-tgt. Pts. H'cap: 1st G. Rowles 59:60; 2nd A. Williams 58:60. 10 pr. DD: 1st G. Rowles and G. Carlyon 20:20; 2nd A. Williams and B. Keune 19:20. J. Delaney won the box sweep.

CENTRAL BURNETT

GUN CLUB

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Sunday, 18th November, 1973

At 10.30 a.m.

QUEENSLAND STATE SINGLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

and

**\$200 VALUE HANDICAP
(30 Targets)**

PLUS OTHER EVENTS

**BARBEQUE AND NIGHT SHOOT ON
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1973.**

O. B. BLOXSOME, Secretary,
Phone: 118 "S"

CHARTERS TOWERS, 2-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 46. Results: 10-tgt. DB: 12 possibles. 15-tgt. DB \$50 H'cap Mini: Norm Beasley. 10-tgt. SB Mini 1973 High Gun Event No. 8: 5 div. 10-tgt. DB Tower: 3 possibles. 5-tgt. SB 12 yds: Possibles — Nil. Winner: J. Brownson (Ch. Towers). 4 pr. DD Novelty: Winners: A. Hilder (Ch. Towers) partnered by J. McBow of Burdekin.

We were pleased to welcome the following visitors — G. Wind and E. Beasley of Lavarack Barracks, Townsville. The Beasley family of Townsville. J. Wilkinson, Townsville. J. Zambon, J. McBow and F. Bell from the Burdekin Club. Mr E. McKimmin and his son R. J. McKimmin of Townsville. N. Lomas and R. Knuth, Townsville. G. Bennett and S. O'Sullivan, Townsville. Mr W. Gilbertson.

No-one appeared more suprised than Norm Beasley when he was awarded a yard for winning the 15-tgt. DB Mini event. Norm capped off his day by winning the competition for the day and taking home the prize.

CHINCHILLA, 2-9-73.—Cloudy and windy. Attendance: 12. Results: 30-tgt. Pts. SS: 1st M. Smith 88:90; 2nd P. Ellem 87:90; 3rd W. Hughes 85:90. 15-tgt. DB H'cap SS: 1st and 2nd shared by B. Dingle and M. Smith 15:15; 3rd 4 shared 14:15. 10 pr. DR SS: 1st M. Smith 9:10; 2nd and 3rd B. Smith and J. Homan 8:10. M. Smith won the best 3 out of 5 shoot trophy with 133:135.

CUNNAMULLA, 22-9-73.—Windy. Attendance: 29. Results: 10-tgt. EO: R. McLaren, J. O'Sullivan. 10-tgt. DB Pts.: 1st G. Webster; 2nd J. O'Sullivan; 3rd G. Haig. 20-tgt. DB Opal Festival C'ship: 1st J. O'Sullivan; 2nd M. Manning; 3rd Q. Schmidt. 10-tgt. SB H'cap: Club Mug won by R. McLaren. 5 pr. DR 5 div.

DAWSON VALLEY, 9-9-73.—Good. Attendance: 15. Results: 10-tgt. SB SS: 3 possibles. 20-tgt. DB: 1st G. Wust 42:42; 2nd T. Murray 41:42; 3rd G. Ogden 40:42. Dawson Valley DR C'ship: A Grade: E. Cooper 31:38. B Grade: R. Fechner 28:30. C Grade: T. Murray 28:30. Overall: T. Murray. 10 pr. DD: C. Ward, R. Fechner 33:33. High Gun: T. Murray.

Gary Wust and Tony Murray earned their 50 break badges.

GOLD COAST, 9-9-73.—Beautiful. Attendance: 24. Results: 10-tgt. DB: 5 div. 20-tgt. Pts. Graded: A Grade: D. Sloan 57:60. B Grade: H. Donald 56:60. C Grade: W. Gall 59:60. 20-tgt. SB: 1st D. Sloan 18:20; 2nd R. Weeden 17:20; 3rd W. Gall 16:20. 10 pr. DR: D. Sloan 19:20; J. Porter 17:20; J. Knight, A. Hicks and H. Donald 16:20. 20-tgt. — 10 DB, 10 Pts.: C. Litt 39:40; 4 div. 38:40. High Gun over all: D. Sloan 120.

IPSWICH, 2-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 11. Results: 25-tgt. Skeet SS: 1st Ray Porter 18 + 7; 2nd and 3rd F. Lang 24 + 0; R. Daniells 22 + 3. 25-tgt. Skeet SS: 1st B. Assmussen 18 + 7; R. Daniells 22 + 3; W. Stevens 24 + 0. 15-tgt. DB SS: 1st A. Lestani 15:15; 2nd and 3rd G. Mawer, B. Mundt, W. Stevens, L. James 14:15. 20-tgt. DB Pts. SS: 1st B. Mundt 60:60; 2nd L. James 58:60; 3rd R. Daniells 57:60. 25-tgt. Club Mixed Tgt. C'ship: A: N. Johnston 22:25. B: B. Mundt 19:25. C: A. Lestani 21:25. Overall winner: N. Johnston. 5 pr. DR SS: L. James and G. Mawer 10:10. High Gun: L. James.

A very small attendance of competition shooters probably due to fact of annual shoots being held by other clubs within a couple of hundred miles.

Les James again proved his consistency by winning the High Gun Trophy and Brian Mundt hit his share of targets.

Norm Johnston won yet another championship.

MOUNT ISA, 9-9-73.—Fine and warm. Attendance: 25. Results: Mt. Isa G.C. SB C'ship 20-tgt. SB 16 yds: 1st H. J. Smith 22:22. A Grade: J. Grech 21:22. B Grade: E. Sebastiani 21:24. C Grade: T. Kittila 19:20. 20-tgt. DB Pts. from H'cap: 1st J. Grech 59:60; 2nd R. Caldwell 57:60. Best 12-14 yds: E. Buccino 55:60. 10-tgt. DB Cont. from H'cap: 7 div. Nth. West Qld. DB C'ship 20-tgt. 16 yds: 1st T. Kittila 23:23. A Grade: H. J. Smith 22:23. B Grade: E. Sebastiani 19:20. C Grade: T. Wellington 20:21.

ROCKHAMPTON, 4-9-73.—Good. Attendance: 11. Results: 10-tgt. SB: H. Milner and A. Badawi 9:10. 30-tgt. DB Pts.: T. Murray 87:90; C. Warnock 87:90; J. Olive 82:90. 10 pr. DR: T. Murray 19:20; R. Kamradt 18:20. 10 pr. DD: C. Warnock and D. V. Kena 10:10; H. Milner and T. Murray 10:10.

High Gun over the programme was T. Murray from the newly-formed Blackwater Club.

WARWICK, 3-9-73.—Showers. Attendance: 68. Results: City of Warwick DB C'ship 20-tgt. DB: Overall winner and 1st B Grade: W. Francis, Condamine 65:65. A Grade: L. Day 64; B. Cole 37. B: 2nd J. Ryan 63:64. C Grade: R. Wells 31:32; G. Manteit 31:32. 20-tgt. SB J. J. Crothers Trophy: A. H. Chesney 29:29; J. Lee 28:29; B. Cole 24:25. \$500 value H'cap: 1st \$200 — 20-tgt. DB div. by 11 shooters. 2nd \$200 — 15-tgt. Pts. div. by 10 shooters. Overall \$100 — div. by 4 shooters.

Thirteen shooters lost a yard as a result of their wins during the day.



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DARWIN, 25-8-73.—Fine. Attendance: 21. Results: NT DB C'ship: Outright winner and B Grade 1st was W. Burrows 28:30. 1st A Grade: B. Munt 27:30. 1st C Grade: A. D. Rumble 27:30. NT SB C'ship: 1st B. Munt and B Grade 27:30. 1st C Grade V. Pearce 22:30.

Mr W. Burrows from Bathurst NSW, shot well to win his placings. Although the shortage of targets threatened postponement of the shoot it went off successfully.

TENNANT CREEK, 26-8-73.—Drizzle. Attendance: 13. Results: 15 pr. DR 16 yds. W. K. Easton Trophy: N. Dennis 22; C. James 21; T. Lanzarin 20. 10-tgt. SB H'cap: W. Easton 10; S. Signori 7; J. Padman 6. 5-tgt. WU: T. Lanzarin 4; W. Easton 3; J. Ulrich 3. 10-tgt. SB 16 yds: J. Padman 9:11; S. Signori 8:11; S. Dalzotto 7:10.

TENNANT CREEK, 2-9-73.—Fine and windy. Attendance: 7. Results: 20-tgt. SB 16 yds: S. Signori 16:21; T. Potter 15:21; N. Dennis 13:20. 15-tgt. DB 16 yds: N. Dennis 15:16; T. Potter 14:16; S. Signori 11:15. 10 pr. DR 16 yds: N. Dennis 15; J. Padman 13; S. Signori 12.

TENNANT CREEK, 9-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 15. Results: 20-tgt. DB H'cap Pts.: N. Kippen 54:63; W. Easton 52:63; T. Potter 50:60. 10-tgt. SB 16 yds: N. Dennis 12:13; G. Kippen 11:13; N. Kippen 9:11. 15 pr. DR 16 yds: G. Kippen 20; S. Dalzotto 18; T. Lanzarin 17. 10-tgt. SB 16 yds: G. Kippen 13:15; W. Easton 12:15; T. Lanzarin 7:10. 10 pr. DD: J. Whaites and W. Easton 8.

TENNANT CREEK, 16-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 14. Results: 10-tgt. EO H'cap: N. Dennis, S. Dal Zotto, N. Kippen 9. 25-tgt. SB 16 yds: N. Dennis 22; N. Kippen 16; J. Padman 15. 5 pr. DR H'cap: T. Lanzarin 8; S. Dal Zotto 7; N. Dennis 7. 15-tgt. DB H'cap: P. Gregory 12; J. Padman 11; G. Kippen 10.

Our thanks to Tony and Ondfrio Lanzarin and Siro Dal Zotto for laying our concrete walks.

TENNANT CREEK, 23-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 15. Results: 50-tgt. DB Pts.: N. Dennis 132:150; J. Padman 126:150; J. Ulrich 124:150. Tennant Creek SB C'ship: N. Kippen 17; N. Dennis 16; D. Blood 14. 15 pr. DD 22 yds: W. Easton and N. Kippen 13; S. Dalzotto and J. Padman 11.

LAE, 2-9-73.—Fine and hot. Attendance: 16. Results: 20-tgt. DR Club C'ship: A Grade and overall: L. Anderson. B Grade: D. Haynes. C Grade: L. Armstrong after a shoot-off with Mrs Di Haynes. 50-tgt. Pts.: 1st L. Anderson 119:120; equal 2nd L. Armstrong and B. McCabe. High Gun: L. Anderson.

MOUNT HAGEN, 9-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 13. Results: 20-tgt. DB 16 yds: Norm Camps 20:20; Mike Nicholas 19:20; Ian Harris 19:20. 20-tgt. DB Pts. H'cap: Norm Camps 60:60; Mike Nicholas 59:60; Ian Harris 59:60. 20-tgt. SB 18 yds: Lance Taylor 19:20; Mike Nicholas 18:20; Norm Camps 18:20. 20-tgt. DB Tower: Mark Fallon 20:20; Mick Arthur 18:20; Maka McKenzie 18:20.

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CRESSY, 1-9-73.—Wet and windy. Attendance: 40. Results: Novice Event: 12 yds: R. Homan 8:10. 13 yds: L. Martin 11:11. 14 yds: D. Knight 9:10. Mini Tgt. DD EO: 6 div. C'wealth DD Mini Tgt. C'ship: 1st P. Marshall and S. Marshall 19:20; 2nd R. Elmer and D. Whitely 16:20.

EAST COAST, 27-7-73.—Fine. Attendance: 17. Results: 10-tgt. DB SS 16 yds: 7 div. 20-tgt. DB Club C'ship Graded: A Grade: G. Heffernan 43:44. B Grade: F. O'Brien 24:25. C Grade: C. Calvert 19:20. 10-tgt. SR H'cap SS: 6 div.

EAST COAST, 26-8-73.—Fine. Attendance: 16. Results: 10-tgt. DB SS 16 yds. Graded: 7 div. 20-tgt. DB Trophy Graded: A Grade: B. Castle. B Grade: L. Witzerman. C Grade: B. Bailey. 10-tgt. DB H'cap SS: 5 div.

HOBART, 29-7-73.—Attendance: 21. Results: 10-tgt. Pts.: N. Arnol, P. Marshall, S. Marshall 30:30. State Pts. C'ship: A Grade: S. Marshall 87:90. B Grade: J. Malcolm 82:90. C Grade: T. Richardson 83:90. 25-tgt. ISU: A Grade: R. Ward 49:50. B Grade: N. Thorne 23:25. C Grade: T. Newman 22:25. 8 pr. DD: D. Taylor and J. Malcolm 17:17; S. Marshall and S. Bagdonas 16:17. 5 pr. DR: R. Garwood, D. Taylor 9:9 div.

HOBART, 25-8-73.—Good. Attendance: 30. Results: 50-tgt. Skeet (Day): A Grade: S. Marshall 50:50. B Grade: N. Thorne 50:50. C Grade: G. Gourlay 42:50. 5-tgt. Pts. (Night): D. R. Taylor, S. Marshall, F. O'Brien, D. F. Taylor, D. Monks 15:15 div. Club Night DB C'ship: A Grade: D. R. Taylor 22:23. B Grade: R. Garwood 19:20. C Grade: T. Newman 17:20. Best 12 yarder: T. Young 16:20. 10 pr. DD Night C'ship: P. Marshall and S. Bagdonas 19:19; R. Garwood and J. Malcolm 18:19. 20-tgt. DB Night H'cap: D. White 20:20; B. Sidnell 27:28; G. Richardson 26:28.

HUONVILLE, 2-9-73.—Showery. Attendance: 32. Results: 10-tgt. SS DB: 7 div. 20-tgt. DB Trophy Shoot: A Grade: B. Castles 20:20. B Grade: R. Cowling 20:20. C Grade: G. Courtney 23:24. 10-tgt. Pts. Trophy: 12-13 yds: R. Bennett 35:36. 14-15 yds: R. Smith 30:30. 16-17 yds: L. Witzerman 44:45. 18-19 yds: G. Richardson 27:30.

Overall High Gun went to Rob Cowling with 39:40. High Gun for FM shooter went to Richard Bennett with a score of 37:40.

MERSEY, 15-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 43. Results: Novice DB: 1st G. Dicker. Mersey Valley DB C'ship 20-tgt. from 16 yds: 12-13 yds: 1st D. Redpath 23:25. 14-15 yds: 1st Miss N. Abblitt 20:20. 16 yds. and over: 1st B. Smedley 39:40. 15-tgt. DB Pts. H'cap SS: 1st J. Cunningham 45:45; 2nd 4 div. 44:45. 5-tgt. off fence: 1st W. Geale 5:5.

ROSEBERRY, 9-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 18. Results: Club DD C'ship: 1st S. Beer and R. Argent 11:13; 2nd M. Woods and T. Stingle 10:13. 10-tgt. SB: 1st K. Woods 10:10; 2nd J. Hyatt and R. Argent 9:10.

ROSEBERRY, 23-9-73.—Fine and windy. Attendance: 30. Results: Novice Shoot: 1st R. Hart 7:7; 2nd S. Beer 6:7. W. Attwood DB C'ship: A Grade: 1st I. Rist 25:25; 2nd R. Abblitt 24:25. B Grade: 1st H. Astell 23:25; 2nd C. Latham, N. Abblitt, J. Hyatt 22:25. C Grade: 1st M. Hart 25:27; 2nd D. McDermott 24:27. High Gun won by I. Rist. 5-tgt. SR: 1st R. Hart 7:7; 2nd T. Ward 15:16.

A sash donated by W. Attwood of Victoria was won by I. Rist with some excellent shooting.

SANDFORD, 16-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 21. Results: 10-tgt. H'cap SS: 7 div. 10-tgt. CM SS: 7 possibles. 20-tgt. Club Pts. C'ship: A Grade: G. Richardson. B Grade: D. Ramsley. C Grade: R. Bennett. 5 pr. DR: R. Bennett and L. Richardson 10:10. 10-tgt. H'cap SS: 6 possibles.

TASMANIAN, 9-9-73.—Fine. Attendance: 61. Results: Novice: 1st R. Trethewie 10:10; 2nd C. Rushton 9:10; 3rd S. Thurley 9:11. Michael Blake Memorial C'ship: A: D. Whitely 105:105. B: A. Holmes 25:25. C: A. Cunningham 24:25. D: P. Yost 24:25. High Gun: D. Whitely 6:6. Graded Skeet: 0-1: P. Thurley 31:32. 2-3: C. Holmes 22:25. 4-6: D. F. Taylor 22:25. 7+: M. Kettle 24:29. 25-tgt. DB H'cap: \$100 value prize 4 div. 15-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st D. Whitely 29:29; 2nd L. Toyne 28:29; 3rd L. Viney 17:18. 10-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st D. Whitely 22:22; 2nd L. Viney 21:22; 3rd L. Toyne 20:21.

Highlight of the meeting was an uninterrupted break of 215 by Denis Whitely. Unfortunately lack of daylight stopped Denis continuing and it was quite possible that he could have established a new Tasmanian break record.



L to R: Rupert Henwood won C Grade in Commonwealth Single Barrel Championship.

Dick Toner won A Grade in Winchester Tournament plus the overall top scorer in this tournament. He also won the Melbourne G.C. Club Handicap.

Alf James won A Grade in Commonwealth SB Championship and is also wearing high gun sash won within the championship.

Sam Henwood won B Grade in the Commonwealth SB C'ship.

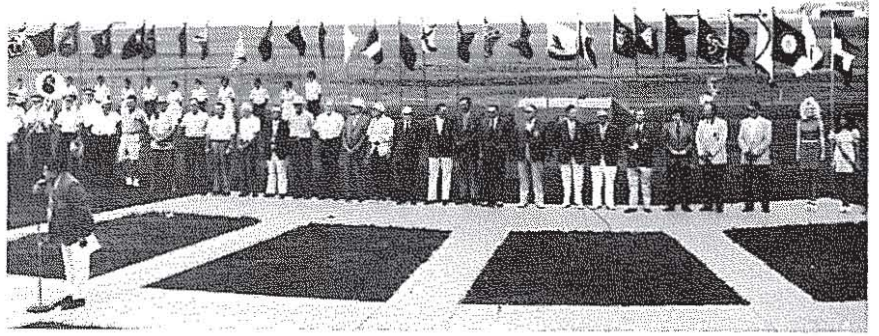
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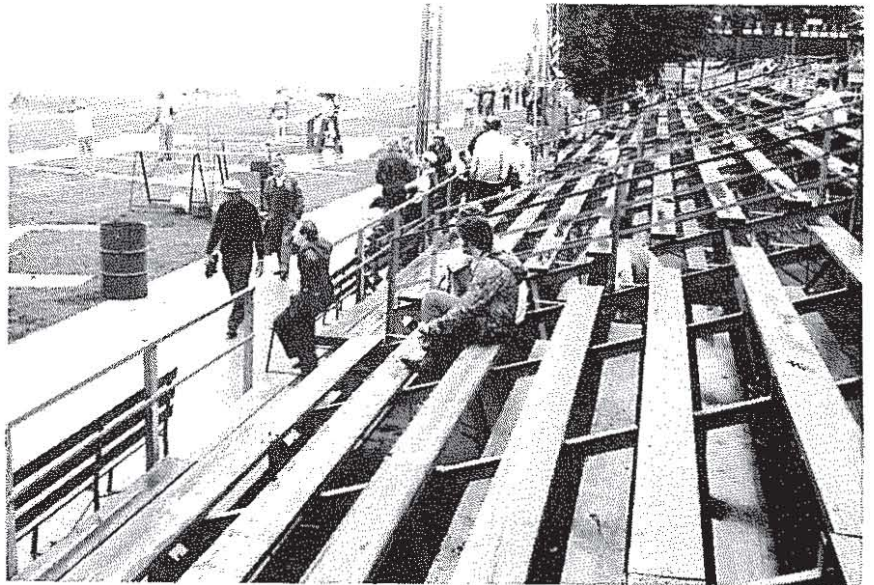
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Queensland	Home Club	Date	Break Established Club	Trap	Skeet
M. BURGESS	Cobar (N.S.W.)	5/7/69	St. Geo (Qld.)	408	—
L. ENGLISH	Brisbane (Qld.)	31/10/70	Burdekin (Qld.) (Ctl.)	131	—
B. ANDERSON	New Zealand	19/6/71	Brisbane (Qld.)	—	189
New South Wales					
M. BURGESS	Cobar (N.S.W.)	23/8/69	Cobar (N.S.W.)	518	—
E. HAWKINS	Hawkesbury (N.S.W.)	14/1/70	Hawkesbury (N.S.W.)	—	127
<i>Mrs. LORNA SHELTON</i> ..	<i>N.S.W. (N.S.W.)</i>	3/7/71	<i>N.S.W. (N.S.W.)</i>	102	—
P. RYAN	Moree (N.S.W.)	24-25/2/73	N'bri (N.S.W.) (T'wr)	175	—
Victoria					
J. ANDERSON	Melbourne (Vic.)	11/1/69	Lilydale (Vic)	544	—
J. NEWTON THOMAS	Melbourne (Vic.)	11/1/69	Lilydale (Vic)	544	—
J. D. ELLIOT	Colac (Vic.)	1/6/73	Geelong (Vic.) (Night)	—	120
R. BURRILL	Metropolitan (Vic.)	29/11/69	Victorian (Vic.) (T'wr)	191	—
			(Day)		
R. BUCHAN	Melbourne (Vic.)	16/9/72	Melbourne (Vic.)	—	162
N. PATERSON	Sebastopol (Vic.)	12/7/72	Victorian (Vic.)	155	—
R. BURRILL	Victorian (Vic.)	12/7/72	Victorian (Vic.) (T'wr)	155	—
			(Night)		
Tasmania					
H. M. EDDINGTON	Cressy (Tas.)	May, 1957	Cressy (Tas.)	278	—
D. R. TAYLOR	Hobart (Tas.)	26-27/10/68	Hobart (Tas.)	—	72
S. MARSHALL	Hobart (Tas.)	25/11/72	Hobart (Tas.) (T'wr)	133	—
South Australia					
J. COLORVOLOTO	Whyalla (S.A.)	15/7/71	Whyalla (S.A.) (T'wr)	241	—
R. KIMBER	S.A.G.C. (S.A.)	18/9/66	S.A.G.C. (S.A.)	359	—
K. LOWRY	S.A.G.C. (S.A.)	9-10/3/73	S.A.G.C. (S.A.)	—	158
G. PATTINGALE	Whyalla (S.A.)	30/7/72	W'alla (T'wr) (Night)	100	—
Western Australia					
J. ELLIS	Finley (N.S.W.)	1-2/3/70	Perth (W.A.)	420	—
F. G. BAILEY	Perth (W.A.)	24/9/72	Perth (W.A.)	—	110
R. H. BAILEY	Perth (W.A.)	17-18/2/73	Perth (W.A.) (T'wr)	200	—
P.N.G.					
F. L. RIMMER	Kar Kar Is. (P.N.G.)	28/10/72	Kar Kar Is. (P.N.G.)	164	—
F. APTED	Metropolitan (Vic.)	9/4/72	Kavieng (P.N.G.) (T'wr)	107	—
Northern Territory					
J. E. TAYLOR	Alice Springs (N.T.)	10/7/72	Alice Springs (N.T.)	104	—
Western Australia					
LONG RUN BREAKS					
T. CATLING	Katanning (W.A.)	25/10/69	Perth (W.A.)	697	—
Victoria					
J. HENWOOD	Melbourne (Vic.)	25/10/69	Melbourne (Vic.)	732	—
Tasmania					
R. WIGHTON	Hobart (Tas.)	8/11/69	Hobart (Tas.)	—	156
S. MARSHALL	Hobart (Tas.)	19/12/70	Hobart (Tas.)	204	—
New South Wales					
J. LISLE	Walcha (N.S.W.)	21/2/71	Guyra (N.S.W.)	436	—

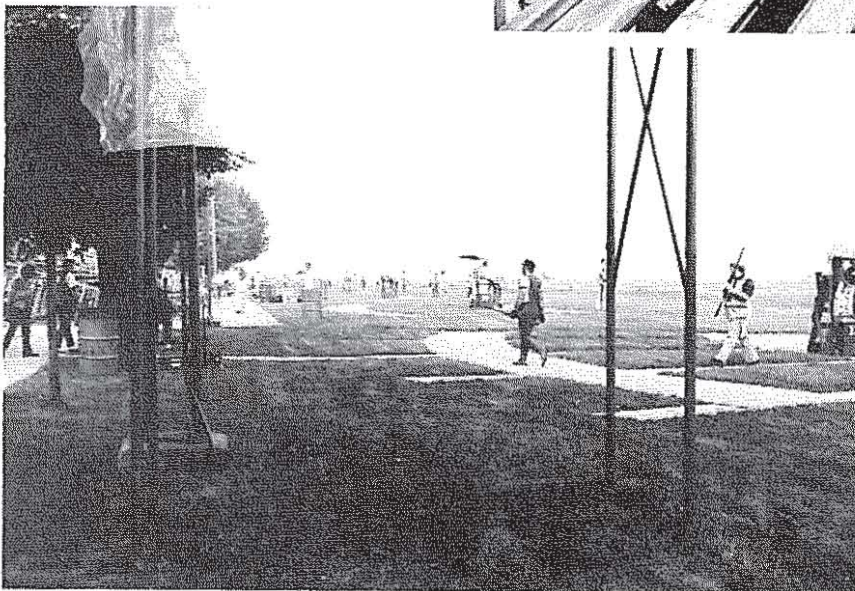
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