

VICTORIAN HOMING
ASSOCIATION



ANNUAL REPORT
AND
BALANCE SHEET

1948

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President.

E. BOWLER,
Secretary.

Victorian Homing Association

275 SWAN STREET, RICHMOND, E.1

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NOTICE TO MEMBERS

The Annual Meeting will be held at the V.H.A. Rooms, 275 Swan Street, Richmond, on Monday, 24th January, 1949, at 8 p.m.

BUSINESS

- 1—To Confirm the Minutes of the previous Annual Meeting.
- 2—To receive and adopt the Annual Report and Balance Sheet.
- 3—To receive recommendations for incoming Executive.
- 4—Presentation of Trophies.
- 5—Any other Business.
- 6—Nominations for Office-Bearers, 1949, to be elected at the 1st General Meeting.

LIFE MEMBERS

Messrs. H. Alder, E. Marshall, W. J. Brooks, H. Reid, W. Tawton, E. A. Long, R. Elso, and J. Lyons.

ANNUAL REPORT AND BALANCE SHEET OF THE VICTORIAN HOMING ASSOCIATION

To the Members,

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

I have pleasure in presenting to you the Annual Report and Balance Sheet covering the activities of the Association for the 1948 season, with the sincere wish that it will merit your consideration and approval.

Financial.—The outstanding features during the year, so far as receipts are concerned, is the increase in members' subscriptions which has now reached 378 in Metropolitan Clubs, and the sale of metal rings 25,648. This enabled the Association to pay out more special prize money, added to Federation Races of 300 miles and over. Record number of birds were received in all Federation Races.

3,367 baskets conveying 79,284 birds to the various race points for liberation creating another record by the V.H.A. Yet another record in the payment of £4,038/3/9 in Federation prize money.

A momentous decision was unanimously decided at a general meeting during the year, by which the Committee drew up regulations to govern the registration of all birds rung with a metal ring. This was carried by a full Executive meeting at a later date. This is one of the many steps in the right direction, the Association has adopted.

Social.—With some rationing restrictions still in force, some clubs found enough of the necessities to entertain members. Northcote, Yarraville, Great Southern and Elsternwick clubs turned on four of the best nights' entertainment ever. At Elsternwick, where the President (Mr. Fred Martarana) gave the boys a treat by letting them have their heads for a few moments, wound up the season in a good spirit, a most enjoyable evening was spent by all present.

As in previous years, the Yarraville Club held their Annual Picnic for members' wives and children. Many thanks to the Social Committee of that club for their untiring efforts.

The racing throughout was closely contested, and the prize money well distributed. The most successful member in Federation Races was Jack Mifsud, of the Brighton Club. Winning the Association aggregate with 86 points, winning the Trustees' Trophy for the 1948 season. Jack in his first Federation win at the 400 mile stage, finished the season by winning the 500 mile event in good style. Recording for the first time in pigeon racing with the V.H.A. Any one member to take both the 400 and 500 mile events in the one season.

The Manton Cup for Young Birds aggregate went to Messrs. Nickless and Lang (Victoria) with 34 points, J. Smith (Ivanhoe) finished second with 31 points.

The W. H. Devlin Memorial Cup for competition in the National Race from Coonamble was won by J. Mifsud (Brighton).

The Produce Race was won by J. Eason (Northcote).

The George Laphorne Commemoration Shield was won by Hawthorn Club, with 139 points. Victoria and Malvern Clubs ran into second place with 118 points each.

The Plasschaert Cup went to E. and A. Spargo (Malvern), winners of the Plasschaert Clock Flyers.

The H. W. Thomas Cup for the 500 mile event was won by Jack Mifsud.

To the following gentlemen we pay a special tribute for their generosity: Messrs. W. H. Thomas (the Association's Clock Specialist), H. W. Devlin, J. Mifsud, and Geo Laphorne.

Congratulations are sent out to the following members on their success during the season: Young Birds—A. Horman, 1st Tocumwal; S. B. Hampstead, 2nd Tocumwal; O. Anderson, Tocumwal Derby. Old Birds—Stone Bros., Tocumwal Hospital event; K. Kelly, Tocumwal Fed.; Dannock & Lennon, 1st Narrandra; A. Bryant, 2nd Narrandra; J. Eason, Wyalong West Produce; E. and A. Spargo, 3rd Wyalong West; J. Mifsud, 1st Narramine; J. Mifsud, 1st Coonamble; J. Mifsud, 1st National Race; Taylor and Son, 1st Collarenebri.

A part share of the Hospital Race was donated by the winners of the event (Messrs. Stone Bros.) to the Eye and Ear and Austin Hospitals.

The 1948 Show Champion went to C. Latchford (Pahran); also the Young Birds Special Cup which has now been won by Clarrie for the third time, and now he is the sole owner.

Condolences.—Our most sincere condolences to all connected with the Association who suffered bereavements in the past year. We extend our deepest sympathy.

Appreciation.—To the Australian Broadcasting Commission and 3AW for their great help on broadcasting our times of liberations in all Federation Races. Without this information over the air we would have great difficulty in letting all members know our times of liberations. We wish to specially thank Messrs. Mel and Les Morris (A.B.C.) and Fred Tupper (3AW); also Jack Mifsud, our Publicity Officer for the very efficient manner in which he handled all notes on Pigeon World.

Again I have pleasure in expressing on behalf of the members their high appreciation of the efficient and untiring efforts of our Chairman of the Clock Committee, Bert Alder, and Bill Johnson for his services rendered as Basketing Supervisor. Also Messrs. Tom Meehan, R. Elso, E. A. Long, J. Lyons, E. Nancarrow, and Alf Smith, for their valuable services at the Basketing Centres.

At the conclusion of another successful year of the Association, may I express sincere appreciation, to the members of the Committee and all who assisted with the valuable help during the greatest season ever.

E. BOWLER, Secretary.

PRESIDENT'S ADDENDUM

Once again it is my pleasure to pay tribute to the excellent services rendered by your Secretary, Ern Bowler. The efficiency in which he has carried out his many duties has been a great benefit to the Association and we are grateful for the services rendered by him for the past twenty years. I should like to take this opportunity to recommend him for Life Membership.

The growth of the Association continues to be very satisfactory. If enough clocks were available to supply all members who are anxious to take an active part in the racing, I should say our Buildings would have to be extended.

I tender my thanks to the Executive and the Committee for the wonderful effort in all Centres, in the checking in of all clocks throughout the 1948 season.

HARRY REID, President.

SUMMARY OF RESULTS

FEDERATION POSITIONS

1st Tocumwal Federation 20/3/48		1,225 Birds
1—A. Horman (Ivanhoe)	1,053	yds.
2—Nickless & Lang (Victoria)	1,052	"
3—J. Smith (Ivanhoe)	1,050	"
4—P. O'Brien (Richmond)	1,045.8	"
5—W. Thripp (Clifton Hill)	1,045.5	"
6—T. Collinson (Malvern)	1,044.2	"
7—R. Sly (Kew)	1,044.0	"
8—A. Spargo (Malvern)	1,042	"
9—G. Baxter (Brighton)	1,037	"
10—H. Billing (Malvern)	1,026	"
11—C. Hodgson (Ivanhoe)	1,025.4	"
12—S. Jones (Great Southern)	1,025.1	"
13—V. Carkeek (Hawthorn)	1,024	"
14—I. Franklin (Malvern)	1,022.8	"
15—M. O'Shannassy (Northcote)	1,022.0	"
16—E. Nancarrow (Northcote)	1,021.6	"
17—E. Bowler (Richmond)	1,021.5	"
18—F. Lovell (Malvern)	1,021.3	"
19—J. Young (Elsternwick)	1,019	"
20—C. Latchford (Pahran)	1,017	"

2nd Tocumwal Federation 3/4/48		905 Birds
1—S. R. Hampstead (Clifton Hill)	851	yds.
2—A. Wilson (Pahran)	850	"
3—J. Mifsud (Brighton)	849	"
4—W. Duggan (Great Southern)	847	"
5—Hooke & Son (Northcote)	846	"
6—T. Delaney (Victoria)	843	"
7—E. Nancarrow (Northcote)	842	"
8—J. Harrison (Malvern)	835.2	"
9—W. Rhodin (Victoria)	835.0	"
10—T. Blaney & Son (Yarraville)	832	"
11—A. McDonald (Yarraville)	831	"
12—R. Constantine (Malvern)	829	"
13—Ferguson & Wise (Malvern)	828	"
14—L. Kenna (Malvern)	821	"
15—Spargo & West (Victoria)	820	"
16—C. Hodgson (Ivanhoe)	817.4	"
17—T. Ornsby (Malvern)	817.3	"
18—A. Flavell (Victoria)	805	"
19—V. Carkeek (Hawthorn)	803	"
20—E. Boothman (Victoria)	802	"

Tocumwal Derby Race 10/4/48		744 Birds
1—O. Anderson (Hawthorn)	1,563	yds.
2—J. Roberts (Richmond)	1,557.6	"
3—R. Snell (Northcote)	1,557.3	"
4—R. Williams (Kew)	1,556	"
5—E. W. Webber (Northcote)	1,554	"
6—Nickless & Lang (Victoria)	1,553	"
7—H. C. Andrews (Elsternwick)	1,549	"
8—J. Smith (Ivanhoe)	1,547	"
9—C. Latchford (Pahran)	1,546	"
10—C. Hodgson (Ivanhoe)	1,545.18	"
11—Edwards Bros. (Malvern)	1,545.16	"
12—M. Abrahams Bros. (Malvern)	1,544	"

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Victorian Homing Association—Income and Expenditure Account, 1948

RECEIPTS		
To Cash Balance from previous year	£421 12 11	
" Outstanding Accounts 1947	30 10 5	
" Subscriptions 378 Annuities	£141 15 0	
" " 59 New Members	14 15 0	
	<u>156 10 0</u>	
" Subscriptions 20 Affiliations	10 10 0	
" Sale of Metal Rings, 25,648 @ 1½d.	160 6 5	
" Sale of Metal Rings, 21,090 @ 4½d.	395 8 6	
" Sale of Rubber Rings, 65,282	163 4 6	
" Sale of Verification Books	5 14 6	
" Sale of Basket Labels	5 17 9	
" Sale of Diplomas	4 2 0	
" Sale of Clock Thimbles	9 1 6	
" Sale of Clock Rolls	6 12 0	
" Convoyers Fees	1,177 1 10	
" Federation Entries and Pools	2,921 10 6	
" Derby Entries	140 7 0	
" Produce Entries	601 6 3	
" Insurance on Clocks	5 14 7	
" Donations	96 18 6	
" Measurements	61 13 0	
" Postage	19 0	
" Rings Re-registered 2,355	58 17 6	
" Ring Registrations 20,891	87 0 11	
" Transfers 85	2 2 6	
" Refund	1 2 9	
" Shows	22 1 6	
" Club Overpaid	17 8	
	<u>£6,547 4 0</u>	
Less Outstanding Accounts	71 7 9	
	<u>£6,475 16 3</u>	

ASSETS		
To Balance, Cash in Hand	£443 12 11	
" Outstanding Accounts	71 7 9	
" Metal Rings 14,927	48 19 8	
" Rubber Rings 33,018	82 11 0	
" Receipts and Verification Books	5 0 0	
" Basket Labels	8 12 3	
" Diplomas	17 5 0	
" Clock Thimbles	8 10 1	
" Plasschaert Clock Rolls	29 10 7	
" Safe	7 7 0	
	<u>£722 16 3</u>	

EXPENDITURE		
By Telephone Charges and Rent	£14 12 2	
" Federation and Pools	£3,296 10 6	
" Derby Race	140 7 0	
" Produce Race	601 6 3	
	<u>4,038 3 9</u>	
" Hospital Donations	96 18 6	
" Trustees (Building Fund)	14 15 0	
" Shows	16 10 9	
" Conveying and General	1,232 14 6	
" Peas, 8 Bags	23 11 0	
" Printing	100 4 9	
" Metal Rings 15,000	49 2 3	
" Rubber Rings 98,000	192 12 9	
" Advertisement	16 0	
" Writing Diplomas	6 7 6	
" Stationary	2 2 0	
" Measurements	61 13 0	
" Insurance	12 17 7	
" Binders, two	1 12 0	
" Blue Ribbons, five	3 0 0	
" Publicity	5 0 0	
" Refund	1 2 0	
" Room Steward	5 0 0	
" Presentations	15 0 0	
" Secretary's Allowance	60 0 0	
" Assistant Secretary's Allowance	20 0 0	
" Treasurer's Allowance	15 0 0	
" Ring Steward's Allowance	20 0 0	
" Auditors' Fees	2 2 0	
" Petty Cash	17 5 10	
" Bank Charges	4 0 0	
" Cash in Bank	£825 8 2	
" Less unrepresented Cheques	381 15 3	
	<u>443 12 11</u>	
	<u>£6,475 16 3</u>	

LIABILITIES		
By Special Ring Money held in Trust	£336 12 8	
" Club Refund	17 8	
" Surplus in Cash and Assets	385 5 11	
	<u>£722 16 3</u>	

Audited and found correct:—

J. MIFSUD and J. MOODY, Hon. Auditors.

14th January, 1949.

Trustees' Balance Sheet

Trustees:

Messrs. H. REID, H. ALDER, W. J. BROOKS, E. ELSON, E. BOWLER.

INCOME

To Rent of Property, Shakespeare Place	£144	0	0
„ Rent of Room, Swan Street	70	0	6
„ Building Fund	14	15	0
„ Phone Calls		5	8
	£229	1	2

EXPENDITURE

By Electric Light Account	£4	18	8
„ Telephone Charges and Rent	9	3	6
„ Rates	39	15	0
„ Interest on Mortgage	2	4	5
„ Insurance	4	0	10
„ Tax	1	7	9
„ Presentation	5	5	0
„ Transfer	36	6	6
„ Plumbing	4	15	9
„ Petty Cash		5	8
„ Balance to Accumulation Account	120	18	1
	£229	1	2

Assets and Liabilities

ASSETS

Property, Shakespeare Place	£1,100	0	0
Hall and Land, Swan Street	1,600	0	0
	£2,700	0	0

LIABILITIES

Mortgage on Property	£288	19	3
Assets in Excess of Liabilities	2,411	0	9
	£2,700	0	0

Audited and found correct:—

J. MIFSUD and J. MOODY, Honorary Auditors,
14th January, 1949.

Honorary Secretary:

E. BOWLER, 25 Stillman Street, Burnley (Phone: JA 2996).

Tocumwal Derby Race (Continued from page 5)

13—Harshorn & Nowland (Brighton)	1,543	„
14—A. Bryant (Northcote)	1,536	„
15—Spargo & West (Victoria)	1,531	„
16—J. Mifsud (Brighton)	1,530	„
17—W. McLennan (Malvern)	1,529	„
18—J. Bryce (Great Southern)	1,528	„
19—F. Hodges (Hawthorn)	1,527.8	„
20—J. Harrison (Malvern)	1,527.5	„

Tocumwal Hospital Federation 18/9/48

3,757 Birds

1—Stone Bros. (Ivanhoe)	1,217	yds.
2—V. Carkeek (Hawthorn)	1,212	„
3—E. Bowler (Richmond)	1,210.5	„
4—Murray Bros. (Victoria)	1,210.4	„
5—L. Lachmund (Ivanhoe)	1,209	„
6—H. Germain (Richmond)	1,205.7	„
7—Dannock & Lennon (Pahran) ..	1,205.0	„
8—S. Moore (Northcote)	1,203.9	„
9—C. Martin (Kew)	1,203.6	„
10—E. Boothman (Victoria)	1,200.9	„
11—R. Bryce & Son (Great Southern)	1,200.3	„
12—R. Snell (Northcote)	1,200.1	„
13—T. White (Richmond)	1,200.0	„
14—T. Delaney (Victoria)	1,196.9	„
15—A. Crump (Richmond)	1,196.7	„
16—J. Smith (Ivanhoe)	1,196.6	„
17—C. Jackson (Richmond)	1,196.1	„
18—A. Stubbs (Richmond)	1,194.6	„
19—McCormack Bros. (Richmond) ..	1,194.4	„
20—R. Abbott (Pahran)	1,193	„

2nd Tocumwal Federation 25/9/48

3,827 Birds

1—K. Kelly (Malvern)	1,392	yds.
2—R. J. Collins (Bayswater)	1,377	„
3—H. Bridges (Hawthorn)	1,364	„
4—F. Lovell (Malvern)	1,363	„
5—Kemp & Son (Elsternwick)	1,361.7	„
6—J. Flannery (Great Southern) ..	1,361.6	„
7—J. Young (Elsternwick)	1,359	„
8—L. Baxter (Brighton)	1,357	„
9—H. V. Barker (Malvern)	1,356.9	„
10—C. Waller (Hawthorn)	1,356.2	„
11—E. A. Long (Malvern)	1,355	„
12—F. Martarana (Elsternwick) ..	1,354.7	„
13—H. Holding (Richmond)	1,354.6	„
14—F. Hodges (Hawthorn)	1,351.9	„
15—C. Latchford (Pahran)	1,351.8	„
16—S. Moore (Northcote)	1,350.22	„
17—V. Williams (Yarraville)	1,350.157	„
18—L. Abikhair (Ivanhoe)	1,350.153	„
19—H. Germain (Richmond)	1,348.8	„
20—C. & B. West (Elsternwick) ..	1,348.77	„

1st Narrandra Federation 2/10/48

3,531 Birds

1—Dannock & Lennon (Pahran) ..	1,088	yds.
2—R. Allen (Kew)	1,086	„
3—J. Bryce (Great Southern)	1,085	„
4—Nickless & Lang (Victoria) ..	1,083	„

5—W. Cheffers (Preston)	1,081	"
6—H. Thomas (Hawthorn)	1,079	"
7—B. Waddell (Clifton Hill)	1,078	"
8—R. Coates (Northcote)	1,076.7	"
9—A. Horman (Ivanhoe)	1,076.4	"
10—R. Allen (Clifton Hill)	1,076.3	"
11—J. Lumley (Victoria)	1,075.9	"
12—V. Carkeek (Hawthorn)	1,075.7	"
13—F. Hodges (Hawthorn)	1,074	"
14—G. Cochran (Clifton Hill)	1,073.7	"
15—E. & A. Spargo (Malvern)	1,073.2	"
16—C. Latchford (Pahran)	1,071.7	"
17—W. Thrupp (Clifton Hill)	1,071.2	"
18—X. Donnelly (Richmond)	1,070	"
19—E. Nancarrow (Victoria)	1,069.8	"
20—G. Moate (Ivanhoe)	1,069.6	"

2nd Narrandra Federation 9/10/48

3,328 Birds

1—A. Bryant (Northcote)	1,005	yds.
2—M. O'Shannassy (Northcote)	1,002	"
3—F. Paterson (Great Southern)	986	"
4—H. Taggart (Malvern)	984	"
5—J. Mifsud (Brighton)	982	"
6—R. Deeble (Richmond)	964	"
7—T. White (Richmond)	963.7	"
8—J. Bryce (Great Southern)	963.2	"
9—F. Fletcher (Richmond)	962	"
10—D. Fuller (Brighton)	961	"
11—Nickless & Lang (Victoria)	959	"
12—H. Germain (Richmond)	958	"
13—G. McCellan (Yarraville)	957	"
14—S. Jones (Great Southern)	954	"
15—J. Smith (Northcote)	953	"
16—J. Eason (Northcote)	942.9	"
17—W. Cornish (Clifton Hill)	942.7	"
18—J. Young (Elsternwick)	940	"
19—Stone Bros. (Ivanhoe)	936	"
20—H. Clay (Malvern)	933	"

Wyalong West Produce Race 23/10/48

2,205 Birds

1—J. Eason (Northcote)	1,087	yds.
2—J. Bryce (Great Southern)	1,082.7	"
3—J. Smith (Ivanhoe)	1,082.2	"
4—J. Flannery (Great Southern)	1,081.6	"
5—F. Bowles (Ivanhoe)	1,081.2	"
6—Nickless & Lang (Victoria)	1,081.1	"
7—Flenley Bros. (Victoria)	1,076	"
8—R. Paterson (Great Southern)	1,074	"
9—E. Nancarrow (Victoria)	1,073	"
10—V. Carkeek (Hawthorn)	1,071.88	"
11—K. Bedford (Hawthorn)	1,071.80	"
12—J. Stevens (Malvern)	1,069	"
13—E. Boothman (Victoria)	1,068	"
14—S. Hardwick (Victoria)	1,066	"
15—A. Bryant (Northcote)	1,065	"
16—Abrahams Bros. (Malvern)	1,064.7	"
17—R. Abbott (Pahran)	1,064.5	"
18—W. Cheffers (Preston)	1,057	"
19—T. Howie (Malvern)	1,055	"
20—A. Flavell (Victoria)	1,054	"

3rd Wyalong West Federation 30/10/48

2,686 Birds

1—E. & A. Spargo (Malvern)	1,630	yds.
2—Harry Bros. (Northcote)	1,626	"
3—H. Thomas (Hawthorn)	1,623	"
4—McCormack Bros. (Richmond)	1,622	"
5—E. Elso & Son (Yarraville)	1,621	"
6—L. Brown (Malvern)	1,619	"
7—C. & K. Meades (Victoria)	1,618	"
8—C. & R. Bresnahan (Yarraville) ..	1,617	"
9—W. Rhodin (Victoria)	1,616.8	"
10—Ferguson & Wise (Malvern)	1,616.7	"
11—A. Bryant (Northcote)	1,616.4	"
12—C. Jackson (Richmond)	1,615	"
13—E. Hotchin (Ivanhoe)	1,613	"
14—J. Mifsud (Brighton)	1,612	"
15—C. & D. Potter (Hawthorn)	1,609.9	"
16—L. Brown (Clifton Hill)	1,609.4	"
17—R. C. Otter (Yarraville)	1,609.1	"
18—J. Smith (Ivanhoe)	1,608	"
19—C. Gill (Pahran)	1,607.5	"
20—G. Waller (Hawthorn)	1,607.0	"

Narromine Federation 6/11/48

2,397 Birds

1—J. Mifsud (Brighton)	1,472	yds.
2—L. Savory (Hawthorn)	1,471	"
3—G. Waller (Hawthorn)	1,466.4	"
4—L. Baxter (Brighton)	1,466.0	"
5—G. McCutchan (Hawthorn)	1,464.1	"
6—Harry Bros. (Northcote)	1,464.0	"
7—H. Marshall (Great Southern)	1,463	"
8—A. Wilson (Pahran)	1,450	"
9—A. Bryant (Northcote)	1,443	"
10—R. J. Collins (Bayswater)	1,442.9	"
11—W. Rhodin (Victoria)	1,442.7	"
12—J. Bryce (Great Southern)	1,442.6	"
13—V. Carkeek (Hawthorn)	1,442.3	"
14—C. & D. Potter (Hawthorn)	1,441	"
15—W. Smith (Kew)	1,438.9	"
16—R. Greenham (Yarraville)	1,438.8	"
17—Johnson & Son (Great Southern) ..	1,438.1472	"
18—E. Elson & Son (Yarraville)	1,438.1471	"
19—C. & K. Meades (Victoria)	1,437	"
20—R. Sly (Kew)	1,436	"

Coonamble Federation 20/11/48

2,268 Birds

1—J. Mifsud (Brighton)	1,078	yds.
2—F. Hodges (Hawthorn)	1,072	"
3—H. V. Barker (Malvern)	1,068	"
4—E. & A. Spargo (Malvern)	1,067	"
5—J. Bryce (Great Southern)	1,064	"
6—W. George (Northcote)	1,062	"
7—Edward Bros. (Malvern)	1,061.3	"
8—A. McDonald (Yarraville)	1,061.1	"
9—G. Davidson (Northcote)	1,059.9	"
10—C. & K. Meades (Victoria)	1,059.8	"
11—L. Baxter (Brighton)	1,051	"
12—W. Trevillian (Yarraville)	1,045	"
13—E. Nancarrow (Northcote)	1,034.6	"
14—G. Hill (Clifton Hill)	1,034.5	"

15—L. Savory (Hawthorn)	1,032	
16—H. Germain (Richmond)	1,012	"
17—K. Kelly (Malvern)	1,009	"
18—Abrahams Bros. (Malvern)	995	"
19—A. Flavell (Victoria)	980	"
20—Nickless & Lang (Victoria)	972	"

Coonamble National 20/11/48

1,234 Birds

1—J. Mifsud (Brighton)	1,078	yds.
2—H. V. Barker (Malvern)	1,068	"
3—E. & A. Spargo (Malvern)	1,067	"
4—J. Bryce (Great Southern)	1,064	"
5—Edwards Bros. (Malvern)	1,061.3	"
6—A. McDonald (Yarraville)	1,061.1	"
7—C. & K. Meades (Victoria)	1,059	"
8—L. Baxter (Brighton)	1,051	"
9—W. Trevillian (Yarraville)	1,045	"
10—E. Nancarrow (Victoria)	1,034.6	"
11—G. Hill (Clifton Hill)	1,034.5	"
12—L. Savory (Hawthorn)	1,032	"
13—H. Germain (Richmond)	1,012	"
14—Abrahams Bros. (Malvern)	995	"
15—A. Flavell (Victoria)	980	"
16—Nickless & Lang (Victoria)	972	"
17—G. Falla (Yarraville)	971	"
18—W. Whitchell (Brighton)	970	"
19—F. Paterson (Great Southern)	966	"
20—T. Delaney (Victoria)	964	"

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335 Birds

1—Taylor & Son (Yarraville)	964	yds.
2—F. Bowles (Ivanhoe)	938	"
3—Smith Bros. (Northcote)	934	"
4—C. Latchford (Pahran)	914	"
5—D. McVitty (Kew)	894	"
6—O. Anderson (Hawthorn)	860	"
7—L. Van (Malvern)	826	"
8—L. Tarrant (Richmond)	819	"
9—Rollinson & Son (Yarraville)	810	"
10—S. Murphy (Yarraville)	802	"
11—H. Ulyett (Hawthorn)	793	"
12—F. Paterson (Great Southern)	703	"
13—H. Marshall (Great Southern)	572	"
14—J. O'Farrell (Hawthorn)	561	"
15—F. Longmore (Kew)	560	"
16—E. & A. Spargo (Malvern)	527	"
17—J. Ostle (Great Southern)	490	"
18—J. Flannery (Great Southern)	445	"
19—Jenkins Bros. (Great Southern) ..	339	"
20—W. Smith (Kew)	298	"