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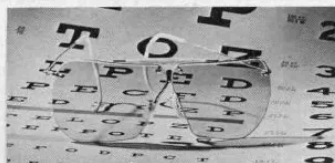
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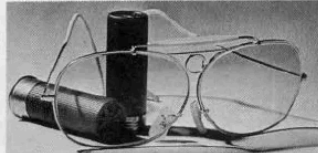
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THANKS, MR. ROBINSON

In an act of special thanks for his service to skeet shooters through his columns in Sports Afield magazine, attendance at all the NSSA world championships and for his selection of skeet All-Americans, the Massachusetts Skeet Shooting Association awarded Jimmy Robinson with an appropriately engraved plaque. Holding the trophy, Jimmy is flanked on the left by Red Burke, and on the right by Asa Allen and Bob Andrade, and in front by Bill Lawson, George Haywood and Fritz Wiedergott. Robinson will be in Dallas in February to select members for his 32nd All-America squad.

FOUR SHOOT MARATHON

New Jersey has inaugurated an unusual marathon event consisting of 400 12 gauge targets shot March through September. The state was divided into two zones and champions named in each. Mickey Freeman won the northern zone race with a 391 aggregate and Paul Collins led the southern zone with 392. Additional southern winners were George Murray, Class A; Don Paolini, Class C; Buck Castor, Class D; Ron Lord, Class E; and Lorene Collins, Class E runner-up.

SKEET IN THE NEWS

The Huntington Park, Calif., Signal reported the International Trap and Skeet Range was the scene of a gun robbery involving Los Angeles Dodgers Manager Walston who had gone to the club for some practice rounds. Alert police recovered six shotguns the same day.

The Fargo, N. D., Forum reported that Minnesota Twins baseball

players Harmon Killebrew and Bob Allison joined with skeet champion, Federal's Dave Yaeger to purchase major assets of C.R. Canfield and Co., a Minneapolis-based pharmaceutical firm. The purchase was made through World Wide Pharmaceutical Corp., founded by the three sportsmen.

SHOP AND SHOOT

On the French Riviera husbands carry their shotguns on family buying trips to Cap 300, a new shopping center next door to the Nice-Cote D'Azur Airport. Air France reports the center has a backyard skeet range to keep dad amused while mom shops.

BARREN FORK EXPANDING

The board of directors of the Barren Fork Sportsman's Club, Tennessee, has announced the purchase of 52.21 acres of land, plans to build two new skeet fields in the near future and two later and an overall expansion program that will include a club house, swimming pool and rifle, pistol and archery ranges.

NEW YORK ALL-STATERS

Fifteen shooters have been named to the 1970 New York All-State Team. They are Harold Contant, Clayton Kenworthy, Randy Robb, Doug Reed, Bruce Forbush, Vern Brewer, Richard Smith, William Pisciotto, Chit Smallege, Dave Robb, Bill Conners; Dianne Forbush, lady; Guy DiTommaso, junior; Robert Bogie, veteran; and Robert Utting Jr., sub-junior.

SKEET SHOOTING REVIEW

HAL DUPONT CAP HEAD

President of Europa Corporation, Hal duPont of Miami has been elected National Commander of Civil Air Patrol at the recent convention in Washington, D. C. One of skeet's most active professionals, duPont, joined CAP 16 years ago and holds the distinction as the first person ever to advance from cadet ranking to National Chairman. He will serve for three years.

HE'S NUMBER 70,500

Robert Armstrong of Chattanooga, Tenn., recently became the 70,500th person to ever sign up with the NSSA. Armstrong was endorsed for membership at the Moccasin Bend Winchester Gun Club and his application was processed at NSSA headquarters October 5.

PROUD SON BILL

William Ball of Chappaqua, N.Y., is proud to announce to his father, a retired skeet shooter basking in the Florida sun, that he has attained the NSSA AA rating in all four guns and has received the official association medallion.

MINNESOTANS HUNT

John Kelly, president of the Minnesota Skeet Shooting Association, and Ed Hentgen, secretary of the Minneapolis Gun Club, along with skeet shooters Frank McCartney and Ed Petroff Jr., partook of Canadian duck hunting recently at Jimmy Robinson's duck club in St. Ambrose.

IT'S BEEN NICE HAVING YOU

E. Webster Bartholow of Baltimore, Md., informed the NSSA on his recent renewal reminder that at age 87 he is hanging up his guns. "I'm 87 now, so it's time to stop shooting. Just remove my name from the list and say there goes another on home," he said.

HEADQUARTERS VISITORS

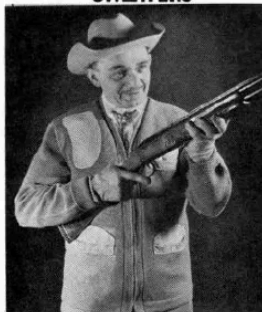
Charles Craft of Las Vegas reported first hand to NSSA officials that skeet's on the move in Nevada.

Arnold Jeffcoat, assistant editor of GUN WEEK, took a breather in Suite 212, halfway to the ISU championships at Phoenix.

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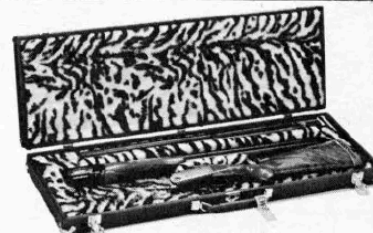
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may select their own sponsors or management will gladly designate a sponsor for each contestant. Any gauge may be used. Fees are \$5 with shells; \$3 without.

And a word to the spectators: please refrain from undue demonstrations during the match. Applause or raspberries shall be limited to the periods during rounds where shooters are not on the firing line.