

E-GAZETTE MK II

New Zealand Antique & Historical Arms Association Inc.

27 March 2013

EDITORIAL

This month I had the pleasure of attending the Art Deco Festival in Napier, while nothing to do with antique arms, I am sure it would appeal to many of you because of the fantastic parade of vintage cars, as well as aerobatic displays by various vintage aircraft. You wife or partner would enjoy it too and earn you some brownie points for giving her the opportunity to see the many 1920s costumes and browse the shops and markets for her own 20s dress and accessories. See feature on page 8 & 9.

While in Napier I uncovered a secret weapon that our members in Hawkes Bay have been attempting to keep to themselves. This is a 24 Pounder, which I have now photographed and will feature in a future e-gazette. Hawkes Bay are not the only Branch that have been keeping guns secret from the rest of us. There is a rumour that the Disappearing Gun in Dunedin has disappeared for good. Apart from South Taranaki Branch and one or two individual members I have had very few guns sent in from you the members and have had to photograph most of those in "Where are the guns" myself. So come on chaps, put your digital camera in your pocket and next time you go to town, or wherever your guns are hidden, snap a few pictures of your local gun to share with the rest of us. I will not accept the old excuse that they have been buried again for fear of Jap bombers.

Phil

NZAHAA MEMBERS HONOURED BY NZSG

For their efforts in research and written contributions to the New Zealand Arms Register (NZAR),
a project sponsored by the
New Zealand Society of Gunsmiths,
two NZAHAA members
Major (Retd) Noel W Taylor ED**, RNZIR, FSG.
Commander Phil Cregeen RN(Retd), BSc Eng, FSG.
have been elected

Fellows of the New Zealand Society of Gunsmiths.

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REPORTERS

Ideally one from each Branch

To send in brief reports

and Photographs

of your local activities and events.

Such as Guns Shows, shoots, visits.

To the Editor

FROM OUR READERS

John Debney recalls his time as Police Armourer in the 1960s and 70s. This is just the sort of first hand information that is so useful to the NZAR team.(Ed)

I have been aware for some time that both of you were engaged in this project (*NZAR*) but I did not really appreciate how or why until today when I read Phil's piece in the E-Gazette Mk11.

I have had a very long interest in firearms and their use, I got my first Airgun 66 years ago and before that I would "Borrow" my fathers .22 when he was out the back on the farm.

When I joined the Police in Jan. 1961.I had completed eight years in the Air Force as an Armourer. At that time the Police had .303" SMLE Mk III rifles and .32 ACP pistols, Colt Pocket pistols; Browning pistols from around 1900; Browning model 10 pistols, and some Webley and Scott Pistols. Tucked away in a dark corner of a basement I found several wooden ex-ammunition boxes that were heavy and had been nailed closed, the gossip was that these were revolvers from the R.N.Z.A.F. They had no other firearms equipment.

When I was appointed the Armourer in 1963 I found that they had no idea how many firearms or what type they had. They had NO policy on issue and use to firearms. Stations were not supplied with cleaning equipment nor was there any instructions on how to care for them. One of the first tasks I had was to visit each and every Police Station in N.Z., search for and locate the firearms, list and check them over. Any that required major servicing I took away with me and replaced when I got back to Wellington, and I supplied the Stations with cleaning gear and gave them instructions on how to clean and maintain their firearms.

My appointment as Armourer coincided with the arrival of a batch on new Model 10 Browning Pistols, and just preceded the formation of the Armed Offenders Squads.

From the information I gathered I created a register of all the firearms that the Police had, as I as had been able to find. At this time I cannot remember how many of which type there was but a check with the Police Records should reveal this.

When I started to remove the nails in these wooden boxes I found that each one contained five victory model Smith & Wesson revolvers. I roughly knew the history of these, they were ones that the R.N.Z.A.F. had inspected and rejected as not suitable for service and had dumped them on the Police. These I listed and put into the Register..

When the Armed Offenders Squads were formed in 1964 we purchased new from S & W M & P model revolvers with 4in barrels, as a sniper rifle we purchased five .22" Bruno rifles and a few tear gas projectors. From memory each squad was issued with .303" rifle for each member, 1 .22" Bruno for their Sniper man and a tear gas launcher for each squad, in addition each squad member was issued with a S & W revolver in .38"S&W. When the New M&Ps arrived we swapped the new revolvers for the old ones. The weapons issued was not my choice, I only followed orders and did my best to get the best for the men.

When the first Police Contingent was sent to Cyprus I borrowed from the NZ Army 9mm Browning Pistols and Stirling Sub Machine guns for each member, I was then given three days to train them all in the use of these weapons.

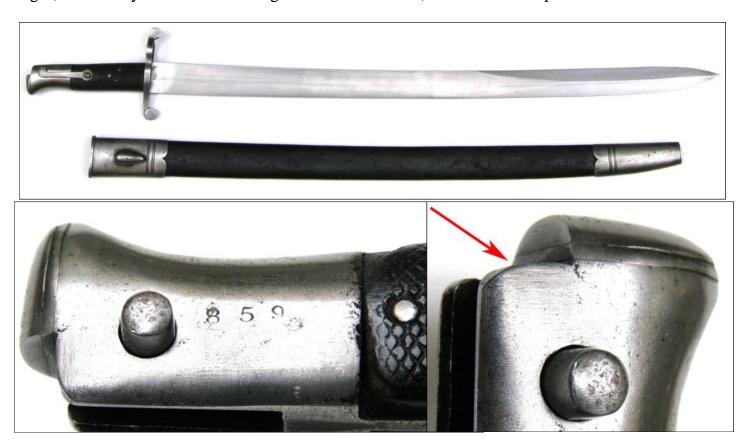
Well fellows, I don't know if these ramblings are of any interest to you. If they are and you want more info shoot the questions at me and I do my best to answer them. As you see I had control of all the Police firearms during the 60's and early 70's.

John E. Debney

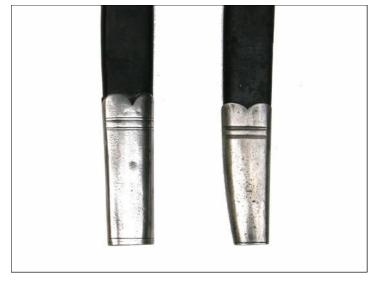
If you have first hand knowledge of firearms used by the New Zealand Military & Police and can provide dates when they were issued or withdrawn from service we would love to hear from you.

AN INTERESTING BAYONET contributed by Marco Cornuda

Among my yataghan bayonets I have a rare Naval cutlass bayonet Enfield 1859, made by Carl Klonne in Solingen, modified by Volunteers removing the shell from the hilt; the scabbard's chape too is a little different.



This bayonet has a MRD of 20,9 mm and sits 2mm above the hilt tang. It appears to be made for a .577 calibre rifle and is very similar to that described as a Volunteer Naval Sword Bayonet at B167 in British & Commonwealth Bayonets.





Note the two types of scabbard chapes above left. Marco also has another Yataghan bayonet of the same MRD with no marks other than the strange shaped "N". Can anyone identify this mark?

Do you have an interesting bayonet? Please write and tell us about it.

AIR NEW ZEALAND TARGETS PASSENGERS WITH FIREARMS

Air New Zealand has introduced new additional baggage charges for passengers who wish to take firearms on international flights. They claim that the charges have been introduced to recover the additional cost of processing firearms through international boarder controls.

The charges apply regardless as to whether the firearm comes within the passengers baggage weight allowance. Currently the charges are as follows:

Flight to Australia or Pacific Islands \$ 120

(Excluding Perth and Bali)

Flight to rest of the world \$200

Visit: http://www.airnewzealand.com/excess-baggage-nz for more details.

Attempts to discover exactly what cost are involved in processing firearms have been met by bland unhelpful statements from Air New Zealand. A number of shooting organisations are preparing to challenge the charges. In the meantime there are other airlines who do not make these charges.

ARMS OF NZ PRISON GUARDS

Until quite recently and at various time in the past guards at HM Prisons in New Zealand have been armed or had access to firearms. If you have any knowledge of these arms the NZAR team would be pleased to hear from you. Contact the editor oilyrag@xtra.co.nz

Pictured below is a Prison Guard (Mt Eden?) c1880s? with Snider smooth bored Constabulary Carbine (converted from Artillery carbine) with swaged choked muzzle. Do you have one of these carbines and would you be willing to share the details of it with the NZAR team?



ANOTHER FAKE—LEC Mk I* By Phil Cregeen © 2013



Top: original LEC Mk I; Bottom, home made LEC Mk I*

I know this one is a fake because I made it. Actually I would prefer to call it a reproduction, as any inspection will reveal it not to be a genuine Lee Enfield Cavalry Carbine. Recently a genuine one of these carbines sold for \$2,700 on Trade Me, and my friend Pat obstinately refuses to sell me his although he did lend it to me to copy, so I decided to create my own.



Long Tom Sporter after I had moved the rear sight

I acquired a Long Tom sporter (above) on Trade Me for \$100, this is one of the BSA commercial barrelled actions that are common on NZ Long Toms. Then I set about collecting other parts to complete the project. Bill Gregerson supplied the special (reproduction) nose cap, Arnie a carbine but plate and Pat the 6 round magazine. In my own parts box I had a correct rear sight, bolt with dust cover, butt disc and enough shortened Long Tom wood to make the stock.

The first job was to fill the butt plate tang slot on the Long Tom butt and fit the carbine butt plate. Then after some repairs around the receiver of a shortened stock I shaped it to the thinner carbine profile, using a draw knife. The top handguard was also made from an old sporter stock after filling various holes with wooden plugs. The barrel band is ex-SMLE.

Turning to the rifle itself I removed both sights and then soldered the correct carbine sight on to the barrel about an inch or so further to the rear, after carefully drilling and tapping new screw holes. In trying to bend the bolt handle to the correct shape I snapped it off, but when rotated through 90 degrees and welded back on it gave me about the right shape and only need the flat grinding on the knob. Another welding job involved filling the recess for the long range aperture on the butt socket and then filling it to the correct profile. When I came to fit the nose cap I found that the rifle barrel was about 0.10 inches larger is diameter than the carbine, so after cutting it to the correct length I reduced its diameter at the muzzle by rotating it against a bench grinder using a steady, crude but effective since I don't have a lathe. Once the nose cap was in place I was able to make a new foresight block and solder it in place. To accommodate the magazine link and loops a small U and slot had to be filed in the front end of the trigger guard assembly. Finally all bare steel parts were cold blued.

Now after a few days tinkering in my workshop I have something that looks pretty close to a Lee Enfield Cavalry Carbine for a total cost of \$220. **For reproduction nose cap contact Bill at: twin.kauris@xtra.co.nz**

AN INTERESTING PLACE TO VISIT - MOTAT By Phil Cregeen

At the end of January Pam and I took our 8 year old grandson to MOTAT (Museum of Transport and Technology) Western Springs, Auckland, At the Meola Road site there is a fantastic display of aircraft, both military and civil, all contained in a large new hanger, exhibits include a Lancaster, Mosquito, Hudson, Skyhawk, Vampire, Solent and many more. Out the back is a Sunderland, Dakota and Ventura awaiting restoration.







I took the photos on this page on a previous live day. Although not officially open on this recent visit a nice young man showed us around the military vehicles, which included a Valentine Tank, GMC truck, Bren Carrier, Ford Ambulance, Ford recovery truck, two APCs and two AA guns (40 mm Bofers and 3.7 inch).

All the military vehicles are brought out for display each month on the third Sunday.

On April 6 & 7 there will be a live day at MOTAT with military vehicles re-enactment battles and trains operating.





We took the tram ride to the Great North Road site on the other side of Western Springs Park where there is plenty more to see, including steam engines, fire engines, locomotives, cars and buses, as well as a Victorian village and exhibitions of the Home Front in WW II and New Zealand in the 1950s and 60s.

Visit: www.motat.org.nz for more information







BERETTA MODEL 418 6.35mm (.25 APC) by Andrew Edgcombe © 2013

This diminutive pocket pistol was a Kiwi bring back from the Western Desert and was picked up as a sleeper by a friend of mine in Wanganui in the early 1970's after placing an advertisement in the local paper seeking to buy a Luger. This and one other pistol were delivered to him by a woman who was so scared of the them she literally held her handbag out at arms length as she walked to his house. They had belonged to her late husband.

This Model 418 Beretta is marked as being made in 1938 or as indicated by the Roman numerals XVI on the slide made in the 16th year of the coming to power of Fascism which was 1922.

The holster is original to the gun and the condition of the gun is lovely with a deep crisp commercial blue finish, sadly

the magazine was not with the gun so maybe one day one will come to light.

These Berettas were a private purchase item available to Italian officers, they may have been quite a flattering ornament on the belt of a dress uniform but I feel they would be of little value as a combat sidearm!

The Pistol is depicted with some period items relating to the North African Campaign. It can't be seen in this picture but chalked onto the door of the Kiwi truck is "Goodbye Mussolini"

As a matter of interest the Beretta 418 was the original choice of handgun for Ian Flemings 007 James Bond before he moved up to the famed 7.65mm Walther PPK in "Dr No"



NAPIER ART DECO FESTIVAL photos by Phil Cregeen

The high-light of the Napier Art Deco Festival is the street parade of vintage cars, many of which could also be seen driving around town or parked on the Marine Parade throughout the four day event, with people dressed in 1920s costume. Each day there were also aerobatic displays over the water front by a number of classic aircraft including the RNZAF Red Checkers. Entertainment in the evenings included free open air concerts of pre war music at the Sound Shell. Here are just a few images of the vehicles:





MYSTERY OBJECT (below left), contributed by Tony Bruce, spectacles obviously but what for? Answers please to oilyrag@xtra.co.nz



The answer to last months mystery object below was provided by Ian Robinson: "This is a wire striper used to remove the outer insulation from wire before terminating to a contact. As a Technician I was issued one of these by the Post Office in the 70's as standard tool kit."

Below is a closer image of the marking:

BERG Eskilstuna Sweden

And P^T





US AIR FORCE MUSEUM contributed by David Craze

If aircraft are your thing you will enjoy the photos found here:

http://www.cdsg.org/forums/viewtopic.php?t=381

INFORMATION REQUEST

A significant number of old .22 rifles of various makes and model and some centre fire rifles are seen marked **SP/S** or **SP/N** on the receiver crown., with a number and quite frequently they have sold out of service marks of opposing broad arrows ><. . Some have also been noted marked NZ with broad arrow^.

Here is an example:



We know that these guns were among those impressed for home defence in WW II but were they marked SP as part of this exercise or for some other reason before being impressed for war service? We are seeking documentary evidence as to what these SP marks stands for, can you help?

UP COMING EVENTS - If you have dates for events in 2013 or 2014 please advise oilyrag@xtra.co.nz

16 March NZAHAA National Shoot, Nelson

23 March South Canterbury Auction, Timaru

23 & 24 March Hawkes Bay Branch Gun Show, Napier

6 & 7 April Auckland Arms Fair, Henderson

13 April NZAHAA AGM & Auction, Invercargill

21 April Carvell's Auction, Auckland

27 & 28 April Ted Rogers Militaria Auction, Kilbirnie, Wellington

25 May Ruahine Branch Gun Show, Feilding

22 June Whangarei Hunting Shooting and Fishing Show

7 July Auckland Branch Gun Show, Mt Eden

20 & 21 July Wellington Branch Auction, Kilbirnie, Wellington

27 July Mainland Arms & Militaria Gun Show, Christchurch

17 & 18 August Tauranga Arms & Militaria Show

7 September NZAHAA HYGM and Ruahine Branch Auction, Fielding

28 & 29 September Auckland Arms Fair, Henderson

12 & 13 October Ted Rogers Militaria Auction, Kilbirnie, Wellington

WHERE ARE THE GUNS? Please send details of your local gun to oilyrag@xtra.co.nz



8in Disappearing Gun with 12 Pounder pedestal mounted Field Guns at North Head, Devonport



Photos by Phil Cregeen

What other guns are hiding in Auckland?

Below right evidence of the Napier 24 Pdr Gun



A CHALLENGE TO COLLECTORS

GRATON ENTERPRISES

PRESENTS the 32^{nd} AUCKLAND SHOW WHICH WILL BE HELD ON THE 6^{TH} AND 7^{TH} OF APRIL 2013

To all collectors.

In the past we have had some really tremendous displays, some of you have never missed a Show which is appreciated by us.

Times are a little tough at the moment and there is so much happening in the Gun fraternity that it makes it very difficult to attend all of the Shows around the country.

We are really trying to encourage more of you to display. This allows you to be part of the Show from whoa to go. We have discussed at length on just how to encourage more of you to display, we do appreciate that putting on a weekend display takes a lot of effort on your part. We are aware that there are some very fine collections amongst you; we would love you to share them with us all.

For this Show we have decided that all who display will get a prize/ medal / gift or something of the kind for your efforts. All displayers will receive a prize; there will also be a more substantial "Best in Show" prize.

We would like to point out that all who display get their tables and table space at no charge.

All who display will also get two free weekend passes.

All who display will get to partake in an after set up day (Friday night) get together for a short time, this includes a few nibbles and a beer or two.

We invite you all to be part of this Show and help us make it an interesting informative Show for all who will attend.

We are always open to suggestions and invite your feed back or any ideas that you might want to put our way. Looking forward to a catch up at the April Show.

Kind Regards.

Graham and Tony

2013 NZAHAA National Shoot

Hosted by Nelson Branch

Saturday 16 March

Nelson Pistol Club Range at Golden Downs

Range will be open Friday for practice
Basic Self Cater accommodation available on site.
For info and entries - please contact
Nigel Johnson - Nelson Branch Secretary
Ph 03 5476263 Evenings after 7.00pm or
email to nigelpamtim@callsouth.net.nz

BUY, SELL OR SWAP

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FOR SALE Photos opposite

Full size 6lb field cannon built from plans I got from the US in 1995. This pattern of cannon was used extensively by both sides in the American Civil War.

Built entirely from imported hardwoods, Elm wheel hubs, Hickory elm spokes, the wheel felloes & the main trail of the gun are from Purple Heart, a very heavy and durable hardwood so rotting is not a problem.

The barrell is cast iron, with a 4" nb Sched 160 steel liner and is 60" long weight about 450 kg. O/A weight of gun is about 700kg I have never actually weighed it properly.

Gun is 3.0 m long and over 2.0 m wide across the wheels at the top.

Some iron work is cast (towing eye elevator screw box and handle) and some fabricated from and forged by ourselves. Offers over \$20,000.

Contact :Chris Simpson 09-4322213 021988200

E-mail signman@xtra.co.nz

WANTED Genuine WWII era Fairbairn Sykes knives, First Pattern & Second Pattern. Will pay top money for top quality knives. Brian McLeary, hbarms@clear.net.nz
Phone 06-843 2209

WANTED a bolt for a 7.62 x 54R Mosin Nagant Contact: John Hinchco <u>if_and_t@hotmail.com</u>

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Extremely Scarce Australian Issue Pattern 14 Sniper Rifle fitted with Aldis Telescopic Sight on overhead mounts; Lithgow SMLE fitted with WW II Australian Issue Bipod and Carry handle; Scarce Japanese Type 2 Takedown Paratroopers Rifle.

WANTED: British Commonwealth Trials Rifles especially Pattern 1913, No I MK VI & No 4 Trials Rifles; WW I Lattey, Gibbs, Martin, and similar Optical Sights; Rifle Grenade Cups & Spigots, and Wire Cutters & Breakers.

CONTACT: Colin Green, 5 Tiffany Grove, Templestowe,

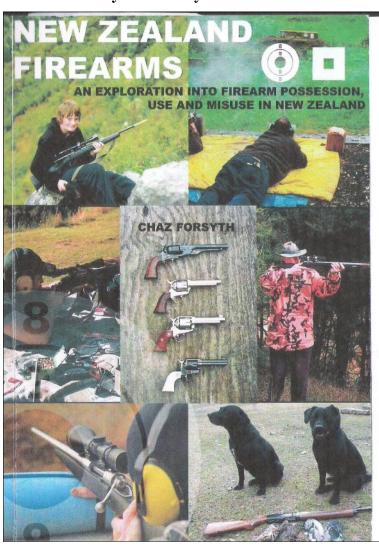
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HELP REQUEST FROM SOUTH AFRICA

To whom it may concern

We are planning the restoration of a 77mm (<u>not</u> converted to "neuer Art") Krupp gun, specifically gun No. 1705 or 1709.

Does anybody have or can assist us to locate relevant documents (probably not called as such in the good old days) such as:

Operator's Manual Workshop Repair Manual Parts List Drawings

Any details about the limber? Your assistance will be greatly appreciated. Gunner's regards,

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HAWKES BAY GUN SHOW

HOSTED BY

NZAHAA Hawkes Bay Branch Inc. & Arms & Militaria Society HB.

23 & 24 March 2013

at Coote Road Army Hall in Napier City

Contact: Paul Shoebridge
Phone 06 8447321
e-mail jo paul@clear.net.nz
for Sales or Display tables

The South Canterbury Branch Annual Auction

at The Poplars, near Pleasant point, Timaru.

Saturday 23 March

Our philosophy always has been to have a small, but good quality offering and this year the same will apply. As well as some good quality arms there will be an interesting selection of gunsmith tools and some very good firearm related accessories.

We plan to have every Association member receive their catalogue by the end of February.

NZ Antique and Historical Arms Assn Inc

2013 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AND AUCTION

The Southland Branch will be hosting the National AGM and Auction on

Saturday the 13th of April 2013

Invercargill Workingmen's Club 154 Esk St Invercargill.

Items for sale in the auction are now being sought.

There will be <u>no commission</u> charge for vendors and a 5% buyer's premium.

Sales tables will be available at no charge.

Displays are invited and prizes will be awarded to the best.

Correspondence to: Southland Branch NZAHAA Inc, P.O.Box 5110, Invercargill. Email: david.l.k@xtra.co.nz

Phone enquiries regarding delivery of auction lots to: Deon at 032165156 (Daytime)

MANAWATU RUAHINE DISTRICT GUN SHOW

Run by Ruahine Branch of NZAHAA Inc.

Rangitikei Club, Bowen St, FEILDING

Saturday 25 May 2013 10.00 – 16.00hours

OUR MOST SUCESSFUL YET GUN SHOW.

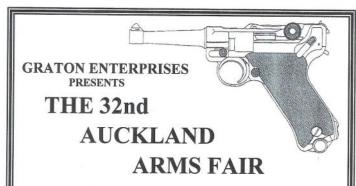
Extensive advertising in our district is intended re this function via newspaper/radio and leaflet drops and notices throughout the district.

Expressions of interest from members who wish to bring:

a display (tables are provided free for displays)
A sales table (cost \$20 per vendor per table)
Should be sent to:

Vic Longley 7 Raukawa Road, RD 10 Palmerston North 4470

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Saturday 7 September 2013

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NZHAAA HALF YEARLY MEETING FOR 2013

To be on

September 7, 2013

Hosted by

Central Branch.

At

The Rangitikei Club FEILDING.

Prior to

THE RUAHINE BRANCH ANNUAL AUCTION