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Armistice Day—11 November 1918

Armistice Day (also sometimes referred to as Remembrance Day) marks the anniversary of the signing of the Armistice that ended WW1 and commemorates the sacrifice of those who died serving New Zealand in this and all wars and armed conflict.

The Great War of 1914 to 1918 was one of the most devastating events in human history. New Zealand, with a population of 1.1 million in 1914, sent 100,000 men and women abroad. 16,700 died and over 40,000 were wounded – a higher per capita casualty rate than any other country involved. The coming of peace on the **11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month of 1918** brought blessed relief for all involved.

On Armistice Day 1918, New Zealand had 58,129 troops in the field, while an additional 10,000 were under training in New Zealand. In total, the troops provided for foreign-service by New Zealand during the War represented 10% of its 1914 population of the ages of 20-45.

The signing of the Armistice is observed annually in New Zealand at 11am on 11 November (the 11th hour on the 11th day of the 11th month). Two minutes silence is observed in memory of those New Zealanders who died while serving their country.

*They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old;
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun and in the morning
We will remember them.*

Laurence Binyon poem 'For the Fallen'

Army regulations allow the wearing of a small rose on uniform on Remembrance Day and Remembrance Sunday, in a similar manner to which poppies are worn on Anzac Day.

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A LEGACY OF JOHN OSBORNE 1941 - 2018

Here you can research the arms used by New Zealand Military and Police.

Back issues of the e-Gazette will be found in the Articles section.

OBITUARY

RIP Robbie Tiffen of Gunworks Canterbury.

Robbie Tiffen passed away last week on Wednesday 17th October after a battle with cancer.

Robbie was a stalwart of the firearms industry and he was a really nice guy.

Our thoughts and Condolences are with Amanda, his family and the Gunworks team.

Robbie served in the Territorial forces with the rank of staff sergeant as armourer and was part of the Army shooting team.

He had many friends and acquaintances throughout New Zealand, and ran a successful gunsmithing business, Gunworks.

Many members of our club knew Robbie and will share in our sadness.

Amanda and the rest of the team are doing a sterling job of continuing the business.

RIP Robbie.

Kevin Hussey
Secretary

New Zealand Antique Arms Association (Auckland Branch)

Northland Branch Invitation Shoot 2019

11th - 13th January

**At Oromahoe Range, near Kerikeri
(map and shoot programme available)**

**Camping at the range encouraged, but
you must be self sufficient.**

Spit roast/

BBQ dinner supplied on Saturday night.

**Organised events on Saturday with
prizes, and the usual evening auction. So
bring along your excess stuff!**

All members and families are welcome.

Fee \$30 for whole weekend.

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Manuals used with the L1A1 Self Loading Rifle

By Kevin Adams

8 September 2018

Recently there have been several manuals being sold on TradeMe that claimed to be "official" British L1A1 manuals. To say the least this has frustrated me not only as a collector but ethically as these manuals aren't original British manuals no matter what the seller may claim. As the saying goes Caveat emptor "Let the *buyer beware*". Knowledge is power, so I've decided to enlighten the readership as to what is original and what isn't.

Generally, the bulk of the manuals haven't been reproduced, except for five done by TAPCO in America during the early 2000's. This was done to supply the American market that had become flooded with ex New Zealand Army, and Malaysian L1A1 parts Kits. They reproduced the British 1977 dated L1A1 Handbook, British L2A2 SUIT Sight manual, Australian 1983 dated Manual of Land Warfare Part Two, Infantry Training, Volume 4, Pamphlet No. 5 and both Lithgow's Technical and Supplementary Brochures. Some of these items reproduced have the www.TAPCO.com website marked on the back or front, but others don't. They also reproduced several FAL manuals.

There are two types of army manuals; first is the HANDBOOK, these were issued with the new piece of kit to enable the instructor/soldier to learn how to use the item and accessories. Then there is the PAMPHLET these again contained information on how to use the equipment and accessories, but it also incorporates detailed training information, aids, physical strengthening exercises etc. Periodically the Manuals / Pamphlets would be updated with new information about accessories or training procedures and would be reissued. The British produced the following:-

BRITISH

Handbooks

W.O. Code No. 12258

User Handbook for the RIFLE, 7.62mm., L1A1

Land Service

1959

W.O. Code No. 12258

USER HANDBOOK for the RIFLE, 7.62mm., L1A1 and CONVERSION KIT, 7.62mm RIFLE 0.22 inch CALIBRE, L12A1

Land Service

1959

Army Code No 12258 (Revised 1977)

USER HANDBOOK for RIFLE, 7.62mm, L1A1 and 0.22 inch CALIBRE, L12A1 CONVERSION KIT, 7.62mm RIFLE,

The first official handbook was released in 1959

Size 138 x 212 mm, 2 staples on spine

In 1969 the original Handbook received an amendment that changed the title of it. The handbook now included information on the .22 in. L12A1 Conversion Kit. There was no change to the size or binding.

The 1959 handbook was superseded by the 1977 edition Army Code No 12258

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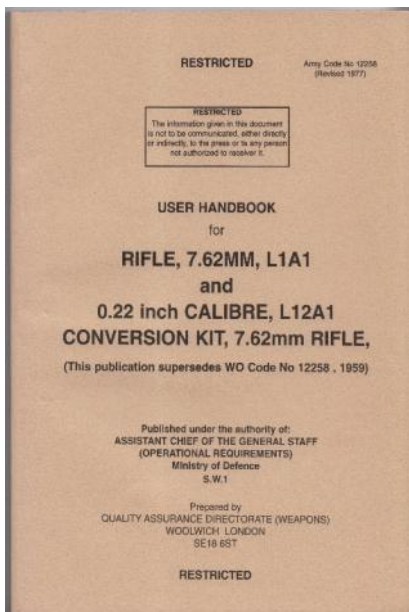
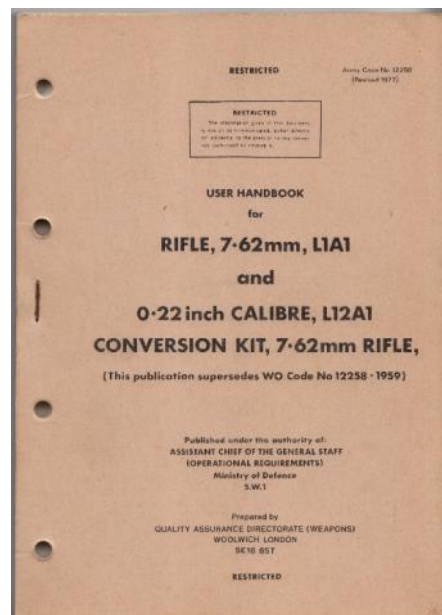
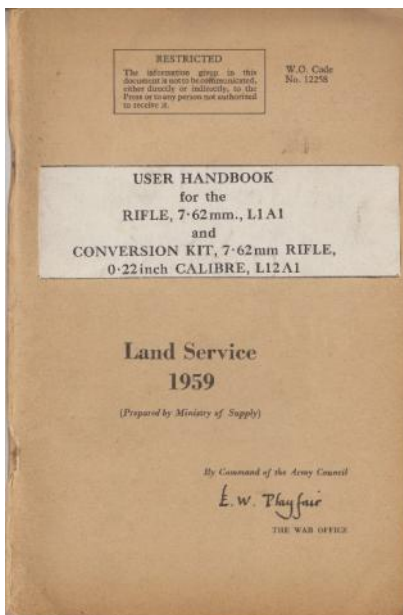
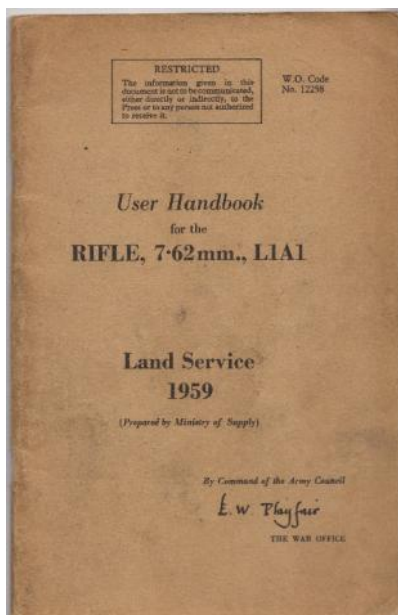
TAPCO reproduced the 1977 edition of the handbook

Size: 151 x 213 mm, Glued binding.

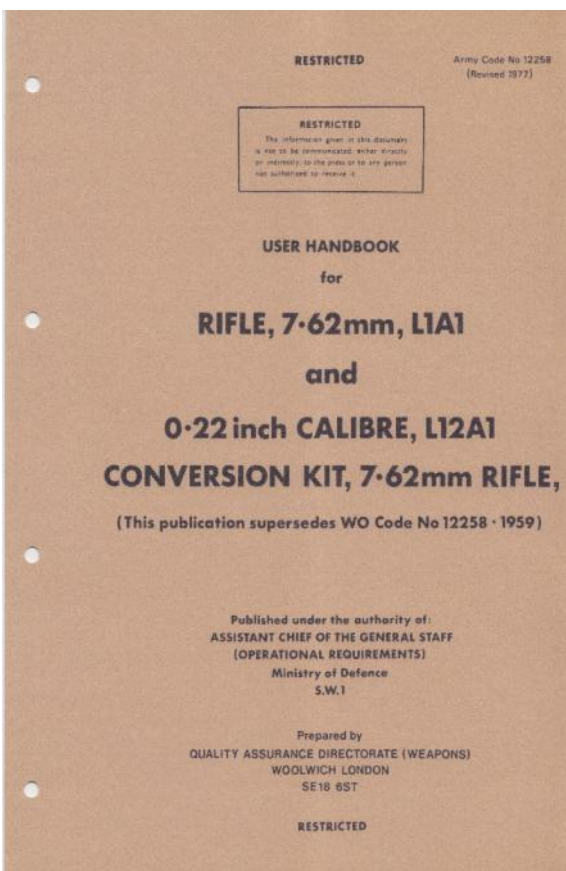
Wording error in the "Restricted" box on the front cover. Last sentence should read "to the press or to any person not authorised to receive it." instead it says, "to the press or **ta** any person not authorised to **receiver** it."

Over the past few years a new reprint of this handbook has been available through eBay. The seller in the UK states the copies were done within the British Army as handouts. These are quality colour copies but done in A4 size designed to go into the standard A4 ring binder.

Size: 210 x 297 mm Loose Leaf, 4 ring binder holes. Usually held together with string.



TAPCO Reprint



A4 size Student Reprint

Pamphlets

WO Code No. 9516
Infantry Training Volume I
INFANTRY PLATOON WEAPONS PAMPHLET No. 3B
THE 7.62-mm SELF LOADING RIFLE AND BAYONET
(All Arms) 1959

Army Code No. 70179
Infantry Training Volume I
INFANTRY PLATOON WEAPONS PAMPHLET No. 3B
THE 7.62-mm SELF LOADING RIFLE AND BAYONET
(All Arms) 1965

Army Code No. 71012 26/GSTP/3337
INFANTRY TRAINING VOLUME II
Skill at Arms (Personal Weapons) Pamphlet No. 7
7.62 mm SELF LOADING RIFLE
(All Arms) 1975

Army Code 71012 D/DAT/13/28/51
Infantry Training Volume II
Skill at Arms (Personal Weapons) Pamphlet No. 7
7.62mm Self Loading Rifle
(All Arms) 1975
Reprinted Incorporating Amendments Nos 1 – 12

The first pamphlet for the L1A1 rifle was released in February 1959, it superseded the 3A pamphlet that was for the X8E1/X8E5 trials rifles.

Size 122 x 182 mm, 3 ring binder holes, 2 staples on front of spine.

In 1965 a new version of the pamphlet was released incorporating the Trilux foresight and Hythe backsight, L4A1 BFA and AA Handling.

120 x 180 mm, 3 ring binder holes, 2 staples on front of spine.

The 1975 edition saw a major change in the size and information contained in the pamphlet, it now includes information on the SUIT Sight, Aim Corrector, IWS Night Sight, 0.22 inch L12A1 Conversion Kit, RT4A-KT Infra-Red, L6A1 BFA etc.

148 x 210 mm, 4 ring binder holes, 1 staple (used to hold it together till it can be placed in a A5 ring binder)

1st edition was release in November 1975.

2nd edition was printed in 1983 incorporating amendments 1 – 5

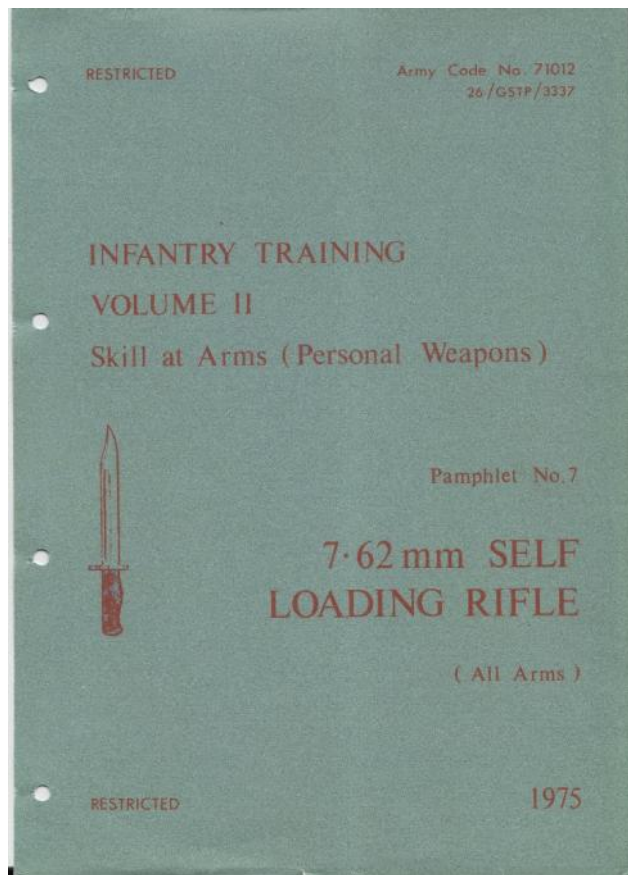
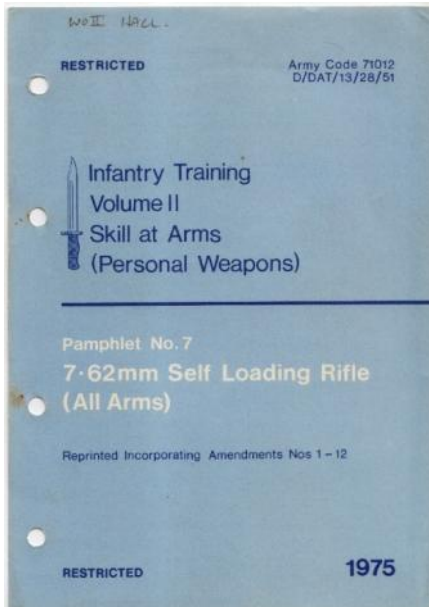
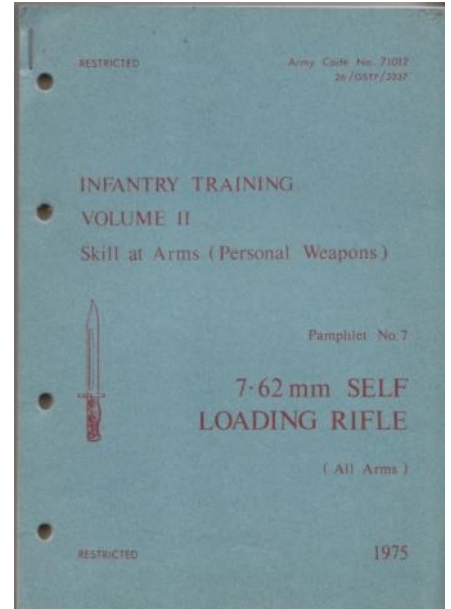
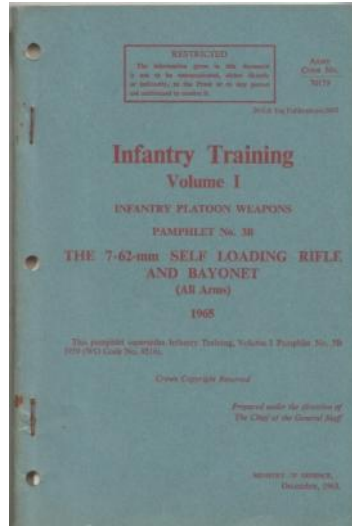
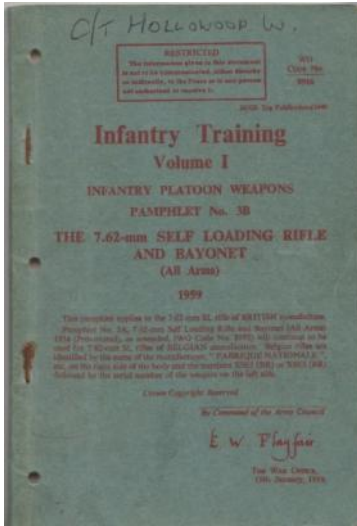
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3rd edition was printed in 1987 incorporating amendments 1 – 12 and has a new layout for the front cover

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Again, another new A4 reprint of the pamphlet has been available through eBay from the same seller as the Handbook and designed to be used with the standard A4 ring binder.

Size: 210 x 297 mm Loose Leaf, 4 ring binder holes. Usually held together with string.



A4 size Student Reprint

AUSTRALIA

Pamphlets

7610-66-013-1640

Infantry Training Volume I

INFANTRY PLATOON WEAPONS PAMPHLET No. 3B

THE 7.62-mm SELF LOADING RIFLE AND BAYONET

(ALL ARMS) 1961

DSN 7610-66-043-7060

Notified in AAOs for 30th November 1971

AUSTRALIAN ARMY INFANTRY TRAINING VOLUME 1

INFANTRY PLATOON WEAPONS PAMPHLET No. 3B

THE 7.62 mm SELF LOADING RIFLE AND BAYONET AND THE 7.62 mm AUTOMATIC RIFLE

(ALL ARMS) 1971

7610-66-107-1254

Notified in DI(A) ADMIN 20 series for 1983

AUSTRALIAN ARMY MANUAL OF LAND WARFARE PART TWO

INFANTRY TRAINING VOLUME 4 PAMPHLET No. 5

THE SELF-LOADING RIFLE, 7.62 mm L1A1 AND AUTOMATIC RIFLE, 7.62 mm L2A1

(ALL CORPS) 1983

The first official Australian pamphlet was a copy of the British 1959 manual with new photos showing Australian soldiers and was released in 1961.

Size 121 x 183 mm, 2 staples on spine.

The 1961 pamphlet was superseded by the 1971 edition incorporating the L2A1 Automatic Rifle.

145 x 212 mm, 2 ring binder holes, glued binding.

Again the 1971 edition was again replaced by the 1983 edition. This edition included information on the L12A1 .22 inch conversion kit. The photos and diagrams were updated as well.

149 x 210 mm, 2 ring binder holes, glued binding.

TAPCO reproduced the 1983 edition of the Pamphlet.

Size: 151 x 213 mm, Glued binding.

This time they have clearly stated on the front cover that it's reprinted by www.TAPCO.com

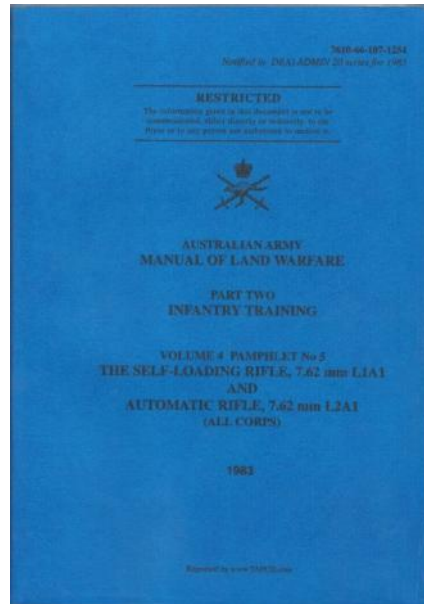
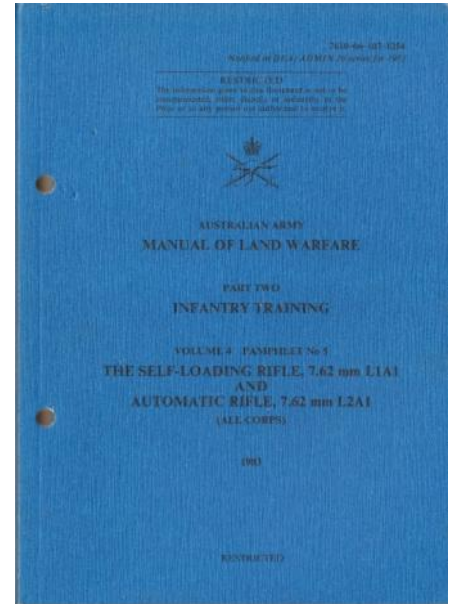
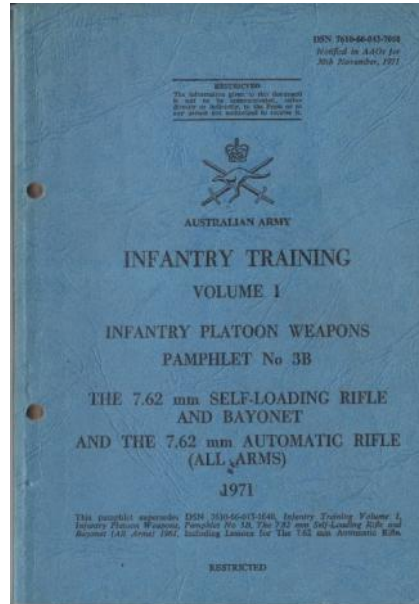
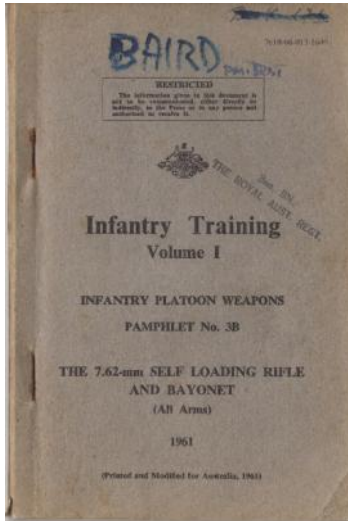
Tapawera Armistice Weekend 2018

Supported by Nelson Branch NZAHAA

[Tapawera School](#), Main Rd Tapawera, Tapawera, Waimea, Nelson / Tasman

Friday 9 November 2018 – Sunday 11 November 2018

<https://www.eventfinda.co.nz/2018/tapawera-armistice-weekend-2018/waimea>



TAPCO Reprint

Do you collect ordnance or grenades? Do you import any?

Please read the following which was passed on by a fellow collector.

I've just been told that there's a new person at Auckland Mail Centre.

matthew.young@customs.govt.nz

He has asked those who are importing inert ordnance to:

- 10 day pre notification
- Tracking number of incoming
- Sender
- What it is plus confirm inert
- Must be in Parts, not complete

They are getting new gear and he says they are going to start confiscating any incoming that they are not pre warned about.

SSANZ News November December 2018

www.sportingshooters.nz SSANZ, PO Box 275, Whangarei 0140



SSANZ AGM - 2 MARCH 2019, 2.00pm Forum North, Whangarei

We need a new Secretary and Treasurer; an organization cannot function without these two key officers. At a time when firearm ownership is coming under more and more pressure we all need to stand together united. Are you willing to step up, or will you watch this organization fade into oblivion through lack of your involvement? Meanwhile persuade a mate to join SSANZ if you do nothing else.

Ammunition Supply Chain in Jeopardy

As a consequence of the 2017 Health and Safety Regulation the transport of ammunition within NZ has been seriously affected as most Couriers now refuse to carry safety ammunition, primers and powder. The reason being they face a \$50,000 fine if they allow these class 1 products to remain in their depots for more than 24 hours. Clearly this is a likely occurrence if the consignment is in transit over a weekend or public holiday.

SSANZ has written to the responsible Minister, Ian Lees-Galloway, asking for these products to be exempt or granted an extension to 72 hours. In his reply to SSANZ the minister stated "My officials consider that there is no problem with this aspect of the regulations as currently written" However in his reply to COLFO he has asked that the council meet with WorkSafe to discuss the matter further. Meanwhile dealers are finding it harder to ship ammunition to their customers.

Arms (Firearms Prohibition Orders) Bill lost at first reading.

Defeated by 63 votes to 57 this National Party Bill had many unintended consequences for Licensed Firearm owners. SSANZ was pleased to see NZ First MP Ron Mark, himself an enthusiastic shooter, standing up for lawful firearm owners and making a scathing attack on the Bill. As one well known ex Police arms control expert pointed out the current Arms Act already makes provision for preventing criminal gang members obtaining firearms through the "fit and proper" vetting process. There is no need for NZ to adopt Police State methods, just because the Ausies think it is a good idea.

New Website launched by the Firearms Safety Council of Aotearoa New Zealand.

SSANZ is a member of FSCANZ and supports the aims and objectives of the council for improving public and shooter safety with firearms.

Visit <https://www.firearmssafetycouncil.org.nz/>

In Australia Victoria Parliament Refuse to Relax a Ban on Suppressors for Hunters

On 25 July the Parliament of Victoria debated the **Firearms Amendment (silencers) Bill 2018** to relax the restriction on the use of suppressors for recreational hunters. The Bill failed to gain support from any of the major parties and was defeated by 36 votes to 4, this despite the Bill requiring a permit to purchase and secure storage for all suppressors. It seems that science and logic played little part in this debate, some MPs freely admitting that the only knowledge they had on the matter was gained from movies. We don't know how lucky we are here in NZ where silencers are recognised as a sensible tool for noise reduction protecting the hearing of shooters and preventing unnecessarily alarm to other game animals, stock and members of the public.

NZ Police Declare Their Intentions

In a document published recently on their website purporting to provide guidance for those wishing to import AR and AK type semi automatic firearms Police reveal their true intention; which is to stifle the importation and support of these firearms by effectively making them, and their parts, conform to the requirements of an MSSA needing a **special reason to import**, regardless of the configuration in which they were manufactured.

This means that Dealers cannot import parts or partly assembled ARS or AKs for stock, even if they do not have the features of an MSSA, as this is not considered a special reason.

COLFO plan Legal Action

As a partner member of COLFO, SSANZ will be supporting a planned Judicial Review of the police policy to classify all AR and AK type firearm parts as being a part of an MSSA.

We hope that once this action gets underway all those who own A cat ARs and AKs and all dealers who make a living selling them will consider making a financial contribution. SSANZ has already made a donation to this impending legal action.

SSANZ members represent COLFO at Sika Show

Showing our commitment to Unity and supporting all factions of the shooting sports, two of the SSANZ national committee acted as host on the COLFO stand at the Sika Show held in Taupo at the end of September.

Join Us

www.sportingshooters.nz

POLICE OCTOBER ROAD SHOW

The main purpose of the October Police Road Show that visited Christchurch, Palmerston North, Wellington, Auckland, Hamilton and Invercargill with meetings for Dealers and Licensed Firearm Owners was to gather feedback on the possible new ways of administering the Arms Act as shown in the following slide:

WORKING DRAFT (FOR DISCUSSION PURPOSES ONLY)

Firearms Community Discussion (October 2018)
New Zealand Firearms Licensing Process

**How do you feel about these improvements in the current firearms process?
We want your feedback.**

Help me understand	Know me	Let me apply	Give me	Working together
<p>1 I can easily and quickly find the relevant instructions, and list of supporting documentation required to apply for a firearms licence</p> <p>2 I am able to prepare and keep all documentation ready before I apply</p> <p>3 I will be able to view explainer videos and read FAQ documents</p> <p>4 Guidance is available to help me undertake the theory test and the practical training</p> <p>5 When I get in touch with you for advice, I receive consistent messages on the process/regulations</p>	<p>6 I am able to provide comprehensive information during my first application that will create a unique profile for me for future reference</p> <p>7 When I speak to someone in the firearms team, I don't have to repeat information</p> <p>8 My past applications are saved to my profile and can be used or amended by me for subsequent applications</p> <p>9 I can update my address online on my profile. This will trigger a home visit</p> <p>10 All current endorsements are linked to my profile</p> <p>11 When applying for a subsequent Category A licence, I am also prompted to consider applying for my endorsements</p> <p>12 The referee interviews may be face-to-face, web form or over the phone</p>	<p>13 I can submit my application electronically and pay online</p> <p>14 Alternatively, I can submit a paper application and pay at NZ Post</p> <p>15 For subsequent applications, I can reuse my previous application with the option to amend as required</p> <p>16 When applying for a Permit to Import/Permit to Procure, I can choose to replicate my previous order with the option to amend as required</p> <p>17 I am guided to the relevant application online and 'Help Text' prompts me to complete an application</p> <p>18 I am able to track my application online and receive specific (e.g. Permit to Import) push notifications</p> <p>19 I am reminded in advance when my licence is nearing expiry</p>	<p>20 Timely, consistent, and legislatively compliant firearms application experience</p> <p>21 I am able to submit a Permit to Procure form electronically onsite at a dealer's</p> <p>22 Opportunities to participate in firearms community events and meetings to learn, share and provide feedback</p>	<p>23 I can opt-in to receive messages on upcoming firearms events</p> <p>24 More rigour around online sales and collection of firearms – may include delivery of firearms at a dealer's site</p> <p>25 Through a dealer, a firearms seller is able to verify the current status and validity of a customer's firearms licence in the system (Yes/No response*)</p> <p>26 Greater visibility of the process and information to support an efficient, modernised firearms licensing process</p>

* Note: Dealers will not have access to or receive any personal information from the Police firearms licence database

It should be noted that this is a discussion document and any changes to the way the Act is administered will be brought about through changes to the Regulations to allow digital forms in addition to the current paper based system.

Following a brief explanation of each point on the slide audiences were invited to indicate their approval or otherwise and if they objected asked to explain why.

Item # 24 & 25 are not intended to force private sales to take place through a dealer (this was a discussion point only) and verification of a customer's licence will simply provide a yes/no answer as to its current validity, no personal information will be provided and is the same systems approach that is used by Trade Me and Police at present.

To quote acting Superintendent Mike Mc Ilriath "Overall the 12 sessions and six different locations (we) found that the community are backing the direction we are going, with some suggested changes in minor detail. Police are grateful to those that were able to take time out of their day to attend and provide constructive feedback."

MILITARY HERITAGE DAY AUCKLAND WAR MEMORIAL MUSEUM Images by Kevin Hussey





HISTORIC PLACE - TE WAIMATE MISSION STATION

If you are travelling north on SH 10 towards Kerikeri, the old mission station at Waimate North is worth a visit. It represents the first English farm established in New Zealand in 1831. Of possibly more interest to our members is the 12 pounder Carronade in the adjacent church yard and the wooden headstone of three British soldiers of the 58th regiment, two dying of wounds following the attack on Hone Heke's pa at Oheawai and the third accidentally shot by a comrade.

In summer the mission house is open on Friday - Tuesday. 10am - 5 pm, admission \$10.



FOR SALE

The following lots remaining from the Northland September auction are offered for sale at the reserve price as listed below. Contact Phil oilvrag@xtra.co.nz or Arnie forarnie@gmail.com

Please contact Arnie for all B and C Cat items, Air guns and swords.

Lot No	Category	Description	Reserve
006	Misc	Bianchi # 12 Small revolver light brown leather leg holster VGC	40
035	Bayonet	No 4 Mk III marked M/158, in Mk I scabbard, GC	60
037	Bayonet	No 4 Mk I marked SMC cruciform blade, Mk I scabbard GC	SOLD
039	Bayonet	No 9 Mk I marked D-52 (Enfield), scabbard, GC	SOLD
096	Sword	Army Hospital Corps Privates sword, QG 27 in stained blade, brass guard with steel grips, No scabbard, QGC	500
097	Sword	Pattern 1856 Pioneer sword, 22.25 in sawback blade, brass hilt, No scabbard, GC	SOLD
103	Sword	Pattern 1847 RN sword, 29 in broad sword double fullered blade, gilded brass	500
106	Sword	Pattern 1796 Spadroon, 32.5 in blade, brass hilt, No scabbard, GC	550
107	Air Pistol	Webley Junior, .177 Cal, Serial # 253 GWO&C	140
110	Air Pistol	Webley Senior, .177 Cal, Serial # 59938, GWO & C	150
114	Air Rifle	.177 cal Winchester Model 1000. Break-barrel type with black synthetic stock.	300
137	Revolver	Webley Green Mk II, .476 cal, good bore, pitting on end of barrel, GC, serial # 15560, CLR	475
148	Revolver	Colt Premier, .32 cal, Good blue, worn grips, minor rust speckles, GC, serial #	480
150	Revolver	Smith & Wesson M 10-7, .38 cal, GC, serial # AEP 2399, CLR	450
167	Rifle	Snider Short Rifle Mk II**, .577 cal, Belgium 1861, 29.5 in barrel pitted bore, brass furniture, GWO&C, ALR	900
176	Sword	1886-1986 Police Commemorative sword, 29.85 in etched blade, brass gilded hilt, chromed scabbard, EC	700
195	Bayonet	US Mod 1873 socket, MRD 18.4 mm, skt 3 in, blade 18 in, early steel scabbard and leather frog, GC	180
198	Air Pistol	Webley Mk I, .177 Cal, worn finish, Serial # 399 GWO&C	140
223	Misc	Canadian WWII grey magazine pouch, un issued marked Z .L.&T.ltd 1942, VGC	20
229	Misc	White US web military waist belt with leather ammo pouch attached , GC	30
255	Revolver	Smith & Wesson M & P, .38 cal, shows minor wear, GC, serial # 706636, CLR	400
260	Revolver	Harrington & Richardson Hammerless, .32 cal, some rust speckles, 70% blue remains, GC, serial # 131117, CLR	280
261	Revolver	Colt M 1878, .476 cal, grey patina, pitting to cylinder and bore, FC, serial #	380
262	Revolver	Adams M 1872 Mk II, .450 cal, grey patina, with holster, GC, serial # 17045, CLR	1400
270	Magazine	STEN 30 round GC	100
279	Bayonet	Musket socket Cadet service, Daws, MRD 18.2 mm skt 2.5 in, blade 16.25 in, NO	90
282	Bayonet	Indian Pattern Musket EIC, MRD 23.9 mm, skt 3.85 in blade 15.8 in, broken catch, FC	90
286	Bayonet	Carbine socket, marked K&A, MRD 20.3 mm, skt 3.4 in, blade 13 in, No scabbard,	90

Lot No	Category	Description	Reserve
308	Pistol	Inglis Browning Hi Power SLA Mk I, 9 mm cal, Missing firing pin and retainer, holster & mag, GC, serial # T259015, CLR	1400
321	Rifle	Winchester Mod 1904, .22 cal, metal a grey patina, tidy wood, GC, ALR	200
322	Rifle	Caenaho CCCP 1964 Bolt action, .22 Cal, 10 round mag, Serial# 3142, GWO & C,	250
347	Pistol	Webley & Scott M 1906, 7.65 mm cal, minor wear, 80 % blue remains, spare alu-	380
350	Pistol	Colt M1906, .32 cal, grey patina, showing wear, GC, serial # 113772, CLR	320
357	Sword	Pattern 1850 Land Transport Corps privates sword, 22.25 in blade WD, brass hilt,	320
393	Misc	Jelly starting pistol comes with instruction pamphlet.	135
400	Revolver	S&W .38 s/n 19029 ~ 779801 CLR	275
401	Rifle	BSA sportsman 15, .22 cal, GC, s/n LB17750	150
402	Rifle	Vickers falling block, .22 cal, rear sight not original, tidy. s/n V2096-1	200
421	Air Pistol	NORICAD Break Barrel type, .177, made in Spain, black plastic stock GWO&C	100

Also contact Arnie for:

	Air	Rifle	BSA	Mercury		.22	Plus Scope		\$150
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Contact: Maurice, Nelson Branch taylors.4@xtra.co.nz

***WANTED:** M17 sporter 30 06, barrel condition not important, but must have rear iron sights and projection wings in place. Contact: 09 436 0946 mack12@xtra.co.nz

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***FOR SALE:** 44.1 A Francotte A Leige Pistol S/N 762 .44 Russian Cal. Belgium made DA revolver, as described in December 2017 Gazette - A Tsars Pistol, also see Lot 506 in 1 September Ruahine auction. If not sold by end of 2018 co-owner orders it to be sold overseas. Price \$5,000.

Contact Vic Longley 06 3268685 or Email longleyve@xtra.co.nz

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Last months (below left), is a Bren gun magazine loading tool, no one got this!



Transition Revolver by W Griffiths of London



This .44 calibre 6 shot transition revolver was actually made in Birmingham c 1840

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2018

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| 3 & 4 November | Taranaki Branch Gun Show, New Plymouth |
| 4 November | Carvell's Auction, Auckland |
| 9-11 November | Tapawera Armistice Weekend |
| 10 & 11 November | Armistice in Cambridge |

2019

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| 16 February | Dargaville Gun Show. |
| 23 & 24 February | Shot Expo, ASB show ground, Auckland |
| 24 February | Central Branch Gun Show, Otorohanga |
| 8 & 9 March | NZCCC AGM, Darfield |
| 23 March | Kumeu Militaria Show |
| 6 April | South Canterbury Branch Auction |
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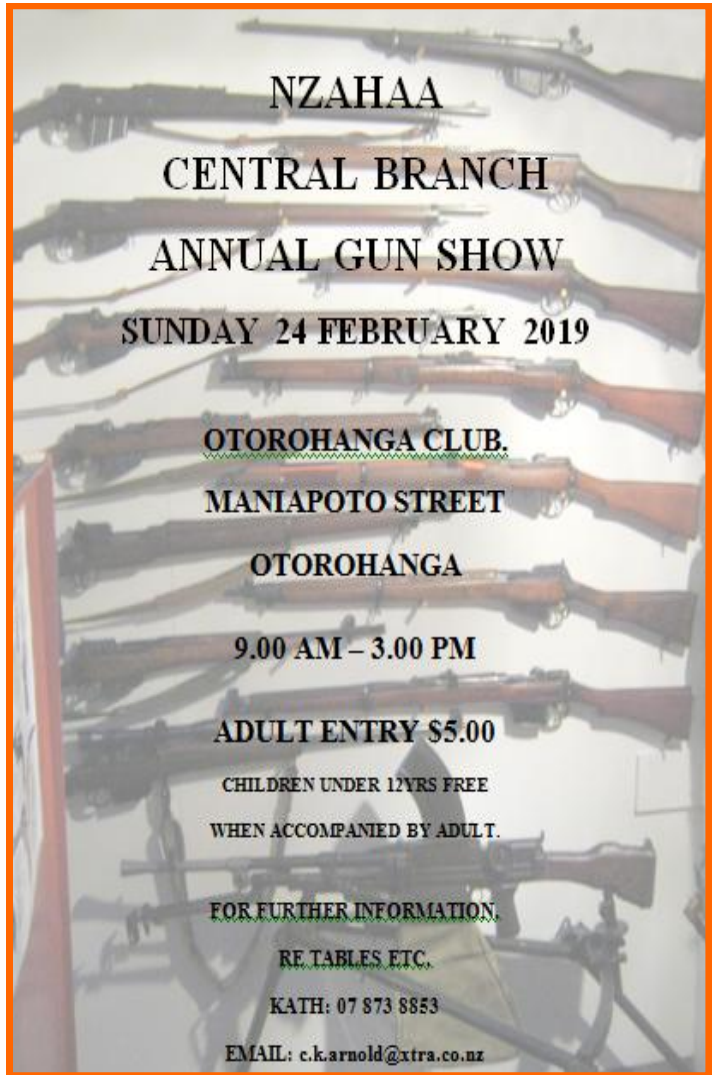
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