Bird Notes.

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On a trip by motor-car from Morgan to Renmark and back, and during my stay at Renmark, 27 species of birds were recorded. The trip lasted from 4th to 22nd May, 1926, and the weather was fine, excepting on two days—on the 10th 149 points of rain fell, and on 17th 13 points. The Rialto Links at Renmark is a breeding-place of *Barnardius barnardi* (Ringneck Parrot), and I found 37 hollows that had been used for nesting purposes.

Between Morgan and Overland Corner on 4/5/1926.— Cacatua roseicapilla (Galah), 45; Grallina cyanoleuca (Magpie-Lark), 101; Corvus cecilae (Crow), 36; Corcorax melanorhamphus (White-winged Chough), 87; Gymnorhina hypoleuca (White-backed Magpie), 15.

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Between Overland Corner and Renmark on 4/5/1926.— Charadrius sp. (Dotterel), 1; Galah, 259; Barnardius barnardi (Ringneck Parrot), 10; Psephotus haematonotus (Red-backed Parrot), 143; Hirundo neoxena (Welcome Swallow), 7; Magpie-Larks, 107; Artamus cyanopterus (Dusky Wood-Swallow), 4; Myzantha melanoptera (Noisy Miner), 52; Crows, 106; Whitewinged Choughs, 35; Strepera melanoptera (Black-winged Currawong), 4; White-backed Magpie, 110.

Between Burwood and Renmark on 8/5/1926.—Dacelo gigas (Laughing Kookaburra), 2; Welcome Swallow, 5; Petroica goodenovii (Red-capped Robin), 3; Magpie-Larks, 9; Noisy Miners, 2; Crows, 11; White-backed Magpies, 22.

Between Burwood and Rialto Links on 9/5/1926.—Ringneck Parrots, 487; Red-backed Parrots, 407; Welcome Swallows, 4; Cheramoeca leucosterna (White-backed Swallow), 5; Magpic-Larks, 207; Dusky Wood-Swallows, 7; Noisy Miners, 47; Cracticus sp. (Butcher-Bird), 17; Gymnorhina tibicen (Blackbacked Magpie), 37; White-backed Magpie, 13.

Between Renmark and Berri on 10/5/1926 (raining continuously).—Crows, 3; White-backed Magpie, 1.

Between Burwood and Rialto Links on 16/5/1926 (in addition to those on 9/5/1926).—Galahs, 67; Crows, 19; Black-backed Magpie, 37; *Pomatostomus superciliosus* (White-browed Babbler), 29. The local name for this last-named bird is "Apostle-Bird."

Between Renmark and Loxton on 17/5/1926.—Ocyphaps lophotes (Crested Pigeon), 5; Falco berigora (Brown Hawk), 1; Galahs, 7; Polytelis anthopeplus (Rock-Pebbler), 52; Ringneck Parrots, 28; Laughing Kookaburra, 1; Coracina novaehollandiae (Black-faced Cuckoo-Shrike), 1; Crows, 13; Blackwinged Currawong, 1; Black-backed Magpies, 3; White-backed Magpies, 3.

Between Renmark and Overland Corner on 22/5/1926 (in addition to those on 4/5/1926).—Crested Pigeons, 2; Rock-Pebblers, 3; Ringneck Parrots, 24; Anthus australis (Pipit), 2; Black-backed Magpies, 7; Haliastur sphenurus (Whistling Eagle), 2.

Between Overland Corner and Morgan on 22/5/1926 (in addition to those on 4/5/1926).—Crested Pigeons, 11;. Uroaetus audax (Wedge-tailed Eagle), 2; Ringneck Parrots, 11; Rhipidura leucophrys (Willie-Wagtail), 5; Black-winged Currawong, 4; Black-backed Magpies, 19; Acanthiza sp. (Thornbill), 2.

Totals-27 species with 2,772 individuals.