

*CHARADRIUS VEREDUS*, ORIENTAL DOTTEREL.

In the "S.A. Ornithologist," Vol. X, pp. 76-77, reference is made to a specimen of the above Dotterel as obtained in the Musgrave Ranges by R. Williams on 1/10/28. Mr. Williams has since stated that the bird was taken 100 miles due east of the Musgrave Ranges, the nearest well being Waralanna. His party had crossed the dry bed of the Alberga, where it is known as the Marryat, when they met with a flock of over 50 Oriental Dotterels, one of which was secured. He says that the birds frequent the dry claypans, and their long legs attract attention. They are difficult to approach, and when they flush they fly further ahead.—J. S.