

Treecreepers.

Particulars taken from Dr. A. M. Morgan's field notes:—

Climacteris picumnus, Brown Treecreeper.—3/10/1919, at Belmore Station, N.S.W., near S.A. border. ♂, breeding; iris, brown; legs and feet, dark brown; bill, brown; inside mouth, horn colour; total length, 17 cm.; wing spread, 28 cm.; weight, 32 grammes; weight of brain, 1 gramme; stomach contents, ants; temperature, 108 degrees.

Climacteris affinis, White-browed Treecreeper.—4/10/1919, at Belmore Station, N.S.W. ♀, non-breeding; iris, dark brown; legs and feet, mealy black; bill, black; inside mouth, horn colour; total length, 15 cm.; wing spread, 25.5 cm.; weight, 20.5 grammes; weight of brain, 0.6 gramme; stomach contents, ants; temperature, 109.4 degrees.

Climacteris melanura, Black-tailed Treecreeper. — 22/6/1921, at Meda, Derby, N.W.A. ♀; iris, light brown; legs and feet, mealy black; bill and inside mouth, black; weight, 27 grammes; stomach contents, black ants.

Climacteris rufa, Rufous Treecreeper. — 15/8/1923, . at Whipstick Creek, Nonning, S.A. ♀; iris, dark brown; legs and feet, greyish black; bill, black; inside mouth, horn colour; total length 16.5 cm.; wing spread, 28 cm.; weight, 35 grammes; weight of brain, 0.9 gramme; stomach contents, ants and insect remains.
