

**BIRD NOTES**

*Birds eating Butterflies.*—In Sydney on several occasions I have observed the common Black-and-White Wagtail capture and eat the common brown butterfly *Heteronympha merope*. In Adelaide I have twice seen the local wagtail capture and eat the Australian Painted Lady butterfly (*Vanessa cardui kershawi* McCoy). Some time in November I saw the imported Blackbird take a full-grown larva of the vine moth and eat it.—H. W. Simmonds.