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**BIRD NOTES**

Banded Landrail (*Hypotaenidia philippensis*).—One seen crossing road a few hundred yards from the Glynde corner, Paradise, on November 1, 1946.

Sacred Kingfisher (*Halcyon sanctus*).—On numerous occasions has been seen at Paradise and Athelstone (November to January). On January 22, 1947, a nest with four young was discovered in the banks of the River Torrens at Paradise. About 15 inches away from the entrance to this nest was an equally fouled entrance to a disused nest, suggesting that the same pair of birds had had a previous brood this season.

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