

BIRD NOTES**BROWN FALCONS AND GRASSHOPPERS**

— On 24 April 1976, near Hammond in the Mid-North of S.A., I drove through a swarm of grasshoppers which covered about 250 ha. The grasshoppers were about 5 cm long. There were at least 20 Brown Falcons *Falco berigora* catching the grasshoppers in the air with their feet and eating them.—R. APPLEBY.

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