

Bird Notes.

SEPTEMBER.

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Many birds have been nesting this month, and have broods of young. The season has been fairly damp, and the food supply correspondingly plentiful. The young of the White-backed Magpie (*Gymnorhina hypoleuca*) have been seen on every hand, and at the end of the month old birds are still breeding. On September 15 I noted the first Southern Brown Song-Lark (*Cinctorhamphus cruralis*) of the season at Lockleys, and later, near Port Adelaide, they were flying