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72 Fleshy-footed Shearwater (Puffinus

(a) 160-53339 Adult banded by D. Gibson at Lord Howe Island on 3.11.64. Found dead at Broadwater Beach (20 miles S. of Ballina), N.S.W. on 3.1.65 380 miles W.N.W. (b) 160-87714 Adult banded by D. Gibson at

Lord Howe Island on 31.10.64. Caught on fishing line (released without band) off North Head (Sydney), N.S.W. on 19.2.65 450 miles W.S.W.

86 Wandering Albatross (Diomedea exulans)

(a) 140-25057. Banded by D. Gibson off Belambi, N.S.W. on 24.7.60. Recovered at South Georgia in March, '61, (banded with U.S.F. & W.S.\* band No. 528-71575) and again at Bird Island, South Georgia in Feb. '62. Retended of Bellambi, on 8° 2.64 trapped at Bellambi on 8.8.64.

(b) 140-25065. Banded by D. Gibson off Bellambi, N.S.W. on 23.8.58. Retrapped at Bellambi on 29.7.61, on Bird Island, South Georgia in Jan. '63 (banded with U.S.F. & W.S.\* band No. 528-75850) and again at Bellambi on

8.8.64.

(These recoveries represent a minimum sea distance of over 7,000 miles each way.)

99 Pied Cormorant (Phalacrocorax varius)

130-25927. Nestling banded by M. Waterman at St. Kilda, S.A. on 9.5.64. Caught at Mannanarie, S.A. on 9.12.64, 120 miles N. ("The bird was uninjured and easily caught, was placed in a tank of water where it dived and played around and within the hour was away again.")
112 Caspian Tern (Hydroprogne caspia)

090-61845. Nestling banded by R. T. Todd at Copi Hollow Lake (Menindee Lakes), N.S.W. on 3.11.63. Found injured near Moorook, S.A. in December, 1964, 175 miles S.W.

115 Crested Tern (Sterna bergii)

(a) 070-08405 Runner banded by R. Carrick on Montague Island, N.S.W. on 18.11.56. Recovered at Port Macquarie (released with band) on 17.1.65. 375 miles N.N.E., 98 months later.

(b) 070-66758 Runner banded by M. Waterman on Stonywell Island, Coorong, S.A. on 12.12.64. Found dead at Killarney Beach, Vic. on 7.2.65. 228 miles S.E.

133 Spur-winged Plover (Lobibyx novaehollandiae)

> 080-81697 Runner banded by J. Liddy at Karoola, Tas. on 16.9.62. Found dead at Bothwell, Tas. on 12.1.65. 78 miles S.

135 Banded Plover (Zonifer tricolor)

060-08734. Runner, banded by C. B. Campion at Mascot, N.S.W. on 25.11.62. Found dead at Tuggerah, N.S.W., on 12.11.64. 47 miles N.N.E.

148 Red-Necked Avocet (Recurvirostra novaehollandiae)

080-69803. Nestling banded by J. Izzard near Oaklands, N.S.W. on 29.10.60. Found dead (after striking power lines) near Berrigan, N.S.W. on 25.11.64. 19 miles W.S.W.

179 White Ibis (Threskiornis molucca)

120-31329. Runner banded by P. A. Disher at Hirds Swamp near Kerang. Vic. on 11.11.61. Shot 15 miles upstream from Moama past Echuca, N.S.W. in January, 1965, 52 miles E.S.E.

192 Nankeen Night-heron (Nycticorax caledonicus)

110-48281. Runner banded by P. A. Disher, 9 miles E. of Koondrook, Vic. on 24.1.65. Found dead at Camberwell, Vic. on 13.2.65. 166 miles S.E.

210 Chestnut Teal (Anas castanea)

100-11898. Banded by R. H. Green at Longford, Tas. on 13.3.61. Shot at Lake Corringle, Vic. in March, 1965, 285 miles N.N.E.

215 White-eyed Duck (Aythya australis)

100-44619 Adult banded by P. A. Disher, 2 miles N.E. of Barham, N.S.W. on 14.2.65. Shot at Tallangatta, Vic. on 27.2.65. 165 miles E.

221 Brown Goshawk (Accipiter fasciatus)

(a) 100-42314. Nestling banded by E. F. Boehm, 2 miles S.W. of Sutherlands, S.A. on 2.11.64. Shot (threatening young pullets) at Crystal Brook, S.A. on 7.1.65. 77 miles N.W.

(b) 100-42315. Nestling banded by E. F. Boehm 2 miles S.W. of Sutherlands, S.A. on 2.11.64. Shot 3½ miles N. of Moorlands, S.A. on 22.1.65. 78 miles S.S.E.

(c) 100-42316. Nestling banded by E. F. Boehm 2 miles S.W. of Sutherlands, S.A. on 2.11.64. Recovered at Hoyleton, S.A. on 4.1.65. 38 miles W.N.W. "Found in a homing pigeon enclosure, presumed it had entered the loft while in pursuit of a pigeon that it killed."

424 Black-faced Cuckoo-Shrike (Coracina

novae-hollandiae)

060-35419. Nestling banded by E. Wheeler at Kirrawee (Sydney), N.S.W. on 17.10.64. Caught by cat at Young, N.S.W. on 27.2.65. 165 miles W.S.W.

443 Grey-crowned Babbler (Pomatostomus

temporalis)

(a) 060-52702\*\* Banded by W. Horton at Leichhardt River, approx 4 miles S. of Mount Isa, Q., on 14.9.63. Retrapped at Stone Axe Creek, Q., on 22.9.63 and again on 5.4.64. 16 miles N.N.E. (b) 060-52703\*\* Banded by W. Horton at Leich-

hardt River, approx. 4 miles S. of Mount Isa, Q., on 14.9.63. Retrapped at Stone Axe Creek, Q., on 22.9.63, 5.4.64 and 16.8.64 16 miles

N.N.E.



• Red wattle-bird (Anthochaera carunculata) caught for banding.—Picture, S. G. Lane.

## 574 Eastern Silvereye (Zosterops lateralis)

- (a) 010-78709. Adult banded by R. Curran at Pendle Hill (Sydney) N.S.W. on 20.5.64. Retrapped at banding place on 22.5.64 and 4.6.64 then recovered (dead) at St. Mary's Tas. about 25.11.64. 560 miles S.S.W.
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  (b) 010-98280. Adult banded by J. Liddy near Cudgen, N.S.W. on 15.6.64. Recovered at

Silvan, Vic. about 15.11.64. 823 miles S.W. (This is the most distant recovery to date.)

575 Western Silvereye (Zosterops lateralis gouldi)

010-35847. Banded by R. H. Stranger at Nedlands, W.A. on 8.2.64. Recovered at Yokine, W.A. on 6.3.65. 6 miles N.N.E.

630 Crescent Honeyeater (*Phylidonyris* pyrrhoptera)

021-03150 Banded by D. J. Noonan on 21.1.65 at Ben Cairn (between Healesville and Warburton, Vic.) Retrapped by bander at Panton's Gap, Vic. on 19.2.65. Released with band. 3 miles W.N.W. and 1,700 ft. below banding place.

638 Red Wattle-bird (Anthochaera carunculata) 070-47025 Juvenile banded by J. P. Ipsen, 17 miles N. of Bendigo, Vic. on 24.3.64. Found dead at Ringwood, Vic. in January, 1965. 108 miles S.S.E.

690 Raven (Corvus coronoides)

100-41974. Adult banded by E. B. Thomas, 153 miles W. of Barham, N.S.W. on 29.8.64. Recovered at Thornton, Vic. on 9.3.65. 160 miles S.E.

999 Common Starling (Sturnus vulgaris)

(a) 060-16429 Banded by R. H. Green at Launceston, Tas., on 4.5.64. Recovered at Oatlands, Tas., on 22.11.64. 60 miles S.

(b) 060-16781. Banded by R. H. Green at Launceston, Tas., on 5.5.64. Recovered at Jericho, Tas., between 7th and 19th October, 1964. 66 miles S.

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1. The Australian Bird-banding Scheme;

2. Individual banders.

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