

Annual Session, R.A.O.U.

THE fifteenth annual session of the Royal Australasian Ornithologists' Union will be held at Brisbane on the 12th and 13th October, 1915, and will be followed by a working camp-out.

PROGRAMME.

TUESDAY, 12th OCTOBER—

MORNING : General Business.

AFTERNOON : Presidential Address.

EVENING : Public Lecture—"Australian Ornithology," by
Dr. J. A. Leach, Col. Mem. B.O.U.
"Island Bird-Life," by Mr. D. Le Souëf, C.M.Z.S.

WEDNESDAY, 13th OCTOBER—

MORNING : Election of Office-Bearers, &c.

AFTERNOON : Visit to Natural History Museum.

EVENING : Leave for Whitsunday Passage, *via* Gladstone, for
the Camp-out.

This programme may be subject to alterations, owing to local conditions.

Dates of departure for Brisbane are :—Adelaide, 8th October ;
Melbourne, 9th October ; Sydney, 10th October.

CAMP-OUT.

It is proposed to form two camps—one on the mainland, where native fauna is abundant, and a crocodile may occasionally be seen ; and another on one of the outside islands in Whitsunday Passage, where coal reefs may be examined, and sea birds studied in their rookeries. The camps will extend over about ten days.

Members who intend taking part in the camp-out are asked to communicate with the hon. secretary as soon as possible.