

TABLE 20
White-headed Stilt

Date	No. of Birds	Observed by
July 5, 1941	9*	C.A.F. & A.A.K.
August 9	20	C.A.F. & A.A.K.
September 21	22	C.A.F. & K.A.W.
November 10	2	R.H.D.S.
November 23	12	C.A.F. & A.A.K.
December 20	15	K.A.W.
January 4, 1942	25	K.A.W.
February 1	23*	K.A.W.
February 22	44*	K.A.W.
March 22	38	K.A.W.
April 18	11	R.A.F. & K.A.W.
June 1	42	A.A.K. & K.A.W.
June 14	15*	K.A.W.
July 11	14	K.A.W.
August 9	21	K.A.W.
September 9	9	A.A.K.
September 27	11	K.A.W.
October 17	16	K.A.W.
November 11	14	K.A.W.
November 14	18	K.A.W.
November 19	10	R.H.D.S.
November 25	12	R.H.D.S.
December 6	13	K.A.W.
December 28	22*	K.A.W.
January 17, 1943	6	K.A.W.
January 31	23	J.M.C. & K.A.W.
February 13	23*	K.A.W.
February 14	29	P.C.B.
February 27	32*	K.A.W.
March 21	21	P.C.B. & K.A.W.
April 4	23	J.M.C. & K.A.W.
May 8	15	K.A.W.
May 22	15	K.A.W.
June 6	31	K.A.W.
July 3	19	K.A.W.
July 18	7	K.A.W.
August 14	6	K.A.W.

* = probably more birds than the numbers recorded.

Display of the Lyrebird.—Looking back through some old field notes made many years ago a record therein states that I saw a Lyrebird that was just recovering from its moult and was minus any tail feathers. To my surprise it was displaying on its dancing mound. It followed the usual practice adopted by Lyrebirds in that it pirouetted on its mound while mimicking the calls of other birds. It even 'improved' on some of their songs owing to the greater volume of sound which it produced, and the greater clarity of expression.

Young males display when possessed of their immature undeveloped tail feathers, which at that period have little resemblance to the fully-developed structure and composition of the tail in its complete adult formation.—A. H. E. MATTINGLEY, Camberwell, Vic., 5/6/46.