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Note

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WORKS NOTEBOOK

MAR 2003

CONCEPÇÃO NP

Closed



Quill



① - Lona King plants at -- hrs
on Wed 5/3/03 read = 0.12 w/s
+ 0.34 m d/s Laid NNE wire.
Water pump - then open gate.

Womung 5/3 at -- hrs
read - 0.35 m w/s
+ 0.24 m d/s

① - base Ery plunger at -- in
on West 3/03 near ≈ 0.12 w/s

+ 0.34 m d/s Liquid NNE wind.
Water rising - then going pale.

Warning Ery at -- in
near - 0.35 m w/s
+ 0.24 m d/s

(2)

Verse Plough for 7/3/03. 9 closed poles
at 1000 hrs. Large readings 0.03 w/s
40.36 d/s. Strong NE wind. Hot.

Wings at 1025 hrs

- 0.335 w/s 40.28 d/s
c50 large mallet on w/s side.

J. LANE 0419 954 541

(3)

Sun 9 Mar 2003

- 6.12 pm Turnoff
from Verre Idung road into
Lilly Rd. Odometer
reading 40488.3 km
- 6.17 pm cross St Joseph Rd.
There is a tree marked
FR 33 within 10 m of the
Xing.
- 6.30 pm Tree FR 33 2
at 492.4 km.
- 6.35 pm cross Hill Rd
at 493.45 km
- 6.44 pm - a wellington -
brown, with dark (black?)
end to tail) lizard
crosses road in front of
me - 494.5 km

Getting dark.

③ a

6.46 pm - another
measured the same way
as the first valley
happened away on the
left - 494.8 km.

6.48 pm - a small
Wetland (definite)
happened from side of
road - 495.2 km.

6.50 - tree FV331
at 495.4 km.

6.54 pm - Formation Rd
goes off to the left.
at 496.3 km.

(3)_b

7:00 pm Take Ridge Rd
to the right - 497.7 km
Turned headlights on.

7:08 pm - ^{Stop &} Turn around
~~and head back~~ - 499.8 km.

7:30 pm - start heading ^{same}
back - 499.8 km

7:39 pm - Then left from
Ridge Rd into Lilly Rd
- 501.9 km.

Listened for 15 mins
for noises - heard only
the "whirring" of cicadas and
~~and~~ an incessant "chirp chirp
chirp" noise of some insects.

(4)

7:55 pm — took spotlight
and searched cSD on
up & down road.

Saw 1 Tawny Englemann
fly up from a
low position to
just high in a
javel tree.

8:05 pm — ceased
searching with spotlight

8:07 pm headed
north along Lolly Rd
(.501.9 N from V. hill).

8:12 pm — 1 Tawny
Englemann flew up to high
branch & perched.

8:15 pm — 503.3 km.

stopped where Foothill Rd

goes off to the right. As
I moved I saw 1

Thry. Pigeon. Set
and listened until

light off again until.

8.30 pm. Heard

~~8.30 pm~~ The Noise 1

again distinctly; noise

2 faintly in distance,

and a clicking noise

like a loud shock

clicker toy - not
continuous.

8.30 pm - Heard

with spotlight. 50 m

in red chamber up

& down road until

8.42 pm. Nothing

⑥

seen (on head - caught
insect remains)

8.44 pm Striped
along Ledge Rd again.
(Noted 503.8 km)

8.48 pm - 503.7 km

- bird, possibly another
Terny Bunting flying.

8.52 pm - 503.85 km

~~long~~ close look
at a TF on road
(sandy) in front and
then up in tree.

8.55 pm 503.9 km

Another TF even

7

Close - was on board
1.5 m above road,
flew to road,
got within 1.5 m
of it.

8.55 pm 504.7 km -
another TF flew from
low to high.

8.58 pm - 504.8 km
1 small, 1 v. small
W. G. Hanger.

9.02 pm 505.3 km
Another TF from low
to high.

8

506.1.

9.06 pm

~~508.1~~

Another TP from low
to high.

506.3

9.08 pm

~~508.3~~ low

Another, about center,
TP played briefly
as covered at

Hill Rd intersection.

Distance for 15

4.30 min. heard

a "prybble" in

few clusters (first heard
clear), spread to
be heard cent.

9.25 pm

Spotlight

run for 10 min.

Saw 1 bat

Also heard noises 1-3.

(9)

flying, nothing else.

9.38 pm landed
walk again along
Rd.

9.40⁴⁰ pm 506.5 m
Bird, almost certainly
another TF, flew off.

9.45 pm 3 507.3 m

Bird, almost certainly
another TF.

9.48 pm 507.75

1 TF perching 4 m above
ground at side of Rd.

(10)

9.57 pm 508.1 km
1 W. G. L. (strong)
near side of road.

9.54 pm 508.5
heard 1 meadow
boundary song in bush.

10.00 pm 510.2
At St. George's Rd Xing.
Looked for 15 mins.
and heard songs 1 & 2
plus a few chirping
cuckoo-like notes.
Then heard a "moo" at
the end of the 15
mins.

10.15 Started spitting
- saw 1 bird fly
~~10.22~~ - heard 1 microphone
banging -
- heard none of 3.
(and 1 + 2).

Finished spitting
at 10.26 pm.

10.27 pm Heard
another group along
Lilly Rd.

10.32 pm 5.11.3 km.

Reached Vase Bay again
- The End!

(12)

Totals

- (T.F.)
- 9 certain Tenny Frogmouth
- 4 almost certain T.F.
13

(or 1?)
2 Members (distinct)
heard

[1 at 9.09-9.23 pm, 506.3 km
508.3 km
1 at 10.15 pm, 510.2 km

conceivably
possibly the same
birds.

Edgem. Km.

Def

499.8 - 0.0

501.9 - 2.1

503.3 - 3.5

503.7 - 3.9

503.8₅ - 4.0₅

503.9 - 4.1

504.7 - 4.9

504.8 - 5.0

505.3 - 5.5

506.1 - 6.3

506.3 - 6.5

506.5 - 6.7

507.3 - 7.5

507.7₅ - 7.9₅

508.1 - 8.3

508.5¹ - 8.7

510.2 - 10.4 - 1.1

511.3 - 11.5 - 0.0

9

4

Sun 23/3/03

Drive into pyramid
Under Natural Rock stage
3/2 via Piggott Rd.

odo
Longhorn Hornbushes at 18244 km

2 ~~7/2~~ Ring-necked Pheasants
at 18244 also.

1 Grey Fantail at 18246
and several birds similar
to Thornbills, but with
larger, stronger bills and
nearly not strongly coloured.

18247 km - turn right onto
St Joseph Rd.

18248 km - B F Cardoso
Shrike (dark).

- Wood Swallows.

- Hornbill type - gray
shaded chest, brownish
near pectorals.

Black wings, rest greyish
brown (dark). White
outer primary, white
tip to tail (except
brownish tail feathers).

- Wedge tailed eagle
flying fast north-south.

- Whistler heard.

- new whistler heard

gray line with brown
belly and brown on
wings (folded) ~~long~~
on chested buff.

18249 km - turn right
into Lilly Rd.

18252 - walked 150

m upstream next to
bed of Sebina River.

Tall thicket. Saw

1♀ + 1♂ Western Gnatcatcher!
also Gray Kentail.

(18)

- Turned back
- Stopped at 18253 km
and walked WWSW
along open area
(Hebe & Calothymus
in flower). Saw
a ♀? Spinetail here
in the flowering Calothymus
- ~~Turned~~
Turned south again
- 18254 km - crossed
16th Rd intersection
- 18254 A Grey
Cuckoo.

- 18255 "Whisker"
 head to west of
 Lilly Rd.

- 18256 - two
 small Guy Hoppers

- 18257 - Fernside Rd
 dump to left

18258 from - Ridge Rd.
 (look thru to the right)

- 18258 - 2 small
 4 Guy Hoppers.

- 18259 - 2 Guy Hoppers

(20)

18260 - Ten crabs
(same place as last
trip in Pulser)

18260 - 1851 hrs
left hormonal spot

18269 - 1909 hrs
1 live Rabbit on the
road -

18269 - 1 probable
Tongue Frog

18271 - Vessel tray

(24)

Verse Esby phytolites
at 0900 hrs on
Mon 24/3/2003

geyer read

- 0.11 m u/s

+ 0.30 m d/s

Water level in

light SW wind.

Wmings Esby phytolites geyer
at 0946 hrs on 24/3/03

gyer read: - 0.35 a/s

+ 0.29 d/s

(25)

³⁰
~~30~~ Edge m

c 20 medium - large
mullet on n/s side
of phragmites.

Water looking in.

1 Gray Rose Reef Heron
on d/s side of
phragmites and then
at water edge at (in)
entrance to Deschutes.

- viewed from 20 m
with naked eye.

(26)

I went back and
found one Vand eating
plankton by 35 cm in
the bottom at 1000 hrs
(on 24/3/03)

(31)

Vase Ebony flanges
on Wed ~~26~~ 26/3/03
need = 0.045 w/s
+ 0.16 d/s
at 0925 hrs.

I closed the gun
flange at 0920 hrs.
Water had been flowing in.

Fine Mild, very light
SSE breeze

Water and w/s rule is grey.

(32)

Winnings Ely plugholes
at 09/30 hrs on

Mar 26/3/03

read - 0.345 w/s

+ 0.115 d/s

Water being in -

No ~~high~~ flow activity w/s

Sunday 30/3/03

at 0600 hrs

enter forest Whiter NP
at Sabina East Road

(off Voss Hwy)

has been light, thunder,
rain this morning.

V. first light.

0.0 km (18449 m)

0.7 km - stopped engine
and then heard several

Queensland Frogs (
calling in the forest
around me.

1.0 km - St Joseph Rd
turning to the left.

2.6 km - turn left onto
Whiter Rd.

(34)

3.2 km - crossing the
creek bed. One

Gray Faced flicking through
the low brushy region
of the creekbed.

4.4 km - a Brown-headed

Vellody (young by size
& parent & tail)

speedily crossed my
path, from left to
right. (6.40 am)

4.6 km 4WD lower

heads off to the right.

5.0 km - white sand patch
where a recently used

Lead bird. back comes
in from the right at an
angle of 45° .

I walked c100 m along
this track - saw

Western Sparrows, also
saw a Lead Brown Honeyeater
(very faint behind for this part).

Heard 28 Parrots in the
distance.

Callitriche
is in flower & bees are busy
"feeding" on it.
(0720 hrs)

and yellow patch behind
the eye.

(36)

5.6 km - T Junction
(1st Rd) - 9 continued
right, along Wheeler Rd.

5.8 km - 1 Western Jay
Song Sparrow

6.4 km - Scarlet Robin seen
BF Cuckoo Shrike - heard only
Sparrows WT Blue
 Cuckoo heard

New to the area
(my first note for this
year)

Gry Titbird
Big red birds (4)
up from ground / wing

~~At 0755 hrs~~

Calothrix was in flower here also

At approx 0755 hrs

as I was walking up the hill slope on the western side of the coastline

a group of c 6-8 Ring-necked Pheasants flew up and perched on dead branches

at / near top of dead

Mare on ground. Very

soon after (10 sec)

I heard a whistle (whump)

noise & saw the pheasants

take off and what

appeared to be two

birds tumbling to the

ground. I thought

it was probably a

(38)

parent + raptor as
quietly walked the c 30
metres to where they
had dropped. When I
reached the grass area
I stopped, and 5 secs
later a Pygmy Falcon
took off from the ground
just 8-10 metres
from me. It
flew up into the
dead branch of another
tree c 30 m from
me and I carefully
observed it with my
Zeiss 10x40 binoculars.

It was a large
falcon with black hood,

Conspicuous yellow feet,
I could just make out
(but clearly) from horizontal
beating on the chest and

at least upper abdomen
the uppermost chest and
neck were a pale
off white ~~drab~~ color.

It was dark flying
we are looking in my
direction. I studied
it for approx 1 minute,
then I walked over
to where it had flown
off from and found
a brown freshly dead
(trap) Ring necked Pheasant

410

There were no obvious
external signs of injury.

I held it down on
a log and then
walked about 20 m
in S.W. direction of where

I found around the
falcon had gone.

I held her able to rub out
some yellow around the eye
and base of beak, but
unsuccessful. The
(beak & wing) were dark
gray.

This bird was (young
by Slater) an adult

Penguin Pelion

Shortly after that, 2 handbabe
riders ~~from~~ went N-S
along the road.

The pelion incident was
approx 300 m from where
I last left the vehicle on
the road, at
a bearing of roughly
200° from the vehicle.

Remained vehicle level at 0834 hrs.

10.01 km from ridge into
~~off~~ Ridge Rd.

(42)

11-2 km Callahan

in flower. ✓

Many plants, many on
N side of road.

Tree marked B2
P9

(0853 hrs)

Flowering in late stage
(flowers dying)

13-3 km Muller Rd turning
to the left

Reached Sines Rd at 0910 hrs.

Mon 31 / 3 / 03

McKee's Deadwatching

Ms Elizabeth Andrew

Holly

Phoebe - D'Bele P

Ellene - new

John

44

Fri 4 April 2003

1108 km entered Windsor NP
via Sebring East Rd from
Vase Hwy. Fine, Warm
- hot. Passed St Joseph Rd through

Regarded to start observation
at 0.0 km group of
four Ring-necked Pheasants.

0.9 km - heard a Grey Heron.
Then saw it. Then saw
a Striped Parakeet. There
were at least two, probably 3-5
mostly high in the treetops.
Active in the foliage. This
is my first seen record for
Windsor NP. Also saw
a Scarlet Robin.

0.9 km — Whistler Rd. turnoff
to the left. (1158 km).

1.2 km — Continuing ^{west} along Sebina
East Rd. — saw 1 Grey
Shrike-Thrush, heard + saw
Grey-rumped Parrot.

Possible immatures on ♀
Whistler. ^{+ saw} Heard + Grey
Kestrel.

1.7 km — heard a probable
Grey Shrike-Thrush, and
a certain Grey Kestrel.

(0.9 km) — several Varied Sittlers
up and down banks. ~~1000~~
One Grey-rumped Parrot. One

(46)

probable immature whistler.

Like larks here. One adult

Western Yellow Robin (my
first record ever?) came

by the vehicle. - Good long
fly looks when we got out

and studied it. (1321 hrs).

2.8 km: - Thrushes here

off to the left. Gray Fantail,

Spinebill, heard probable
whistler call, Ring-necked Pheasant

3.6 km - White-bellied Jay

with white stripe from top
of crown down, up side
of face, behind eye,

to behind ear. (Leaves trap)

coloured inside, black tipped
 venter from front. Face
 grey, faint bright mark
 in centre of forehead.

Long tail with some black
 fine but not heavily
 pointed. Didn't get
 good look at hands.

3.9 km Below bridge
 over Sabana River. Saw
 a Hedge-holed Eagle flying

over the forest approx
 300 metres west.

4.0 — ^{Western} Sparrows (♂ + ♀)

(48)

6-8 km - reach

Ames Rd. (junction
with Seber East Rd.)

Sun 6/4/03.

0.0 km — 1 Crockett Rd.

24.9 km — Lull Rd Branch
from Verser Bros. Road
the odometer to 0.0 km

1.0 km St Joseph Rd crosses.

2.1 km Vehicle loads off to
the right.

3.8 km Gone to far, turn back.

$$143 = 3.8$$

$$\rightarrow 29 = \frac{3.8 \times 29}{143}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 29 \\ 3.8 \\ \hline 232 \\ 87 \\ \hline 110.2 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{110}{143} = 0.75$$

(50)

4.5 km — Tree $\frac{FT}{33}$
1

~~The~~ An old seasonal
line crosses the road

77. goes north
of this line. It
is very distinct. First
detected on east side,
where an eroded bank
follows it, then distinguishable
by the exposed detritus,
the occasional pile of
gravel/detritus on north
side, by the absence of
grass trees ~~at~~ of any size
and the absence of large
enclosures.

I reset the square to

(51)

0.0 km here. Time
of leaving vehicle is
1000 hrs. Overcast,
mild, occasional light
showers.

Western Sparrows

Celastrum in flower.

Cross c. 1.5 m deep
dry ~~road~~ river course

Grey Finch

Tom c. 1.5 m deep

LBJ with earliest bird c.
sweet musical song.

(52)

Reached Windsor Rd when
the snow began was
 $\approx 10-15^{\circ}$ (R)

Heard Brown Honeycreepers here.
Heard a rock bird. Told me
to a lone Broadwing near
the same by.

Rebird with some was
singing close north (myself).

Then headed back
along same line in
R direction.

A Scarlet Robin

Reached the river (dy) crossing
before Lolly Rd. Reached to
follow the river bed.

between mile 9 & 10
Lilly Rd.

River bed became too
narrow after 100-200 m.
Headed down East.

Scattered red flowers
from river bank

Gray Cuckoo flew
acrossing river from
forest floor.

This bird was approx 50 m.
before hitting Lilly Rd. 74
piles south of tree RT
52
1

(which is 77 piles south of
where I had left the vehicle).

(54)

I arrived back at
the vehicle at 2.10 pm.

0.0 head on south along
Lilly Rd in vehicle at 2.25 pm

1.8 km Hill Rd Xing

4.6 km From Hill Rd off to
the left.

6.0 km Turn right into
Ridge Rd. 3.38 pm

8.0 km - passed the place
where I have been before
turned back for spot heighting
runs.

vehicle
8.1 km gravelⁿ drive off
to the left:

11.4 km Wheeler Rd off to the right.

14.5 km Miller Rd off to the
left.

16.8 km - stopped 100 m
short of Jones Rd.

Staked with Rest along
old survey line.

Western Gnatcatcher seen

Brown Honeycreeper "

Cathartes in flocks.

Swamp-like area (open)
 has some Callitriche
 that is in fruit
 stages of flowering.

Grey Knapweed thinned away
 (leaves only - but
 definite)

New Holland Honeyeater.

→ Back to work at
 3.5pm.

- Share the book

- Me take notes to
Leo Clifford or Rob Paul
at Shore Twp. Ass.
plus box of reports
plus some reports to
our office.

58

These wrens were ~~Splendid~~
I saw one

Wrens

made in eclipse plumage →

with blue tail

and blue in wings

Fri 18 April 2003
Winder NP

0.0 km 0835 hr - leave
 Versa Hwy, into Lytle Rd.

0.05 km - Gray Fantail seen,
Ring-necked Pigeon heard.

0.3 km - 0852 hr

3 Red capped Parrots seen

→ Party of 5 Wrens seen

Ring-necked Pigeon heard

Western Spinebills seen.

Thornbill with cooked tail

and light rufous underparts

(lower at least) seen.

Catbirds in p. woods

60

Deep glucose of White-browed
Sentinel with the party
of wrens

(20cm high)
very low, clumpy, spiky green
bush with red-yellow elongated
bell/tube flowers sampled.

1.0 km - 0923 hrs -

Turn left (from the park house)
into St Joseph Rd.

Western Spindell, Ray reached
Perrot,

1.3 km - 0940 hrs - 1 Regent
Perrot seen.

1.8 km - 0952 hr - cross

Creekline - Western

Spindbill seen. ~~Corvid~~

Corvid heard ^{calling} in distance
ahead.

2.6 km - 1011 hr



Group of ~70 White-bellied
Blacks Crebblers in Merri trees

and possibly other species.

One seen with "honeyeater"

(Merri) in its beak. And

was a noisy group.

One Australian Raven seen -

white eye, long throat latches,

calling.

Western Spindbill seen

(62)

3.6 km - 1038 h

Several Western Goshawks
seen. Three separate
Eurasian chipping seen
on road.

4.0 km - 1044 h - 1 med.

aged Western Gray Kangaroo on the
road - bounded off.

4.5 km - 1103 h - Creek

crossing. Embankment 70m
downstream has creek &
sycable, brush-filled pool,
currently dry.

Heard Grey Fantail

~~Heard possible Grey Shrike Thrush~~
~~(don't be late with)~~

saw 2 White-breasted Robins
 (my first ever record)

saw Western Gnatcatcher

saw Brown Thrasher - stretched
 breast and tail cocked.

black eyes, lower - bill

dark tipped with white.

clinging to tree trunk

moving about low in full

shrub of creek line on

downstream side of ~~bank~~.

bank. Beautiful birds!

♂ Golden Warbler seen.

Had movements of Brown Thrasher
 and White-breasted Robin.

(64)

Saw the Gray Kentuck -

Left this creek area
at 1151 hrs.

5.2 km - 1157 hrs From
right into Ball Rd.

8.3 km - 1215 hrs

Creek crossing. Swamp
Bark? flowering
myrtles.

Heard Gray Fantail
Heard *Chalcophaps indica* "chick chick"

lots of several deco
zygites on myrtles side
of track (road)
Whistler (?) heard.

8.4 km 1225 hrs

♂ Scarlet Robin seen

♀ Western Roselles seen

A 2 Thornbills (?) with
yellow washed flanks
hopping along the sandy
weed.

breast mottled red. (⇒ ^{juv.} rufous edged
Russet)

9.0 km - 1232 hrs - weed

Lilly Pk - down right (faint)

14.0 km - 1238 hrs - weed

Vasey Hwy.

(66)

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0.0 km - 1000 hrs -
Turn from Vespe Hwy
into Lilly Rd.

0.8 km - 1007 hrs - ~~Westinghouse~~
Western Sparrowhawk

1.0 km - 1010 hrs - Turn left
into St. Joseph Rd.

1.7 km - 1018 hrs - Richards
Pipit searching for food
along both sides of the
road. Western Sparrowhawk

4.5 Km - 1027m -

Ring-necked Pheasant heard (definite)

Grey Fantail seen.

New Holland Honeyeater in

thicket of creek line.

"Chick" call of Lea

Booby heard occasionally
in the creek line.

Hutton Spinebill seen.

Distinct Emu tracks in

the sand, over the

top of my pyre track

from grassy level.

White-breasted Robin in a 2m

high thicket half way up a

hillside (south of road,

west of creek line).

(68)

blue tailed

Party of at least 3, wrens in
the same flock. One

was blue in wings

→ Splendid Wrens

2 Brown Thornbills - Coated feet,
light rufous underparts, heavily
streaked breast (black or grey)

2 Red-capped Beasts -

At edge of thicket and creek line.

When with grey head &

brown wings / body &

brown tail! Partially

coloured male seen - ~~brown~~ -

brown-black wings. Light

and dark blue on the head.

Red-winged Fairy Wrens

despite description of head
as brown.

See sketch for
of head
colour

Gray Shrike-thrush seen + heard.

+ Golden Whistler also seen.

Brief glimpse of what I called
a sparrow to be a White-
breasted Scrub Wren.

Stop for lunch at 1252 hrs.

There was an Aristoloma sp.

Narrup (R.D. Ryce 3978)

see p 154-55 of Sooty Terns 2002

flowering on bank of creek

at ca 30 m downstream from
the road. I watched a

female Western Spinebill feeding
on its flowers (inserting bill).

~~Here~~ This plant is widespread
a flowering in area I drove
through yesterday.

(70)

Left 4.5 km location
at 1:29 pm

5.2 km 1:38 pm Turn right
into Hill Rd.

5.3 km White Lined Blue
Cockatoo (CS?) in
trees on my right.

5.5 km - 1:52 pm - Kookaburra
flies across the road from left
to right.

7.9 km - 2:33 pm Wedge
at ~~Kellys~~ Cart crossing of
tributary of Selma River - can
see tree marked FA
35'
1

As I arrived I heard "kik kik",
"kik kik" from hill country to
mouth of brook, next to
creek line. Saw a tall,
high shouldered bird-of-prey.
Yellow eye. Back grey or grey
brown, head & wings also,
head also. Difficult to
see into sun. It flew off;
no other other features seen
in flight.

It was either a Collared
Sparrowhawk or ~~Sparrow~~
Brown Sparrowhawk.
not juvenile.

8.7 km 3.21 pm Cross Lilly Rd
(continue west on Hill Rd).

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9.3 km - 3-4 pm

Western Sparrowhawk Scarlet Robin

(5-10)
and a small, noisy, group
of possible Western Thrushes
foraging in the low vegetation
(< 1.5 m)

9.7 km - 4-5 pm.

Old logging area on hill.

Heard and then saw a

Pardalipicus (started - ^{4 wing} by call)

Heard that persistent ~~note~~

"Sip Sip" call that

I have heard for many weeks.

Now convinced it is not a

bird.

Noticed large, black round

object, ~~also~~ longed into

emerging from holes, tender
by very small, pale
brown ants. They flew
straight up 10+ metres
almost immediately after
emerging - no drying of
wings.

caught 3 specimens (flying)
~~at 9.30 am~~ at 9.30 am.

Note that it is warm, still,
sunny, fine. Lympet
seen about a couple of
days ago.

10.4 collected more ants.

(74)

10.7 km 4.40 pm
Saw another *Junco* / *Spermis*
hawk - it was

perched in a dead tree
in the "creek line" to

on the north side of
the road. I saw

it gently wag its tail a
little soon after it landed.

Tail was rounded when
perched but couldn't see
shape when it took off.

Also saw Western Gnatcatcher.

The stem-flower (*Calochortis*)
here has almost completely
finished flowering.

They enter continuously to
here (at least) - haven't
seen anything trying to enter
them.

12.1 km - 4.52 pm - Intersected
with Wheeler Rd. Turned
left onto Wheeler Rd.

12.6 km - 5.08 pm - New
1st hand Honeyeaters near creek
line west of the road

13.0 km - 5.25 pm - Thickly
vegetated gully 30 m in
front of me (where road
crosses gully) went off!
It had Whitebrowed

(76)

Scrub Wren (the best view
yet); 2 Shrikes - (just
view) New Holland

Banyan and a
Thornbill that I would
have said was a Western,
but its eye was dark,
and I couldn't make out
any markings on
its forehead.

cell, as before, very high pitched.
Scarlet Robin nearby and
several Ring-necked Pheasants.
Grey Fantail,

14.2 km 5.37 pm - stop
at side of road for dinner.
Kookaburra heard.

A small bat came flying
past during dusk.

Set up the Night Vision Scope.

6.49 (still 14.2 km)
pm started return (north)
along Wheeler Rd.

16.2 km - 6.57 pm Turn right
into Hill Rd.

19.4 km 7.09 pm - a probable
Tawny Frogmouth flew across
road.

19.7 km 7.12 pm - cross Lilly Rd

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20.6 km 7:17 pm One
ole female Drury Fryer (TF)

23.6 km 7:29 pm
Then left into St Joseph
Road.

27.7 km 7:50 pm Then
right into Lilly Rd.

28.7 km 7:53 pm Reached
Vance Hwy.

Mon 21 April 2003

0.0 km - 0836 hrs Turned

off Chase Hwy into Lilly Rd.

Conditions foggy, no wind.

0.3 km - party of 4+ wrens

- very good view from vehicle

- all with brown back & lores,

dark eyes, blue tails, one

had blue in wings

→ Splendid Wrens

2 Myzias in the ground
just!

0.6 km - 0855 2 Ravens come

up from the rock 100 m

in front of me.

(80)

1.0 km - 0857 hr - Turn
left into St Joseph Rd.

1.7 km - 0906 L -

A ~~Tree~~ ~~Ground~~ ~~Angelica~~
down at ground level
in ~~the~~ ~~veg~~ at side of
road. 1 ♂ + 1 ♀

Also Scarlet Robin
and Western Spinebill feeding
from flower of Astrocoma
sp.

(several birds on
several occasions.)

No, it was probably first
glimpse of male Spinebill with
paired markings - which
I saw in same place
15 mins. later.

♂ Golden Whistler

Brown Thrush - saw

Leaving shrubland forest and
buff running - and red eye
and buff underparts -

4.5 km on
highway

Stopped at creekline. A

Walked west along old
seismic line

At creekline (A) 9

saw a Red-eyed Vireo

perched at top of dead tree

Also heard a Grey Fantail

New Holland Honeyeater

(82)

but difficult

Old Emma dragging as
I searched the top of
the rise to the west
of creekline (A)

The only track here
is an animal track

through the vegetation.

Heard a Kangaroo bellow

off as I neared the
top of the rise.

I lost the survey line and
ended up Whistling Lilly Rd
about 300 m south of
where the line hit it.

Walked north to survey line
and then to creek line

Here there were 2 W. Robins
 two Western Yellow Robins
 flying about, both sides
 of the road.

Stopped here for a rest.

Area is at approx 002 degrees
 i.e. 2 degrees east of true
 north (magnetic).

I sat up a hermit in the
 shade to rest in. While
 in it, noticed an active bee hive
 (introduced) on the sprout at the
 top of a c20 m high mesquite
 tree at the side of the
 road. The honeycomb was visible
 (also the bees' honey pots).

(84)

Packed up and started
return journey when sun
was at 340° .

Before reaching the flat country
I saw old Emu droppings
+ then some macropus
droppings.

When on flat country I
saw a Grey Kangaroo bound
away - also some
Emu droppings.

Crossed midway down
valley to creek (A)
head + saw a
Goatsuckers.

with full breeding plumage

Red winged Black

Golden Warbler

Gray Towhee

Western Sparrow

Red-eyed Vireo

New Holland Honeyeater

Brown Thornbill

(strubbin breast)

I needed the 1.5-3m high thicket of the ~~old~~ creek line, all of the above birds came to see me.

only 5m from the creekline itself came to a tree nearby (not from thicket)

(86)

As I reach the ^{top of the} rise just
before the road

→ - Western Sandhill
plant sample (type of "barn + eggs")
just before here.

- 149 paces from where stream
crosses road, to
vehicle pull off before creekline

- 177 paces from where stream
crosses road, to
middle of creekline crossing
the road (still 4.5 km
on the ~~the~~ topometer (vehicle))

Reached vehicle at 3.10 pm.

4.5 km (still) - 3.20 pm

Turn back (head NW along St)

Joseph Rd.

4-8 km 3.27 pm Q

mystery

~~magical~~ bird - dark grey

brown above, feet, shortish

wings - clearest brown on

wings on either side of

wings? (pigeon??)

flew from or near

road, low, in SW

direction.

7.4 km - 3.38 pm Q Bush

Wattlebird (seen last, faint shape,

black digit ears) buzzed off

the road & stopped just

20 m into the bush.

Also heard White-tailed

(88)

Three-trackers cutting ~~from~~
~~ways~~ ~~from~~ 100-200 m
north of here.

7.9 km - 3.42 pm Crossed
Lilly Rd.

9.6 km - 3.49 pm Then
left into Sebina Road.

9.9 km - 3.50 pm - Koobabura
crossed the road.

10.3 km - 3.52 pm - "28 Roads"
Leard = 50 m north of the
road.

11.3 km - 3.54 pm - Crossed Whistler Rd.

14.2 km - 4.00 pm

Painted on the bridge over
the Selima River (Selima Rd).

Heard a Kookaburra.

Old Selima line should cross

Selima Rd about 550 m

ahead = 14.7 - 14.8 on

long meter.

Saw several Splendid

Upens (one will be in
long) here.

Heard Gygis.

14.8 km - a truck comes in

from nearly due east

on the left, but doesn't
continue on the right.

(90)

14-9 km - a river
comes in from the East
on the left, and
heads on to the west
on the right. - This
appears to be the old
seismic line.

I took the seismic line to
the west end drove (4WD)
along it until there was
a log across the road,
at 15.4 km I
could have driven around it
(after a bit) but decided
to turn back. (4.39 pm)

I drove back to Sehome Rd

(loop meter would then here
 need approx 15.9 km. Then
 headed SW again along Deane
 Rd until I hit Sals
 Rd at 18.3 km (4.47 pm).

Fri 25/4/03 - 7.43 pm

0.0 km - 7.43 pm Turn
 left from Sals Rd into Deane
 East Rd.

0.5 km - 7.48 pm ~~7.48 pm~~ Rd comes
 in from left (under) - stops
 here to look for birds -
 Finish here at 7.56 pm;
 nothing heard.

92

1.5 km - 7.59 pm stop to

listen. Heard

2 "Myiozetetes" calling

distinctly, in the

far distance.

Found here 8.14 pm

2.5 km - 8.16 pm -

Found 8.28 pm - nothing

heard.

2.5 km - 8.29 pm

Terny Myiozetetes seen.

2.6 km - small Western

Junco hyemalis seen.

2.8 km - 8.32 pm entered
the bridge over the Sabana
River

3.0 km - 8.33 pm - the Bush
likely seen :

3.3 km - 8.36 pm - bush
seen - possibly a TF.

3.5 km - 8.38 pm Nothing
seen - 8.47 pm point here

4.5 km - 8.51 pm - Q "enclosed"
(?) heard a meow (??)
thumping / crashing in the bush.
Finish here at 9.03 pm

(94)

5.5 km - 9.07 pm -

starting to sprinkle (rain)

9.14 pm finish. Rain has stopped.

5.8 km ^{9.17 pm} - 1 km left into
Whisper Rd

5.8 km - 9.18 pm - Another

small Gray Heron -
very close.

6.4 km - cross creek.

6.5 km - 9.21 pm - Thunder

off to my right & Rain.

Thunder here at 9.30 pm

Rain has stopped again.

7.5 km - 9.34 pm - Rain again

(95)

Rained more heavily. Fended 9.44pm

8.5 km - 9.48 pm. Raining
Fended here at 9.58 pm
Hill keep driving until
near stops.

8.8 km 9.58 pm Hill Rd came
in from left.

8.9 km - ~~10.00~~ 10 pm
a small-med sized
Grey Kangaroo

9.5 km - 10.03 pm. Heard
Mourning Frogs, at least 2,
in distance (100s of meters)
to approx 300 SW + W of me

Now raining again. Fromah
Leave at 1010 pm

10.5 km - 1014 pm Raining
most of the time - Frosted
Leave at 1023 pm.

11.5 km - 1027 pm - Raining
steadily. Rain stopped
sky cleared. Frosted
at 1035 pm.

12.5 km - 1040 pm - Nothing
Leaving. Frosted at 1047 pm

12.8 km 1048 pm - Could be
small Gray Wigeon, up
close.

(97)

13.3 km - 1057 pm Turn
right onto Ridge Rd.

18.7 km - 1106 pm Turn
right onto Snow Rd.

Nothing seen the whole way.

Vasse

(99)

Upstream

0 → 1 m WRC gauge plate

Deduct ~~0.05 m~~ 0.05 m
to get true AHD.

1 → 2 m WRC gauge plate

Deduct 0.04 m to get true AHD

Downstream

0 → 1 m WRC gauge plate

Deduct 0.11 m to get true AHD

1 → 2 m WRC gauge plate

Deduct 0.08 m to get true AHD

(22/10/99)

Revised from arrival of "01/02/99"

on file kept by Yennae for
WRC logger data.

Wonnamp

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Upstream

0 → 1 m WRC gauge plate

Deduct 0.06 m to get true SHD

~~WRC gauge plate~~

Downstream

0 → 1 m WRC gauge plate

Deduct 0.04 m to get true SHD

AHD