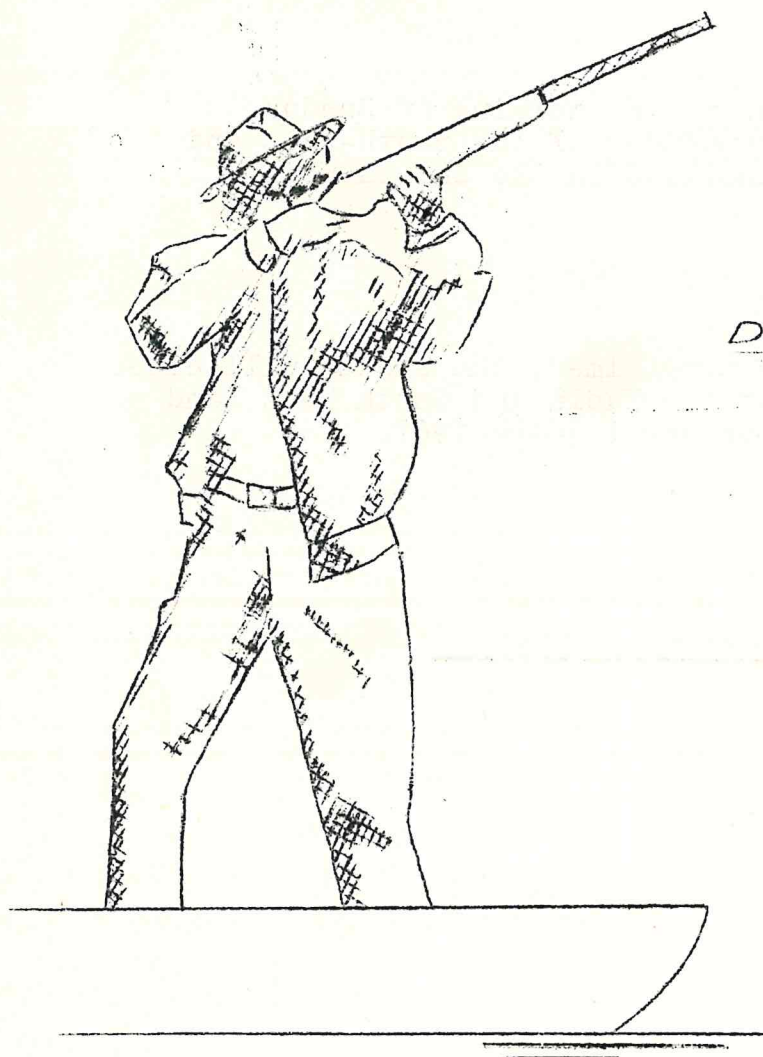


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DUCK SHOOTERS GUIDE

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1966-67 DUCK SEASON

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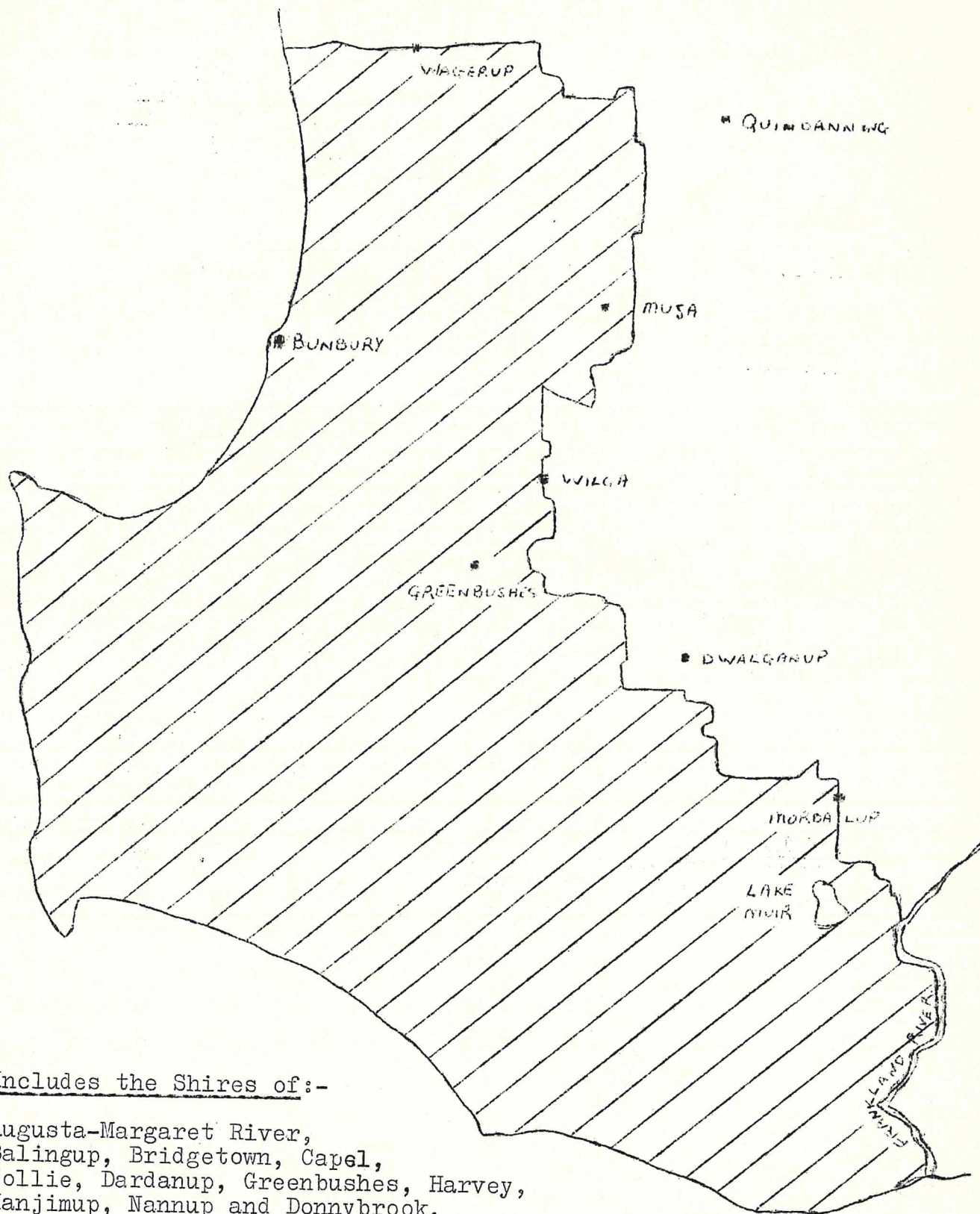
(a) At 6.00 p.m. in the afternoon of Saturday, December 17th in the Shires of Augusta-Margaret River, Balingup, Bridgetown, Busselton, Capel, Collie, Dardanup, Greenbushes, Harvey, Manjimup, Nannup, and Donnybrook; (see map opposite).

(b) At 5.00 a.m. in the morning of Sunday, December 18th in the remainder of the South-West and Eucla Divisions, not included in the Shires named.

CLOSES:

Unless otherwise proclaimed, the season will close throughout the whole of the Eucla and South West Land Divisions at midnight on April 30th, 1967.

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SPECIES INCLUDED IN THE OPEN SEASON:

The only birds that can be hunted are:-

Whistling Tree-Duck (Dendrocygna arcuata)  
 Plumed Tree-Duck (Dendrocygna eytoni)  
 Mountain Duck (Tadorna tadornoides)  
 Black Duck (Anas superciliosa)  
 Chestnut Teal (Anas castanea)  
 Grey Teal (Anas gibberifrons)  
 Blue-winged Shoveler (Anas rhynchotis)  
 Pink-eared Duck (Malacorhynchus membranaceus)  
 Freckled Duck (Stictonetta naevosa)  
 White-eyed Duck (Aythya australis)  
 Blue-billed Duck (Oxyura australis)  
 Musk Duck (Biziura lobata)  
 White-headed Shelduck (Tadorna radjah)  
 Wood Duck or Maned Goose (Chenonetta jubata)  
 Pied or Magpie Goose (Anseranas semipalmata)  
 Green Pygmy Goose (Nettapus pulchellus)

All other birds are protected.

BAG LIMIT:

15 ducks per person per day.

ILLEGAL MEANS OF CAPTURE:

That a person shall not take any wild duck by any means other than a shotgun, provided that this restriction shall not prohibit a person who is a native, within the meaning of the Native Welfare Act, 1905-1954, from using any native artifact in the taking of wild ducks.

OTHER RESTRICTIONS:

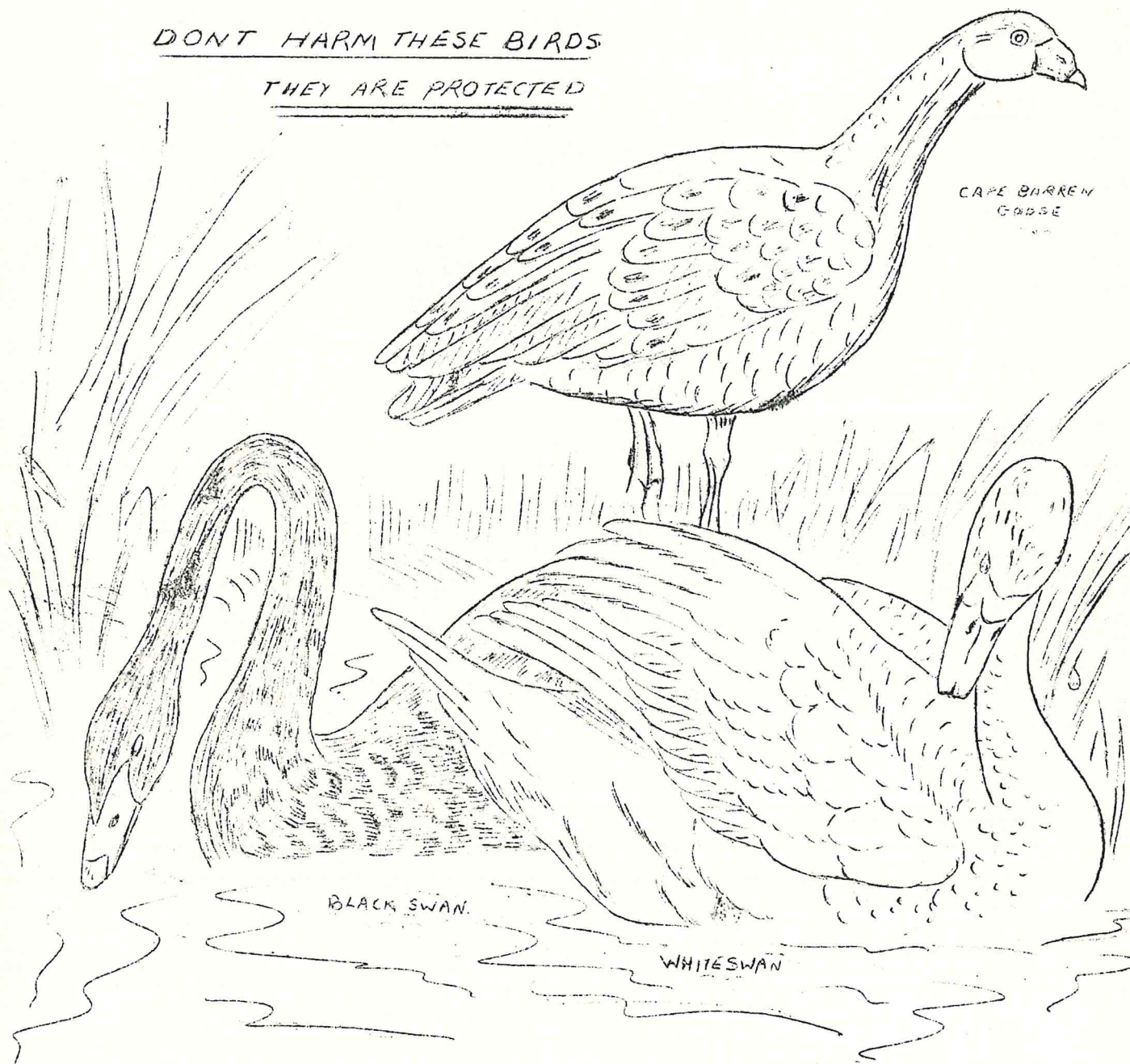
- (a) Wild ducks are not to be kept in captivity except under special license;
- (b) The sale of wild ducks is forbidden;
- (c) A person shall not drive any bird over shooters by means of motor vehicles, aircraft, power boats or other means;
- (d) A person shall not take more than fifteen wild ducks on any one day.
- (c) Eggs of any wild duck shall not be taken for any purpose.

NOTE: A continuous open season applies throughout the Kimberley, North-West and Eastern Land Divisions. For further details apply to the Department of Fisheries and Fauna, 108 Adelaide Terrace, Perth.



DONT HARM THESE BIRDS

THEY ARE PROTECTED



The Cape Barren Goose, the Black Swan and the White Swan are the only members of the family of ducks and geese which are not included in the open season. They are fully protected at all times. In this State the Cape Barren Goose normally occurs only on the islands of the Recherche Archipelago, a sanctuary for fauna, where all shooting is prohibited.

CLOSE AREAS:

Duck shooting is prohibited in all the following areas which have been set aside as refuges.

GENERAL AREAS:

- (1) All municipalities and townsites in the South-West Land Division.
- (2) All State Forests, timber reserves, town reservoirs and other areas where shooting is prohibited under the provisions of any other Act, regulation or by-law.
- (3) The whole of the area within a radius of 20 miles of the General Post Office, Perth.
- (4) The whole of the Rockingham Shire.

SPECIFIC AREAS:Albany Shire -

- (5) The whole of the waters of Lake Seppings and all land within 20 chains of its shores.
- (6) The whole of the waters of Nannerup (or Taylor) Inlet and all the land within 20 chains of its shores.
- (7) The whole of the waters of the King and Kalgan Rivers and all land within 20 chains of their banks.
- (8) The whole of the waters of Oyster and Princess Royal Harbours and all land within 20 chains of their shores.

Balingup Shire -

- (9) The whole of the area within a radius of one and one-half miles from the Post Office at Balingup.

Busselton Shire -

- (10) The whole of the waters of Vasse and Wonnerup Estuaries and all land within 20 chains of their shores.
- (11) The whole of the waters of the Vasse River and all land within 20 chains of its banks.
- (12) The whole of reserves 3872 and 3876 (Public Utilities) in the Broadwater.

Capel Shire -

- (13) All that portion of the Capel River between the Capel and Stirling bridges and all land within 20 chains of the river's bank.

Dandaragan Shire -

- (14) The whole of Caro Swamp and all land within 80 chains of its shores.

Dumbleyung Shire -

- (15) All that portion of the Coblinine River downstream from the eastern side of the bridge at the junction of road 3375 and road 323 (Oxley Road) to its mouth at the highwater mark of Dumbleyung Lake and all land within 20 chains of that part of the river's banks.

Gingin Shire -

- (16) The whole of the waters of Lakes Nambung, Bambun and Mungala and all land within 20 chains of their shores.
- (17) The whole of Swan Location 2340 including Wallering Swamp.

Gnowangerup Shire -

- (18) The whole of the land and waters contained within reserves 21646 and 21657 in the Beaufort and Wellstead Estuaries respectively.

Harvey Shire -

- (19) All those waters of the Leschenault Inlet extending southwards from a line drawn south-east from Waterloo Head (Beledere), on the west foreshore to a point on the opposite foreshore and all land within 20 chains of the included foreshores.
- (20) The whole of the Harvey Catchment area.

Mandurah Shire -

- (21) The whole of the area within a radius of 2 miles of the Post Office at Mandurah.

Manjimup Shire -

- (22) All that part of the waters of Lake Muir lying north and east of a line drawn from the north-eastern corner of Nelson location 1330, to the northernmost point of Nelson location 9246, and all within 80 chains of the north-western, northern and eastern shores of the said lake between the said locations.



