

NEEDLESS SLAUGHTER

It has been reported to the Fauna Protection Advisory Committee that a number of docile Mallee hens had been slaughtered on a reserve near Warrogin.

The Committee is considering the appointment of an honorary warden for the district and it is hoped that further killing of protected birds will not take place.

NOISY SCRUB BIRD AGAIN

Western Australia is receiving worldwide recognition for its protection of the Noisy scrub bird. The August issue of Oryx, the Journal of the Fauna Protection Society of Great Britain, carries as its first article reference to the Two People Bay reserve.

Letters of appreciation have been received from numerous overseas organisations including the World Wildlife Fund which refers to a State, recognised for its progressive-ness in material development, able to appreciate the value of conservation.