

LOCAL BREEDING OF BIRDS

Some very interesting observations of Red-winged Wren and of the Scarlet Robin were made by Mr. Alwyn Pepper of Perth in his successful attempts to breed these birds in captivity. Mr. Pepper and his wife were honoured by the South Australian Avicultural Society for their achievements, receiving Bronze medals for First Breeding Achievements for these species.

Mr. Pepper expressed the opinion that these birds were more difficult to care for in aviaries than the Red-eared Firetail (see September issue).