

WEDGE-TAILED EAGLE OBSERVATION

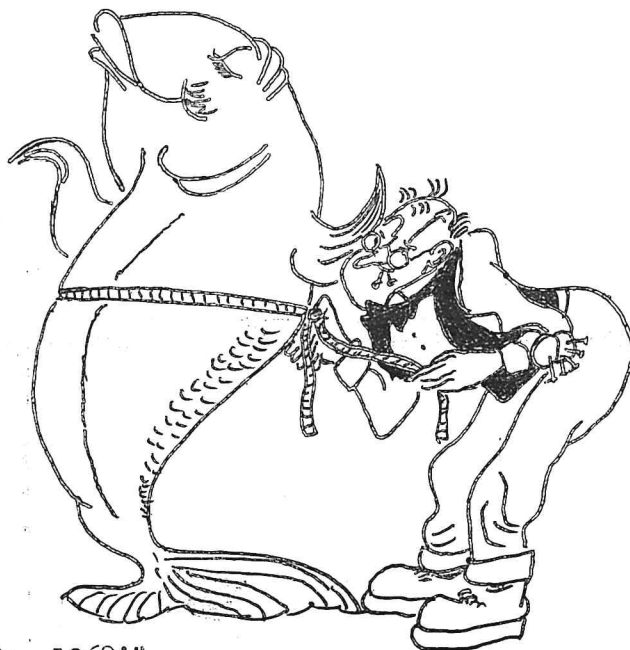
Recently a Wedge-tailed eagle was observed at the Tuttanning (East Pingally) Reserve, carrying and then dropping of what appeared to be the hindquarters of a Bettong. An examination made by staff of the Zoological Department, University of Western Australia established that they were the hindquarters of a Tammar.

Mr. J. Sampson of the Zoological Department, in commenting on these remains being dropped by the Wedge-tailed eagle found this to be very interesting. He said that he would not expect the eagle to be able to kill a Tammar of this size, and so presumed that it was a Tammar that died from other causes and the bird was clearing up the remains.

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"Easter Greetings to all for 1968!"