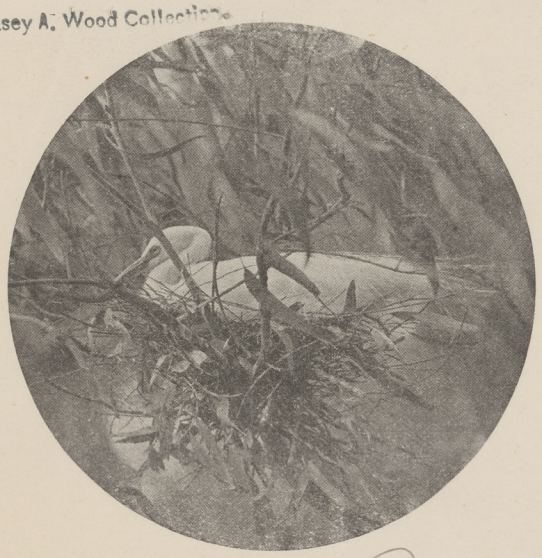
Casey A. Wood Collection



Brooding Egret.

Phone 1607 Canterbury.

"Koonawarra,"
42 ~~Barrington Avenue,~~ Canterbury Road
~~Kew.~~
Camberwell.
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Dr Casey Wood.

Dear Dr Casey Wood.

Regarding your impending visit to this city & your desire to see some of our Australian Wild birds in their native haunts I will be only too pleased to assist you as far as I can in the consummation of your desire.

This is unfortunately the worst time of the year to see our birds & had you been here in the Spring I could have shown you for certain our Lyre Bird & other interesting avine forms.

I have placed your desire in the hands of the Council of the Royal Australasian Ornithologists' Union who will doubtless endeavour to help you.

Possibly we shall have a

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special meeting to which you will be invited. Have you any Slides to put through our Lantern?

Can we arrange for a lecture by you?

Regardfully Yours.
Arthur H. & Hattingley.

Bowdler Sharpe Collection

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AUSTRALASIAN ORNITHOLOGISTS' UNION,

care ZOOLOGICAL GARDENS, MELBOURNE.

26/2/ 1908

Dr Bowdler Sharpe
British Museum
South Kensington. England

Dear Sir,

Mr D Le Souëf has informed me that you are desirous of obtaining skins of Australian birds with full data & has advised me to write to you regarding the conditions respecting the style of data & make up of skin as well as the financial conditions. I can obtain a great many varities of Australian birds & would like to know what to eliminate & what to send to the British Museum.

I remain,

Regardfully Yours,

A. H. Mattingley.

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