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BRITISH BIRDS.

Common Name.	Scientific Name.
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Chaffinch ... ..	<i>Fringilla cœbebs.</i>
Goldfinch ... ..	<i>Carduelis elegans.</i>
Linnet ... ..	<i>Linaria cannabina.</i>
Starling ... ..	<i>Sturnus vulgaris.</i>
Thrush ... ..	<i>Turdus musicus.</i>
Blackbird ... ..	<i>Turdus merula.</i>
Nightingale ... ..	<i>Sylvia luscinæa.</i>
Pheasant ... ..	<i>Phasianus colchicus.</i>
Grouse of every species ... ..	<i>Tetrao and Lagopus.</i>
Partridges of every species ... ..	<i>Perdix.</i>
White Swans ... ..	<i>Cygnus.</i>

FOREIGN BIRDS.

Californian Quail ... ..	<i>Callipepla Californica.</i>
Indian Minah ... ..	<i>Aceridotheres tristis.</i>

AUSTRALIAN BIRDS.

Fish Hawks or Sea Eagles ... ..	<i>Haliætus-Haliastur and Pandion.</i>
Lyre Birds ... ..	<i>Menura.</i>
Regent Bird ... ..	<i>Sericulus melina.</i>
Rifle Bird ... ..	<i>Ptiloris paradisea.</i>
Bell Bird ... ..	<i>Manorhina melanophrys.</i>
Black Cockatoos ... ..	<i>Calyptorhynchus.</i>
King Parrots ... ..	<i>Aprosmictus and Ptistes.</i>
Bustard or Plains Turkey .. ..	<i>Eupodotis Australis.</i>
Native Companion ... ..	<i>Grus Australiensis.</i>
Nankin Crane ... ..	<i>Nycticorax Caledonicus.</i>

SECOND SCHEDULE.

PART I.

*Australian Game Birds protected during the Close Season from 1st August in every year to 31st January then next succeeding inclusive.*

Common name.	Scientific name.
Brush Turkey ... ..	<i>Talegallus Lathamii.</i>
Mallee Hen ... ..	<i>Leipoa ocellata.</i>
Land Curlew ... ..	<i>Oedienemus grallarius.</i>
Bittern .. ..	<i>Botaurus poicilopterus.</i>
Land Rail ... ..	<i>Hypotaenidia Phillipensis.</i>
Black Swan ... ..	<i>Cygnus atratus.</i>

Wild ducks of every species, including Teal.

Plovers of every species.

Pigeons and doves of every species.

PART II.

*Birds protected during the Close Season from 1st October in every year to 31st March then next succeeding inclusive.*

Quail of every species, including *Turinx*, *Pedionomus*, *Coturnix*, *Synoicus*, and *Excalfatoria*.

## THIRD SCHEDULE.

*Australian Birds other than game protected during the Close Season from 1st August in every year to 31st January then next succeeding inclusive.*

Common name.	Scientific name.
Dollar Bird ... ..	Eurystomus pacificus.
Laughing Jackass ... ..	Dacelo gigas.
Kingfishers ... ..	Halcyon and alcyone.
Wood Swallows ... ..	Artamus.
Magpies (other than the Black Magpie and the Gray Magpie) ... ..	Gymnorhina.
Peewit or Magpie Lark ... ..	Grallina Australis.
Thrush ... ..	Collyriocincla harmonica.
Wagtails... ..	Sauloprocta and Seisura.
Jackey Winter ... ..	Micræca fascinans.
Robins ... ..	Petroeca.
Yellow Robin ... ..	Eopsaltria Australis.
Blue Wrens ... ..	Malurus cyaneus and Malurus Lamberti.
Emu Wren ... ..	Stipiturus malachurus.
Lark ... ..	Anthus Australis.
Skylark or Nightingale ... ..	Cinchloramphus.
Diamond Sparrow ... ..	Estrela guttata.
Organ Bird ... ..	Coreorax melanorhamphus.
Gill or Wattle Bird ... ..	Acanthochœra carunculata.
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Large Fish Hawk (or White Eagle).	

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Linnet.	Black Cockatoo.
Thrush.	King, Lory, and Rosella Parrots.
Starling.	Ground Parrots of every variety.
Blackbird.	Common Seagull, and Seagulls of every variety.
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Chaffinch.	Swamp Pheasant.
Blue and other Wrens.	Dollar Bird.
Wagtail.	Baldheaded Friar.
Honeysucker.	Owl.
Diamond Sparrow.	Stilt of every variety.
Fly Catcher.	Coachman.
Swift.	Wattle or Gill Bird.
Peewit.	Ibis.
Common Lark.	
Reed Sparrow.	
Mocking Bird.	

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2. The Act forty-five Victoria number twenty-nine is hereby repealed. Repeal of 45 Vic. No. 29.

New clause to stand as clause 3:—

3. This Act shall come into force immediately after the passing thereof, and may be cited as the "Birds Protection Act of 1893." Commencement and short title.

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4. The expression "Protected bird" in this Act means any imported or native bird mentioned in or which may be added to the First Schedule hereto. "Game bird"—any bird mentioned in or which may be added to the first or second parts of the Second Schedule hereto. "Song bird"—any bird mentioned in or which may be added to the Third Schedule hereto. "Scheduled bird"—a bird of any of the kinds or families mentioned in or which shall be added to any Schedule to this Act. And "Close season"—the periods of time prescribed by this Act for the protection of the birds included in the Schedule hereto. Interpretation of terms.

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10. No firearms shall be used for the purpose of shooting any scheduled bird, and no firearms of any description intended to be used for such purpose shall be affixed to any boat, punt, or floating vessel of any kind during any period of the year, or be loaded with a charge exceeding four drachms of gunpowder or two ounces of shot, and any person offending against the provisions of this section shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding *ten* pounds.

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13. Whenever any sheet of water, island, or enclosed land has been or shall be set apart by the Government or any private person for preserving any of the scheduled birds, the Colonial Secretary may declare by notice in the *Gazette* such setting apart and the names of the birds intended to be preserved, and thereafter any person other than the owner thereof who shall kill, capture, or injure any such bird within the limits of such water, island, or land, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding *five* pounds: Provided that the Colonial Secretary may by a like notice cancel any such setting apart.

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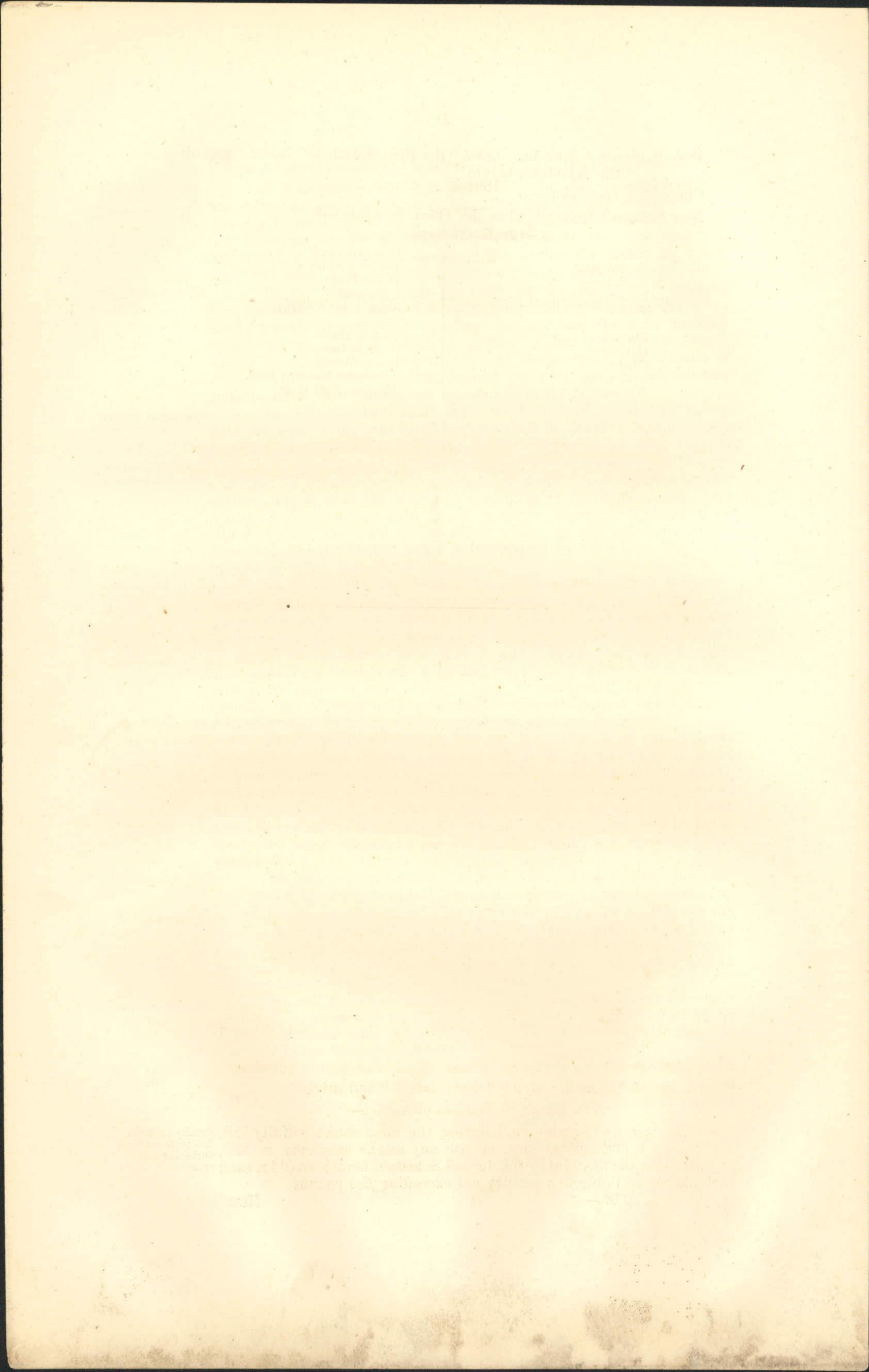
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