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Egg removal by Horsfield Bronze-Cuckoo.—On October 28, 1964, at about 1 p.m. I was strolling on Mt. Pleasant, near Canberra, A.C.T., in company with Mr S. J. Wilson when we saw a Horsfield Bronze-Cuckoo, *Chalcites basalis* in the vicinity of an already-known nest of the Western Warbler, *Gerygone fusca*. The nest was built in a eucalypt sapling at 15 to 20 feet above the ground. While we watched through binoculars from a distance of about 25 feet, the cuckoo made its way to the nest, paused at the entrance, then flew away carrying a pink egg in its bill. Neither the Western Warblers, nor any other cuckoo, were seen in the vicinity.—IAN GRANT, 12 Selwyn Street, Hackett, A.C.T.