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MISCELLANEOUS ANIMALS FROM FRASER ISLAND

A freshwater seepage pool at the head of the beach below a big sand blow north of Happy Valley supported several species of insects. Lepidopterous larvae were feeding on a soft-leaved plant, small bugs skimming the surface, and small crane-flies (identified by Dr. N. V. Dobrotworsky as **Limonia** sp.-Fam Tipulidae) were pairing and resting on vegetation—presumably they were breeding here.

A scrub tick, **Ixodes holocyclus** (identified by Dr. F. H. S. Roberts), was collected by Mr. K. A. W. Williams, probably from Yidney Scrub.

A specimen of the Australian native slug, **Tribonophorus graeffei**, was found at the Forest Station.

The introduced Cane Toad (**Bufo marinus**) was breeding in a small swampy waterhole near the camp site at Eurong Beach.

A yellow-bellied sea-snake, **Pelamis platurus**, was moribund at the top of the tide on the beach near Happy Valley on 3 May, 1967.

A male Lesser Long-eared Bat, **Nyctophilus geoffroyi** (identified by Dr. P. Dwyer), had drowned in a 44-gallon drum of rainwater at Happy Valley.

Several dingoes were seen by the party, but only one wallaby.

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