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July Field Trip

On July 11th, 14 members met early on a fine morning at Point Lobos Ave. and Camino del Mar in San Francisco, for a most enjoyable field trip led by Mr. Arthur H. Myer. We were favored by a warm sun and absence of fog, as we walked from our starting point through the grounds of the Veterans Facility near Fort Miley, where we saw cliff swallows nesting high on the hospital building, and a quail perched on a cornice well above the ground; through Lincoln Park and down to a trail along the beautiful ocean, where all were interested in observing 3 pigeon guillemots flying and resting on the water, also one on top of a high rock, where there may have been a nest.

The flicker was observed on the side of a dry bank looking for insects, and in a sunny hollow full of bushes we saw quite a few birds, including the female Anna hummingbird feeding a young one perched on a twig.

Coming to a parting of the ways, Mrs. Myer and half the party took the "high road", while others took the "low road" with Mr. Myer, and went along a somewhat rougher trail above the shore on the way back to Lands End.

After lunch, we went to one of the lakes in Golden Gate Park, where among other varieties, we saw a female mallard, with her 3 young ones, looking for crumbs along the shore.

The following 28 species were observed:

California Brown Pelican	Cliff Swallow
Farallon Cormorant	Chestnut-backed Chickadee
Mallard Duck	Bush-Tit
White-winged Scoter	Wren-Tit
Ruddy Duck	Robin
California Quail	Russet-backed Thrush
Coot	English Sparrow
Western Gull	Brewer Blackbird
Pigeon Guillemot	House Finch
Mourning Dove	Willow Goldfinch
Anna Hummingbird	Green-backed Goldfinch
Allen Hummingbird	Oregon Junco
Red-shafted Flicker	White-crowned Sparrow
Black Phoebe	Song Sparrow

The following members and guests enjoyed the trip: Mr. & Mrs. Myer, Kilham; Mesdames: Matheson, Richardson, Stone; Misses: Johnson, Matheson, Roscoe, Young; Messers: Bennett, Mayers, Werner.

Ethel M. Matheson, *Historian*.

New Members

It is with much pleasure that we welcome the members of the National Audubon Society into our Association. We look forward to greeting you at our Meetings, and on our Field trips. Your presence and broad interests will add much to our organization, in furthering our aims of bird study and conservation.

Ethel E. Richardson, *President.*

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Mrs. R. Cederburg, Mill Valley.	Mrs. E. G. Schmiedell, Ross.	
Mrs. G. A. Faraday, Ross.	Mr. Frank A. Scott, Allendale, N. J.	
Mr. Charles Flammer, Ross.		

High Lights of June and July Meetings

A State Co-ordinator of Conservation has been appointed, which should result in more effective conservation programs. Efforts to secure Butano forest in the Santa Cruz mountains, for a state park are progressing, and the situation in regard to the East Bay Regional Park is receiving active attention.

A Scholarship to the California Audubon Nature Camp was awarded to Mr. Harry Curleux Adamson, student of Ornithology and Bird Artist, by The Audubon Association of the Pacific.

A "CARE" package sent to Kurt Merkel, ornithologist, Frankfort, Germany, was gratefully acknowledged. Four packages have been sent; made possible by contributions received at the meetings of this association.

Dr. Frank A. Pitelka, President of the Cooper Club, told of a German periodical "Ornithological Monthly Reviews", formerly published in Heidelberg which has not been revived because of lack of paper. As this publication is a highly desirable one, a fund was subscribed by some Eastern ornithologists to supply paper for one issue. Dr. Pitelka suggested that perhaps, Western ornithologists might also wish to contribute an amount sufficient for one issue. A most interesting talk on "Display Behavior of Hummingbirds" was given by Dr. Pitelka.

Ninety-two members of the National Audubon Society have joined the Audubon Association of the Pacific. The hope was expressed that more members of the Association of the Pacific will wish to join the National Audubon Society in joint membership.

Enthusiastic reports were given by several members, who had completed a two weeks' session of the Audubon Nature Camp at Norden, Calif.

Hazel Walsh, *Recording Secretary.*

Observations

Edited by JUNEA W. KELLY

Two White-throated Swifts, April 17, Berkeley Stadium, Florence Plymell.
Evening Grosbeak, May 22, Tilden Park, Berkeley, Joe Marshall.

(A single bird flying high in a large circle calling peeeer, etc.)

600 Godwits, May 31, also many other species of shore birds in small numbers, Bay Farm Island; Two Eared Grebes, summer plumage, 200 White Pelicans, June 5, Dumbarton Bridge; Two White-tailed Kites, May 19, near Napa; one Kite, June 9, near Petaluma; Myrtle Warbler, May 20, Chiles Valley, Napa Co.; Audubon Warbler, June 2, Jack London Ranch, Sonoma Co., Junea W. Kelly.

1 Vaux Swift, Lucas Valley, Marin County, July 4, F. Plymell.

12 Black Terns, Dumbarton Bridge approach July 5, Vee K. Curtis.

500 White Pelicans, Dumbarton Bridge approach July 4, Junea W. Kelly.

Field Trips for the Remainder of 1948:

September 12th, Alameda Shore Birds; led by Mrs. G. Earle Kelly.

October 17th, Golden Gate Park, Stow Lake and South Drive; led by Mrs. D. M. Curtis.

November 14th, Rodeo Lagoon, Marin Co.; led by Arthur J. Bennett.

December 12th, Annual Lake Merritt trip; led by Mrs. Harold C. Austin.

December 19th Annual Audubon Census; directed by Chairman Herman V. Leffler.

Arthur H. Myer, *Field Trips Chairman.*

August Field Trip

The August field trip will be on Sunday, the 15th to Tennessee Cove, Marin County. The party will meet at the Standard Service Station on Highway 101 near Manzanita, this side of the Richardson Bay Bridge, at 9 o'clock. Those taking the Greyhound bus will leave 7th and Mission, S. F. at 8:10 a. m. and get off at Marin City. This trip was a favorite one before 1941. It will be led by Mr. Carl L. Carson.

August Meeting

The 371st meeting of the Audubon Association of the Pacific will be held August 12, at 8 p. m. in the Assembly Hall of the Public Library, Larkin & McAllister Sts., San Francisco. Mr. Walter W. Bradley, a past Vice-President of the Association and recently State Mineralogist will show colored slides of his recent Alaskan trip. Guests are cordially invited.

Laurel Reynolds,
Program Chairman.

In Memoriam

Mr. M. Hall McAllister of Redlands, Calif. One of the first members in 1917 and a Life member since 1929. We extend our sympathy to his family.

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