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MINUTES, REGULAR MEETING, ORNITHOLOGY GROUP, DECEMBER 7, 1972

The Chairman, Marilyn Crane, called the meeting to order at 7:35 P.M.

Four guests and one new member were presented to the Group and were extended a warm welcome. The guests were also invited to become members.

Motion was made, seconded and carried that the reading of the minutes of the October meeting, which have been published in the SPOONBILL, be dispensed with, there being no corrections or additions to those minutes.

The Treasurer's Report for October 1, 1972 to November 30, 1972, was accepted as read. It showed receipts of \$94.11, disbursements of \$225.93, and a balance of \$357.20.

Miss Crane announced that Laura Greenbaum would be the new editor of the SPOONBILL, succeeding Maxine Wenger.

Miss Crane also announced that we had received letters of appreciation for our contributions to Armand's Bayou and to the ONC Sanctuary Building.

Harry Brister reported that three groups have already made their surveys of Armand's Bayou. He added that the key to the property may be secured by contacting Friendswood Corporation.

A gift to our library from Dirk Hagemeyer was acknowledged. It is "Birds of the Churchill Region, Manitoba," by Jehl and Smith.

On behalf of the Nominating Committee, Chairman Sarah Gordon submitted the following for re-election as officers for the Ornithology Group for 1973-74:

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| Chairman | Marilyn Crane |
| Vice Chairman | Margaret Jones |
| Secretary | Louise Rogers |
| Treasurer | Melba Drake |

There being no nominations from the floor, it was properly moved and seconded that the nominations be closed and the proposed slate of officers be elected by acclamation. Motion carried.

Miss Crane announced that the checklist needed to be revised and she had appointed Noel Pettingell and Ben Feltner to a committee to revise it. Mr. Pettingell commented that it had taken them about 16 hours to update the key to relative frequency and occurrences. The major change in the checklist, he said, would probably be to increase the key to eight different numbers for identification purposes. Drafts of the new check list will be furnished to anyone who requests them, especially those who contribute regularly to the Clearing House. Their comments and those of certain individuals who are out in the field a lot will be invited. He added that the final checklist will be the result of consensus among those who have reviewed the drafts and made suggestions. Mr. Pettingell mentioned the possibility of getting the Chambers of

Commerce in Houston and Galveston to fund the printing of the new checklist.

A discussion was then held concerning disposition of checklists on hand. It was suggested that (a) they be given to the Chambers of Commerce for publicity purposes; (b) they be given to Clearing House contributors and field trip leaders for their use; (c) they be sold to group members for a nominal amount. It was agreed to discuss this subject further at subsequent meetings, there being several thousand checklists on hand, some of which have a minor misprint on them. The new lists can not be ready for some months.

The meeting was then turned over to Dirk Hagemeyer who showed colored slides of his recent trip to Churchill on Hudson Bay. His presentation included slides depicting living conditions in that area, mammal and plant life of the region, as well as numerous pictures of nesting birds, their eggs and young. Of particular interest were the closeups he made of the 1/8 to 1/4" flowers of the region. Following his program, someone mentioned that Dirk had a prize-winning photograph of a lo moth in the December-January issue of National Wildlife.

Dr. David Marrack announced the time and place of several hearings which would be of interest to conservationists. Our Chairman asked those who could to attend the meetings and make their views known.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:15 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Louise Rogers

CHRISTMAS BIRD COUNT - December 30th

The time of the count is fast approaching, and we need many more signed-up birders! The Houston Christmas Bird Count is the responsibility of the Houston Outdoor Nature Club, so let's rally round and plan on a day (or even a half-day) of census taking of the feathered flocks.

There have been some changes in leadership of some areas, and the new leaders are:

Area 5: Mr. Paul Nimmons - 682-3597
Area 8: Miss Sarah Gordon - 523-8285

If you can help with this important work, call T. Paul Jones, 665-4197, Marilyn Crane, 522-6393, or any area leader.

Bring lunch and mosquito repellent. Supper will be after the count when we meet at Holly Inn Cafe (at the Holly Inn Motel). There isn't much parking in front, but you can park around on the sides of the motel. The address is 1102 Alexander Dr. (Hiway 146), just north of the intersection of E. Fayle. This location is several blocks north of the restaurant where we met last year. All participants will be required to contribute a \$1.00 fee. This is essential to the continued publishing of the count. As Mr. Allan Cruickshank said, "It is a small price to pay for the fun and excitement of the Christmas Bird Count." He called it the largest, most exciting cooperative wildlife survey in the world. Come join us. (The Holly Inn Cafe is in Baytown).

T. O. S. MEETING A WET SUCCESS

More than seventy-five birders met in Waco Thanksgiving weekend and were rewarded with excellent programs, and interesting field trips. The premier trip, to the Bowmer ranch near Killeen, had to be cancelled due to the wet weather making the roads impassable. In fact, the weather did not cooperate with the field trip planners at all, for Friday was rainy all day, but rain gear was donned, and all the other field trips went on as planned. At least one group Friday morning found out first hand just how slick and traction-less some of the roads around Waco can be! However, fortunately the winds blew away the rain, and the sun came out for most of the day. Mary Bush reports that 105 species were seen during the weekend.

CLEARING HOUSE - NOVEMBER, 1972 (NOTE: p = the # you are used to)

- Loon, Common:
(1)5, Cove, AKM
- Grebe, Pied-billed:
(2)1,10, (21p)16, Cove, AKM
(14)4, (4)22, Cove, C&DP
- Pelican, White:
(25Op)3, (15Op)4, (100Op)10,
(2)30, Cove, AKM
- Cormorant, Double-crested:
(10-15)3,4,10, (1)7, (10Op)13,
(6)16, Cove, AKM
(7)19, Freeport, BF
- Cormorant, Olivaceous:
(9)3,4, (6p)10-13, Cove, AKM
- Heron, Green:
(1)25, Cove, C&DP
- Heron, Little Blue:
(1)3, (2)4,10,13, Cove, AKM
(1)22,29, Cove, C&DP
- Egret, Reddish:
(1)4, (2)7, Cove, AKM
(1-2) 8 days, Cove, C&DP
- Nightheron, Black-crowned:
(40-60)3,10,13, (4)14, Cove, AKM
- Bittern, American:
(1)6,13, (2)4, (3)5, Cove, C&DP
- Ibis, White-faced:
(11)30, Cove, C&DP
- Ibis, White:
(12)7, (150Op)30, Cove, AKM
(11)19, Freeport, BF
- Spoonbill, Roseate:
(29)3, (69p)14, (83p)10, (3)16,
Cove, AKM
- Goose, Snow and Blue:
(15)1, (25p)16, (30p)23, Cove, AKM
- Mallard:
(1)7, Cove, AKM
- Duck, Mottled:
(16)1, (26)3, (1-12)4,7,16, Cove,
AKM; (6)17, (4)19, Stubblefield, BF
- Gadwall:
(2)1, (4)4, (12)13, Cove, AKM
- Teal, Green-winged:
(5)3, (10)4, (6p)16, Cove, AKM
- Teal, Blue-winged:
(4)4, Cove, AKM
- Widgeon, American:
(5Op)3, (40Op)4, (100Op)10, (15)13,
(3p)16, Cove, AKM
- Shoveler:
(7)3, (15)4, (6p)16, Cove, AKM
- Duck, Wood:
(1)25, Cove, C&DP
(2)19, Stubblefield, BF
- Duck, Ring-necked:
(6)1, Cove, AKM
(27)17, Angleton, BF
- Canvasback:
(2)7, Cove, AKM
(3)13,22, Cove, C&DP
- Scaup, Lesser:
(5Op)4, Cove, AKM
(3)4, (1)5, Cove, C&DP
- Bufflehead:
(5)17, (2)19, Freeport, BF
- Duck, Ruddy:
(3)3,4, Cove, AKM; (9)5, (12)6,
(6)14, (12)19, (7)22, Cove, C&DP
- Merganser, Hooded:
(1)4, (3)21, (2)24, (2)30, Cove, C&DP
(1)15, Arcola, BF
- Vulture, Turkey:
(2)15,16, (3)22, (1)25,30, Cove, AKM
- Vulture, Black:
(1)15, Cove, AKM
- Kite, White-tailed:
(2)17, Freeport, BF
- Hawk, Sharp-shinned:
(1)8,18,25, yard, D&DL
- Hawk, Red-tailed:
(3)1,4,7,14, (6)3,13,30, (2)15,16,
(7)29, Cove, AKM
- Hawk, Red-shouldered:
(1)7, Cove, AKM
- Hawk, Marsh:
(2)3,10,16, (1)14, Cove, AKM
- Osprey:
(1)17,19, Stubblefield, BF
- Falcon, Peregrine:
(1) 10 days, Cove, C&DP
- Hawk, Sparrow:
(1-2)6 days, (5)4,7, (6)1,10, (12)3,
Cove, AKM
- Rail, King:
(1) 10 days, Cove, C&DP
- Rail, Virginia:
(1)8, Cove, C&DP
- Rail, Sora:
(1)26, Cove, C&DP
- Gallinule, Common:
(1)4, Cove, C&DP
- Coot, American:
(12)1, Cove, AKM
- Plover, Semipalmated:
(2)3, Cové, AKM
- Plover, Black-bellied:
(1)4,11,13, (3)5, (2)6, Cove, C&DP
- Woodcock, American:
(2)15, Cove, Diamond McKay
- Curlew, Long-billed:
(1)4,10, Cove, AKM; (1)25, Cove, C&DP
- Sandpiper, Spotted:
(6)1,10, (3)3, (1)4, (5)7, (6)16,
Cove, AKM
- Willet:
(3-7)3,4,10,16, Cove, AKM
- Yellowlegs, Greater:
(2-9)1,3,4,7,16, Cove, AKM
- Yellowlegs, Lesser:
(1-7)3,4,10,13,16, Cove, AKM
- Dowitcher sp.:
(2)1, (10)3, (15Op)4, (20p)7,13,
(10)10, Cove, AKM
- Sanderling:
(5)3, Cove, AKM
- Avocet, American:
(3)14, (79p)10, (13)13, Cove, AKM
(1)14,24,29,30, (9)22, Cove, C&DP
- Gull, Franklin's:
(8)1, (1)4, Cove, AKM
- Tern, Common:
(1)30, Anahuac, AKM
(2)19, Angleton, BF
- DOVE, WHITE-WINGED:
(1)28, University of Houston,
DHH (see notes)
- Dove, Ground:
(2)13, Cove, C&DP

- Cuckoo, Yellow-billed:
(1)10, Cove, AKM
- CUCKOO, BLACK-BILLED:
(1)1,13819 Pebblebrook,FG
(see notes)
- Ani, Groove-billed:
(5p)12, Clay Road, DHH
- Owl, Screech:
(1)30, Cove, AKM; (1)29, Cove, C&DP
- Chuck-will's-widow:
(1)10, Cove, AKM
- Nighthawk, Common:
(1)2,4,6,7,10, (2)5, Gulfgate
Shopping Center, SE Houston, NP
- Hummingbird, Ruby-throated:
(1)7, Cove, AKM; (1)1,27, yard, D&DL
- Kingfisher, Belted:
(1-3) 7 days, (4)10, Cove, AKM
- Flicker, Yellow-shafted:
(1-3) 9 days, (7)16, Cove, AKM
- Woodpecker, Pileated:
(4)19, Angleton, BF
- Woodpecker, Red-bellied:
(1)3,13,15, Cove, AKM
- Woodpecker, Red-headed:
(1)15, Cove, AKM
- Sapsucker, Yellow-bellied:
(1-3)3,13,16, (4)10, Cove, AKM
- Flycatcher, Scissor-tailed:
(7)3, (4)4, Cove, AKM
- Phoebe, Eastern:
(1) 5 days, (2-5) 4 days, Cove, AKM
- Empidonax sp. Flycatcher:
(1)1, yard, D&DL
- Flycatcher, Vermilion:
(1)7, (2)16, Cove, AKM; (1)17,
Brazoria Refuge, (1)19, Stubble-
field, BF
- Swallow, Tree:
(3)14, Cove, AKM; (4)19,
Stubblefield, BF
- Swallow, Rough-winged:
(10)19, Stubblefield, BF
- Swallow, Tree or Roughwinged:
(1)16, Cove, AKM
- Swallow, Barn:
(NC)1,3,4, Cove, AKM; (1)19,
Stubblefield, BF (see notes)
- Chickadee, Carolina:
(3)7, (4)15, Cove, AKM
- Titmouse, Tufted:
(1)15, Cove, AKM
- Nuthatch, Red-breasted:
(3)2, 13819 Pebblebrook, FG
- Nuthatch, Brown-headed:
(3)2, (1)12, (2)15, 13826 Pebble-
brook, FG
- Creeper, Brown:
(2)15, Cove, AKM; (2)13, West
University, MA; (1)6,19,26,28,
(3)8, (2)27, yard, D&DL
- Wren, House:
(2)13, West University, MA
- Wren, Long-billed or Short-billed:
(15p)11, (6)14, (6)21, (5)22, Cove,
C&DP
- WREN, ROCK:
(1)7,16, Cove, AKM (see last issue)
- Catbird:
(1)15, Cove, AKM; (1)19,
Stubblefield, BF; (1)2,6,8, yard,
D&DL
- THRASHER, SAGE:
(1)19, Katy-Hockley Rd., MA&BC
(see notes)
- Robin:
(NC)15, Cove, Damon McKay
(1)26, yard, D&DL
- Thrush, Wood:
(1)1,2,3, yard, D&DL
- Thrush, Hermit:
(2)10, (1)15, Cove, AKM; (17)15,
(26)19, Freeport, BF; (1)6 days,
(2p)4,9,14, yard, D&DL
- Gnatcatcher, Blue-gray:
(1-6)4 days, (8)16, (20p)7, Cove,
AKM
- Kinglet, Golden-crowned:
(1)15, Cove, AKM; (1)15, (2)19, Free-
port, BF; (3-10)5 days, yard, D&DL
- Pipit, Water:
(40p)5 days, Cove, AKM
- Pipit, Sprague's:
(1)10, Cove, AKM
- Vireo, White-eyed:
(1)6, yard, D&DL
- Vireo, Solitary:
(2)19, Freeport, BF; (1)13, West
University, MA; (1-2)8 days, (1)27,
yard, D&DL
- Warbler, Orange-crowned:
(1)7,13, Cove, AKM
- Warbler, Magnolia:
(1)10, Cove, AKM; (1)1, yard, D&DL
- Warbler, Myrtle:
(10)5, (NC) remainder of month,
yard, D&DL
- Warbler, Black-throated Green:
(1)7,15, Cove, AKM; (1)13, West
University, MA; (1)1, yard, D&DL
- Warbler, Yellow-throated:
(1)2,6, yard, D&DL
- Warbler, Pine:
(1)7,13, (6)15, Cove, AKM
- WARBLER, HOODED:
(1)15, Stubblefield, BF (see notes)
- Oriole, Bullock's:
(1)13, West University, MA; (1)12,
13826 Pebblebrook, FG
- Bunting, Indigo:
(2 or 3)3, Cove, AKM; (3)15, (4)17,
Stubblefield, BF
- BUNTING, LAZULI:
(1)15, Stubblefield, BF (see notes)
- Finch, Purple:
(6)23, Cove, AKM; (2)13, West
University, MA; (3)28, yard, D&DL
- Goldfinch, American:
(3)16, (1)27, yard, D&DL
- Sparrow, Lark:
(1)3, Cove, AKM
- SPARROW, HARRIS':
(1)19, Katy-Hockley Rd., DHH (see
notes)
- Sparrow, White-crowned:
(3)3, (5p)16, Cove, AKM
- Sparrow, White-throated:
(6)4, (NC) remainder of month, D&DL
- Sparrow, Lincoln's:
(1)16, Cove, AKM
- Sparrow, Swamp:
(7)10, (1)15, Cove, AKM
- Sparrow, Song:
(1)16, Cove, AKM

CLEARING HOUSE CONTRIBUTORS

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|-----|-------------------|------|---------------------------|
| MA | Margaret Anderson | D&DL | Dorothy & David Lefkovits |
| EC | Bess Cornelius | AKM | Archie K. McKay |
| BF | Ben Feltner | C&DP | Chuck & Dennis Peting |
| FG | Frances Galloway | NP | Noel Pettingell |
| DHH | Dan H. Hardy | | |

CLEARING HOUSE NOTES

White-winged Dove: In flight over Hofheinz Pavilion; Rock Dove shape; large white wing patches flashed as it flew. DHH

Black-billed Cuckoo: About 10 A.M. I saw the bird fly into a small oak tree across the street. There was a light drizzle and the bird remained on a branch about 25 feet up in the tree for 15 or 20 minutes even as I approached almost under the tree, allowing me to observe him at close range. The red eye ring was not present. The barring on the tail was visible at close range. FG

Barn Swallow: Watched closely 30'-40' as it fed just above the road 2'-5' with 8X40 glasses. All pertinent field marks clearly visible. Individual was short-tailed, probably immature. BF

Sage Thrasher: We saw this Sage Thrasher sitting in an exposed position in a bush at the side of the road - distance about 10-12 feet. He remained long enough (2 minutes) for a careful check of all points. We saw his general gray coloration, the yellow eye, fairly short straight bill, and heavy black streaking in front. MA&BC

Hooded Warbler: An adult male bird, beautiful specimen, complete black hood-full yellow underparts. White in tail readily visible. Bird under observation at 40' - 65' in open and good light for 2 or 3 minutes - was with flock of gnatcatchers, kinglets, etc. BF

Lazuli Bunting: The bird was in company of 3 Indigo Buntings and fed in the weeds with them at about 30' from observer until squeaked up. The bird was the same size as the Indigos, which were in a mousy brown plumage and presented a rather similar aspect except as follows: It was somewhat darker brown in the back but had less streaking on the throat. It had two prominent white wing-bars and very white undertail coverts. There was some small amount of blue still visible in the tail. BF

Harris' Sparrow: Beautiful male - pink bill, black front and bib; large size. DHH

CITY HALL

The following species were reported by Vic Emanuel and Ben Feltner from City Hall during the month of October. Details on the Connecticut Warbler are included.

Sparrow Hawk: (1)7
Whip-poor-will: (1)8
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker: (1)21,24
Eastern Phoebe: (1)15
Blue Jay: (6)7
Brown Creeper: (1)7,29
House Wren: (1)7,24, (2)29
Long-billed Marsh Wren: (1)8
Short-billed Marsh Wren: (1)7,29
Mockingbird: (2)7, (1)29
Catbird: (8)7, (4)15,21, (1)24,29
Brown Thrasher: (7)7
Wood Thrush: (1)29
Ruby-crowned Kinglet: (1)7, (2)15
Loggerhead Shrike: (1)7,21
Starling: (30)29
Black-and-White Warbler: (3)7, (1)21
Prothonotary Warbler: (1)7

Tennessee Warbler: (2)7,15
 Nashville Warbler: (3)7, (8)15
 Magnolia Warbler: (2)7,15
 Black-throated Green Warbler: (1)8
 Chestnut-sided Warbler: (1)7,15,21
 Palm Warbler: (1)7,15
 Ovenbird: (1)7,15, (2)21, (4)29
 Connecticut Warbler: (1)7
 Mourning Warbler: (3)8
 Yellowthroat: (20)7, (6)15,29, (5)21
 Yellow-breasted Chat: (3)7
 Hooded Warbler: (1)7,24, (2)21,29
 Wilson's Warbler: (1)7, (6)15
 American Redstart: (3)7, (2)15,21, (1)24
 House Sparrow: (35)7
 Baltimore Oriole: (3)7, (2)15, (1)29
 Bullock's Oriole: (1)29
 Boat-tailed Grackle: (20)7, (10)29
 Summer Tanager: (1)7,29
 Indigo Bunting: (1)24
 Rufous-sided Towhee: (1)7, eastern race
 Grasshopper Sparrow: (1)7
 White-crowned Sparrow: (1)15, (4)29
 White-throated Sparrow: (1)15, (2)29
 Lincoln's Sparrow: (2)8, (1)29

The Connecticut Warbler was sighted at 11:15 A.M. in one of the yew bushes that run along the wall of the portico. It was sighted by Ben Feltner and at first glance he thought it was a Mourning. He called it to my attention. It was in the top of the yew by then and it flew into the live oak just over our heads (this is the live oak just to the right of the steps of the main entrance.) It hopped about the live oak in the interior branches quite close to the trunk, giving us excellent studies from below and the side for several minutes. We noticed right away three key marks: 1. the very long undertail coverts, extending almost to the tip of the tail (it appeared they went to within an eighth of an inch of the tip), 2. the narrow white delicate and absolutely complete eye ring, 3. the complete hood, a delicate gray, clearly demarked from the bright yellow underparts, but a curious ashy white in the lower throat, where male adult mournings are black. After a few minutes it flew from the tree into a flower bed and we were unable to locate it again. This was the 31st warbler species to be recorded at City Hall. It was my 441st bird seen in Texas and the 50th warbler species I have seen in the United States! --Vic Emanuel

O. G. FIELD TRIP - by Louise Rogers

In a heavy fog Sunday, December 3, 29 birders found their way to Sheldon Reservoir. Led by Alan Wenger, the group walked the embankment and the creek which border the south side of the reservoir. Identification was difficult because of the poor visibility during the first hour of hiking, but the fog lifted at 9:00 A.M. making the return trip to the cars enjoyable and productive, with the sun at our backs.

Then on the way to Deussen Park, stops were made to check on the ducks at the northern edge of the reservoir and the geese which feed in the nearby fields. Following lunch at the park, the large group broke up into small groups which took off in all directions, to check on the differing habitats within easy walking distance of the picnic tables. It was somewhat difficult to identify bird calls amid the roar of numerous motorbikes.

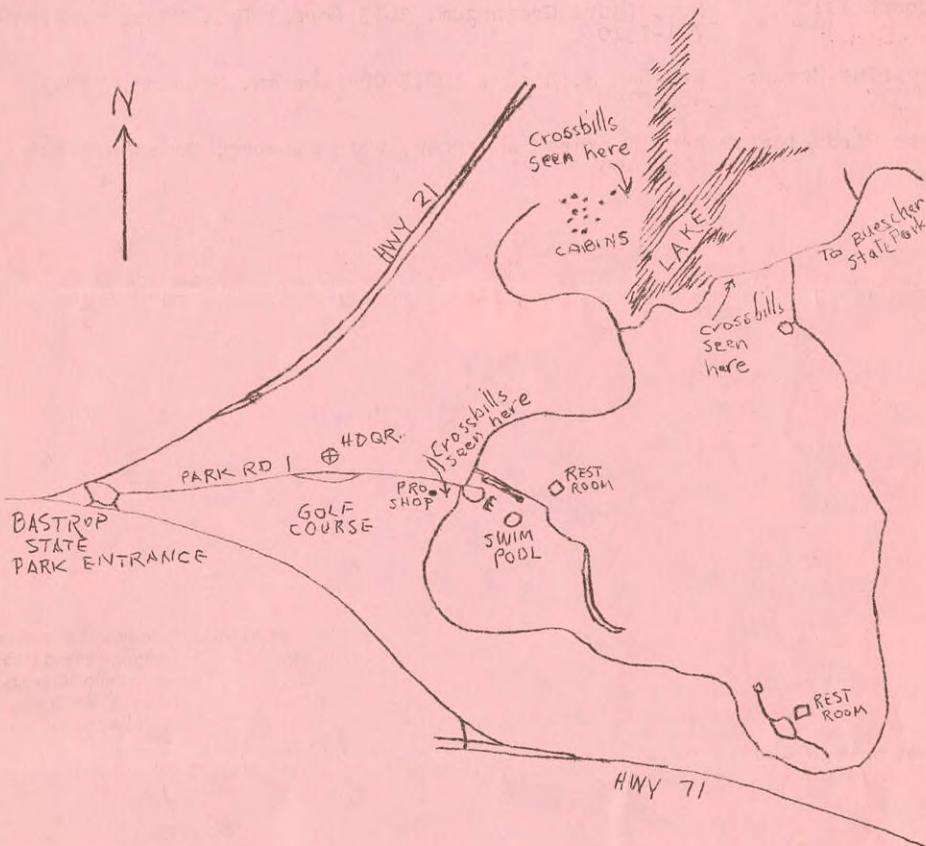
The birders called it a day at 1:15. The final count totaled 70 species. All four species of geese were sighted; 6 duck species were identified, including the Hooded Merganser, but the number of ducks was low. No one would admit to having seen a House Sparrow.

In addition to the Merganser, highlights included the Mississippi Kite, Hairy Woodpecker, numerous Kingfishers, several Brown Creepers, the House Wren, Fox and Swamp Sparrows.

RED CROSSBILLS REPORTED

At the T.O.S. meeting the news was spread rapidly that the Red Crossbills had been seen at Temple, Bartlett, and Bastrop State Park within a few weeks preceding the meeting. Sunday, Kay McCracken and a party from Corpus Christi paused at the park on their way home, and found a flock, as did Marilyn Crane, Norma Oates, and Louise Rogers on their way home to Houston. The following Friday, December 1, Avis and Harry Brister and Paul and Margaret Jones found a flock feeding in a pine tree, along with Bluebirds, Myrtle Warblers, and even two Cedar Waxwings. Paul had seen about six or seven Crossbills in the area by the lake early that morning, and then about noon, a flock of ten or twelve, three females, and the rest males, were seen just back of the Pro Shop, in a tall pine tree. They were observed in the area for more than an hour, always moving in a flock, when leaving or settling in a tree.

These birds feed on pine cones, seemingly the newer, lighter brown ones, and one will stay on a cone for quite some time. This habit gives 'scope owners a chance for some really good viewing. Since they have been seen for several weeks in the Park, it is hoped they might stay for the winter. Below is a map of the Park, showing the areas where they have been seen.

RARE BIRD ALERT

At the December 7th meeting, Vic Emanuel reported Whitewinged Scoters in the lagoon immediately behind the Holiday Inn at Texas City. Some birders went down Saturday, and found one female, along with a Common Loon, Horned Grebe, Pied Bill Grebes, and Laughing Gulls. Paul Jones reported a Red Throated Loon in Galveston, at the intersection of 89th St. and Teichman Road, seen Thursday afternoon, December 7th.

COMING EVENTS

- Tuesday
January 9 Regular ONC Meeting - 8:00 P.M., Garden Center - the subject will be "Gems of the Gulf of Mexico" by Laura M. Bauer.
- Sunday
January 28 OG Field Trip to the Texas City Dike to study Loons. Meet at the Holiday Inn next to the dike at 8:00 A.M. Leader will be Margaret Anderson. Bring lunch.
- Thursday
February 3 Regular OG Meeting - 7:30 P.M., Downtown Recreation Center. Mr. C. B. Gilman will give a program on "Plants and Flowers to Attract Birds in Your Yard."

NAMES TO REMEMBER

- Chairman: Miss Marilyn Crane, 3601 Allen Pky., #214, Houston 77019 522-6393
- Treasurer: Miss Melba Drake, 1746 Wroxton Court, Houston, 77005 522-8285
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