

ONTARIO BIRD BANDING ASSOCIATION

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FALL MEETINGS

The first meeting of the season will be held at Point Pelee on Saturday, October 1, 1966 at 7 p.m. E.S.T. (8 p.m. E.D.T.). Mr. and Mrs. J.O.L. Roberts will host the meeting in the first cottage north of the old Aviation Inn site.

The first regular monthly meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 8, 1966.

MAY MEETING

The May meeting was held on Tuesday, May 10, 1966 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Wasserfall. A progress report on the hawk banding program at Whitefish Point, Michigan was given by J. Roberts and R. McCleary.

The speaker of the evening was George Fairfield who discussed the study which he had conducted on the Chestnut-collared Longspur. In the first year he studied the population on the 40 acre plot just outside Moose Jaw, Sask. In the second summer he concentrated his study on the growth and in the third on the behaviour of this species of longspur. His talk was illustrated by slides and movies.

RECENT LONG POINT BIRD OBSERVATORY RECOVERIES

| <u>BAND NO.</u> | <u>SPECIES</u> | <u>A/S</u> | <u>DATE BANDED</u> | <u>DATE RECOVERED</u> | <u>PLACE RECOVERED</u> |
|-----------------|------------------|------------|--------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| 593-68236 | Sparrow Hawk | M | 10-26-65 | 11-00-65 | Stone Mt. Georgia |
| 663-55743 | Yell. S. Flicker | M | 04-29-65 | 11-19-65 | Hoschtou, Georgia |
| 552-90268 | Brown Thrasher | - | 04-27-62 | 05-00-66 | Byron, Ontario |
| 552-90642 | " " | I | 10-01-62 | 03-00-66 | Pavd, Georgia |
| 110-77448 | Golden-cr. King. | IF | 10-12-65 | 01-11-66 | Miami, Florida |
| 110-77733 | Ruby- " " | AM | 10-23-65 | 02-03-66 | Columbia, S. Carol. |
| 32-115742 | House Sparrow | M | 04-29-65 | 12-00-65 | Glen Meyer, Ontario |

A summary of recent duck recoveries will be given in a later newsletter.

P. S. Woodford,
Secretary

Please note:

The speaker at the Point Pelee Meeting will be J. O. L. Roberts. He will review the first spring operation of his Sharp-shinned Hawk study at Whitefish Point, Michigan. His talk will be illustrated by slides.