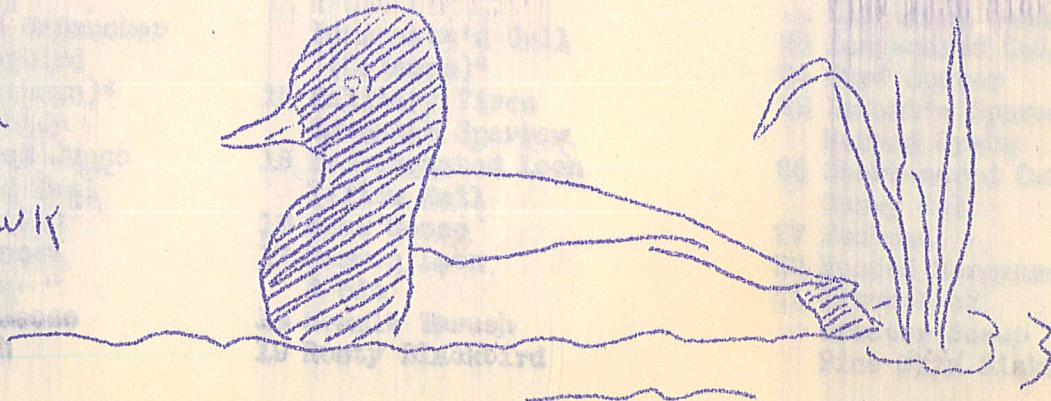


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PROGRAM FOR OCTOBER

October 12

Regular Meeting, Lecture Room, Charleston Museum: 8:00 p.m.
Mammals and Birds: E.B. Chamberlain and H.W. Freeman

Sunday, October 17

Short Field Trip: Lockwood Drive and Mt. Pleasant Causeway
Leader: E.B. Chamberlain
Meet Charleston Museum, 6:30 a.m.

BIRD MOVEMENT IN OCTOBER
(in the Charleston area)

Arrivals

2 Gannet	9 White-crowned Sparrow	20 Lesser Scaup
2 Red-breasted Merganser	10 Red-necked Grebe	21 Ring-necked Duck
Brown Creeper	Gold.-Crowned Kinglet	Henslow's Sparrow
White-throated Sparrow	11 Common Scoter	22 Whistling Swan
4 Yel. bellied Sapsucker	Bonaparte's Gull	23 Long-eared Owl
Western Kingbird	(Coleman)°	24 Surf Scoter
(Mrs. A.W. Bachman)°	13 Solitary Vireo	25 LeCont's Sparrow
Kirkland's Warbler	Savannah Sparrow	Horned Grebe
Slate-colored Junco	15 Red-throated Loon	26 Short-eared Owl
5 Green-winged Teal	Yellow Rail	Snowy Owl
Ruddy Duck (PR)	16 Snow Goose	27 Redhead
American Avocet	17 Common Loon	29 Hooded Merganser
7 Canada Goose	Robin	31 Canvasback
1st week Blue Goose	18 Hermit Thrush	Greater Scaup
8 Purple Finch	19 Rusty Blackbird	Pine Siskin

6 Bl. & Wht. Warbler (PR ?)
 7 Chuck-will's-widow
 (B.R. Chamberlain)^{*}
 9 Black Tern
 Acadian Flycatcher
 14 Roseate Spoonbill
 Summer Tanager
 15 Wilsons Plover
 Rough-winged Swallow
 Hooded Warbler
 Blue Grosbeak
 Lark Sparrow
 16 Gull-billed Tern

Departures

16 Eastern Kingbird	26 Chestnut-sided Warbler
17 Wilson's Plover	27 Swainson's Warbler
19 Bl'k-th'd Green Warbler	28 Upland Plover
20 Wh.-rumped Sandpiper	Least Tern
Stilt Sandpiper	Cliff Swallow
22 Wood Thrush	✓SParula Warbler
Blackburnian Warbler	29 Yellow Warbler
North. Waterthrush	Kirkland's Warbler
23 Miss. Kite	30 Pectoral Sandpiper
24 Kentucky Warbler	Sandwich Tern
25 North. Phalarope	? Purple Gallinule
Black-bl. Cuckoo	30 Eastern Wood Pewee
26 Gr.-Crest. Flycatcher	? Roseate Tern

Casuals and Accidentals.

Great Cormorant
 Sandhill Crane
 Wheatear (a. Simons)^{*}

Tennessee Warbler
 Bay-bre. Warbler

Rose-br. Grosbeak
 Clay-colored Sparrow

^{*}When the date is not taken from Carolina Bird Life the authority is given.

SKY-WATCHERS' GUIDE.

With the arrival of October, most of the summer stars have followed the sun over the horizon by the time it is completely dark, but a few still shine in the hours before midnight. As they disappear, however, others take their places to show that fall is with us.

In the last of the evening twilight, two planets may be seen low in the west. Brilliant Venus sets about 6:45 o'clock, and Mars about 30 minutes later. By comparison, Mars appears quite dim, and may be difficult to locate, but it can be recognized by its reddish color. At the beginning of the month, Saturn will be seen high in the southeast, and by mid-month, it will be south of overhead in the early evening. Jupiter rises between 9:00 and 10:00 p.m., a little to the north of east.

Four Stars, forming a large open square may be seen north of Saturn. This is the Square of Pegasus. By the 15th of the month, this group is almost directly overhead.

Three first magnitude stars, each located in a different constellation, form a great triangle. Deneb, in Cygnus, just west of overhead; blue-white Vega, in Lyra, the lyre to the west of Cygnus; and Altair, south of Vega by about twice the apparent distance between the other two. Altair is the brightest star in Aquila, the Eagle. It is flanked by two faint stars equi-distant to the north and south of it.

The first Planatarium showing of the season will be held on October 16 at 8:00 p.m. The topic will be "The STARS THAT LED COLUMBUS WESTWARD".

Elizabeth D. Simons

CAROLINA BIRD CLUB.

The Carolina Bird Club fall business meeting and field trips will be held at Blowing Rock N.C. on October 1-2-3rd

There will be field trips to Grandfather Mountain and other similar areas. It is hoped that members will be able to observe the hawk migration which passes through these mountains.

Headquarters will be Green Park Hotel. Accommodations also available at other nearby motels and inns.

ACTIVITIES FOR 1965-66
Programs and Field Trips.

1965

Sept. 14 Meeting of the Executive Committee.

Oct. 12 Regular Meeting. Mammals, E.B. Chamberlain; Birds, H.W. Freeman-slides.

Oct. 17 Sunday: Short Trip. Lockward Dr.-Mt. Pleasant Causeway. Leader, E.B. Chamberlain.

Nov. 9 Meeting. Birds of Utah Bear River Refuge. John Henry Dick-slides.

Nov. 13 Saturday, Allday trip to Seewee. Leader, I.S.H. Metcalf.

December. Christmas Recess, no activities.

1966

Jan. 8 Annual Audubon Bird Census.

Jan. 11 Meeting: Fruits of Flowers, Dr. Maggie Pennington.

Jan. 16 Sunday, Short Trip: Magnolia Gardens- Bird Banding exhibit. Leader, T.A. Beckett.

Feb. 8 Executive Committee Meeting 7:30 p.m. followed by

Regular Meeting. South Carolina Indians-Gene Wadell.

Feb. 12 Saturday, All Day Trip Bull's Island. Leader B.R. Chamberlain.

Mar. 8 Meeting. Mountain Flora: Dr. W.T. Batson- Slides.

Mar. 13 Sunday. Allday trip. Dingle Plantation, Leader Mrs. M.D. Richardson.

Apr. 12 Meeting, Travelogue, The Barringtons.

Apr. 17 Sunday. Allday trip, Adams Run- Caw Caw Swamp. Leader Mrs. Leonard Glover.

Apr. 30 Saturday, Annual Spring Bird Count.

May 10 Annual Meeting, Film, Eclipse of the Quiet Sun. Miss Elizabeth Simons.

May 17 Saturday, All day trip Francis Marion Forest. Leader, E.A. Williams.

June 14 Executive Committee Meeting.

As in the past in October, we publish the full list of activities for the coming season. We feel that presenting the program as a whole at this time will give those members who cannot take part in all of them an opportunity to select the ones in which they are most interested and thus save those dates.

We have tried to select a varied program of speakers and field trips and believe this year's list to be a good one. We hope the members will enjoy them all.

DUES.

Also in October bills for the coming season are enclosed in the Lesser Squawk. This year, however, they will not be sent until November, in order that the members may have opportunity to vote at the October meeting on the recommendation of the executive committee that dues be raised to \$2 annually.

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	CHARLESTON NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY			
	Dues 1965-1966			\$2.00
				2.00
				\$4.00
	NOTE: Ted, I have not prepared a bill for Anne. Please let me know if she wants to continue her membership.			<i>Ricett</i>

Unanimous vote at the October 1965 meeting set annual Adult dues at \$2.00; Student and Junior dues remain at 50 cents, effective this season.

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