

SOME STATION RETURNS -- 1962

Paul Fluck sends us the 1962 returns of his banding station at the Washington Crossing Nature Center, Pennsylvania. (He notes that birds are figured as returns only once each year.) Many of the Grackles, he says, have been rebanded four times, as otherwise they would have had to be banded again as new birds. Grackle bands should be replaced every year, he believes, and states that he is even replacing woodpecker bands after this year.

The list of 1962 returns follows:

Ring-necked Pheasant	2
Mourning Dove	41
Hairy Woodpecker	4
Downy Woodpecker	42
Blue Jay	32
Yellowshafted Flicker	3
Starling	35
Brown-headed Cowbird	20
Baltimore Oriole	1
Common Grackle	242
Purple Finch	1
Goldfinch	104
White-throated Sparrow	72
Tree Sparrow	10
Field Sparrow	4
Slate-colored Junco	59
Song Sparrow	13
Fox Sparrow	5
Rufous-sided Towhee	2
Cardinal	37
Red-eyed Vireo	2
Worm-eating Warbler	1
Ovenbird	3
Kentucky Warbler	2
Catbird	28
Brown Thrasher	1
House Wren	1
White-breasted Nuthatch	2
Tufted Titmouse	17
Black-capped Chickadee	6
Carolina Chickadee	9
Wood Thrush	16
Robin	<u>2</u>
Total	819