

The top five species were:

White-throated Sparrow	217
Golden-crowned Kinglet	174
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	174
Swainson's Thrush	171
Hermit Thrush	86

Ronald Leberman describes the net lanes as being located on the east side of a sandy bar extending out into Lake Erie. They are in a shrubby growth of bayberry, button bush, dogwood and bush honeysuckle. There are oak and cottonwood trees over 60' with white pine and maple under this height. The ground cover is poison ivy, wild grape and ground cedar.

Laurentian Mountains - Lost River, Quebec - Peter Homann

Banding ran from August 18th to September 2, 1972 at Lost River in the Laurentian Mountains of Quebec. The area is about 80 miles north of Montreal.

Usually 4 nets were put up in the same lanes used each year. This years banding success was unexpected with no explanation for the tremendous increase. There was an almost 400% increase in numbers over other years. 686 birds were banded of 28 species: The five most common species were:

Nashville Warbler	175
Tennessee Warbler	172
Magnolia Warbler	49
Bay-breasted Warbler	43
Cape May Warbler	36

Farmersville Station - Donald F. Clark

This is the fourth year of record keeping for the fall migration period August through October. A total of 30 days out of 32 possible days of banding were utilized. However, on 15 of these days there was rain or snow which curtailed banding operations. Weather plays an important aspect at this banding

ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES YOU'LL FIND THE REMOVABLE PAGES FIRST INTRODUCED IN THE NOVEMBER 1973 ISSUE. FOR THE BENEFIT OF NEW MEMBERS WHO JOINED US RECENTLY: THE COLORED PAGES ARE NOT NUMBERED OR INDEXED, SO THAT YOU CAN REMOVE THESE PAGES. IN FACT, WE ENCOURAGE THIS.

ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THIS SHEET, YOU'LL FIND A NET ORDER FORM. EBBA NET COMMITTEE SELLS NETS FOR EBBA (YOU NEED NOT BE A MEMBER TO PURCHASE FROM THEM) WHICH ARE IN MANY WAYS SUPERIOR TO OTHER NETS SOLD ELSEWHERE. WE PARTICULARLY RECOMMEND THE NEW POLYESTER TOP-TETHERED NETS. THESE ARE VERY STRONG AND LAST FOR A LONG TIME. ON THE LAST PART OF THE COLORED SECTION, YOU'LL FIND AN APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP. THIS IS NOT FOR YOU: YOU ARE ALREADY A MEMBER.

IN THIS DAY OF RISING PRICES WE CAN USE EXTRA FUNDS TO KEEP EBBA NEWS BULGING WITH MATERIAL. IT IS A FACT THAT 2/3RDS OF THE BANDERS RESIDING IN "OUR AREA" ARE NOT EBBA MEMBERS. WE ALSO HAVE NO OBJECTION TO SERIOUS BIRDERS WHO MIGHT WISH TO JOIN US. PLEASE REMOVE THE APPLICATION AND GIVE IT TO YOUR FRIENDS.

Editor