

## NOTES AND NEWS

THE Sixty-seventh Stated Meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union will be held October 10 to 14, 1949, at Buffalo, New York. Hosts for the meeting will be the Buffalo Ornithological Society and the Buffalo Society of Natural Sciences. Public sessions will be held October 11 to 13, 1949, at the Buffalo Museum of Science. Headquarters will be at the Hotel Statler where the banquet will be held on Wednesday evening, October 12. Mr. James Savage, Buffalo Athletic Club, Buffalo, New York, is chairman of the Local Committee on Arrangements.

Titles of papers and motion pictures for presentation at the meeting must be in the hands of the Secretary, Dr. Olin Sewall Pettingill, Jr., not later than September 1. The title of each paper should be accompanied by a brief abstract of the paper's contents and a statement concerning the time desired for delivery and the kind of projection facilities needed, if any. The title of each motion picture should be accompanied by a brief description of the film's subject matter and a statement concerning the total footage and the time required for projection and commentary.

Papers and motion pictures submitted for presentation will be selected by the Committee on Communications. In order to allow ample time for discussion of papers, the number of papers and the amount of time allotted speakers will be limited more strictly than heretofore.

THE Bird Protection Committee desires to have all possible information that will contribute to a sound report from that Committee. The Committee therefore asks that any member having specific information on any successful protection project or any major problem of bird protection forward it to me or some other Committeeman by September 1. This will give time to digest and organize the material from all sources. The cooperation of members will be appreciated.—IRA N. GABRIELSON, *Committee Chairman, Wildlife Management Institute, Washington, D. C.*

THE Research Committee urges all members who have not yet returned their cards on the survey of current research to do so soon. The Committee wishes to make the survey as complete as possible and would appreciate the cooperation of all members in notifying others of the survey, *particularly* graduate students doing research in ornithology for the Master's or Doctor's degree. The information being requested is: name and address of investigator, institutional affiliation, research project, and degree sought, if any. Additional cards are available on request.—ALBERT WOLFSON, *Committee Chairman, Dept. Biol. Sci., Northwestern Univ., Evanston, Illinois.*

The Committee on Education reports that the following persons have been awarded honorary affiliation with the Union for 1949.

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