

### ERRATA AND ADDENDA

We have found some errors and omissions in Table 1 of our paper titled "Ecological succession of breeding bird populations in northwestern Arkansas" in Auk (1973, 90: 62-77). Using the habitat abbreviations given in Table 1, the Barn Owl should be corrected to show a plus (+) in the habitat column headed by BS with blanks in all the other columns. The Prairie Warbler populations all should be shifted one column to the right to read as follows: BS 22, CP 28, CG 18, and FE 21 (the remaining columns blank). A plus (+) should be added to the IF habitat column for the Turkey, the other columns remaining unchanged.

The Yellow-billed Cuckoo (*Coccyzus americanus*) was omitted from Table 1. It should be positioned after the Indigo Bunting and represented by a plus (+) in column CP, the other habitat columns blank. Also, the Carolina Chickadee (*Parus carolinensis*) was omitted following the Red-bellied Woodpecker. The chickadee population levels were CG 25, XF 8, IF 28, and MF 14 (the other columns blank).

These changes do not affect the totals at the bottom of the habitat columns in Table 1, which were stated correctly in the original.—HERMAN HENRY SHUGART, JR., *Environmental Sciences Division, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge, Tennessee 37830*, and DOUGLAS JAMES, *Department of Zoology, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas 72701*.

### LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Sir:

I am mildly amused at your reviewer's (1974, Auk 91: 474) citation of my paper "Avian breeding cycles: are they related to photoperiods?" as "Ser. Zool. 1: 87-98," providing a handy springboard to claim that it "does set a record for unwarranted abuse of well-known ornithologists in an obscure journal."

Such blemishes should not be allowed to conceal the correct reference from serious outdoor students of birds in nature. This is "An. Inst. Biol. Univ. Nac. Aut6n. M6xico 42, Ser. Zool. (1): 87-98," as cited in less frenetic and more informed reviews in Ibis (1974, 116: 256) and Bird-Banding (1974, 45: 278).

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### NOTES AND NEWS

Members of the A.O.U. are urged to submit drafts of resolutions to be considered for adoption by the Union at the 93rd Stated Meeting in Winnipeg, Manitoba, on 25-29 August 1975. Such drafts, with background information if appropriate, should be sent to the COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS, DR. FRANCES C. JAMES, *Ecology Program, National Science Foundation, Washington, D.C. 20550*, no later than **1 July 1975**.