

NOTES AND NEWS



Fig. 29. Harry R. Painton, one of the founders of the Cooper Ornithological Club. Past President of the Board of Governors and of the Northern Division.



Fig. 30. Fred A. Schneider. On June 22, 1893, Schneider with Chester Barlow, Harry R. Painton and Wilfred H. Osgood founded the Cooper Ornithological Club.

The colored life-size portrait of a Red-tailed Hawk (*Buteo jamaicensis*) by Allan Brooks, reproduced as the frontispiece of this issue, is based on an adult male in the erythro-melanistic phase, collected at Comox, Vancouver Island, British Columbia, on January 19, 1931. Original notes by Brooks on color of soft parts are as follows: eye, light reddish brown, marked with dark burnt umber below pupil; orbital ridge, olive gray; cere, pale greenish yellow; gape, wax yellow; feet, chrome yellow.

COOPER CLUB MEETINGS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

FEBRUARY.—The regular monthly meeting of the Southern Division of the Cooper Ornithological Club was held on February 24, 1948, 145 Allan Hancock Hall, University of Southern California, Los Angeles. The following names were proposed for membership: Andrew J. Berger, Dept. Zoology, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich., and William Allan Lunk, 1328 Springfield St., Willow Run, Mich., both by G. M. Sutton; James Gilligan, care of Boise Junior College Library, Boise, Idaho, by John McB. Robertson; Ralph Frank Baldwin, 301 Morris Ave., S.E., Grand Rapids 3, Mich., Mrs. Kate Brown, 144 19th St., Pacific Grove, Calif., T. C. Carter, Alva, Okla., Herman F. Chapman, 712 S. Dakota Ave., Sioux Falls, So. Dakota, Joe Clyde Creager, L. A. Cann

Drive, Drawer 1267, Ponca City, Okla., Thomas Wallace Donnelly, 1432 44th St., N.W., Washington 7, D.C., G. L. Garvey, Mercer University, Macon, Georgia, Laura Greely, 904 Kendall Ave., So. Pasadena, Calif., John Henry Helm, Trailer 105, Unit 2, Montana State College, Bozeman, Montana, Charles A. Keefer, P. O. Box 68, Austwell, Texas, Josiah Keely, Box 383, Huntington, L. I., N.Y., Forrest B. Lee, 1502 Kilian Blvd., St. Cloud, Minn., Mrs. Lucile Marie Mannix, 790 Prospect, Winnetka, Ill., Robert T. Scholes, 260 Crittenden Blvd., Box 243, Rochester, N.Y., Willard F. Stanley, State Teachers' College, Fredonia, N.Y., and Raymond Drake Van Pelt, 2687 Waverly Dr., Los Angeles 26, Calif., all by C. V. Duff.

Dr. John S. Garth presented an account of his bird observations in the Everglades National Park area of Florida.—DOROTHY E. GRONER, *Secretary*.

MARCH.—The regular monthly meeting of the Southern Division of the Cooper Ornithological Club was held on March 30, 1948, 145 Allan Hancock Hall, University of Southern California, with 60 members and guests present. The following names were proposed for membership: Isabelle Connell, P. O. Box 116, Spadra, Calif., by D. E. Groner; Robert Judkins Erwin, 149 31st St., Ogden, Utah, by F. M. Erickson; Robert Minturn Lockwood, M.D., Veterans' Administration Hospital, Alexandria, La., and Perry R. F. Marshall, P. O. Box 1199, Santa Barbara, Calif.,