

NEWS AND NOTES

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NOMINEES FOR C.O.S. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Nominating Committee (J. R. Jehl, Jr., D. M. Power, R. W. Schreiber, chairman) proposes for election in 1983, the following persons for three-year terms on the Board of Directors:

Martha H. Balph, Department of Wildlife Science, UMC 52, Utah State University, Logan, UT 84322. Major research interests: behavior, morphology, and populations.

William R. Dawson, Department of Zoology, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI 48104. Major research interest: avian physiology.

Sandra L. L. Gaunt, Department of Zoology, Ohio State University, 1735 Neil Ave., Columbus, OH 43210. Major research interests: anatomy and behavior.

Walter D. Koenig, Hastings Reservation, Star Route Box 80, Carmel Valley, CA 93924. Major research interest: avian social systems.

C. J. Ralph, U.S. Forest Service, Redwood Sciences Laboratory, 1700 Bayview Dr., Arcata, CA 95521. Major research interests: censuses, migration, and populations.

The members of the Society shall select three persons to replace the retiring members: Russell P. Balda, Ned K. Johnson, and Ralph W. Schreiber.

1983 MEETING OF THE C.O.S.

The 53rd Annual Meeting of The Cooper Ornithological Society will be held on the campus of The University of New Mexico in Albuquerque, New Mexico from Thursday, 19 May, through Saturday, 21 May, with field trips on Sunday, 22 May. Projected costs for three nights' lodging in University dormitories (double occupancy) and for seven meals (not including annual banquet) are \$50. Several motels are located within walking distance of the UNM campus. Scientific sessions will be held in a centrally located lecture complex.

Albuquerque, easily accessible via major interstate expressways, also is serviced by several major airlines and by Amtrak trains.

The Committee on Arrangements is chaired by J. David Ligon, and the Committee on Scientific Program is chaired by John A. Wiens, both of the Department of Biology, The University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM 87131. The announcement of schedule and arrangements and a call for papers will be mailed to members at a later date.

BIRD BANDING RESEARCH GRANTS

The Western Bird Banding Association and the Eastern Bird Banding Association are each offering a research grant of \$250 in aid of research using bird banding techniques or bird banding data. Applicants should submit a resume of their banding or ornithological background, the project plan, and a budget to the joint selection committee chairman: Robert C. Leberman, Powdermill Nature Reserve, Star Route South, Rector, PA 15677. Application forms are not used. The amount requested should not exceed \$250. The deadline for receipt of applications is 15 April 1983.

INFORMATION ON DISABLED SCIENTISTS

The AAAS Project on the Handicapped in Science is updating its Resource Directory of Handicapped Scientists. The Directory, first published by the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) in 1978, includes a listing of disabled scientists, engineers, and science students throughout the United States. Information provided in the Directory is useful to school administrators and educators in identifying handicapped scientists to use as advisers, counsellors, and role models. The listings can be used as a resource for those assembling advisory bodies and peer review panels. The Directory can be valuable to scientists who become physically disabled mid-career and wish to learn strategies others have developed for coping with disability. It demonstrates, to both disabled and able-bodied persons, the wealth of experience and the range of specialties represented by disabled scientists. Disabled scientists and science students who would like to be listed in the updated Resource Directory of Handicapped Scientists should write to the Project on the Handicapped in Science, AAAS, 1776 Massachusetts Ave., N.W., Washington, DC 20036, or call (202) 467-4497, voice or TTY.

THE CONDOR

Notices of recent publications. Starting with this issue, many of the publication notices will be written by Dr. James Tate, Jr. Notices by other reviewers, in *Condor* style, will be gladly considered for publication. Unsigned notices are written by the Editor. Items to be noticed should be sent to the Editorial Office.

Announcements of coming events. Announcements for the News and Notes section that carry a deadline for applications (e.g., meetings, research grants) are often received too late to do any good. In order to allow enough time for publication and reader responses, such material should be submitted at least **six months** before the deadline.