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## INTRODUCTION

Since the first report on the ornithological collection was produced (Scott, 1967), the collection has grown by about 50%. In order to make available to interested persons and institutions a current account of the collection, and to correct several errors in the first catalogue, this revised catalogue has been prepared.

The ornithological collections of the Nova Scotia Museum have been acquired over the past 75 years, beginning under the curatorship of Harry Piers in 1899. Acquisitions prior to this date apparently cannot be documented, although it is probable that a small number of mounted specimens without data, attributed to Andrew Downs, were received by Piers' predecessor, Dr. Honeyman.

Accessions were random and sporadic between 1900 and 1941, there being no concerted attempt to make a systematic or comprehensive collection of Nova Scotian avifauna. In spite of this, the representation at the end of Harry Piers' tenure was respectable in quantity, though stressing wandering visitors and rare species at the expense of the common or indigenous ones. All of these specimens were mounted for exhibition and it was not until 1950, when Lloyd Duncanson joined the museum staff, that a collection of study skins was begun. Most of the study skins at present in the collection were collected and prepared by Lloyd Duncanson; most of the remainder were done by Austin L. Rand and Victor Gould. Other consistent contributors have been E. C. Allen, W. Lent, W. J. Mills, Robie Tufts and Ian McLaren.

An important donation to the museum was the Austin Rand collection, received eleven years ago. This was predominantly Nova Scotian in content, with a small number of specimens from other North American localities.

In 1950 the museum purchased the Robie Tufts egg collection, consisting of 355 sets assembled by Mr. Tufts over a 55 year period and including a large proportion of Nova Scotian species as well as specimens from Quebec, Western Canada, and the Eastern and Southwestern United States.

Since 1967, acquisitions have been almost entirely by means of individual donations of road, window and winter killed birds. Members of the Nova Scotia Bird Society have been especially helpful in this respect.

When the 1967 report was prepared, the Tufts egg collection was incorporated on the basis of the card file, as at that time it was not possible to unpack the collection. On moving to the new museum building in 1970, the eggs were rehoused and it was discovered that some of the sets on the Tufts catalogue were not in the collection and that other sets were present for which there were no corresponding cards. The current catalogue reflects the actual contents of the Tufts collection.

The nomenclature adopted in this catalogue follows that used in the A. O. U. checklist of North American Birds and supplement 32 (Auk 90: 411-419). Ian McLaren has been particularly helpful in checking nomenclature and providing useful information on many of the specimens.

## PRESENT STATUS

As of April 30, 1975, the museum's collection contains the following:

- 683 study skins, of which 90 have been relaxed from mounts.
- 144 mounted specimens
- 386 sets of eggs

## Collectors

AB	Albert Baxter	EMK	E. M. Kenwarthy
ABC	A. B. Campbell	EP	E. Pace
AD	Almond Doggett	EPMcC	E. P. McCullogh
ADH	A. D. Henderson	EMR	E. M. Richardson
AHG	A. H. Grubb	ER	E. Richardson
ALC	A. Laurent-Christensen	ESFP	E. S. F. Piers
ALR	A. L. Rand	FBT	F. B. Tully
ALW	A. L. Welch	F	Mrs. Faders
AM	Allen Moses	FAL	F. A. Little
APM	Arthur P. Marshall	FC	Frank Caswell
AR	Alonzo Roy	FCB	F. C. Bell
ARL	Anthony R. Lock	FHR	F. H. Reid
ARo	Arthur Rogers	FHS	F. H. Sexton
ARC	Austin Rand Collection	FLF	Frank L. Farley
AS	Allen Slauenwhite	FO	Freeman Osbourne
AV	Azor Vienneau	FP	Foster Perry
B	Petty Officer Braithwaite	FPA	F. P. Alexander
BA	Benjamin Annis	FR	Frank Rudolph
BB	B. Bobbit	FS	Frank Smith
BC	Basil Calhoun	FSc	Fred Scott
BD	Benjamin Doane	FSm	Fred Smith
BFS	B. F. Smith	FSC	F. S. Crowell
BG	Brenda Grantmire	FT	Fred Truesdale
BH	Bernard Hart	G	Mr. Gates
BHo	Bruce Holmes	GB	Gordon Briggs
BP	Brian Preston	GBa	G. Bancroft
BS	B. Smith	GBa Jr.	G. Bancroft Jr.
BSG	B. S. Griffin	GBo	George Boyer
BW	Barry Wright	GBu	G. Bushell
CA	C. Allen	GC	Gordon Clark
CC	Cyril Coldwell	GD	G. Drillio
CCo	Mrs. C. Conrad	GEH	Surname unknown
CED	Charles E. Doe	GEM	G. E. Maxon
CG	Cecil Griffith	GFA	G. F. Abbey
CH	Charles Huskins	GG	George Griffin
CJ	C. Jones	GH	Graham Harnish
CM	Charles Morash	GHi	G. Hill
CN	Canadian Navy	GHn	Gerald Harrington
CRKA	C. R. K. Allen	GMcG	G. McGill
CS	C. Sanchez	GP	George Perry
CZ	Clayton Zwicker	Gr	Mrs. Grant
DALC	D. A. Laurent-Christensen	GR	Mrs. Gerald Rogers
DBB	D. Bernard Bull	GS	Gregory Stevens
DCF	Douglas C. Ferguson	GW	Gurnie Wells
DD	Mrs. D. Daly	GWM	Mrs. G. W. Murray
DF	Daniel Fraser	GWMcM	G. W. McMahon
DFi	Davis Finch	H.	Mr. Hogg
DH	D. Harvey	HC	H. Cruikshank
DM	D. Mills	HESH	H. E. S. Hunt
DM	D. McCurdy	HF	H. Fairn
DP	Dennis Pulley	HFT	H. F. Tufts
DS	David Silver	HGG	H. G. Grant
DS	Derek S. Davis	HGP	H. G. Perry
DW	D. Warrington	HHB	H. H. Blois
DWL	D. W. Lent	HHS	H. H. Short
E	Mr. Edwards	HL	Harrison Lewis
EA	E. Arnold	HP	Harry Piers
EC	E. Crowell	HT	H. Tremaine
ECA	E. C. Allen	HW	Harry Webster
EF	Elvin Falkenham	IAB	I. A. Bayley
EG	E. Godfrey	IMcK	Ian MacKenzie
EJ	E. Joy	IMcL	Ian McLaren
EJC	E. J. Court	IS	Mrs. Ivan Smith
EJL	E. J. Longard	IP	Israel Pothier
EL	Elmer Langevin	JA	James Allen
EMcL	Mrs. E. McLeod	JAM	J. A. Munro

JB	J. Boulva	RS	Robert Sullivan
JCM	J. C. Morrow	RSM	Ronald Smith
JD	John Davie	RST	Mrs. R. Stanfield
JFG	J. F. Guptill	RW	Ruben Wentzell
JG	J. Goncalves	RWh	Robert Whiting
JGi	John Gilhen	RWS	R. W. Smith
JHM	J. Hoopes Mattack	RWT	R. W. Tufts
JK	John Kelly	RWTo	Mrs. R. W. Topple
JL	Jerry Lonecloud	S	Mr. Sagan
JLe	John Leydon	SBP	Sidney B. Peyton
JLo	Janet Low	SC	S. Crowell
JM	J. Mills	SFS	Mrs. S. F. Snutg
JMcK	Joseph McKay	SGJ	Stanley G. Jewett
JMS	John M. Steward	Sh	Shaw
JNMCP	Joseph N. McPhee	SJD	S. J. Darcus
JP	J. Perrin	SKP	S. K. Patton
JRC	Joseph R. Creed	SMcN	Stanley McNutt
JRCn	John R. Cruttenden	SP	Stan Purdy
JS	James Sutton	SPCA	S. P. C. A.
JSL	J. S. Lord	SS	Sidney Smith
JSn	Mrs. James Snell	TB	Thomas Beck
JW	J. Wood	TDF	T. D. Farquhar
JWB	J. W. Boutilier	TH	T. Hardy
JWM	J. W. Mills	TJE	T. J. Egan
JWP	John W. Piggott	TR	Tim Randall
JWW	J. W. Willis	TSP	T. S. Patillo
K	Mr. Kylie	VEG	V. E. Gould
LA	Lester Allen	VK	Victor Kiley
LAP	L. A. Purcell	VR	Vincent Richardson
LB	Mrs. L. Brown	VRW	V. R. Wolfe
LCS	Lewis C. Sutherland	W	Mrs. Miriam Wetmore
LD	Lloyd Duncanson	WB	Watson Bishop
LEA	L. E. Allen	WBo	William Boudreau
LL	Leo Little	WBS	W. B. Sampson
LLa	Lise Landry	WCH	W. C. Hanna
LMT	Lewis M. Terrill	WEG	W. E. Godfrey
LNF	L. N. Fleming	WG	Wesley Gates
LPB	L. P. Bill	WHN	W. H. Nicholson
LTS	Lawrence T. Stevens	WJB	W. J. Brown
MAJ	M. Anketell-Jones	WJM	W. J. Mills
MB	Michael Bradley	WL	W. Lent
MH	Maurice Holmes	WM	Willet Mills
MHB	M. H. Burroughs	WMP	William M. Payzant
MR	M. Richardson	WS	William Shaw
MT	Merna Thompson	WTM	W. T. Mills
MTa	Mrs. Margaret Talbot	SD	Scott Dawson
NA	Nathan Andrews	BCo	Basil Colbran
NB	Norman Bell		
NP	Norman Phinney		
NS	Mrs. N. Stanbury		
PB	Paul Brodie		
PF	Paul Fahie		
PH	P. Hayes		
PL	P. Little		
R	Mrs. Richardson		
RAC	R. A. Cumming		
RBW	R. B. Willis		
RCG	R. C. Gray		
RCH	R. C. Horton		
RDL	R. D. Locke		
RG	Robert Gray		
RH	R. Harper		
RIC	R. I. Christie		
RJC	R. J. Christie		
RK	Robert Keating		
RLM	R. L. More		
RM	R. Moore		
RPW	R. P. Ward		
RRMcL	R. R. McLeod		

## Order GAVIIFORMES

Family GaviidaeGavia immer immer (Brunnich)

## Common Loon

- skins:* 1 female, Lake Kejimikujik, Queens Co. 21 July 1955. LD
- mounts:* 1 male, Bannen Lake, 2¼ miles SE of Camden, Colchester Co. July 1925.  
1, near Halifax, date and collector unknown
- eggs:* (1) Windsor Forks, Hants Co. 28 May 1924. RWT  
(1) Magee Lake, Kings Co., date and collector unknown

Gavia stellata (Pont.)

## Red-throated Loon

- skins:* 1 male, Three Fathom Harbour, Halifax Co. 16 Dec. 1902. collector unknown  
1 male, near school, near Truro, Colchester Co. June 1928. collector unknown  
1 male, Northwest Arm, Halifax Co. November 1951. LD  
1 male, Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. 4 November 1971. collector unknown
- mounts:* 1, Three Fathom Harbour, Halifax Co. 1 November 1901. collector unknown

## Order PODICEPEDIFORMES

Family PodicepediidaePodiceps grisigena holbollii Reinhardt

## Red-necked Grebe

- eggs:* (12) Swan Lake, Okanagan, B. C. 26 May 1932. JAM

Podiceps auritis cornutus (Gmelin)

## Horned Grebe

- skins:* 1, date, locality and collector unknown  
1, Westport, Digby Co. 31 January 1959. WL  
1 summer adult, Cole Harbour, Halifax Co. 22 April 1909. collector unknown
- mounts:* 1 immature or winter adult, Shortt's Lake, Colchester Co. 3 October 1920.  
collector unknown  
1 immature or winter adult, Eastern Passage, Halifax Co. 17 October 1902.  
collector unknown  
1 immature or winter adult, near Halifax, N. S. date and collector unknown

Podilymbus podiceps podiceps (Linnaeus)

## Pied-billed Grebe

- mounts:* 1 immature or winter adult, Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. 7 November 1901.  
collector unknown

## Order PROCELLARIIFORMES

Family ProcellariidaeFulmarus glacialis (Linnaeus)

Northern Fulmar

- skins:* 1 adult, Greenfield, near Truro, Colchester Co. 25 October 1921 SMcN  
 1 male, Westport, Digby Co. 13 July 1959. WL  
 1 female, Westport, Digby Co. 13 July 1959. WL  
 1 female, Sable Island, mid January 1971. IMcL

Puffinus gravis (O'Reilly)

Greater Shearwater

- skins:* 1 adult, Sable Island (North Beach), 12 June 1969. JB  
*mounts:* 1 immature, probably taken off coast near Liverpool, Queens Co. c.1900. AR

Family HydrobatidaeOceanodroma leucorhoa leucorhoa (Vieillot)

Leach's Storm Petrel

- skins:* 1 female, St. Paul Island, Victoria Co. 21 July 1955. DCF & RG  
 1 male, St. Paul Island, Victoria Co. 21 July 1955. DCF & RG  
*mounts:* 1 male, MacDonald's Lake, Cole Harbour Rd., 2 miles east of Dartmouth,  
 Halifax Co. 18 September 1918. LAP  
 1 male, Ship Harbour, Halifax Co. October 1913. collector unknown  
*eggs:* (1) Green Island, (Pearl Island), off Chester, Lunenburg Co. 4 June 1890.  
 collector unknown.  
 (1) Green Island, (Pearl Island), off Chester, Lunenburg Co. 8 June 1888. WB  
 (1) Kent's Island, Grand Manan, New Brunswick 17 June 1944. RWT  
 (1) Ciboux Island, off Great Bras d'Or, Victoria Co. 17 July 1930. RWT

## Order PELECANIFORMES

Family PhaethontidaePhaethon lepturus catesbyi Brandt

White-tailed Tropic-bird

- skins:* 1 male immature, Brier Island, Digby Co. date unknown. WL  
 1 adult, Shubenacadie, Hants Co. 6 September 1870. collector unknown  
*mounts:* 1 adult, Wolfville, Kings Co. 27 August 1927. RWT



Pelecanus occidentalis Linnaeus

## Brown Pelican

*skins:* 1 adult, shot at Old Town, Louisbourg, Cape Breton Co. 19 May 1904. JK

Family PhalacrocoracidaePhalacrocorax carbo carbo Linnaeus

## Great Cormorant

*skins:* 1 immature female, Farnham's Pond, Brookside, Bible Hill, Truro, Colchester Co. October 1913. collector unknown  
1 immature, Folley Lake Station, Colchester Co. 20 September 1909. DF

*eggs:* (4) Crystal Farm, Antigonish Harbour, Antigonish Co. 12 May 1944. RWT  
(4) Crystal Farm, Antigonish Harbour, Antigonish Co. 12 May 1944. RWT

Phalacrocorax auritus auritus (Lesson)

## Double-crested Coromorant

*skins:* 1, Pereaux, Kings Co. 6 September 1926. EG (Austin Rand Collection)  
1 immature male, Northwest Arm, Halifax, 21 January 1974. collector unknown

*mounts:* 1 immature, Folley Lake, Colchester Co. 23 September 1923. collector unknown  
1 breeding adult, Three Fathom Harbour, Halifax Co. 20 May 1907. collector unknown

*eggs:* (4) Cape Split, Kings Co. 21 June 1933. RWT  
(3) Cape Split, Kings Co. 21 June 1933. RWT

Family FregatidaeFregata magnificens rothschildi Matthews

## Magnificent Frigate Bird

*skins:* 1 female, Pennant Bay, 2 mi. SW of Terrance Bay, Halifax Co. 5 December 1932. LL  
1 male, Devils Island, Halifax Harbour, Halifax Co. Middle June 1891. E

## Order CICONIIFORMES

Family ArdeidaeArdea herodias herodias Linnaeus

## Great Blue Heron

*skins:* 1 female, Boot Island, Kings Co. 9 May 1971. LD  
1 adult, Harmony, Colchester Co. July 1912. FS

*eggs:* (4) Albany, Annapolis Co. 22 May 1913. RWT  
(5) (2 missing) Mount Uniacke, Hants Co. 19 May 1887. WB

Butorides virescens virescens (Linnaeus)

## Green Heron

- skins:* 1 female, found alive at entrance to York Redoubt, Herring Cove Road, Halifax Co. 24 March 1936. LA  
 1 female, H. M. C. S. Kootenay, Halifax Harbour, 22 April 1961. RM & WM  
 1 male, Brier Island, Digby County, 26 August 1964. DWL  
 1 adult, Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. about 20 April 1890. collector unknown  
 1 immature, North end of Findlay's Cove, McNab's Island, Halifax Harbour, 11 October 1913. HESH  
 1 adult, Schoolhouse, Hilden, near Truro, Colchester Co. April 1934. collector unknown  
 1 male, killed striking lighthouse at Wolf's Point, Nichol's Island, Ship Harbour, Halifax Co. 25 April 1929. collector unknown
- mounts:* 1 female, locality, date and collector unknown  
 1 male, locality, date and collector unknown

Florida caerulea caerulea (Linnaeus)

## Little Blue Heron

- skins:* 1 male immature, Brier Island, Digby Co. 14 September 1965. DWL  
 1 Little Harbour, N. S. 26 October 1956. collector unknown  
 1 adult, Kelly's Millpond  $\frac{1}{2}$  mi. W. of Bridgetown, Annapolis Co. 10 April 1931. JWP  
 1 immature, Cow Bay, Halifax Co. 1 June 1904. FO
- mounts:* 1 female, locality, date and collector unknown  
 1 male, locality, date and collector unknown
- eggs:* (4) Tomotley Plantation, Beaufort Co., South Carolina. 28 April 1941. EPMcC

Bubulcus ibis ibis (Linnaeus)

## Cattle Egret

- skins:* 1 probably immature, Cape Sable Light, N. S. 10 December 1957. B. F. Smith  
 1 male, Waverley, Halifax Co. 23 April 1962. GB  
 1, Second Peninsula (near Lunenburg), N. S. 28 April 1961. GS & GH

Casmerodius albus egretta (Gmelin)

## Common Egret

- skins:* 1 male, at sea. 23 April 1970. B  
 1 male, Marshy place, n. side of Round Bay, 2 mi. SSW of Roseway, Shelburne Co. 29 October 1932. FP
- mounts:* Sex, locality, date and collector unknown

Dichromanassa rufescens (Gmelin)

## Reddish Egret

- mounts:* Sex, locality, date and collector unknown

Egretta thula thula (Molina)

## Snowy Egret

- skins:* 1 male, Marsh at Windsor, Hants Co. c. 1860. GD  
 1 female, Shag Harbour, N. S. 23 November 1962. ER  
 1, Bon Portage, Shag Harbour, N. S. 3 May 1958. collector unknown  
 1 male, Brier Island, Digby Co. 13 April 1964. DWL  
 1 male, Cape Sable Light, Shelburne, 25 April 1971. SS  
 1 male, Indian Harbour, Halifax Co. 25 April 1973. VR
- mounts:* 1 male in breeding plumage, small lake near Canso, Guysborough Co.  
 20 March 1936. collector unknown  
 1 male, locality, date and collector unknown

Hydranassa tricolor ruficollis (Gosse)

## Louisiana Heron

- mounts:* 1 male, locality, date and collector unknown

Nycticorax nycticorax hoactli (Gmelin)

## Black-crowned Night Heron

- skins:* 1 immature, Three Fathom Harbour, Halifax Co. 6 October 1910. WG  
 1 immature ?, MacIntosh Run, Herring Cove Road, Spryfield, Halifax Co.  
 22 April 1907. collector unknown  
 1 male, Seal Island, Yarmouth Co. 18 April 1973. EC
- mounts:* 1 male, locality, date and collector unknown  
 1 female, locality, date and collector unknown
- eggs:* (9) Plum Island, Mass. U. S. A. 6 June 1926. BSG

Nyctanassa violacea violacea (Linnaeus)

## Yellow-crowned Night Heron

- skins:* 1 immature, North Grand Pré, Kings Co. 13 September 1932. WEG  
 1 male, Eastern Passage, Halifax Co. 28 March 1972. SP  
 1 immature, Three Fathom Harbour, Halifax Co. 20 September 1900. TJE  
 1 immature ?, Cole Harbour, Halifax Co. 14 September 1915. WS  
 1 male immature, damp place near Findlay's Cove, w. side of McNab's  
 Island, Halifax Harbour, 28 August 1919. collector unknown
- mounts:* 1, locality, date and collector unknown

Ixobrychus exilis exilis (Gmelin)

## Least Bittern

- skins:* 1 male, Upper Prospect, Halifax Co. 16 March 1896. TB  
 1 male immature, Picked up dead at Little Hope Lighthouse, off s. end of  
 Queens Co. date and collector unknown  
 1 adult, Dean Post Office, Upper Musquodoboit, Halifax Co. 28 November 1906.  
 JMS

Botaurus lentiginosus (Rackett)

## American Bittern

- skins:* 1 female, off Newfoundland. 15 September 1954. CN
- mounts:* 1, Wolfville, Kings Co. 10 October 1915. RWT

Family Threskiornithidae

Plegadis falcinellus falcinellus (Linnaeus) Glossy Ibis

*mounts:* 1, White Point Beach, Queens Co. 10 May 1946. AD

Eudocimus albus (Linnaeus) White Ibis

*skins:* 1 male, Bon Portage Is., Shelburne Co. 19 July 1959. MR

Family Phoenicopteridae

Phoenicopterus ruber Linnaeus American Flamingo

*skins:* 1 female, Cape John, Pictou Co., 15 October 1969. MH

## Order ANSERIFORMES

Family Anatidae

Olor columbianus (Ord.) Whistling Swan

*skins:* 1 female, Washed ashore dead at Malagash Pt., west side of Amet Sound, Cumberland Co. 1 November 1928. RDL

*mounts:* 1, Malagash, Cumberland Co. 20 October 1928. AB

Branta canadensis canadensis (Linnaeus) Canada Goose

*skins:* 3 males, Port Joli, Queens Co. 17 May 1924. collector unknown (Austin Rand Collection)  
1 male, Grand Pré, Kings Co., 18 November 1952. LD

*mounts:* 1, Grand Pré Dyke, Kings Co. 21 November 1957. LD  
1 female albino, Grand Pré Dyke, Kings Co. 1 May 1959. HF

Branta bernicla hrota (Muller) Brant

*skins:* 1, Shediac, New Brunswick April 1927. EG

Anser albifrons flavirostris Dalgety and Scott White-fronted Goose

*skins:* 1 adult, shot on sand bar  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile north of Oak Island, 4 mi. NE of Wallace, Cumberland Co. 16 October 1926. TSP

Chen caerulescens (Linnaeus) Snow Goose

*skins:* 1, between Port Joli and Port l'Hebert, Queens Co. 25 October 1969. LCS  
1 adult, Lower Wedgeport, Goose Bay, 10 mi. SE of Yarmouth, Yarmouth Co.  
11 March 1932. IP

Chen caerulescens (Linnaeus) *continued*

## Snow Goose

*skins:* 1, locality unknown. probably Brier Island, Digby Co. 6 October 1962. WL

Anas strepera Linnaeus

## Gadwall

*skins:* 1 female, Wallace, Cumberland Co. 3 November 1953. LD

Anas acuta Linnaeus

## Pintail

*skins:* 1, Star's Point, Kings Co. 16 October 1956. LD  
1 female, Grand Pré, Kings Co. 15 August 1953. LD  
1 female, Canard River, Kings Co. 30 October 1926. EG (Austin Rand Collection)

*mounts:* 1 female immature, Nova Scotia, date and collector unknown

Anas crecca carolinensis Gmelin

## Green-winged Teal

*skins:* 1 male, Boot Island, Kings Co. 18 October 1958. collector unknown  
1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 30 December 1942. collector unknown

Anas discors orphna Stewart and Aldrich

## Blue-winged Teal

*skins:* 1 male, Aylesford, Kings Co. 5 June 1950. LD

Anas penelope Linnaeus

## European Wigeon

*mounts:* 1 male, Melbourne, on Chebogue R. about 5 miles S.E. of Yarmouth, Yarmouth Co. 9 January 1912. JA

Anas clypeata Linnaeus

## Shoveler

*skins:* 1 female, Musquodoboit Harbour, Halifax Co. 23 October 1970. JS

Aix sponsa (Linnaeus)

## Wood Duck

*mounts:* 1 female immature, Bible Hill Truro, Colchester Co. 3 September 1913. PL

Aythya americana (Eyton)

## Redhead

*skins:* 1 male, Grand Pré Dyke, Kings Co. 15 August 1954. BB  
1, Port Mouton, Queens Co. fall of 1951 CH

Aythya collaris (Donovan)

## Ring-necked Duck

*skins:* 1, locality unknown 11 September 1962. WL  
1 male, North River, Kings Co. 20 June 1942. RWT  
1 male, North River, Kings Co. 20 June 1942. RWT

Aythya valisineria (Wilson)

## Canvasback

- skins:* 1 male, New York State, 10 December 1925. ALR  
 1 female, New York State, 10 December 1917. ALR  
 1 male, Farnham's Pond, Bible hill, Truro, Colchester Co. September 1915.  
 FAL  
 1 male, Three Fathom Harbour, Halifax Co. 23 October 1908. collector unknown  
 1 immature female, Cole Harbour, Halifax Co. 26 November 1903. CM  
 1 immature female, Cole Harbour, Halifax Co. 30 December 1903. collector  
 unknown

Aythya marila nearctica Stejneger

## Greater Scaup

- skins:* 1 male, Wallace, Cumberland Co. 22 November 1956. LD  
 1 female, Wallace, Cumberland Co. 22 November 1958. collector unknown

Aythya affinis (Eyton)

## Lesser Scaup

- skins:* 1 immature male, Farnham's Pond, Brookside, Bible Hill, Truro, Colchester  
 Co. 27 October 1917. collector unknown  
 1 female, Wallace, Cumberland Co. 28 November 1957. collector unknown

Bucephala clangula americana (Bonaparte)

## Common Goldeneye

- skins:* 1 male, Wallace, Cumberland Co. 23 November 1956. LD

Bucephala albeola (Linnaeus)

## Bufflehead

- skins:* 1 female, Grand Desert, Halifax Co. 13 December 1932. FC  
 1 male, Cole Harbour, Halifax Co. 10 December 1913. collector unknown

Bucephala islandica (Gmelin)

## Barrow's Goldeneye

- skins:* 1 male, Shot off Steel's Pond, Pt. Pleasant, Halifax 4 April 1885. JD

Clangula hyemalis (Linnaeus)

## Oldsquaw

- skins:* 1 male, Chester, Lunenburg Co. 2 April 1955. LD  
 1 male, Digby Co. 11 January 1943. RWT  
 1 female, Northwest Arm, Halifax Co. 4 April 1952. LD  
 1 female, Northwest Arm, Halifax Co. 15 April 1952. LD  
 1 male in summer plumage, Cornwallis River, Kings Co., in fresh water  
 at a point above tidal influence. 5 September 1942. RWT  
 1 male, Grand Lake, Halifax Co. 14 April 1910. collector unknown
- mounts:* 1 male, Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. 1 January 1932. RBW

Histrionicus histrionicus (Linnaeus)

## Harlequin Duck

- skins:* 1 male, locality unknown. 4 January 1939. collector unknown

Somateria mollissima dresseri Sharpe

## Common Eider

- skins:* 1 male, Northwest Arm, Halifax Co. fall of 1951. HW  
1 male, Westport, Digby Co. winter of 1962. WL
- mounts:* 1 male, near Liverpool, Queens Co. about 1925. collector unknown  
1 female, 2 miles above reservoir on brook at Truro, Colchester Co.  
12 May 1929. HC
- eggs:* (4) Kent's Island, Grand Manan, New Brunswick. 17 June 1944. RWT

Somateria spectabilis (Linnaeus)

## King Eider

- mounts:* 1, St. Paul's Island, near Cape North. c. 1896 TDF

Melanitta deglandi deglandi (Bonaparte)

## White-winged Scoter

- skins:* 1 female or immature male, Little Harbour near Owl's Head, Halifax Co.  
16 March 1931. JMcK

Melanitta perspicillata (Linnaeus)

## Surf Scoter

- skins:* 1 male, Wedgeport, Yarmouth Co. 5 February 1957. collector unknown  
1 female, Albany, Annapolis Co. 2 June 1926. AR collection
- mounts:* 1 male, taken alive on mud flats off Starr's Point, Lower Church St.,  
Kings Co. 21 May 1917. collector unknown  
1 male, Wallace, Cumberland Co. 5 October 1957. collector unknown

Oxyura jamaicensis rubida (Wilson)

## Ruddy Duck

- skins:* 1 immature male, Three Fathom Harbour, Halifax Co. 25 October 1901.  
collector unknown  
1, locality date and collector unknown  
1 male, locality and date unknown. VEG

Lophodytes cucullatus (Linnaeus)

## Hooded Merganser

- skins:* 1 female, Wallace, Cumberland Co. 8 November 1962. LD  
1 female, Nova Scotia. (1973?) collector unknown  
1 adult male, Barrington Passage, Shelburne Co. 27 November 1970. EMR
- mounts:* 1 male, Ship Harbour, Halifax Co. 20 November 1924. collector unknown
- eggs:* (1) Phinney's Pond, Lake Kejimkujik, Annapolis Co. 8 May 1971. NP

Mergus merganser americanus Cassin

## Common Merganser

- skins:* 1 female, Gaspereau River, Kings Co. 19 December 1925. EG  
1 female, Kelly Lake, Halifax Co. 22 May 1950. LD  
1 male, Gaspereau, Kings Co. 26 October 1950. RWT
- eggs:* (7) Cape Breton Island, N. S. 1925. IAB

Mergus serrator serrator Linnaeus

Red-breasted Merganser

*skins:* 1 male, LaHave Islands, Lunenburg Co. 5 January 1973. JG

Order FALCONIFORMES

Family CathartidaeCathartes aura septentrionalis Wied

Turkey Vulture

*skins:* 1 female, Lunenburg, Lunenburg Co. 27 November 1969. EF  
1 immature, Shot at Meadow's Road near East Bay, 10 mi. from Sydney,  
Cape Breton Co. 8 November 1913. JNMCP

*mounts:* 1 female, Barrington West, Halifax Co. 19 February 1955. H

*eggs:* (2) 20 miles north of Vernon, Texas (on south bank of Red River).  
2 May 1935. RLM

Coragyps atratus (Bechstein)

Black Vulture

*eggs:* (2) in live oak creek, north of Fort Worth, Texas, 20 March 1932. RLM & GEM

Family AccipitridaeElanus leucurus (Vieillot)

White-tailed Kite

*eggs:* (3) Montalvo, Ventura Co. California 7 May 1939. LTS

Accipiter gentilis atricapillus (Wilson)

Goshawk

*skins:* 1 female, Halifax, Halifax Co. 23 November 1957. WM  
1 male juvenile, Grand Pré Dyke, Kings Co. 27 October 1957. collector unknown  
1 immature female, Port Joli, Queens Co. date unknown. FPA  
1 male, Port Joli, Queens Co. 8 January 1926. ALR  
1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 12 March 1963. SPCA  
1 female, Westport, Digby Co. 28 October 1962. LD  
1 male, Spryfield, Halifax Co. 16 February 1960. collector unknown  
1 male, Kingston, Annapolis Co. 30 March 1956. RWT  
1 male, Aylesford, Kings Co. 16 October 1954. RWT  
1 male, Wallace, Cumberland Co. 8 October 1962. LD

*mounts:* 1 female ?, near Wellington, Grand Lake, Halifax Co. 23 November 1912. MB  
1 male, Road from Elmsdale to Oldham, near Beaver Brook, Halifax Co.  
13 November 1924. collector unknown

*eggs:* (2) Lake George, Kings Co. 28 April 1945. RWT

(1) Locality, date and collector unknown

Accipiter striatus velox (Wilson)

Sharp-shinned Hawk

*skins:* 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 7 May 1958. Wolfville, Kings Co. collector unknown  
1 male, immature, Purcell's Cove, Halifax Co. 30 October 1950. LD  
1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 13 March 1940. RWT  
1 female, Halifax, Halifax Co. 12 December 1966. JFG  
1 female, Halifax, Halifax Co. 20 January 1961. collector unknown  
1 male, Gaspereau, Kings Co. 1 November 1952. LD



*skins:* 1, locality unknown. 2 November 1951. collector unknown  
 1 male, West Point, Digby Co. 26 September 1959. WL  
 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 29 March 1940. RWT  
 1 male, Sydney, Cape Breton, winter of 1972-73. collector unknown  
 1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 26 March 1940. RWT  
 1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 24 March 1940. RWT  
 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 23 February 1971. DMcC  
 1 male, locality date and collector unknown  
 1 female, Lawrencetown, Annapolis Co. 17 September 1973. AS

*eggs:* (6) Isle Jesus, Quebec, (back west woods) 15 June 1921. WJB

Buteo jamaicensis borealis (Gmelin)

Red-tailed Hawk

*skins:* 1, Pictou, Pictou Co., 17 January 1957. collector unknown  
 1 male juvenile, Middleton, Annapolis Co. 15 November 1971. GMcG  
 1 female, Port Williams, Kings Co. 14 February 1950. LD  
 2 females, Westport, Digby Co. 3 November 1959. WL

*eggs:* (3) 5 miles N. E. of Linden, California. 27 March 1927. WBS  
 (3) About 7 miles west of Bowie, Texas. 31 March 1932. RLM & GEM  
 (2) East Margaretville, Annapolis Co. 2 May 1926. RWT  
 (2) East Margaretville, Annapolis Co. 28 April 1929. RWT

Buteo lineatus (Gmelin)

Red-shouldered Hawk

*skins:* 1, 500 yards from beach at Lewis Head, Sable River Estuary, Shelburne Co.  
 1 March 1975. GP & RS

*eggs:* (3) near Natick, Massachusetts, 10 May 1926. HFT  
 (3) Lachine, Montreal Co., Quebec. 8 May 1904. LMT

Buteo platypterus platypterus (Vieillot)

Broad-winged Hawk

*skins:* 2 females, Westport, Digby Co. 26 September 1959. WL  
 2 females, Westport, Digby Co. 5 October 1959. WL

Buteo swainsoni Bonaparte

Swainson's Hawk

*eggs:* (3) 16 miles SW of Vernon, Texas. 7 May 1938. RLM

Buteo lagopus s. johannis (Gmelin)

Rough-legged Hawk

*skins:* 1 female, Shubenacadie, Hants Co. January 1961. EP  
 1 female, Westport, Digby Co. 3 November 1959. WL

Buteo regalis (Gray)

Ferruginous Hawk

*eggs:* (4) Mouse River, north of Portal, North Dakota. 9 May 1924. GFA

Aquila chrysaetos canadensis (Linnaeus)

Golden Eagle

*skins:* 1, Clarence, Annapolis Co. late November 1897. BA

Haliaeetus leucocephalus leucocephalus (Linnaeus) Bald Eagle

*skins:* 1 female, Gaspereau, Kings Co. 23 July 1951. LD

*eggs:* (2) 6 mi. south of Hauloner (sp.?), Merritt Island, Brevard Co. Florida  
27 December 1937. WHN  
(2) Narrow's Lake, Halifax Co. 7 April 1929. RWT  
(2) McKinnon's Harbour, Victoria Co. 20 April 1929. IAB

Circus cyaneus hudsonius (Linnaeus) Marsh Hawk

*skins:* 1 female, Canard Dyke, Kings Co. 15 October 1955. LD  
1 female, Lower Dyke, Wolfville, Kings Co. 30 August 1926. VEG

*eggs:* (3) Caledonia, Queens Co. 20 May 1909. RWT  
(4) Grand Pré meadows, Kings Co. 10 June 1927. RWT  
(4) Wallbrook Mt., Kings Co. 4 June 1927. RWT

Family PandionidaePandion haliaetus carolinensis (Gmelin) Osprey

*skins:* 1 male, New Glasgow, 1973. collector unknown  
1 female, Lake, 4 miles east of Albany, Annapolis Co. 27 May 1926. ALR  
1 female, locality unknown. 29 May 1927. ALR

*eggs:* (3) No Point, St. Mary's Co., Maryland. 30 April 1927. EJC & RCH

Family FalconidaeFalco rusticolus obsoletus Gmelin Gyrfalcon

*mounts:* 1 female, Grand Pré Meadows, near Boot Island, Kings Co. 11 December  
1926. FSC

Falco peregrinus anatum Bonaparte Peregrine Falcon

*mounts:* 1 male, near Wallace, Cumberland Co. 2 October 1954. LD

Falco columbarius columbarius Linnaeus Pigeon Hawk

*skins:* 1 female, Berwick, Kings Co. 10 November 1952. RWT

Falco sparverius sparverius Linnaeus

## Sparrow Hawk

- skins:* 1 female, Gaspereau, Kings Co. fall of 1950. LD  
1 male, Matanzas, Cuba 25 March 1939. CS
- eggs:* (5) Lower Wolfville, Kings Co. 14 June 1926. RWT  
(5) Levy Co., Florida 16 April 1938. CED  
(5) Broken Road, near Guadalupe Creek, San Jose, California 30 April 1924  
DBB  
(5) 4 miles so. of Hesperia, Majave Desert, California 25 May 1950. WCH  
(5) Santa Ynas, Santa Barbara Co., California 15 April 1928. LTS  
(4) San Luis Obispo Co., California 9 April 1903. FT  
(5) South of Cotton-tail Swamp, Kern Co., California 26 March 1933. APM  
(5) Cottonwood Pass, San Luis Obispo Co., California 18 May 1932. APM  
(5) "Janes Ranch", Peru, Ventura Co., California 17 April 1927. SBP

Order GALLIFORMES  
Family TetraonidaeCanachites canadensis canace (Linnaeus)

## Spruce Grouse

- skins:* 1 male, Northfield, Lunenburg Co. 30 October 1971. JCM  
1 female, Queens Co. 3 December 1953. RWT  
1 male, Wallace, Cumberland Co. 18 October 1952. LD  
1 male, Lake Kejimkujik, Queens Co. 14 July 1950 LD  
1 female, Lake Kejimkujik, Queens Co. 14 July 1950. LD
- eggs:* (6) Albany, Annapolis Co. 21 May 1948. RWT  
(4) Albany, Annapolis Co. 20 May 1924. RWT  
(7) Albany, Annapolis Co. 21 May 1949. RWT  
(2) From captive birds. WB  
(3) From captive birds. WB
- mounts:* 1 male, Middle Musquodoboit, Halifax Co. 11 February 1919.

Bonasa umbellus togata (Linnaeus)

## Ruffed Grouse

- skins:* 1 female, Boutilier's Point, St. Margaret's Bay, Halifax Co. 11 October 1973. collector unknown  
1 male, West Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. 30 September 1972. collector unknown  
1 female, St. Margaret's Bay Road, Halifax Co. 1 August 1958. collector unknown  
?, Kearney Lake, Halifax Co. 25 July 1950. LD  
1 female, Sable River, Shelburne Co. 17 July 1950. LD  
?, Sable River, Shelburne Co. 17 July 1950. LD  
?, Gaspereau, Kings Co. 4 December 1950. LD  
1 female, Old St. Margaret's Bay Road, Halifax Co. 31 October 1950. LD
- eggs:* (9) Albany, Annapolis Co. 22 May 1949. RWT

Family PhasianidaeColinus virginianus (Linnaeus)

Bobwhite

*eggs:* (22) Rockland, Plymouth Co., Mass. 29 May 1929. collector unknown

Phasianus colchicus Linnaeus

Ring-necked Pheasant

*skins:* 1 female, Ithaca, New York. fall of 1927. ALR  
3 males, Ithaca, New York. fall of 1927. ALR

*eggs:* (19) New Minas, Kings Co. 1 May 1955. GHn

Perdix perdix perdix (Linnaeus)

Gray Partridge

*mounts:* 1 female, Elderbank, Halifax Co. about 6 February 1928. RBW

*eggs:* (1) Island of St. Kilda off Outer Hebrides, Scotland circa 1922. IMcK

## Order GRUIFORMES

Family RallidaeRallus limicola limicola Vieillot

Virginia Rail

*skins:* 1 male, West Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. 13 December 1970. ABC  
1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 27 October 1937. RWS  
1 male, Grand Pré Dyke, Kings Co. October 1953. DH  
1 male, West Middle Sable Island, Shelburne Co. 15 January 1955. MT  
1 male, Middle Clyde, Shelburne Co. 3 December 1953. CG  
1 female, Middle Clyde, Shelburne Co. 16 December 1952. CG

*mounts:* 1, Eastern Passage, Halifax Co. 5 September 1954. JM

Porzana carolina (Linnaeus)

Sora

*skins:* 1 female, Glace Bay, Cape Breton Co. 26 September 1972. EMcL  
1 male, Gaspereau, Kings Co. 11 October 1952. LD

*mounts:* 1, Near Hilden, Colchester Co. 5 September 1912. LNF  
1, Bog at Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. 11 October 1924. HGG  
1 female, Three Fathom Harbour, Halifax Co. 31 March 1902. SC

*eggs:* (8) Nonesuch Pond, Wellesley, Mass. 30 May 1921. HFT  
(9) Midgic Marsh, Westmoreland Co., New Brunswick 11 June 1954. GBo

Coturnicops noveboracensis (Gmelin)

Yellow Rail

*skins:* 1, Meadowville, Pictou Co. 12 May 1929. GWM  
1, Little River Dyke, Yarmouth Co. 14 December 1904. NA

Porphyryla martinica (Linnaeus)

## Purple Gallinule

- skins:* 1 female, Windmill Road, Dartmouth, Halifax Co. 4-5 April 1970. S  
 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 3 September 1963. WTM  
 1 female, Hollahan's Lake, East River, Lunenburg Co. 26 May 1960. RW & WM

Gallinula chloropus cachinnans Bangs

## Common Gallinule

- skins:* 1 male, Springhill, Cumberland Co. 9 May 1963. JW  
 1 female, Port l'Herbert, Shelburne Co. 23 November 1954. VRW  
 1 (immature or adult winter), Cole Harbour, Halifax Co. 10 October 1912. Sh  
 1, Lawrencetown, Halifax Co., 5 October 1904. collector unknown  
 1 male, Liverpool, Queens Co. 12 November 1954. collector unknown  
 1, Head of Musquodoboit Harbour, Halifax Co., 15 October 1903. collector unknown

*eggs:* (1) Island of St. Kilda, off Outer Hebrides, Scotland. circa 1922. IMcK

Fulica americana americana Gmelin

## American Coot

- skins:* 1 female, Swansberg (Little Harbour), Shelburne Co. 16 October 1971  
 collector unknown  
 1 female, Dartmouth, Halifax Co. 11 March 1963. collector unknown  
 1 male, locality unknown. 15 April 1954. HL  
 1 female, Cole Harbour, Halifax Co. 17 December 1909. collector unknown

Fulica atra atra Linnaeus

## European Coot

*eggs:* (1) Island of St. Kilda, off Outer Hebrides, Scotland. circa 1922. IMcK

## Order CHARADRIIFORMES

Family HaematopodidaeHaematopus palliatus Temminck

## American Oystercatcher

*eggs:* (2) Cedar Reef, Beaufort Co., South Carolina. 26 April 1941. EPMcC

Family CharadriidaeVanellus vanellus (Linnaeus)

## Lapwing

- skins:* 1 male, locality unknown. approximately 1927. collector unknown  
 1, Upper Prospect, Halifax Co. 12 December 1905. collector unknown

Charadrius semipalmatus Bonaparte

## Semipalmated Plover

- skins:* 1, Fox River, Advocate Road, Cumberland Co. date unknown. DCF & RG  
 1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 24 September 1928. VEG  
 2 females, Englishtown Beach, Victoria Co. 6 August 1953. DCF
- mounts:* 1, Nova Scotia, date unknown. collector unknown
- eggs:* (3) Pinkney's Point, Yarmouth Co. 10 June 1933. RWS

Charadrius melodus Ord

## Piping Plover

*skins:* 1, Crescent Beach, Lunenburg Co. 10 September 1926. SKP

*eggs:* (4) Summerville Beach, Queens Co. 7 June 1944. RWT  
(4) Tabusintac Beach, Northumberland Co. 16 June 1927. RWT  
(2) locality, date and collector unknown

Charadrius wilsonia wilsonia Ord

## Wilson's Plover

*eggs:* (3) Caspard's Point, Beaufort Co., South Carolina. 26 April 1941. EPMcC

Charadrius vociferus vociferus Linnaeus

## Killdeer

*skins:* 1 male, locality, date and collector unknown

*mounts:* 1, Melanson, Kings Co. 8 October 1958. RH

*eggs:* (1) at 50 yard target line, Bedford Rifle Range, Sackville, Halifax Co.  
6 July 1971. GWMcM  
(4) Rollings Lake, Okanagan, B. C. 1 June 1930. JAM

Pluvialis dominica dominica (Muller)

## American Golden Plover

*skins:* 1 immature or winter adult, near Truro, Colchester Co. late in September  
1908. JRC  
1 female winter or immature, Three Fathom Harbour, Halifax Co. 7 September  
1911. collector unknown  
1 fall plumage, Three Fathom Harbour, Halifax Co. 28 September 1910.  
collector unknown  
1 male fall or immature, Three Fathom Harbour, Halifax Co. 3 October 1912. G  
1 adult, winter, Grand Pré Dykes near Wolfville, Kings Co. 2 October 1901.  
RWT  
1 adult, autumn plumage, Onslow Marsh near Truro, Colchester Co. 5 September  
1909. FBT

Pluvialis squatarola (Linnaeus)

## Black-bellied Plover

*skins:* 1, locality unknown. 1 September 1923. collector unknown  
1, Crescent Beach, Lunenburg Co. 18 September 1925. SKP  
1, Crescent Beach, Lunenburg Co. 29 August 1925. SKP  
1, Crescent Beach, Lunenburg Co. 10 September 1922. SKP  
1 male, Boot Island, Kings Co. 25 August 1929. VEG  
1 female, Boot Island, Kings Co. 25 August 1929. VEG  
1 female, Pinkney's Point, Yarmouth Co. 6 June 1927. SKP  
1, Pinkney's Point, Yarmouth Co. 6 June 1927. RWT

*mounts:* 1 immature or fall plumage, Malagash Shore, Cumberland Co. 5 September  
1911. LPB

Family ScolopacidaeArenaria interpres morinella (Linnaeus)

## Ruddy Turnstone

*skins:* 1, Grand Pré, Kings Co. 26 August 1953. collector unknown

*mounts:* 1 male, Seaforth, Halifax Co. 22 August 1900. collector unknown

Philohela minor (Gmelin)

## American Woodcock

- skins:* 1 female, Black River, Kings Co. 4 June 1970. LD  
 1 female, Container Pier, nr. Pt. Pleasant Park, Halifax 16 April 1971  
 BHo  
 1 male, Forrest Road, Dartmouth, Halifax Co. 12 April 1972. DSD  
 1 male, Isle Haute, Bay of Fundy, 5 June 1953. LD  
 1 Kearney Lake, Halifax Co. 3 July 1950. LD  
 1 female, Lowes Landing, Lake Rossignol, Queens Co. 16 July 1952. LD

Capella gallinago delicata (Ord)

## Common Snipe

- skins:* 1, locality unknown, 4 October 1957. WJM  
 1, Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. 27 September 1901. collector unknown
- eggs:* (4) (?) Ahuntsic, Quebec 23 May 1937. WJB  
 (4) (?) Ahuntsic, Quebec 3 June 1935. WJB  
 (4) Isle Jesus, Quebec 17 May 1936. WJB  
 (4) Isle Martin, Quebec 1 May 1938. WJB  
 (4) Isle Martin, Quebec 13 May 1941. WJB

Numenius phaeopus hudsonicus Latham

## Whimbrel

- skins:* 1 male, Westport, Digby Co. 20 September 1962. WL
- mounts:* 1, Eastern Passage, Halifax Harbour, Halifax Co. 2 September 1905.  
 collector unknown.  
 1 Three Fathom Harbour, Halifax Co. 31 August 1906. collector unknown

Numenius borealis (Forster)

## Eskimo Curlew

- mounts:* 1, no data (probably about 1840 by Downs)

Bartramia longicauda (Bechstein)

## Upland Plover

- skins:* 1, Canard Dykes near Wolfville, Kings Co. 8 October 1902. HFT  
 1 male, Brier Island, Digby Co. 20 August 1964. WL
- mounts:* 1, Grand Pré Dyke, Kings Co. 9 September 1956. RWT

Actitis macularia (Linnaeus)

## Spotted Sandpiper

- skins:* 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 12 September 1929. VEG  
 1 female, Crescent Beach, Lunenburg Co. 9 September 1922. SKP
- eggs:* (4) Black River Lake, Kings Co. 11 June 1949. RWT  
 (4) Port Mouton, Queens Co. 16 June 1949. HFT

Tringa solitaria solitaria Wilson

## Solitary Sandpiper

- skins:* 1, Westport, Digby Co. 28 September 1959. WL

Tringa melanoleucus (Gmelin)

## Greater Yellowlegs

*skins:* 1 male, locality unknown 2 September 1923. collector unknown  
 1 male, Horton, Kings Co. 29 August 1925. collector unknown  
 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 4 October 1926. ALR  
 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 6 October 1925. ALR  
 1 male, Crescent Beach, Lunenburg Co. 12 September 1926. collector unknown  
 1 female, Crescent Beach, Lunenburg Co. 1 September 1922. SKP

*mounts:* 1 adult, Cole Harbour, Halifax Co. 2 September 1914. LAP

Tringa flavipes (Gmelin)

## Lesser Yellowlegs

*skins:* 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 9 September 1929. VEG  
 1 adult, locality, date and collector unknown

Catoptrophorus semipalmatus semipalmatus (Gmelin)

## Willet

*skins:* 1 female, Argyle, Yarmouth Co. 22 May 1901. PH  
 1 female, Vogler's Cove, Lunenburg Co. 6 July 1950. FSc

*eggs:* (4) Chebogue River, Yarmouth Co. 2 June 1930. RWT  
 (4) Brunswick, Glynn Co., Georgia 1 May 1930. MHB  
 (4) Yarmouth Co. 19 June 1923. RWT

Calidris canutus rufa (Wilson)

## Knot

*skins:* 1 male, Probably taken at Crescent Beach, Lunenburg Co. 6 September 1923.  
 collector unknown  
 1 female, Probably Crescent Beach, Lunenburg Co. 9 September 1923.  
 collector unknown  
 1 male, Probably Crescent Beach, Lunenburg Co. 6 September 1925.  
 collector unknown  
 1 female, Crescent Beach, Lunenburg Co. 7 September 1926. collector  
 unknown  
 1 male, Crescent Beach, Lunenburg Co. 10 September 1923. SKP  
 1 male, Probably Crescent Beach, Lunenburg Co., 10 September 1923. collector  
 unknown

Calidris melanotos (Vieillot)

## Pectoral Sandpiper

*mounts:* 1 fall adult, Marsh near Truro, Colchester Co. 1 September 1910. FSm

Calidris fuscicollis (Vieillot)

## White-rumped Sandpiper

*skins:* 1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 15 October 1928. VEG  
*eggs:* (1) locality, date and collector unknown

Calidris bairdii (Coues)

## Baird's Sandpiper

*skins:* 1 male, Marshes of Grand Pré, Kings Co. 8 September 1931. EG

Calidris minutilla (Vieillot)

## Least Sandpiper

*skins:* 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 18 September 1930. VEG  
 1 male, Englishtown Beach, Victoria Co. 6 August 1952. DCF  
 1 female, Yarmouth, Yarmouth Co. 6 June 1927. RWT



*mounts:* 1 female, Cole Harbour Marsh, Halifax Co. 2 September 1914. LAP  
 1 male, (adult in breeding plumage), Cole Harbour, Halifax Co. 17 August 1910. LAP  
 1 male adult summer, Three Fathom Harbour, Halifax Co. 2 June 1910. LAP

Calidris alpina pacifica (Coues)

Dunlin

*skins:* 1 male, Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. 26 August 1953. DCF

Calidris pusilla (Linnaeus)

Semipalmated Sandpiper

*skins:* 1 male, East Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. 12 September 1959. CA  
 1, Caribou Island, Pictou Co. 24 August 1954. DCF & RG  
 1, locality, date and collector unknown

*eggs:* (4) Churchill, Manitoba 23 June 1940. JRCn  
 (4) Churchill, Manitoba 18 June 1940. JRCn

Calidris alba (Pallas)

Sanderling

*skins:* 1 male, locality unknown, 2 September 1923. collector unknown

Limnodromus griseus griseus (Gmelin)

Short-billed Dowitcher

*skins:* 1 male, Crescent Beach, Lunenburg Co. 6 September 1953. DCF

Micropalama himantopus (Bonaparte)

Stilt Sandpiper

*skins:* 2 males, Lawrencetown Beach, Halifax Co. 12 September 1959. CA

Philomachus pugnax (Linnaeus)

Ruff

*skins:* 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 1 October 1928. VEG

Family PhalaropodidaePhalaropus fulicarius (Linnaeus)

Red Phalarope

*skins:* 1 female, off McNab's Island, Halifax Harbour, 5 May 1911. JP  
 1 female, off McNab's Island, Halifax Harbour, 15 May 1911. JP

Lobipes lobatus (Linnaeus)

Northern Phalarope

*skins:* 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 23 September 1931. VEG

*eggs:* (4) Ikamiut, Greenland, 1 June 1926. DALC

Family StercorariidaeStercorarius parasiticus (Linnaeus)

Parasitic Jaeger

*skins:* 1, immature, Three Fathom Harbour, Halifax Co. end of April or first of May 1897. collector unknown

Family LaridaeLarus hyperboreus hyperboreus Gunnerus

Glaucous Gull

*skins:* 1 male, Westport, Digby Co. February 1962. WL

Larus glaucoides glaucoides Meyer

Iceland Gull

*skins:* 1 male, Westport, Digby Co. February 1962. WL  
1 male, Westport, Digby Co. February 1962. WL

Larus marinus Linnaeus

Great Black-backed Gull

*skins:* 1 female, locality unknown June 1972. collector unknown  
1 male, Gaspereau, Kings Co. May 1925. ALR  
1 female, Argyle Head, Shelburne Co. 1 December 1958. WJM

*eggs:* (3) Gaspereau Lake, Kings Co. 4 June 1889. WB  
(3) Gaspereau Lake, Kings Co. 30 May 1891. WB  
(3) Porter's Lake, Digby Co. 30 May 1908. RWT  
(3) Methauls Lake, Kings Co. 30 May 1908. RWT  
(3) Lake George, Yarmouth Co. 20 May 1928. RWT  
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Larus argentatus smithsonianus Coues

Herring Gull

*skins:* 1 male, Halifax waterfront, Halifax 21 August 1956. LD  
1 female, Gaspereau, Kings Co. spring of 1950. LD

*eggs:* (1) Grand Manan, New Brunswick 24 May 1944. collector unknown  
(2 red-phase) Kent's Island, Grand Manan, New Brunswick 9 June 1930. AM  
(3) Grand Manan, New Brunswick 25 May 1921. RWT  
(3) Grand Manan, New Brunswick 25 May 1921. RWT  
(3) Outer Wood Island, Grand Manan, New Brunswick 25 May 1921. RWT

Larus delawarensis Ord

Ring-billed Gull

*skins:* 1 winter adult, Cole Harbour, Halifax Co. 25 October 1902. FCB  
1 female, Westport, Digby Co. 10 October 1959. DWL  
1 female, Westport, Digby Co. 21 September 1959. DWL  
1 female, Westport, Digby Co. 20 February 1958. collector unknown  
1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 9 September 1956. RWT

Larus ridibundus ridibundus Linnaeus

Black-headed Gull

*skins*: 1 female, Westport, Digby Co. 14 February 1959. WL

Larus atricilla Linnaeus

Laughing Gull

*skins*: 1 female, Swansburg, Shelburne Co. 29 October 1968. HL

*eggs*: (3) Bird Islands, Halifax Co. 18 June 1941. RWT

Larus philadelphia (Ord)

Bonaparte's Gull

*skins*: 2 males, Brier Island, Digby Co. 16 September 1962. DWL  
1 female, Wallace, Cumberland Co. 4 November 1953. LD  
1 male, East Mt. Colchester Co. 6 November 1920. HC

*eggs*: (2) Fort Assiniboine District, Alberta 3 June 1937. ADH

Rissa tridactyla tridactyla (Linnaeus)

Black-legged Kittiwake

*skins*: 1, Sable Island, 10 December 1970. IMcL

*eggs*: (2) NE shore of Green Island, off Cape Gabarouse, Cape Breton 7 June 1971.  
ARL

*mounts*: 1, adult in winter plumage, near halifax, N. S. date and collector unknown

Sterna hirundo hirundo Linnaeus

Common Tern

*skins*: 1 female, Englishtown Beach, Victoria Co. 6 August 1953. DCF  
1 male, Englishtown Beach, Victoria Co. 6 August 1953. DCF

*eggs*: (26) Flat Mud Island, off coast of Yarmouth Co. 10 June 1920. RWT

Sterna paradisaea Pontoppidan

Arctic Tern

*skins*: 1 female, Tusket Island, Yarmouth Co. 8 August 1956. LD  
1 male, Englishtown Beach, Victoria Co. 6 August 1953. DCF

Sterna dougallii dougallii Montagu

Roseate Tern

*skins*: 1 immature, St. Margaret's Bay, 27 July 1970. IMcL

Sterna fuscata fuscata Linnaeus

Sooty Tern

*skins*: 1 female, Gaspereau, Kings Co. 28 August 1924. RWT

Sterna albifrons antillarum (Lesson)

Least Tern

*skins*: 1, locality, date and collector unknown

Thalasseus maximus maximus (Boddaert)

Royal Tern

*skins:* 1 male, Westport Harbour, Digby Co. 13 September 1960. DWL  
1, Westport, Digby Co. 1 October 1958. WL

Thalasseus elegans (Gambel)

Elegant Tern

*eggs:* (1) Isla Raza, Gulf of California, Mexico 17 April 1925. GBa & GBa Jr.

Chidonias niger surinamensis (Gmelin)

Black Tern

*skins:* 1 immature female, Cole Harbour, Halifax Co. 4 September 1921. collector unknown  
1 male, Westport Harbour, Digby Co. 12 June 1958. DWL

Family RynchopidaeRhynchops nigra nigra Linnaeus

Black Skimmer

*skins:* 1 female, Eastern Passage, Halifax Co. 3 November 1968. MAJ  
1 male, Cole Harbour, Halifax Co. 4 September 1924. RW

*eggs:* (4) Glynn County, Georgia 6 July 1930. MHB  
(4) Glynn County, Georgia 10 July 1930. MHB

Family AlcidaeAlca torda torda Linnaeus

Razorbill

*skins:* 3, Hereford and Ciboux Islands, Victoria Co. July 1970. LD  
1 male, New Campbellton, Victoria Co. 7 July 1957. LD

*mounts:* 1 female, Hereford Island, Victoria Co. 7 July 1957. collector unknown

*eggs:* (1) Perroquet Island, Canadian Labrador 14 June 1921. RIC  
(1) Perroquet Island, Canadian Labrador 14 June 1921. RIC  
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Uria aalge aalge (Pontoppidan)

Common Murre

*eggs:* (1) Perroquet Island, Canadian Labrador 14 June 1921. RJC  
(20) Island of St. Kilda, off Outer Hebrides, Scotland circa 1922. IMcK  
(1) Bird Rocks, Magdalen Island, Quebec 12 June 1884. WB

Uria lomvia lomvia (Linnaeus)

Thick-billed Murre

*skins:* 1, McNab's Island, Halifax Harbour date unknown. MAJ  
1 male, Three Fathom Harbour, Halifax Co. 20 March 1902. collector unknown

*mounts:* 1 winter adult or immature, near Halifax 1900. collector unknown  
 1 young, 1st winter, Salmon River Road, about 1 mi. northeast of Truro,  
 Colchester Co. 1 February 1912. collector unknown

Alle alle alle (Linnaeus)

## Dovekie

*skins:* 1, Sydney, N. S. 4 February 1957. collector unknown  
 1 female, Chester, Lunenburg Co. 16 December 1957. IS  
 1 Susie Lake, Halifax Co. 23 November 1949. DCF

1, Halifax, 21 November 1957. collector unknown  
 1, Black-rock, Hants Co. 28 November 1957. collector unknown

*mounts:* 1 winter adult, Cow Bay Beach, Halifax Co. 18 January 1901. collector  
 unknown  
 1 winter adult, Eastern Passage, Halifax Harbour, 21 November 1921.  
 collector unknown

Cephus grylle atlantis Salomonsen

## Black Guillemot

*mounts:* 1, Halifax Co., date and collector unknown

*eggs:* (3) Isle Haute, Bay of Fundy 5 July 1890. WB  
 (2) Isle Haute, Bay of Fundy 13 June 1888. WB  
 (1) Kent's Island, Grand Manan, New Brunswick 15 June 1930. RWT  
 (1) Kent's Island, Grand Manan, New Brunswick 15 June 1930. RWT  
 (1) Kent's Island, Grand Manan, New Brunswick 15 June 1930. RWT

Fratercula arctica arctica (Linnaeus)

## Common Puffin

*mounts:* 1, Hertford Island, Cape Breton 7 July 1957. collector unknown

Lunda cirrhata (Pallas)

## Tufted Puffin

*eggs:* (1) Tangara Island, British Columbia 8 June 1927. SJD

## Order CUCULIFORMES

Family CuculidaeCoccyzus americanus americanus (Linnaeus)

## Yellow-billed Cuckoo

*skins:* 1 female, Halifax, Halifax Co. 8 October 1968. F  
 1 male, Chocolate Lake, Halifax Co. 30 September 1954. collector unknown  
 1, Wallace, Cumberland Co. 3 November 1954. LD  
 1, Port Wallis, Halifax Co. 21 October 1953. RCG  
 1 male ?, Halifax, Halifax Co. 6 October 1954. WJM  
 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 2 November 1954. WJM  
 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 6 October 1954. WJM  
 1 male, Kent Street, Halifax, Halifax Co. 10 October 1963. LB  
 1 locality, date and collector unknown

*eggs:* (1) Weston, Mass. 8 July 1921. HFT

Coccyzus erythrophthalmus (Wilson)

## Black-billed Cuckoo

*skins:* 1 female, Sable River, Shelburne Co. 19 July 1950. LD  
 1 male, on top of lighthouse, Isle Haute, Bay of Fundy 6 June 1953. LD  
 1, Upper Granville, Annapolis Co. 26 June 1958. collector unknown  
 1, Westport, Digby Co. 13 October 1958. collector unknown

*eggs:* (3) North Aylesford, Kings Co. 2 July 1949. RWT  
 (3) Wolfville, Kings Co. 17 June 1902. RWT

## Order STRIGIFORMES

Family TytonidaeTyto alba pratincola (Bonaparte)

## Barn Owl

*skins:* 1 male, taken in half-starved condition on barrens near Canso,  
 Guysborough Co. 10 December 1933. RK

*eggs:* (5) near West Chester, Pennsylvania, 6 April 1882. JHM

Family StrigidaeOtus asio (Linnaeus)

## Screech Owl

*eggs:* (4) 4 miles NW of San Bernadino, California 1926. collector unknown  
 (5) near Wilmington, Delaware, 10 April 1916. EMK  
 (4) locality unknown 21 April 1927. collector unknown

Bubo virginianus virginianus (Gmelin)

## Great Horned Owl

*skins:* 1 female, Lake Kejimikujik, Queens Co. 14 July 1950. LD  
 1 female, locality unknown 10 November 1953. collector unknown

*eggs:* (2) Gaspereau, Kings Co. 2 April 1926. RWT  
 (2) Lake Alma, Annapolis Co. 29 March 1922. CZ  
 (2) Gaspereau, Kings Co. 28 May 1928. RWT  
 (1) locality, date and collector unknown

Nyctea scandiaca (Linnaeus)

## Snowy Owl

*skins:* 1 female, Betty's Island, Prospect, Halifax Co. 1 December 1960. K  
 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 24 November 1960. CA

Surnia ulula caparoch (Muller)

## Hawk-Owl

*skins:* 1 female, Gaspereau, Kings Co. 2 November 1926. EG

Speotyto cunicularia hypugaea (Bonaparte)

## Burrowing Owl

*eggs:* (8) Tabor Ranch, Hermiston, Oregon 10 May 1916. SGJ

Strix varia varia Barton

## Barred Owl

- skins:* 1 male, East River, Lunenburg Co. 14 October 1957. RWh  
 1 female, Canard, Kings Co. 25 October 1926. ALR  
 1 male, Gaspereau, Kings Co. 17 October 1926. EG  
 1 female, Halifax, Halifax Co. date unknown. NS  
 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 15 November 1960. LD  
 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 8 November 1953. collector unknown
- eggs:* (3) Albany, Annapolis Co. 27 April 1930. RWT  
 (2) East Margareville, Kings Co. 2 May 1926. RWT  
 (3) Black River Lake, Kings Co. 18 April 1925. RWT  
 (3) Kalamazoo, Michigan 19 March 1895. EA

Asio otus wilsonianus (Lesson)

## Long-eared Owl

- skins:* 1 female, Westport, Digby Co. October 1959. WL  
 1 male, Canard, Kings Co. 15 September 1928. ALR  
 1 male, found dead near Lunenburg, Lunenburg Co. 17 January 1971. FR
- eggs:* (5) Wolfville, Kings Co. 17 May 1930. RSm

Asio flammeus flammeus (Pontoppidan)

## Short-eared Owl

- skins:* 1, Wolfville, Kings Co. 22 December 1929. VEG  
 1 male, Grand Pré, Kings Co. 13 November 1926. VEG  
 1 male, Wallace, Cumberland Co. 21 February 1958. collector unknown
- eggs:* (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 14 June 1924. RWT

Aegolius funereus richardsoni (Bonaparte)

## Boreal Owl

- skins:* 1 adult, near Truro, Colchester Co. October 1929. collector unknown
- eggs:* (4) Ross Island, Grand Manan, New Brunswick 12 April 1930. RWT

Aegolius acadicus acadicus (Gmelin)

## Saw-whet Owl

- skins:* 1 male, Western Shore, Lunenburg Co. 11 April 1972. BW  
 1, Shore Drive, Bedford, Halifax Co. 10 March 1975. JSn  
 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. date and collector unknown  
 1 female, Dartmouth, Halifax Co. 24 January 1969. GHi  
 1 male, Porter's Lake, Halifax Co. 1 December 1963. collector unknown  
 1 male, Prospect, Halifax Co. 22 November 1957. collector unknown  
 1 female, Halifax, Halifax Co. winter of 1955 - 1956. collector unknown  
 1, Halifax, Halifax Co. 27 December 1955. DS
- mounts:* 1 male, Middle Musquodoboit, Halifax Co. 10 February 1921. collector unknown

## Order CAPRIMULGIFORMES

Family CaprimulgidaeCaprimulgus carolinensis Gmelin                      Chuck-will's widow

*skins:* 1 female, Freeport, Digby Co. 18 May 1963. WL  
 1 female, Canso, Guysborough Co. 1 June 1905. RMLeigh  
 1, Wedgeport, Yarmouth Co. 15 June 1975. WBo

Caprimulgus vociferus vociferus Wilson                      Whip-poor-will

*skins:* 1 female, Sable Island, 30 May 1970. IMcL

Chordeiles minor minor (Forster)                      Common Nighthawk

*skins:* 1 female, Public Gardens, Halifax, Halifax Co. 16 June 1950. LD  
 1 male, Kearney Lake Road, Halifax Co. 27 June 1950. LD

*mounts:* 1 male, Nictaux, Annapolis Co. 31 July 1904. FHR  
 1 male, near Truro, Colchester Co. 4 August 1923. HC

*eggs:* (2) locality, date and collector unknown  
 (2) Wolfville, Kings Co. 20 June 1949. RWT

## Order APODIFORMES

Family ApodidaeChaetura pelagica (Linnaeus)                      Chimney Swift

*skins:* 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. June 1973. collector unknown

*eggs:* (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 1 July 1921. RWT  
 (4) Black River Lake, Kings Co. 4 July 1924. RWT  
 (2) near Halifax, Halifax Co. about 1931. collector unknown

Family TrochilidaeArchilochus colubris (Linnaeus)                      Ruby-throated Hummingbird

*skins:* 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 19 May 1974. collector unknown  
 1 female, Dartmouth, Halifax Co. summer 1974. collector unknown  
 1 male, Halifax Ladies College, Halifax, Halifax Co. 6 June 1972.  
 collector unknown

*mounts:* 1 female, Nova Scotia? date and collector unknown  
 1 male, Nova Scotia? date and collector unknown

*eggs:* (2) Caledonia, Queens Co. 12 June 1909. HFT



## Order CORACIIFORMES

Family AlcedinidaeMegaceryle alcyon alcyon (Linnaeus) Belted Kingfisher

- eggs:* (7) Little River Lake, Kings Co. 5 June 1918. RWT  
 (6) Joe Simon Lake, Annapolis Co. 27 May 1926. RWT

## Order PICIFORMES

Family PicidaeColaptes auratus luteus Bangs Northern Flicker

- eggs:* (9) Wolfville, Kings Co. 5 June 1918. RWT  
 (6) Cornwallis, Kings Co. 4 June 1888. collector unknown

Dryocopus pileatus abieticola (Bangs) Pileated Woodpecker

- skins:* 1 male, between Caledonia and Annapolis, 6 September 1958. LD  
*eggs:* (4) Black River Lake, Kings Co. 14 May 1922. RWT

Centurus uropygialis uropygialis Baird Gila Woodpecker

- eggs:* (1) locality, date and collector unknown

Melanerpes erythrocephalus erythrocephalus (Linnaeus) Red-headed Woodpecker

- skins:* 1 male, Westport, Digby Co. 4 June 1962. DWL  
 1 male immature, Brier Island, Digby Co. 2 October 1964. DWL

Sphyrapicus varius varius (Linnaeus) Yellow-bellied Sapsucker

- skins:* 1 female immature, Halifax, Halifax Co. 28 September 1954. LD  
 1 male, Lake Kejimikujik, Queens Co. 31 May 1950. LD  
*mounts:* 1 male, Nictaux, Annapolis Co. 9 May 1902. FHR

Dendrocopos villosus villosus (Linnaeus) Hairy Woodpecker

- skins:* 1 male, Lewis Lake, Halifax Co. 13 May 1973. AV  
 1 female ?, Old St. Margaret's Bay Road, Halifax Co. November 1950. LD  
*eggs:* (4) Caughnawaga, Quebec, 12 May 1922. WJB

Dendrocopos pubescens medianus (Swainson)

Downy Woodpecker

eggs: (4) Gaspereau, Kings Co. 4 June 1898. RWT  
 (3) Wolfville, Kings Co. 20 June 1916. RWT

Picoides arcticus (Swainson)

Black-backed Three-toed Woodpecker

skins: 1 male, behind Woodlawn School, Dartmouth, Halifax Co. October 1974. RWT  
 2 males, Westport, Digby Co. 12 October 1962. WL

## Order PASSERIFORMES

Family TyrannidaeTyrannus tyrannus (Linnaeus)

Eastern Kingbird

skins: Kearney Lake, Bedford Highway, Halifax Co. 3 July 1950. LD  
 Westport, Digby Co. 12 September 1951. WL

Tyrannus verticalis Say

Western Kingbird

skins: 1 male, Westport, Digby Co. 13 October 1958. WL  
 1, Westport, Digby Co. 23 September 1958. WL

eggs: (4) 15 miles SW of Mosquero, New Mexico 14 June 1932. RLM  
 (4) 7 miles N. E. of Vernon, Texas, 2 June 1922. RLM

Muscivora forficata (Gmelin)

Scissor-tailed Flycatcher

eggs: (5) 17 miles SW of VERNON, Texas 20 June 1932. RLM  
 (5) 22 miles S. of Vernon, Texas 27 May 1933. RLM  
 (5) 10 miles S. of Vernon, Texas 19 May 1933. RLM  
 (4) 14 miles S. of Vernon, Texas 31 May 1932. RLM  
 (4) 8 miles S. of Vernon, Texas 28 May 1934. RLM  
 (4) 10 miles S. of Vernon, Texas 29 May 1937. RLM  
 (5) 20 miles south of Vernon, Texas 21 May 1930. RLM

Myiarchus crinitus boreus Bangs

Great Crested Flycatcher

skins: 1 male, Porter's Lake, Halifax Co. 1 December 1963. DW

Sayornis phoebe (Latham)

Eastern Phoebe

skins: 1 female, Gaspereau, Kings Co. 15 April 1945. CC

Empidonax flaviventris (Baird and Baird)

## Yellow-bellied Flycatcher

*skins:* 1 male, top of lighthouse, Isle Haute, Bay of Fundy, 6 June 1953. LD

*eggs:* (3) Metis, Quebec 28 June 1928. WJB  
 (3) Leggatt's Point, Quebec 27 June 1939. WJB  
 (3) Metis, Quebec (Campbell's Heel) 21 June 1924. WJB  
 (4) Metis, Quebec 29 June 1930. WJB  
 (4) Metis, Quebec 18 June 1933. WJB  
 (4) Metis, Quebec 22 June 1928. WJB  
 (4) Campbell's Bay, Metis, Quebec 4 July 1934. WJB  
 (4) Metis, Quebec 24 June 1931. WJB  
 (4) Leggatt's Point, Quebec 28 June 1939. WJB  
 (4) Metis, Quebec 25 June 1931. WJB  
 (4) Metis, Quebec 22 June 1928. WJB

Empidonax minimus (Baird and Baird)

## Least Flycatcher

*skins:* 2 males, Middle Beaverbank, Halifax Co. 13 May 1953. LD  
 1 male, Nictaux, Annapolis Co. 7 July 1902. FHR

Contopus virens (Linnaeus)

## Eastern Wood Pewee

*skins:* 1, Sable Island, late May 1972. IMcL  
 1 male, Kearney Lake Rd. off Bedford Highway, Halifax Co. 27 June 1950. LD

*mounts:* 1, Nictaux, Annapolis Co. 19 July 1902. FHR

Nuttallornis borealis (Swainson)

## Olive-sided Flycatcher

*eggs:* (3) Grand Pré, Kings Co. 29 June 1925. RWT  
 (3) Hantsport, Hants Co. 17 June 1924. RWT  
 (3) Port Williams, Kings Co. 21 June 1925. RWT  
 (3) Wolfville, Kings Co. 15 June 1920. RWT

Family AlaudidaeEremophila alpestris alpestris (Linnaeus)

## Horned Lark

*skins:* 1, Rockingham Station, Halifax Co. 20 February 1958. GC  
 1, Grand Pré Dyke, Kings Co. 13 November 1954. LD  
 1 male, Wolfville Kings Co. 8 February 1927. VEG

Eremophila alpestris praticola (Henshaw)

## Horned Lark

*skins:* 1 female, Amherst, Cumberland Co. 17 June 1927. RWT  
 1 male, Amherst, Cumberland Co. 17 June 1927. RWT

Family HirundinidaeIridoprocne bicolor (Vieillot) Tree Swallow

*skins:* 1, Kearney Lake Road, Halifax Co. 31 July 1950. LD

*eggs:* (6) Wolfville, Kings Co. 28 May 1902. RWT

Riparia riparia riparia (Linnaeus) Bank Swallow

*eggs:* (5) Starr's Point, Kings Co. 10 June 1917. RWT

Hirundo rustica erythrogaster Boddaert Barn Swallow

*skins:* 2 males, Waverley, Halifax Co. 29 May 1973. BG  
1 female, Waverley, Halifax Co. 29 May 1973. BG  
1 female, Caledonia, Queens Co. 12 July 1950, LD

*eggs:* (5) Albany Cross, Annapolis Co. 10 June 1913. RWT  
(5) Lower Dyke, Wolfville, Kings Co. 13 June 1902. RWT

Petrochelidon pyrrhonota pyrrhonota (Vieillot) Cliff Swallow

*skins:* 2 males, Waverley, Halifax Co. 29 May 1973. BG  
1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 11 July 1931. VEG

*eggs:* (4) Albany, Annapolis Co. 9 June 1913. RWT  
(4) Albany, Annapolis Co. 9 June 1913. RWT

Progne subis subis (Linnaeus) Purple Martin

*eggs:* (5) Windsor, Hants Co. 20 June 1928. BCo

Family CorvidaePerisoreus canadensis sanfordi Oberholser Gray Jay

*skins:* 1 male, Old St. Margaret's Bay Road, Halifax Co. 17 November 1950.  
collector unknown  
1 female, locality unknown. 8 May 1949. LD

*eggs:* (2) locality, date and collector unknown

Cyanocitta cristata bromia Oberholser

## Blue Jay

*skins:* 1, Lake Kejimkujik Lake, Queens Co. 21 July 1955. LD  
1, Halifax, Halifax Co. 15 January 1954. WJM

*eggs:* (4) Albany, Annapolis Co. 17 May 1919. RWT  
(5) Wolfville, Kings Co. 16 May 1933. RWT  
(5) Black River, Kings Co. 5 June 1915. RWT  
(4) Gaspereau, Kings Co. 11 May 1898. RWT  
(5) Gaspereau, Kings Co. 6 May 1906. RWT  
(3) Albany, Annapolis Co. 22 May 1915. RWT  
(4) Wolfville Ridge, Wolfville, Kings Co. 1 June 1913. RWT  
(4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 13 June 1929. RWT  
(3) locality, date and collector unknown  
(4) Port Mouton, Queens Co. about 20 June 1926. JWW  
(5) Alton, Colchester Co. 17 May 1891. collector unknown

Pica pica hudsonia (Sabine)

## Black-billed Magpie

*skins:* 1, Baker, Oregon 30 June 1930. collector unknown

Corvus corax principalis Ridgway

## Common Raven

*skins:* 1, Greenwich, Kings Co. 12 February 1926. ALR  
1, 2 miles west of Wolfville, Kings Co. 2 March 1928. EG  
1, Wolfville, Kings Co. 4 January 1927. EG  
1 male, Pockwock Lake, Halifax Co. 8 January 1974. collector unknown

*eggs:* (4) Starr's Point, Kings Co. 1 April 1946. RWT  
(4) Starr's Point, Kings Co. 27 March 1944. RWT  
(4) Locality, date and collector unknown  
(4) Grand Manan, New Brunswick, 6 April 1928. EJ  
(4) Nictaux Falls, Annapolis Co. 28 April 1935. RWT  
(4) Port Williams, Kings Co. 31 March 1935. RWT

Corvus cryptoleucus Couch

## White-necked Raven

*eggs:* (6) 15 miles SW of Vernon, Texas, 29 May 1934. RLM  
(7) 20 miles SW of Vernon, Texas, 29 May 1934. RLM

Corvus caurinus Baird

## Northwestern Crow

*eggs:* (3) Mitchell Island, Vancouver, B. C. 26 April 1932. RAC  
(4) Sea Island, Vancouver, B. C. 4 May 1932. RAC

Corvus brachyrhynchos brachyrhynchos Brehm

## Common Crow

*skins:* 1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 9 February 1926. EG  
1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 12 February 1925. EG

*mounts:* 1, Archbishop's Woods, Dutch Village, Halifax Co. 6 October 1917. ESFP

*eggs:* (6) Wolfville, Kings Co. 27 April 1894. RWT  
(6) Wolfville, Kings Co. 29 April 1902. RWT  
(6) Wolfville, Kings Co. 12 May 1916. RWT  
(6) Wolfville, Kings Co. 3 May 1898. RWT

Family ParidaeParus atricapillus atricapillus Linnaeus                      Black-capped Chickadee

*skins:* 1, Armdale, Halifax Co. 16 October 1954. EJJ

*eggs:* (7) Albany, Annapolis Co. 24 May 1933. RWT  
 (7) Albany, Annapolis Co. 1932. RWT  
 (4) locality, date and collector unknown

Parus hudsonicus littoralis Bryant                      Boreal Chickadee

*skins:* 1, Halifax, Halifax Co. 22 October 1954. LD

*eggs:* (3) locality, date and collector unknown

Family SittidaeSitta carolinensis cookei Oberholser                      White-breasted Nuthatch

*skins:* 1 male, Dalhousie University, Halifax, Halifax Co. 30 September 1963. PB  
 1 male, Caledonia, Queens Co. 11 June 1952. LD  
 1 male, Lake Kejimikujik, Queens Co. 30 May 1950. LD

*eggs:* (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 26 May 1929. RWT

Sitta canadensis Linnaeus                      Red-breasted Nuthatch

*skins:* 1 male, Fox River, Advocate Road, Cumberland Co. 27 August 1954. DCF & RG

Family CerthiidaeCerthia familiaris americana Bonaparte                      Brown Creeper

*skins:* 1 male, Westport, Brier Island, Digby Co. 23 October 1958. WJM

*eggs:* (6) Albany, Annapolis Co. 18 May 1927. RWT

Family TroglodytidaeTroglodytes aedon aedon Vieillot                      House Wren

*skins:* 1 male, Gaspereau, Kings Co. 6 July 1935. CC

*mounts:* 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 4 June 1933. RWS

Troglodytes troglodytes hiemalis Vieillot

Winter Wren

*skins:* 1 male, Middle Beaverbank, Halifax Co. 13 May 1953. LD

Telmatodytes palustris palustris (Wilson)

Long-billed Marsh Wren

*skins:* 1, locality unknown, 27 October 1961. WL  
1, West Wallace, Cumberland Co. 5 November 1953. LD  
1, Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. 15 February 1950. CA

Cistothorus platensis (Latham)

Short-billed Marsh Wren

*skins:* 1, Seal Island, Yarmouth Co. 2 October 1967. CRKA

Family MimidaeMimus polyglottos (Linnaeus)

Mockingbird

*nest:* 1, Halifax, Halifax Co., 31 July 1938. FHS

Dumetella carolinensis (Linnaeus)

Catbird

*skins:* 1 male, Lake Kejimkujik, Queens Co. 30 May 1950. LD  
1 male, Caledonia, Queens Co. 12 July 1950. LD  
1 male, Caledonia, Queens Co. 12 July 1950. LD  
1 male immature, Halifax, Halifax Co. 27 July 1956. RPW

*eggs:* (4) Black River, Kings Co. 29 June 1915. RWT  
(4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 20 June 1913. HGP  
(4) Gaspereau, Kings Co. 19 June 1918. RWT  
(4) Gaspereau, Kings Co. 11 June 1902. RWT  
(4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 21 June 1921. RWT

Toxostoma rufum rufum (Linnaeus)

Brown Thrasher

*skins:* 1, Brier Island, Digby Co. 2 September 1963. DWL  
1 male, Westport, Brier Island, Digby Co. 19 June 1961. DWL  
1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 1 June 1967. RSt  
1 female, Brier Island, Digby Co. 4 October 1963. DWL  
1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 14 March 1974. collector unknown

Family TurdidaeTurdus migratorius migratorius Linnaeus

American Robin

*skins:* 1 male, near Shubenacadie, Hants Co. 3 August 1972. BP,CJ & DM  
1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 28 February 1971. DMCC  
1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. summer 1974? collector unknown  
1 male, Port Mouton, Queens Co. 23 March 1943. HFT  
2 males, Wolfville, Kings Co. 13 June 1943. RWT  
1, Halifax, Halifax Co. date unknown. WJM

- eggs: (4) Westchester, Pennsylvania, 11 May 1868. JHM  
 (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 18 May 1895. RWT  
 (4) Bang's Falls, Medway River, 18 miles from Liverpool, Queens Co.  
 29 July 1920. WMP

Hylocichla mustelina (Gmelin)

Wood Thrush

- skins: 1 male, Milton, Queens Co. 20 June 1971. TH  
 1 locality, date and collector unknown

Catharus guttatus faxoni (Bangs and Penard)

Hermit Thrush

- skins: 1, Blenheim Terrace, Halifax, Halifax Co. 14 October 1974. MTA  
 1 male, Walton, Queens Co. 20 June 1952. LD  
 1 male, Black River, Kings Co. 16 April 1924. EG  
 1, Halifax, Halifax Co. 17 November 1954. HHB

- eggs: (2) Albany, Annapolis Co. 25 May 1924. RWT  
 (4) Albany, Annapolis Co. 29 May 1924. RWT  
 (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 30 May 1923. RWT

Catharus ustulatus clarescens (Burleigh & Peters)

Swainson's Thrush

- skins: 1 male, Liverpool, Queens Co. 18 June 1952. LD  
 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 23 June 1950. LD  
 1 female?, Port Joli, Shelburne Co. 17 July 1950. LD  
 1 male, Kearney Lake Rd., Halifax Co. 23 June 1950. LD  
 1, Port Joli, Shelburne Co. 17 July 1950. LD

- eggs: (4) Albany, Annapolis Co. 5 June 1922. RWT  
 (3) Albany, Annapolis Co. 7 June 1927. ALR  
 (4) Albany, Annapolis Co. 6 June 1924. RWT  
 (4) Albany, Annapolis Co. 13 June 1924. RWT  
 (4) North Head, Grand Manan, New Brunswick. 6 June 1901. GG

Catharus minimus bicknelli (Ridgway)

Gray-cheeked Thrush

- eggs: (1 infertile) Seal Island, Yarmouth Co. 23 June 1922. RWT

Catharus fuscescens fuscescens (Stephens)

Veery

- eggs: (3) near Wellesley, Mass. 23 May 1921. HFT

Sialia sialis sialis (Linnaeus)

Eastern Bluebird

- skins: 1 female, Westport, Digby Co. 13 April 1959. DWL  
 eggs: (4) St. Stephen, New Brunswick. 26 May 1924. JSL  
 (3) Margaretville, Annapolis Co. 24 June 1921. RWT



Family SylviidaeRegulus satrapa satrapa Lichtenstein Golden-crowned Kinglet

*skins:* 1 male, Beaverbank, Halifax Co. 1974? collector unknown  
1 immature male, Fox Point, Cumberland Co. 27 August 1954. DCF

*mounts:* 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 23 December 1901. RWT

*eggs:* (9) Albany, Annapolis Co. 31 May 1924. RWT  
(9) near Wolfville, Kings Co. 13 May 1921. RWT  
(9) Wolfville, Kings Co. 21 May 1922. RWT  
(5) Wolfville, Kings Co. 18 May 1927. ALR  
(9) Wolfville, Kings Co. 13 May 1921. RWT  
(9) Wolfville, Kings Co. 13 May 1921. RWT  
(10) Wolfville Ridge, Kings Co. 21 May 1922. RWT  
(1) Milton ?, Queens Co. date unknown. RRMcL

Regulus calendula calendula (Linnaeus) Ruby-crowned Kinglet

*skins:* 1 female, Birch Cove, Halifax Co. 25 August 1953. DCF  
1 male, Middle Beaverbank, Halifax Co. 13 May 1953. LD

*eggs:* (9) near Belvedere, Alberta 24 June 1929. ADH

Family MotacillidaeAnthus spinoletta rubescens (Tunstall) Water Pipit

*skins:* 1 female, Sable Island, 24 May 1972. DFi  
1, Wolfville, Kings Co. date and collector unknown

Family BombycillidaeBombycilla garrulus pallidiceps Reichenow Bohemian Waxwing

*skins:* 1, no data. Probably from Pictou, 26 January 1909. SD

Bombycilla cedrorum Vieillot Cedar Waxwing

*eggs:* (4) North Head, Grand Manan, New Brunswick 6 July 1900. GG  
(4) North Head, Grand Manan, New Brunswick 6 July 1900. GG  
(5) Albany, Annapolis Co. 1 July 1924. RWT  
(4) Grand Manan, New Brunswick 2 July 1901. GG  
(4) North Head, Grand Manan, New Brunswick 30 June 1900. GG  
(4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 28 June 1916. RWT

*nests:* 1, Hubbards, Halifax Co. 10 August 1918. ESFP

Family LaniidaeLanius excubitor borealis Vieillot Northern Shrike

*skins:* 1, Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. 31 December 1957. CA  
1 female, Gaspereau, Kings Co. 31 March 1950. LD

Lanius ludovicianus migrans Palmer Loggerhead Shrike

*skins:* 1 male, locality unknown 26 April 1963. DWL

*eggs:* (4) Ottawa, Ontario 12 May 1935. RWS

Family SturnidaeSturnus vulgaris vulgaris Linnaeus Starling

*skins:* 1 female, Halifax, Halifax Co. 31 January 1958. collector unknown  
1, locality, date and collector unknown

*mounts:* 1 winter adult, found dead on snow, Richmond School, Halifax, Halifax Co.  
21 December 1933. collector unknown

*eggs:* (4) Halifax, Halifax Co. 26 June 1928. RWT  
(5) Wolfville, Kings Co. 11 June 1949. RWT  
(2) Island of St. Kilda, off Outer Hebrides, Scotland. circa 1922. IMcK  
(1) Island of St. Kilda, off Outer Hebrides, Scotland, circa 1922. IMcK

Family VireonidaeVireo flavifrons Vieillot Yellow-throated Vireo

*skins:* 1, Indian Harbour, Halifax Co. 9 April 1958. W

Vireo solitarius solitarius (Wilson) Solitary Vireo

*skins:* 1 male, Sable River, Shelburne Co. 14 July 1950. LD

*mounts:* 1 male, near Truro, Colchester Co. June 1918. collector unknown  
1 male, Nictaux, Annapolis Co. 10 June 1902. FHR

*eggs:* (4) Port Williams, Kings Co. 11 July 1942. RWT

Vireo olivaceus (Linnaeus)

## Red-eyed Vireo

- skins:* 1 male, Lake Kejimkujik, Queens Co. 5 July 1950. LD  
 1 female, Lake Kejimkujik, Queens Co. 5 July 1950. LD  
 1 female, Caledonia, Queens Co. 17 June 1952. LD  
 1 female, Caledonia, Queens Co. 18 June 1950. LD  
 1 male, Sable River, Shelburne Co. 8 June 1954. WJM
- mounts:* 1 male, near Truro, Colchester Co. 25 June 1912. HC
- eggs:* (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 20 June 1928. RWT  
 (4) Port Williams, Kings Co. 18 June 1913. RWT  
 (3) Wolfville, Kings Co. 2 July 1898. RWT

Family ParulidaeMniotilta varia (Linnaeus)

## Black and White Warbler

- skins:* 1 male, West Northfield, Lunenburg Co. 19 June 1971. JCM  
 1 male, Lowes Landing, Lake Rossignol, Queens Co. 18 June 1950. LD
- eggs:* (5) Mascouche, Quebec, 27 May 1921. WJB

Protonotaria citrea (Boddaert)

## Prothonotary Warbler

- skins:* 1 male, Cape Sable, Shelburne Co. 1 October 1967. BFS

Vermivora peregrina (Wilson)

## Tennessee Warbler

- eggs:* (5) Leggatt's Point, Quebec 18 June 1926. WJB  
 (6) Metis, Quebec 23 June 1928. WJB  
 (5) Leggatt's Point, Quebec 9 June 1921. WJB  
 (5) Locality, date and collector unknown

Vermivora ruficapilla ruficapilla (Wilson)

## Nashville Warbler

- eggs:* (5) New Albany, Annapolis Co. 6 June 1922. RWT

Parula americana (Linnaeus)

## Parula Warbler

- skins:* 1, locality unknown, August 1935. collector unknown  
 2 males, Lake Kejimkujik, Queens Co. 31 May 1950. LD  
 1 male, Armdale, Halifax Co. 29 May 1974. collector unknown
- eggs:* (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 15 June 1917. RWT  
 (4) Kentville, Kings Co. 23 June 1927. RWT & ALR
- nests:* 1, Sleepy Cove, West Shore of Grand Lake, Hants Co. 5 July 1930.  
 collector unknown

Dendroica petechia aestiva (Gmelin) Yellow Warbler

*skins:* 1 female, locality, date and collector unknown

*eggs:* (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 17 June 1915. RWT  
 (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 4 June 1898. RWT  
 (4) Gaspereau, Kings Co. 23 June 1927. RWT

Dendroica magnolia (Wilson) Magnolia Warbler

*skins:* 1 male, Cambridge St., Halifax, Halifax Co. 31 May 1974. collector unknown  
 1 male, Kearney Lake Rd. Halifax Co. 23 June 1950. LD  
 2 males, Mount Uniacke, Halifax Co. 6 June 1951. LD  
 1 male, Isle Haute, Bay of Fundy 5 June 1953. LD  
 1 female, Isle Haute, Bay of Fundy 6 June 1953. LD

*eggs:* (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 15 June 1913. RWT

Dendroica tigrina (Gmelin) Cape May Warbler

*skins:* 1, locality, date and collector unknown

Dendroica caerulescens caerulescens (Gmelin) Black-throated Blue Warbler

*eggs:* (4) Isle Jesus, Quebec 1 June 1928. WJB  
 (4) Isle Jesus, Quebec 19 June 1936. WJB  
 (4) Isle Jesus, Quebec 19 June 1928. WJB

Dendroica coronata coronata (Linnaeus) Yellow-rumped Warbler

*skins:* 1 male, Kejimikujik National Park, Queens Co. 24 June 1971. FSc & JGi  
 1 male, Nova Scotia Museum, Halifax 10 May 1972. collector unknown  
 1 male, Kearney Lake Rd., Halifax Co. 27 June 1950. LD  
 1 female, Sable River, Shelburne Co. 17 July 1950. LD

*eggs:* (4) Albany, Annapolis Co. 15 June 1926. RWT  
 (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 22 May 1918. RWT  
 (5) Albany, Annapolis Co. 20 May 1919. RWT  
 (4) locality, date and collector unknown  
 (3) Caledonia, Queens Co. 12 June 1909. HFT  
 (5) New Albany, Annapolis Co. 6 June 1922. RWT  
 (4) Albany, Annapolis Co. 6 June 1919. RWT

Dendroica virens virens (Gmelin) Black-throated Green Warbler

*skins:* 1 female, locality, date and collector unknown

*eggs:* (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 8 June 1901. RWT

Dendroica pensylvanica (Linnaeus)

## Chestnut-sided Warbler

*skins:* 1 male, Lake Kejimikujik, Queens Co. 5 July 1950. LD

*eggs:* (4) Goldenville, Guysborough Co. 23 June 1903. HFT  
 (4) Natick, Mass. 3 June 1926. HFT  
 (4) Natick, Mass. 3 June 1926. HFT

Dendroica castanea (Wilson)

## Bay-breasted Warbler

*skins:* 1 male, aboard FRB boat 4 miles off Gaspé Peninsula, at entrance to Bay of Chaleur, New Brunswick. 7 July 1973. PB

*eggs:* (6) Labelle, Quebec 29 June 1928. WJB  
 (6) St. Margaret's, Quebec 23 June 1937. WJB

Dendroica striata (Forster)

## Blackpoll Warbler

*skins:* 1, locality, date and collector unknown

*eggs:* (4) Seal Island, Yarmouth Co. 23 June 1922. RWT  
 (4) Leggatt's Point, Quebec 25 June 1939. WJB

Dendroica pinus pinus (Wilson)

## Pine Warbler

*eggs:* (4) Leggatt's Point, Quebec, 25 June 1938. WJB  
 (4) Chatham County, Georgia, 4 May 1919. GEH

Dendroica palmarum hypochrysea Ridgway

## Palm Warbler

*skins:* 1 male, Dartmouth, Halifax Co. 13 May 1972. DSD  
 1 male, Greenwich, Kings Co. 21 February 1953. RH

*mounts:* 1 male, near Truro, Colchester Co. June 1917. collector unknown

*eggs:* (4) Albany, Annapolis Co. 26 May 1933. RWT  
 (5) Albany, Annapolis Co. 21 May 1949. RWT  
 (5) Albany, Annapolis Co. 23 May 1944. RWT  
 (5) Albany, Annapolis Co. 25 May 1924. RWT  
 (5) Albany, Annapolis Co. 24 May 1933. RWT  
 (5) Albany, Annapolis Co. 22 May 1927. HFT  
 (5) Locality, date and collector unknown

Seiurus aurocapillus aurocapillus (Linnaeus)

## Ovenbird

*skins:* 1 female, Kearney Lake Road, Halifax Co., 20 June 1950. LD  
 1 female, Caledonia, Queens Co. 13 July 1950. LD  
 1 female, Kearney Lake Road, Halifax Co., date unknown. LD

*eggs:* (4) Wellesley, Mass. 12 June 1925. HFT  
 (4) Jordan Falls, Shelburne Co. 12 June 1910. HFT  
 (2) Locality, date and collector unknown

Seiurus noveboracensis noveboracensis (Gmelin) Northern Waterthrush

- eggs*: (4) Isle Jesus, Quebec, 22 June 1924. WJB  
 (4) St. Martin, Quebec, 20 May 1923. WJB  
 (4) Isle Jesus, Quebec, 14 June 1922. WJB  
 (4) St. Martin, Quebec, 24 May 1922. WJB

Oporornis philadelphia (Wilson) Mourning Warbler

- skins*: 2 females, Isle Haute, Bay of Fundy 6 June 1953. LD  
*eggs*: (3) Isle Jesus, Quebec, 20 June 1908. WJB

Geothlypis trichas brachidactyla (Swainson) Yellowthroat

- skins*: 1 male, Caledonia, Queens Co. 12 July 1950. LD  
 1 male, Lake Kejimkujik, Queens Co. 5 July 1950. LD  
*eggs*: (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 7 June 1921. RWT  
*nests*: Beaver Brook, Elmsdale, Halifax Co. 19 May 1919. JL

Icteria virens virens (Linnaeus) Yellow-breasted Chat

- skins*: 1 male, Rockingham, Halifax Co. 11 February 1958. Gr  
 1, Westport, Digby Co. 1 October 1961. WL  
 1, Westport, Digby Co. 5 November 1960. WL  
 1, Prospect, Halifax Co. November 1972. VK  
 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 10 October 1973. JLe  
 1, Rockingham, Halifax Co. 23 October 1971. GBu

Wilsonia pusilla pusilla (Wilson) Wilson's Warbler

- skins*: 1 male, Baddeck, Victoria Co. 22 May 1963.  
*eggs*: (5) Metis, Quebec 22 June 1927. WJB  
 (5) Leggatt's Point, Quebec 18 June 1920. WJB  
 (5) Metis, Matavie Co. Quebec 18 June 1925. WJB

Wilsonia canadensis (Linnaeus) Canada Warbler

- skins*: 1 male, Mount Uniacke, Halifax Co. 6 June 1951. LD  
 1 female, Kearney Lake Road, Halifax Co. 3 July 1950. LD  
 1 female, Halifax, Halifax Co. 1 June 1958. RPW  
 1 female, Halifax, Halifax Co. 22-23 August 1972. collector unknown  
*eggs*: (5) Isle Jesus, Quebec 12 June 1928. WJB  
 (5) Isle Jesus, Quebec 11 June 1928. WJB  
 (5) Isle Jesus, Quebec 29 June 1937. WJB  
 (5) Ste. Dorothée, Quebec 21 June 1928. WJB  
 (2) Caledonia, Queens Co. 24 June 1909. HFT

Setophaga ruticilla tricolora (Muller)

## American Redstart

- skins:* 1 male, Abbey Lane Hospital, Halifax, Halifax Co. 20 June 1973.  
collector unknown  
1 male, Sable Island, N. S. 13 September 1972. IMcL  
1 male, Kearney Lake Road, Halifax Co. 23 June 1950. LD
- mounts:* 1 female or immature male, Dutch Village, Halifax Co. 4 July 1901. HT
- eggs:* (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 16 June 1928. RWT
- nests:* West side of Lake William, near Waverley, Halifax Co. 21 May 1925  
collector unknown

Family PloceidaePasser domesticus domesticus (Linnaeus)

## House Sparrow (English Sparrow)

- skins:* 3 males, probaby Halifax, Halifax co. spring 1974? collector unknown
- eggs:* (7) Wolfville, Kings Co. 29 June 1927. RWT  
(6) Wolfville, Kings Co. 13 June 1926. RWT  
(5) Wolfville, Kings Co. 22 May 1902. RWT

Family IcteridaeDolichonyx oryzivorus (Linnaeus)

## Bobolink

- skins:* 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 30 May 1931. VEG  
1 male, (fall plumage), Westport, Digby Co. 22 September 1958. WL
- eggs:* (1) locality, date and collector unknown

Sturnella magna magna (Linnaeus)

## Eastern Meadowlark

- skins:* 1 female, Prospect Village, Halifax Co. 7 May 1975. VK  
1, Cole Harbour Road, Halifax Co. 22 December 1958. JWM
- mounts:* 1, Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. 31 December 1957. collector unknown
- eggs:* (4) Chili, Monroe Co., New York. 10 May 1905. HHS

Agelaius phoeniceus phoeniceus (Linnaeus)

## Red-winged Blackbird

- skins:* 1 male juvenile, Brier Island, Digby Co. 3 September 1966. WL  
2 males, Middle Beaverbank, Halifax Co. 13 May 1953. LD  
1 male, Gaspereau, Kings Co. 7 May 1958. collector unknown  
1 male, Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. 7 August 1963. collector unknown  
1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 30 January 1955. WJM
- eggs:* (5) Near Windsor, Hants Co. 28 May 1932. BC  
(5) Along Charles River, Dedham, Mass. 2 July 1913. RWT  
(4) Near Boston, Mass. 20 May 1922. HFT  
(4) Boston, Mass. 18 May 1925. HFT  
(4) Near Windsor, Hants Co. 28 May 1932. BC

Icterus spurius (Linnaeus)

## Orchard Oriole

*skins:* 1 male immature, Brier Island, Digby Co. 21 May 1961. WL

Icterus galbula (Linnaeus)

## Baltimore Oriole

*skins:* 1 female immature? locality unknown September or October 1960. WL  
 1 female? Shelburne Co. January 1968. HL  
 2, Halifax, Halifax Co. 10 January 1970. IMcL  
 1 male, locality, date and collector unknown

*mounts:* 1, Halifax, Halifax Co. 11 December 1968. JLo  
 1 female, taken half-dead at Digby, Digby Co. late January 1936. DD &RWT

Euphagus carolinus nigrans Burleigh and Peters

## Rusty Blackbird

*skins:* 1 male, (fall plumage), Elderbank, Halifax Co. 2 October 1925. RBW  
 1 male, Middle Beaverbank, Halifax Co. 13 May 1953. LD  
 1 male, near County Hospital, Dartmouth, Halifax Co. 28 March 1970.  
 collector unknown

*eggs:* (4) Albany, Annapolis Co. 23 May 1924. RWT  
 (5) Albany, Annapolis Co. 14 May 1930. RWT  
 (2) Porters Lake, Digby Co. 7 June 1926. RWT?  
 (4) Albany, Annapolis Co. 24 May 1923. RWT

*nest:* South Brookfield, Queens Co. 20 April 1896. collector unknown

Quiscalus quiscula versicolor Vieillot

## Common Grackle

*skins:* 1, locality, date and collector unknown  
 1 female, Halifax, Halifax Co. 5 May 1954, WJM

*eggs:* (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 2 May 1925. RWT  
 (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 22 May 1926. RWT  
 (6) Wolfville, Kings Co. 8 May 1925. RWT  
 (7) Wolfville, Kings Co. 10 May 1928. VEG  
 (5) Windsor, Hants Co. 26 May 1927. BC  
 (5) Wolfville, Kings Co. 17 May 1927. ALR  
 (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 10 May 1925. RWT  
 (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 10 May 1925. RWT  
 (5) Wolfville, Kings Co. 1926. ALR  
 (5) Wolfville, Kings Co. 2 May 1925. RWT  
 (5) Wolfville, Kings Co. 8 May 1925. RWT

Molothrus ater ater (Boddaert)

## Brown-headed Cowbird

*skins:* 1 male juvenile? locality unknown 5 March 1954. WJM  
 1 male, locality unknown, spring 1954. WJM



Family ThraupidaePiranga olivacea (Gmelin)

## Scarlet Tanager

- skins:* 1 male, Allendale, Shelburne Co. 8 May 1970. R  
 1 male, Westport, Digby Co. 13 April 1959. WL  
 1 male, Portuguese Cove, Halifax Co. 2 May 1973. GR

Piranga rubra rubra (Linnaeus)

## Summer Tanager

- skins:* 1 male, Spryfield, Halifax Co. 28 April 1956. PF  
*mounts:* 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 8 April 1952. ARO

Family FringillidaeRichmondia cardinalis cardinalis (Linnaeus)

## Cardinal

- mounts:* 1 female, Digby, Digby Co. 6 January 1958. Louise Daley  
*eggs:* (3) Little Mountain, Lake Co., Ontario 18 May 1941. EPMcC

Pheucticus ludovicianus (Linnaeus)

## Rose-breasted Grosbeak

- skins:* 1 male, locality, date and collector unknown  
 1 female, Lake Kejimikujik, Queens Co. 31 February 1950. LD  
 1 male, Lake Kejimikujik, Queens Co. 31 May 1950. LD  
 1 male immature, Westport, Digby Co. 12 September 1959. WL  
*eggs:* (4) Chester County, Pennsylvania, 25 May 1908. AHG  
 (4) 4 miles east of Crookton, Polk Co., Minnesota 15 June 1921. EL

Pheucticus melanocephalus (Swainson)

## Black-headed Grosbeak

- eggs:* (1) locality, date and collector unknown

Passerina cyanea (Linnaeus)

## Indigo Bunting

- skins:* 1 male, Hunt's Point, Queens Co., 4 May 1969. CCo  
 1, Seal Island, Yarmouth Co. 2 October 1967. CRKA  
 1 male, locality unknown spring 1954. CA  
 1 female, Halifax, Halifax Co. 9 May 1970. WJM  
 1 male, Dartmouth, Halifax Co. summer 1973? collector unknown

Spiza americana (Gmelin)

## Dickcissel

- skins:* 1, Porter's Lake, Halifax Co., 1 December 1963. collector unknown  
 1 female, Barrington, Shelburne Co. 25 October 1969. BD  
 1 female, Westport, Digby Co., 14 October 1959. WL

Hesperiphona vespertina vespertina (Cooper)

## Evening Grosbeak

- skins:* 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 25 March 1946. RWT  
 1 female, Kingston, Kings Co. 6 April 1953. RWT  
 1 female, Canso, Guysborough Co. 11 April 1950. RWT  
 1 female, Halifax, Halifax Co. date unknown. BH  
 1 male, probably Halifax, 24 December 1969. collector unknown  
 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. winter 1973-74. collector unknown

Carpodacus purpureus purpureus (Gmelin)

## Purple Finch

- skins:* 1 male, Caledonia, Queens Co. 12 July 1950. LD  
 1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 15 May 1953. RWT  
 1 male, Windsor Junction, Halifax Co. 18 May 1973. LLa  
 1 female, Windsor Junction, Halifax Co. 18 May 1973. LLa
- mounts:* 1, near Melville Island, Halifax, Halifax Co. 14 May 1901. HP  
 1 male, Arcadia, Yarmouth Co., 3 June 1903. ECA
- eggs:* (5) Wolfville, Kings Co., 5 June 1949. RWT

Pinicola enucleator eschatosa Oberholser

## Pine Grosbeak

- skins:* 1 female, Halifax, Halifax Co., 9 November 1954. collector unknown  
 1 male, Old St. Margaret's Bay Road, Halifax Co., 17 November 1950. LD  
 1 female, East Chester, Lunenburg Co. 28 November 1968. FSc
- mounts:* 1 female, Old St. Margaret's Bay Road, spring of 1950. collector unknown  
 1 male, Old St. Margaret's Bay Road, spring of 1950. collector unknown

Acanthis flammea flammea (Linnaeus)

## Common Redpoll

- skins:* 1 male, Chezzetcook, Halifax Co. 1 March 1958. collector unknown  
 1, Middle Clyde, Shelburne Co. February 1953. LD  
 1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 23 April 1926. EG  
 1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 30 December 1925. EG
- mounts:* 1 female, Mitchell's Brook, Lake Charles, Dartmouth, Halifax Co.  
 9 December 1910. collector unknown

Spinus pinus pinus (Wilson)

## Pine Siskin

- skins:* 1, Wolfville, Kings Co. 19 July 1925. EG  
 1, Wolfville, Kings Co. 12 December 1925. ALR
- mounts:* 1, Salem, Yarmouth Co. 1 March 1902. LEA

Spinus tristis tristis (Linnaeus)

## American Goldfinch

- eggs:* (6) Wolfville, Kings Co., 14 July 1894. HFT

Loxia curvirostra minor (Brehm)

## Red Crossbill

*skins:* 1 female, 2 miles S. of Wolfville, Kings Co. 6 March 1925. EG  
 1 male immature, Wolfville, Kings Co. 6 March 1925. EG  
 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 5 April 1926. EG

Loxia leucoptera leucoptera Gmelin

## White-winged Crossbill

*skins:* 2 males, Wolfville, Kings Co. 5 March 1926. EG  
 3 males, Wolfville, Kings Co. 6 March 1926. EG  
 1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 5 March 1926. EG  
 1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 19 July 1950. LD  
 1 male, Sable River, Shelburne Co. 19 July 1950. LD  
 1, 10 miles south of Annapolis Royal, Annapolis Co. 9 September 1931? RSm

Chlorura chlorura (Audubon)

## Green-tailed Towhee

*skins:* 1 male, Cape Sable Light Station, Shelburne Co. 14 May 1955. SFS

Pipilo erythrophthalmus erythrophthalmus (Linnaeus) Rufous-sided Towhee

*skins:* 1 female, Halifax, Halifax Co. 13 October 1965. collector unknown  
 1 female, Westport, Digby Co. 10 October 1961. DWL  
 1 male, Westport, Digby Co. 29 October 1961. DWL  
 1 male, Public Gardens, Halifax, Halifax Co. 17 October 1957. RWh  
 1 male, Westport, Digby Co. 5 October 1960. WL

*eggs:* (4) Near Natick? Mass. 30 May 1921. HFT  
 (3) Near Weston, Mass. 30 May 1925. HFT

Passerculus sandwichensis savanna (Wilson)

## Savannah Sparrow

*skins:* 1 male, Crystal Crescent Beach, Halifax Co. 13 June 1972. collector unknown  
 1 female, Lawrencetown Beach, Halifax Co. 27 June 1972. collector unknown  
 1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 11 July 1931. VEG  
 1 male, Isle Haute, Bay of Fundy, 5 June 1953. LD  
 1 male, Sunrise, Aspy Valley, Victoria Co., 6 August 1953. DCF  
 1 female, Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. 21 June 1954. WJM  
 2, Caribou Island, Pictou Co. 24 August 1954. DCF & RG  
 1, Eastern Passage, Halifax Co. 6 September 1954. WJM

*mounts:* 1 male, Kings Meadow, Windsor, Hants Co. 21 June 1901. HP

*eggs:* (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 2 June 1972. ALR  
 (5) Pinkney's Point, Yarmouth Co. 6 June 1927. RWT  
 (4) Yarmouth, Yarmouth Co. 29 May 1925. RWT  
 (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 25 June 1925. RWT  
 (5) Wolfville, Kings Co. 20 June 1927. RWT  
 (4) Near Wolfville, Kings Co. 27 May 1919. RWT

Passerculus sandwichensis princeps Maynard

*skins:* 2, Lily Pond, near Main Station, Sable Island, 2 August 1969. NB & FSc  
 1 male, Sable Island, 23 April 1903. JWB  
 1 male, Sable Island, 25 April 1902. JWB  
 1 male, Sable Island, 2 August 1902. JWB  
 1 male, Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. April 1957. WM

*eggs:* (5) Sable Island, 26 May 1902. JWB

Anmodramus savannarum pratensis (Vieillot)

## Grasshopper Sparrow

- skins:* 1, Cape Sable Light, Shelburne Co. 23 October 1969. BS  
 1 female, Seal Island, Shelburne Co. 25 September 1966. CA  
 1 male, Lawrencetown Beach, Halifax Co. 29 December 1965. collector unknown

Ammospiza caudacuta subvirgata (Dwight)

## Sharp-tailed Sparrow

- eggs:* (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 25 June 1925. RWT & ALR  
 (5) Wolfville, Kings Co. 23 June 1942. RWT  
 (6) Wolfville, Kings Co. 30 June 1926. RWT

Poocetes gramineus gramineus (Gmelin)

## Vesper Sparrow

- skins:* 1, Yarmouth, Yarmouth Co. 15 October 1904. ECA

Junco hyemalis hyemalis (Linnaeus)

## Dark-eyed Junco

- skins:* 1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 10 July 1931. VEG  
 1 female, Kearney Lake Rd. Halifax Co. 27 June 1950. LD  
 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 22 August 1972. collector unknown
- eggs:* (4) Albany, Annapolis Co. 30 May 1924. RWT  
 (4) Black River, Kings Co. 11 June 1927. ALR  
 (4) Cornwallis, Kings Co. 21 May 1889. collector unknown

Spizella passerina passerina (Bechstein)

## Chipping Sparrow

- mounts:* 1, Dutch Village, Halifax Co. 22 May 1901. HP
- eggs:* (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 15 June 1913. RWT  
 (4) Wolfville, Kings Co. 22 June 1915. RWT

Zonotrichia leucophrys leucophrys (Forster)

## White-crowned Sparrow

- skins:* 1 male, Cole Harbour, Halifax Co. 19 May 1969. collector unknown
- eggs:* (4) Soda Spring, Placer Co., Calif., 6 June 1928. GW

Zonotrichia albicollis (Gmelin)

## White-throated Sparrow

- skins:* 1 immature, Halifax, Halifax Co. 9 October 1974. DP  
 1 male, Highway 103, at Hubbards, Halifax Co. 10 May 1974. BW  
 1, Canning, Kings Co. 27 September 1955. RWT  
 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 1 October 1953. WJM
- eggs:* (4) Near Sussex, New Brunswick, 25 June 1957. RWT

Passerella iliaca iliaca (Merrem)

## Fox Sparrow

- skins:* 1 male, Granville Street, Halifax, Halifax Co. 17 October 1969. TR  
 1, Sydney, Cape Breton Co., April 1904. FCB  
 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 9 April 1955. JWM  
 1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 11 April 1926. EG  
 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 23 April 1926. EG

- eggs*: (3) Grand Lake, Newfoundland 8 June 1911. WJB  
 (3) Grand Lake, Newfoundland 22 May 1911. WJB  
 (3) Humbermouth, Newfoundland 3 June 1913. WJB  
 (3) Grand Lake, Newfoundland 27 June 1920. WJB

Melospiza lincolni lincolni (Audubon)

Lincoln's Sparrow

- skins*: 1 male, Caledonia, Queens Co. 12 July 1950. LD  
 1, Lake Kejimkujik, Queens Co. 20 July 1955. LD  
 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 18 October 1954. WJM

- eggs*: (5) Lanoraie, Quebec 3 June 1924. WJB  
 (4) Campbell's Bay, Metis, Quebec 10 June 1924. WJB  
 (5) Metis, Quebec 14 June 1939. WJB  
 (5) Leggatt's Point, Quebec 9 June 1922. WJB

Melospiza georgiana georgiana (Latham)

Swamp Sparrow

- skins*: 1, Brierly Brook, Antigonish Co. 23 August 1954. DCF & RG  
 1 male, locality unknown, 20 July 1955. LD  
 1, Lawrencetown, Halifax Co. 15 February 1958. CA  
 1, Lake Kejimkujik, Queens Co. 20 July 1955. collector unknown

- eggs*: (4) Gaspereau, Kings Co. 18 May 1906. HFT

Melospiza melodia melodia (Wilson)

Song Sparrow

- skins*: 1 male, Liverpool, Queens Co. 18 June 1952. LD  
 1 male, Halifax, Halifax Co. 25 September 1953. WJM  
 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 18 July 1931. VEG  
 1, Halifax, Halifax Co. 9 May 1954. WJM  
 1 male, locality unknown 15 July 1953. collector unknown

- eggs*: (4) Near Boston, Mass. 20 May 1926. HFT  
 (5) Albany, Annapolis Co. 19 May 1919. RWT  
 (4) Port Mouton, Queens Co. 28 May 1933. HFT  
 (4) Chester, Lunenburg Co. 18 May 1970. BW

Calcarius lapponicus lapponicus (Linnaeus)

Lapland Longspur

- skins*: 1 male, Wolfville, Kings Co. 4 March 1929. VEG

- mounts*: 1 female, winter plumage, near H. Cruikshank's Fox Farm, 1 3/4 miles  
 E. S. E. of Truro, Colchester Co. April 1923.

- eggs*: (5) South of Churchill, Manitoba 10 June 1937. FLF  
 (6) Ikamiut, Greenland 12 June 1926. ALC  
 (5) Ikamiut, Greenland 10 June 1925. ALC

Plectrophenax nivalis nivalis (Linnaeus)

Snow Bunting

- skins*: 1, Dartmouth, Halifax Co. 4 March 1955. collector unknown  
 1 male, Westport, Brier Island, Digby Co. 12 November 1955. ALW  
 1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 18 February 1927. EG  
 2 males, Wolfville, Kings Co. 18 February 1927. EG  
 1 female, Wolfville, Kings Co. 5 March 1929. VEG  
 1 female, Grand Pré, Kings Co. 18 February 1925. ALR

- eggs*: (4) Ikamiut, Greenland, 17 June 1925. ALC