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## Snap Judgment 9

You spot this duck on a mid-summer outing. It is clearly in an odd plumage, causing you to wonder about the applicability of "normal" field marks; can the bird still be identified?

The answer, a discussion of the identification, and the name of the photographer will appear in the August 1981 issue of *Continental Birdlife*.



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