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## EBBA NEWS

## BANDING PLIERS

These pliers have proved invaluable in Operation Recovery use as well as for home station every-day banding. Ask any bander who has used them or has seen them in use.

These KENNARD type pliers have holes bored in flat-nosed pliers that fit standard band sizes to avoid lapped bands and make it quite easy to get a perfect fit. A band opener on the plier enables the user to open the band evenly with one operation. A spring provides tension to keep the opened band in the plier while handling the bird.

One plier will handle band sizes 0, 1, 1B and 1A (price \$6.00) and the other plier will handle sizes 2 and 3 (price \$5.00) - prices include postage within the U.S. Send your order to the originator and manufacturer: Roger N. MacDonald, 850 Main St., Lynnfield Center, Mass.

MIST NETS ARE NOW AVAILABLE Sustaining Members pay less for nets - if you use six or more nets a year, it pays to become a Sustaining Member. (Purchaser must have net permit)

Regular nets are four shelves - 120 meshes - deep. The prices:

	Active Member	Sustaining Member
5 meter	\$ 1.25	\$ 1.25
9 meter	2.50	2.00
12 meter	2.85	2.35

Postage paid on orders over \$5.00. Remittance should accompany order Send to: Mrs. John Y. Dater, Box 242, Ramsey, N. J.

> MASON TYPE GROUND TRAP Cost only \$10.50 postage paid Available in kit form from: H. E. Harlow, 47 Scotland Rd., Reading, Mass.

A fine trap can now be purchased at reasonable cost. Mrs. Bander you can assemble this trap with the blank bird bands furnished, using your regular bird-banding tools.

The Mason Trap is a large two entrance labyrinth type ground trap (18" wide, 24" long, 8" high). This trap is not a "one at a timer" we have often taken as many as fifteen birds in a single catch.

> ALSO AVAILABLE A TRANSFER CAGE (USEFUL AS A STRING CONTROLLED TRAP). ALL ASSEMBLED \$2.75 POSTAGE PAID.

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