



EDITOR'S PAGE

CORRECTION

The author of "The House Finch in Massachusetts," published in the November-December 1975 issue (Vol. 3, No. 6) of B. O. E. M. is Betty Smyth of Marshfield Hills, not Bruce A. Sorrie. Bird Observer regrets this error!

COMING EVENTS: Annual Meeting of the Brookline Bird Club, 2 April 1976.
Don Hopkins, co-founder of the New England Hawk Watch, will give a program entitled "New England Hawk Watch---A Summary of 5 Years of Study," at the Boston Museum of Science. The program begins at 7:30 p.m.

The Massachusetts Breeding Bird Atlas needs volunteers. This project is designed to map the breeding distribution of this state's birds during the five-year period from 1974 through 1978. It is jointly sponsored by the Massachusetts Division of Fisheries and Game and by the Massachusetts Audubon Society. If you know the common breeding birds now by sight and sound and are willing to commit a few hours each week during the breeding season to the Project, contact Richard Forster, Massachusetts Audubon Society, Lincoln, MA 01773. The telephone number is 259-9500.

On Saturday, the 21st of February, a Peterson's Field Guide was found in Newburyport. There was no name or address inside. The owner may recover it by contacting Helen C. Bates, 1341 Plumtree Road, Springfield, Massachusetts 01119.

FOR SALE: Binoculars, Nikon 7 x 35, shallow and regular eyecups, excellent case, \$90 ppd. Scope, Swift Zoom, excellent with screw clamp and UV filter, \$90 ppd. J. Wall, 76 Brambach Road, Scarsdale, N. Y. 10583

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