

and Redbacked. A few Dowitchers, Stilt Sandpipers, Pectoral and White rumped have been taken. I have yet to trap a Wilson's Plover in a net but they have caught Semipalmated Plovers and Killdeers.

It is of course desirable to have as calm weather as possible, but I have trapped birds in nets in as strong a wind as 15 miles per hour. In my experience most of the birds I have taken lay quietly in the net fold; exceptions include all woodpeckers, tufted tits and redwings. I think that the species which has given me the most pleasure to trap in the nets is the Tree Swallow. It has certainly been the easiest to take out, and has lain the quietest.

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