

<u>STATION</u>	<u>LEADER</u>	<u>AUG.</u>	<u>SEPT.</u>	<u>OCT.</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
WISCONSIN					
Ixonia	Edward Peartree	44	159	211	414
Cedar Grove	Helmut Miller	589	2945	1409	4943
Chippewa Falls	Charles A. Kemper		771	855	1626
River Hills	Wallace N. MacBriar, Jr.	19	183	64	266
Mishicot	Bernard Brouchoud		191	61	252
ILLINOIS					
Glen Ellyn	Richard B. Hoger		194	12	206
IOWA					
Esterville	Myrle L. Jones			532	532

T O T A L S : Aug: 6,255
 Sept: 27,728
 Oct: 28,321
 Grand Total: 62,928

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**OPERATION RECOVERY
 ISLAND BEACH, N.J.
 1961**

Leaders Elise Dickerson and Mabel Warburton report that by the end of September some 10,804 birds had been banded at this station. Big birds so far this year were a Painted Bunting, a Pine Woods Sparrow, and an Arkansas Kingbird. Biggest day was Sunday, September 23rd, with 1311 birds banded.

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NORMAND ST. JACQUES

On July 18, 1961, Mr. Normand St. Jacques of Burlington, Vermont, was electrocuted in a freak accident while at work. At the age of 27, he had been a bander for five years and an EBBA member for most of that time.

Normand, who left school at an early age to go to work to help support his family, grew up in a city environment, not conducive to nature study. With little help or encouragement from his surroundings, he cultivated an early interest in birds and wildlife and in his spare time he learned what he could about birds at local libraries. I am sorry that more EBBA members did not get the chance to meet Normand, as he was never able to attend meetings or travel to meet other banders. At the time of his death he had banded over 4,000 birds of 51 species. Many of his interesting recoveries of gulls and Evening Grosbeaks appeared in recent issues of EBBA NEWS. His untimely and tragic death will be deeply felt by those who knew and worked with him.

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