

Julian A. Dickerson, our Treasurer's son, now in Germany with the U.S. Air Force, made the drawing of the Black-and White Warbler for our new front cover. The new design for EBBA News was created by Gretchen Frazier.



NEWS
in brief

Nominations are now being accepted for the American Motors Corp. 1963 Conservation Awards. EBBA members who have won one of these awards in the past include Dr. Paul H. Fluck of Lambertville, Pa. and C. O. Handley, Sr., of Charleston, West Virginia. Nominations should be submitted before November 15 by letter to American Motors Conservation Awards Committee, Room 700, 555 Madison Ave., N.Y. 22, N.Y.

Our back issue files show that we are completely out of stock of two 1961 issues -- March-April and September October (Vol. 24, Nos. 2 & 5). Members who wish to help us fill this gap will be sent a stamped and addressed envelope upon notifying the Editor.

Dr. B. Franklin McCamey, Jr., EBBA Council Member, has accepted an appointment as Executive Director of the Hawk Mountain Sanctuary Association. His new address is Route 1, Orwigsburg, Pa. The operation of the Hawk Mountain Sanctuary continues under EBBA members Maurice Broun and Alex Nagy, Curator and Assistant Curator.

Our President Merrill Wood writes that the Penn State Department of Zoology and Entomology in the College of Agriculture has become the Department of Zoology in the newly created College of Science.

Raymond H. Bubb wins this issue's Illustration Contest Award for his very clear and useful drawing of a shore bird decoy to illustrate his article which starts on page 158.

Jane Church suggests (if you wish to buy sunflower seed wholesale) that the Dornacker Seed Co., Mayville, North Dakota, sells minimum orders of 500 lbs. at between five and six dollars a hundred and ships it freight collect. It does not arrive in the east before the second week in November, she says.

Betty Knorr writes, "Had an eventful day here on April 29th as I captured, banded, and photographed a beautiful adult male Summer Tanager. Later the same day I also banded my 20,000th bird which, as I expected, turned out to be a Cowbird."

Deadline for the September-October issue will be Sept. 25. We'll hope to get it to you promptly (this issue was held up by the excitement attendant on the Editor's daughter's wedding and the vacation plans of EBBA News' fine printer, Edward Johnson.)