

Please note weather conditions during the operation and include them as part of your report.

Now that Project A.I.U. has been put into proper perspective, I hope some of you who were not at the meeting will write in and join the thirty or so already signed up to participate. This will be the last information on the project to appear in EBBA News. From now on information will be sent only to those who give or have given their names to me as interested. A list of birds to be studied during the project will be sent out in this manner.

The more cooperators the better, and newer banders are most welcome.

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July-August, "Hackmatack," Islesboro, Maine 04848.



IN MEMORIAM

LOUIS H. REICHEL

Louis H. Reichel, director of the Pennypack Bird Sanctuary, Philadelphia, passed away on Sunday, May first.

Mr. Reichel's foresight and perseverance were responsible for the acreage along the Pennypack Creek being set aside in 1958 by the Fairmount Park Commission, as a bird banding station, sanctuary and nature center. Here Mr. Reichel gave bird lectures, teaching appreciation and enjoyment of nature to thousands of Philadelphians. Retired from active business, he spent many hours working with boy scouts, nature clubs and other groups in an untiring effort to protect and preserve the Pennypack area as a natural beauty spot that all might enjoy.

Mr. Reichel was a member of the Eastern Bird Banding Association and was on the board of directors of Friends of Wissahickon and was also a past president of the Pennypack Valley Bird Club.

A unique feature of the Pennypack Sanctuary, instituted by Mr. Reichel, is "Memory Lane," a lovely walk of flowering shrubs and trees, planted in memory of friends who helped him make this sanctuary a reality. This planting will serve as a living memorial to his work.

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