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Some of our latest projects are to make a complete list of all published articles using data from this station, to start a complete list of all birds banded at our station and recovered elsewhere, to send to our banders two "Newsletters" a year, and to send an annual "End of the Year Report" so that our lists of birds recovered elsewhere and articles published can be kept current. Mrs. Mabel Warburton suggested the latter project and volunteered her services. Material on age ratio and a master list of the number of birds of each species that have been banded at our station, is in preparation.

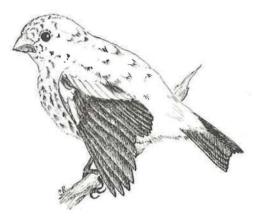
We have maintained continuity in our banding and our standardization of netting effort by operating from dawn to noon. As Chandler Robbins says "this makes it much easier to compare totals from day to day and detect changes in bird abundance that might otherwise be masked by variability in netting effort."

We are investigating the acceptable percentage of reliability in ageing and sexing birds.

The Annual EBBA Meeting, in 1973, (EBBA's 50th anniversary) will be held at Island Beach on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, April 27, 28 and 29, 1973. We extend a cordial invitation to each of you! Let me know if you wish to spend any time during the week before with us so we can make arrangements to try to make your stay more pleasant and interesting.

Best Regards from us all! Interesting Projects! Good Banding! Do Publish!

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