

Florida Birds in the Periodical Literature, 1978.

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- COX, C. R., AND R. SILVER. 1977. Feral doves (*S. risoria*) in Florida (abstract). Proc. XV Int. Ethology Congress, Bielefeld, W. Germany, p. 152.
- CRAWFORD, R. L. Autumn bird casualties at a northwestern Florida TV tower: 1973-1975. Wilson Bull. 90: 335-345.—Comparison of Levy Co. tower kills with those from Orange Co. suggests that adults and immatures of some species follow different migration routes.
- DEXTER, R. W. Recoveries of Herring Gulls banded at Cape Ann, Massachusetts. N. Amer. Bird Bander 3: 52-54.—Of 1384 nestlings banded, there were 126 recovery records including one from Ft. Myers, Fla., 10 months after banding (1307 miles distance).
- EMLEN, J. T. Density anomalies and regulatory mechanisms in land bird populations on the Florida peninsula. Amer. Nat. 112:265-286.—This important paper discusses some of the reasons for the decreasing density of land birds in pine forests from north to south in peninsular Florida.
- FISK, E. J. The growing use of roofs by nesting birds. Bird-Banding 49:134-141.—Includes Florida information.
- FISK, E. J. Site tenacity in wintering migrants in Florida. N. Amer. Bird Bander 3: 145.—Information on 16 spp. at a Homestead (Dade Co.) banding station. Some Painted Buntings recaptured up to 10 years after banding and some Indigo Buntings up to 8 years after banding.
- HUMPHREY, S. R., C. H. COURTNEY, AND D. J. FORRESTER. Community ecology of the helminth parasites of the Brown Pelican. Wilson Bull. 90: 587-598.—Sample includes pelicans found dead in Louisiana (formerly transplanted from Florida) as well as birds from both coasts of Florida.
- JACKSON, J. A., I. D. PRATHER, R. N. CONNER, AND S. P. GABY. Fishing behavior of Black and Turkey vultures. Wilson Bull. 90: 141-143.—Includes observation of a Turkey Vulture wading into Fisheating Creek, Glades Co., and catching a 10 cm fish.
- KING, B. 1976. Communal feeding of Ospreys. Bristol Ornithology, No. 9, p. 158.—Bristol Ornithol. Club, England. 29 Ospreys feeding in a loose flock over the Atlantic at New Smyrna Beach, 24 December 1973.
- KING, B. 1976. Feeding behaviour of Buffleheads. Brit. Birds 69: 105.—Simultaneous communal diving in the Gulf, wading in muddy water at Zellwood and "dabbling" in the Indian River.
- KROHN, W. B., AND E. R. CLARK. 1977. Band-recovery distribution of eastern Maine woodcock. Wildlife Soc. Bull. 5: 118-122.—Of 620 American Woodcocks banded in eastern Maine, a map shows five Florida recoveries, four from the Panhandle and one from just east of Tampa Bay.
- KUSHLAN, J. A. Commensalism in the Little Blue Heron. Auk 95: 677-681.—As studied in the Everglades of Southern Florida.
- KUSHLAN, J. A. Nonrigorous foraging by robbing egrets. Ecology 59: 649-653.—Great Egrets robbing other wading birds in the Everglades.
- LANDIN, M. C. National perspective of colonial waterbirds nesting on dredged materials islands. Trans. N.A. Wild. Conf. 43: 89-99.—Florida information based on report by Schreiber & Schreiber, 1978 (see p. 37, this issue).
- MOSKOVITS, D. Winter territorial and foraging behavior of Red-headed Woodpeckers in Florida. Wilson Bull. 90: 521-535.—At and near the Archbold Biological Station, Highlands Co.
- MCKINLEY, D. Clutch size, laying date, and incubation period in the Carolina Parakeet. Bird-Banding 49: 223-233.—Includes information from Florida.

- NESBITT, S. A., D. T. GILBERT, AND D. B. BARBOUR. Red-cockaded Woodpecker fall movements in a Florida flatwoods community. *Auk* 95: 145-151.—Marion Co.
- NESBITT, S. A., L. E. WILLIAMS, JR., L. MCNEASE, AND T. JOANEN. Brown Pelican restocking efforts in Louisiana. *Wilson Bull.* 90: 443-445.—Reproductive success of pelicans transported as nestlings from Florida east coast colonies to Louisiana.
- OGDEN, J. C. 1977. An evaluation of interspecific information exchange by waders on feeding flights from colonies. Pp. 155-162 in *Proceedings 1977 Conference of the Colonial Waterbird Group* (W.E. Southern, Ed.), DeKalb, N. Ill. Univ.—Snowy Egrets and Louisiana Herons at three south Florida colonies.
- OHLENDORF, H. M., E. E. KLAAS, AND T. E. KAISER. Organochlorine residues and eggshell thinning in Wood Storks and Anhingas. *Wilson Bull.* 90: 608-618.—Analysis of stork eggs from Merritt Island and Anhinga eggs from La., Miss., Ga., and Florida (Sanibel Island, Paynes Prairie, Merritt Island).
- PAUL, R. T. 1977. History and current status of Reddish Egrets in the United States. Pp. 179-184 in *Proceedings 1977 Conference of the Colonial Waterbird Group* (W. E. Southern, Ed.), DeKalb, N. Ill. Univ.—Including Florida.
- RICKLEFS, R. E., AND S. C. WHITE-SCHULER. Growth rate of the Brown Noddy on the Dry Tortugas. *Bird-Banding* 49: 301-312.
- SCHNELL, G. D., AND J. J. HELLACK. Flight speeds of Brown Pelicans, Chimney Swifts, and other birds. *Bird-Banding* 49: 108-112.—As measured with Doppler radar at the Dry Tortugas, Flamingo, St. Petersburg Beach and elsewhere in the U.S.
- STALLCUP, J. A., AND G. E. WOOLFENDEN. Family status and contributions to breeding by Florida Scrub Jays. *Anim. Behav.* 26: 1144-1156.—At Archbold Biological Station, Highlands Co.
- STEVENSON, H. M. A probable first North American record of the Greater Antillean race of Black-whiskered Vireo. *Auk* 95: 595.—*V. a. altiloquus* from St. George Island, Franklin Co.
- SZARO, R. C. Reproductive success and foraging behavior of the Osprey at Seahorse Key, Florida. *Wilson Bull.* 90: 112-118.—Levy Co.
- WILBUR, S. R. Turkey Vulture eggshell thinning in California, Florida, and Texas. *Wilson Bull.* 90: 642-643.—The 11-12% thinning in Florida (from "near Orlando") sample not of the magnitude associated with declines in productivity.
- WILLIAMS, L. E., JR., D. H. AUSTIN, AND T. E. PEOPLES. The breeding potential of the wild Turkey hen. *Proc. Ann. Conf. Southeast Assoc. Fish. Wild. Agencies* 30: 371-378.—As studied at Fisheating Creek, Glades Co.
- WOOLFENDEN, G. E. Growth and survival of young Florida Scrub Jays. *Wilson Bull.* 90: 1-18.—At Archbold Biological Station, Highlands Co.
- WOOLFENDEN, G. E., AND J. W. FITZPATRICK. The inheritance of territory in group-breeding birds. *Bioscience* 28: 104-108.—Florida Scrub Jays at Archbold Biological Station, Highlands Co.
- WUNDERLE, J. M., JR. Territorial defense of a nectar source by a Palm Warbler. *Wilson Bull.* 90: 297-299.—At Bayside Park, Miami, Dade Co.