

some one of the interesting localities he visited. Nevertheless there are a great many scattered items—too many indeed for individual mention of any of them here—that are of interest and that add largely to our knowledge especially concerning details of distribution of some of the species.

In regard to the status of several subspecies the author reaffirms his opinions given in the article above referred to. In some of these cases—*Corvus caurinus*, for example—he appears to be right, but there are others where his conclusions are not so happy. Such forms, for instance, as *Melospiza lincolni striata* and *Sylvania pusilla pileolata* show characters that even one who runs at Mr. Rhoads's hasty pace may easily read, and there are other cases of subspecies entered on the list that make one wonder whether all his identifications would be sustained were the collections on which they are based to be carefully studied by some more experienced ornithologist. In fact he runs atilt at more than one long-accepted conclusion in such a light-hearted spirit that it is hard to avoid suspecting him of superficiality in his investigations, a suspicion that—in two cases at least—is by no means allayed by Mr. Brewster's recent determinations (antea, pp. 236-237) of some material from the same region.—C. F. B.

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2549. *Early Dates for Woodcock*. By M. P. [and the editor]. *Ibid.*, No. 25, April 16, 1891, p. 491. — In Maine and Massachusetts.
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2556. [*Charadrius squatarola* and *Totanus melanoleucus* at Chatham, Mass.]. By Gunlock [= C. T. Canterbury]. *Ibid.*, No. 10, July 2, 1891, p. 197.
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