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Official Minutes of Northern Division.

The July meeting was held at the residence of C. Barlow in Santa Clara, Prof. F. E. L. Beal being present as a visitor. W. Otto Emerson acted as president for the evening. The following persons were elected to active membership: Miss Ora Boring, Palo Alto, Cal., Willis H. Jackson, Pescadero, Cal., and H. R. Noack, Berkeley, Cal. The names of H. P. Goodman and George Grimm of Napa were recommended for membership. The resignation of James M. Hyde was accepted.

The prepared draft for a new constitution was given its first reading and ordered transmitted to the Southern Division for similar action. Rollo H. Beck spoke on "The Occurrence of some North American Birds as observed on a trip to the Galapagos Islands." A paper by Walter K. Fisher, entitled "Breeding of *Hesperocichla naevia* in California" was read, after which Prof. Beal addressed the meeting with reference to the work being done by the Biological Survey in the matter of analyzing the contents of bird's stomachs. The Division meets on September 7 at the residence of R. S. Wheeler in Alameda.

C. BARLOW, Secretary.



The Birds of Springfield and Vicinity is the title of a recently published work by Robert O. Morris of Springfield, Mass. The work consists of an introduction and an annotated list of 254 species observed within the vicinity of Springfield, together with a bibliography of the literature pertaining to the birds of this region. The work is bound in cloth and, barring typographical errors in its nomenclature, is neatly printed. Published by Henry R. Johnson, Springfield, Mass.