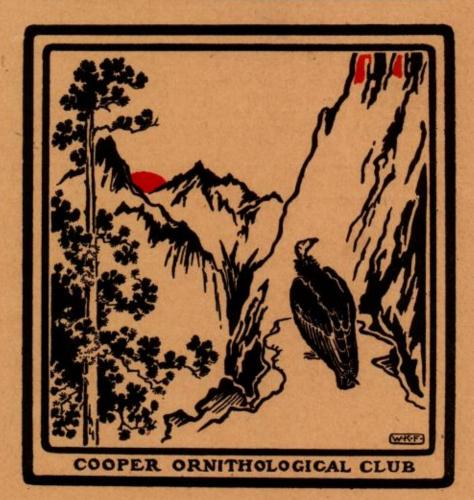


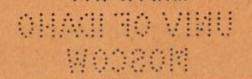
A Magazine of Western Ornithology

Volume XVI

September-October, 1914

Number 5





CONTENTS

The Nesting of the Spotted Owl (with seven photos by the author) Donald R. Dickey	193
Henry W. Marsden Louis B. Bishop	
Notes on a Colony of Tri-colored Red-wings Joseph Mailliard	204
Bird Notes from the Sierra Madre Mountains, Southern California H. Arden Edwards A Study of the Status of Certain Island Forms of the Genus Salpinctes	207
A Study of the Status of Certain Island Forms of the Genus Surptimes H. S. Swarth	211
A Survey of the Breeding Grounds of Ducks in California in 1914 (with nine	
photos by the author) Harold C. Bryaut	217
A Method of Cleaning Skulls and Disarticulated Skeletons F. Harvey Holden	239
EDITORIAL NOTES AND NEWS	242
PUBLICATIONS REVIEWED.	242
MINUTES OF COOPER CLUB MEETINGS	243

Entered as second-class matter February, 1908, at the post office at Los Angeles (Hollywood Station), California, under Act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

Issued from the Office of The Condor, First National Bank Building, Hollywood, Cal.

Complete your files of THE CONDOR and the AVIFAUNA before it is too late.

Volume I of The Condor and Number 3 of the Avifauna Series are already gone.

W. Lee Chambers, Business Manager,
Eagle Rock, Los Angeles Co.,
California.