

NEWS AND NOTES

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COS AUCTION

The Cooper Ornithological Society will hold an auction to benefit the endowment fund during its meeting from 8 to 13 September 1986 at University of California, Davis, and is seeking donations of books, journals, original art work, and other marketable ornithological miscellany. Further information may be obtained from Auction Chair Richard L. Hutto, Department of Zoology, University of Montana, Missoula, MT 59812 (telephone 406-243-4292). Persons willing to donate items may send those items to, or contact, COS President C. J. Ralph, Redwood Sciences Laboratory, 1700 Bayview Drive, Arcata, CA 95521 (telephone 707-822-3691). Donations are tax deductible.

WBBA MEETING

The 1986 meeting of the Western Bird Banding Association will be held 10 to 12 October at Santa Barbara Natural History Museum in Santa Barbara, California. The program will highlight banding demonstrations and workshops and will include field trips. Titles and abstracts of papers may be submitted to David F. DeSante, Point Reyes Bird Observatory, 4990 Shoreline Highway, Stinson Beach, CA 94970.

CAPTIVE JABIRU STORKS

Audubon Park Zoo in New Orleans, Louisiana, is trying to locate female Jabiru Storks (*Jabiru mycteria*) in an attempt to establish a captive breeding population. The zoo currently houses four of the six Jabiru Storks known to be

held in captivity in the United States, including the only female. Denver and San Antonio each hold a single male. There are four young birds at Vogelpark Walsrode in Germany and a single bird in Singapore. Although jabirus have not been bred in captivity, the female at Audubon Park has a strong pair bond with her mate and some reproductive activity has been seen.

Anyone who knows of other jabirus is asked to contact Peter Shannon, Curator of Birds, Audubon Park Zoo, P.O. Box 4327, New Orleans, LA 70178. He would also like to receive information concerning husbandry, behavior, original source of the birds, and management problems from zoos that have kept jabirus in the past.

WORLD CONFERENCE ON HAZARDOUS WASTE

Professor Ferenc Antoni has been named president of the International Committee and of the Hungarian National Committee established for the World Conference on Hazardous Waste to be held 5 to 10 October 1987 in Budapest, Hungary. Dr. Richard Abbou, president of the International Association of Medicine and Biology (IAMBE), has been named president of the conference. Professional scientists and specialists are invited to participate. Dr. Abbou may be contacted at IAMBE, 115, rue de la Pompe, F-75116, Paris, France.

The conference has been planned with the cooperation of intergovernmental and nongovernmental organizations including IAMBE, the United Nations Environment Program (UNEP), the United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO), the World Bank, and the International Solid Waste Association (ISWA). Awards will be granted for the best recent research and for the best new technology concerning hazardous waste.

JUST PUBLISHED

ORNITHOLOGICAL MONOGRAPHS No. 36

Neotropical Ornithology, by P. A. Buckley, M. S. Foster, E. S. Morton, R. S. Ridgely, and F. G. Buckley. xi + 1,041 pp., 8 color plates. 1985. A collection of papers in memory of Eugene Eisenmann. Price \$70.00. Order from Frank R. Moore, Assistant to the Treasurer, AOU, Department of Biology, University of Southern Mississippi, Southern Station Box 5018, Hattiesburg, Mississippi 39406, USA. All orders must be **prepaid** and include a \$0.50 handling charge.

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