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By and large the criticisms are overshadowed by the many good features of this report. It is a good book that is very useful, interesting and fulfills a definite need.—Irven O. Buss.

62. Bird Migration and its Routes. (Fugletraekket og dets Gåder.) Finn Salomonsen. 1953. E. Munksgaard, Copenhagen, 224 pp., 19.50 Danish Kroner. Salomonsen's book on bird migration is a nicely balanced combination of a general discussion of bird migration (126 pp.) with a detailed presentation of the present knowledge of the migration of Danish birds based on an evaluation and analysis not only of field observations, but also of the banding records of Danish birds. There are 60 text figures (mostly maps and graphs) and 8 plates of photographs. Although essentially written for a Danish audience (there are no English summaries) the volume is of considerable interest to any student of bird migration.—Ernst Mayr.

## NOTES AND NEWS

The annual meeting of the Northeastern Bird-Banding Association (combined with the fall field meeting) will be held on Saturday, October 2, at 10 A.M., at the Cook's Canyon Sanctuary of the Massachusetts Audubon Society. Those interested in appearing on the program should get in touch with Dr. C. H. Blake. Dept. of Biology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge 39, Mass. A hot meal will be available at noon; the cost will not be over \$1.75 and may be less. After a postcard notice is sent to NEBBA members in September, those who plan to attend will be asked to make a reservation for the meal if desired. Others interested in banding will be welcome, and may write to Mr. R. M. Hinchman, 75 Fairbanks Road, Milton 86, Mass., for meal reservations.