

NEBBA FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements below cover the Northeastern Bird-Banding Association's fiscal year ending August 31, 1967 (with the previous year for comparison). For the previous figures for the General Account, see *Bird-Banding*, 38: 92-93, January, 1967. For the Net Account, see *Bird-Banding*, 38: 237-238, July, 1967.

GENERAL ACCOUNT

Income Statement

<i>Receipts</i>	1966	1967
Subscriptions and dues (current year)	\$4,088.00	\$4,304.44
Sale of back issues	335.00	290.65
Sale of reprints		20.90
Contributions	6.46	3.19
Contribution to Publication Account	280.00	120.00
Bank interest	180.14	360.74
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	\$4,889.60	\$5,099.92
 <i>Expenditures</i>		
Printing of <i>Bird-Banding</i>	\$3,882.79	\$4,091.96
Mailing of <i>Bird-Banding</i>	637.91	770.22
Editorial expenses	80.00	90.00
Purchase of back issues	25.50	6.00
Purchase of reprints		53.86
Other printing, postage, supplies	183.92	155.06
Annual and field meetings	70.53	22.56
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, annual fees	8.00	8.00
Certified copy of Articles of Incorporation		3.05
Copies of Tax Exemption Letter	3.00	4.50
Application for second-class mailing permit		75.00
Bank charges	4.76	7.51
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	\$4,896.41	\$5,287.72
 Net Deficit	 \$ 6.81	 \$ 187.80

Balance Sheet

<i>Assets</i>		
Cash	\$10,281.08	\$11,876.97
Back issues of Bird-Banding	1.00	1.00
Accounts receivable	39.25	36.25
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	\$10,321.33	\$11,914.22
 <i>Liabilities and Net Worth</i>		
Subscriptions paid in advance	\$ 1,183.69	\$ 1,117.25
Reserve for Index Fund	1,756.20	2,527.20
Reserve for Research Fund	295.73	295.73
Life Membership Fund	1,937.50	2,128.75
Christian J. Goetz Fund	1,216.50	1,451.81
Net worth	3,931.71	4,393.48
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	\$10,321.33	\$11,914.22

		<i>Special Funds</i>	
<i>Index Fund</i>		1966	1967
Reserve		\$ 1,636.20	\$ 1,756.20
Received from Mist Net Account		120.00	750.00
Received from sales of 1941-50 index			21.00
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Reserve		\$ 1,756.20	\$ 2,527.20
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<i>Research Fund</i>			
Reserve		\$ 295.73	\$ 295.73
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Reserve		\$ 295.73	\$ 295.73
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<i>Life Membership Fund</i>			
Reserve		\$ 1,656.25	\$ 1,937.50
Additions, 1966		281.25	
Additions, 1967			191.25
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Reserve		\$ 1,937.50	\$ 2,128.75
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<i>Christian J. Goetz Fund</i>			
Reserve		\$ 590.85	\$ 1,216.50
Received, 1965 income on legacy		625.65	
Received, partial 1966 income on legacy			235.31
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Reserve		\$ 1,216.50	\$ 1,451.81
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MRS. JAMES R. DOWNS,
Treasurer

MIST NET ACCOUNT

		<i>Income Statement</i>	
<i>Receipts</i>		1966	1967
Sale of nets		\$12,952.40	\$18,726.00
<i>Expenditures</i>			
Cost of nets		12,509.00	13,610.00
Postage		443.40	617.93
Losses		13.20	3.35
Other		325.97	276.49
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Total		13,611.92	14,507.77
Transferred to the Index Fund		120.00	750.00
" " " Publication Fund		200.00	120.00
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		<i>Balance Sheet</i>	
<i>Assets</i>			
Cash		-91.34	97.69
Checking account		573.95	692.15
Accounts receivable		911.21	4,075.32
Nets on hand		5,654.00	4,667.35
Nets on order		5,940.80	6,966.65
Other		10.00	10.00
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Total		12,998.62	16,509.16

Liabilities

Nets paid in advance	79.04	192.17
Reserve for contingencies	2,500.00	3,000.00
Net worth	10,419.58	13,316.99
Total	\$12,998.62	\$16,509.16

E. A. BERGSTROM,
Assistant Treasurer

NOTES AND NEWS

At NEBBA's annual meeting on October 28, 1967, Dr. C. E. Huntington retired as president, after five years' service. James Baird was elected as the new president, and James O. Seamans as vice-president.

Dates to keep in mind: the spring field meeting of NEBBA on June 8, 1968 at the Wellfleet Bay Wildlife Sanctuary on Cape Cod (the former Austin Ornithological Research Station), with beach-buggy field trips on the 9th. The 1968 annual meeting will again be held at Drumlin Farm in Lincoln, Mass., on October 26th.

Many of our readers subscribe to *The Ring*, the most truly international bird-banding bulletin. It contains notes and short papers on new techniques and breeding and population studies, together with references to current literature in various languages. Subscriptions may be obtained for US \$3.00 per year from European Publishers Representatives, Inc., 36 West 61st St., New York, N. Y. 10023 (other representatives in many countries). Manuscripts for publication may be sent to either of the U. S. co-editors, Peter C. Petersen, Jr., 235 McClellan Blvd., Davenport, Iowa 52803, or Frederick S. Schaeffer, 139-48 85th Drive, Jamaica, N. Y. 11435.

The classic ornithological spoof, "*Eoörnis pteroveloX gobiensis*", by A. C. Fotheringham is once again available—for \$1.10 postpaid in the U. S. and Canada (\$1.25 elsewhere) from G. E. Watson, 2621 O Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20007, or R. C. Banks, 3200 Curtis Drive, Washington, D. C. 20031.

The Eastern Bird-Banding Association offers another \$100 award to a college student in the U. S., undergraduate or graduate, who uses bird-banding in an ornithological study. The application must be received prior to February 29, 1968. Details may be obtained from F. R. Scott, 115 Kennondale Lane, Richmond, Va. 23226.

The Long Point Bird Observatory will be conducting a continuous program of observations and banding of migrant and resident birds from April 1 to October 31, 1968 at Long Point on the Ontario shore of Lake Erie. The Observatory is situated at the eastern end of the Point, about 18 miles from the nearest road. Last year about 16,000 birds of 160 species were banded at the Observatory. Most of the birds are trapped in the Observatory's five Heligoland Traps. Accommodation is available at the Observatory for a limited number of experienced observers or banders who are willing to assist in the work of the Observatory for periods of *one week or longer*. Accommodation includes bunks and cooking facilities, but visitors must bring their own sleeping bags, air mattresses and food. A fee is charged for accommodation and transportation on Long Point. Further details may be obtained from Mrs. J. Woodford, 76 Glentworth Road, Willowdale, Ontario, Canada.

With this issue, printing rates for *Bird-Banding* have gone up, reflecting increases in wages and other costs. However, we do not expect to increase subscriptions rates or membership dues. Income from the Goetz bequest is being used to help pay printing costs, and thus avoid a reduction in the length of issues. The most important factor in meeting our printing bill is the increase in our