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plates by James McClelland have been supplemented by 4 plates by Mark Marcuson that depict males of newly included species, and the 4 hummingbird plates by Sophie Webb from the Howell and Webb field guide. The latter plates illustrate a number of species not covered in this book. Appendices include keys for North American and Mexican hummingbirds, a glossary, and a section on the origins of Latin names of the hummingbirds described in the book.

The 6 chapters of Part One are substantially the same, having undergone only minor revision consisting of a few added references and paragraphs. The major changes in this second edition are the addition of the new species accounts and color plates, and bringing the bibliography up to date. Not included in the second edition are short accounts of each genus, and appendices which dealt with a synopsis of the family Trochilidae, a synoptic identification guide to hummingbirds of the world, a reference list to hummingbird illustrations in other books, and hummingbird-adapted plants of North America—all eliminated presumably to make room for the new species accounts.

The text brings together a broad literature on hummingbird biology and is presented in a very readable manner. The addition of the Mexican species, which is the heart of the new edition, has, in essence, redefined North America to include Mexico south to the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, which may strike some readers as odd. Including these Mexican species, however, has made the book more representational of a family of birds that is largely tropical in distribution.

This is an attractive and well written book that is substantially expanded from the first edition, and hence should be part of any academic library and the personal library of at least those with a special interest in hummingbirds.—William E. Davis, Jr.

ERRATUM

In the paper "Large-scale mapping of Purple Martin pre-migratory roosts using WSR-88D weather surveillance radar" by K. R. Russell, D. S. Mizrahi, and S. A. Gauthreaux, Jr., published in JFO 69(1):316–325, the following errors in Table 1 should be corrected. The descriptions of sites 14 and 15 should be switched, and the text following Lake Livingston for site 33 should be omitted.