

ANDERSON MEMORIAL AWARD

The first annual William C. Anderson Memorial Award was presented for the best student's paper at the Raptor Research Foundation's annual meeting in November.

The winner was Jimmie R. Parrish, Dept. of Biology, Ecology and Systematics Section, Univ. of Alabama, University, AL, for his paper entitled "Identification of Peregrine Falcon natal locales by trace element analysis of feathers".

Three papers were noted as runners-up:

Diane Rains Epstein (co-author Gary E. Duke), Dept. of Veterinary Biology, Univ. of Minnesota, St. Paul, who presented the paper "A circadian rhythm of pellet egestion in Red-tailed Hawks";

R. Given Harper (co-author Thomas C. Dunstan), Dept. of Biological Sciences, Western Illinois Univ., Macomb, IL, who gave the paper "Foraging efficiency of adult vs. immature Bald Eagles at Lock and Dam 24, Mississippi River"; and

George Menkens (co-author Stanley H. Anderson), Wyoming Coop. Fish & Wildlife Research Unit, Univ. of Wyoming, Laramie, WY, who presented the paper "Characterization of Golden Eagle nesting habitat in northeast Wyoming".

Students gave 13 of the 43 papers presented.

LESLIE BROWN TRUST FUND CONTRIBUTORS

A separate saving account was opened last year to receive memorials for Leslie Brown. The opening balance was \$68.10. During 1982 the fund grew to \$876.89 thanks to contributions from Dean Amadon, Sally Spofford, Walter Spofford, Alan Harmata and a \$520 contribution from the Pan African Ornithological Congress.

KESTREL SYMPOSIUM

A one-day symposium on kestrel species entitled THE ANCESTRAL KESTREL will be held in conjunction with the annual Raptor Research Foundation conference on November 17, 1983 in St. Louis, Missouri. For further details, write:

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