

## Volume 15, Number 4, 1984

Breeding Phenology and Mid-seasonal Social Behavior of the Sooty Guillemot on Teuri Island, Japan <i>Asa C. Thoresen</i>	145
Distribution and Abundance of Marine Birds Breeding Between Amber and Kamishak Bays, Alaska, with Notes on Interactions with Bears <i>Edgar P. Bailey and Nina H. Faust</i>	161
Habitat Use by Wintering Birds of Prey in Southeastern Arizona <i>Robert E. Parker and Erick G. Campbell</i>	175
NOTES	
First Record of LeConte's Sparrow in Oregon <i>Jeff Gilligan, Owen Schmidt, David Irons and Richard Smith</i>	185
Black-shouldered Kite and Northern Goshawk Interactions with Peregrine Falcons at San Miguel Island, California <i>Brent S. Stewart and Robert L. DeLong</i>	187
Some Recent Nesting Records for the Snowy Plover in the San Joaquin Valley, California <i>Gary L. Ivey</i>	189
PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE <i>Terence Wahl</i>	190
INDEX <i>Mildred Comar</i>	192

*Cover photo by Edward Harper: Sharp-tailed Sandpiper (Calidris acuminata), Alexai Point, Attu Island, Alaska, 13 September 1983.*

Manuscripts should be sent to Alan M. Craig, P.O. Box 254, Lakeview, CA 92353. For matters of style consult *Suggestions to Contributors to Western Birds* (6 pp. mimeo available at no cost from the Editor) and *Council of Biology Editors Style Manual* 4th edition, 1978 (available from the American Institute of Biological Sciences, 1401 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22209 for \$12.00).

Papers are desired that are based upon field studies of birds, that are both understandable and useful to amateurs, and that make a significant contribution to scientific literature. Appropriate topics include distribution, migration, status, behavior, ecology, population dynamics, habitat requirements, the effects of pollution, the techniques for identifying, censusing, sound recording and photographing birds in the field. Papers of general interest will be considered regardless of their geographic origin, but particularly desired are papers dealing with studies accomplished in or bearing on Rocky Mountain states and provinces westward, including Alaska and Hawaii, adjacent portions of the Pacific Ocean and Mexico, and western Texas.

Reprints can be ordered at author's expense from the Editor when proof is returned or earlier.

Good photographs of rare and unusual birds, unaccompanied by an article but with caption including species, date, locality and other pertinent information, are wanted for publication in *Western Birds*. Submit photos and captions to Photo Editor.

